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News of Unidos En Cristo, formerly United Cursillo Community of Minnesota

June 1999

SUPPORT UNIDOS EN CRISTO #155 AND #156

HOPE COVENANT*
336 4TH AVENUE, SOUTH, ST CLOUD, MN
(612) 251-7238

Men's Unidos En Cristo #155 will be June 10th - 13th, 1999. The weekend theme is "Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me." (Psalm 51:10)

Women's Unidos En Cristo #156 will be June 17th - 20th, 1999. The weekend theme is, "I will sing to the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live." (Psalm 104:33)



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The Sunday morning serenade is open to Sponsors only. The Sunday dinner serenade, open to the entire Fourth Day Community, will be at 4:30 p.m.

Need Palanca Ideas?

You might want to assist the Palanca team with prayer support... offer to help cook, serve, or wash dishes for the Kitchen team... assist the 4th Day team in setup/clean-up before/after the Agape dinner, or after the Sunday morning serenade or the Sunday evening Clausura.

♥ Please contact the appropriate team Rector/Rectora to coordinate your efforts with their needs. ♥

Men's Weekend # 155

0	Scott Stamp	(Rector)	(320) 251-7673
٠	Mark Sjai	(Kitchen Rector)	(320) 253-0453
•	Donald Sankey	(4th Day Rector)	(320) 259-1760
9	Roger Pickering	(Palanca Rector)	(612) 434-3586

Women's Weekend #156

•	Linda Paulson	(Rectora)	(320) 252-7210
0	Karen Painter	(Kitchen Rectora)	(320) 252-5446
•	Joanne Reinhart	(4th Day Rectora)	(320) 253-0332
9	Sue Heysse	(Palanca Rectora)	(320) 251-0031

The Kitchen Team has requested palanca of food, more specifically: 24 bottles Catawba juice; and, 115 baking potatoes.

Note

There will be SIX tables at both the Men's and Women's weekend (48 Weekenders and team). When sending palanca to the Rollo Room, be sure to include enough for eight at each table, AND eight at the Leadership table. Palanca for the Rollo Room must include enough for all weekenders and team or it cannot be distributed in the Rollo Room, but will go direct to the weekender Palanca bags.

Palanca

^{*}Directions to church: Hwy 94 West to St Cloud exit (Hwy 75). Follow street directions to St Cloud State University. The church is just a few blocks south of the campus.

Attention 4th Dayers!!

Just think about how many people support Unidos En Cristo. Hundreds of letters from prisons and other Christian "walks" around the country and the world arrive for each Weekend! Please prayerfully think about the palanca you send for the upcoming Weekends. You might write an encouraging note... honor the Weekenders with a contribution to a food shelf, homeless shelter, or favorite charity... or, consider enclosing a check with a palanca note to help cover the weekend expenses. Checks can be made out to Unidos En Cristo #155 or #156.

Address your palanca to:

Men of Unidos En Cristo #155 or Women of Unidos En Cristo #156

Mail to:

Don Harper, 5401 Scenic Heights Drive, Minnetonka, MN 55345

Please allow adequate time for mail delivery! Palanca will be delivered in time for each weekend.

UNIDOS EN CRISTO MEN'S #155 TEAM ROSTER

Rector

Scott Stamp, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Assistant Rectors

Tod Paulson, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Mark Johansen, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Sheldon Manthei, Crossroads Community

Spiritual Directors

Kevin Dunn, Milaca United Methodist Denis Audet, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Music Directors

Duke Lunden, Colonial Church of Edina Mark Magnuson, Colonial Church of Edina

Rollistas

Herman Bakker, Calvary Lutheran, Mora Mark Heysse, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Dyer Powell, Zion Lutheran, Buffalo Mike Anderson, Crosstown Covenant Jim Rorvick, Brooklyn United Methodist

Table Leaders

Steve Coenen, Salem Covenant, New Brighton Ray Schwartz, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Willis Wood, Communion Life Fellowship, St Cloud Mark Miller, Crosstown Covenant Blair Weimer, Aldrich Avenue Presbyterian Phil Touhey, Minnetonka United Methodist

Palanca Rector

Roger Pickering, Crossroads Evangelical Covenant

Assistant Palanca Rector

Dave Kamphenkel, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Palanca Spiritual Director

Del Kurtz, Buffalo United Methodist

Palanca Music Director

John Reinhart, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Palanca Team

Steve Schirmers, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Ron Moore, Spirit of Hope United Methodist Keith Docherty, Buffalo United Methodist Brian Peterson, Crosstown Covenant Jeffrey Schwietering, Buffalo United Methodist Jerry Quaal, Buffalo Covenant Jeff Ellis, Spirit of Hope United Methodist Douglas Edson, Brooklyn United Methodist

Co-Kitchen Rectors

Mark Sjai, St Francis Xavier, Sartell Joe Watrin, St Wendelin Catholic, Luxemberg

Kitchen Team

Mike Schneider, Hope Covenant
Rich Carlson, Glendale United Methodist
Brad Stamp, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell
Roger Weihrauch, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell
Tom Grace, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell
Gerald Strating, First Presbyterian, St Cloud
Kenneth Olson
Darwin Larimore, Minnetonka United Methodist
Dave Pramawn, Buffalo United Methodist
Lawrence O'Flanagan, Buffalo United Methodist

4th Day Rector

Donald Sankey, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Assistant 4th Day Rector

Darrell Armbrust, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

4th Day Team

Bob Slaney, Hope Covenant, St Cloud
Dick Mowe, Hope Covenant, St Cloud
Roy Wendland, Riverside Presbyterian, St Cloud
Terry Miller, Hope Covenant, St Cloud
Randy Stellmach, Communion Life Fellowship, St Cloud
Todd Bakke, Church of the Open Door, Crystal
Ron Johnson, Hope Covenant, St Cloud
Robert Fallat, Minnetonka United Methodist
Chuck Allman, Quamba Baptist

UNIDOS EN CRISTO WOMEN'S #156 TEAM ROSTER

Rectora

Linda Paulson, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Assistant Rectoras

Lucia Stamp, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Pam Schirmers, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Kerry Manthei, Crossroads Community

Spiritual Directors

Rev Arden Johnson, Faith United UCC, International Falls Rev Judith Lund, Wayzata Community

Music Directors

Cheryl Larson, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Deb Johansen, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Rollistas

Norma Krats, Faith United UCC, International Falls Grace Audet, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Pam Patton, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Kaye Cusick, Minnetonka United Methodist Virginia Leih, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Table Leaders

Carol Ulring, Bethlehem Lutheran, St Cloud Eunice Sankey, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Barbara Barnes, First Presbyterian, Stillwater Mary Johnson, Faith United UCC, International Falls Kathy Watrin, St Wendelin Catholic, Luxemberg Jan Schmidt, Fridley Covenant Jill Michael, Brooklyn United Methodist

Palanca Rectora

Sue Heysse, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Assistant Palanca Rectora

Gail Mossmann, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Palanca Spiritual Director

Rev Victoria Ashley, Princeton United Methodist

Palanca Music Director

Sharon Lund, Hope Covenant,. St Cloud

Palanca Team

Vickie Gleason, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Paula Lanphier, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Betty Hendrickson, Church of Christ, Kimball Marie Grace, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Barb McPhail, Bethlehem Lutheran, St Cloud Sandy Stamp, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Raquel Reep, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Wendy Lamar, Minnetonka United Methodist Carol Averbeck, Buffalo Covenant

Kitchen Rectora

Karen Painter, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Assistant Kitchen Rectora

Kathy Garelcik, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell

Kitchen Team

Janet Albrecht, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Helen Elieff, Hope Presbyterian, Richfield Suzanne Moldenhauer, Hope Presbyterian, Richfield Misa Olson

Val Knopp-Pederson, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Kay Pramann, Buffalo United Methodist Ethel Randall, Riverside Presbyterian, Sartell Mary Schneider, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Carole Wood, Communion Life Fellowship, St Cloud Barb DeLorme, First Presbyterian, Stillwater

4th Day Rectora

Joanne Reinhart, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Assistant 4th Day Rectora

Barb Kaasa, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

4th Day Team

Bev Mowe, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Caroline Johnson, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Linda Ziebarth, Hope Covenant, St Cloud Noel White, First Presbyterian, Stillwater Diane Reed, Communion Life Fellowship, St Cloud Gail Weems, Fridley Covenant Georgia Docherty, Buffalo United Methodist Darla O'Flanagan, Buffalo United Methodist Sherly Bakke, Church of the Open Door, Crystal Kathy Armbrust, Hope Covenant, St Cloud

Singles Ultreyas

The Singles Unidos en Cristo Community meets for renewal and fellowship on the 2nd Saturday of each month at 5:30 PM. Everyone is welcome. Wear your Cursillo Cross, bring your song book, name tag, and a dish to share. Questions please call the Host listed below. Upcoming Ultreyas are:

June 12thTrinity Lutheran, StillwaterHost: Judy Laabs-Foss- 651-429-6762July 10thHouse of Prayer Lutheran, RichfieldHost: Layton Hoff- 612-869-5605August 14thHouse of Hope Lutheran, New HopeHost: Tom Erickson- 612-535-5993

PARTICIPANT LIST FROM UNIDOS EN CRISTO #153 AND #154

Normandale Hylands United Methodist, Bloomington, Minnesota

Robert and Linda Benson, Watertown Evangelical Free Don and Julie Boots, Hope Presbyterian, Richfield James Cada and Susanne Egli, Wayzata Community Daye and Lin Calof, Hosanna Lutheran, Lakeville Rev Daniel and Carol Calrson, Brooklyn Park Evangelical Free Deane and Kay Christianson, First Presbyterian, Albert Lea Scott and Tracy Doely, Stillwater Evangelical Free Tim and Diane Doyle, Brooklyn Park Evangelical Free Jean Eisele, St Croix Valley United Methodist Wes and Jan Evans, Normandale Hylands United Methodist Mary Forslin, Hope Presbyterian Gary and Janice Greening, Normandale Hylands UMC Rick and Kim Groomes, Colonial Church of Edina Scott Hochstedler, Woodridge Church Douglas and Gail Hoffmann, Rosemount United Methodist Brian and Heather Hubbard, Wayzata Evangelical Free Darrell and Bonnie Hutson, Rosemount United Methodist Kenneth and Vi Johnson, Hope Presbyterian, Richfield Mark and Ann Johnson, Valley Christian, Apple valley Rev Paul and Emery Kling, Watertown Evangelical Free John and Sheryl Lecy, Stillwater Evangelical Free

Gary and Sandy Lostetter, Wayzata Evangelical Free Gregg Lukoskie and Jane Zins, Plymouth Covenant Steven and Karen Lund, Faith Covenant, Burnsville Wallace and Mary McKelvey, Plymouth Covenant Douglas Olson, Crossroads United Methodist, Lakeville Lloyd and Mary Jean Pearson, Hopkins United Methodist Wayne and Sue Peterson, First Presbyterian, Albert Lea Andrew and Tracy Rascher, First Presbyterian, Maple Plain Tery Rolek, Minnetonka United Methodist William and Erma Scarff, Faith Presbyterian, Minnetonka Kitch Shatzer, First Presbyterian, Stillwater Todd and Jeanne Sjoquist, Valley Christian, Apple Valley John Swan, Colonial Church of Edina John and Linda Thiewes, Wayzata Evangelical Free Lynn Trench, Evangelical Covenant, North Mankato Jan Wlaschin, Crossroads United Methodist Paul Wood, Fairmont Evangelical Covenant Chad and Shelley Yost, Crossroads United Methodist Brian and Shelli Zeglen, Minnewashta Church Gina Larimore, Minnetonka United Methodist



UNITED TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST (UTEC) is an opportunity for teenagers (grades 10-12 recommended) to share their faith with other teens in a way patterned after Cursillo/Unidos En Cristo. If you would like to serve as an Adult Leader on a weekend — as a Table Leader (ATL); an Adult Leader for the Kitchen, Wheat (TEC's prayer warriors) or Support (TEC's 4th Day) team, please call:

UTEC Convenor	Doug Grabham	926-3459	22-25 Jul 1999	TEC #44	Hosanna Lutheran
Weekender Apps	Kathy Turgeon	891-1428	29-31 Oct 1999	TEC #45	Minnetonka United Methodist
Adult Team Apps	Doug Grabham	926-3459	28-30 Jan 2000	TEC #46	Christ Presbyterian
Youth Team Apps	Bobo Burns	927-7545	Apr-2000	TEC #47	To be determined

Memorials given in memory of Cursillistas may be sent to the Unidos En Cristo Council Treasurer and will be acknowledged in the Palanca Press. Please send memorials to: David Tellett, Treasurer, 3409 Yosemite Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55416. If you know of a Cursillista who has entered his or her *Fifth Day*, please call Marie Wilson, Editor (612-835-0301) for names to be included in the Palanca Press. Others in the Fourth Day Community may have no other way of knowing special friends in Christ have now entered His glorious presence.

In Loving Memory

We celebrate the life of our sisters, Carol Hull (#54) and Nancy Patton (#134) who have entered their *Fifth Day* and are in our Lord's glorious Presence.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

At our April council meeting when it was time for Marie Wilson to report on Communications she mentioned that the deadline for the June Palanca Press was May 13th . One of my responsibilities as Convenor is to write this article for each "Palanca Press". It seems that sometimes I know what I want to say and other times it is more difficult. This is one of those times. As time went by I realized I was approaching the deadline so I had to think of something. It occurred to me that if there was not a deadline I could have gone on indefinitely pondering, contemplating, searching, delaying, procrastinating, etc. I started to think of other areas in my life that I may need a "deadline". We all have things that we accomplish because of a real or self imposed drop dead date. Maybe the sale is going to be over ... this is the last chance to see it ... I have to have this done by ... It seems that in these fast paced times we are constantly making decisions based on what we perceive as deadlines. This helps provide order to our daily activities. Even still, as I am writing this, I wonder what things in my life get "repositioned" because they do not have a deadline. Do I put off alone time because something else "has" to be done? What about study time? Anyway, this Palanca Press deadline has caused me to evaluate areas in my life that need to be given deadlines. Thanks for helping me to notice this!

One other topic discussed at our last meeting concerned the generous support of the Fourth Day Community during weekends for things like Stations of the Cross and setting up for the Agape dinner. If you have participated in these events you know that the number of volunteers involved and the transformations that take place are amazing. It can also be a time of many people scurrying about working to meet a deadline. It is leadership's responsibility to insure these tasks are accomplished. In an effort to keep things running smoothly and on time, I encourage you to seek out the weekend leadership to see how your gift of service can best be utilized. Again, your gifts of time and talent are very much appreciated; however, please be sure to ask how you can best serve and support the current weekenders.

Serving God Together Paul Schwamb, Convenor (612-431-0883)

New Church to join the Unidos Community

A new church does not have Fourth Day support from its own congregation, please remember these special Weekenders with your prayers and Palanca.

Clergy Lay Couple Pastor Dale and Judith Cope Ronald and Valerie Anderson Stanchfield Baptist Church Stanchfield Baptist Church



Unidos En Cristo Weekend Watch

Weekend:	# 157 (Men)	# 158 (Women)	# 159 (Men)	# 160 (Women)
Date:			, ,	# 100 (Women)
Date.	August 19-22, 1999 Hope Presbyterian	August 26-29, 1999 Hope Presbyterian	November 4-7, 1999 Evangel UMC, Rochester	November 11-14, 1999 Evangel UMC, Rochester
Rector(a) Spiritual Director Asst. Spiritual Director Palanca Spiritual Director	Ralph Carter	Wendy Anzelmo	Jim Ross Mark Woodward	
Application Dates:	June 8 - July 6	June 8 - July 6	August 24 - September 21	August 24 - September 21
Weekend:	# 161 (Men)	# 162 (Women)	# 163 (Men)	# 164 (Women)
Date:	February 3-6, 2000 Colonial Church, Edina	February 10-13, 2000 Colonial Church, Edina	March 30-April 2, 2000 Brooklyn UMC	April 6-9, 2000 Brooklyn UMC
Rector(a) Spiritual Director Asst. Spiritual Director Palanca Spiritual Director				
Application Dates:	Nov 23 - December 21	Nov 23 - December 21	To be determined	To be determined

Weekender applications should be sent to:

Jackie Hall

(507) 367-2515

P.O. Box 205

Oronoco, MN 55960

Clergy Invitation to Serve

While Unidos en Cristo is primarily a lay movement, it cannot function without the support and presence of clergy. We need YOU! You demonstrate your support of this powerful gift of grace when you give the time to serve on a team. Please call Cindy Gregorson (682-3842) or Greg Iverson (776-1547) to volunteer.

4th Day Community Parking at Clausura's ... while some Host churches have ample overflow parking, others do not. Please be respectful of parking signs and/or 4th Day Community parking attendants when attending Unidos functions. As with all we do, this may be the only 'light of God' seen by some residents. Let your light shine positively for our Lord and Unidos en Cristo.

Unidos En Cristo Team Request Form

Use this form if you are interested in serving on a Unidos En Cristo team or would like to suggest another Fourth Dayer (One name per form only - Please feel free to make copies)

Team Covenant - Unidos En Cristo

As a team member I enter into a covenant with other team members to provide a grace-filled experience of Jesus Christ for the participating weekenders. Therefore, I pledge to the best of my ability and with God's help:

- to model a Christian lifestyle, using God's word as my guide,
- to maintain a team spirit, and
- to prayerfully support the leadership of the Rector/Rectora and Spiritual Directors during the months of preparation and the weekend itself.

I understand that the focus of Unidos En Cristo weekends must be on the weekenders so I am willing to set aside my individual preferences for the good of the team and for a weekend that gives glory to God.

Please identify request type: O Vol			teer Self O Fourth Dayer Suggestion		
Name:	Rev. Dr. Mr. M	Irs. Miss Ms. (c	Circle one		
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Home Phone:					
Weekend Preferen	nces (Date and/or	Team #)	Andrews		
Team Preference(s): O Tab	le Leader	0	Rollista	O Kitchen Team
	O 4th	Day Team	0	Palanca Team	O No Preference
	O Spir	ritual Director	0	Men's / Women's Weekend	O Singles Weekend
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Previous team exp	perience:		-1		
Date of most rece	nt team experien	ce:			
Musical talent:				***************************************	
Name / Location	of your church:				
Other comments:					
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This form does not guarantee you will be asked to serve – it simply means your name and this information will be passed on to weekend team leaders. **REMEMBER teams are formed 4-6 months prior to the weekend.** If you have not been called for an upcoming weekend after submitting this form or have had to decline serving on a team when called, *please send in a new completed form* as they may not be carried forward from team to team. (4/99)

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