

Points of Interest

- We welcome your questions, concerns or suggestions on *The Community* newsletter. Feel free to send an email to the address below.
- DON'T FORGET our upcoming CHRISTMAS SECUELA THIS SATURDAY 12/13/08 to be held @ Christ Chapel in Warner Robins.

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Goodbye 2008, and Welcome 2009

WOW! What a year 2008 has been for everyone in God's kingdom.

As we close out a very transitional 2008, I ask that you reflect on the life changes you've made this past year. Were they the same changes you planned at the end of 2007, just before the big crystal ball dropped; or maybe they were forced changes that had to be made to "survive" in this ever-changing economy we find ourselves in at the mo-

ment. Whichever reasoning you come up with for the life changes that have occurred in your life this past year; one thing is true and constant—our God has not moved or waived! Its easy to get caught up in the emotion of the struggle—often I find myself wondering "Where are you God?". Do you find yourself searching for his presence in the tough times? HE IS WITH US AT ALL TIMES!

As you prepare for the new year to arrive;

whether its your home or work goals that you're thinking about—make sure you set some spiritual goals too. Maybe you have a desire to be more active in your church; volunteer at a local shelter; or do some community outreach. Also, our Central GA Tres Dias Secretariat is looking to fill some positions that might interest you. (see page 2 for more details). Whatever it is, make sure your goals are set for 2009! God loves us, he wants the best for us and as we continue to seek Him, perhaps we'll find ourselves with a pure heart of God, a steadfast faith in who's in control, and less worry in our hearts about how the next year will turn out for us. After all, we do know WHO holds tomorrow. Trust in Him always!

May your Christmas & New Year celebrations be safe and joyous! Continue to serve others as Christ leads you and never forget how blessed we are to live with the freedoms we have.

Important Dates

12/13/08 @ 5:00
CHRISTMAS SECUELA
Christ Chapel, Warner Robins
(more details on page 4)

Spring Weekend Dates are SET!
Men's #37 Buzz Harrington, Rector
March 12-15, 2009
Women's #37 Laurie Hoffman, Rector
March 19-22, 2009

(Please pray for both rectors, team members and candidates.)



Secretariat Spotlight

The Secretariat of Central Georgia Tres Dias has three positions that need to be filled and we need YOU to volunteer. One position needs to be filled immediately and two positions need to be filled in the coming months. These positions, as are all of the Secretariat positions, are critical to the functioning of the Secretariat. Each position requires a two year commitment with the option of one additional year. Our Tres Dias community can not function if there are not those who are willing to give back a portion of what they have received. Please pray about volunteering for one of these positions. If Tres Dias has been a blessing to you then now is the time for you to offer your support. Short descriptions of the positions are listed below:

1. **Communications** - this person needs to have an understanding of sound equipment and how to connect speakers, microphones, CD players and musical instruments. This position requires that the sound equipment be set-up, checked out and operation instructions be given to the Communication Cha prior to each of the Men's and Women's Tres Dias weekends. In the case of equipment malfunction, action must be taken to have it repaired. This position is currently being filled by John McWhorter.
2. **Food Couple** - this couple is responsible to insure that all of the food for each weekend is ordered (or purchased) and must be present when it is delivered in order to insure that it is complete and accurate. They are responsible to insure that the Kitchen book is up to date. This position is currently being filled by Dwayne and Kelly Crocker.
3. **Pre-Weekend Couple** - this couple is responsible for receiving the applications, sending out invitations and scheduling the candidates for each weekend. They then host the Opening ceremony to start each weekend. This position is currently filled by Dan and Gayle Conley.

Please contact Charlie Lutz at (478) 956-5806 or (478) 955-7668 if you want more information about any of these openings.

Updates for you...

Communications john.mcwhorter@baesystems.com	John McWhorter 115 Southlake Dr., Perry, GA 31069	Hm - (478) 987-9249 Cell - (478) 456-3252 Wk - (478) 929-5373x4195	Aug 2004 to Aug 2006
Food Couple crockers03@windstream.net	Dwayne & Kelly Crocker P.O. Box 1045, Byron, GA 31008	Hm - (478) 956-5088 His Cell - (478) 951-1234 Her Cell - (478) 951-1397	Oct 2006 to Oct
Palanca Couple chastngvrl@charter.net vexedash@charter.net	Doug & KCarla Reeves 118 Valley Rd., Stockbridge, GA 30281	Her Cell - (678) 386-6882 His Cell - (678) 230-9595 Her Wk - (404) 464-6686	Sep 2008 to Sep 2010
Men's Leader rparish@usthq.com scully@windstream.net	Ronnie Parish - Outgoing 2059 Tucker Rd., Macon, GA 31220 Jim Scully - Incoming 103 Field Trial Dr., WR, GA 31088	His Cell - (478) 737-4390 Hm - (478) 953-5624 His Cell - (478) 951-0243	Nov 2008 to Nov 2010
Women's Leader gloriasallen@bellsouth.net	Gloria Allen 117 Giles Rd., WR, GA 31093	Hm - (478) 953-3067	Jan 2008 to Jan 2010

1 SONG
can spark a moment.

1 TREE
can start a forest.

1 STAR
can guide a ship at sea.

1 LIFE
can make a difference.

Questions about a position on the Secretariat, email us and we'll get the information to you.



What a weekend! Central Georgia Men’s Tres Dias #36 was everything that I had hoped it would be, and then some. The Holy Spirit was moving in mighty ways and men were healed, delivered and blessed. The name of Jesus was lifted up and glorified. It was reported to me that there were sixty-six prayer requests and the majority were answered on the weekend. Faith was built in each man on the weekend, from Rector to candidate to dishwasher. Each member of the team was stretched way beyond his comfort zone in the rolls that the Lord had us in. Each of us took a risk in stepping into rolls that we were uncomfortable in. But, as we all know faith is really spelled “R I S K”. We were there, did that and got the T-shirt, WOW, was it ever worth it. We were able to minister to one another and even to a team of plumbers working on the campground, they were fed some of the best bar-b-que ever. Thanks Doug, great BBQ.

The team was fantastic, I don’t know how a rector could ever ask for a better team than what we had for this weekend. Each and every man worked together in such a way that one would suspect we had been meeting for eight months rather than just eight weeks. Even where there were shortages in the team roster, other members filled in seamlessly as the needs arose. The spiritual directors were absolutely great. Under the steady leadership of Herb Dean as Head Spiritual Director, we learned much more about the Kingdom of Heaven than we ever knew. Thanks to the entire team, you guys were great.

I want to express my thanks to the community for your prayers and support for this weekend. We were really feeling the results of your prayers being answered. Saturday was spectacular (I was totally in awe when I stepped into the sanctuary) and breakfast on Sunday morning really ministered to the whole group of us. From send-up to closing, the out pouring of love that you expressed was almost overwhelming.

I ask that you support, as much or even more, Buzz Harrington the Rector for Men’s #37. It is a lot of work, but the support and response of the candidates, team and community makes the effort spent a labor of love and an easy burden to bear. Thanks once again to the community and to the secretariat for this opportunity that you have given me.

Sherman Morton, Rector

Central Georgia Men’s Tres Dias #36

Welcome New Pescadores

Men’s Weekend #36

Alex Cardona	Brian Woodson
Bob Jones	Chad Blanton
Charles Frye	Charlie Pugh
Chris Carmichael	Chris Nash
Christopher Lynch	Don Van Hoozier
Gregg Banks	Jason Brown
John Strickland	Keith Amerson
Keith Brooks	Kyle Ellis
Michael Glenn	Michael Love
Mickey Daniell	Nathan Barnett
Paul Schofill	Rodney Hamm
Shane Sanders	Zack Tolson
	Zak Ward

Women’s Weekend #36

Almarie Jones	Alyce Banks	Ami Payne
Ashley Dollar	Bernice Williams	Brook Nash
Camilla Fuller	Charleather Greene	
Dana Pope	DeVeto Frye	Dilma Walls
Eleanor Minter	Faith Martin	Heather Schofill
Jennifer Burkett	Jennifer Strickland	
Jessica Banks	Karen Reed	Lea Hamm
Leslie Sims	Linda Norsworthy	Lindsay Ward
Lisa Burns	Lisa Smith	Marisha James
Misty Glenn	Pat Ellis	Rebecca Smith
Rogea Gaymon	Rochelle Young	
Stacey Barnett	Selisa Daniell	Tiffany Lynch
	Tiffany Smith	Tracey Reid

Awesome God, Amazing Grace

CGTD Women’s Weekend # 36

Words cannot begin to express how I felt Sunday night when I left the campground. I was so overwhelmed by what had happened all weekend. My head was racing with thoughts of the things that were said, the women’s faces on Sunday night and that God really did show up! I think the candidates saw a “sisterhood” that was real and not fake. I think they saw that we really do love each other and that it really isn’t just talk. It’s great to hear what Tres Dias is and does but to see it is a whole different thing.

To my team, God’s team—I appreciate all your hard work!! It did not go unnoticed. I know God had to be smiling and saying to all in heaven, “look at my girls in Lizella, they know what it is all about.”

To the community, thank you all for your smiles, notes, palanca, prayers and encouragement. I have truly been the most blessed rector in Tres Dias history. You are the BEST!!!

I am so honored to serve the most Awesome God who gives us the most Amazing Grace!

Amy Toombs, Rector #36

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Reunion Groups

If you are interested in joining a Reunion Group, or if you have space in your group for new members, notify Ben Amerson at fivestarttravels@bellsouth.net. Be sure to keep in touch with him as new groups will be forming after each Tres Dias weekend.

Christmas Secuela

December 13th @ Christ Chapel (Moody Rd.) in Warner Robins, GA. The fun starts at 5 p.m. and since the Secretariat is hosting (providing meats, drinks & door prizes) all you'll need to bring is a covered dish. Please plan to attend this great night of fellowship. Check our website for more information—www.cgtd.org and don't forget, childcare will be provided.

CLEAR YOUR SCHEDULE NOW— Dec. 13th @ 5 p.m.

ALSO REMEMBER: This is an open secuela so we encourage you to invite friends that might have an interest in attending an upcoming Tres Dias weekend.

De Colores! De Colores! De Colores! De Colores!