



# The Windmill's Breeze



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Hello to all my brothers and sisters in Christ!

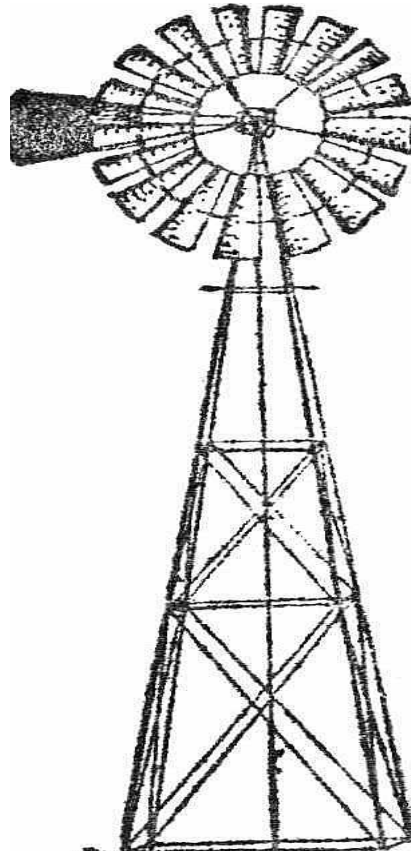
Can you believe it is already November?!?!? That means Thanksgiving will be here shortly and Christmas is right around the corner!! Thanksgiving – each one of us has so much to be thankful for, no matter what our circumstances are. With my love of music, of course I am going to tie in a song. This month it's "Jireh" by Elevation Worship and Maverick City Music. I am sure most of you have heard this song, but if you haven't...please look it up!! It is a great reminder that God is enough.

Many of us think about all our blessings God has provided and how grateful we are. For lots of things...our homes, cars, jobs, clothes, food, family, friends, health, answered prayers...the list goes on and on. In Matthew 6:25-34, Jesus tells us God will provide for us. He provides all these blessings and we should be very grateful for these things. But this name is more than these things...it's the greatest blessing God has provided us with. Jehovah Jireh – "The Lord Will Provide"

Jehovah Jireh was first mentioned in Genesis. Many of you know the story of Abraham, Sarah, and Isaac.

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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



## **GATHERING SCHEDULE**

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

**Nov 17<sup>th</sup> – Tilden  
Tilden Baptist Church  
Meets at Community Center**

**December  
No Gathering**

**Don Taylor**

**Assistant  
Community  
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Director**



*... Father, we wanna thank You  
For givin' us and gifted Your Son,  
Jesus  
And in return we wanna give You  
all that we have  
Our hearts, our lives and our  
thanks*

*... Give thanks with a grateful  
heart  
Give thanks to the Holy One  
Give thanks because He's given  
Jesus Christ, His Son*

Yes, we give thanks this month. Just a little over a week ago we completed Walk # 73, a Women's Walk with ladies who came to praise a relationship they had with Jesus. And that they did. We also had a wonderful inside team and a marvelous, supportive outside team.

By weekend's end, they were ready to answer the two questions always asked: What did the walk mean to me? What am I going to do about it? And many stood up and shared at closing.

The gift of Jesus begins a story in our lives about what God is still doing in this imperfect world. Imperfectly, we await a heavenly kingdom of love, peace, and justice that we try to fulfill while

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For those of you who don't, God promised Abraham and Sarah a son, and after 40 years of waiting, they had Isaac. There is a whole lot more to this story, but I am going to keep my focus on the sacrificial part of it. I don't know how old Isaac was when God asked Abraham to go sacrifice him, but I know he was old enough to help carry the wood and he was old enough to ask his dad where the lamb was. Abraham obeyed God and trusted God. He built the altar, laid the wood in order, and bound his son Isaac and laid him on the alter on top of the wood. Just as Abraham was fixing to sacrifice Isaac, the angel of the Lord called to him and told him not to lay a hand on the boy. Abraham lifted his eyes and saw a ram caught in a thicket by his horns. God provided the ram to take the place of Isaac.

I would like to say I would be as obedient as Abraham, but I have a hard time believing I could be. I cannot even begin to imagine how Abraham must have felt and what courage it must have taken to be obedient. Abraham named that place Jehovah-Jireh – The Lord saw...and the Lord provided. And how does that relate to us? God sent his Son as the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Jesus was the last and final sacrifice. He was the innocent lamb. He was sent to redeem all sinners and pay for all sins once and for all. Jesus is the fulfillment of our deepest needs.

"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16 In the Old Testament, Abraham's son was set to be sacrificed and was saved by God's grace. In the Gospel, God's only Son, Jesus, was sacrificed for all sinners. Yes, you and I are saved by God's grace...and that is more than enough!!

The song Jireh is a great reminder that God and His love are really all we need. I am not saying to not be grateful for all other things. Yes, we should be grateful in all things, but above all things, we should be grateful for the ultimate sacrifice. Thank you, Jesus!!

The next gathering will be Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. The Tilden Baptist Church will be hosting the gathering at their Community Center. This is Tilden's first time to host a gathering and they are super excited!! So am I!! ☺ Fellowship begins at 6:30pm and worship begins at 7:30pm. I look forward to seeing you all there!

The Lord bless you and keep you; The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26)

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Windmill Community Lay Director

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walking this earth. We are able to deal with the imperfections because we have been shown through Walks, church, and reunion groups a better thing that we can be doing with our lives. I know that my story changed after the death of Marilyn, my wife, because we were so intertwined for many years. It is still hard to envision my new status of widowed, not single.

We do not have to wait for a Walk to Emmaus to think through, clarify, and share our story of Jesus. We have so many opportunities to do this. There are always people who need to hear how we account for Jesus' love lived out in our lives. Take time to speak today of the gratitude that resides in your heart! GIVE THANKS!

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Don Taylor

Assistant Windmill Emmaus Spiritual Director

**Richard Webb**

**Lay Director  
Walk # 74**



Greetings brothers and sisters:

The past few weeks have been busy here with the Webb's households. The last week of September, I was privileged enough to work as a table leader for Houston Bay Area Emmaus Community walk 95 for men. That was their first walk in three years. The pandemic really tried to slow them down. Then the first week of October I was privileged again to serve on the Womens walk number 73 for Windmill Emmaus, while Lucinda was busy making and delivering agape to HBAEC walk 96 for women that same weekend.

Now the countdown begins for walk 74. I am excited. I am nervous. I am thrilled to get to serve God in this capacity.

We have received one pilgrim's application to date, but I am sure there will be more to come. Ladies, you know what the walk did for you, now let's get those boyfriends, husbands, brothers, cousins, neighbors, even fellow members of your congregation an application to come and receive Gods blessings like you received on your weekend.

Our first team meeting will be on November 19th at FUMC Beeville. It will be a joint meeting of the OST and IST. Breakfast and lunch will be provided by different reunion groups from the area. We will hear four wonderful talks that day. There will be a short devotional in the morning followed by communion. Team training and a time to meet your prayer partners and your team members for the upcoming walk. Danny Denson will be there to collect IST fees (240.00) as well as Glenda Martin for the OST. If you are on either team, please make every effort to try and be there. We (IST) only have four meetings, and you can only miss one. We have some "new to you" people on the team, that really think you'd like them when you get to meet them. So y'all come to the meeting!!

I will have the new agape sign-up book and the 72 our prayer vigil sign-up book at the Gathering. Feel free to sign up for multiple times and items.  
May God continue to bless you and keep you safe.

Love in Christ

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Richard Webb

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**Windmill Emmaus Financial Report**

<b>General Operating Fund</b>	\$ 45,089.46
<b>Scholarship Fund</b>	\$ 6,004.50
<b>Total Funds Available</b>	\$ 39,084.96

**Gathering attendance**

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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