



The Fourth Day Fall 2016

Growing Christ-Centered Leaders

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

My two-year term as Lay Director for Long Island Episcopal Cursillo ends on December 31st. I am humbled to have had the opportunity to serve: an opportunity which has truly deepened and strengthened my faith. I hope you, too felt the moving of the Spirit in your lives as we worked together.

And it **IS TOGETHER** that we have accomplished as much as we have in these past two years, trusting God to be our Guide. God has **indeed** given us a “**new**” **direction** for Cursillo on Long Island. It is exciting to think about the many steps we have taken as we “stepped out of our boats” and walked toward Jesus:

- 2 filled, vibrant, **English Speaking weekends**: Celebrating #100 and #101;
- 2 very successful and spirit-filled **Spanish weekends**: #99 and #102, with fund raising efforts that provided for each candidate to attend free of charge. Those weekends were paid in full!
- An **amazing Grand Ultreya**: 132 in attendance along with 28 former Rectors and Rectoras; New music introduced/ learned/ and our own local composers offering witnesses; food sponsored by all or our Ultreyas;
- A brand-new concept: **Retreats for all**: “Plan B” in 2015 and “Stepping Out of our Boats” in 2016;
- **Service projects initiated**: Where we worked as God’s hands and feet within our communities: An amazing coat and warm clothing drive late 2015 into 2016 and assisting the Food pantry efforts for the community surrounding St. Mark’s in Jackson Heights;
- **Church Visitations** for the purpose of exciting involvement of our seasoned Cursillistas and for generating new candidates for future weekends. **The Dialogues were Magnificent!**
- **Serving as Hosts** to the **Episcopal Cursillo Ministry Conference 2016 at Uniondale Marriott**: No small undertaking! Over 140 people in attendance from around the country; opening Eucharist celebrated by our own Bishop Provenzano; 10 different workshops and a panel discussion follow-up to The Rev. Winnie Varghese’s inspiring message about welcome and joy; A conference songbook; a Journal; a book store; a hard-working host committee which reached out into our wider community for assistance; palanca from all of our Ultreyas!

As I hope you can see, we have begun to allow ourselves to be guided by the Holy Spirit: and through His guidance, we have **embraced change**. Change is rarely easy. We always want things to stay the same – to only be about sponsoring candidates and running weekends. Cursillo is **MUCH MORE** than that. **We were Christians before we became Cursillistas**. What is God is calling us to do within our diocese, within our communities, within our world? There is much to be done!

CHANGE IS THE NEW NORMAL

I am grateful for the amazing support and love I have felt from all of you. I thank God for the hard work of Secretariat. And, I ask for your continued prayer as I transition into the next phase of my life – who knows what God has in store! In the meantime, please keep **Don Apgar and Secretariat 2017** in your prayers. Don is moving forward with some changes – specifically in the way that Secretariat is organized. Please stay tuned for updates as he moves forward.

One thing is certain: He cannot do it without God’s help and YOU!

May God Bless you all! See you around town!





L.I. Cursillo #103, March 30 - April 2, 2017

Luke 1:37 "FOR WITH GOD NOTHING SHALL BE IMPOSSIBLE"

CORE

Rectora:	Nancy Howland:	St. Mark's, Islip
Assistant:	Noel Brown:	St. Gabrielle's, Brooklyn
Head Spiritual Dir:	Fr. Walter Hillebrand:	Grace, Massapequa
Ass't Spiritual Dir:	Deacon Gail Kertland:	St. Mark's, Islip
Ass't Spiritual Dir:	Fr. Sully Guillaume-Sam:	St. Thomas, Brooklyn
Ass't Spiritual Dir:	Terrance Buckley:	St. Ann's Sayville
Kitchen Head:	Brenda Marshall:	St. Alban's Brooklyn
Table Head:	Pat Weickart:	St. Marks, Islip
Cha:	Marie Gonel:	St. Joseph's Queen's Village
Cha:	Nick Cox:	St. Gabriel's, Brooklyn
Music Trainer:	Rick Simpson:	St. Mark's, Islip
Music Trainee:	Cathy Somma:	St. Mary's, Lake Ronkonkoma

Kitchen Angels:

Rich Galante:	St. Luke's, Seacliff
Kay Alleyne:	St. Gabriel's, Brooklyn
Carol Wright:	St. Stephens, Port Washington
Sandra Wiley:	Trinity St. John's, Hewlett
Michael Savin:	Grace Church, Massapequa
Tivaun Cooper:	St. Albans, Brooklyn
Roxanne Adams:	St. Joseph's, Queens Village
Dan Molloy	St. Andrews, Yaphank

Table Leaders:

Marge Rogers:	St. Ann's, Sayville
Dave Cannon:	St. Marks, Islip
Lenora Brereton:	St. Augustine's, Brooklyn
Lorraine Buell:	Church of the Ascension, Rockville Centre
Michele Wiley:	Trinity St. John's, Hewlett
Bob White:	St. Mary's, Lake Ronkonkoma
Danny Petersen-Snyder:	St. Thomas, Farmingdale



Ultreya Meeting Venues

BROOKLYN: First Saturday 4:00 pm Jan/Apr/Jul/Oct.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church 1417 Union Street, (corner of Brooklyn Ave), Leaders: Jennifer Oliver (718)953-5073, Ingrid Scrubb (718)756-2216 **First Saturday 4:00 pm Feb/May/Aug/Nov**

St. George's Episcopal Church 800 Marcy Avenue, Leaders: Barbara Cardin (718) 444-7463

First Saturday 4:00 pm Mar/June/Sept/Dec St. Alban's Episcopal Church 9408 Farragut Road, Leaders: Linda McKay (718) 282-9531, Carol Patrick (718) 676-5401

St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church 331 Hawthorne Street, Leaders: Stephanie Glasgow (718) 434-9774
Audrey Cox (347) 350-9963 **Third Thursday 7:15pm every month**

QUEENS RAINBOW: Third Monday 7:30pm Jan/Apr/Jul/Oct.

Grace Church Jamaica, 153-24 90th Ave, Jamaica, Leaders: Jean Bain (917) 916-7964, Muriel Judge (718) 341-3735

Third Monday 7:30 pm Feb/May/Aug/Nov

St. Joseph's Episcopal Church 99-10 217th Lane, Queens Village Feb/May/Aug/Nov., Leaders: Kyomi McKeithen (718) 523-0310, Marie Gonel (718) 464-4970

Third Monday 7:30pm Mar/June/Sept/Dec.

St. James the Less 108 Ave & 166 St, Merrick Blvd Jamaica , Leader Merlene Briggs (917) 621-6908

NASSAU COUNTY: Fourth Saturday at 3:30 p.m.

Trinity St. John, Hewlett, 1142 Broadway, Hewlett, NY 11557, Leaders: Sandra Wiley (516) 644-0768

SUFFOLK COUNTY: Fourth Friday 7:30 pm

NORTH SHORE Caroline Church 1 Dyke Road, Setauket 11733, Leaders: David Lasek (631)423-3372, Roger Giacomini (631)398-7689

SOUTH SHORE Second Wednesday 7:30pm

St. Mark's Episcopal Church 754 Montauk Highway, Islip, Leaders: Fr. Rick Simpson (631) 581-4950, Terrence Buckley (631) 513-8978

BI-LINGUAL:

Third Thursday 7:30pm; every month

Church of the Redeemer 30-14 Crescent Street, Astoria, Leaders: Rita Silva (718) 274-1960,
Rev. Juan Quevedo (718) 278-8093

St. Andrew's Church 4917 4th Ave, Brooklyn, Leaders: Aracely Alvarado, Rev Francisco Rodriguez (718) 439-6056

Fourth Thursday 7:00 pm

Church of St. Matthew & St. Timothy 26 West 84 St, NYC, Leaders: Sara Fuentes (646) 662-0437



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