



# The Abrazo

The newsletter of Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

WINTER 2013

## A New Year !

*He will once again fill your mouth with laughter and your lips with shouts of joy. Job 8:21*

**S**hout to the North and the South, Sing to the East and the West, Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of Heaven and Earth!! On Christmas Eve, our choir sang these lyrics from the song *Shout to the North* as part of our Christmas Cantata. The song brought back wonderful memories for me, as I have sung it many times during Cursillo weekends and gatherings. But I never really thought of it as a song to sing at Christmas – until we did. What better time to shout to all that Jesus is our Savior! For me, it became one of those magic moments. I’m sure you’ve had them too--one of those close moments we share with each other when we Group; moments when you feel embraced by the peace of the Lord and filled with his Holy Spirit.

It’s a New Year, with many close moments ahead of us, as well as opportunities to enter into a closer relationship with our Savior Jesus Christ. As we go through the season of Lent and reflect on the sacrifices that Jesus made for each of us, why not share with others the hope found in a closer relationship with Jesus. If you have not been involved with Cursillo lately, why not resolve to renew your support of the movement. There are many ways to do that – attend Ultreyas, participate in grouping, sponsor candidates, participate on team, attend Mananitas, contribute financially, pray for the movement – just to name a few. If you have been involved and continue to make a friend, be a friend, and bring a friend to Christ, why not take some time to *remake* an old friend. Invite them back to Cursillo to participate in and witness the love and joy!

Plans are underway for the Spring All Men’s Cursillo weekend, MD 104, April 25<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>. While this is a men’s weekend, we can all support it by sponsoring candidates, writing palanca, helping with Agape, committing to pray through the prayer chart, and attending Mananitis and Clausura. Plans are beginning for the Fall coed weekend, MD105, which will be held October 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>. The team for MD105 will be called in the coming months so please share in the joy and submit your team application. Team and candidate applications can be found in this edition of the newsletter and on our website. Please know that we accept applications 365 days a year, not just 30 days before the weekend. Maryland Episcopal Cursillo continues to rely on prayer and to constantly being open to the Holy Spirit. Please join us in praying for the Cursillo movement so that we can continue this important ministry in Maryland.

May this new year be one of faith, friendship, and habits that will include many special moments, laughter, and shouts of joy through Cursillo!

— Nancy Horkan, MD 55  
MEC Lay Director



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



# From the Bishop

When William Tyndale was a student at Oxford in the early 16<sup>th</sup> century, he found himself irresistibly drawn to the Holy Scriptures for its spiritual depth and power in his life. He wanted to share the word of God with others who could benefit from its wisdom, but there was one problem: the Bible at that time was only available to those who could read Latin, or who could obtain the partial and at times inaccurate version of John Wyclif. He was determined to translate the Scriptures into English, his native tongue, so that the masses of people could experience the power of God’s word directly. For his efforts to expand the reach of the good news in this way, John Tyndale was harassed, hunted down, tried as a heretic and schismatic, strangled, and publicly burned to death in 1536. His final words were prophetic: *“Lord, open the King of England’s eyes.”*

Change. Why is it so difficult a thing for the Church to embrace, even if we knew that a particular change could expand the number of people who could hear the good news of the Gospel?

The resistance in Tyndale’s case was really about power. As long as the Scriptures were available only to the few who were highly educated, then people’s lives could be controlled by those privileged ones who had access to the secret wisdom of God. The elites had the power, and they were highly reluctant to release the Scriptures to the masses who could then perhaps challenge the interpretations, dictates and actions of their kings and ecclesiastical leaders.

The resistance to change for many of us in the Church today, however, may not be about power at all, but about *uncomfortability*. We have simply grown too comfortable with the way things are, even when presented with evidence that our accepted thinking, attitudes or practices are not resulting in an increase of those interested in participating with us in our thinking, attitudes and practices. Why then don’t we change? Because we are personally very comfortable with ourselves and the present state of our congregations, ministries and organizations. We would like more people to join us, but we like the status quo more. Besides, we all chuckle (because it hurts) when we’re reminded of the “Seven Last Words of The Church” – *we’ve never done it that way before*.

The first Cursillo weekends were developed in the late 1940s in Spain by Roman Catholic laymen who knew that the Church needed to change its tactics if it wanted to attract more men in that culture. They refused to accept the status quo of the church pews largely occupied by women while the men stayed away in droves. They were courageous in instituting a *change*, and because of that change, millions of people have heard the word of God and participated in the Sacraments in fresh ways, and have responded to the call of God to evangelize their secular environments. But the change didn’t end there. As the Cursillo movement spread to new cultures and environments, it had to evolve further to include that other half of the human population: *Women!* Can you imagine the wrenching discussions and conflicts that arose when *that* change came about? Thankfully, the Church has moved beyond strangling and burning at the stake those who call for such radical changes today in the present Church’s thinking, attitudes and practices.

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## Maryland Episcopal Cursillo

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# MARYLAND EPISCOPAL CURSILLO WEEKEND 104

*“Lost & Found” April 25 - 28, 2013*

Usually tucked away in a corner of the vestibule there is a place reserved for a basket or box labeled “Lost and Found.” In this basket, you’ll see possibly a mitten, a bow, or maybe a button. At one time these items could have been part of something meaningful to the worshipper but are now forgotten. What happens to “lost and found” items after awhile? They get disposed of.

Our churches today have another “lost and found” area just outside its doors. In this area we find men, men that are part of a pair or a single but lost from our congregations just the same. Lost for various reasons, prayers unanswered, blaming God for a tragedy, work, sports, disputes with others and last but not least “The Church will collapse if I cross its threshold.”

The next Weekend MD 104 is our first Men’s weekend. The team is looking forward to sorting through the Lost and Found and discussing the obstacles that keep men from accepting God’s grace. For those worried about crossing the threshold, we’ll be with you all the way. We want our candidates to understand that we are not lost if we use our spiritual compass, God’s grace. The weekend is not a sexist event, over 80% of the weekends worldwide are single sex weekends.

Candidate and sponsor applications are available on the web at <http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/> You can submit applications anytime through March 25. Please keep the team and candidates in your prayers. See you on the porch and at Clausura Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup>. *DeColores!*

— Bill Miller, MD 52,  
Rector, MD 104

TEAM MEMBER	PARISH	ROLE	ROLLO
Bill Miller, MD 52	Middleham St. Peters	Weekend Rector	Ultreya & Joy of Giving
+Eugene Sutton, WMI 68	Diocese of Maryland	SA	TBD
Brad Ingalls+ , East NC 20	Holy Trinity, Churchville	SA	TBD
John Martin+, MD 88	Holy Cross - St Philips	SA	TBD
David Wissman, MD 89	St. Andrews, Pasadena	Assistant Rector	Group Reunion
David Richardson, MD 88	St. Andrews, Pasadena	Head Cha	
Greg Fraser, MD 63	St. Peter’s, Ellicott City	Music Director	
Earl Buffaloe, MD 88	St. James’, Lothian	Music	Community In Action
George Sterling, MD 100	Ascension, West Minster	Music	
Justin Howard, MD 100	Holy Trinity, Churchville	CHA	
Dick Mitchell, MD 47	St. Mark’s, Highland	Table Leader	Laity
Chris Werth, MD 81	St. Martin’s In-the-Field	CHA	Ideals
Richard Holmes, MD 91	Christ the King	Table Leader	Environments
Rufus Berry, MD 100	Christ the King	CHA	Action
Stu Scarborough, MD 72	Grace/Brunswick	Table Leader /CHA	Study
Buddy Coffee, MD 100	Holy Trinity, Churchville	Table Leader	Piety
Tom White, MD 74	St. James’, Lothian	Table Leader	Leaders

## The Cursillo Method

Piety • Study • Action



# Rector Called for MD 105 ▪ October 24 - 27, 2013

On behalf of the Maryland Episcopal Cursillo, I am pleased to announce that the Secretariat has prayerfully called Susan Whitehead as Rector for the Fall Weekend, MD 05, which will be held October 24 - 27, 2013. Susan worships at St. James' Parish, Lothian, MD, and made her Cursillo weekend on MD 80. Please pray for Susan daily, as well as for those team members she will be calling, and the candidates God will be sending to MD 105.

Susan is beginning the process of calling the team so please fill out a team application and send it to Robyn Mayfield, Weekend Representative, at 1522 Langford Road, Gwynn Oak, MD 21207. Team applications are held for three years, or until you serve on a team, whichever comes first. If you are not sure if you have an application on file, or if your application needs updating, please submit a new one or contact Robyn at [auntbobby1@verizon.net](mailto:auntbobby1@verizon.net). The team application form is included in this edition of the Abrazo or you can download it from our website at <http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/FORM - Team Member Application.pdf>

— Nancy Horkan, MD 55  
MEC Lay Director

**REMINDER !! MD 104 CANDIDATE APPLICATIONS DUE!**  
**MARCH 25th**  
Send to: Assistant Lay Director Bill Miller, MD 52, 251 Leason Cove Drive, Lusby, MD 20657

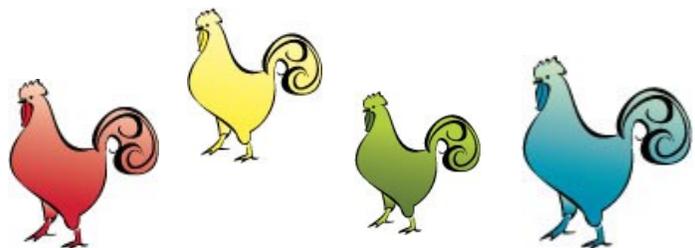
## Don't Miss Out on Information & Updates !

**Receive EMAIL Updates!**  
Consider joining the hundreds of MEC Cursillistas who have already signed up for the MEC Email list!  
To be included, please email:  
MEC Communications Coordinator at [MarylandEpiscopalCursillo@gmail.com](mailto:MarylandEpiscopalCursillo@gmail.com)  
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**UPDATE Your ADDRESS !**  
Let us know if your Email OR Mailing address has changed so you won't miss important information.  
[MarylandEpiscopalCursillo@gmail.com](mailto:MarylandEpiscopalCursillo@gmail.com)  
**Thanks**

We realize that we have lost touch with some of you over the years, and we hope we have found you again as we have tried to update both the mail and email addresses in our database.

Please let us know if you have any address corrections, if your household is receiving more than one issue of *The Abrazo*, or if you would like to be added to or deleted from the email list.

If you would prefer reading *The Abrazo* online instead of via regular mail, please let us know by sending an email to [marylandepiscopalcursillo@gmail.com](mailto:marylandepiscopalcursillo@gmail.com)



# From the Bishop *(continued)*

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The Cursillo movement was born in the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland in 1979, and it has continued and flourished ever since with 103 weekends, over 2,000 team members and candidates, and countless others who have been brought closer to Christ. I was transformed by my first Cursillo in 1979 in Michigan, and I know it to be an effective tool for building Christian leaders here in Maryland and beyond. That is why I think it is important for the Bishop to serve occasionally on Cursillo teams, as I have on MD 101 and will continue to do so in the future. By many measures, Maryland Cursillo has been a huge success!

But just as all Christian movements must do, Maryland Cursillo must always keep an eye open toward how we must change in order to meet the challenges of reaching more people in our day. I am calling for our Cursillo community to make such a change today.

The reality is that far too many men are not attracted to our Cursillo weekends. Maryland Cursillo, (like many of our parish churches), is composed of more than 2/3 women. We rejoice that many women have taken advantage of the Cursillo experience, but we also all lament that so many men have been largely absent. It is time for a new evangelistic strategy to be undertaken to attract more men, and that will mean *changing* the notion that all of our weekends *must* be coed weekends. The reasons for insisting that all weekends must be coed may have been valid in 1979, but we need new strategies for the early 21<sup>st</sup> century if we are to reach the other half of the gender population in Maryland.

Having at least some all men's or all women's Cursillo weekends are common in other dioceses, as well as in other similar movements such as Walk to Emmaus. The objective in such strategies is not to exclude, but to *expand* the ability of Cursillo to attract as many candidates as possible. Thus, I am thrilled that the Secretariat agreed that MD 104 on April 25-28 of this year will be our first all men's Cursillo, and I look forward to serving on that team as one of the spiritual advisors.

I envision providing more opportunities for more people to come to a Cursillo in any way that they can. Just as the Claggett Conference Center and many of our parishes provide *some* women's, *some* men's, and *some* coed retreats, why don't we experiment in Maryland Cursillo with doing the same? We know that for many men, the thought of spending a weekend composed of mostly women talking about personal spiritual matters scares them away from even considering it. But how many women also would feel the same if the weekend largely consisted of men, and if she were the only woman sitting at a table with a very deep level of personal sharing? And how many couples would prefer to spend such a time together on a coed weekend? I don't pretend to know all the answers to these questions, but I am quite sure that we need to be open to enough change so that we can discover what our intended audiences need in order to sign up to spend a weekend with other people.

So, let the experimentation begin! Whatever becomes of it, please know that your bishop is committed to Maryland Episcopal Cursillo, and I am willing in my capacity as chief pastor of the diocese to serve on any kind of weekend - male, female, mixed, youth, older adults, Spanish-speaking, English-speaking, etc. - any vehicle of the Holy Spirit to spread the Gospel in any tongue or setting.

So let us not be lax in holding on to anything that may have outlived its purpose, let us not tire of meeting any new challenge, let us not be afraid of making any change that may be beckoning us, lest let the witness and death of our brother William Tyndale be in vain. To God be the glory!

+Eugene  
The Rt. Rev. Eugene Taylor Sutton  
Bishop of Maryland



# Team Shirts - Pass It On !

Team shirts are a tradition in Maryland Episcopal Cursillo. Each Cursillo weekend some wonderfully creative volunteers decorate shirts for team members as palanca from the Cursillo Community. They pray for the team as they use cross stitch, appliqué, iron-on transfer, fabric paint, buttons, sew-on or glue-on embellishments, or other ways of decorating; but however they are decorated, the shirts support and encourage service to God.

Shirt designs or embellishments are usually based on notes left in shirt pockets by team members about a verse of scripture, song, or something meaningful to them on their spiritual journey. Team members usually do not know who is decorating their shirt until the shirts are presented to them as palanca on the weekend and they find a little palanca note by the shirt "artist" in the pocket.

Team shirts may also be a form of telling our faith story. Just ask a Cursillista about the meaning of this or that design on the shirt, and you may hear about a favorite scripture verse, a meaningful time in life, a favorite pastime, or some kind of special volunteer work.

And, a team shirt may be a legacy left behind when the owner passes away. After the Rev. Eileen House, MD 30, passed away in 2007, the Rev. Michelle Doran, MD 72, had the wonderful idea of passing on pieces of Eileen's shirt by cutting them out and sewing them onto the team shirts of some of Eileen's close Cursillo friends. Eileen loved animals and she especially loved the Blessing of the Animals each fall. Embroidered on Eileen's team shirt was one of her dogs with a verse from "All things bright and beautiful." After Eileen died, her Chocolate Labrador was adopted by Marjie Mack's, MD 63, family, so Michelle sewed that piece onto Marjie's shirt.



Eileen also had a hummingbird embroidered on her shirt, and Michelle sewed that onto her own shirt because it reminded her of an uncle. Other designs from Eileen's shirt were sewn on Susan Whitehead's, MD 80, and Jeanie Zseltvay's, MD 57, shirts. Every time we are on team and wear our team shirts, those pieces of Eileen's team shirt remind us and others of a dear friend and her love of Cursillo.



If you would like to offer to decorate a team shirt, feel free to contact the Head Cha for any weekend or the Weekend Representative for Maryland Episcopal Cursillo. To help with a shirt for the upcoming MD 104 Weekend, please contact David Richardson, MD 88, at [mec.md104@yahoo.com](mailto:mec.md104@yahoo.com)

You could also fill out a Resource Form (on the MEC website at <http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/FORM%20-%20Resource%20List.pdf>) and check the box for decorating team shirts.

— Marjie Mack, MD 63



# 4th Day Workshop Reunion Ultreya ▪ May 11th

Hopefully you had a chance to join us as we conducted a combined 4th Day Workshop and Reunion Ultreya this past year. If not please know you have another chance to in the very near future. Mark your calendar for the next joint event that will be held on **Saturday, May 11, 2013**. St. Andrew's, Pasadena (<http://standrewspasadena.com/content/>) will be graciously hosting the event from 12:30 to approximately 5 p.m. Make your plans and come join us.

A great deal is able to be accomplished by combining these events. The trial run was a great success and had a large crowd in attendance. We are excited to see enthusiasm amongst our community and hope to see everyone for the next event.

The day will start at promptly at 12:30 p.m. with the 4th Day Workshop. This portion of the day will conclude at approximately 2 p.m. The Workshop will feature all the details you need to know about moving forward with your Cursillo 4th Day. This is designed to help you optimize your resources and stay firm on the path. The information presented provides valuable resources to enable one to move forward with their charge.

Between 2 and 2:30 p.m., we host a break with snacks. All are welcome and encouraged to attend to gather and socialize with the community. Following the break, the Reunion Ultreya will be held from 2:30 to 5 p.m. This Ultreya will be instructed to assist our new members from MD 104 and all who have never attended an Ultreya before or those who might like a refresher. The participation by community is a critical portion of this event. It assists the new family to find active members participating in the Cursillo 4th Day in their parish and those nearby. Come show your support and join us as we welcome everyone. Remember this is not a closed community and this may be a chance for someone considering attending a future weekend to experience a Cursillo event.

If it has been a while since you have been involved in Cursillo join us for the workshop session in the morning as the refresher might serve to rekindle your fire and help you move forward with sponsoring that someone on your mind or even submitting the application to serve on team. We all have friends near and dear to us in the Cursillo community and I would love to see all of you gather together. Let's commit to raise the roof at the table presented by our Lord.

For additional information, or to let us know you'll be participating, please contact me at 443-871-4070 or [wishbonedavid@yahoo.com](mailto:wishbonedavid@yahoo.com)

— Your Brother in Christ,  
Dave Wissmann, MD 89

# Exciting Opportunity to Serve ▪ Assistant Lay Director

At our annual Diocesan Ultreya on October 5, 2013, elections will be held for the Maryland Episcopal Cursillo Assistant Lay Director. Our current Lay Director's term will end at that time, and Assistant Lay Director Bill Miller, MD 52, will assume the role of Lay Director. It's not too early to pray about serving God and the Cursillo community through this position – you will reap many blessings by sharing your time and talent to carry on and promote this important ministry.

The Assistant Lay Director is essentially a four year total term serving two years as Assistant Lay Director and then becoming Lay Director for two years. The duties of the Assistant Lay Director include:

- Working closely with the Lay Director, Servant Community Director and Area Representatives;
- Processing candidate applications for the Three Day Weekend;
- Facilitating the Sponsor Service on the Thursday night of each Cursillo weekend;
- Serving in the absence of the Lay Director;
- Preparing to become Lay Director.

If you feel called to serve in this capacity, please contact Lay Director Nancy Horkan, MD 55, at [nhorkan@comcast.com](mailto:nhorkan@comcast.com), Assistant Lay Director Bill Miller, MD 52, at [billm1@comcast.net](mailto:billm1@comcast.net), or any member of the Secretariat (contact info at <http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/contact.html>).



# CANDIDATE APPLICATION

## Maryland Episcopal Cursillo – Three Day Weekend 104 (a Men’s Weekend)

**DEADLINE - MARCH 25, 2013**

Preferred title (please circle): Mr. – Mrs. – Ms. – Dr. – The Rev. – The Right Rev.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status \_\_\_\_\_

Name to be used on button \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Day/Year

Home parish: \_\_\_\_\_ Clergy \_\_\_\_\_

Do you require accommodations to satisfy dietary, physical, or medical restrictions? No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
Please detail if YES \_\_\_\_\_

Has your sponsor(s) discussed your participation in the 4<sup>th</sup> Day in grouping, attending Ultreyas, and participating in a 4<sup>th</sup> Day workshop? No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_

*After prayerful consideration, please write a brief statement about why you want to attend a Cursillo weekend on the back of this form.*

\_\_\_\_\_

### Clergy Endorsement:

I know the above-named person and am aware that he/she is submitting an application to attend a Cursillo Weekend. I am not aware of any issues that would preclude this candidate’s participation in Cursillo at this time.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clergy Name (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parish

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clergy Name (Printed)

**PLEASE SEND THIS CANDIDATE APPLICATION  
ALONG WITH THE SPONSOR APPLICATION AND FEES TO:**

**THE MARYLAND EPISCOPAL CURSILLO  
Assistant Lay Director  
c/o Bill Miller, 251 Leason Cove Drive, Lusby, MD 20657**





# Stewardship ▪ Green Palanca Needed!

Stewardship concerns played a continuing role in Maryland Episcopal Cursillo (MEC) during 2012. Our financial position has been weak, and the Secretariat was very conservative in community expenditures during the year. We did not publish a "hard copy" *Abrazo* (a cost of some \$500 per issue), we did not send a representative to the annual National Cursillo Conference, and we did not make a donation to the National Episcopal Cursillo.

During 2012, we received approximately \$21,600 – broken down basically as \$11,000 in fees (both team and candidate) and \$10,600 in pledges and donations (including offerings at Ultreyas and Clausuras). We spent only \$18,700 (and of that, \$16,500 went to The Claggett Center for hosting), so that we closed the year with a gain of almost \$3,000. That small "surplus" means simply that we have a bit more money in the bank to face the coming year, and serves in part to offset deficits from 2010 and 2011.

In facing these financial concerns, the Secretariat has tried to become more intentional about dealing with money. The Secretariat has raised the candidate/sponsor fee to an aggregate of \$100. MEC has also conducted a stewardship campaign, tried to insure that offerings are regularly taken at regional and diocesan events, such as Ultreyas, and reduced expenditures, as described above. MEC has a treasurer, a controller and a stewardship representative, all of whom have financial matters as a primary concern.

Cursillo is a wonderful gift to the People of God, and has become sources of ministry for Christian leadership development, for Christian formation, and for unity within the Diocese of Maryland – all at a fairly "modest" financial outlay. But costs continue to rise, and if we wish our ministry to continue and prosper, we will continue to call upon the people of the Cursillo community for their support.

— Dick Mitchell, MD 47  
Stewardship Representative



## The Cost of Discipleship

Cursillo is a continuing ministry of the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland, sustained by the donations of the many friends and supporters throughout the Diocese and beyond for whom Cursillo has been a gift.

Please consider making a financial donation to sustain this important ministry.

**YES, I will support Cursillo, by word and by deed, by holding Cursillo up in prayer and by enclosing my financial gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to further its ministry.**

Please mail your donation to:

**The Maryland Episcopal Cursillo**  
**c/o Church of the Ascension, 23 N. Court Street, Westminster MD 21157**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Weekend # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you !**



### Secretariat 2012

Lay Director	<i>Nancy Horkan, MD 55</i>
Assistant Lay Director	<i>Bill Miller, MD 52</i>
Secretary	<i>Carol Gooden, MD 76</i>
Treasurer	<i>David Richardson, MD 88</i>
Comptroller	<i>Debbie Bargar, MD 91</i>
Servant Community Dir	<i>Shelly Collinson, MD 82</i>
Spiritual Advisor	<i>The Rev. Brad Ingalls, E-NC 20</i>
Northeast Area Rep	<i>Sarah Ingalls-Howard, MD 100</i>
Stewardship Representative	<i>Dick Mitchell, MD 47</i>
Western Area Rep	<i>Fran Nicholls, MD 1</i>
Far Western Area Rep	<i>Pam Mann, MD 90</i>
Metro North Area Rep	<i>Mary Beth Robinson, MD 71</i>
Central Area Rep	<i>Becky Fisher, MD 21</i>
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Email Listserve Coord	<i>Pamela Blyth, MD 92</i>
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4th Day Coordinator	<i>David Wissman, MD 89</i>
Music Coordinator	<i>Earl Buffaloe, MD 88</i>
Palanca Coordinator	<i>Liz Brodell, MD 95</i>
Pre-Cursillo Rep	VACANT
Spiritual Advisor	VACANT
Weekend Coordinator	<i>Robyn Mayfield, MD 85</i>

### Maryland Episcopal Cursillo Website

<http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org/>

The Maryland Episcopal Cursillo website is a great way to keep in touch with the Cursillo community!

Information on special events, upcoming weekends, candidate and team lists, updates to the Secretariat & Servant Community contact list, forms and other items of interest are available for easy reference. You can even read the recent issues of the MEC newsletter, *The Abrazo*, online at your convenience.

Please be sure to visit us at <http://www.cursillo.ang-md.org>

### Monthly Ultreyas

**1st Friday, 7:30 PM**

**Church of the Ascension**

**Chrysalis Gathering**

23 N. Court St, Westminster, MD

Contact: *Becky Fisher, MD 21 (410-876-7672)*  
or visit [www.mdchrysalis.org/](http://www.mdchrysalis.org/)

**1st Saturday, 7 PM**

**Christ the King Episcopal Church**

1930 Brookdale Road, Woodlawn, MD

Contact: *Jim Stultz, MD 85 (410-636-7377)*

**APRIL - AUGUST - NOVEMBER**

**St. Peter's Episcopal Church**

3695 Rogers Ave, Ellicott City, MD

Contact: *Greg Fraser, MD ?? (410-730-0567)*

**MARCH - JUNE - SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER**

**1st Saturday, 7 PM**

**St. John's Episcopal Church**

114 N Union Ave, Havre de Grace, MD 21078

Contact: *Sarah Ingalls-Howard, MD 100*

*410-939-2107 or www.stjohnshdg.org*

**1st Sunday, 3 PM**

**St. John's Episcopal Church**

52 Broadway, Frostburg, MD

Contact: *Daphne Gooding (301-245-4705) or*  
*Donald Goldbloom (301-895-3780)*

**3rd Friday, 7 PM**

**St. Martin's-in-the-Field Episcopal Church**

375 Benfield Road, Severna Park, MD

Contact: *Wadi & Kathy Skidmore-Williams*

**3rd Saturday, 7 PM**

**Harford County Ulteya**

**St. John's Episcopal Church**

114 N Union Ave, Havre de Grace, MD 21078

Contact: *Sarah Ingalls-Howard, MD 100*

*410-939-2107 or www.stjohnshdg.org*

**3rd Sunday, 12 Noon**

**Christ Episcopal Church**

3100 Broome's Island Rd, Port Republic, MD

Contact: *Murray Cheston (410-326-3596)*

**4th Friday, 7:30 PM**

**St. James' Parish**

5757 Solomons Island Rd, Lothian, MD

Contact: *Joe Carta (410-610-1270)*





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- MEC Secretariat & Servant Community Meets** \_\_\_\_\_ **March 2 and April 6, 2013 - 10 a.m.**  
*Remember, all Cursillistas are invited to attend!* *The Episcopal Church of Christ the King, Woodlawn, MD*
- MD Weekend 104 CANDIDATE Applications DUE** \_\_\_ **March 25, 2013**
- MD Weekend 104 Team Commissioning** \_\_\_\_\_ **To Be Announced**
- MD Weekend 104 (a Men's Weekend)** \_\_\_\_\_ **April 25 - 28, 2013**  
*The Claggett Center, Buckeystown, MD*  
 April 25 - 7:30 p.m.  
 April 28 - 6:45 a.m.  
 April 28 - 3:45 p.m.
- Sponsors Service*  
*Las Mananitas*  
*Clausura*
- MD Weekend 104 Reunion Ultreya** \_\_\_\_\_ **May 11, 2013**  
**& MEC 4th Day Workshop** \_\_\_\_\_ *St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Pasadena, MD*
- 2013 Annual Diocesan Ultreya** \_\_\_\_\_ **October 5, 2012**  
*The Claggett Center, Buckeystown, MD*
- MD Weekend 105** \_\_\_\_\_ **October 24 - 27, 2013**  
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