



The Abrazo

The newsletter of Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

Fall 2009

The Rest of the Story

Emerson Champion, Lay Director, Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

In the Summer *Abrazo*, I wrote about the struggles I was having with Commercial Truck Licensing school. At the time I wrote the article, I had not yet taken the MVA exam.

As it turns out, during the skills portion of the exam, I hit a cone. Oops. Test over. I paid my retest fee and got the next available test date — September 22nd at 10:00 a.m.

The student who tested in the afternoon that day passed his exam. While I am glad that he was able to make it through ok, it stung a little when I saw how happy he was. I thought to myself, “That could have been me!”

Because of changes to bring Maryland in line with federal guidelines, I needed to learn different skills. While similar to the previous skills, they weren’t the same. So it was back to the drawing board.

Now the problem was finding times to go to the CDL school that were convenient for me, my employer, and the school. Not an easy thing. I was able to get there a couple Saturdays in early August, along with 4 days just before my retest. Even then, it was a struggle. The school had a full load of students, along with a shortage of equipment and instructors, so I had to squeeze in where I could.

Throughout all of this, there was lots of prayer by me and others. I was struggling, and I knew that if I were to successfully pass the testing, God would have to be in the driver’s seat.

God, of course, did not let me down. But, He didn’t just “make it all go away.” No, God required something from me — trust, and utter dependence on Him.

On the morning of the test, I really felt God’s presence with me. But then, little things started happening. I didn’t get any final practice at the skills, because all our time was taken up finding a vehicle that would actually pass inspection. The third vehicle was good, and I started the drive to Frederick. I began to relax.

I had practiced the skills to the point where I could do them in my sleep. Yet, I had a lot of difficulty with the second maneuver. Even so, God kept me calm and focused, and I was able to move on to the road test.

My lack of practice “on the road” showed, and I had a very difficult time on the road test. When we got back to the MVA, I asked the examiner how I did. He added up the points, and said, “You passed!” I said, “I did?” I was, and still am, amazed. I thought that I had surely failed. But I passed. Thank you, God!

In the end, God answered my prayers, but not in the way I may have expected. He did not make it easy for me. But He was with me the entire time, and guided me to do what was needed to pass the test. I should not be surprised at this. God always gives us what we need, which often is not what we ask for. In this case, He gave me just enough skill to pass the test, along with just enough patience to persevere. Most importantly, He has called me into relationship with Him.

For that, I say, “Thanks Be To GOD!”



MARYLAND EPISCOPAL CURSILLO WEEKEND 98

Walk Humbly With God • November 5 - 8, 2009 • Bishop Claggett Center

Blessings from Cursillo Team MD 98.

The teaming process for MD 98 has been an amazing journey so far. A time that has been richly filled with the presence of the Holy Spirit and the sweet touch of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; we have been greatly blessed in our time together. We have become a family in Christ as we Humbly Walk with God. One in the Spirit as God equips and prepares us to welcome and embrace the remaining members of MD 98 - the candidates - on Thursday, November 5th at The Bishop Claggett Center. Upon their arrival, each dear person will be lovingly embraced as they join us in Walking Humbly with God during this fall weekend.

On behalf of MD 98, thank you for your prayers. We have felt covered by the prayers and held in the Palm of God's Hand. Your prayers are *the* most important palanca you can offer. We ask that you continue to pray daily and often during our team formation, throughout the weekend, and as we journey into the 4th day.

Palanca in several forms is appreciated: your prayers, personal notes to each person of MD 98, food palanca (especially water in *small* bottles and healthy snacks), and green palanca. I reflect back to my Cursillo weekend and fondly remember the special blessing of receiving notes of prayer from a community of brothers & sisters, many of whom I had never met.

MD 98 looks forward to seeing you on the other side of the porch for Mananitas on Sunday morning, November 8th at 6:45 a.m. and again that afternoon for Clausura at 3:45 p.m. to welcome and embrace the newest members of the MD Cursillo family as they begin their 4th day journeys.

May all we do now and throughout the weekend bring honor and glory to God.

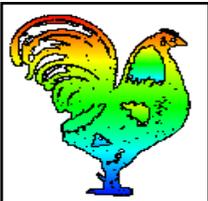
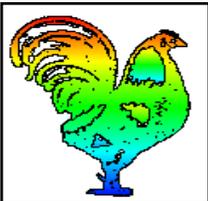
In Christ,
— Alex Dzbinski, Rector MD 98

TEAM MEMBER	PARISH	ROLE	ROLLO
<i>Pamela Blyth</i>	St. James', Lothian	CHA	Leaders
<i>Earl Buffaloe</i>	St. James', Lothian	CHA	
<i>Liz Brodell</i>	St. Mark's, Lappans	CHA	
<i>Ruth Anne Champion</i>	St. Thomas', Towson	Ass't Rector	Group Reunion
<i>Alex Dzbinski</i>	St. Thomas', Towson	Rector	Ultreya
<i>Becky Fisher</i>	Church of the Ascension, Westminster	Cha	Piety
<i>Greg Fraser</i>	St. Peter's, Ellicott City	Music Director	Action
<i>Leslie Fraser</i>	St. Peter's, Ellicott City	Table Leader	
<i>Carol Gooden</i>	Christ the King, Woodlawn	Table Leader	Christian Community in Action
<i>Nancy Horkan</i>	St. James', Lothian	CHA	
<i>The Rev. Shawn Hill</i>	St. Andrew's, Pasadena	Spiritual Advisor	Obstacles to a Life of Grace; Christian Love
<i>John Lyons</i>	St. Thomas', Towson	CHA	
<i>Beth Mitchell</i>	St. Mark's, Highland	Float	Ideal
<i>Dick Mitchell</i>	St. Mark's, Highland	Head Cha	
<i>Bruce Neumann</i>	St. John's, Hagerstown	Team CHA	
<i>The Rev. Loree Penner</i>	St. James', Monkton	Spiritual Advisor	Grace; Sacraments I
<i>David Richardson</i>	St. Andrew's, Pasadena	CHA	
<i>Laura Richardson</i>	St. Andrew's, Pasadena	Table Leader	Study
<i>Mary Beth Robinson</i>	St. Thomas', Towson	Agape & Tech CHA	Study & Evangelization of Environments
<i>Bernadette Roche</i>	Church of the Transfiguration, Braddock Heights	Ass't Music Director	
<i>The Rev. Barbara Sears</i>	St. George's, North Carroll	Spiritual Advisor	Faith; Sacraments II
<i>John Windsor</i>	St. Thomas', Towson	Table Leader	Laity

MARYLAND EPISCOPAL CURSILLO WEEKEND 98

THE CANDIDATES

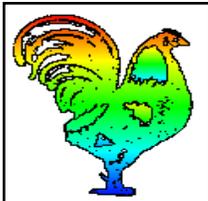
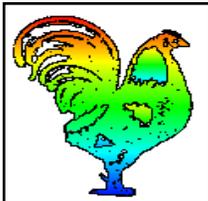
CANDIDATE	PARISH	SPONSOR(s)	SPONSOR'S PARISH
Clyde B.	St. Anne's, Annapolis	Betty Stuart McNulty & Bob Sherer	St. Anne's, Annapolis
Cathy B.	Church of the Messiah, Baltimore	Ruth Anthony	Church of the Messiah, Baltimore
Milt B.	Church of the Ascension, Westminster	The Rev. Ron & Becky Fisher	Church of the Ascension, Westminster
Barbara C.	Church of the Transfiguration, Braddock Heights	Flossie Rollhauser & Bernadette Roche	St. Andrew's, Pasadena, & Transfiguration, Braddock Heights
Grace C.	Cathedral of the Incarnation, Baltimore	Marjie Mack & Becky Fisher	St. James', Lothian, & Ascension, Westminster
Ms. Enid D.	Christ the King, Baltimore	Jackie Burdnell	Christ the King, Baltimore
Betty E.	Middleham & St. Peter's, Lusby	Russ & Martha Horton	Middleham & St. Peter's, Lusby
Linda J.	St. John's, Frostburg	The Rev. Ruth & Donald Goldbloom	St. John's, Frostburg
Edith J.	St. Mark's, Lappans	Dian Nelson	St. Mark's, Lappans
Kathy N.	St. James', Lothian	The Rev. Bill Ticknor	St. James', Lothian
Aricia S.-W.	St. Martin's-in-the-Field, Severna Park	Kathy Skidmore-Williams & Wadi Williams	St. Martin's-in-the-Field, Severna Park
Charles W.	St. James', Monkton	Steve Penner & Debbie Barton	St. James', Monkton
Betty W.	St. James', Monkton	Steve Penner & Debbie Barton	St. James', Monkton



The Collect for 4th Day Movements

O Gracious God, whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine, look with favor on all those gathering around the world in Cursillo, Happening, Chrysalis, Walk to Emmaus, Via de Cristo, Kairos, and other such movements. Grant both the leaders and candidates such wisdom, power, humility, and grace that day by day they would more nearly follow Your Way, more clearly see Your Truth, and more dearly love the Life You give through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Maryland Episcopal Cursillo Weekend 99

The MEC has called **Jim Stultz**, St. Thomas, Towson, as Rector for Weekend 99 to be held April 22 -25, 2010. If you are interested in being called to serve on the Weekend 99 Team and would like to learn more, please check out the information and team applications at www.cursillo.ang-md.org/teaminfo.htm And remember, is not too early to be thinking about Candidates for this weekend! Candidate applications can also be found on the website at www.cursillo.ang-md.org/pdf/CandidateApp.pdf DeColores!



**Talk to Jesus about your
Friend
Before you talk to your
Friend about Jesus**



4th Day Workshop • January 16, 2010 *A Day of Deeper Understanding*

The next 4th Day Workshop will be held on January, 16, 2010, from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm at St. James' Episcopal Church, Monkton. Registration will begin at 9:00 am.

All Cursillista's are invited to attend this meaningful program which will focus on how we can most effectively live out our 4th Day, especially in our secular environments. Remember, the Cursillo Weekend is only the beginning! Topics will address questions and issues such as:

- *I attended a Cursillo Weekend ... Now what?*
- *There was so much to absorb ... What is most important?*
- *Is Cursillo of real value in my spiritual life?*
- *How can I share the experience I had with others?*

Whether you're a brand new Cursillista or someone who made your weekend years ago, we hope you'll join us for this meaningful day of learning, reflection and celebration of God's presence in our daily lives!

You bring a bag lunch, we'll supply deserts and beverages. DeColores!



Prayer for the Gift of the Holy Spirit

*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts
of Your faithful and kindle in us
the fire of Your Love.*

*Send forth Your Spirit
and we shall be created, and
You shall renew the face of the earth.*

*O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit
did instruct the hearts of the faithful,*

*Grant that by the same Holy Spirit
We may be truly wise and ever
enjoy His consolations;*

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

The purpose of Cursillo is to help those in the Church understand their individual callings to be Christian leaders.

Thank You to Spiritual Advisor Becki Neumann+

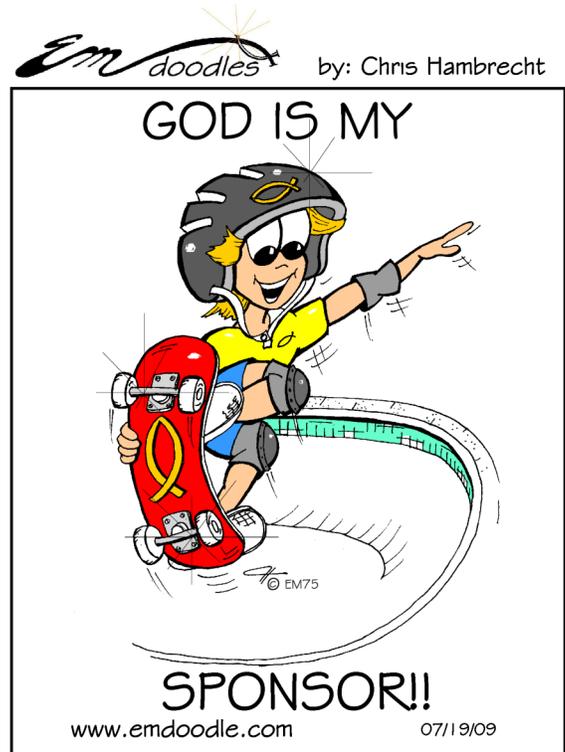
We had a nice turnout for the Annual Ultreya on Saturday, 10 Oct.

As her last priestly function as the Spiritual Advisor for MEC, Becki Neumann+ commissioned the team of Maryland 98 and celebrated Holy Eucharist.

For those who don't know, Becki+ has heeded God's call to a parish in Northern Virginia. We were able to send her out with prayers, well-wishes, and a laying-on of hands. Thank you, Becki+, for your love and obedience to Jesus, and your love for and service to this wonderful movement God has given us. You truly are Christ's Hands in Action! We love you — we'll miss you!

Sunday, Nov. 8 will find us @ the porch for Las Manañitas @ 6:45 a.m. and for Clausura that afternoon @ 3:45 p.m. Come out and support MD 98 and visit with some old friends as well! Till then ... Here's hoping your cup still runneth over ... Blessings! Your Bro,

— Tim Welden
MD 83, Joy Table



Stewardship Program Continues

Dick Mitchell, Treasurer, Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

Please continue to support the stewardship program of Maryland Episcopal Cursillo. The Secretariat asks each committed Cursillista to pledge \$100 per year – or such other amount as he or she is able – toward the mission of Maryland Cursillo.

The response to the stewardship program has been inspiring, even in these difficult economic times. To date, we have received more than \$2,000 through the 2009 stewardship program. Many Cursillistas have been able to stand with the community, to continue their financial support, and the community appreciates that support.

To become part of our pledge program, please submit a check at your local Ultreya gathering, at a Clausura or Fourth Day Workshop, or send it to the MEC, care of Church of the Ascension, 23 North Court, Westminster MD 21157. Please make checks payable to the Maryland Episcopal Cursillo and note that it is for your annual pledge.

Your donation is tax deductible for both state and federal returns, and you will receive an annual donor statement from the Maryland Episcopal Cursillo in January for your tax records.



The Cursillo Method

Piety • Study • Action

Serving Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

Just six months on duty as the Director of the Servant Community and I'm still getting to know everyone! They know exactly what they're doing! It's a good thing that the Secretariat is in full control to help out those who are just getting started, like me!

The last Servant Community Meeting was postponed so we could all meet together at Claggett. Many of the individuals on the Servant Community are also on the next Weekend team, which leaves it bare at the table. This is where all the people on the fringes can make a big impact. Think about contacting someone in this Abrazo to lend a hand, either with support of a behind-the-scenes action, or physical help in some way.

Before Karen asked if I would be interested in this position, I really never knew how this organization worked. I could see very clearly those visible during Mananitas, Clausura, and Ultreya, but I have learned that a lot of planning and praying goes on every month!

The servant community is YOU! I'll be your contact to our leaders! Let me know what you are able to help with - many hands make light work! Please share your ideas with me at nofrenchyvonne@aol.com or 443-623-2911. I'm hoping to hear what you have to say!

— Shelly Collinson
MEC, Servant Community Director

God uses ordinary people. In the Gospel of John 14: 12 Jesus said, *"I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father."*

This scripture reminds me that Jesus made friends with the twelve disciples, then taught them what Faith was and how they could get it. He let them all know that Faith is from God and that they each were able to have this gift. But he also taught them that they had to *choose* to believe, and *choose* to trust that God would heal, feed and comfort them. Sometimes Faith didn't come easily for them. Many times they even doubted what Jesus told them until they experienced the things Jesus said. Yet they continued to follow Him. Those who heard Jesus were ordinary, everyday people - fisherman, men that were imprisoned, a woman who was a prostitute - yet they were brought to God and learned the Love and forgiveness that God has for each of us. They, in turn, went on to show this love to others.

I have often thought about this scripture and wondered just what it meant. How does it apply to my life? More puzzling to me is the part about how I could ever do "greater" things than Jesus! In Cursillo we are following in the very footsteps of our Savior, Jesus, when we "Make a Friend, Be a Friend, and Bring a Friend to Christ." We are doing what Jesus said we would do, but I think, more than that, we are building the Church. It is the mission of the disciples - both then and now - to continue the teachings, fellowship and ministry of Christ. We are doing "greater things" every time we share God's love, every time we show compassion to people that others forget, and every time we seek to grow into Christ, the head of the Church. Ultreya!

— Fran Nicholls, MD #1
MEC, MD Western Rep

Episcopal Cyber Sources

National Episcopal Cursillo
<http://www.episcopalcursillo.org/>
Maryland Episcopal Cursillo Website
<http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/>
Other Episcopal Cursillo Websites
<http://www.episcopalcursillo.org/episcopalwebsites>
Book of Common Prayer
<http://justus.anglican.org/resources/bcp/bcp.htm>
Maryland Chrysalis
<http://www.mdchrysalis.org/>

Episcopal Diocese of Maryland
<http://www.ang-md.org/>
Maryland Episcopal Church Locator
<http://www.ang-md.org/search.php>
Episcopal Church
<http://www.episcopalchurch.org/>
Bishop Claggett Center
<http://bishopclaggett.org/>
Online Bibles
<http://www.internetdynamics.com/pub/vc/bibles.html>



Serving Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

“Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!” – Psalm 100:2

Music is a powerful tool that guides thought, emotion and action. In chapter 5 of Paul’s letter to the Ephesians we read: “be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart...” When we gather at Ultreya and during Cursillo weekends, we come together to worship, and music is a vital part of that worship. We do indeed make ‘melody to the Lord with our heart.’ As a musician I have heard many testimonies where the music has touched someone’s heart, perhaps been a close moment for them.

Using published music comes with a responsibility. In this digital age we often project the lyrics with a computer. Some musicians use transparencies and an overhead projector. When lyrics are reprinted or projected, a copyright permission is required. A copyright license provides that permission as well as compensation for the talent of the writers and composers. Having a license for reprinting or projecting lyrics is acting in compliance with the federal copyright law. Maryland Episcopal Cursillo holds three different music licenses:

- Christian Copyright Licensing International (www.ccli.com)
- OneLicense.net (www.onelicense.net)
- Licensing Online (www.licensingonline.org)

The annual fee that is paid to each organization is based on an average weekly attendance fee. When lyrics are reprinted or projected it is required that the proper copyright notice and licensing information be included on the document.

Maryland Episcopal Cursillo has written a music policy. It provides that:

- All music at MEC gatherings shall be covered by one of the three licenses or have express written permission for use by MEC
- A list of licensed songs and permissions shall be posted on the MEC website
- Members of the MEC Secretariat, Cursillo musicians, Ultreya leaders, weekend core team members, and any individuals involved in copyright violations are subject to legal action when MEC is not in compliance with copyright laws.
- Information and examples for proper copyright notices
- All music performed at Maryland Episcopal Cursillo gatherings, **no matter the source**, shall be reported to the MEC Music Coordinator within 1 week of being performed.

The policy is intended to be a guide to help us follow the copyright law, and asks for all music to be reported so that the Music Coordinator can see what we are singing throughout the movement and submit the required reports to the licensing administrators. The policy is based on the National Episcopal Cursillo publication *Music and Cursillo*.

Music is an important part of our movement. Music in Cursillo is a ministry offered to God for the sake of His people. It is our responsibility to ensure that proper copyright licensing procedures are followed, so that we may continue to make a joyful noise unto the Lord! Ultreya!

— Ruth Anne Champion
MEC, Music Coordinator



MARYLAND EPISCOPAL CURSILLO RESOURCE LIST

What gifts has God blessed you with that you will share with your brothers and sisters in Maryland Cursillo?
Please indicate areas of interest listed below and return this application to:

***Weekend Representative, Lynn French, at lynmf@aol.com or
35 Dihedral Drive, Middle River, MD 21220***

Name _____ Date _____

E-mail address _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell _____

<p><u>Music</u></p> <p>_____ Play a musical instrument. What type(s) _____</p> <p>_____ Interested in serving on the music team for a weekend. (Must also submit an application)</p>	<p><u>Communications</u></p> <p>_____ Website Design and update</p> <p>_____ Assist with database management</p> <p>_____ Assist with Abrazo, brochure production</p> <p>_____ Assist with assembling and mailings</p> <p>_____ Write articles for the Abrazo</p> <p>_____ Bilingual, what language _____</p>
<p><u>Skill and Talent in weekend preparation</u></p> <p>_____ Team Shirts ___ new team member ___ add on</p> <p>_____ Bake Communion Bread</p> <p>_____ Cord for wooden cross</p> <p>_____ Able make weekend buttons</p> <p>_____ Talent with design graphics, art.</p> <p>_____ Make beds on Thursday of weekend</p> <p>_____ Make Placemats</p>	<p><u>Assist on the Cursillo Weekend</u></p> <p>_____ Assist Core team over the weekend (require staying on campus)</p> <p>_____ Assist set up for Agape</p> <p>_____ Assist clean up for Agape</p> <p>_____ Photographer for weekend photo (requires standing on ladder)</p>
<p><u>Forth Day Workshop</u></p> <p>_____ Leadership team</p> <p>_____ Workshop team</p> <p>_____ Give a talk</p> <p>_____ Welcoming</p> <p>_____ Food set up and or clean up</p> <p>_____ Set up and or clean up</p> <p>_____ Lead music</p>	<p><u>Serve the Secretariat or Servant Community</u></p> <p>_____ Area Representative _____ Palanca Coordinator</p> <p>_____ Treasurer _____ 4th Day Representative</p> <p>_____ Comptroller _____ Music Coordinator</p> <p>_____ Secretary _____ Asst Lay Director</p> <p>_____ Stewardship</p> <p>_____ Pre Cursillo</p> <p>_____ Weekend Representative</p>
<p><u>Ultreya Support</u></p> <p>_____ Witness Speaker</p> <p>Which Ultreya(s)? _____</p> <p>_____ Lead an Ultreya</p> <p>Which Ultreya(s)? _____</p> <p>_____ Lead music at an Ultreya</p> <p>Which Ultreya(s)? _____</p>	<p><u>Other gifts or talents you are willing share with the Cursillo Community</u></p>



A Statement from the National Episcopal Cursillo Committee

Cursillo has always kept its eyes firmly focused on Jesus and on the Mission. One of the principles of the Cursillo movement is that:

We focus on Christ and His resurrection power in our lives, transforming us into the people He would have us be. Theological disputes and political issues have no part in our agenda.

The Cursillo Movement is a movement that brings together all people, whether they might consider themselves to have a liberal or conservative Christian philosophy or somewhere in between, for the common good of promoting Jesus Christ and God's Mission. It is Christ-centered and Christ-focused. The Policy of the National Episcopal Cursillo Committee is that it will not be an organization with a political or social agenda. National Episcopal Cursillo is a movement of the Episcopal Church.

We recognize, however, that a number of individuals with connections and interest in the Episcopal Cursillo Movement are no longer affiliated with the Episcopal Church. As a sign of reconciliation, we welcome those still able, as individuals, to be in communion with the local Episcopal Diocesan Bishop and fellow Cursillistas, whether lay or ordained, to participate in the activities of the Cursillo Movement. Furthermore, and always at the Diocesan Bishop's discretion, we encourage an openness to their continued participation and interest in the activities of the Episcopal Cursillo. It should be understood by all that as a part of their participation, they agree to do so fully for the advancement of Cursillo, be supportive of the mission of Episcopal Cursillo, and agree that they will not promote any political agenda.

What is clear is that National Episcopal Cursillo was created to serve the Episcopal Church in the United States, and we are licensed by the Roman Catholic Church to do that. Despite our personal theological and political views, we are focused on knowing Christ and making Him known to others. That is our call and in doing it lays our greatest joy. *Ultreya! Ultreya!!*

Let us get on with the day's apostolic action.

Let us all pray for the Church and one another every day.

— **National Episcopal Cursillo Committee**
May 2008

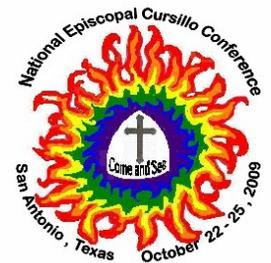
NATIONAL EPISCOPAL CURSILLO CONFERENCE

San Antonio, Texas □ October 22-25, 2009

Once a year, the Cursillo community holds a gathering open to all fellow Cursillistas who come from across the United States as well as from England, New Zealand, Mexico, Belize, Canada, the Bahamas, Australia and many other countries. In addition to the talks, workshops, meditations, and daily Eucharist, there are opportunities to visit old friends, make new ones, share successes and learn new ideas about ways to improve on the movements everywhere.

This year's event will feature keynote speaker, the Rev. Stephanie Spellers, who is the author of *Radical Welcome: Embracing God, the Other and the Spirit of Transformation*. She is also priest and founder of The Crossing at St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral in Boston, an emerging church worship community that bridges Episcopal traditions with the voices and cultural expressions of young adults and people of color (www.thecrossingboston.org).

This exciting annual conference offers everyone who attends an opportunity to learn from one another and go home re-energized, refreshed, and renewed to do the work of growing Christ-centered leaders. For more information or to register, please go to the National Episcopal Website at www.episcopalcursillo.org.



The Electronic Version of the Complete NEC Library is now available.

Conference price if purchased at or before the San Antonio Conference will be \$25. Shipping is available for an additional \$5 if you want your copy shipped NOW rather than waiting for the conference. To ensure we have a copy ready for you, please email your advance order to: necoffice@episcopalcursillo.org

You can pay at the conference when you pick up your CD. Shipping charges will apply to orders not picked up at the conference. Annual electronic library updates will be available beginning in Oct 2010 for just \$10 with the return of your prior version of the CD.

This is a great addition to our Cursillo resources and includes all talk books as well as all library booklets.

Get yours now!

Secretariat 2009

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Metro North Area Rep	<i>[Open]</i>
Central Area Rep	Becky Fisher
Metro South Area Rep	Jim Stultz
Southern Area Rep	Earl Buffaloe

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Palanca Coordinator	Liz Brodell
Music Coordinator	Ruth Anne Champion
Spiritual Advisor	The Rev. Marshall Thompson
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Are You on the Email List ?

Maryland Episcopal Cursillo maintains an email list that is used to send out prayer requests, Ultreya and other event reminders, and notices of interest to the Cursillo Community. All messages are kept brief.

If you are interested in receiving Cursillo emails, please send your name and email address to Emerson Champion, Cursillo Email List Coordinator, at echampio@gmail.com

Comptroller Address

Green Palanca may be sent to:
 Comptroller, Maryland Episcopal Cursillo
 %Church of the Ascension
 23 North Court St
 Westminster, MD 21157

Thanks!

Don't Miss Important Info!

Please send changes in your contact information to:

Cursillo Email List Coordinator
 8068 Armiger Dr, Pasadena, MD 21122
 or
 send an email to echampio@gmail.com



Monthly Ultreyas



1st Sunday, 3:00 PM

St. John's Episcopal Church
 52 Broadway, Frostburg, MD
 Contact: Daphne Gooding (301-245-4705) or
 Donald Goldbloom (301-895-3780)

1st Saturday, 7:00 PM

Christ the King Episcopal Church
 1930 Brookdale Road, Woodlawn, MD
 Contact: Jim Stultz (410-636-7377)

1st Friday, 7:30 PM (Chrysallis Gathering)

(Please check www.mdchrysalis.org/ for info)
 Church of the Ascension
 23 N. Court St, Westminster, MD
 Contact: Becky Fisher (410-876-7672)

2nd Sunday, 7:00 PM

St. Peter's Episcopal Church
 3695 Rogers Ave, Ellicott City, MD
 Contact: Greg Fraser (410-730-0567)

2nd Friday, 7:30 PM

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
 1108 Providence Rd, Towson, MD
 Contact: Alex & Kathie Dzbinski (410-252-7791)

3rd Sunday, Noon

Christ Episcopal Church
 3100 Broome's Island Rd, Port Republic, MD
 Contact: Murray Cheston (410-326-3596)

3rd Sunday, 3 PM

St. Mark's Episcopal Church
 18313 Lappans Rd, Boonsboro, MD
 Contact: Liz Brodell (301-573-2917)

3rd Friday, 7 PM

St. Martin's-in-the-Field Episcopal Church
 375 Benfield Road, Severna Park, MD
 Contact: Wadi & Kathy Williams

4th Friday, 7:30 PM

St. James' Parish
 5757 Solomons Island Rd, Lothian, MD
 Contact: Joe Carta

Quarterly, 5:00 PM

Next Ultreya is Saturday, January 10th, 2010

(Please check www.cursillo.ang-md.org/ for dates)
 Church of the Ascension
 23 N. Court St, Westminster, MD
 Contact: Becky Fisher (410-876-7672) or
 Debbie Bargar 717-630-0183



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Sponsors' Service for MD 98 _____ *Nov 5, 2009, 7:30 pm,*

Las Mananitas for MD 98 _____ *Nov 8, 2009, 6:45 am*

Clausura for MD 98 _____ *Nov 8, 2009, 3:45 pm*

MD 98 Reunion Ultreya _____ Saturday, Nov 21, 5:00 pm, *Ascension, Westminster*

4th Day Workshop _____ January 16, 2010, *St. James' Episcopal Church, Monkton*

MD 99 Cursillo Weekend _____ April 22 - 25, 2010 *Bishop Claggett Center*

MD 100 Cursillo Weekend _____ November 4 - 7, 2010, *Bishop Claggett Center*

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