



CALENDAR

Leaders School is held on Thursdays at St. Pius High School beginning with Mass at 7 pm followed by our session.

Oct. 23 – Nov. 20, 2008

Sign-up for February Team
November 13th & 20th, 2008

Archdiocesan Ultreya & Pot Luck Dinner
Thursday, November 20th, 2008
7:00 pm – St. Pius High School

Men's Weekend
February 5 – 8, 2009

Women's Weekend
February 12 – 15, 2009

Region VII Spring Encounter
Orlando, FL April 24-25, 2009

National Encounter– San Bernardino, CA
July 30 – August 2, 2009

“The Cursillo movement, in the years since 2nd Vatican Council, has proved itself to be a vital component in the ongoing evangelization of our faithful, bringing to the lives of people, the techniques for awakening the Gospel spirit on a daily basis. I cannot think of a spiritual movement in the Church more dedicated to the necessity of finding God within the fabric of ordinary life, and life's ordinary encounters.”

Most Reverend Wilton D. Gregory
Archbishop of Atlanta

Men and Women's Cursillo Weekends

The recent Men's and Women's weekends held in October at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Monastery had the following new Cursillistas from 19 different Parishes:

MEN		WOMEN	
Virgil Acosta	St. Gabriel	Jen Andrews	St. George
Bob Andrews	St. George	Sam Baah	Our Lady of Lourdes
Bryan Blackmon	St. Thomas Aquinas	Patrice Barton	Our Lady of Lourdes
David Brower	Our Lady of Lourdes	Nancy Blackmon	St. Thomas Aquinas
Paul Bull	St. Pius X	Theresa Brower	Our Lady of Lourdes
Tom Carroll	St. Monica	Lorena Bull	St. Pius X
Stephen Caveness	St. Jude	Maria Candeias	St. Lawrence
David Cola	St. George	Terri Cheney	St. Mary Magdalene
Jim Cormier	St. George	JoAnn Dankelman	Christ Redeemer
Scott Hall	St. Monica	Anna Diaz	St. Pius X
Bryan Hazelton	St. Gabriel	Lisa Dupeire	St. Lawrence
Kevin Lewis	St. John Neumann	Techy Dutton	St. Marguerite
Mark Lowery	St. James	Oksana Gomas	St. John Neumann
Stan Michalczewski	Holy Trinity	Renae Greenwood	St. Paul of the Cross
Keith Moore	St. Pius X	Mary Ann Gridley	St. Monica
Jim Moorman	St. John Neumann	Jennifer Hazelton	St. Gabriel
Alfred Sanford	St. Paul of the Cross	Lu Kozicki	St. George
Mike Suhowolak	St. Mary Magdalene	Vilma Lowery	St. James
Fr. Augustine Wafula	St. Paul of the Cross	Tammy Martin	St. Michael the Archangel
Dick Walsh	St. Brendan	Gerry Michalczewski	Holy Trinity
Michael Wilson, Sr.	St. James	Darryl Moore	St. Pius X
		Mary Moorman	St. John Neumann
		LaVonne Nelson	St. Brendan
		Susan Roberts	St. Thomas the Apostle
		Regina Sanford	St. Paul of the Cross
		Pam Shay	Shrine of the IC
		Claire Suhowolak	St. Mary Magdalene
		Therese von Maucher	St. Michael the Archangel

CONGRATULATIONS and WELCOME NEW CURSILLISTAS

Cursillo "Pot-Luck" cookbooks

The cookbook is now available with approximately 140 wonderful recipes, we have ordered 300 copies. On one hand 300 copies will help accomplish our goal of providing the funds for a sound system that will support us at the Monastery and other venues. On the other hand, 300 copies seems a paltry amount given the size of our Atlanta Cursillo community and the anecdotal response we have heard to the potential sale of these cookbooks. The sooner we can quantify the volume of sales response the sooner we can determine the need for an additional printing.

Since we are self-funded we cannot risk printing copies that will not be sold but we do want to ensure that everyone who wants a cookbook can get as many copies as they want. We believe this is a cookbook we can all be proud to give as gifts and use to prepare great food for pot luck dinners.

The purchase price for each cookbook is \$10.00 and can be ordered using the enclosed envelope. Please complete the order form indicating the number needed.



November 2008

Dear friends in Christ,

Thanksgiving is always my favorite holiday of the year. Life seems to slow down if even for a day or weekend. Family and friends come together to share a meal and enjoy each other's company. Small families often invite those who have no family around them to join their table. Perhaps some of you will be using our new Pot-Luck Cookbook recipes for your larger gatherings.

During the summer the folks at Leaders' Formation and the Secretariat decided to raise funds for a Cursillo sound system. We wanted a simple cookbook and we wanted to focus on potluck recipes because a lot of our Ultreyas have potlucks with their monthly Ultreya. We hope to sell them through the Ultreyas but if you go to pot lucks and not Ultreyas you might want to use the enclosed form or call Drew Shurmantine (770-720-3017 or shurmantine@comcast.net) and order a few. Some of the recipes are from our Cursillo Weekends so they will bring back memories.

Thank you for your generosity with your pledges and regular donations. Your response is such a wonderful tribute to your care about our Cursillo Movement. We've now had our first year of Cursillos at the Monastery of the Holy Spirit. We were warmly welcomed back by Abbot Francis Michael and the rest of the monks. When the Abbot is home he has asked to concelebrate our closing Liturgy. The Monastery has a wonderful atmosphere to hold our Cursillo weekends.

So, once more, we come to you for financial support. We count on your generosity. In addition, we come to you to prayerfully consider sponsoring a candidate or two from your parish or work place. We want to continue holding Cursillo weekends and we cannot possibly do that without you sending candidates and without your financial support. We trust and count on all of us to continue this wonderful work of evangelization.

God bless you and have a wonderful Thanksgiving, Advent, Christmas and New Year!

Your sister in Christ,

Sister Margaret McAnoy, ihm

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