



The Windmill's Breeze



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**Community
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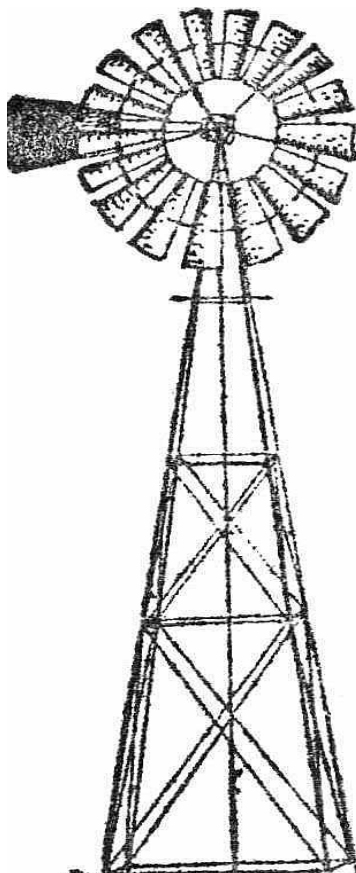
The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit. John 3:8



**Larry
McRorey
Community
Spiritual
Director**

Hello again Emmaus!! I hope everyone who is reading this letter is great! If you are not, rest assured that you have strong community that is praying for you or can start praying right away!! We have a super powerful email prayer chain that you can submit a prayer request to, and within moments, you will start to feel the power of the Holy Spirit!! Trust me, I've felt it!! We are in some exciting times right now!! We have the Men's walk coming up (be sure and get those last minute apps in if you've got them), we have warmer weather on the way, and we all have each other! PLEASE! If you are reading this, and have not been to a gathering, or candlelight, or send off, or reunion, please stop your plans, and get to one!! Don't forget to have fun today, doing something, and don't forget to stop and tell God thank you for the good things that we have!! Des Colores,

Waylon Ford



Greetings! As we are actively preparing for the upcoming Men's Walk in April (#1747) and the Women's Walk in October (#1766), I want to take this opportunity to stress again the importance of active sponsorship of pilgrims on an Emmaus Walk. To sponsor a pilgrim on a Walk to Emmaus is a GREAT HONOR that carries with it GREAT RESPONSIBILITY before AND after the Walk. 1. Praying is the first step in sponsorship. Pray for your pilgrim(s) before, during and after the walk. Sponsorship can't even begin if it hasn't been and is continually bathed in prayer. 2. It is your responsibility to get your pilgrim prepared for the Walk. Help them get organized. Make sure they have secured time off for the weekend. Instruct them about what and what not to bring with them for the weekend. Answer questions, alleviate fears and anxiety. Make arrangements for family concerns if necessary. 3. Bring your pilgrim to the send off on Thursday afternoon (First United Methodist Church Beeville around 4PM) and then take
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GATHERING SCHEDULE

Board Meeting 6:00 P.M.
Fellowship 6:30 P.M.
Worship 7:30 P.M.

**New Life Church hosting AT
Beeville FUMC – March 20**

**Beeville Faith Lutheran –
April 17 (Come welcome the
babe chicks from Walk #1747)**

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your pilgrim to the Walk. Help them get checked in and settled in and then stay for the Sponsor's hour on Thursday evening. You have an obligation to your pilgrim during this time to pray for them and over their cross they will receive at closing. 4. Speaking of praying - you should be continually praying for your pilgrim throughout the entire weekend. 5. Come to Saturday evening candlelight. There is nothing more meaningful for the pilgrims to see you standing there encouraging them, affirming them and praying for them. 6. Attend the closing on Sunday afternoon. You need to be there to participate in your pilgrim's final act of worship in their Emmaus experience. 7. Bring your pilgrim to the next Community Gathering(s). Sponsorship precludes the fact that you yourself are engaged in the larger Emmaus community including the monthly gatherings. 8. Help your pilgrim become engaged in a reunion group so he/she can continue their walk with Christ in the company of others. The success of the Emmaus experience depends largely on good sponsorship and consistent follow through. I want to say thanks to all those who have been led to sponsor pilgrims on a Walk to Emmaus and also encourage those whom God is preparing to be a sponsor on future walks. I'm looking forward to seeing how God will work through you to strengthen His Kingdom in this time and in this place.

Decolores, Larry

Larry McRorey

Beeville, Texas

February 4th Day Speaker



If you will give a

Fourth Day Talk

at a gathering,

Contact: Pennie Parker

361-460-0381

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Breeze Prayer List

James Brooke

Cindy Diller

Mary Lou Fulton

Brooke Hester

Roslyn Holland

Dennis Mozisek

Kelly Sowell

Brian Thompson

All people seeking jobs

Pilgrims Walk #1747

How can YOU help with Mc Connell Kairos #37??

Donate Green Agape

Sign up for Prayer Chains

Purchase Meal Tickets

Bake Cookies

Volunteer for Team Service

Matthew 25: 36

Contact Tucker Rackley for
more info

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\$\$FUNDRAISER\$\$

Windmill Emmaus 4th Day Group
is planning a fundraiser. If you
would like to volunteer to help in
any way, contact

Glenda Martin

361-816-5713

Joe Weigang
Lay Director
Walk # 1747
April 10-13
2014



Way to go Windmill! The deadline to confirm with Zephyr has come and gone and the Windmill Community responded to the challenge of having 20 confirmed Pilgrims 60 days out from the Walk date. As of this moment, there are 14 confirmed Pilgrims, 6 that have been mailed and 3 in the process of being mailed. The Conference Office has had some computer issues and had to change servers so getting the applications confirmed has been a challenge for them but they are getting them done as soon as they can.

Team 1747 met February 8th at the First Baptist Church in Karnes City and we heard 4 awesome Talks as we continue to prepare for THE BEST WALK EVER! Our next team meeting will be held March 8th at the United Methodist Church in Beeville with a full team gathered to worship, bond and continue preparations to serve God and the Pilgrims of Walk #1747.

I am issuing another challenge to the Windmill Community to continue to find the Pilgrims that God has prepared for this journey with Him and fill Walk #1747 with 36 Pilgrims. Please continue to be in prayer for the Pilgrims and Team #1747 as we approach the Walk date of April 10-13, 2014. If you have any questions or need Pilgrim or scholarship applications, please contact me at 830-583-5157 or e-mail me at jweigang@hotmail.com.

De Colores

Joe

Terry Billman
Lay Director
Walk #1766
October 9-12,
2014



WOW! Can you believe March is already here!!

The deadline for team applications was March 1st. As of the date I'm writing this article, February 6th, twelve applications have been submitted and several people have indicated they will be submitting an application. I'm not worried, God already has a team selected for this walk and I know there will be plenty of applications submitted.

The team selection committee will meet on Monday, March 17, 2014 to select the BEST TEAM EVER!! Woo Hoo!!

I ask for your continued prayer for the team for Walk 1766 and the 36 pilgrims God has selected to attend the Walk.

De Colores,

Terry Billman

Lay Director Walk 1766

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Windmill Emmaus Financial Report

General Operating Fund	\$3915.81
Scholarship Fund	\$9728.00
Designated Funds	
Songbooks	\$391.00

If you are unable to attend monthly gatherings, but would like to contribute to the financial needs of your Windmill Emmaus Fourth Day Group, donations can be sent to Carolyn Mick (treasurer), P. O. Box 26, Beeville, Texas 78102.

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