

APPLICATION 2024

Episcopal Cursillos in Christianity Diocese of Central Florida

The fee for a 2 Day weekend is \$225.00

A \$25.00 non-refundable deposit must accompany this application and is good for 3 years.

* Please make check payable to Diocese of Central Florida with Cursillo in the check memo line.

Name _____ Preferred name _____ Sex: M F

Address _____ Date of Birth _____

City _____ Zip _____ Occupation _____

Telephone: day (____) _____ evening (____) _____ cell (____) _____

E-mail _____@_____ Marital status _____

Name of Parish _____ Rector _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Do you attend church services regularly? _____ Do you receive Holy Communion regularly? _____

How do you hope Cursillo will benefit you? (Use back) _____

Do you require a special diet? _____

Do you have any physical limitation prevent you from participating in all aspects of the weekend?

Climb stairs? _____ Sitting? _____ Standing? _____ Walking? _____

Do you have allergies? Y N Foods _____

Perfume _____ cigarette smoke _____ other _____

Is there anything else we should be aware of to make your weekend more comfortable?

Candidate's signature _____ date _____

Preference: **Men's Weekend** _____ **Women's Weekend** _____ **Co-ed Weekend**

[] Select this option if you do not want to be shown or included in any of the photos taken during the weekend.

All forms and the deposit check of \$25.00 should be mailed to the Weekend Preparation

Chairperson: Nancy Tribble, 525 Land O Lakes Court, Deland, FL 32724; e-mail: netribble@yahoo.com.

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SPONSOR'S STATEMENT

Candidate's Name _____ Are you in a Reunion group? _Y N _____

Sponsor's name _____ Parish _____

Sponsor's Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____@_____ Evening Telephone/Cell _____

What is your relationship with the candidate? (Check all that apply)

Close friend _____ **Friend** _____ **Business Associate** _____ **Relative** _____ **Fellow parishioner** _____

* Does your candidate understand that they is being asked to join a community which is centered in Jesus Christ?

* Have you talked about this at length?

* Have you informed your candidate of the cost of the weekend? Do they need assistance? Are you able to help? Is the Parish able to help with the cost of the Weekend?

The weekend fee is \$150.00 for the 2 Day.

* Do you understand that a **\$25 deposit is required with this application?**

* Do you understand that you are responsible for your candidate's transportation to Cursillo on Friday evening and back home Sunday?

* That you need to be at the Clausura on Sunday afternoon?

* That you are to write him/her a personal palanca letter?

* That you are to take him/her to the Living the Journey about a month following the Weekend?

* That you are to assist him/her to become established in a permanent group reunion?

* Are you able to assist your Candidate's family in case of an emergency?

* You are sponsoring someone who may be on the verge of making a new life commitment.

Will you continue spiritually to support and help him/her to grow and mature as a member of the Body of Christ?

Signature of Sponsor _____ Date _____

PRIEST ENDORSEMENT OF CANDIDATE

Is the Candidate in good standing _____ Are they emotionally and spiritually ready to attend Cursillo?

Rector's Signature _____ Date _____

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Parish _____ Email address _____ @ _____

I would like to speak to the weekend Spiritual Advisor _____

SPONSORS CHECK LIST

Sponsors: please review carefully with your parish priest before you give an application to a prospective candidate.

SPONSORS: Sponsor must be currently grouping.

- * Pray for guidance.
- * Know the goals and methods of Cursillo.
- * Live the message of the Weekend. Know your candidate well.
- * Speak to your parish priest and God, before you invite him/her.
- * Explain that Cursillo expects a commitment or a re-commitment.
- * Explain the Fourth Day and its plan of continuing Christian fellowship.
- * Help establish your candidate in Fourth Day activities (group reunion, Ultreya, periodic personal contacts)
- * Help your candidate to find a Reunion Group and invite/bring them to Ultreyas.

CANDIDATES:

- * Should have a desire to grow as a Christian.
- * Should be a person who influences others, whose ideas move others, and whose attitude motivates others.
- * Should have an attitude of listening, friendship, and a disposition that accepts change.
- * Should have an ability and desire to live in and for a community.
- * May be single, married, or divorced. If married, spouse should be encouraged to attend at the same time, if possible.

PROCEDURES:

- * **Talk over the cost of the weekend. A non-refundable deposit of \$25.00 must accompany each application and is applied towards the weekend fee. Only cash or checks accepted;**
- * **The weekend fee is \$255.00 for the 2 Day. All fees are due 2 weeks prior to the start of the weekend.**
- * If financial assistance is required for the candidate, the sponsor should ask the candidate's priest to contact the Cursillo Commission Treasurer, Gary Swedberg at we4me@cfl.rr.com - Max request is \$50 for the 2 Day Weekend.
- * Candidates will be notified of acceptance by the Weekend Preparation Chairperson.
- * Candidates should decide in a timely fashion as to whether they can attend a weekend after they have been accepted and should notify the Weekend Preparation Chairperson of their decision.
- * The cut-off date for applications is 14 days prior to the weekend start date.
- * Please explain Cursillo, answer questions, and help candidates complete the application form legibly (one form for each person, both husband and wife, if married and both going). All blanks on application must be completed. The application form is revised from time to time. Current application forms are being used – most recent revision is effective **January 2024**.
- * Sponsor has completed all items on the Sponsor's Statement (including candidate's name at top of page) and has signed at the bottom of the form.
- * Take candidate's application and sponsor's statement and addressed envelope to candidate's Rector to sign the bottom of the Sponsor's Statement and to complete the Priest's Statement and mail. Rector's recommendation is fully confidential.

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