



Green Bay Diocese Cursillo Newsletter ***Women's – October 2017***

Spiritual Director's Comments – Clean up on Aisle 5

A husband and wife are shopping in their local supermarket. The husband picks up a case of beer and puts it in their cart. "What do you think you're doing?" asks the wife. "They're on sale, only \$20 for 24 cans" he replies. "Put them back, we can't afford them" demands the wife. They carry on shopping. A few aisles farther on, the woman picks up a \$40 jar of face Cream and puts it in the basket. "What do you think you're doing?" asks the husband. "It's my face cream. It makes me look beautiful," replies the wife. Her husband retorts: "So does 24 cans of beer and ... it's half the price."

Wherever the husbands, boyfriends, uncles, grandpas are lying, whether in aisle 5, duck blinds or the couch, while their girls are on the Cursillo, they are praying feverishly that this weekend will once again stir hearts and energize disciples. We are all united in prayer and sacrifice as we do palanca for our new babe-chicks. And all those palancas not only touch their hearts, but touch ours as well, as we reconnect to the Cursillo experience and re-commit ourselves to the living out of our Fourth Day. May God be praised in all that we do this weekend and throughout our lives!

De Colores,

Fr. Dave



That's him, there in Aisle 5.

Set Up/Take Down Crew Requests

Greetings fellow Cursillistas!

I am Jenn Jensen. My husband Brent and I are the new coordinators for Set-up and Take Down for the Cursillo weekends. We were asked to take over this position last fall and we felt called to accept.

Our main job is to prepare the host site for the weekend and then put things back in order at the end. While this is very rewarding work, it takes a team to accomplish this. I am reaching out today to ask that you consider volunteering to help us with set-up, take down, or both for the upcoming Men's and Women's weekends. We are also trying to put together a database of volunteers for future weekends as well. There are a variety of jobs to do. Duties include moving desks, covering windows in paper, unloading the trailer, setting up cots, and many other jobs. They range from very physical to light duty.

So, if you are interested in helping us out either click the link to complete the volunteer form (https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1njynSX_S4RAQD7Goqa9ghR9yq94PjkERXcCs18Kob8A/edit) or contact me directly at jennjensen@live.com.

With love always,

Jenn Jensen

Spring Cursillo dates are set

Men's: February 8 – 11, 2018
St Agnes Parish, Green Bay
Women's: April 5 – 8, 2018
St John's, Little Chute

Save the Date

Cursillo Day of Enrichment
March 3, 2018

Watch the prayer chain or web site for more information on these upcoming events. If you are currently not receiving the prayer requests you can sign up at this link:

<http://natl-cursillo.us9.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=073683a4004ce11d69f03ae5c&id=2a10f44ee5>

Living Courageously Lay Directors Comments

Make a friend, be a friend, bring a friend to Christ, and bring them to Cursillo. We need to think about the above statement when we are inviting people to Cursillo. Am I looking for opportunities to be a friend to people in my life? Even people I don't know or don't know very well? We are called to lead by example but how often in social settings do we play it safe? Yes, this is easy for people that are more extroverted than myself. Inevitably some occupations require this more than others. However, showing the love of Christ to those people God puts in our lives is rarely if ever done by playing it safe. One on one conversion was the predominant way that Christians evangelized in the times of the early church. Not only is this an effective way people are converted, but it is also the way God uses us to invite the faithful to a deeper conversion thru Cursillo.

It's difficult to help others if we don't have our own priorities straight. We need to be constantly working on our relationships: 1) God 2) Spouse 3) Children 4) Others

After our relationship with God are we allowing our spouse the time and support they need to focus on their relationship with God? Do we focus on our relationship with our spouse second or is something else taking that spot? Are we allowing God to reorder our lives when things get out of whack? God loves us and our closeness to God directly impacts how joyfully we are living our lives. In order to be an effective instrument of God's love we need to be close to Him. When prayer comes first and my priorities are in focus I find it that much easier to share the joy of Christ with others and to be there for them. To make a friend, be a friend, bring a friend to Christ, and bring them to Cursillo! Live courageously for Christ!

De Colores,

Joe Mongin

Men's Cursillo #246 October 26-29, 2017

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Pulaski

TEAM

Rector: Julie Huss
920-740-8847

Vice Rector: Sally Gruber
920-277-2584

Spiritual Director: Fr. Ted Hendricks
920-427-1896

Asst. Spiritual Director: Dcn. Mark Mullins
920-498-1327

Proctors: Kelly Watras 920-268-2818
Renee Verboncouer 920-436-5568
(music) Kim Spielbauer 920-216-0525
(kitchen) Dana Weber 920-284-4792

Palanca Address: Attn: Cursillo #246 Palanca
P.O. Box 184
Little Chute, WI 54140

Serenade: 6:00 PM – Look for Signs

Emergency Phones: 920-284-4792 / 920-268-2818

DAY CHAIRPERSONS

Set Up: Brent & Jenn Jenssen
Thurs Oct 26th 3:30 pm 262-391-0014/920-279-5982

Thursday Night: Paula Vosters
920-707-6464

Friday: Mike Weins
920-475-6459
Breakfast 7:45
Lunch 12:30
Supper 6:00

Saturday: Al Huss
920-716-3308
Breakfast 7:00
Agape 1:30
Supper 6:15

Sunday: Tony Hoslet
608-799-3496
Breakfast 7:35
Lunch 12:00
Supper 5:30

Clean Up: Sunday @ 3:30
Brent & Jenn Jenssen

Directions: From Appleton/Green Bay: Take Hwy I-41 North, take Exit 168B to Hwy 29/32 North (Wausau/Shawano), go about 8.9 miles. Take Exit 249 towards County Hwy Y/Pulaski/Gillett, take slight right onto State Hwy 32/Y. Go about 4 miles, enter next roundabout and take the 2nd exit onto WI-32, go 1.3 miles. Turn left onto E Pulaski Street. Church is on the right.

Assumption BVM, 124 E Pulaski Street, Pulaski, WI

Sponsors... Please make sure Candidates receive Palanca. For more information on Cursillo and the Green Bay Diocese Movement go to: www.natl-cursillo.org/greenbay

To see an updated list of candidates right up to the cursillo e-mail prayerrequests@gbcursillo.com or watch the cursillo prayer chain.

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