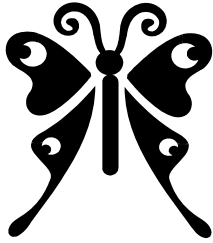


Missouri
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Newsletter

Winter 2008



Greetings!

Scripture of the Month:

“Then God said,
“And now we will
make human beings,
they will be like us
and resemble us.””

-Genesis 1:26

Joan Crenshaw
Community Lay Director

God is so good! But I didn't
have to tell you that, did I?

In October, 2007, the Missouri
East Chrysalis Board decided the
winter Chrysalis weekends would
be “Flourneys.” This is the first
time we've combined college and
high school age young adults on a
weekend.

Since then, leadership of both of
these teams have been blazing
new trails for us in Eastern Mis-
souri- putting together well bal-
anced teams, encouraging regis-
trations from both age groups, etc.

Our first two Flourneys are on
the horizon and promise to be ex-
citing experiences for everyone!

God continues to provide, to lead,

to love, to bless, to forgive – and
yes - even adore us, His children.
We don't deserve it; we don't even
recognize it most of the time. But
He is faithful.

He's asked us to tell others about
His love and His promises. Most
of us are quite settled in our
homes, our churches, our friend-
ships and the people we socialize
with-for the most part- have a per-
sonal relationship with God. But
what about those other people that
we work with or that our children
socialize with? These are oppor-
tunities to share and witness.

Consider sponsoring a pilgrim on
the Walk to Emmaus or a caterpil-
lar on a Chrysalis weekend! What
better witness than this? You
sponsor and God will take care of
the rest! What a deal!

FLY WITH CHRIST!

Joan

Registration

Deadlines

Flourney #1 (Girls)
February 10, 2008

Flourney #2 (Boys)
February 24, 2008

Contact Jerry Aker
registrar@moechrysalis.org
www.moechrysalis.org

New Clergy Criteria for Chrysalis 2008

The Upper Room has made some changes to the qualifications to serve as a clergy person on Chrysalis for 2008. This is in an effort to provide the best theological and spiritual leadership possible. The Chrysalis Board is making every effort to follow these new qualifications.

Spiritual Directors

1. An ordained clergy who has completed a 4-year undergraduate degree & completed an M. Div. from a seminary accredited by the ATS or completed a 4-year undergraduate degree and the UM Course of Study or equivalent in another denomination & 30 hrs of graduate theological study at an accredited seminary; or
2. A UM licensed local pastor or their equivalent in other churches or denominations who have completed their course of study program can serve if written permission from the Bishop, DS or supervisory body is obtained to consecrate the Holy Communion elements in Chrysalis. This letter must be on file with the Board and be renewed annually.
3. The clergy person must have served at least once as a Chrysalis ASD, given a minimum of 2 Grace talks and be authorized to consecrate Holy Communion.

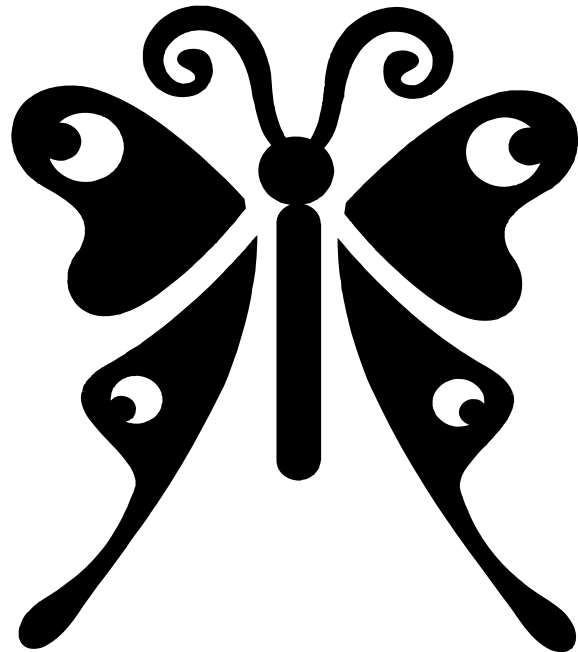
Assistant Spiritual

Directors

A clergy person must be qualified to serve as SD, or be a licensed local pastor or a student local pastor who is under appointment or authorized to serve and in process of completing Course of Study, or a UM Deacon who is an associate or full conference member.

Other Denominations

The Upper Room recognizes there may be some clergy from other denominations who do not meet these new criteria and has developed a program that will enable faithful & effective SDs from other traditions to serve Chrysalis. If you are interested in more information, please contact: Joan Crenshaw, CLD or Rev. Alecia Fischer for more information



Looking Forward Mark Your Calendar

Chrysalis Events—2008

Girls Flourney #1: February 15-17

Boys Flourney #2: February 29-March 2

FUMC-JC

Girls Flight 49: July 11-13

Boys Flight 50: July 25-27

Sojourn, Dittmer

Emmaus Events—2008

Men's Walk 117 - March 27-30 - Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center, Fredericktown, MO

Women's Walk 118 - April 17-20 - Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center, Fredericktown, MO

Men's Walk 119 - September 25-28 - Rickman Center, Jefferson City, MO

Women's Walk 120 - October 16-19 - Rickman Center, Jefferson City, MO

Do You Hear What I Hear?

Dear Chrysalis Community,

It is my pleasure to serve our community as Music Director. I have seen a huge amount of agape love from our entire community. One of the ways we have to show our agape love to the caterpillars and team members is through music. Music has a special place to many people. It is how many of us calm our minds and express our emotions. It is a simple and effective way to reach through all the walls of distraction we have built up around our hearts and let Jesus in. Many of us would be lost in a world with so many problems if it was not for the music in our hearts.

God has placed the ability in some people to lead others to Him through music. There are many opportunities for both youth

and adults to share their gifts of music on every Chrysalis weekend. You could lead worship or do special music for Apostolic Hour or closing. You may want to become part of the Butterfly Band and be a leader in JesusFest. Maybe you could be a team musician on a Flight/Journey for the weekend. Whatever area you feel called to serve, God will always bless you. Each opportunity has its own special place in the hearts and minds of the community and caterpillars. We are always in search of musicians who are called by God to enhance our Chrysalis weekends with music. If you feel you are one of those people called to serve Christ through your music, please e-mail me at POW-MIA2000@hotmail.com to see where God can use you and your unique talent to bless those who need to hear God's love.

Fly with Christ!
Stephen Stark

Chrysalis Flourney #1: Team Roster

Conference Room Team

Board Representative	Joan Crenshaw
Lay Director	Chris Rosemann
Assistant Lay Director	Jolene Bushery
Assistant Lay Director	Kimberly Wallace
Youth Assistant Lay Director	Abby Krueger
Spiritual Director	Rev Loren Whetsell
Asst Spiritual Director	Rev. Mary Alice Cunningham
Asst Spiritual Director	Rev. Adam Gordon-Lauck
Asst Spiritual Director	Rev. Meg Hegemann
Asst Spiritual Director	GWP
Musician (A)	Janeen Hankinson
Musician (Y)	Sara Hines
Ideals (Y)	Ashley Brady
Faith (A)	Jill Wondel
Prodigal (Y)	Christina Schappe
Communication (A)	Tammy Mickle
Study (Y)	Angela Rudolph
Marriage (A)	Jenny & Craig Clark
Action (Y)	Jami Smiley
Single Life (A)	Hope Bynum
Table Leader (A)	Nancy Krueger
Table Leader (A)	Yvette Gudde
Table Leader (Y)	Hannah Gudde
Table Leader (Y)	Julie Hankinson
Table Leader (J)	Angle Veatch

Background Team

Logistics Coordinator	LaDonna Williams
Agape Coordinator (A)	Jodie Quick
Agape Coordinator (Y)	Megan Stevens
Prayer Chapel Leader (A)	Jan Hankinson
Prayer Chapel Leader (Y)	Carrie Brandriff
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Corlin Clark
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Samantha Fomera
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Kristen White
Prayer Chapel (A)	Lisa Earl
Prayer Chapel (A)	Brenda Howell

Chrysalis Flourney #2: Team Roster

Conference Room Team

Board Representative	Frank McLachlan
Lay Director	Rick Ellsworth
Assistant Lay Director	Doug Reinhard
Assistant Lay Director	Tom Schlimpert
Youth Assistant Lay Director	Jeff Kremer
Spiritual Director	Rev. Ed Powlishta
ASD	Rev. Karen Blank-Ewell
ASD	Rev. Scott Bailey-Kirk
ASD	Rev. Loren Whetsell
ASD	GWP
Musician (A)	Greg Kern
Musician (Y)	Joshua Montpetit
Ideals (Y)	Jake Gudde
Faith (A)	Mike Hendren
Prodigal (Y)	Scott Ricks
Communication (A)	Robert Kiefer
Christian Growth (Y)	Nick Szoko
Marriage (A)	Jerry & Mary Aker
Action (Y)	Mat Welch
Single Life (A)	Richard Hart
Table Leader (Y)	Jonah Krueger
Table Leader (Y)	Shawn Tooley
Table Leader (Y)	Zach Busch
Table Leader (A)	Dave Shepard
Table Leader (A)	Patrick Breck

Background Team

Logistics Coordinator	Michael Baalman
Agape Coordinator (A)	Ivan Bramlett
Agape Coordinator (Y)	Ryan Jaspering
Prayer Chapel Leader (A)	Chris Busch
Prayer Chapel Leader (Y)	GWP
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Nick Smith
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Sam Coulson
Prayer Chapel (Y)	Ted Baalman
Prayer Chapel (A)	Mike Helm
Prayer Chapel (A)	Mike Kienzle

Creating an Inviting

Atmosphere for Candlelight

By Stephen Stark,

Community Music Director

On October 13th Pat Miller, from the Upper Room, lead us in some training on the Chrysalis model. We've made great strides in becoming more in line with the Upper Room Chrysalis model, but we still have some changes to make.

One of the changes the Board has decided to make is to the Apostolic Hour/Candlelight service. Currently we have our Apostolic Hour service & line up in a receiving line to welcome the caterpillars and team members, as we sing the Jesus Jesus song in a round. Once the caterpillars and team have filed through, we as the community follow after and fill in the pews in the sanctuary.

Sometimes we end up with 3 or 4 rounds of Jesus Jesus going; this can be very distracting for the caterpillars. The receiving line may alienate and frighten caterpillars that have no one present.

Therefore, the Board has decided that the community should remain in the sanctuary in the pews spread out, singing Jesus Jesus in unison while the Caterpillars and team assemble on stage. When the caterpillars and team have begun to sing back to the community, we will join them, then file past the Flight/Journey as we do currently then exit the building. This will lend itself to a more organized and touching experience for the Caterpillars. ***We appreciate your cooperation with this transition.***

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October 2007-September 2008

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Serving for the Lord

The following is an application to serve on Chrysalis Flights or Chrysalis Journeys. Remember you do not have to serve as a team member to stay involved. There are many other opportunities including: praying, making agape (personal letters, community agape, etc.), participating in the events of the weekends, attending reunion groups in your area, and sponsoring others.

- 1. I would like to help with Chrysalis () Chrysalis/Journey () in one of the following ways:
 () Prepare/serve meals () Sponsor's Hour () Facility setup/cleanup () Music () 72 Hour Prayer Vigil
 () Donate food/snacks () Prepare/serve meals () Organize your local community events () Mime Ministry
- 2. I wish to serve on a team in the () Winter () Summer as:
 () Logistics () Musician (instrument): _____ () Vocal
 () Table Leader () Prayer Chapel () Agape Coordinator () Speaker
- 3. I have previously served on:
 () Chrysalis Flight () Chrysalis Journey () Emmaus () Teens Encounter Christ () Cursillo () Other

As a: _____

4. My flight/walk was: # _____ in (year): _____

5. My year of High School graduation: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Send Servant form to:

Chuck Newburry
404 Cedar Oak Court
St Peters, MO 63376

charles.e.newburry
@boeing.com

How Can I HELP?

PRAYER: One of the most important ways to help a Chrysalis weekend is through prayer. Pray for the Caterpillars and for the Team. To sign up to be a part of the 72 Hour Prayer Vigil contact Jennifer Morgan 314-323-5841 email morganj@mir.wustl.edu.

AGAPE: Check the Chrysalis website and get the names of the Caterpillars who will be participating in the weekend and write them a note of encouragement. Don't forget to write the Team as well!

The Ministry is one area of service that young men and women can be involved in during the weekend. Contact Carrie Brandriff at 314-229-8859 or email her at blinkchic95@aol.com..

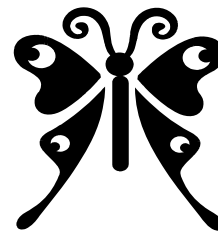
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Ignite 2008

Summer 2008 - Details coming

A celebration of Jesus Christ's presence in our lives. Create new friendships in Chris and rekindle past experiences with old friends from 3 to 7 PM with plenty of food, fun, and great youth and adult speakers.

Missouri East Chrysalis Web Site

- ◆ A new look and additional features has arrived to the Missouri East Chrysalis Website (www.moechrysalis.org) Check out the new web-site and remember to to continue to check the website often for news of the Missouri East Chrysalis community. Comments welcome. Contact our webmaster Chris Busch at chris.busch@moechrysalis.org.