

## TC-Cursillo Volunteers Needed

### 1. Webmaster and *Kindling* editor

After two years, your *Kindling* Editor and webmaster, it is time for me to step down and give one of you the golden opportunity to be the *Kindling* Editor and website webmaster. Start: Dec 2003 or TBD.

Time commitment: *Kindling* Editor: 5-7 hours/month.

Webmaster: 3-5 hours/month. Please contact Jim Harasyn at 763.425.7979 or [kindling@tc-cursillo.org](mailto:kindling@tc-cursillo.org).

**Please Note:** We are considering splitting this into 2-3 positions to make the volunteer hours more manageable.

### 2. Wanted: The Team Folder "Maintenance Technician"

I am looking to retire as the person who takes care of the team folders. I need someone (or couple) to take over the maintenance of the pouches between weekends. Duties include arranging for delivery of the team folders to each new Cursillo team (Proctor) before the team meetings start. As the weekend progresses, the Proctor collects all the folders to have them ready for pickup before Closures. This would give you an additional excuse to attend Closures! It isn't a hard job at all, but it is a rewarding and necessary behind-the-scenes service to the Twin Cities Cursillo movement. Time commitment: 3 hours during months that have weekends. Call Steve Williams at 763-494-4821 for more details. Thanks in advance.

4. **Help Wanted:** Would you like to be part of Secretariat and get more involved in the movement. Talk to any of the Secretariat members or contact your Ultreya Rep.

### 5. Witness presenters at Ultreya's

It is definitely OK for you to send in an article for publishing in the *Kindling*

## Lost and Found department

1. This is your last chance:

At the last Evening of Renew, there was an electric frying pan and a green bath towel left behind. Please contact Patti Cicchese at [Pacicchese@hotmail.com](mailto:Pacicchese@hotmail.com) or call her at 651-774-0903.

2. Clothes lost and found after weekend 249 & 250. One pair of size 12 jeans from Lands End. One extra large black jacket by Field Gear. Please call Elise Harasyn at 763.425.7979.

## Ultreya Changes

### Western Ultreya Changes

Western Ultreya has changed to St. Hubert's. All future 2003 dates will be the 2nd Sunday at St. Hubert's. Please refer questions to Vera Gunelson.

### Midwest Ultreya

The Midwest Ultreya has been reopened with John and Mary Jelinek as reps. It meets at St. Joseph's in Hopkins at 7:00 PM on the second Saturday of the month. Contact John or Mary at 952.935.2630

Then Jesus said to his disciples: "Have faith in God. I assure you that you can say to this mountain, 'May God lift you up and throw you into the sea,' and your command will be obeyed. All that is required is that you really believe and do not doubt in your heart. Listen to me! You can pray for anything, and if you believe, you will have it. But when you are praying, first forgive anyone you are holding a grudge against, so that your Father in heaven will forgive your sins too"

Mark 11:22-25



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## LAY DIRECTORS' LINK

**Romans 8:28** We know that in all things God works for good with those who love him, those whom he has called according to his purpose.

If God's goal is the salvation of the world, then our goal should be the same. In Max Lucado's book *Just like Jesus* he writes that we are Christ's representatives. God uses us to persuade men and women. The details will differ from person to person, but the big picture is identical for all of us.



Max goes on to say "Regardless of what you don't know about your future, one thing is certain; you are intended to contribute to the good plan of God, to tell others about the God who loves them and longs to bring them home".

Where do we tell others about God? In our environments - home, work as well as other environments such as where we live in our neighborhood and where we play in our leisure time. We heard on our weekend that in Cursillo our first mission is our own home and family. In our work environment Max says "Work as if you are working for the Lord, not for people".

We have four weekends coming up this fall - we should start selecting candidates in our environments to make one of these weekends. Choose individuals whom you feel are mature and will be open to grouping and going to Ultreyas. The more we prepare and orient them, the better chance they will have in making a good Cursillo weekend.

We are so thankful for the turn out we had for the "Cursillo Family Picnic" we had in June at Cleary Lake Park. We raised over \$1000 and had a profit of over \$500 after expenses. Mary Petros and Jean were so excited about the success of the event they have volunteered to coordinate the picnic next year. Many folks said it was a great facility for families and it was so great to see all the children that enjoyed all the fun.

By the time you receive this *Kindling* the Newinski's and Burn's will have returned from the National Encounter in Ohio, watch for next month's newsletter for a report on the trip.

Have a joyful life, we pray for you, please pray for us.....

Gene & Jean

### Inside This *Kindling*

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### SCHOOL OF LEADERS

**When:** First Tuesday of the month.  
5 August, 7:00 PM  
**Where:** Library, Benilde-St. Margaret

#### ***This month's highlights:***

1. We will meet on 5 August.
2. Marty Shallbetter will talk about "Leading from within"
3. Working Group meets 12 August.

As always, you are invited and encouraged to come and join your fellow cursillistas at the School of Leaders.

Continue to learn more about Cursillo and to be a part of setting its direction in the Twin Cities. You are also invited to come the Working Group meeting on the 2nd Tuesday, August 12, at 7:30 PM in the Debate room at Benilde-St Margaret.

There was no School of Leaders in July so there are no talk highlights or minutes. However, attend this month's session and you can help create the next set of minutes.

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Don't forget to visit the Cursillo web site for additional Cursillo information.

### A Soul's Longing

(The following poem was submitted by Carolyn B. Roberts, who made Cursillo Weekend #128.)

My dear Lord and Savior, my very life and breath,  
How can I learn to share You, with all the rest?

With those unable to find You, or have forgotten you exist,  
Or those who, for whatever reason, rebel, fight, and resist?

Or with those searching for peace, and for answers in their life,  
And those who live only for work, money and success, without thought of growing family strife?

How can I share my faith, and how important You are to me?  
It's hard to hold You inside, until at church I will be.

How can I live you in the day-to-day, when at work or family I attend?  
So others can experience Your existence, through the examples I send.

Or feel Your peace and presence, which through me dwells inside?  
Especially through Your gift of Eucharist, where in my heart You lovingly reside.

Oh, Lord, hear my prayer, and show me the way,  
To be your loving apostle, as I awaken every day.

Place others along my path, to help and guide my direction,  
That furthers my growth in You, true to our faith with proper correction.

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Help me open the doors, which You so patiently knock on,  
So I can see the child, that you want me to become.

And give me the strength and courage, to respond to Your call,  
So I become a living instrument, helping You minister to all.

I need never speak, but live a life worthy of You,  
And Your graces and blessings will alight on all You choose.

**Carolyn D. Roberts**

From the October 2001 *Kindling*.



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

#### CURSILLO WEEKENDS 251 AND 252

ST. MICHAEL IN STILLWATER

MEN'S, SEPT. 11-14, 2003

COORDINATOR: PAUL JOYCE

WOMEN'S, SEPT. 18-21, 2003

COORDINATOR: BARB ZACHMAN

(YOU MUST HAVE MADE WEEKEND 247/248 OR EARLIER AND BE GROUPING AND ATTENDING ULTREYA TO BE ELIGIBLE TO WORK.)

#### FUTURE WEEKENDS THAT ARE BEING PLANNED:

253	ST. JOSEPH IN HOPKINS	11/13/2003
254	ST. JOSEPH IN HOPKINS	11/20/2003
255	ST. HUBERT IN CHANHASSEN	02/12/2004
256	ST. HUBERT IN CHANHASSEN	02/19/2004
257	ST. JOHN'S IN SAVAGE	04/22/2004
258	ST. JOHN'S IN SAVAGE	04/29/2004

Jesus invites you to consider working one of these weekends. We are His hands and feet. Team applications are available at Ultreyas, and on our web site. They should be filled-out and given to your Ultreya Representatives immediately. Applications are kept on file for one year from date of submittal and approval.

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*Kindling* editor

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TO HEAVEN FOR:

ARCHBISHOP JOHN ROACH

Remember Archbishop  
John Roach in your  
prayers. He had always  
been a strong supporter  
of Cursillo.



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Return applications to your Ultreya Rep.		
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### Schedule for upcoming School of Leaders meetings

<b>Date</b>	<b>Featured Ultreya</b>	<b>Discussion Topic</b>
08/05/03	Northwest	Leading from within - Father Marty Shallbetter
09/02/03*	Northern Lakes	Witness talk on May weekend - team member
10/07/03	Highland Park	<i>Leaders' Manual</i> Chapters 12/13, "Palanca Understanding the Conversion Process" - Dick Clark
11/04/03	Jacob's Well	Reflections on the Mass - Father Bill Martin
12/02/03*	MN Valley	Cursillo Section on areas of concern
01/06/04	North Mpls	Vision of Lay Directors - Denny and Shari Newinski

\* Commissioning held this evening

### Ultreyas Dates and meeting times for this August

<b>Ultreya</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>
Deaf Community	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	17	11:00 am
Highland Park	St. Gregory the Gret	9	7:00 pm
Jacob's Well	Holy Name	16	7:00 pm
Korean	Korean Catholic Church, SP		2:30 pm
Midwest	St Joseph's, Hopkins	8	7:00 pm
MN Valley	Risen Savior	16	7:00 pm
North Minneapolis	St. William	1	7:30 pm
Northeast	St. Peter	1	6:30 pm
Northern Lakes	St. Joseph	3	7:00 pm
Northwest	St. Henry	9	7:30 pm
Restful Waters	St. Dominic	8	7:30 pm
Spanish-Speaking		9	7:00 pm
Even months are at Our Lady of Guadalupe Odd months are at St. Stephen's			
St. Cloud	St. Benedict	7	7:00 pm
St. Paul Midway	St. Mark	9	8:00 am
SW Servants	St. Michael Prior Lake	16	7:00 pm
Vietnamese Community	"St. Joseph Hein	24	1:30:am
Western	St. Hubert's Chanhassen	10	7:00 pm*

\* Rosay at 6:30 pm

### **Weekly Open Groups:**

Northwest, St. Henry's, Monticello, Tues.	6:00 pm
Spanish Speaking, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Sat.	9:00 am

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### Ultreya Calender

With this months issue, I have switched the Ultreya calender to a different format. The Ultreya groups are now shown in alphabetical order, followed with the day of the month and the time. I have had a number of people contact me and question why the Ultreyas were in the order that they were. Originally they were in an order that represented the first second Third Friday, Saturday, or Sunday of the month. I need simple rules to keep the web and the *Kindling* in sync.

The *Kindling* editor