

Evansville Diocese Cursillo Newsletter

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Go 4th!

**“Jesus, the Way,
the Truth and the
Light”**

Feb 2019

School of Leaders: DE COLORES!

“We are called to be leaders!” This is a calling that comes from our amazing Cursillo week-end. Stretching our leadership skills can provide some of the most rewarding adventures that life has to offer. Foster your call to be a leader in the Cursillo Movement by coming to the School of Leaders meeting on the second Tuesday of every month from 7:00-8:30pm at Holy Spirit. Join us early at 6:40 for a Palanca rosary if you can. Also, there is an additional School of Leaders meeting held in Jasper on the last Tuesday of the odd months....Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, and Nov. These meetings will be held at St Joseph Church in Jasper...in the Kundek Hall – Room 301. This gives everyone in the northern part of the diocese a chance to come to the meetings. School of Leaders is open to EVERYONE in the 4th Day. Whether you just made your weekend or you’ve been a Cursillista for years, please join us for the next School of Leaders meeting in Evansville, in Jasper.....or BOTH!

If you’d like more information on how to get involved with School of Leaders, contact me at evvschoolofleaders@gmail.com or call 812-760-0190.

May God bless you! *Your Brother in Christ, Jim Mattingly*

PreCursillo

This time of year is one of our favorites. Looking forward to the end of the dreariness of winter and the new beginnings that spring has to offer. Prayerfully consider being the one that helps another see the new beginnings that a Cursillo can bring them. We are here to help you make that happen. Please peruse our website for an updated application and other resources to help you as a sponsor. We can be contacted at anytime via email through the website link to answer questions or give direction on the ins and outs of sponsoring.

In Service to Christ, Michele and Dan Donovan

What can you do at evansvillecursillo.com?

- Find the Ultreya schedule and speakers for each month under the “Ultreya” tab.
- Sign up as Kitchen Angels or to serve meals at Cursillo weekends. Click on the “Cursillo Weekend” tab then “Serve a meal.” Please sign up for only one meal, please.
- Sign up to pray at a Palanca Chapel during the Cursillo weekends. Click on the “Cursillo Weekend” tab then “Palanca Chapel.” If you find all the slots are taken, you are still welcome to attend any of the Chapel times listed.
- Check out the Cursillo teams and the schedule for the upcoming weekends.
- Download applications at www.evansvillecursillo.com/copy-of-weekend-applications

From the Lay Director

Thank You and Onward

Decolores. It is with an extremely grateful heart that all on the Secretariat express our thanks to all who contributed financially during the latest Giving Tuesday campaign. Financially we are now on stable ground and can move forward with the work of bringing the method of Cursillo to the Diocese of Evansville. The Finance Committee of the Secretariat has purposed a three-part plan for the financial direction of the Cursillo Movement. The first part was to raise funds immediately to secure the movement financially. This was accomplished. The next 2 phases are to start a scholarship fund for those who can not pay the fee for the weekend and to build up the endowment to a level that will cover the annual fixed expenses. Prior to my time on Secretariat I was not aware that Cursillo had an endowment. Contributions to the endowment result in an annual disbursement that can be used to fund the movement. We are taking donations to either the Scholarship Fund or the Endowment. Any questions can be directed to me (laydirector@evansvillecursillo.com) or Treasure Rodney Baehl (treasurer@evansvillecursillo.com). Please consider making the Evansville Cursillo Movement part of your annual tithing plan.

We have much work to do for our Lord. We all understand the impact that Cursillo can make on an individual and their family. Continue your work of evangelization. Stay faithful to group reunion and Ultreya. Be a witness in the world of the Joy of living as a faithful Catholic. Jesus calls us to transform the world for Him. We can accomplish this mission one soul at a time. God bless each of you and your families.

Pete Barry, Lay Director.



Cursillos de Cristiandad

Cursillo de Hombres # 3

Junio 27-30, 2019

Coordinator: Daniel Zuniga

Cursillo de Mujeres # 3

Coordinator: Nancy Londono

Julio 11-14 2019

Descargar Planilla de Inscripción

www.evansvillecursillo.com/copy-of-weekend-applications



Men's Cursillo 91 Schedule (all times Evansville time)

Saturday Feb 9 - Talk Support Day at St Wendel Parish 8 am CST (Mass at 7 am CST)
Wednesday Feb 20 - Set up, 6:30 pm CST, Sarto Retreat House
Thursday Feb 21 - Candidates arrive 6:30 to 7:00 CST pm, Sarto Retreat House
Thursday Feb 21 - Sponsor Crucifix Dedication, 7:00 pm CST, Sarto Chapel
Saturday, Feb 23 - Mass/Candlelight, 8:00 pm CST, Celebration Hall, proceed to Chapel for
 Candlelight at 9:00 pm CST
Sunday Feb 24—Closing, 5:40 pm CST, Celebration Hall. - arrive by 5:20 pm CST

Women's Cursillo 96 Schedule (all times Evansville time)

Saturday Mar 9 - Talk Support Day at St Francis Xavier Parish (10 N St Francis St, Poseyville)
 8 am CST (Mass at 7:30 am CST)
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Cursillo Teams	Men's 91		Women's 96	
Head Spiritual Director	Fr Claude (Dusty)	Burns	Fr Joseph	Ziliak
Spiritual Director	Fr Gordon	Mann	Fr Kenneth	Betz
Spiritual Director	Deacon Charlie	Koressell	Deacon Mike	Seibert
Coordinator	Allen	Koester	Linda	Blankenberger
Assistant Coordinator	Scott	Burgess	Imogene	Baehl
Head Steward	Al	Debes	Jalane	Weber
Assistant Steward	Mike	Ketzner	Karen	Pund
Assistant Steward	Rodney	Baehl	Zelda	Koester
Head Song Leader	Brian	Ketzner	Christina	Kelley
Assistant Song Leader	Andy	Morris	Annalee	Wilson
Head Kitchen Staff	Bill	Groves	Terri	Kiesel
Kitchen Staff	Edwin	Koester	Anna	Butler
Kitchen Staff	Wayne	Turner	Tonya	Puckett
Kitchen Staff	Kelly	Weiss	Theresa	Davies
Kitchen Staff	Victor	Cruz	Gina	Videa
Ideal	Mike	Rennie	Tammy	Spindler
The Layperson in the Church	Daniel	Zuniga	Theresa	Betz
Piety	Steve	Cassidy	Shelley	Weiss
Study	Stan	Epple	Mary	Seibert
Action	Tom	Blythe	Stephanie	Hinton-Kaho
Leaders	Jeff	Cox	Clare	Hassler
Study of the Environment	Daniel	Barnes	Marianne	Webster
Christianity in Action	Jeff	Ziliak	Jenny	Barry

Evansville 3 Day

We would like to begin with a huge thanks to Bob and Cindy Smith for their help in getting us prepared for the job of the 3 Day position. We, and I speak for all Cursillo want to thank Bob and Cindy for their hard work and dedication to the Cursillo Movement. THANKS Bob and Cindy for everything!!!

As for Ruth and myself as we begin the work of 3Day we come to realize all the little things that need to be

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Women's Cursillo #96
March 21-24, 2019
"Be Still and Know That I AM God"

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Women's Cursillo Team #96 began formations the first week in February. Again, the Holy Spirit has guided another group of gifted and faith-filled women and spiritual directors to answer the call to serve on a team. What an amazing Lord we have! We have several women working their first team and so on fire for the Holy Spirit! We are ready and willing to send the candidates on a life changing journey to help them find or strengthen their way to Jesus Christ.

We need your help to do this, by your prayer and Palanca. You may send team Palanca to me at 7601 Corbett Rd., Poseyville, IN 47633 or email to lblank@sit-co.net. All palanca may be dropped off during the weekend in the Sarto kitchen until 12:00 noon on Sunday March 24th.

Please join us for Talk Support Day on Saturday March 9th from 8:00-12:00 noon (CST) at St Francis Xavier (10 N. Saint Francis St, Poseyville). Mass will be at 7:30 AM. This offers you a chance to hear the talks as well as support the speakers with your presence. On Saturday March 23rd Mass and Candlelight will be at 8:00 PM(CST)in Celebration Hall. The Closing will be Sunday March 24th at 5:40 PM (CST) in Celebration Hall. Please arrive by 5:20 PM (CST).

If you would like to serve a meal or help as a Kitchen Angel, contact Dawn Durcholz at 812-457-7899 (call or text) or sign up on the website www.evansvillecursillo.com. If you would like to provide snacks or desserts for the weekend, contact Head Kitchen staff, Terri Kiesel at 812-455-1314 or email tlkiesel@redspot.com.

Please keep the prayers coming! We feel them and need them!!

Linda Blankenberger, Women's Team #96 Coordinator

Men's Cursillo #91
"Jesus, The Way, the Truth, and the Light"
Feb 21-24, 2019

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Through many hours of listening and discernment, I have been honored, blessed and humbled as the Holy Spirit provided the team of men for Cursillo 91. He nudged me to some men I didn't even know to create this team. He has assembled group of humble servants to lead the candidates to his kingdom. Men's team 91 started formation on January 6, and the team is forming bonds and coming together as His team.

All of you know how important Palanca was for your own weekend. Please raise up the team and candidates in prayer and offer Palanca for the success of the weekend. Team Palanca can be mailed to Allen Koester, 7323 Weiss Rd, Evansville, IN 47720, or emailed to allen.koester@sit-co.net.

Palanca can be delivered to the Sarto Kitchen throughout the weekend. I encourage all to support the team by joining us at Talk Support on Saturday February 9th at St Wendel Parish at 8 am CT – 12 pm CT. Mass for all the 4th Day will be at 7 am CT. Join the 4th day community for Mass and Candlelight at 8 pm CT on February 23, in Celebration Hall. Closing ceremony will be in the Celebration Hall at 5:20 pm CT on February 24th. If interested in serving a meal or helping as a kitchen angel, sign up on the WEB site <https://www.evansvillecursillo.com/serve-a-meal-1> or contact Linda Ketzner at (812) 760-4658 (call or text). If you would like to provide snacks or desserts for the weekend, contact Head Kitchen Bill Groves at 812-499-3255.

God Bless, Allen Koester, Men's #91 Coordinator

4th Day Post Cursillo

DeColores! Is the cold weather getting you down? Are you sad that the football season is over and you can't yet work outside or get onto the golf course? Why not use this time to participate in a few extra upcoming Cursillo events! The events occur in warm places and participating in them will also kindle the fire in your heart!

WEBSITE: The evansvillecursillo.com website lists all upcoming events, such as Ultreyas, weekend information, and Palanca Chapel times.

BE A SPONSOR AND BRING A FRIEND TO CHRIST!

Remember that feeling you had after the closing of your Cursillo weekend? Consider inviting someone to a Cursillo weekend! One of our 4th Day Brothers who sponsors a candidate nearly every weekend has an insightful expression. He says "While not all of the people we invite to a Cursillo weekend will come, 100% of the ones we don't ask will **not** come."

CALLING ALL GROUPS & GROUPIES:

Grouping is the life line in the life of a Cursillista and we would love to have information about our groups in the Evansville Diocese. Please email us at post-cursillo@evansvillecursillo.com with the day and time of your Group meeting, contact information and status of Group (open with room for new members or currently closed because it is full.) If you are looking for a group, please contact Linda Ketzner at (812) 760-4658.

SPRING REUNION - Jasper on April 13th. Mark your Calendars!!

REMEMBER 4TH DAY.... Christ is counting on us to study His word, model His life, and seek holiness so all will know the Kingdom of God. You are a vital part of God's plan and called to sainthood, so go make a difference! We are looking forward in seeing you at all of our upcoming events. Please contact us with any questions or suggestions at post-cursillo@evansvillecursillo.com. *Mike & Linda Ketzner- 4th Day Post Cursillo Leaders*

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done to keep our weekends running as smooth as possible and we want to thank all those that work behind the scenes to help us and Cursillo. The Evansville Cursillo is very Blessed to have a strong and vibrant movement bringing others closer to Christ.

With all that said I would like to make a plea of sorts for needed help. I would ask if there is any one who would like to be part of a team or hopefully teams to come and help put our kitchen and dining room back in order after the Sunday lunch. We would like to have teams of 3 or 4 people, that way no one team has to be there putting things back together every weekend. For questions please contact us.

God is Good!!! Joe & Ruth Thompson, Cursillo 3 Day Chairpersons

Secretariat Members	
Spiritual Director	Fr. Benny Chacko
Lay Director	Pete Barry
Secretary	Steve Obert
Treasurer	Rodney Bachl
Pre-Cursillo	Dan & Michele Donovan
3-Day	Joe & Ruth Thompson
Post-Cursillo	Mike & Linda Ketzner
Palanca	Mike Rennie
Procurement	Elaine Morris
School of Leaders	Jim Mattingly
Spanish Cursillo	Alfonso & Daniela Vidal

Ultreya	Where	Day	Time (Local times)
Our Lady of Hope	Washington	1st Thursday	7:00 pm
St. Joseph	Jasper	2nd Monday	7:00 pm
Sts. Peter & Paul	Haubstadt	4th Monday	7:00 pm
St. Isadore (St. Celestine Campus)	Celestine	Last Tuesday	7:00 pm
St. John's	Newburgh	2nd Thursday	7:00 pm
Christ the King	Evansville	3rd Thursday	7:00 pm
St. Ferdinand	Ferdinand	3rd Thursday	7:30 pm
Resurrection	Evansville	Last Thursday	7:00 pm
St. John's	Daylight	1st Saturday	9:00 am

ADDRESS CHANGES

Please send all contact information updates (mailing address, phone number updates and e-mail changes) to post-cursillo@evansvillecursillo.com.

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<http://www.evansvillecursillo.com>
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