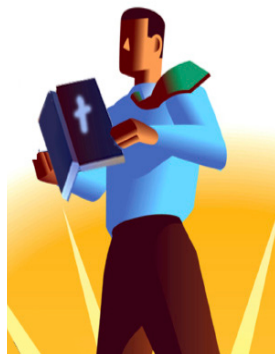


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SCHOOL OF LEADERS AGENDA

Overview 6:30 – 8:15 April 2021

Apr 14 Doctrinal Talk – The Call of the Whole Church to Holiness (Vat II)

Technique Talk – Chapter 8 Whom Shall I Send?

Discerning the Will of God

Scripture Readings: 2 Cor 3 : 1-6, Heb 8: 8-12 May 2021

May 12 Doctrinal Talk – The Role of the Blessed Virgin in the Mystery of Christ and the Church

Technique Talk – Chapter 9 Whom Shall I Send?

Discerning the Will of God

Scripture Readings: John 18: 33-37 and 18: 9-11, 1 Cor 1:18-25

June 9 Doctrinal Talk – The Church Today (Vat II)

Technique Talk – Chapter 10 Whom Shall I Send?

Discerning the Will of God

Scripture Readings: Lk 9: 23-27, 1 Tim 3: 1-13

Additional Information

Books can be ordered from National Cursillo, catalog #113

While this shows meeting through June of 2021, we of course hope that we can get together to share in our Schools ideas that come in an atmosphere of sharing and friendship.....Theresa Gorman



A Word From **Deacon** **Joe Mueller**

WHERE WERE YOU?

Where were you a year ago? Last year at this time many of us were unsure of what was going to happen as the Coronavirus began its spread throughout the country and the world. Many of us were locked down in our homes. Some of us may have been quarantined for days due to the virus.

Life changed over the months. Limited mobility to go out and shop. Restriction on visiting family and friends were in place. The biggest hardship of all was not being allowed to worship with our Church family and receive the Eucharist. One of the biggest tragedies of the shut-down was the inability to celebrate the Paschal Mystery of our Lord's Passion and Resurrection. How sad indeed that was!

This year during Lent, hope was restored for us. We knew that the sufferings of the pandemic could be a part of our Lenten penance. As restrictions were eased up, the hope of celebrating the Triduum and Easter were an event we could look forward to with joy filled hearts.

Ah! The glorious sounds and smells of commemorating Holy Thursday, Good Friday and finally the Easter Vigil. Yes, we still had to make adaptations for worship, but the gloriousness of those days was the joy of being in the midst of these celebrations of the prophecies given to us through the Word of God.

Alleluia! Jesus Christ has risen!

Weekends in 2021

**ALL WEEKENDS HAVE
BEEN
POSTPONED UNTIL THE
VIRUS
IS CANCELLED**

Mother Suzanne Guillemin D.C.

"The conversion of a soul is not a thing done once and for all – this conversion, our conversion, must take place daily. Every day we must direct our soul anew towards God and make it pass from the demands of nature to the call of grace."



Your Secretariat Needs You!

Many have asked when the next weekend will be – next Spring!

What can we do to help? – Make a friend. Be a friend. Bring a friend to Christ. AND if after praying you feel led, we have open positions on your Secretariat.

School of Leaders

Postcursillo -

North 3-Day – North

May your Easter be filled with blessings, peace and JOY!

*De Colores! Happy Easter! ...
Theresa Gorman*



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Skype and similar formats on the computer are being used to hold Ultreyas, School of Leaders and Group Reunions until the Covid 19 situation can be reassessed.



Welcome to the Region VII Roman Catholic Cursillo Website

The Region VII Catholic Cursillo Movement is made up of Roman Catholic Diocesan Cursillo Movements in Florida, Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina, North Carolina and Mississippi. Three different language Cursillo Communities are involved in regional activities. They include English, Spanish, and Vietnamese.

Service teams are provided by the region to conduct training sessions in each Diocese. Currently the region has 3 language group service teams covering the English, Spanish and Vietnamese language groups.

If you are a first time visitor and have never heard of the Cursillo movement before, an explanation of what Cursillo is can be found on the National website.

Spring Encounter Save the Date!

Our Virtual Spring Regional Encounter will take place on Saturday April 17, 2021, on Zoom, from 10:00 am EST (9:00 am CST) until 6:00 pm EST (5:00 pm CST). Join us for three rollos shared by clergy and laity and join in our virtual Ultreya! We would love to see everyone as we cannot meet in person at this time. Please share this information with all Cursillistas in your diocese. bob@bobspano.net Registration Form Spring 20

Cursillo de Cursillos (CDC)

Would you like to attend a Cursillo de Cursillos? They are scheduled periodically in the Region VII areas, and the next CDC date will be available soon.

Curious about the Cursillo de Cursillos? Here is more information.

All Lay Directors who have not made a CDC are invited to attend this very important step in your Cursillo journey.





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Thoughts

With covid19 and the lockdown we have been sealed from our faith and our friends. Our faith must continually be growing. We all go through periods where we become stagnant. If we don't fight through these times, we can start the rationalization process: We start to tell ourselves that everything is fine the way it is, my prayer life is fine, I don't need to start that new book, I'll wait to talk to my co-worker about Christ some other time. The Cursillo movement in our diocese is fine the way it is.

When we reach this point, our life in grace starts to die.

Life is a constant struggle; and so is our life in grace. Over the past four months I've really been contemplating this in my life and that of the Cursillo Movement. For some reason, I felt the Holy Spirit pointing me to concentrate on spiritual warfare. At our Saturday reunion group the same thoughts kept coming back. "How can we as Christians and the Cursillo movement in the Mobile diocese continue to persevere and grow?" Then one Saturday a member of the group read from

Ephesians Ch 6 verse 10 - 17. "Finally, draw your strength from the Lord and from His mighty power. Put on the armor of God so that you may be able to stand firm against the tactics of the devil. For your struggle is not with flesh and blood but with principalities....."

I couldn't help but think about that reading during the rest of Saturday. The armor of God is the sacraments, prayer, and sacrifice. Clothed with this armor we can do anything. It may be a little heavy at times, but once it's on, we can persevere and grow.

That naturally led me to think about the growth of this movement and the School Of Leaders. The only way Cursillo will continue to grow is with "The Armor of God". We must all pray and do palanca for the movement and the school. I continue to offer my weekly rosary for the Cursillo. I ask each of you to do the same, find some time to pray for Cursillo, offer some form of sacrifice for the school. If we can all do this, there is no telling where the Lord will lead us. God gave this gift to the Church at this time in history for a reason. Until this world starts returning to normal and we can physically do something we must be faithful! Sam.

