



# The Windmill's Breeze



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Windmill Fourth Day Group

February 2017

**Todd Fuller**

**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



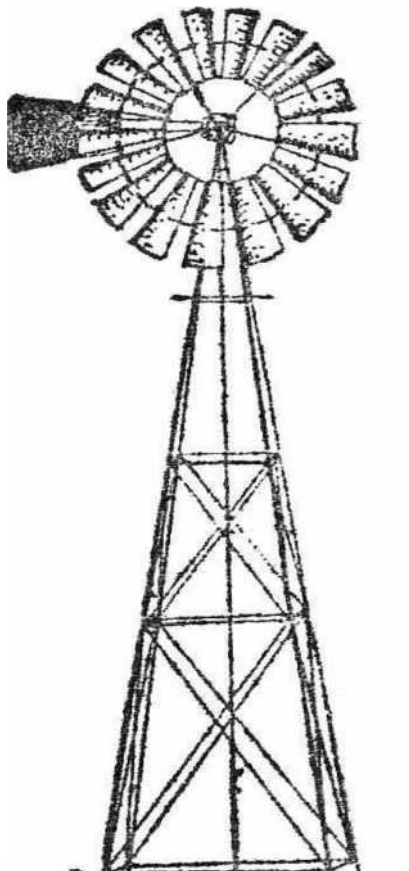
**Ken Houston**  
**Community Spiritual Director**

Howdy Windmill Emmaus,

It is hard to believe that Valentine's Day is right around the corner. With stock shows gearing up for me, this month plans to be a busy month for my colleagues and myself in the Agricultural World; Fort Worth, San Angelo, San Antonio, Austin and Houston Major Stock Shows not to mention Bee County Junior Livestock and Homemakers to kickoff February. Busy would be considered an understatement. However, I resolved to be a better Christian in January and my intentions are to keep that resolution in my church, my studies and my family endeavors.

In all the hustle and bustle life brings to each of us, I am reminded of a verse that pops up in my daily prayers. Philippians 4:13 states, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

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One of the things I find most appealing about Emmaus and especially the Windmill community is the diversity we enjoy. It thrills me to see Christians from all faith groups gather together and praise God. Over the years I have made friends in all faith groups whether they be Catholic, Baptist, Lutheran or Methodist we are able to worship together without any problems.

There is no doubt in my mind that God intends for it to be that way. After all the same blood that covers my sins is the same blood that covers the sins of a Catholic.

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**GATHERING SCHEDULE**

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

**February 16 – Karnes City UMC**

**March 16 – Beeville New Life Church**

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And when I am in a bad place (spiritually, emotionally, mentally, good and bad times), I take comfort in those words.

Remember, He is there to help us! I hope we get to see each and every one next month in Karnes City on the 16<sup>th</sup>. We will be voting on the reallocation of dedicated song book funds.

De Colores,

S. Todd Fuller

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at a gathering,  
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**No Fourth Day  
Speaker**

### **Prayer List**

Diana Eckenrode	Wilburt Buetow
David Bennett	Jim O'Connell
Linda O'Connell	

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It drives home the point that Christ died for all mankind and it is only by God's grace that we have been made clean.

I would encourage you to get involved in our community. You will discover some of the most wonderful people God has put on the face of this earth. You will find people that will love you and walk beside you as we make this journey together.

Join us when you can at the gatherings. Your brother in Christ.

DeColores

Ken

**Sandy Benavidez**  
**Lay Director**  
**Walk # 64**  
**April 20-23, 2017**



Walk #64 is coming together. We still only have 5 confirmed pilgrims for the walk. We had our 2<sup>nd</sup> team meeting on January 21 at the First United Methodist church. Everyone is doing great on their talks. The Good Lord is bringing us together as a team. The next team meeting is on February 18, 2017. Remember the team fees are \$228.00 and are due as soon as possible.

I ask the community to keep our hearts & ears open for pilgrims. I trust in the Lord to fill this walk with pilgrims. I ask for prayers for the team that we come together as a team and make this the best walk ever. I thank the Lord for what has been done and will be done.

De Colores,  
Sandy Benavidez  
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**Melinda Leal**  
**Lay Director**  
**Walk #65**  
**October 5-8, 2017**



I can't believe how fast time is flying!! I was hoping to have team meetings scheduled and ready to send out with the February Breeze, but I am still trying to finalize dates. I do know meetings for Women's Walk #65 will be scheduled for one Saturday in the months of May, June, August and September. We will be going to team selection on March 19<sup>th</sup>. I ask that all team applications reach me no later than March 12<sup>th</sup>. Please pray about serving on Walk #65 and I ask you to keep your hearts open for God's call to be His hands and feet to the 36 women He will send.

I also humbly ask for our community to pray about sponsoring a pilgrim. It's never too early to start getting those applications in. Over the last 10 years, I have seen so many glowing faces of women leave Zephyr... I ask that you pay it forward. Share the light of Christ and let's make this THE BEST WALK EVER!!!!

De Colores,  
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**Windmill Emmaus Financial Report**

<b>General Operating Fund</b>	\$12608.79
<b>Scholarship Fund</b>	\$2374.00
<b>Designated Funds</b>	
Songbooks	\$591.00

If you are unable to attend monthly gatherings, but would like to contribute to the financial needs of your Windmill Emmaus Community, donations can be sent to Danny Dobson (treasurer), P. O. Box 26, Beeville, Texas 78104.

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