

De Colores Communique - September 2019

When storms come your way, both weather related or life in general, always know the God can be your shelter and your peace in the midst of the storm. Allow your faith to anchor you in His embrace.

Jesus loves you, and so do we! David and Cathi Poole NFTD, Newsletter Couple



Greetings Tres Dias family,

As Elmer Fudd would say, "this weekend is neeking up willy willy fast." I can't believe we have already had our first two team meetings, and we are just 6 weeks away from Men's NFTD #61.

I have got to say, I am so blessed to be serving with such an amazing team. At the beginning of our 1st Team Meeting we did a Pescadore Orientation for over 80 men. We had some great Praise and Worship, and listened to 3 amazing Rollos.

I got to share with the team of what God has placed on my heart for the upcoming weekend. There are some great things planned for the remainder of our team meetings, as God pours into those who are serving so they can spill out on those that are being served.

Please remain in prayer for myself, the team, and the candidates. Also, continue to be in prayer of who you can sponsor. The Father's Blessing is going to be prayed over each Candidate, and lives are going to be changed forever as these men rise up and walk in all the Father has promised them.

DeColores, Omer Kenworthy Rector NFTD #61



**Greeting Brothers and Sisters in Christ:** 

I'm thrilled to say that the plans for the Women's NFTD Weekend #61 are progressing quite nicely. Our first team meeting is September 7th. I can hardly wait to see what the Lord has in store for us at the team meetings as we, as a group, begin preparing for the Weekend. It's always so exciting when the team comes together; new friendships are made, old friends are reunited and bonds are strengthened ... all working together for His glory.

Since the theme "There's Hope in the Waiting" was announced, I have had so many people share stories of things they're waiting for, and how hope is found during this time. I've also heard many stories of victory and how, even though the wait was sometimes long and painful, it was so very worth it. God is an on-time God, His timing is always perfect, and we are to trust in Him, and never lose HOPE.

If God has laid someone on your heart to sponsor, please be obedient and don't let the opportunity pass to enrich someone's life in a way only Tres Dias can. Now is the time to get candidate applications to our Pre-Weekend Couple; Wendell and Annie Tillman.

Thank you for your continued prayers.

DeColores,

Margie Willis, Rector, Women's NFTD #61



**IMPORTANT DATE TO REMEMBER FOR ALL NFTD COMMUNITY!!!** 

The September Sequela will be Saturday September 14th 8:00 am – 12:00 pm. Please come spend time with us at the Suwannee!

We have an opportunity once again to give back to the Advent Christian Village in Dowling Park, which is the campground where we hold the North Florida Tres Dias weekends. We were able to do this last year, and most mentioned to us what a huge blessing this was, and how they would enjoy the opportunity to do this once again.

On September 14th, there is a work day planned to improve and clean up the campground with minor repairs and enhancements, landscaping, and detail cleaning of buildings and sidewalks. The September sequela is the perfect way for the NFTD community to make a difference while enjoying a time of fellowship as we work together to keep this special place, we have all come to know and love, beautiful for the upcoming October weekends.

Our work day will start at 8:00 am and we will work in teams with the hope of being finished by 12:00 pm, so that we can enjoy a relaxing picnic lunch together on the grounds. The Teams will include Handy Man Work, Landscaping, Inside Building Cleanup, Outside Building Cleanup, and Food Team. We will not have access to the Cafeteria/Large Kitchen due it being reserved by another group however we will have access to the smaller kitchen in the Rollo Room. (continued)

We do ask that you sign up for the work teams based on special skills and preferences of job task. Please contact Mark and Karen Savage at Karenandmarksavage@yahoo.com to sign up. Please give us the names of each volunteer along with a contact number. Once the teams have been established, we will be contacting you about bringing tools and supplies as needed to complete each project. If you are unable to make it to this work day, but would like to make a donation toward supplies such as pine straw, cleaning supplies, etc., please let us know.

Instead of bringing a covered dish as normal with a sequela, we have someone who has graciously volunteered to prepare and supply boston butts and chicken as the main dish. We are asking those that choose to serve on the food team to prepare and bring recommended side dishes. We also would like to ask that each of you bring your favorite picnic blanket or lawn chair to enjoy a short lunch and any needed breaks with your work buddies. We will supply plenty of bottled water for you throughout the day.

There is no childcare available for this sequela however older kids who are able and willing to help are welcome to come. This is a great way to earn those community service hours required by some school systems. Kids will not be allowed to handle dangerous tools outside of their skill level and please remember it is ultimately the responsibility of parents to supervise their children.

Thank you in advance for having a heart of serving and giving.

Love and Blessing to each of you,

Mark & Karen Savage, NFTD 4th Day Couple



If you have sponsored someone to go through Weekend #61 they should have gotten, or should be getting soon, their invitation in the mail. Please check with your candidate to make sure that they have sent the confirmation back to us. Remember they will not have a spot on the weekend unless we have gotten that back in our hands.

That being said, we do still have room on both the men's and women's weekend. Now is the time to talk to the people Daddy God has put on your heart to sponsor. Now is the perfect time to send in those applications.

Please remember that the candidate must be in a relationship with Jesus (they must be Christian), that if they are married that the husband needs to go through first, that husband and wife need to attend the same number weekend, (Unless one has already attended Tres Dias or one of our sister movements,) no pregnant or nursing moms; the weekend is way too much to go through for a pregnant woman. They must be at least 21 years old to attend. And, it is real helpful to those in your churches who are in leadership roles.

The fee to attend is \$120.00. Please know that as the Sponsor it is not your responsibility to pay the fee. If you want to you can. But please make sure that your candidate knows that there is a fee, how much it is, and that it is due at Send-off. We do not have scholarships!

Again, We cannot thank you enough for praying and considering Sponsoring it is the way Daddy God grows our community.

We love you and we love this wonderful Christian community!

In Christ love for His church!

Wendell and Annie Tillman, NFTD #40

Your Pre-weekend Couple



Below are the Communities that have upcoming weekends. Please keep each of them in your prayers that God is glorified on the weekends, and that lives will forever be changed:

# September 2019

- 05<sup>th</sup> Brazos Valley Tres Dias Men's #17
- 05<sup>th</sup> Music City Tres Dias Men's #35
- 12<sup>th</sup> Brazos Valley Tres Dias Women's #17
- 12<sup>th</sup> East Texas Tres Dias Men's #41
- 12<sup>th</sup> Tres Dias of Maine Women's #12
- 12<sup>th</sup> Mid Hudson Tres Dias Men's #182
- 12<sup>th</sup> Music City Tres Dias Women's #35
- 19<sup>th</sup> East Texas Tres Dias Women's #41
- 19<sup>th</sup> Georgia Mountains Tres Dias Men's #84
- 19<sup>th</sup> Rocky Mountain Tres Dias West Men's #29
- 19<sup>th</sup> South East Texas Tres Dias Men's #27
- 26<sup>th</sup> Birmingham Tres Dias Men's #41
- 26<sup>th</sup> Colorado Front Range Tres Dias Men's #19
- 26<sup>th</sup> Georgia Mountains Tres Dias Women's #84
- 26<sup>th</sup> Minnesota Tres Dias Men's #27
- 26<sup>th</sup> Northeast Texas Men's #11
- 26<sup>th</sup> Rocky Mountain Tres Dias West Women's #29
- 26<sup>th</sup> South East Texas Tres Dias Women's #27

# October 2019

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Alamo City Tres Dias Men's #7
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Birmingham Tres Dias Women's #41
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Colorado Front Range Tres Dias Women's #19
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Tres Dias Con Dios Men's #15
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Minnesota Tres Dias Women's #27
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Northeast Texas Women's #11
- 3<sup>rd</sup> North Florida Tres Dias Men's #61
- 3<sup>rd</sup> North Georgia Tres Dias Men's #139
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sabine Creek Tres Dias Men's #25
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Western Kentucky Tres Dias Men's #29

# Pescadore Orientation

We want to thank those that attended the Pescadore Orientation (PO), that was held on Saturday, August 17th at Victory Fellowship Church, Thomasville. It was a great time of fellowship and learning.

The winner of the door prize was Austin Bass. His team fees are paid!

If you missed it, don't worry, there will be another one in the Spring of 2020. You are encouraged to attend at least one PO every two years, especially if you are planning to serve on a Weekend.

Your 4th day walk will be strengthened greatly by attending all 4th day activities on a regular basis.



Thank you,

Your PO Couple

Rodney & Jessica Whitfield