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WOMEN'S CURSILLO #57 TEAM IS DISCERNED

Secretariat met on Wednesday, October 11th and discerned the following team for Women's Cursillo #57 which will be held January 18-21, 2007 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Youngstown :

Spiritual Director:	Father Peter Haledej
Asst. Spiritual Director:	Deacon Richard Milanek
Rector	Linda Smrek
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Guides:	Janet Godward, Leslie Shubert, Elaine Toth
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Musical Director:	Loretta Nagel

Team Formation begins Oct. 16 and will be held at 7pm at St. Luke Church, 5235 South Avenue, Boardman. See page 2 for schedule and room assignments.

ULTREYA

Ultreya is held every Thursday at Our Lady of Mount Carmel church in Youngstown.

For those wishing to attend, a mass or prayer service is held at 7:30pm. Ultreya begins immediately following the Mass at 8:15 pm in the basement of the church.

Trumbull County Ultreya

is held the first Tuesday of the month at St. Pius X church at 1401 Moncrest Drive NW, in Warren.

A Mass or Prayer service precedes the Ultreya and begins at 7:00pm. The Ultreya begins immediately following Mass at approximately 7:45pm.

Ultreya Hosts Needed!

We are always in need of small groups who would like to host Ultreya for two or four weeks.

Please pray and talk to your group about hosting Ultreya. To get on the schedule, please contact Loretta Nagel at 330-755-1853 or Marilyn Corroto at 330-793-0787.

FROM OUR LAY DIRECTOR – PAT COSTELLO

Dear Cursillo Community - In August, eight new babe chicks experienced a very spiritual event... their Three Days! They are in their Fourth Day now. They may be back to their routines, but the difference is that hopefully they are fully aware that the Holy Spirit is walking their journey with them.

Remember the feelings you experienced on your weekend? Many Cursillistas have said it was the best thing that had happened to them.

There was a time after I made my weekend when I felt that my life had become so complicated and I forgot to trust in Jesus. After almost 12 years away from Cursillo, I was re-introduced to it. I'd forgotten the wonderful support from other Cursillistas and the graces that were available to me. I can proclaim, "It works!" I still work at it daily, and my journey toward total trust in Jesus is supported by using the tools of Group Reunion and Ultreya.

As I'm sure we all have done, I've made a commitment to Jesus... to be His hands in our world, and to be appreciative of the blessings He has given to us in this beautiful Earth created for us. Now in our Fourth day, let us all offer a promise to: Make a Friend, Be a Friend, and then Bring our Friend to Christ. Pray for Cursillo here and everywhere. Pray for peace. Be peace.

Cursillo needs you to become involved. The level of your involvement is up to you... it's your choice. With your prayers, help and support, Cursillo will continue the work of bringing people closer to Christ. Our work for Christ is never done. Jesus needs many "hands and feet." Will you walk this journey with Jesus and your fellow Cursillistas to keep this method alive? What will your answer be? DeColores! -Pat

SCHOOL OF LEADERS

The School of Leaders is where you can learn more about the Cursillo movement by taking part in discussions and helping to guide our local center. Your input is always welcomed.

Often, the School of Leaders meets at Panera Bread at the corner of State Route 46 and Mahoning Avenue in Austintown.

Meetings start at 7pm.

Upcoming meeting dates are: as follows:

October 25, at Panera Bread.

A special meeting will be held November 15, at Linda Susany's home at 2358 Breezewood Drive, in Austintown. At that meeting, the School of Leaders will be joining with past Lay Directors

and current Secretariat members to work on updating the By-Laws for our Youngstown Cursillo Center.

On December 13, School of Leaders will return to Panera Bread in Austintown for their last meeting of the year.

Please come to any or all of these meetings.

MAKE A FRIEND.

BE A FRIEND.

BRING YOUR FRIEND TO CHRIST.

WOMEN'S TEAM #57 FORMATION SCHEDULE

Team formation for Women's Cursillo #57 will be held at Saint Luke church at 5235 South Avenue in Boardman.

The schedule includes the following abbreviations: **MMR** stands for the Martha and Mary room. (This room is inside the church immediately to your left.)

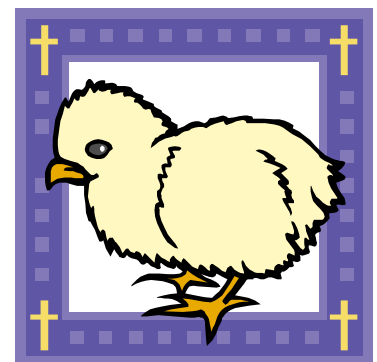
The **School Meeting Room** is located to the right of the main doors and down the hall.

RMR means Rectory Meeting Room. (Which is straight ahead when you enter the rectory.)

All meetings start promptly at 7pm.

The schedule is as follows:

- 10/16 MMR
- 10/23 School Meeting Room
- 11/13 MMR
- 11/20 MMR
- 11/27 RMR
- 12/04 MMR
- 12/11 MMR
- 12/18 MMR
- 01/08 MMR



WELCOME TO ALL NEW BABE CHICKS !!!

ULTREYA SCHEDULE

The following celebrants have been scheduled for Ultreya:

- October 19 Father Peter Haledej
- October 26 ?
- November 2 Deacon Ron Layko (All Souls Service)
- November 9 Father Ed Noga
- November 16 Deacon Jim Brown
- December 7 Father Bill Loveless

Please mark your calendar as there will be no Ultreyas for the following dates:

- November 23,
- December 21, 28



Father Bill Loveless celebrates mass before a recent Ultreya at Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish in Downtown Youngstown.



CURSILLISTAS!

Please notify Nancy Layko if you have had a change of email address OR if you haven't been receiving emailed prayer requests or Bible vigil notifications.

Call Nancy at 330-799-3817 or send an email to her at: nanlayko@zoominternet.net

Please put the word "Cursillo" in the subject line. Thanks!

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Bible Vigils

BIBLE VIGIL REQUESTS

Can be made for a Cursillista or an immediate family member.

In Mahoning County , call:

- Donna Dellorco at 330-783-3161
- Jeanne Wooler at 330-799-5926
- Svetlana Rella at 330-793-2823

In Trumbull County, call:

- Kim Molek at 330-856-3538
- Renita Mintus at 330-847-0252

THANKS, RICK! WELCOME, JIM!

Our Cursillo community thanks Rick Smrek for a job well done. Rick served this community and our Lord faithfully for the past 2+ years on the Secretariat as the Cursillo Chairperson. Rick's term expired earlier this year, but agreed to stay on until a replacement was discerned.

The new Cursillo chairperson is Jim Kramer. We thank Jim for saying "yes" to our Lord

and this Cursillo community. Please remember to pray for Jim as he undertakes this important job.

Under each Cursillo Secretariat position there are several committees that need chairpersons. It's never too early to pray about your involvement. Ask the Lord what He wants you to do for this movement.

There are many jobs that need done on the weekend, such as setup and tear-down, kitchen help, and liturgy. But there are lots of things that need done throughout the year... we can use help with Ultreyas, Bible Vigils, folding newsletters, and many other things.

Please pray about how you may be able to help, and join us!



RICK SMREK



JIM KRAMER

UPDATING THE LIST OF SMALL GROUPS

We are working on a new updated list of small group reunions. Please help us by calling or sending in a list of the members of your group to any secretariat member. You will find their phone numbers on the left side of the front page.

It would be very helpful if you could also include each of your member's parish affiliation and email address.

Providing us with your small group information will help us update our email address list as well.

Please indicate if your group brothers or sisters would like to receive Bible Vigil notifications and Prayer chain requests by email.

The Parish Reps are updating their lists at the same time, and they will need the names and email addresses so that

they can inform members of their parishes whenever there is a Bible Vigil or prayer chain request.

At some point in the future, we may publish the Youngstown Cursillo newsletter on our website:

www.youngstowncursillo.org

Publishing the newsletter on the website would help us cut down postage expenses.

We need your assistance!

We're putting together a new list of groups.

NEWSLETTER CONTEST !

You may have noticed that with this edition of our newsletter we have introduced a new format.

We are interested in knowing what you think about the new

updated look.

To celebrate our new format, we are having a contest to name our Youngstown Cursillo Newsletter.

There are many approaches you could

use... rhyming , alliteration, or a clever play on words.

The opportunities are endless! Submit your entries to Pat Costello 5530 Beechwood Dr. Struthers, OH 44514

Newsletter Contest!



Have an idea?
Let us know!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR !

We have a confirmed date for the Day of Reflection. Mark your calendar for



March 24, 2007.

The Day of Reflection is put once each year during Lent. Many Cursillistas come back each year to enjoy a day full of fellowship, fun, food, music and good talks.

The Day of reflection will be held in the parish hall at St. Paul's in New Mid-

dletown. Also coming up is a "Second Touch" weekend. This is a nice refresher for anyone who has made a Cursillo weekend.

We don't have a date scheduled yet, but watch this space for more info!



BRING THE CHILDREN FOR FUN WITH SANTA !

Each year, Santa Claus makes sure to stop by to visit with his Cursillo friends in the Youngstown area.

This year, by special arrangement, he will be coming to be with us on Sunday December 10, from 3pm tom 5pm at the hall at the Shrine on Belle Vista Avenue (across from St. Mary's hall). This is a special get together for Cursillistas and their families. We would like to

see a good turn out for Santa!

Bring your children (of all ages) and your grandchildren.

Cookies, Pizza, orange drink, coffee and tea will be served.

Please let us know the number of people in your party by December 1st, so that we will have enough goodies on hand for everyone.

Please Call Pat Costello at : 330-757-9447



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS?

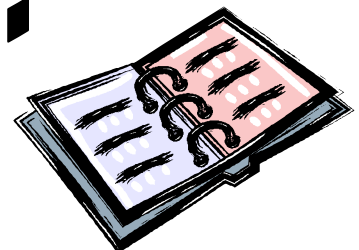
There is a white three-ring hardback binder that has been misplaced. It contains pages of instructions that are needed for Professor School. These pages are in plastic sheet protectors.

Has it found a home with anyone?

If you have seen it, Please call Pat Costello at

330-757-9447

Lost !



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**If you would like to submit articles, notices or “thank-you’s”
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the attention of :**

Bill Joyce, 6611 Appleridge Drive, Boardman, Ohio 44512-5010

Or email them to: wjoyce1701@aol.com

**The Secretariat makes the final decision on newsletter contents.
Your suggestions on improving the newsletter are welcomed.**

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YOUR HELP IS NEEDED...

We mail approximately 1,400 newsletters for each edition. Consequently, we incur a substantial expense in paper and mailing costs. If you can help defray our costs with any size donation it would be greatly appreciated. Please mail your donation to:

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If you have an address change, or if you no longer wish to receive the newsletter, please contact:

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**REMEMBER TO MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR
THE DAY OF REFLECTION: MARCH 24, 2007**

