



# New Horizon Emmaus Community

**Newsletter – January 2006**

**January Community Meeting  
Thursday, January 19th**

**Board Meeting - 5:30 p.m.**

**Sponsorship Training - 6:15**

**Community - 7:00**

**BRING YOUR FAVORITE SNACK TO SHARE.  
GUESTS ARE WELCOME, AND A NURSERY IS  
PROVIDED.**

First United Methodist Church, Littlefield  
Hereford/Littlefield will host.

## A NOTE FROM THE SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

### **Dear New Horizon Community:**

It has been a great year for the New Horizon Emmaus Community, with Gary Hubbard as Community Spiritual Director. I would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank Brother Gary for his service to the community, and to say what an outstanding job I think he has done. His leadership is an inspiration to all of us, and an example for us to follow. I would also like to thank the community for offering me the opportunity to serve as Community Spiritual Director for 2006, I am looking forward to the opportunities and challenges of the year to come, and the work the Lord has for all of us to do.

**Jeremiah 29:11** says:

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. I am excited that the Lord has provided me with hope and plans for me to prosper by getting to know all of you a little better in the future.

I will do the very best that I can, I will be relying on the guidance of the Holy Spirit, I will be praying for you, and I covet all of your prayers.

God bless you

Dee Woolam.

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### **FUTURE COMMUNITY MEETINGS**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>HOST</u>
<b>FEBRUARY 16</b>	<b>DIMMITT/HART</b>
<b>MARCH 16</b>	<b>SUDAN/MULESHOE</b>
<b>APRIL 20</b>	<b>FRIONA/ANTON</b>

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**Prayer Vigil Coordinator** is Vandii Combs. You may contact her at 806-272-5158, [v\\_c0@yahoo.com](mailto:v_c0@yahoo.com)

**Name Tags** can be ordered by sending \$6.00 along with name and address to Terri Stansell, 1461 Hwy 54, Littlefield, TX 79339.

**Registrar** is Tanya Chadwick, P.O. Box 819, Farwell, TX 79325.

**Newsletter Articles** may be sent to Shirley White by the 5<sup>th</sup> of each month to P.O. Box 24, Friona, TX 79035, [nwhite@wtrt.net](mailto:nwhite@wtrt.net)

**NEW HORIZON EMMAUS COMMUNITY**

**P.O. BOX 885**

**LEVELLAND, TEXAS 79336**

**Men's Walk # 22  
February 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Team**

*Robert Duke, Lay Director      LarryHolder, Spiritual Director*

<i>Charles Axtell</i>	<i>Coby Gilbreath</i>	<i>David Marricle</i>
<i>Justin Benton</i>	<i>Mike Goettsch</i>	<i>Steve Patterson</i>
<i>Ray Bradley</i>	<i>Todd Gregg</i>	<i>Johnny Stanford</i>
<i>Ken Bundy</i>	<i>Homer Haile</i>	<i>Mike Stansifer</i>
<i>Ezra Chambers</i>	<i>Virgil Ichtertz</i>	<i>Tommy Stansell</i>
<i>Troy Christian</i>	<i>Joe James</i>	<i>Jose Trevizo</i>
<i>Mark Daniel</i>	<i>Kyle Jones</i>	<i>Kevin Welch</i>
<i>Jon Douglas</i>	<i>Kris Knippa</i>	<i>Noel White</i>

**A Note From the Lay Director**



Dear New Horizon Community,

Hopefully this finds each of you doing well, both physically and spiritual. I'm excited about the upcoming year, and thank you for allowing me to serve you as your Community Lay Director. James Clark has done an outstanding job this past year, and I realize he left some mighty big shoes to fill. My pledge is to serve this community to the very best of my ability. During the past two years that I have served on the board, we have had to make some tough decisions. These decisions haven't always been popular or easy, but I think the right decisions were made. I appreciate the hard work and long hours that was put forth by the 2005 board, and look forward to 2006 with the newly elected board, and those who have been appointed to fill unexpired terms. Time and time again I hear someone say "when I went on my Walk, we did this or did that." A few years ago New Horizon Emmaus made the decision to make a diligent effort to go back to the original model that Emmaus was intended to be, and away from many of the local "traditions" that many of us had become accustomed to. Often times we wonder why now when we sponsor someone on a Walk to Emmaus, or work on a Team, things aren't like they were when we went on our Walk. One of the things I hope to do this year is provide a brief explanation at each monthly community gathering about some of the changes that are taking place within Emmaus, and why. Some of the things I intend on covering are:

- Why Emmaus isn't a big secret.
- The Team selection process.
- Anonymous servanthood.
- Areas to get involved other than working on a Team.
- Sponsorship.
- Giving a Talk.
- Anything else you've wondered about.

Hopefully this will clear-up some of the confusion, and possibly eliminate any hard-feelings that could arise.

And finally, I encourage each of you to look around you and see who you know that "deserves" to spend 72 hours with Jesus. A family member? A co-worker? Someone from your church? That person down the street? Every time I see a Walk that isn't full I wonder who is missing-out on the blessing that God has prepared for them. Even if you asked them before and they said no, ask them again. Who knows? God might have been working on them just for a time like now!

DeColores!  
Bruce Slaughter

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**ARK NEWS**

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**MEAL SIGNUPS:**

The food is furnished. We need groups (4-5) to come in and prepare, serve and clean up. These meals are not signed up by the lay director. MEALS CAN

**ONLY BE SIGNED UP BY PAM.**

Currently need help with meals for Women's Walk #30. IF INTERESTED OR HAVE QUESTIONS CALL PAM HUMPHREYS AT 246-3686 OR 227-2123

**HELP WANTED:**

ARK PAID STAFF POSITION - The ARK is in the process of adding to the kitchen staff. Responsibilities will depend on qualifications and availability.

Please call Pam Humphreys if interested to discuss this position. ARK: (806)246-3686, Home: (806)227-2123

(The rest of you please pray)

Wanted: Nightstands and desks in good condition for new rooms at the ARK.

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**2006 New Horizon Walk Dates**

January 12	Women's Walk #30	Kari Preston, LD
February 9	Men's Walk # 22	Robert Duke, LD
April 27	Women's Walk #31	Donna Kuntz, LD
June 1	Men's Walk #23	

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**NEW HORIZON REGISTRARS**

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Women	Men
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