

Wondering about Cursillo?

Are there people you meet who just seem to “have it all together”?

Maybe you say about someone, “Whatever that person’s got, I want it!”

Or perhaps some person you see in church just gets a little bit more than others out of worship and service.

Chances are that person has benefited from a Cursillo weekend.

Cursillo is ...

...a weekend away from home during which you experience what Christian life is supposed to be.

...an opportunity to hear the Christian message fully, without distractions, in a nurturing environment.

...a chance to find out who Jesus wants to be for you

...an occasion for God to let you know who you are to him.

At a Cursillo weekend you will...

...receive the Christian message in a series of talks

...hear real stories of God’s promises fulfilled in the lives of people just like yourself

...discuss the talks about Christian faith in a small group of friends

...enjoy worship and fellowship in a relaxed, laid-back environment

Cursillo is available to...

...any adult person who has been confirmed as an Episcopalian or who is regularly worshiping in an Episcopal congregation

...clergy who want to help enliven faith and ministry in their congregation

...lay people who are engaged in ministry to and through the church

...anyone seeking a deeper quality of faith and response to God’s grace

Want to know more?

In the Diocese of Tennessee over the years hundreds of Episcopalians have attended a Cursillo weekend. Any of these people can answer questions about it, but the best first person to ask is your clergy in charge. He or she can also put you in touch with someone in your congregation who can share his/her experience of Cursillo with you. Basic information about the Cursillo movement in the Episcopal Church can be found at

www.episcopalcurso.org

How do I register?

Everyone who attends a Cursillo weekend has a sponsor, someone in your congregation, possibly a friend of yours, who has already done this. Your sponsor will walk through the registration process with you, answer your questions, and be helpful in other ways as you explore this opportunity. Again, the best initial person to contact about finding a sponsor is your priest or vicar.

When and where are Cursillos held?

In the Diocese of Tennessee they take place in the Spring and in October (usually the last full weekend of the month). The weekends begin on Thursday evening and end on Sunday afternoon.

All weekends are held at Dubose Conference Center in Monteagle, Tennessee using Bishops Hall as the residence (double rooms with private bath). Weekend fees cover three nights and eight meals and may be handled in a variety of ways that your sponsor can explain to you. Money is not and will not be an obstacle to a person's attending a Cursillo.

The atmosphere at Cursillo is relaxed. The purpose of the team running the weekend is to take care of your needs and to free you from distractions so you can focus on the Christian message and on your response to it.

God bless you as you explore this opportunity to experience God's love in a powerful way.

Visit our website at
www.tnepiscursillo.org

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