

De Colores Communíque - July 2021

"My country right or wrong; if right, to be kept right. And if wrong, to be set right." -- Stephen Decatur

One nation, under God

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FROM THE SECRETARIAT

Dear NFTD Community,

On Saturday, June 12th, 2021, these men and women were voted on by the Community to fill the following Secretariat positions, effective January 1, 2022:

> Spiritual Director – Felicia Pearson Fourth Day Couple – Michael and Shea Sanders Food Couple - Bruce and Jaime Hale

Welcome to our new members! NO JULY MEETING OF THE SECRETARIAT.



From the Chairman

Greetings Community,

We are quickly approaching our first Weekend gathering of Team and Candidates for NFTD #62. It has been a long and trying period that has seen many in the community questioning whether we would ever see another Tres Dias. Well, I'm here to say that the enemy has been defeated and we are preparing once again to embark upon a glorious time and transformation in our Lord Jesus Christ. Both of our Rectors have been in planning now for several weeks and covet your prayers. They would be honored for you to pray about applying to serve on the upcoming Weekend.

With all Covid restrictions lifted and the reopening of Camp Suwannee, we are excited to see what God has in store. Please lay aside any preconceived notions of what this Weekend will look like and whether it will be as usual. I can tell you that both David and Anne are expecting great things and are open to the guiding of The Holy Spirit.

When I took on the position of Chairman for North Florida Tres Dias I had no idea of the immense talent and dedication that each member of our Secretariat possessed. I am honored to serve alongside some of the most amazing members of this community. We have had to make some very tough decisions, decisions that were definitely not popular by all in the community but were made for the health and safety of the community at large. We have resumed in-person meetings after many months of Zoom calls, yet even during the pandemic your Secretariat has been conducting business on your behalf. We welcomed new members onto the Secretariat to fill those positions that were part of the normal rotation. Marden McClamma stepped into the position of Men's Leader vacated by Ben Wilds. We voted at our June Sequela to approve Michael and Shea Sanders as our new Fourth Day Couple , Bruce and Jamie Hale as Food Couple and Felisha Pearson as Community Spiritual Leader. Please keep these people in your prayers as they prepare to step into their new positions in January.

From the Chairman, continued

Our Rules committee has been very busy reviewing and updating our Policies and Procedures so that when the Secretariat holds a vote, that vote is recorded and subsequently posted in our Policies and Procedures documentation, in print and electronic form, so you as a community can stay aware of any updates. By voting and having proper documentation future Secretariats will be better equipped to handle situations as they arise.

I would like to remind everyone that our Secretariat meetings are open to all members and you as a community are encouraged to attend. You may find a schedule of our monthly meetings by visiting nftd.org.

We look forward to seeing all of you on an upcoming Weekend and encourage you to plan on attending Sendoff, Serenade, and our closing Ceremony. Let's show each other and our future Pescadores that we stand strong, and we stand united.

DeColores, Omer Kenworthy Chairman

Upcoming Events

- July 24, 2021: (Women's) Heads and Professors Meeting, TBA
- August 14, 2021: Sequela, Thomasville Road Baptist Church, 5:00 p.m.
- August 21, 2021: Pescadore Orientation, Crossroads Church, 9:00 11:30 a.m.
- August 23, 2021: Secretariat Meeting, Crossroads Church, 6:00 p.m.
- August 28, 2021: Professors' Practice Talks, Crossroads Church.
- September 18, 2021: 1st Women's Team Meeting, Crossroads Church, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- October 2, 2021: 2nd Women's Team Meeting, Crossroads Church, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- October 9, 2021: Praise/Worship, Serenade Practice, ACV Harmony Center, Dowling Park.

Fourth Day Couple

De Colores!

Our Family Day Sequela at Wakulla Springs was a huge success! It was so wonderful hearing and seeing all the beautiful smiles, conversations and fellowship that was had. We had an amazing word from Tim Martin as we shared communion with each other, and we were able to vote in our new 2022 Secretariat members. As usual there will not be a July Sequela as everyone enjoys their family vacations.

Our next Sequela will be on Saturday, August 14th, 2021, at TRBC, Thomasville Road Baptist Church, in Tallahassee, FL at 5:00 pm. The Church address is 3131 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee, Fl 32308. This sequela will be a little different than the others. We will be having a Decade Themed Sequela. Please make plans to dress up in your favorite Decade Costume while enjoying a time of fun, fellowship, food, and games. There may even be some special gifts or awards presented for the best dressed and more. Get inspired by the two pictures I am including.

For the meal we will be having a pizza buffet bar where you get to bring your favorite pizza to share. This can be a homemade pizza or one you have picked up at your favorite restaurant. We will provide salad, drinks and dessert.

We look forward to seeing you there!!!

We are excited and honored to serve as your Fourth Day Couple!

Much Love and Blessings! Mark and Karen Savage Fourth Day Couple



Let's Have Fun!

Decade Themed Sequela

August 14, 2021, 5:00 p.m.

Thomasville Road Baptist Church



Women's Weekend #62

Sisters and Brothers,

God is assembling His army! Can you feel the excitement? The weekends are fast approaching, and His plans are unfolding. This time will be as never before and there will be revival and renewal when we finally assemble on His Holy Ground!

While so many things have changed, God has not changed the women's weekend theme. The theme for NFTD Women's Weekend #62 is: "Created, Crowned, Called, For Such a Time As This" Our weekend Scripture is found in Esther 4:14--perhaps this is the moment for which you were created. The weekend song is "Born for This" by Mandisa. Our color/décor for the weekend is Tiffany Blue (also known as robin's egg blue) and purple with touches of teal, gold, green and white. There will be crowns, birds, pearls and sunflowers.

I have the tremendous honor of calling and reorganizing His team and have set our dates prior to the weekend. If you have not heard from me yet, get ready, you will! I will also be sending out team emails with information as well.

Some important dates to put on your calendar are as follows:

- Heads and Professors Meeting Saturday, July 24, 2021. An email will be sent out to all Heads/Professors • with times/location.
- Pescadore Orientation Saturday, August 21, 2021, 9:30 a.m., Crossroads Church. •

Women's Weekend #62, continued

- Professors Practice Talks Saturday, August 28, 2021, Crossroads Church. (Schedule will be mailed to professors/leadership team).
- 1st Team Meeting Saturday, September 18, 2021, 9 a.m.-3p.m. (lunch provided), Crossroads Church.
- 2nd Team Meeting Tuesday, September 21, 2021, 6 p.m.-9p.m., Crossroads Church.
- 3rd Team Meeting Saturday, October 2, 2021, 9 a.m.-3p.m. (lunch option), Crossroads Church.
- Sister Fellowship/Praise Time/Serenade Practice-Saturday, October 9, 2021. Time tba, ACV Harmony Center, Dowling Park.

Just think of the amazing blessings that are going to flow and the lives He is going to change! He has raised us up, strengthened and equipped us for Such a Time As This!

Please continue to pray for the candidates and their families, our community, David Poole, Annie Tillman, Mark Savage, myself, and our families as we move forward. Pray we continue to hear His direction and are obedient to His whisper. I love each and every one of you and your servant's hearts. Will see all your faces very soon!

Love and Blessings, Anne Lisk, Rector NFTD #62

Pre-Weekend Couple

Hello Tres Dias family!!

We hope and pray you are having a safe and happy summer! Stay hydrated!

Please continue to be in prayer for the upcoming weekends, and for Anne (and Stormy) Lisk, David (and Cathy) Poole. Let them know we are behind them! We need male team members; men, please send in your applications so that David has time to process and pray over them to fill the team as God desires.

Be sure to Pray about sponsoring a candidate and get those applications in. Wouldn't it be great to have a waiting list for Tres Dias again?

Here is some information about Tres Dias that you can find on our website at NFTD.ORG in our Policies & Practices document:

THE SPONSOR:

It is essential that each sponsor understands that he is responsible for sponsoring a candidate for participation in all phases of the TRES DIAS movement, not just the Weekend. The sponsor has the responsibility of maintaining an ongoing relationship with his Candidate/Pescadore and encouraging his participation in Sequelas, reunion groups, and serving on Weekends. (Essentials 3.1.1)

The sponsor must be a member of a TRES DIAS community or similar community recognized as equivalent by TRES DIAS (see SECTION 4.1). (Essentials 3.1.2)

Pre-Weekend Couple, continued

THE CANDIDATE:

Recognizing that TRES DIAS is a Christian movement, each Candidate must be a professing Christian who has a desire for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. (Essentials 2.0.1, 3.1.3 & 3.2.1(F)) Candidates shall be accepted from all Christian denominations as well as independent Christian works. (Essentials 3.1.4)

Each Candidate shall be at least 21 years of age with the exception of a married couple where one spouse is over 21 and one is under 21. In such case, the underage spouse shall also be accepted for any Weekend that the 21-year-old spouse would be eligible to attend. (Essentials 3.1.5)

Each Candidate may not have previously experienced (completed) a TRES DIAS Weekend, or a similar Weekend recognized as equivalent by TRES DIAS. (See SECTION 4.1)(Essentials 3.1.6)

Regarding candidates who are married, the husband must attend first. Wives are to apply to attend the women's weekend following her husband's same numbered weekend. Any requests for an exception shall be presented by the pre-weekend couple to the secretariat for review.

By acceptance of the written invitation, the Candidate agrees to abide by TRES DIAS Weekend policy concerning dress and the use of tobacco, alcohol and drugs as adopted by the Secretariat from time to time and as stated in the invitation letter.

Can't wait to finally get back to the campground. What a weekend it's going to be!! Your Pre-Weekend Couple Patrick & Melissa Smith

Pescadore Orientation

Come one, Come ALL!!!

As we prepare for the upcoming weekend, a Very Important thing that must be done is, attend a PO meeting. Pescadore Orientation will be held on August 21st @ 9:30 am. It will be at Crossroads Church in Beachton, GA. Come get refreshed on the history of Tres Dias and all the parts that make up a weekend. There will be laughs and refreshments and prizes!! Come gather and fellowship and test your knowledge on what Tres Dias is.

> Pescadore Orientation Crossroads Church, Beachton GA August 21, 2021 @ 9:30 am

Can't wait to see you!! Tom & Renee Van Gundy PO Couple

