

## OA For Today Meditation Meeting Group Conscience Agenda

Saturday, November 1, 2025

1. **Introduction**
2. **Serenity Prayer** (All) *God grant us the serenity to accept the things we cannot change, courage to change the things we can and the wisdom to know the difference.*
3. **Tradition 2:** "For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority — a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern."
4. **Tradition 4:** "Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or OA as a whole."
5. **Minutes** (Paula M and Lois N)
6. **Treasurer Report** (Karen R and Kim P)
7. **Literature Report** (Paula M)
8. **Other service board reports** (SB members – optional)
9. **Old Business** – Motions 1 through 5 were carried over from last month.
10. **New Business** - Procedure for new business:
  - Presenter will make the motion by reading it and giving more information if needed.
  - Chair will ask for someone to second the motion
  - If seconded, discussion will follow. Please raise electronic hand to participate in the discussion
  - Chair will entertain 4 pro statements and 4 con statements after which a vote will be held.

**Motion 1 (Jen)** - Propose that we not use religious words and images (Jesus, crosses, and other words, etc) in the Parking Lot WhatsApp group. This could be off-putting to people who are not religious and could potentially prevent someone from seeking fellowship and support from OA.

**Motion 2 (Saskia)** - Propose that we would adopt the AA changes in the Steps have adopted God instead of He in Step 3, 7, and 11

**Motion 3 (Susan K/Bill L)** - Propose that the opening of the meeting include the OA Principle of the Month.

**Motion 4 (Bill L)** - Propose that the Zoom chat be set to allow late arrivals to read previous chats (i.e. Continuous Chat).

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**Motion 5 (Saskia)** - Mention at the meeting, in the script under "Service...." "When signing up for a position, please arrive in the Zoom room by 7:45am the day of the position so we can co-host and rename you, and answer any service questions you may still have."

**Motion 6 (Saskia)** - To add to the first Copy/Paste Post: "We are discussing the reading for DATE from "For Today. The chat will open at 8:45am."

**Motion 7a (Saskia)** - Set up regular live "training sessions " via our Zoom Room for all who would like to get trained on various positions."

**Motion 7b (Lyanna)** – Lyanna has volunteered to train people on Zoom.

**Motion 8a (Kim P)** – Script change proposal is the following (changing duties from Screen Share to Copy/Paste):

Copy/paste the Optional Workbook Question from the For Today reading slide to everyone now and several times throughout the meeting.

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**Motion 8b (Saskia)** - Script change proposal is the following: That the language in the meeting script on page 3 be changed to: "The screen sharer copy/paste the Optional Workbook question..."

**Motion 9 (April)** - Script change proposal is the following: First sentence says "Disable unmute in the host tools. I propose ending the sentence there. Then add another sentence; "Then go to the chat window and click on 3 dots (upper right corner). Set chat to host and cohost only."

**11. Future business** – Procedure for future business:

- Future agenda items may be introduced and discussed
- However, items will be tabled until next meeting's agenda

**12. Motion to Adjourn**

**13. Close with the Serenity Prayer**