

Rector's Letter to the 4th Day Cursillo #188



"...perhaps you were created for such a time as this." Esther 4:14

Greetings Fellow Cursillistas,

First, I would like to thank and praise God for allowing me the opportunity to serve the participants alongside my brothers and sisters of Team #188. I thank Him for choosing an amazing Team, each one with such a loving and servant heart! (They were definitely created for such a time as this!) I thank Him for the 24 participants that He is calling to #188!! And I thank God for you, the Cursillo Community! Thank you for your love, prayers, palanca, and many sacrifices you make to ensure Cursillo #188 proceeds without a snag!!

Thank you for the palanca that you are writing to each participant. It is so meaningful to them when they open and read your heartfelt words. To watch the tears of joy flow when they feel the love you send them, even if you don't know them.... oh, what a beautiful site!! Thank you for the prayer chain that you also send. I love watching their eyes light up when they read their own name on a strip of paper, and even more so when they find their roommate's or tablemate's name. Absolutely magnificent!! YOU show God's love, and it is quite evident on each of their faces! So THANK YOU! Perhaps God created you for such a purpose as this??

Perhaps God has been pruning Cursillo, and now it is ready to grow and flourish as never before! May Cursillo #188 be the beginning of a huge revival of the Cursillo Movement!! Cursillo is life-changing, because by design it showcases the LOVE of Christ. Cursillo is a mighty and powerful tool the Lord uses to deepen relationships with Himself, to build leaders, to spread the good news of the Gospel. Jesus is actually the life-changer, and He has given us Cursillo! Let's use this gift, this tool that God gave us, to show the unconditional love of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! Perhaps we were created for such a time as this!

I cannot wait to see YOU at the Claursura on Sunday, October 20 at 3:00 pm. Remember that feeling when you walked in and saw the wave of smiling faces, singing praises to the Lord? These new Cursillistas will know we are Christians by our love!! Help show them God's love by filling Suzanna's House to FULL CAPACITY!! Can I count on you?? Remember, Christ is counting on you!!

I would also like to extend an open invitation for Wake Up at 6:00 am on Sunday morning. We will gather in the dining hall at 5:15 am with hot coffee!! We would love for you to join the team and sponsors!! Did I mention there will be hot coffee?!?!?!?

Thank you again for everything you have done and continue to do to promote the Cursillo Movements. The Team and I cannot wait to see you!

May God bless you today and always,

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