





Windmill Fourth Day Group

May 2024

# Mitch Luna

Community Lay Director

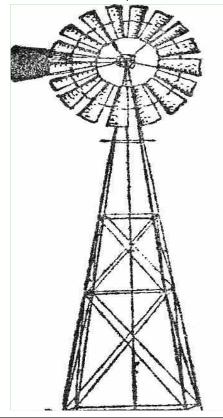


Emmaus Family,

Spring has sprung, a time of growth. We see growth in our vards, flowerbeds, but how about in our spiritual life, in our Emmaus community. We got to witness our Emmaus community grow with the men's walk this past month. It's said that if you're not growing then you're dying. Thank God our community is growing. Not just by adding new members with each walk, but by seeing long time members coming back, what an awesome sight. If you were of my Emmaus group years from the late 1990's to the early 2000's, welcome back. We like to think our candle always stays lit, but in reality that's not always a given. Being involved in Chrysalis, ACTS, Journeys, and Siloam my Emmaus commitment wavered for a while. About four years ago Judy and I picked back up where we left off with Emmaus, and so glad we did. We have an outstanding, and devoted community thanks to each and every one of you. Whether you're a new member, or a longtimer. God bless the Windmill Community and let's continue to grow.

God Bless,

Mitch Luna 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



## **GATHERING SCHEDULE**

Board Meeting 6:00 P.M.Fellowship6:30 P.M.Worship7:30 P.M.

### May 16<sup>th</sup> – Beeville St. Joseph Catholic Church

Jun 20<sup>th</sup> – Beeville Lutheran Church

Jul 18<sup>th</sup> – Three Rivers Three Rivers Methodist Church

> Aug 15<sup>th</sup> – Tilden Tilden Baptist Church



Ralph McMullen

Community Spiritual Director

**Missing the Gospel** As I am writing this today I am preparing to attend the upcoming men's walk at camp Zephyr. I always am excited when I have the opportunity to serve on the walks because I always learn or experience something new. A new perspective, a different way to see Christ working, reengaging with friends that I only see when we serve, and of course making new friends. The down side of working a walk, at least for me, is the devil ALWAYS comes to me and places doubt in my mind. "Should you really be leaving this weekend, what do you have to offer, maybe you've missed the gospel all together." Nevertheless, when you read this the Best walk ever will be in the rear-view mirror. Lives will have been transformed, bondages broken, and many will have experienced Christ in a new and fresh way, some possibly for the first time. Today I want to look at 1 Timothy 6 vs 5, If you, like me, sometimes struggle with that nagging question, "have I missed it" 1 Timothy 6:5 states: useless wranglings of men of corrupt minds and destitute of the truth. who suppose that godliness is a means of gain. From such withdraw yourself. **NKJV** 

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Ralph McMullen Continued...

If we look around long enough, any of us can find someone who appears to have it all together. Even now, an individual has popped into your mind. To you this person is a picture of goodness. Their gracious manner and presence may have you imagining God's love hovering over their head like a glowing halo. While you can't picture God loving you, there is no doubt in your mind that He loves that person.

Friend, if this is you... you're missing the Gospel.

In God's graciousness, none of us are as bad as we could be, and yet we're all born sinners. Each one of us begins life at the same place, lost. Yet because of God's great love, He sent His Son, Jesus, to die in our place thus making us perfect. You heard me right, perfect. In this world, it can be easy for people to appear good. They may care for others, give to the poor and act nice, but without Jesus, they still need a Savior. This is what makes the Gospel the "good news". While we could never be good enough to earn God's love, He showed His love towards us anyway in the life, death and resurrection of His Son. So the next time the devil comes and tries to place doubt in your mind...Remind him that you are a blood bought child of the King. A Kings kid wrapped in the arms of a loving father. Empowered with the Holy Spirit to share the good news with whoever, wherever, and whenever the opportunity arises.

Remember: The Gospel message of Jesus Christ was never meant to be debated from the perspective of human goodness.

De Colores, Ralph McMullen

Frank Schulenburg	Greetings Emmaus Community, We had a good Team Meeting on April 13 with the IST & OST. The meeting was held at the First Presbyterian Church in Beeville. We heard three great talks along with two great meals and good fellowship.
Lay Director	The April Gathering was held at the Methodist Church in Karnes City and it was Team Consecration.
Walk # 76	The walk was on April 25-28 at Camp Zephyr. Thanks to all those who participated in The Candle Service and at the Closing. Thanks also to those who supplied agape
Apr 25-28, 2024	and signed up for the Prayer Vigil.
	The first gathering after the walk will be at St Joseph's Catholic Church Beeville. Hope everyone can attend and hear from the New Baby Chicks. <i>"You, LORD, keep my lamp burning; my God turns darkness into light."</i> Psalm 18:28 De Colores! Frank Schulenburg 1011 E Corpus Christi St Beeville, TX 78102 361-652-3298 fschulenburg@msn.com

# Tamara Crisp

Lay Director Walk # 77

Oct 3-6, 2024



Our team has been chosen. And by the way, we have THE BEST TEAM EVER for THE BEST WALK EVER in October! Our first team meeting will be May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at the FUMC Beeville. I am looking forward to hearing our first 4 talk previews and seeing everyone on the team in the same space. I am trying to enjoy every single moment of each of the challenges God lays before me as we plan, prepare and pray through the next 5 months. We also have our first paid pilgrim and are looking for our next 35. If God is nudging you to invite and sponsor a lady, please be obedient and just talk to her. God may be dealing with her as well. God directed me the other day to speak with a dear friend about the walk. It was such a sweet time of sharing and tears were flowing. God is working on her heart and hopefully she will be able to attend in October. Be in prayer for the Men's Walk #76 team and pilgrims this coming week that God may be clearly seen and heard. Psalm 96:1-3 says Oh sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing to the Lord, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!

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### Windmill Emmaus Financial Report

General Operating Fund	\$ 45,124.55
Scholarship Fund	\$ 3,245.50
Total Funds Available	\$ 41,879.05
Gathering attendance	94

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 (Financial Consultant) P. O. Box 26 Beeville, TX 78104

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