



**Support United Cursillo #91 and #92 at
Woodbury United Methodist Church**

The Men's Cursillo #91 will take place November 5-8. The Sunday morning serenade (5:30 a.m.) is open to SPONSORS ONLY, and the evening serenade (5:30 p.m.) is open to the entire 4th Day Cursillo Community. The weekend theme is *"As high as the sky is above the Earth, so great is God's love. As far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our sins from us."* Psalm 103:11,12.

Women's Cursillo #92 will be November 12-15. The weekend theme is *"Not by might nor by power, but by my spirit," says the Lord of Hosts.*" (Zech. 4:6). The Sunday 5:30 a.m. serenade is for sponsors only, while the Sunday evening serenade is for the Fourth Day Community at 5:30 p.m.

Woodbury UMC is located at 7465 Steepleview Rd. Take I-494 to Valley Creek Rd., which is 1 exit south of I-94. Go east on Valley Creek to the 3rd stoplight (Target will be on the left). Turn RIGHT on Queens. Continue 4 Blocks south, and turn left at the 4-way stop, which is Steepleview Rd. One Block and you're there! Look for the only steeple in Woodbury.

Please call the team rectors to see how you may assist the team with special Palanca such as food contributions towards some of the meals or time commitments to help with the Agape Dinner or clean-up.

Need Palanca Ideas? Please call:

Men's Weekend #91

- Cecil Selness (rector)..... (H) 942-0841..... (W) 282-2275
- Tod Paulson (kitchen rector)..... (H) 252-7210..... (W) 253-6579
- Russ Redman (4th day rector)..... (H) 473-8702..... (W) 376-2306
- Tom Hagen (palanca rector)..... (H) 473-8715..... (W) 553-1477

Women's Weekend #92

- Mary Edlund (rectora)..... (H) 544-9752..... (W) 870-0058
- Virginia Carter (kitchen rectora)..... (H) 935-2693
- Nan Beard (4th day rectora)..... (H) 473-8765
- Nancy Fravel (palanca rectora)..... (H) 436-6582

Remember that to palanca time to the teams is always appreciated. Assist the Palanca team on Stations of the Cross or in chapel coverage. Palanca food or garden flowers or cooking or serving or washing dishes to the Kitchen team. Assist the 4th Day team in set-up for the Agape dinner or music for the Closura or in cleanup afterwards. However, please contact the appropriate team leader to coordinate this effort.

Remember to nurture and support all the participants going through on these weekends from your own churches afterwards. Perhaps one of the greatest gifts you can give them is to help them find renewal groups.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! All 4th Dayers

One of the surprises and moving experiences for the weekenders is to find out how many people are in prayer and support of their weekend through the notes that are read in the Rollo Room. Please give some thought about sending a short note. Some of you may like to honor the weekenders with a palanca contribution to a food shelf, homeless shelter or a charity of your choice. Or ... you might like to enclose a check with your palanca note to help cover the weekend expenses. Checks can be made out to United Cursillo# ___. I will make sure both the notes and other palanca are delivered in time for each week-end.

Address your palanca to:

Men of United Cursillo # ___
Women of United Cursillo # ___

Mail to:

Jean Girardot, 3545 Girard Ave. S., Mpls., MN 55408

Palanca Note

When sending palanca to the Rollo Room, be sure to include enough for *8 at each table*. There are always 6 tables, unless specially noted on page 1 of The Palanca Press (sometimes an extra women's table is added). There are also 7 or 8 at the leadership table in the Rollo Room.

United Men's #91 Team Roster

Rector:

Cecil Selness, *Hope Presbyterian*

Assistant Rector:

Rex Cooper, *Hope Presbyterian*

Rick Ellis, *Savage UMC*

Dick Middleton, *Christ Presbyterian*

Spiritual Directors:

Richard Townsend-Anderson, *Fairbault Congregational*

Norm Lidke, *Shakopee & Chaska UMC*

Music Director:

David Olson, *Hope Presbyterian*

Rollistas:

Mark Ogawa, *Golden Valley UMC*

Paul Pederson, *Hobart UMC*

Paul Schwamb, *Eagan Evangelical Covenant*

Steven Benjamin, *Riverside Presbyterian*

Bob Olson, *Eagan Evangelical Covenant*

John Prin, *Christ Presbyterian*

Table Leaders:

Dean Adolph, *Christ Presbyterian*

Rudy Dick, *Faith Covenant*

John Fedora, *Hope Presbyterian*

Duane Malmstrom, *Minnnetonka UMC*

Ralph Manuel,

Loren Schulz, *Golden Valley UMC*

Palanca Rector:

Tom Hagen, *Wayzata Evangelical Free*

Assistant Rector:

Paul Gladfelter, *Fairmont Evangelical Covenant*

Spiritual Director:

Palanca Team:

Tom Allen, *Aldrich Presbyterian*

Charles Brandt,

Red Dolan, *Golden Valley UMC*

Myron Gilbertson,

Jim Grimes, *Hope Presbyterian*

Scott Hammersley, *Rochester Evangel UMC*

Mark Heimkes, *Faith Covenant*

Dick LaSalle, *Aldrich Presbyterian*

Bob Mueller, *Christ Presbyterian*

Blair Weimer, *Aldrich Presbyterian*

Kitchen Rector:

Tod Paulson, *Riverside Presbyterian*

Assistant Rector:

Scott Stamp, *Riverside Presbyterian*

Kitchen Team:

Andrew Benjamin, *Normandale Hylands UMC*

Richard Davis, *Hope Presbyterian*

Robert Dopkins, *Hope Covenant, St. Cloud*

Mike Jacobson, *Plymouth Covenant*

Tim McCarthy, *Hope Presbyterian*

Keith Olson, *Hope Covenant, St. Cloud*

John Peterson, *Rochester Evangelical*

Dave Wales, *People's Congregational*

Roger Wehrauch, *Riverside Presbyterian*

Tom Weavers, *Rochester Evangelical*

4th Day Rector:

Russ Redman, *Wayzata Evangelical Free*

Assistant Rector:

Scott Smith, *Hennepin Ave. UMC*

4th Day Team:

Brad Beckman, *Eagan Evangelical Covenant*

Phil Bolton, *Normandale Hylands UMC*

Greg Cornell, *Hope Presbyterian*

Gary Dietrich, *Eagan Evangelical Covenant*

Paul Engstrom, *1st Presbyterian, Stillwater*

Dick Hamblin, *Colonial Church at Heritage Square*

Mike Haraldson, *1st UMC, Stillwater*

LeRoy Salzman, *Wyoming UMC*

Jim Taylor, *Wayzata Evangelical Free*

United Women's #92 Team Roster

Rectora:

Mary Edlund, Hopkins UMC

Assistant Rectora:

Carmella Anderson, Hopkins UMC

Colleen Bocchi, Hopkins UMC

Karen Schreiber, Wayzata Community

Spiritual Director:

Douglas Nicholas, Woodbury UMC

Assistant Spiritual Director:

Allan Vrieze, Chatfield UMC, Rochester

Music Director:

Debra Johansen, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Cheryl Larson, Evangelical Covenant, St. Cloud

Rollistas:

Jeanne Lyner, Stillwater Presbyterian

Judy Kocher, Oak Grove Presbyterian

Dawn Ramstad, Hennepin Ave. UMC

Martha Wales, People's Congregational

Jo West, Hopkins UMC

Sonya Worner, Hopkins UMC

Table Leaders:

Donna Barlass, Stillwater Presbyterian

Kaye Cusick, Minnetonka UMC

Jeannie Juusola, Minnetonka UMC

Margaret Lonergan, St. Croix Valley UMC

Judie Springer, Evangel. UMC, Rochester

Ginger Trickett, Wayzata Community

Palanca Rectora:

Nancy Fravel, St. Croix Valley UMC

Assistant Rectora:

Jill Hornickel, Stillwater Presbyterian

Spiritual Director:

Kay Lindahl, People's Congregational, Bayport

Palanca Team:

Ruth Davini, Plymouth Congregational

Dinah Haag, 1st UMC, Lindstrom

Kathy Holland, Fairmont Covenant

Nancy Lawton, St. Croix Valley UMC

Joan Meyer, St. Croix Valley UMC

Judy Mortensen, Hastings UMC

Florence Peterka, People's Congregational

Lois Polley, Hennepin Ave. UMC

Kitty Reichert, 1st Presbyterian, Stillwater

Sandi Rosso, Promise Congregational

Kitchen Rectora:

Virginia Carter, Excelsior Covenant

Assistant Rectora:

Cathy Gladfelter, Fairmont Covenant

Kitchen Team:

Marcia Armstrong, Church of the Open Door

Sandy Cook, Woodbury UMC

Nancy Fields, Hopkins UMC

Deanne Gueblaoui, Woodbury UMC

Sandy Harrison, Minnetonka UMC

Lynette Johnson, Excelsior Covenant

Shari Tivy, Minnetonka UMC

Robin Carlson, Wayzata Community

Stephanie Wing, Wayzata Community

4th Day Rectora:

Nan Beard, Wayzata Community

Assistant Rectora:

Patti Ward, Hastings UMC

4th Day Team:

Pam Andrews, Hastings UMC

Mary Bezdichek, Hastings UMC

Linda Gathright, Hastings UMC

Jeanette Lopez, Wayzata Community

Linda Sarazin, Faith UMC, W. St. Paul

Kit Schmoker, Plymouth Congregational

Bettie Striener, Fairmont Covenant

Kathy Stouvenal, Woodbury UMC

Paula Uvodich, Oak Grove Presbyterian

Carol Vick, Hope Presbyterian

Singles Ultreyas

The Singles Cursillo Community meets for renewal and the fellowship of other Cursillistas on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 5:30 P.M. All are welcome! Just bring yourself, some food to share, your songbook, nametag and Cursillo Cross. Upcoming ultreyas are:

Nov. 14 Redeemer Lutheran, 61 NE Mississippi Way, Fridley
Contact: Bob Everhart 754-1354

Dec. 12 St. Philips Lutheran, 6180 NE Hwy 65, Fridley
Contact: Norma Jean Falink 574-9407

Jan. 9, '93 First Lutheran, Hwy 61 & Co. Rd. E, White Bear Lake
Contact: Richard Wahlstrom 653-0467

If you have any questions about an ultreya, call the host listed for each month.

Participant List from United Cursillo #89 at Colonial and #90 at Christ Presbyterian

Mary Bakken, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Steven & Patty Barnstead, *Promise Congregational, Apple Valley*
Chuck & Jody Bartlett, *Lydia Zion UMC*
Doug & Jodi Berg, *Oak Grove Presbyterian*
Glen & Marilyn Blanchard, *Wayzata Evang. Free*
Jim & Joan Carroll, *Oak Grove Presbyterian*
Lannie & Judy Cragg, *Wayzata Evangelical Free*
Connie Dam, *Crosstown Covenant*
Charlie & Anne Dundas, *Rosemount UMC*
Scott Eggen, *Our Lady of Victory, Fergus Falls*
Jim Frisbee, *Rosemount UMC*
David & Barbara Gowin, *St. Croix Valley UMC*
Elaine Griebenow, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Linda Hargrove, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Dennis & Kathy Harvey, *Excelsior Covenant*
Les & Nancy Hoffman, *Hastings UMC*
Kate Hornsby, *Hennepin Ave. UMC*
Mark & Nancy Hunsley, *Wayzata Evangelical Free*
Lyle & Pamela Jensen, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Wayne & Marlyce Johnson, *Faith Covenant*
Frank & Carol Jordan, *Hope Presbyterian*
David & Toni Kahn, *Eagan Covenant*

Dean & Alice Kevern, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Greg & Sharon Krieger, *Evang. Cov., N. Mankato*
Gene & Vicky Limesand, *Promise Congregational*
Chris & Bonnie Lough, *Hope Presbyterian*
Andrean Matter, *Rochester Covenant*
Mike & Katie McElroy, *Christ Presbyterian*
John Mills, *Arlington UMC*
Helen Morrison, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Doug Nelson, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Jerry & Donna Neumann, *1st UMC, Lindstrom*
Sean & Kristin Powers, *Shiloh Bethany Presb.*
David & Kaye Pramann, *Buffalo UMC*
Bryan & Becky Rice, *Evang. Cov., N. Mankato*
Harry & Karen Rowley, *Hennepin Ave. UMC*
Josie Sacripant, *Rosemount UMC*
Steve & Bev Sellnow, *Evang. Cov., N. Mankato*
Russ & Twylla Selmer, *Normandale Highlands UMC*
Bob & Marjory Shields, *Brooklyn UMC*
Terry & Nancy Simon, *Hennepin Ave. UMC*
Beth Sorenson, *Arlington UMC*
Jan Taylor, *Colonial Church of Edina*
Ron & Sue Trainis, *Christ Presbyterian*
Mark & Sue Walinske, *Christ Presbyterian*

Convener's Comments

As I was thinking about writing my comments, I reflected on the two weekends that were recently completed. A couple things stand out about those weekends.

The first is the cooperation of the host churches. We owe a tremendous debt to both Colonial Church of Edina and Christ Presbyterian for hosting the men's and women's weekends respectively on such short notice. My understanding is that both churches had activities scheduled which were able to be successfully worked around. Both churches are excellent facilities, and their proximity to each other enabled us to host the two weekends in separate churches with a minimum interruption to each.

The second comment that I want to make is about the closuras. Every time I attend a closura, my cursillo experience is renewed. This is part of what makes cursillo different from a retreat. If the cursillo experience ended with the weekend, there would be very little difference between it and other retreats. The fact that we can renew our experience by participating in closuras, ultreyas, and renewal groups sets us apart. We can continue the process of growing in our relationship with Christ. I want to encourage you to make attendance at closuras and ultreyas a priority. If you have already made it a priority, consider inviting a new cursillista to attend with you. It is another way you can "pass it on".

See you at the next closural!

Doug Dahl
Convener

T.E.C.

For information about T.E.C. (Teens Encounter Christ) the following people can be contacted:

Southern TEC (serving Southern MN and Northern Iowa): Linda Balk 507-377-2447
TEC in the Twin Cities area: Sarah Jones 926-2311

From the Editor:

I have a confession to make: For 7 years I received each issue of the Palanca Press with excitement, but rarely with any questioning of "Who does this, anyway?" I humbly apologize to all previous editors, and I don't even know who you all are!

In the past year, I've learned what those Editors did! And now the Cursillo Council has approved my recruitment of a team of Cursillistas who would like to be involved in helping put out The Palanca Press. In order to support the teams and weekends, this information is vital to the 4th Day Community. In the last mailing, over 2600 newsletters were sent, and we add approximately 40 more after each set of weekends.

I am praying that some of you will call and ask how you can help on a regular basis (4-5 times per year). These are some possible areas of involvement:

- *gathering information*
- *computer entry*
- *stapling (electric)*
- *picking up and sorting mailing labels*
- *gathering a group of folks to label & bag*
- *delivery to bulk mail center*

PLEASE call me if you want to know more (421-3992)!!

Regarding the September issue: I heard many comments that people had not received their September issue of the Palanca Press until the women's weekend was in progress (Sept. 25), and some not at all. The mailing went out August 31st. I called the bulk mail center and 1 local post office, but received no help in tracking down the problem. The last I heard, 55124 was still missing. My goal this year has been to get the Press out 2-3 weeks before the men's weekends to allow for some mail delays that have been reported in certain areas. If you feel that you are repeatedly getting your newsletter late, please check your label to see if we have accurate information. If the label is ok, you may contact me, so I can try to see if there are problems in specific zip code zones.

I welcome any Cursillo-related articles or news. My address is on the last page.

Kathy Dyrdal
Editor

Cursillo Weekend Watch

Weekend:	#91 (Men's)	#92 (Women's)	#93 (Men's)	#94 (Women's)
Date (1992):	Nov. 6-8	Nov. 12-15	Jan. 28-31, 1993	Feb. 4-7, 1993
Location:	Woodbury UMC	Woodbury UMC	Faith Covenant, Burnsville	Faith Covenant, Burnsville
Rector(a):	Cecil Selness	Mary Edlund	Steve Wirth	
Spiritual Dir.:	Richard Townsend-Anderson	Doug Nicholas		
Asst. S.D.:	Norm Lidke	Allan Vrieze	Bruce Ruggles	
Palanca S.D.:		Kay Lindahl	Mike Dyrdal	
Application Dates:	Aug.25-Sept.22	Aug.25-Sept.22	Nov. 17-Dec. 15(92)	Nov. 17-Dec. 15(92)
Weekend:	#95 (Men's)	#96 (Women's)	#97 (Men's)	#98 (Women's)
Date (1993):	April 15-18, 1993	April 22-25, 1993	July 15-18, 1993	July 22-25, 1993
Location:				
Rector(a):				
Spiritual Dir.:	Rick Mylander			
Asst. S.D.:	Lavern Johnson	Sharon Johnson		
Palanca S.D.:	Steve McDougal			
Application Dates:	Feb.2-March 2	Feb.2-March 2	May 4-June 1	May 4-June 1
Weekend:	#99 (Men's)	#100 (Women's)	#101 (Men's)	#102 (Women's)
Date (1993):				
Location:				
Rector(a):				
Spiritual Dir.:				
Asst. S.D.:				
Palanca S.D.:				
Application Dates:				

Note to Clergy: The Spiritual Director and other clergy positions are the most difficult slots to fill on any Cursillo Weekend. If one of these weekends can be worked into your schedule and you would like to serve, please contact a member of the Minnesota United Cursillo Council Leadership Development Committee: Doug Dahl, Convener (454-8127), Rev. Jeff Utecht (Hastings UMC, H: 437-3607), Rev. Deb DeMeester (Oak Grove Presbyterian, H: 829-0549).

Note to Church Liaisons: All applications for weekenders should be sent to Trish Madison, 7329 Dupont Ave. S, Richfield, MN 55423 (869-3932, W: 920-3224)

Stillwater Evangelical Free will Join the United Community

On each set of United Cursillo weekends, slots are allowed for the clergy couple and one lay couple of the next new church from the waiting list. Please support these soon-to-be 4th Dayers with your prayers and palanca:

Rev. Dave and Myrna Kiel, *Stillwater Evangelical Free*
John and Joyce Stearns (*lay couple*), *Stillwater Evangelical Free*

United Cursillo Team Request Form

If you are interested in *servicing* on a United Cursillo team, or would like to *suggest* another 4th Dayer, please fill out this form and mail to

Gary Dockter
1533 Quentin Ave. S.
Lakeland, MN 55043

Your name will be passed on to future rectors/rectoras. This form does not guarantee that you will be asked to serve -- it simply means that your name and this information will be passed on to appropriate team leaders. If you have not been called within six months of submitting this form, or have had to decline serving on a team when called, it is suggested that you send in a new completed form (they are not usually carried forward from team to team).

Please Identify Request Type: Volunteer(self) 4th Dayer suggestion

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Team Preference:

Table Leader Rollista Kitchen Team

4th Day Team Palanca Team No preference

Single's Weekend Standard Weekend (Men/Women)

Musical Talent _____

Other Comments _____

Previous Team Experience _____

Name/Location of your church _____

Future Cursillo Weekend Preferences (Team #'s) _____

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