



The Windmill's Breeze

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Windmill Fourth Day Group

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**Frank
Schulenburg**

**Community
Lay Director**



Hello Windmill Community!

Sitting here getting ready to write this article the Holy Spirit keeps reminding me of the wonderful turnout of the August Gathering at Beeville First Presbyterian Church. It was great to see a big turnout since the last few Gatherings have seen a decline in attendance.

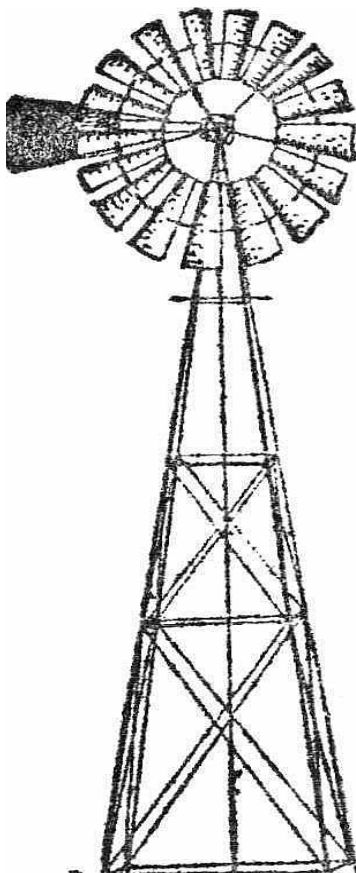
I'm praying that the Brothers and Sisters of Emmaus community will get that Fourth Day fire that they once had after their walk. It would be nice to see more attendance at the Gatherings, Pilgrim's send off, Candle Light Services and at the Closing Ceremonies.

September's Gathering will be held at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Three Rivers. Let's show the Team for the Women's walk the support they have from the Windmill Emmaus Community. Invite a Pilgrim that you may have sponsored or someone you worked with on a team and/or someone who was at your table. Ask someone to share a ride with you. If someone needs a ride let me know and I will make sure you get a ride.

Let's be good Disciples and support our Emmaus Community. See you at the next Gathering.
De Colores!

Frank Schulenburg

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



GATHERING SCHEDULE

Board Meeting 6:00 P.M.

Fellowship 6:30 P.M.

Worship 7:30 P.M.

**Our Savior Lutheran, Three
Rivers – September 17**

**Beeville First Baptist –
October 15**



**Don Taylor
Community
Spiritual
Director**

The creation of a New Thing

Isaiah reminds us that the old has passed away and God is waiting to begin a new thing in each of us, our friends and family, and in all of creation. So much has gone wrong around us, to the point that a strong El Niño is helping us with more rain and, yet, that same weather phenomenon is destroying the greenness of the West Coast with drought and wildfires. We just returned from a trip there and the pain to God's people is noticeable. Will nature rebound? We know it will because we also saw the destruction after Mt. St. Helens exploded and new growth came sooner than predicted. And a burned over forest will sprout new trees from the seeds that survive and lie hidden in the ash.

Likewise, God has new things in store for you and it comes by God's grace. The destructiveness of sin is abated by our repentance and God's forgiveness and restoration. New life springs forth. We were once exposed to a dying moment in our life that needed to be identified, prayed over, and washed away by the cross of

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Jesus Christ and forgiveness celebrated in Holy Communion on a weekend walk to Emmaus. Filled with God's grace we invite others to experience that same "creation of a new thing" in their lives. There are always new pilgrims beginning their "walk to Emmaus" and even if we do not know them by name, we can pray almost every weekend for those persons walking on the road toward their new thing. And pray for the team that is giving the new direction. Our community Assistant Spiritual Directors will be leading their first weekend walks in the near future. Rev. Beth Tatum is serving as the Spiritual Director the weekend of August 27-30. Rev. Jeff Muehl has been selected to serve our next Men's walk next spring. Team selection for that walk will be made in September so get your applications in for bringing new life.

De Colores

Don Taylor

If you will give a
Fourth Day Talk

at a gathering,

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**Travis Scott
Karnes City, Texas
August 4th Day Speaker**



Prayer List

Bill Carraher	Tyra Dove
Mona Garcia	Dorothy Johnson
Landreth family	Tony Lucero
Cierra Martin	Parker Mayfield
Pennie Parker	Dickie Person
Mary Schmidt	Marla Scott
Thelma Sikes	Walk #1809

Plan to Attend!!

September Gathering and Team Consecration for Walk #1809

Candlelight for Walk #1809 – Saturday October 3, 2015 at 8:00 pm

Closing for Walk #1809 – Sunday October 4, 2015 at 3:00 pm

HELP!!!

If you have computer skills and would like to serve Windmill Emmaus FDG by taking over the monthly publishing of the BREEZE, contact Debbie Rackley at dlsrackley@yahoo.com or **361-290-1861**, and she will be glad to explain what is involved in this area of service.

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



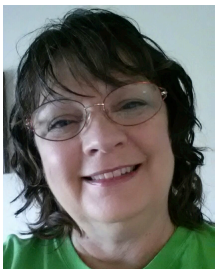
All of a sudden time has flown by!! Seems like yesterday I was announced as the next Lay Director, and now here we are 1 MONTH AWAY from team selection. I have had so many people say they would like to apply for the next walk, but have only received a few apps. If you are feeling called to work on this team, please respond, I promise the blessings you receive will far outway the \$228 team fee that you pay! If you would like you can email your app to wayliee@yahoo.com; or regular mail me at 2727 Oak Grove, Beeville, Texas 78102; or just hand it to me or any board member.

Des Colores, and I look forward to working with whoever God calls!!

Waylon Ford

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Glenda Harbaugh
Lay Director
Walk #1809
October 1-4
2015



I'm sitting here in my sewing room with silk flowers, curly ribbon, and 56 halos ready to go. I started to quit and just make more later if I needed them. Then I started thinking. My faith is stronger than that. I believe God has 36 pilgrims lined up and ready to go. I have faith that our Windmill community will hear God's calling to sponsor a pilgrim. I also have faith that this will be the "Best Walk Ever!" Walk #1809 is just 5 weeks away. We need at least 20 pilgrims by September 15th for the walk to take place. Right now, we have 10. We have one more team meeting on September 12th at Beeville First United Methodist Church. The servant team is ready. The conference team is ready. The 10 pilgrims on the list are ready. All we need now is 26 more pilgrims for the "Best Walk Ever" to take place. Now it's time for me to finish the last 5 halos!

De Colores,
Glenda Harbaugh
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