



Cursillo #268: February 25-28, 2010

Rectora: Kathy Liesen

Theme: We Come To Your Feast

Dear Cursillo Family,

Your prayers and palanca are blessing Team #268 as we prepare for welcoming our Cursillo candidates on February 25th. Our weekend, which will occur during Lent, will be a time for reflection on Jesus' sacrifice, because it was His great love for us that led to the Crucifixion and Resurrection. He is inviting us daily to come feast with him.

Our theme song is "We Come To Your Feast" and our scripture reading is John 6:35. Jesus said to them, "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

I am humbled and honored to be Rectora of this team of dedicated servants of God. **Spiritual Director:** Msgr. Mike Kuse, Quincy (Sacraments, Saturday 10:00 a.m.); **Assistant Spiritual Directors:** Sr. Cecillianne Duello, Jacksonville, IL (Obstacles to Grace, Saturday 4:15 pm.); Deacon Terry Ellerman, Quincy (Holy Spirit/Divine Aid, Friday 3:30 pm); Sr. Concepta Joerger, Springfield, IL (Christian Life, Sun. 10:00 am).

Assistant Rectoras: Jenni Obert, Camp Point, IL (Piety, Friday 6:45 pm); Wendy McDonald, Quincy (Environment, Sunday 9:00 am); Donna Campbell, Lewistown, MO (Study, Saturday 9:00 am).

Rollistas: Beth Shade, Jacksonville, IL (Ideals, Friday 10:00 am); Sharon Phillips, Maywood, MO (Laity, Friday 1:30 pm); Joan Haubrich, Quincy (Action, Saturday 3:00 pm); Terri Fessler, Quincy (Leaders, Saturday 7:00 pm); Brenda Berry, Monroe City, MO (CCIA, Sunday, 11:30 am).

Auxiliaries: Kristin Liesen, Sue Schreacke, Rose Keller, Angela Lepper, Cindy Cramer, Bernice Neisen, all from Quincy; Mary Kay Shupe, Warsaw, IL; Cris Brannan, Carrollton, IL; and Kim Gronewold, Clayton, IL.

Service Team: Darlene Boland, Troy, MO; Jana Casper, LaGrange, MO; Ellie Couch, Stoutsville, MO; Stacey Eilerman, Carrollton, IL; and Michelle May, Jacksonville, IL; **Food Service:** Laurie Brink, Quincy and Kathy Himmel, Moscow Mills, MO.

Musicians: Renae Jansen, Quincy and Cathleen Koch, Mt. Sterling, IL. **Sacristan:** Judy Harmon, Roodhouse, IL; **Board Rep:** Billie Huebotter, Lewistown, MO. **Observing Rectora:** Kathleen Xamis, Quincy and **Rectora:** Kathy Liesen, Quincy (Group Reunion And Ultreya, Sunday 12:25 pm).

Thank you for all of your prayers and palanca. Please join us for our Buddy Mass on Sunday, February 21, at 2:00 pm at Blessed Sacrament Church, 7th and Adams, Quincy, IL, with a carry in to follow in the school cafeteria.

Please sign up for prayer time in the Palanca Chapel. Call Mike and Sue Holbrook at 217-223-6676. If you are able to serve meals, please call Laurie Brink (217-222-6223) or Kathy Himmel (636-366-4461). Also, please join us at the closing Mass on Sunday to welcome the new candidates.

Kathy Liesen,
Rectora #268

Updating Your Team Application

If you have had a change in your telephone number since the last time you were on a team, please contact Dennis and Connie Hoyt, our Team Application Coordinators, and let them know your new contact information. They can be reached at 217-224-2322 or email them at choyt@comcast.net. If you no longer wish to be called for a team, also please contact them to ask that your application be removed.

It is quite a challenge to keep our application database up-to-date so if you want to be called to be on a team, you need to keep us informed of how to reach you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

BUDDY MASS

Women's Cursillo #268
February 21, 2010 at 2:00 pm
Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy, IL
Carry in dinner following Mass

Men's Cursillo #269
March 21, 2010 at 2:00 pm
St. Francis Church, Quincy, IL
Carry-in dinner following Mass

WOMEN'S CURSILLO #268

February 25 (Thursday)
7:30 p.m. Registration
8:30 p.m. Sponsors Hour
February 27 (Saturday)
8:00 p.m. Liturgy and Apostolic Hour
February 28 (Sunday)
5:00 p.m. Closing and Liturgy

FOURTH DAY RENEWAL

February 19-20, 2010
Patty Marshall, Director
Applications are available on back page
of this newsletter or on our website:
www.quincycursillo.com

ULTREYAS

Jacksonville Area Ultreya
Saturday, March 6, 2010
Our Saviour Parish Admin Bldg.
Follows the 5:30 pm Mass

Collinsville Area Ultreya
Saturday, March 6, 2010
Sts Peter and Paul Parish Morris Hall
Follows the 4:30 pm Mass

Lincoln County Ultreya
Saturday, March 6, 2010
Sacred Heart Parish, Troy, MO
Follows the 5:00 pm Mass

Quincy Area Ultreya
Tuesday, March 9th, 2010 at 7:00 pm
Tuesday Club Room, St. Francis School

Montgomery County Ultreya
Saturday, March 13
Join us at the regular 6:30 pm
St. Joseph Parish Mass in Martinsburg
with Ultreya following at the school.

Fourth Day Renewal Feb. 19-20, 2010

The Fourth Day Renewal weekend is a 24-hour experience of personal growth designed for those who have previously made a Cursillo weekend. It is a relaxed, co-ed experience offering an opportunity to renew and develop your spirituality and commitment to living the Christian life. To learn more about this renewal, review the information on our website or call Vernon Korte at 573-324-3611

When: Fri. Feb. 19th starting at 7:00 p.m. through
Sat. Feb. 20th 7:30 p.m.

Where: Retreat Center, Quincy

Director: Patty Marshall

Total cost is \$45 with a \$10 deposit
Payable to Quincy Cursillo

Send application (available on back of this newsletter or
on our website www.quincycursillo.com)
and deposit to:

Dennis & Pat Holbrook
Reservation Coordinators

4025 Holiday, Quincy, IL 62301

Call 217-224-3898 for questions about applications

Is It Time for a Tune-Up for Your Soul?

Our cars do a lot of work for us and we don't truly appreciate them until they breakdown or get damaged when we need them the most. They get dents in them, or sometimes endure major crashes, and we have to take them into a body shop to get them repaired. If we don't, what can start out as a small dent can turn into a steadily growing rust spot. If we let that rust spot get big enough, it can rust a hole through the metal.

So just as our cars need to be looked after, so do our souls. With a strong faith in God, we can endure the minor "dents" that occur in our life. But sometimes those minor dents or major crashes add up to become one messy-looking soul. Those dents in our soul need to be repaired just like those dents in our car so that the rust doesn't eat away at our faith in God.

Is it time to take your soul in for a tune-up at a Fourth Day Renewal? Just 24-hours on February 19-20th could help your soul avoid rust spots.

Remember the "Gift of Cursillo"

A "Gift of Cursillo" can provide an option for candidates that otherwise may not be able to attend Cursillo. A candidate or sponsor can request this "gift" of \$50 by writing on the application that they need financial assistance or contact Sheldon & Teresa Robinson at 217-228-2201.

If you would like to contribute to the Gift of Cursillo fund, please send a check made payable to Quincy Cursillo to Marcia Steinkamp, 2250 College, Quincy, IL 62301.

Cursillo #267



Front row, left to right: B.J. Menne, Tony Moore, Dennis Holbrook, Adam Blaue, Chris Lorton, Fr. Ed Doyle, Stan Pollman, Mike Holbrook, Andrew Veile, Ed Peters, Greg Wittland. **Second row:** Tony Trautman, Raymond Sievers, Jim Nevins, David Tramel, Gary Garufi, Charles Travers, Jim Stephens, Paul Wilson, Mark Lagemann, Kevin Ostermiller, Francis Marlin, Mark Biggs, Todd Platt. **Third row:** Les Kelch, Herb Schwartz, Shane Hippias, Gregorio Bustos, Jerry Lauber, Joe Kaufmann, Andy Deters, Michael Wienhoff, Ryan Kent, Vernon Rakers, Bob Street, Travis Magruder, David Westhoff, Jerry Wellman. **Fourth row:** Joe Siefkas, Steve Jansen, Bob Cope, Mike Cobb, Gary Noel, Mike Wickens, Jeff Fennewald, Bob Perry, Denny Schumacher, Roger Foster, Jesse Kuntz, Scott Kuntz. **Fifth row:** Pete Hubbard, David Warren, Derek Burns, Dustin Pranger, Ron Edinger, John Mueller, Kevin Cobb, Chris Reigel, Bill Peasel, Dan Hussey, Paul Wykowski, Roger Hagen, DeWayne Hargrave.

New Assistant Lay Director Announced

The Cursillo family has been blessed to have Dennis Steinkamp as the Assistant Lay Director for the past five years through the terms of Lay Directors Jim Nevins, Tom Deters, and myself. He has done a lot of behind the scenes work that few have had the knowledge to observe. I would like the family to tell him thanks when you have the opportunity.

David Dodd has stepped up and committed himself to help me for the rest of my term as Lay Director. Please give him all the support you can so he knows that he is being held up in prayer.

Thank you Dennis and David for the gift of service to the Cursillo family!

John Runge

Quincy Cursillo Lay Director

Volunteers Needed for Name Tag Committee

We are in need of volunteers to take over the responsibilities of ordering and distributing name tags. Cursillo's faithful servants, Carl and Joan Varadin from Hannibal, had been handling these duties for many, many years; Carl passed away recently and Joan would like to pass this task on to others.

Responsibilities include being at each Saturday evening Mass and if we have enough volunteers, we may have the name tag table set up on Sunday as well. This would be a great ministry for a group reunion so that duties could be shared.

Please contact John Runge at 319-524-1009 or jreushus@msn.com to volunteer.

"Our Fourth Day" Booklet Available for Purchase

Would you like to know more about the Cursillo movement, recap the weekend, living your Fourth Day, the purpose and history? A 70-page booklet "Our Fourth Day", published by the National Ultreya Publications, is available for purchase through our local Cursillo Board. The cost is \$5.00 plus \$1.75 for postage if mailed totaling \$6.75. Please send a check along with a note of request to:

Marcia Steinkamp, 2250 College Street, Quincy, IL 62301

The booklet will also be available for purchase on Sunday at the closing of each Cursillo weekend. Or if you would like to make arrangements to pick up the booklet from Marcia, contact her at 217-224-5665.

Cursillo Family Social Singles Meet Feb. 27th

We invite all single Cursillistas to join our Cursillo Social Singles. Our next gathering will be on Saturday evening of the Women's Cursillo weekend, February 27th at 5:30 at Sprouts Inn Restaurant on North 12th Street in Quincy. Just ask to be directed to the Cursillo Singles table when you arrive. We order off the menu and have plenty of time to visit prior to going to the 8 pm Cursillo Mass.

Please call Cindy Naber at 217-779-1138 for your reservation. We have all age groups and guys and gals represented so please come join in the fun and socializing! Don't let that fear of coming alone keep you from sharing this evening together.

Meal Servers for Cursillo #268

Men - if you would like to help serve meals for the February Women's Cursillo, please call the Food Service Team.

Call Laurie Brink 217-222-6223 or Kathy Himmel 636-366-4461.

Please remember that sponsors, spouses, siblings, parents, and children of candidates and team are asked NOT to serve. We all want participants to process the weekend without being reminded of "outside" concerns.

UPCOMING CURSILLO DATES

March 25-28, 2010 - Dennis Holbrook, Rector

April 22-25, 2010 - Kathy Xamis, Rectora

June 24-27, 2010 - Jeff Steinkamp, Rector

July 22-25, 2010 - Rosemary Gilmore, Rectora

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEES

Next Board Meeting
February 18, 2010 at 7 p.m.
Retreat Center Conference Room

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**Fourth Day Renewal Weekend
Request for Reservation**

Application Date _____ Date of Fourth Day Renewal _____

Name _____ Adress: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Male: _____ Female: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: Month _____ Day: _____

Marital Status: Single _____ Married _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____ Widowed _____ No. of Children _____

Church: _____ Denomonation: _____

Are you on a special diet? _____ If so, what? _____

Please check: Deaf _____ Hearing Impaired _____

Do you have a health problem or physical disability that might affect your attendance at the Fourth Day Renewal weekend? _____ If so, please specify: _____

Cursillo number made: _____ Are you in a Group Reunion? _____ Do you attend Ultreya's? _____

Are you willing to make a Fourth Day Renewal weekend on short notice due to a cancellation? _____

If yes, how much time would you need? _____

State briefly why you wish to make a Fourth Day Renewal weekend and what you expect to gain from it.