

## The Journey

The first day of our journey begins Saturday promptly at 5:00 AM at the Wayside Shrine, 2309 Marguerite Street, Corpus Christi, Texas 78405. We arrive at approximately 3:00 PM at St. Mary's Star of The Sea Catholic Church, 342 S. Rife Street, Aransas Pass, Texas 78336. Recreational time is approximately from 3:30PM — 5:15PM at Aransas Pass Aquatic Center located at 400 East Johnson Ave, Aransas Pass, Texas 78336. We return to St. Mary's Star of the Sea for mass at approximately 6:00 PM followed by dinner. The second day of our journey begins Sunday promptly at 5:00 AM at St. Mary's Church. We continue our journey towards The Schoenstatt Confidentialia Shrine and Retreat Center at 134 Front Street, Rockport Texas 78382, arriving approximately at 3:00 PM. We successfully conclude our annual pilgrimage/walk with Holy Mass followed by dinner.



### What you will need:

- Two days of comfortable attire suitable for hot weather: t-shirts, shorts, socks, 'broken in' athletic shoes, etc. Jeans are highly discouraged.
  - Travel size toiletries, shampoo, soap, etc.
  - Hat, sunscreen, sunglasses (optional)
  - Swim wear, sandals
  - Two large bath towels
  - A third set of clothing for mass on Sunday (a commemorative t-shirt will be distributed on Sunday at no charge)
  - Reflective wear and or flashlights recommended
  - Pillow, blanket, sleeping bag, air mattress
  - No electronic devices or other distractions allowed (Cell Phones allowed for designated "call-home time" only)
- \* Please notify staff of any medications or medical conditions that need to be addressed.

### Schoenstatt Boys Walk

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## 50th Annual Schoenstatt Boys Walk



*July 13 & 14, 2019*

*July 13th 5:00 A.M.*

*Wayside Shrine*

*2309 Marguerite, CC TX*

*July 14th 6:00 P.M.*

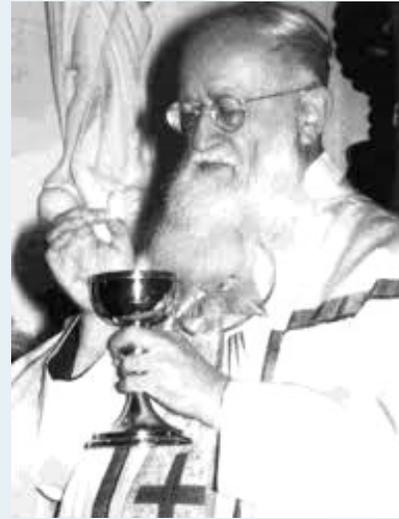
*Confidentialia Shrine,*

*134 Front St, Rockport TX*



## What is Schoenstatt?

Schoenstatt is a Catholic lay movement that strives to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ through the example and guidance of Mary, The Mother of God. It was founded by Father Kentenich on October 18, 1914 with a small group of boys youth, in Schoenstatt, Germany. The original meeting place is the Original Shrine, and similar daughter shrines can be found internationally. The Confidentia Shrine in Lamar-Rockport, is the first of three Daughter Shrines in Texas. There are also numerous wayside shrines throughout.



"I now place myself completely at your disposal with all that I am and have: my knowledge and ignorance, my ability and inability, but above all my heart." Father Kentenich never took back these words. They are his promise, his offer, to us, to you!

"Under the protection of Mary, we want to learn to educate ourselves to become firm, free, priestly personalities." It was important to Fr. Joseph Kentenich that the boys begin at once to live as new persons – not sometime later, perhaps when the conditions were more favorable – but today!

Begin today to be a Christian who loves God-given freedom and also uses it in order to realize great goals. Take life in hand responsibly here and now. And how is that done? Very simply: "You learn to walk by walking, to love by loving..."

I will become a free person when I practice making independent, free decisions – every day, every hour. With this program Father Kentenich struck the lifeblood of a young person.

## Schoenstatt Boys Walk

The Schoenstatt Boys Walk was founded 49 years ago by four boys who set out to commemorate Father Kentenich's (Founder of Schoenstatt Movement) ordination into the priesthood. The purpose of the Schoenstatt Boys Walk is to encourage young men to consider a life of ministry. In this two day pilgrimage, we offer our sacrifices, our prayers and petitions to our Blessed Mother Thrice Admirable Queen and Victress of Schoenstatt.



*\*Boys and men of all ages are welcome. Boys who are under 10, must be accompanied by an adult male or teenage male sibling.*

Enclosed is the following information on this years Schoenstatt Boys walk.

We are so excited about this year because it is the **50th** Annual Boys Walk.

We would really like for you to make this sacrifice with us. As always we do not charge for this but we do welcome donations. Enclosed is the Boys Walk flier and the Registration form. We encourage everyone to fill this out and email it back to us so that we have an idea of how many walkers are going to be coming and what size shirt you will be needing. Please tell your friends and/or parents to join you.

If you have any questions please email us back at:

[schoenstattboyswalk@yahoo.com](mailto:schoenstattboyswalk@yahoo.com)

Thank you and may God Bless, "MTA"  
Abel Gonzalez and Primo Garcia



## 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Schoenstatt Boys Walk

Date: July 13<sup>th</sup>& 14<sup>th</sup> 2019

Start time: 5am

Start location of day 1: 2309 Marguerite

End location of day 1: St. Mary's Star of the Sea 342 S. Rife Aransas Pass, TX

End Time of day 1: Approximately 3:30pm

Start time of day 2: 5am

Start location of day 2: St. Mary's Star.....AP, TX

End location of day 2: 134 Front St. Lamar, TX

Distance: 42 miles/67 Km

Course: multi-terrain

Packet Pickup: No packet pickup

Event day check-in and registration: 4am-4:45am Saturday

Registration:

- Registration fee: \$0 (donations are appreciated but not required)
- Mail to or drop off registration form to address below:

Schoenstatt Movement 4343 Gaines CC, TX 78412

Make checks payable to: Schoenstatt Movement Inc. c/o Boys Walk

Age (as of day of event):\_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size: Youth Small\_\_\_\_ Youth Med\_\_\_\_ Youth Large\_\_\_\_ Adult Small\_\_\_\_ Adult

Med\_\_\_\_ Adult Large\_\_\_\_ Adult XL\_\_\_\_ 2X\_\_\_\_ 3X\_\_\_\_

\*T-shirts guaranteed to those registered by June 1<sup>st</sup>

\*\* T-shirts may be available for purchase weekend of event

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

City/State:\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_ Email:\_\_\_\_\_

Waiver: I, the undersigned assume the responsibility for any accident that may occur during the walk, and I release and hold harmless the organizers, Schoenstatt Movement Inc., The Diocese of Corpus Christi, and all other persons associated with the event. I am not required to complete the event but am physically fit enough to participate.

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Participant's signature

Parent/ guardian's signature

For additional information, contact: Abel Gonzales 361-442-4776, Sandy Gonzalez 361-779-6156, Primo Garcia 361-548-8250, E-mail form to: [schoenstattboyswalk@yahoo.com](mailto:schoenstattboyswalk@yahoo.com)

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