The Rooster Review!

The newsletter of Central Virginia Cursillo
September 2018

Introducing the upcoming 515th Men's Cursillo team!

Shalom House, Montpelier, VA – October 4th – 7th, 2018

GUIDE ME LORD



Front Row: Spiritual Directors: Deacon Frank Leaming, Judy Patterson and Father Frank Wiggins.
Row 2: Steve Turner, Jon Stier, Scott Kittle, and Chris DiChristina.
Row 3: Paul Petro, Rick Rush, David Biddulph, and Pat Stockton.
Back Row: Nick Vidonic, David Frank, Rick Fleming and Aaron Rusz

Name	Role - Talk	Church
Dave Biddulph	Head of Liturgy – Leaders	St. Mary of the Annunciation
Chris DiChristina	Asst. Rector – Study of the Envir.	St. John Neumann
Rick Flemming	TMAT - Action	Church of the Epiphany
Dave Frank	TMAT - Laity	St. Mary of the Annunciation
Scott Kittle	Rector	St. Mary of the Annunciation
Paul Petro	TMAT – Christianity in Action	Sacred Heart, Prince George
Rick Rush	Squire - Ultreya	St. Michael
Aaron Rusz	Squire - Piety	Church of the Epiphany
Jon Stier	Tech Squire - Study	St. Edward
Pat Stockton	TMAT – Group Reunion	Cathedral of the Sacred Heart
Steve Turner	Liturgy - Ideal	St. Ann, Ashland
Nick Vidonic	Head Squaire	Church of the Epiphany
Fr. Frank Wiggins	Spiritual Director	St. John, Highland Springs
Dcn. Frank Leaming	Spiritual Director	St. Mary of the Annunciation
Judith Patterson	Spiritual Director	St. John, Highland Springs

And our every present Guest: THE HOLY SPIRIT!!

Opening: Thursday, October 4th, 2018, 7:30PM – *BRING SNANKS, DRINKS AND PALANCA!*
Shalom House – 15340 Robert Terrell Road, Montpelier, VA 23192

Closing: Sunday, October 8th, 2017, 4:00PM (gather at 3:30) – *BRING FOOD AND DRINKS!*
St. Ann's Church – 105 S. Snead St., Ashland, VA 23005
Set-Up / Clean-Up contact: Russ Wisler, rwisler@embarqmail.com; arrive at 3pm please!

Palanca: Dropoff at Epiphany, St. Mary of the Annunciation, St. John Highland Spring, Sacred Heart PG **BY 10/3**

Emergencies-Only Contact: Nick Vidonic 804-363-9233; Steve Turner 804-678-8002

Welcome the Babe Chicks of the 512th Women's Cursillo

Sacred Heart in New Bohemia – July 12th – 15th, 2018

"Chosen and Anointed"



Back Row :Sharon Nuzik

Middle Row: Chloe Cash, Carmelita Piferi, Kerri Rosa, Margaret McNeil, Lydie Sakpanou, Jenny Ferraro, Heather Wacome, Diane Castleberry

Front Row: Mary Henrich, Gabriella (Gabby) Poole, Sandy O'Kleasky, Debbie Coates, Ginny Heredia, Chit Peters, Karen Dottore

Team		Babe Chicks	
Name	**Role**	**Name**	**Church**
Angie Cash	TMAT – Leaders	Chloe' Cash	St. Paul
Paula Flynn	Liturgy – Piety	Diane Castleberry	Epiphany
Donna Greene	TMAT – Christianity In Action	Debbie Coates	St. Martin of Tours
Pam Harris	Rectora	Karen Dottore	Church of the Epiphany
Mary Hayes	Asst. Rectora – Study of the Envir.	Margaret Facenda-McNeill	St. James
Beth Lohr	Angel – Lay Person In The Church	Jenny Ferraro	St. Francis of Assisi
Ruth Mercadante	Angel	Mary Henrich	St. Ann, Colonial Heights
Bethany Petro	TMAT – Action	Ginny Heredia	St. Martin of Tours
Luz Ravel-Straub	Archangel – Ideal	Sharon Nuzik	Church of the Epiphany
Colleen Robinson	TMAT – Group Reunion	Sandy O'Kleasky	St. Gabriel
Kelly Rusz	Tech Angel – Ultreya	Chit Peters	St. Ann, Colonial Heights
Barbara Schaedel	Liturgy – Study	Carmelina Piferi	St. Ann, Colonial Heights
Paula Schnurman	Spiritual Director	Gabby Poole	St. Ann, Colonial Heights
Lynn DiChristina	Spiritual Director	Kerri Bramos Rosa	St. Edwards
Deacon Bob Straub	Spiritual Director	Lydia Sakponou	Church of the Epiphany
		Heather Wacome	St. John

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Reflection:

Cursillo, a poem, by Sandy O'Kleasky, Babe Chick, 512th Women's Cursillo

When you are called
you must go
The journey you do not know
Transported from darkness into
the light
By lantern bearing angels
through the night.

Our layers are peeled back,
one by one.
So we may better see the Son.

Companion on this journey we've all become
Sharing, caring all as one.

Together in our hearts we are bound
to clang the cymbals and make a joyful sound.

Messages from the Chairperson:
Fellow Cursillistas, this is my swan song as far as this "Message from the Chairperson" is concerned. Effective Jan 2019 I will be stepping-aside as the Chairperson and Galen W. Potter will be taking over the leadership of our organization.

I made my Cursillo weekend through the Diocese of Arlington, VA at the Men's 116th weekend in the spring of 2008 at the Josephite Seminary in Washington, DC. My wife, Mary, and I moved to the Richmond area in 2010 and we immediately became active in Central VA Cursillo by joining group reunions and attending Ultreyas. We joined the Central Virginia Coordinating Committee (CVCC) in 2012 as Members at Large and shortly thereafter we took over as the Newsletter Distributors. In January 2016, I took over as the Chairperson from Dick and Jeannine Commander who served as co-chairpersons for many years.

My goal from the beginning was to serve for no longer than three years because new leadership has the potential to bring fresh ideas, vibrancy and versatility to an organization. It has been a fun, exciting, and sometimes challenging experience for me. The exciting part of being the chairperson has been working with a fantastic group of people that comprise the CVCC. There are 18 different ministry coordinators and all these people play an important role in making Central Virginia Cursillo such a successful organization.

As C.S. Lewis stated, "You are never too old to set a new goal or to dream a new dream." Going forward, I plan to stay active in Cursillo and remain a member on the CVCC in a yet to be determined capacity.

DeColores,
Dan Martin, Chairperson

Upcoming Events	
Ultreyas (7:30PM)	Other Events
4th Friday Ultreya Sept 28 – St. Joseph, Petersburg	Women's Weekend, Opening Ceremony February 21th at 7:30PM, Shalom House
2nd Friday Ultreya Oct 12th – St. Paul, Richmond	Women's Weekend, Closing Ceremony February 24th at 4:00PM, St. Ann's Ashland
4th Friday Ultreya October 26, St. Augustine, North Chesterfield	Men's Weekend, Opening Ceremony April 4th at 7:30 PM, Shalom House
3rd Friday Ultreya November 16th – St. John Neumann	Men's Weekend, Closing Ceremony April 7th at 4:00PM, St. Ann's Ashland
For more details about events visit our Website: http://www.centralvirginiacursillo.org Review "Events"	

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