



The Windmill's Breeze



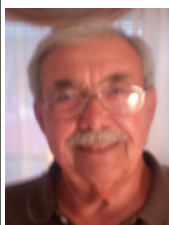
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Windmill Fourth Day Group

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**Frank
Schulenburg**

**Community
Lay Director**



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



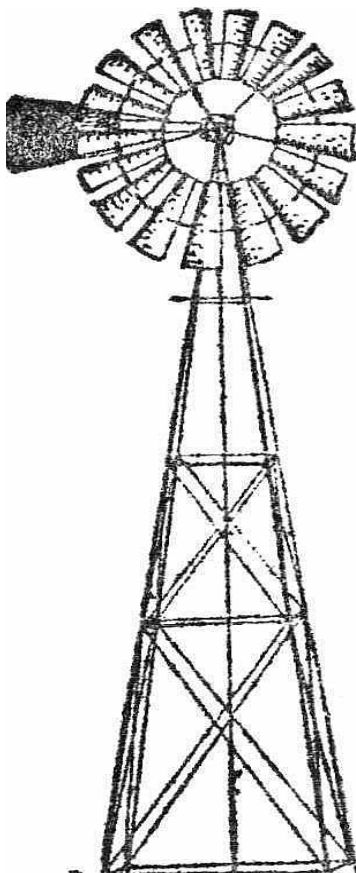
**Don Taylor
Community
Spiritual
Director**

Hello Windmill Community!
We have just finished the
giving of thanks to our GOD
for His many blessings and
the giving of His Son, Jesus
Christ for our sins.
Christmas Day is fast
approaching when we
celebrate the birth of Jesus
Christ. Our churches and
schools will be having
programs to celebrate the
birth of Jesus! We will be
able to see our children and/or
grandchildren perform in
these programs, which will
bring a lot of joy to our
hearts!

This is a joyous time of the
year. We celebrate the birth of
Jesus by exchanging gifts
with family, love ones and
friends. Some will be
traveling to parents and/or
grandparents' house for this
celebration. May our Lord
place his hedge of protection
around all those traveling this
Christmas season.

With all gift exchanges and
surprises in the stockings, let
us not forget the reason for
this joyous season.

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Jesus is the Reason for the Season

The emphasis on Happy
Holidays has taken over the
airwaves, the stores, catalogs
to our homes, and Black
Friday sales events. Many
voiced objection to the new
Starbuck's Cup. What is this
emphasis doing as it de-
emphasizes the birth of the
Christ Child, whom we
proclaim OUR LORD AND
SAVIOR? We realize that
the cultural diversity has
overtaken the religious
monopoly that we have had in
our nation. A Face book post
this last week pointed out the
first majority Muslim
community in America has
been established with more to
come.

Judaeo-Christians have been
blessed in America to be able
to worship in diverse
Christian ways since the
foundation of our nation. The
Windmill Emmaus
Community has always been
blessed to have members from
a wide variety of Christian
denominations and that will
not change no matter

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GATHERING SCHEDULE

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

NO December Gathering

January 21 – Mathis UMC

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what our civil religious background becomes. The Walk to Emmaus is a Christian program of growing Christians to become leaders in their churches. We learn a lot from each other about how personal faith moves us to work with others. And that is how it should be in our world.

The emphasis to greet each other with Merry Christmas celebrates what we believe, "Jesus is the Reason for OUR season". Stand up for what you believe. Bear witness when you can that yours is a faith based on a personal savior, Jesus Christ, who came to this world as a baby at Christmas and would grow into a man that would bring salvation for our sins. If we are losing our place in the world, much of the blame is that we are less outspoken about what we believe. Silence about our faith is a fault of those who are silent, because other world religions are outspoken, confrontational, and sometimes violent.

If you want this to be a Merry Christmas, bear witness that this is a celebrative season for Jesus to shine as brightly as the star once shown over a manger in Bethlehem. Then live the principles of love shown by that man and you can be proud to say, "Merry Christmas!"

De Colores,

Don Taylor

If you will give a
Fourth Day Talk

at a gathering,

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Glenda Martin
Beeville, Texas
November 4th Day Speaker



Prayer List

Ray and Laqueta O'Neal

Anel Gonzalez Ellsworth

Dickie Person

Marla Scott

Family of Gary Tindol

Family of Max and Pat Luna

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Merry Christmas! And may joy be with each one of you.
See you all at the gatherings!

De Colores!

Frank Schulenburg

Waylon Ford
Lay Director
Walk # 1832
April 7-10
2016



Well, This Saturday (Dec 5) is our first team meeting!! I cannot believe time is upon us. I am feeling a little overwhelmed right now with everything on my schedule, but I know with all of your help (Windmill Community), and a great team, God will prevail and all will go off without a hitch! Please pray for us, and also be in prayer of you personally providing some Agape for the men/ pilgrims of walk #1832!!

De Colores,
Waylon Ford
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Ana Carter
Lay Director
Walk #1856
October 6-9
2015



I am truly humbled to be able to serve the Lord and this community as the next Lay Director for Women's Walk #1856 in October 2016. As I start on this journey, I have to say that I am so blessed to be surrounded by family and friends that are supporting Walk #1856 already. I know through our continuous prayer, God will lead the team He has planned and the pilgrims that need to experience His love and grace during this walk. If God is "nudging" you to serve as a team member, please get me your team application as soon as possible. Team selection will be in March. I pray everyone has a Blessed Holiday Season! Jesus is the Reason for the Season! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!!

De Colores!!!

Ana Carter

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Gilbert Guajardo	
Gilbert Gonzales	
Waylon Ford	

Windmill Emmaus Financial Report

General Operating Fund	\$9470.19
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Scholarship Fund	\$5149.51
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Designated Funds

Songbooks	\$391.00
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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 Danny Dobson (treasurer), P. O. Box 26, Beeville, Texas 78102.

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