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Cursillo Website

We are currently having some problems with the website. We are working on fixing those problems, and hope to have them resolved as soon as possible. Thank you for your patience.

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If you have any one you wish to remember or give thanks for, please contact Terry Mikkonen.

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Message from the Lay Director



From the Lay Director

As Brian and I have been touring around various Parishes talking about Cursillo I have been very heartened by the positive response and welcome we have been given. In all churches we have talked in people have been very interested.

We will be continuing our talks this fall and we will be at St Matthias on October 4th and at St Mary's Metchosin on November 22nd. Please remember us in your prayers for those dates. If your churches would like us to schedule a talk please contact us and, if invited by your priest, we would be happy to attend your services to promote Cursillo.

Jean McKay

New Secretariat



We are delighted to have a wonderful new Secretariat helping in this ministry and we want to introduce you to them so you will know who to contact if you have questions:

Cursillo Director. Brian Rowbottom: Contact Brian for all parish talks, visits and questions on Cursillo promotions and material. mcrowbottom@shaw.ca

Pre Cursillo Director. Kathy Fitzsimmons . Contact Kathy with any questions about candidates, sponsorships, or applications . katefitz@telus.net

Post Cursillo Director. Daryth Patten. Contact Daryth for all questions about Ultreya's, 4th day events and parish reps. darythp@shaw.ca

Communications Director. Terry Mikkonen , with help from Merville Hall and David Trottier. Contact Terry about all matters concerning the data base, contact addresses, web site and Canta. tmikkonen@bc.anglican.ca or for prayer requests please email Melville on merville@telus.net

Palanca Director. Ann Avery. Contact Ann about palanca requests.

Supplies Directors; Paul Blais and Neil Mikkonen. Contact Neil at tmikkonen@bc.anglican.ca about any supplies issues for weekends.

Treasurer: Doug Bradshaw Contact Doug for anything concerning money, invoices to be paid, tax receipts and of course donations, team fees and candidate fees. dbrad@telus.net

Secretary. Jane Fowler. Jane is your contact for all Secretariat issues, meetings and records. janeyf@shaw.ca

And of course you can always contact Jean at mcrowbottom@shaw.ca about any Cursillo issues.

Please add all these fantastic people to your prayer lists.



2010 weekends

As we start a new year we are happy to have David Soy and Carolyn Gunstone as our Rector and Rectora for 2010. The men's weekend is to be on April 29th to May 2nd, 2010 at St. Phillips by the Sea in Lantzville, and the women's weekend on May 13th to 16th, 2010 at St. Andrews Anglican Church in Sidney, B.C. Please pray for both David and Carolyn and for all their team as they prepare for the weekend.

Carolyn's theme is from Psalm 62 verses 1&2

God the one and only
I'll wait as long as he says.
Everything I need comes from him, so why not
He's solid rock under my feet,
breathing room for my soul.
An impregnable castle;
I'm set for life.

Imagine yourself walking on a beach listening for God. You walk and wait for as long as it takes. If you take the time to listen then you will know He is all around and will keep you grounded and fill your soul. He is all you need.

David has chosen his theme from I Peter 4: 10-11

"Service". We are all called to be servants of God to His people, each in our own way based on our special gifts and talents He has given us, and we are giving gifts to Him and His people in return.

I am sure these will be wonderful Spirit filled weekends and as space will be limited for each weekend this is the time to start praying about possible candidates. Applications will be available soon as in order to ensure a place please do not delay in getting the applications in.



Upcoming Events

Mid Island Ultreya: St Pauls Nanaimo Friday, October 16th, 2009.

Fellowship: 6:00 p.m. Pot-bless: 6:30 p.m. Hosted by: St. John's Ladysmith

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