

Re: Second chance Prayer Walk

From: M Bret Blackford (bret_blackford@yahoo.com)

To: mxelders@mcknightcrossings.org

Date: Friday, March 14, 2025 at 08:21 AM CDT

Although the request seems benign, and so far nothing I have I've read about ***Prison Fellowship*** (<https://www.prisonfellowship.org/about/>) gives me pause, I do have two general concerns about such requests to put things in the MX bulletin:

1. Everything in the bulletin should be seen as endorsed by MX. If we are not fully aware of and in agreement with the beliefs and purpose of an organization, we should avoid publishing in the bulletin.
2. Avoid precedent to treat the bulletin like a community bulletin board. Even if we have no issues with a posting or the associated organization, we should still be selective on what is in the bulletin. Other members may want to add info on garage sales or elder care seminars, etc. None of these are inherently bad but not really the focus of MX.

I'm not saying we should reject Suzanne's request to add info about the "*Prison Fellowship Second Chance Prayer Walk on Saturday, April 12 at 11 AM at Tille's Park*", but we should be mindful of anything in our bulletin.

I'll trust in the wisdom of the group.

--- Bret

On Thursday, March 13, 2025 at 02:49:49 PM CDT, M Bret Blackford <bret_blackford@yahoo.com> wrote:

Guys,

I'm not familiar with *Prison Fellowship* so doing some reading - <https://www.prisonfellowship.org/about/>

--- Bret

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From: Suzanne Kaelble <akaelble@charter.net>

To: "mxelders@mcknightcrossings.org"
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Sent: Thursday, March 13, 2025 at 02:36:22 PM CDT

Subject: Second chance Prayer Walk

Good afternoon,

I would like to host a Prison Fellowship Second Chance Prayer Walk on Saturday, April 12 at 11 AM at Tille's Park.

Would that be okay to put an announcement in the bulletin?

We will basically walk around Tilles and pray as we walk :)

Because God loves us all,
Suzanne Kaelble
