

# What is a Discipleship Walk?

The Discipleship Walk is a three-day weekend (no hiking involved) designed to give believers an opportunity to take a break from regular routines and experience the love of God in a new and fresh way. It is the goal of the Discipleship Walk to lead each person into a closer relationship with Christ where they might become more intentional and mature in their faith, so that each can make a difference for Christ in his or her world.

The Discipleship Walk began in Indianapolis at Northview Christian Life Church in 1989. The Discipleship Walk is heavily patterned after the Walk to Emmaus, The Cursillo Movement, The Great Banquet, and other similar weekends across denominational lines. Since then many area churches in the Indianapolis area have joined them in participating in the walks. In fact, in the fall of 2002, the decision was made to split the groups in Indianapolis because there was so much interest in attending walks.

In 2003, The Chapel partnered with Northview and they have helped us to establish a group of people from The Chapel who have attended and worked the walks. The Chapel held its first set of Discipleship Walks in 2004. Since then we have held a set of walks annually, usually in January or February each year.

## What happened on the weekend?

The weekend is highly structured and includes a series of talks, discussions, chapel times, prayer time, music, and lots of food, fun, and fellowship. It has been described as a “short course in discipleship” with the main focus on what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ. Many feel that this weekend experience has renewed and re-energized their walk with the Lord.

## When can I go?

The weekends are scheduled from Thursday night (beginning at 5 pm with a send off dinner) through Sunday, returning to Fort Wayne mid-afternoon. We do ask that if you attend a walk, that you are able to stay the entire weekend.

Upcoming Men's Walks:  
February 5-8, 2009

Upcoming Women's Walks:  
February 19-22, 2009

## How much does it cost?

The fee is \$120 per person, which includes all meals and lodging. You can pay in full or pay \$60 to reserve your spot and the remaining \$60 by January 12, 2009. There are partial scholarship funds available on a need basis. We do not want money to stand in the way if a person desires to attend the Discipleship Walk. (If you would like to contribute to the scholarship fund, please include the additional amount in your registration.)

## How do I sign up?

Just fill out a registration form, attach a check, and return it to the The Chapel marked Discipleship Walk. *Questions?* Call Karen Redman, 625-6200 or 413-4411

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# *Discipleship Walk* Reservation Form

First and last name (as you prefer it on your name tag): \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Home: \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** under 25 / 25-30 / 30-40 / 40-50 / 50-60/ 60+

If you are currently involved in a weekend ministry commitment at The Chapel, please indicate which department: \_\_\_\_\_

*(We ask that you let your ministry supervisor know as soon as possible in writing of your absence due to the weekend commitment of the walk and that if appropriate, you secure a substitute for your position.)*

Did someone invite you to attend? Who?: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please choose one: \_\_\_\_\_ standard meals \_\_\_\_\_ vegetarian meals

Do you have health concerns/allergies we need to be aware of?

Emergency contact information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_

If you are married, is your spouse planning to attend a Discipleship Walk? \_\_\_\_\_

Or has your spouse already attended a weekend? \_\_\_\_\_

The total cost for the weekend is \$120. **When the registrar receives this form along with a check, your spot will be reserved.** You can pay in full or pay \$60 to reserve your spot and the remaining \$60 by January 12, 2009. You will receive written confirmation after your reservation is processed.

**Fill out the form completely, make your check payable to The Chapel, and mail both to The Chapel Discipleship Walk, attn. Karen Redman 2505 West Hamilton Road S, Fort Wayne, IN 46814 Questions? 260-625-6200**

(office use only)

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Payment Info: \_\_\_\_\_ Notes \_\_\_\_\_