



**CROSSROADS CHURCH
BEACHTON, GA
AUGUST 24, 2026 - 6:00 PM**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Kristin Bailey, Chairman
Amy Sadler, Secretary
Amanda Slayton, Procurement Couple
Janet Lancaster, Women's Leader
Rodney & Jessica Whitfield, Palanca Couple
Bruce King, Men's Leader
Annie & Wendall Tliiman, Pre-Weekend Couple
Chris Sham, Community Spiritual Director,
Walaa Magharious, Database Coordinator
Ken & Kerri Bennett, Food Couple
Mary Sham, P.O. Coordinator
Melissa & Patrick Smith, Fourth Day Couple
Weekend Couple - vacant

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Sean Nyberg, Treasurer
Aaron & Iris Loudermilk, Newsletter Coordinator
Chad Slayton, Half of Procurement Couple

VISITORS:

Mark & Karen Savage
Stormy Lisk
Randy Carlton
Cathi Poole
Sam Sherrod
Fay Steele

WELCOME/ LIGHTING OF CANDLE / OPENING PRAYER/ DEVOTION:

Chairman, Kristin Bailey called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m.
Spiritual Director Chris shared devotion from Daniel 3 – focusing on replacing “What if” anxiety with “Even if” perspective.

MINUTES:

Approval / Corrections of July 2026 Minutes: Corrections to the attendance record were sent to the secretary. Revised minutes will be sent to Waala and uploaded to the community website.

REPORTS:

Financial Report: Sean was absent and did not submit a complete financial report. It will be attached to the final minutes when received. Sean is scheduled to pay more than \$4,000 in bills and is working to reschedule the community-based software meeting.

Upcoming Men & Women's Weekend #71: Women's Leader, Janet Lancaster and Rector Kristin Bailey: The first women's team meeting was held Saturday, Aug. 8 with strong attendance. There are currently 66 team members, with recent drops offset by new additions.

Men's Leaders, Bruce King & Rector, Randy Carlton: The first team meeting was held last Saturday, Aug. 22 with 53 of 81 team members attending. A large portion of the talks are already complete. The next team meeting is scheduled for this coming Thursday, Aug. 27.

Pre Weekend Wendell & Annie Tillman: One new application has been received. Letters were mailed to spring sponsors requesting a response. Three sponsors have responded. Follow-up emails will be sent, followed by phone calls to those who have not responded. The tracking spreadsheet currently lists 19 men and 27 women who are unconfirmed and have not been invited.

Sequela/Fourth Day Couple Melissa & Patrick Smith: The last Sequela had 39 attendees. The next Sequela is September 12, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Lloyd. A new RSVP form has been set up through JotForm. We will vote on the two vacant board positions during this meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Spikes:

Chad confirmed that 40–44 spikes have been cleaned and are in the trailer. A total of 96 spikes are needed—48 for each weekend. Cleaning methods were discussed.

Transportation and the Bus:

Annie & Wendell Tillman: Efforts are underway to secure Eric Chandler's church bus for the men's and women's send-off. Insurance compliance and funding terms must be verified. Alternative transportation will continue to be explored.

Pescador Orientation Mary Sham: Forty-four attended Pescador Orientation last Saturday. A make-up session will be scheduled, possibly following an upcoming team meeting.

For the spring session, P.O. dates will be announced earlier with multiple options. Spiritual Director Orientation will also be added.

Team Attendance, Accountability and Standards: The community discussed a possible “no show-no serve” policy. A 100% attendance requirement was considered impractical due to valid exceptions. No final attendance standard has been adopted. Team members who will be absent should notify their section head, and section heads should contact absent team members to maintain communication.

Official NFTD.org Email Account: There is currently no master password for the NFTD email account. Andy is the sole administrator. Sean will speak with Andy about adding another administrator and resetting the password. Issues discussed included login problems, multi-factor authentication, and members needing to use personal email accounts. The Data Coordinator also needs access to Facebook. The goal is to ensure administrative access can be smoothly transferred to current leadership.

Sequela/Fourth Day Couple Continued:

Melissa Smith: Policies require each Sequela to include both a meditation and a Fourth Day talk. Standard elements include dinner fellowship, a short message, a 5–10-minute Fourth Day talk, worship, and communion.

Next Meeting:

September 28, 2026, at Crossroads in Beachton, Georgia, at 6:00 p.m.

*Minutes respectfully
submitted by Amy Sadler.*

