

Kairos of Georgia State Chapter Meeting Minutes
August 24, 2019
Christ United Methodist Church Forsyth, GA

Chairman Doug Unger called the meeting to order at 9:11 AM.

Walton Hardin opened the meeting with prayer and gave a very moving testimony and challenge us to seek spiritual and wise council.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Roll was taken and a quorum was established. Copies of previous SSC minutes were passed out. Submitted weekend leader approval forms were given to the appropriate AC's, with some having comments. The following request were approved at the executive committee meeting or via an email approval – Clint Musselwhite/Dooly #41, Michele Barton/Emanuel # 17, Julie Brannen/Emanuel # 16, Claire Dyches/Emanuel # 15 (8/9/2019), Grady Hancock/Rogers #42, Arthur Chapple/Rogers #41, Cindy Scoggins/Pulaski # 46 (6/21/2019), Rebecca Seaton/Pulaski # 47, Joanna Nakayama/Pulaski #50, Joel Hunt/Valdosta Annex # 29, John Yawn/Wilcox #39 (7/9/2019), Robert Gobler/Valdosta # 39, Jim Blount/Washington # 25 (7/3/2019). Also noted on page #62 of the silver manual, it states that a leader must attend AKT prior to serving as the observing leader.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Walter passed out current balance and P&L reports, reviewed and answered all questions asked. Walter gave the SCC the “word of the day- COMMUNICATION.” Talked about the information available on the KOG web page. Also stressed the need to review the P&L statement that he emails to each AC Donor Coordinator, with your AC council. Went over the position that are up for nomination on the executive committee. The election will take place at the next SCC meeting on November 2, 2019.

TREASURERS REPORT: Stan had no report. Reminded AC that preprinted deposit slips are available upon request.

IC REPORT: Beth reported that the Kairos Annual Conference theme was “All in for Christ and for Kairos.” There are trends that many prisons are having budget issues and some are not allowing any homemade food items to be brought inside. Chaplains are not necessarily Christian. Recruitment – Need to have an action plan. Need to always have leaders planned for one year (or more) in advance. Torch – In Mississippi, judges are giving alternative sentences to youth to attend a torch weekend to reduce or eliminate a sentence. Messenger- 35% of the information is missing or incorrect. Messenger is showing we have 30,000 volunteers.

VICE CHAIR REORT: Need Leaders report for Atlanta Torch Fall 2018, Atlanta metro, Fall/Spring, ASMP Spring, Baldwin Fall/Spring, Burruss Spring, Calhoun Spring, Coastal Spring. State Chair teleconference – DOC's are stressing Vision/Mission/Core Values/Statement of Faith.

AKT REPORT: Just held a Georgia AKT at Hampton. Next Georgia AKT will be in February 2020. Schedules of all AKT's are on the MyKairos web site under Kalender.

OLD BUSINESS: Successfully held five AC training events regionally and trained many AC council members.

Reminder that per Georgia DOC – No longer are pictures allowed to be taken and distributed.

NEW BUSINESS: Planning to have AC training at the next KOG SCC meeting here at Christ UMC in Forsyth. Training will run simultaneous and be in the church sanctuary.

There being no further business before the committee, The meeting with prayer and we adjourned at 12:30 PM. The next SCC meeting is scheduled June 8, 2019 at Christ UMC, Forsyth, GA from 9 AM to about 2 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Kibler, Secretary Kairos of Georgia

Please see the year-to-date attendance roster next page below

GEORGIA STATE COMMITTEE

ATTENDANCE ROSTER 2-17-2019

Those in blue constitute the Executive Committee.

Position	Name	Notes	2-16-19	6-8-19	8-24-19	11-2-19
			P= Pres	A=Ab	S=Sub	E=Excused
Chairman	Doug Unger		P	P	P	
Vice Chairman	Beverly Upperman		P	P	P	
Int'l Council Rep #1	Beth Maycumber		A-E	P	P	
Int'l Council Rep #2	Arthur Fickling		P	P	P	
Secretary	Tom Kibler		P	P	P	
Financial Secretary	Walter Straham		A-E	P	P	
Treasurer	Stan Yarbrough		P	P	P	
Programs	Diane Morgan		P	P	P	
Fundraising						
Agape	Greg McDonald		A	A	P	
Outreach/Volunteer Recruitment	Octavia Everrett		A	A	P	
Website Development (non-voting)	Johnny Hand		A	A	A	
Optional positions below are non-voting						
Clergy Recruiting/Train(Optional)	Jim Smith		P	P	P	
Advisory Council Coor. (Optional)	Colleen Freeman		A-E	P	P	
Adv. Member/AKT Coor. (Optional)	Lillian Robinson		A-E	A	A	
Past Chairman (Honorary one year)						
Council Representatives						
Atlanta YDC	Lillian Robinson		A	A	A	
Arrendale	Colleen Freeman		P-S	P	P	
Arrendale Peer-to-Peer	Barbara Pletsch		A	A	A	
ASMP	Phil Lewis		P	P	P	
Autry	Thomas Smith		P	A-S	P	
Baldwin	Jim Hundley		P	P	P	
Burruss	David Griffin		P-S	P-S	P	
Calhoun	Randy Bischoff		P	P-S	A	
Coastal	Gaylon Greger		A-E	A	A	
Dooly	Mike Bertelson		P	P-S	A	
Emanuel	Lynn Joyner		P	P	P	
GSP	Kay Stafford		P	P-S	A	
Hancock	Perkins Williams		P	P	P-S	
Kairos Outside North GA	Katie Kennebrew		A	P	A	
Kairos Outside Northwest GA	Ronald Jones		P	A	P	
Lee	Andrew Hughlett		P	P	A	
Macon State Prison	Robert Carter		A	P-S	P	
Phillips	Walter Larry		P	P	P-S	
Pulaski	Linda Wessells		A	P	P	
Rogers	Dawson Long		P	A	P	

Rutledge	Roger Presnell		INACTIVE			
Smith	Thomas Staub		A	P	A	
Sumter YDC	Cheryl Cole		P-S	P-S	P-S	
Valdosta/Valdosta Annex	Roy Davis		P	A	P	
Walker	Kerry Augustus		A	P-S	A	
Ware	Jack Denker		P	P	A	
Washington	Dan Greathouse		P	A-S	P	
Whitworth Detention Center	Bari Boyea		P	P	P	
Wilcox	John Glaize		P	P	P	
		TOTAL	23/36	28/36	23/36	/36