

Steps For Life 2009 Walkathon



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Pregnancy
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Ohio

The 24th Annual Steps for Life Walkathon, held on Saturday, September 26th at Moore Park in Bryan was a fun and successful day with about 120 participants, including 50 registered walkers. We give all the glory to God for the \$34,600 that was raised to help meet the operational budget of the Community Pregnancy Centers.



The area in and near Jaycee Pavilion was filled with registrants, team members, kids playing games, Christian bands which played throughout the event, and interested onlookers from the area.

This year's walk will provide much needed revenue for Bryan, Defiance, and Wauseon CPC's, to assist in offering FREE services to anyone experiencing an unplanned pregnancy, help those suffering post-abortion trauma, those who require sexually transmitted disease (STD) testing, and those who qualify for obstetrical ultrasound. CPC also provides Project Respect, an abstinence education program in the public schools that teaches teens self-control in all situations including: drug and alcohol use, sexual activity, media and peer pressure.

Twenty-seven prizes were awarded to top fundraisers and those who won the four great drawing prizes. The prize winners, along with those who won the drawing prizes are listed on page 2 of this LifeSaver. The bands that played during the event were: *Relentless*, who lead worship at Christ Community Church; *The Life of Christian Cole*, a Christian rock band made up of men from the local area; and *Life Changing Realities Church Worship Band*, in Edgerton.

We received generous support from our underwriters, some of whom are: CE Electronics, Russ Watson Insurance and Financial, Sauder Farm Village and Barn Restaurant, SRT Orthotics, and Wilson Auction & Realty. All underwriters, coupon and gift certificate donors, and prize donors are also included on page 2 of this LifeSaver.

The Steps for Life event was blessed with over 50 volunteers all working together to support the CPC ministry and the services we provide. We want to thank all who participated in the walk, whether as a walker, church group, business underwriter, walk sponsor, or site volunteer and all those who baked for our August pie sales at the Wal-Mart stores. We are at a total of about \$34,600 for the walkathon so far, including the \$1641 raised at our bake sales and we praise God for His goodness in helping us to come that near to our \$40,000 goal. If you would like to make a donation toward the \$5400 yet needed to reach our walk goal, please send your gift to CPC, 1410 W. High, Bryan, OH 43506. If you still wish to earn a tee shirt or hooded sweatshirt, call 419-636-5692 for more information. Thank You and God Bless You.

2009 WALK SHIRTS FOR SALE:

Navy & lime tee shirts in sm, med, lg, and black and white tee shirts in sm, med, lg, and XL may be purchased for \$10. Black & white hooded sweatshirts in sm, med, lg, and XL may be purchased for \$25 (limited supply on some). Call the Bryan CPC to reserve yours TODAY!!

Steps for Life 2009 Prize Winners

1st Place 9 & Under: Peyton Miller

2nd Place 9 & Under: Haleigh Van Wagner

3rd Place 9 & Under: Katie Winner

1st Place 10-14: Grace McIntosh

2nd Place 10-14: Kathryn Roth

3rd Place: 10-14: Matthew Winner

1st Place 15-18: Tessa Waidelich

2nd Place 15-18: Danielle Trausch

3rd Place 15-18: Bethany Iott

Volunteer: Briana Lloyd & Beverly Iott

Senior: Carol Jermeay

1st Place Women: Janice Myers

2nd Place Women: Stacy Kosha

3rd Place Women: Traci Hartman

1st Place Men: Carlton Lemons

2nd Place Men: Jim Fetzer

3rd Place Men: Kent Hardy

1st Place Team: West Clinton Mennonite Church

2nd Place Team: Eagles Point

1st Place Family: The McIntosh Family

2nd Place Family: The Winner Family

Drawing Prize Winners

8 GB I-Pod Touch: Jessica McWatters

Autographed Sports Package: Cari Kost

Health Fitness Package: Grace McIntosh

7 in. DVD Car Package: Kathryn Roth

TEAM PARTICIPANTS

Dupont Church of the Bretheren
Eagles Point
Grace Community Church
Life Changing Realities
New Hope Community Church
North Clinton Mennonite Church
Pettisville Missionary
Templo Cristiano

2009 Steps for Life Underwriters

Giving 500+

The Barn Restaurant/
Sauder Village, Archbold
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SRT Prosthetics &
Orthotics, Bryan
Watson Insurance, Archbold
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Giving 200+

Kannel Superior Agency,
Montpelier
Sammons Carpet Cleaning,
Bryan
Tom & Angie McWatters
Taco Bell Of NW Ohio
Brooks Richer
Kent & Judy Van Wagner

Giving \$100

Archbold Lawn & County Garden
Larry & Eileen Baus
Black Swamp Equipment,
Archbold
Bryan Truck Line
Defiance Area YMCA
DeTray Chiropractic Center,
Defiance
First Federal Bank, Bryan

Fountain City Christian
School, Bryan
Larry & Becky Hackman
Henry County Right-to-Life
Hicksville Bank
Dr. Timothy Hogan
I-M Screen Printing, Wauseon
JJM Associates, Archbold
Ron and Helen Leu
Loving Words Preschool Day
Care, Bryan
M & R Redi-Mix, Pettisville
Rupp Seeds, Wauseon
Sanholtz McKarns,
Montpelier
Seigman's Siding & Window
Specialists, Defiance
Wendy's, Bryan

Giving 50+

Anything Grows, Wauseon
Bob Evans, Defiance
Culligan Water, Bryan
Curves, Bryan
Domino's Pizza, Defiance
Farmers & Merchants
State Bank, Bryan
Pennzoil, Bryan
Pizza Hut, Bryan
Subway, Defiance

Giving 30+

Ace Hardware, Wauseon
Burger King, Bryan
Bryan Lanes
Chief Supermarket, Bryan
Magic Island Tanning,
Bryan
McDonalds, Bryan &
Defiance
New Image Salon, Edon
Ponderosa, Defiance
Southern Breeze, Wauseon

Giving up to 29+

Arby's, Bryan
Casa Veija, Defiance
Culligan Water Conditioning,
Napoleon
Dairy Queen, Bryan
East of Chicago Pizza,
Defiance
Gorny Winzeler, Bryan
John's Donut Shop, Bryan
jumpin' beanz, Bryan
Mennonite Pantry, Archbold
Subway, Bryan
Union Street Grill, Bryan
Wonsetler Flower Shop,
Bryan



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**THANK
YOU**
to
all
who
supported
the
Walk-a-thon!



Fall Volunteer Training Seminar



The CPC Ministry is looking for volunteers who would want to be involved in a ministry that is seeing lives changed everyday for the Kingdom of God. Training would give you the opportunity to learn more about our passion and hear powerful stories of lives that have been changed through the CPC's. The training would also prepare you to serve as a peer counselor at any of our three Centers in Bryan, Defiance, or Wauseon. In addition, the sessions would teach you how to be a Hotline worker at your home, to do counseling in a church, or to give one-on-one spiritual counsel.

This four-session morning training will be held on October 22, 23, 27, and 28 from 8:30 am -12:30 pm at the Bryan CPC, 1410 W. High Street. Topics will include the Pro-Life movement, counseling techniques, fetal development, abortion procedures, abstinence counsel, leading people to Christ, adoption, and more. There will be guest speakers, videos, and refreshments.

We are in need of volunteer peer counselors in all three offices, especially in Wauseon and Bryan; evening and weekend Hotline workers; and nurse volunteers for our medical clinics. The registration fee for this four session seminar is \$10 which covers the cost of the training manual.

If you want to become involved in this hands and feet ministry, please register today to attend this volunteer training. To register call Nancy, 419-636-5692. Please do not delay!

Project Respect In-Service 2009

**From Casual Sex to Porn:
Are Teens Hooked?**

Introducing Author of "Hooked" and
Nationally Known Speaker:

**DR.
FREDA
BUSH**



Tuesday, October 13th, 2009

8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Northwest State Community College

Registration is \$50

Breakfast, Lunch, Dr. Bush's Book,
CNE Certification, and Materials are all included

Call Shirley or Julie at Project Respect

(419-636-2000) to register.

Bryan CPC Parking Lot Update

The grant money from Maumee Valley Planning that was allocated to us in June by the Williams County Commissioners has still not been released to us. This \$24,900 in aid to partially pay for the Bryan CPC parking lot repaving will not be received until MVP has done an environmental study and they have received bids on the project. It could be November before this process is complete. Since June we have received \$4,500 toward the additional \$10,000 we needed to add to the MVP money.

If the money is received too late to complete the parking resurfacing before winter, the cost of the project is projected to increase, because we've been told the paving cost could double if the surface continues to break down. So we may need more than was first calculated. If you are able to help us with this urgently needed funding, please send your gift to: CPC's, 1410 W. High, Bryan, OH 43506.

Community Pregnancy Centers

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Dupont Church of the Brethren
Edgerton Christian Church
Faith Assembly of Believers, Ottawa
Family Christian Center, Defiance
First Baptist Church, Wauseon
First Church of God, Defiance
First Presbyterian Church, Paulding
Fulton Union Christian Church, Delta
Harvest Fellowship, Hamler
Haven Heights Baptist Church, Wauseon
House of Prayer, Montpelier
Life Changing Realities Church, Edgerton
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Defiance
New Hope Community Church, Bryan
Ney Church of God
North Mt. Zion Church, Defiance
Peace Lutheran Church, Defiance
Pettisville Missionary Church
Pine Grove Mennonite Church, Stryker
Solid Rock Community Church, West Unity
St. Caspar's Catholic Church, Wauseon
St. James Lutheran Church, Archbold
St. John's Christian Church, Archbold
St. Michael's Catholic Church, Hicksville
St. Paul's United Methodist, Montpelier
West Clinton Mennonite Church, Wauseon

Thank You's

First Brethren Church, Bryan, Baby Clothing
Pettisville Missionary Church, Quilts
St. Paul UMC, Montpelier, Baby Shower
Saks Thrift Shop, Bryan, Baby Clothes
Solid Rock Community Church, West Unity, Baby Clothes



Ten Thousand Villages Fundraiser

Ten Thousand Villages in Archbold, behind the Care & Share Store, will be doing a fundraiser for the CPC's on Monday, November 16th, from 5:30- 8:30 PM. This unique store stocks the crafts of women artisans from around the world and proceeds then are given to help those in need. Please join us there, have some refreshments, and purchase some beautiful gifts, while at the same time supporting the CPC ministry. A generous 15% of the proceeds that evening will benefit our ministry. Thank You.

STD CLINICS IN NEED OF A BOOST

The CPC sexually transmitted diseases (STD) testing clinics are busier than ever with schedules so full that people are having to wait for a week to be seen. The cost of operating these clinics is extremely high, but the rewards are many! We are seeing life-style changes and hearts are responding to the message of the Gospel in these clinics, while at the same time, treatment is given for physical healing. If you have a heart to see these clinics continue to operate and reach out to the many who are in need of testing (nationally 1 in 4 teens has an STD), won't you please send a gift today to help keep our clinics open? Please send your gift earmarked for STD test to CPC's, 1410 W. High St. Bryan, OH 43506.

