



The Butterfly

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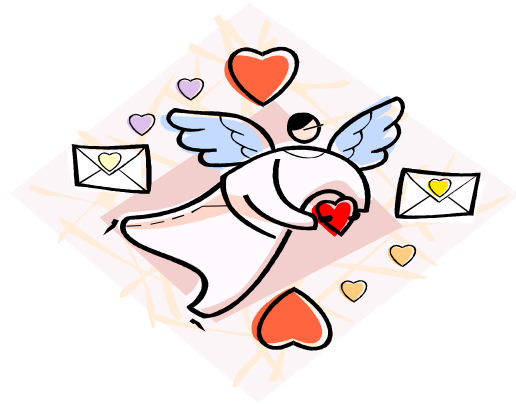
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WINTER BLESSINGS



Gracious God, we thank you for the gift of prayer.

What an extraordinary thing that we can pray to you,

Unburden ourselves before you,

Place our cares, woes, and joys before you.

I confess I find praying an awkward business.

I keep thinking, 'Who am I to pray?'

But I know that to be falser humility,

Hiding my prideful desire to be my own Creator.

So we pray a prayer of joy in prayer,

Asking that we become your prayers for one another. Amen

Stanley Hauerwas



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For prayer requests or praises. The RIMA community has *RIMA Ring*. When a request is called in, the prayer request is passed on to prayer warriors throughout the community that have offered to pray.

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MARK YOUR CALENDERS!!!!
FOURTH DAY EVENT

WHEN??? SATURDAY FEBRUARY 18TH 2012

WHERE??? CAPE COD APARTMENTS SENIOR CENTER
62 LOCUST STREET FALMOUTH MA.

TIME??? 12PM-2PM

COME AND FELLOWSHIP WITH RIMA TRES DIAS COMMUNITY.HOT AND COLD DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED. SNACKS AND REFRESHMENTS ARE ALWAYS APPRECIATED.FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE WELCOME.COME SHARE GODS LOVE!!!!

DIRECTIONS: 495 SOUTH TO THE BOURNE BRIDGE.FOLLOW RTE. 28 TO FALMOUTH. FOLLOW SIGNS TO WOODS HOLE.JUST PASSED WOODS HOLE SIGN CAPE COD APTS. ARE ON THE LEFT ACROSS FROM TEDESKIS STORE. THERE IS VISITOR PARKING .GO TO FRONT DOOR OF SENIOR CENTER. CONTACT PERSON: BRENDA HIGGINS 774-581-6212

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TresDias 2012 Calendar of events

February 13, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

February 18, Saturday, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm, Fourth Day 62 Locust St Falmouth MA Contact Brenda Higgins 774-581-6212.

March 3, Saturday, Secretariat 10:00 am – 12:00 pm followed by pot-luck luncheon. Riverpoint Congregational Church W. Warwick RI.

April 9, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

April 21, Saturday, 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm, Fourth Day, Pasta & Praise at Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

May 14, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

May 18,19,20, Friday – Sunday, Spring Leadership weekend Putnam CT. Theme The dynamics of the weekend, getting back to our roots.

June 2, Saturday, Secretariat Meeting, 10:00 am – 12:00pm followed by pot-luck luncheon, Putnam Baptist Church, Putnam CT.

July 9, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

August 13, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

September 8, Saturday, Secretariat Meeting 10:00 am – 12:00 pm followed by pot-luck luncheon, John Wesley Methodist Church Falmouth MA

October 8, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

October 11 - 14 Thursday – Sunday, Fall Men's weekend Putnam CT

October 25 – 28 Thursday – Sunday, Fall Women's weekend Putnam CT

November 12, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

December 10, Monday, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm, Secretariat Meeting Liberty Christian Center Taunton MA

More to Come as we confirm dates for fourth day activities throughout RIMA this year



Secretariat News

DECEMBER 12, 2011

PRESENT; Rev. Warren Blais, Rev. Ruth Blais, Steve Higgins, Becky Shears, Vicki Shears, Judy Borman, Eric Borman, Kathy King, Brenda Higgins,

Steve Higgins opened the meeting with prayer and devotions. His message was keeping the focus on God.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Steve reported on the November weekend meetings in Connecticut. It was felt that we have been taking God for granted and have forgotten to put our focus on prayer and the need to get back to basics of Tres Dias. Also, at team meetings all team members MUST attend Fall rectors need to be in place by the March meeting. The Fall Men's and Women's teams will each have two rectors – an experienced rector plus a new co-rector. Steve's main report was on the importance of prayer for all of us and not to let down.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The Treasurers report was read by Eric Borman in the absence of Jeanne Amaral – the copy of which is attached to this report. The motion to accept the report as read was made by Rev. Ruth Blais, seconded by Judy Borman. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Rev. Warren Blais, seconded by Eric Borman to keep a minimum of \$500.00 in the checking account. Motion passed

On a motion made by Eric Borman, seconded by Judy Borman , to issue a check to Kathy King for communication expenses. She may request another \$200.00, if necessary. Motion passed.

The meeting in January was moved to the third week in January as Steve will be in Texas on the second Monday in January. The February meeting will be on the 13th. On March 3rd, our meeting will be held at Larry Bernier's church - Rev. Ruth Blais will check with him to see if that is alright. The meeting will be from 10 AM until 2 PM at which time we will have a potluck lunch. If there is a problem meeting at Larry Bernier's church, we will meet at Pastor Gil's church.

Meeting was closed in prayer at 9. PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Higgins, Secretary P



PRAY! PRAY PRAY! PRAY! PRAY!

As we welcome 2012 and think forward to our RIMA Tres Dias and what God has in Plan for us this year, remember that we are part of a worldwide International Tres Dias (ITD).

On behalf of RIMA I have started e-mailing 2012 "Wall Palanca" to the Tres Dias Weekends listed on the Tres Dias Web Site. This is just February and March:

GA Mountains men #61

Seoul Korea - Land of the Morning Calm me #63

Birmingham AL men # 26 and women #26

Music City TN men # 26 and #20

South East TN men #20 and women #42, men #12 and women #12

Central GA men #43 and #women 43

Heart of TX men #3 and women #3

TD of Ireland women #11

Moscow Russia men and women

Central FL men #15 and women #15

East TX men #26 and women # 26

Tres Dias Denmark men #4

Gulf Coast men #18 and women #18

Kansas City Men #1 and women #1 FIRST WEEKEND

South Hudson men #70

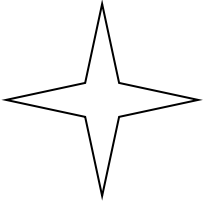
Squehanna Valley men #46

Western KY men #14 and women #14

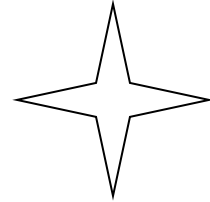
Pray for our Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

DeColores, Judy Borman

COMMUNITY CORNER



What Tres Dias Means to Me???



Tres Dias means to me, to serve time with God and all that He made on this earth. It means that we all live on to serve God and spend time with the Tres Dias family. God bless you all.

Richard Bouroussa

The weekend in November 2011 was a spirit-filled time of prayer and communion. Steve opened the weekend with, "what does Tres Dias mean to you?" This was the question that sparked the flow of the weekend as we reminisced of previous weekends and Reunion Group. It was such a blessing to share with the pescadore men some of our Tres Dias experiences and to hear their stories of spiritual moments they've shared through the work of the Lord.

It all took me back to June 2008 when I made my weekend in Central CT. That weekend changed my life as women of various religious backgrounds came together for one purpose and poured out God's love on me and the other candidates. I saw God in a whole new light. I felt the presence of the Holy Spirit as we laughed and cried, and sang and prayed together. I was overwhelmed by His love as I witnessed the sharing of people that came together that weekend through all kinds of palanca; love letters of encouragement, bookmarks, serving meals and at the closing they were introduced to us as "our community".

So, what does Tres Dias mean to me? Tres Dias is a community of God's people sharing His love and His Word with one another. We are Pescadores; fishers of men and women. We are God's disciples brought together through prayer and fellowship to support and encourage one another as Jesus taught and commanded us to do.

"You did not choose Me, but I chose you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you. These things I command you, that you love one another." ~ John 15:16-17

Vicki Shears

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