



Quiri/Quiri

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Men's Winter 2011 Edition

Utreya

Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Dates & Rectors of Future Weekends

Men's 151: March 10-13, 2011
Rector: San Hill

Women's 144: April 7-10, 2011
Rector Kathy Corroto

Men's 152: Oct. 13-16, 2010
Rector: Cliff Glowacki

Women's 145: Nov. 10-13, 2011
Rector: Mo Meuse

Men's 153: March 22-25, 2012
Rector: Tom Dlusky

Women's 146: April 26-29, 2012
Rector: Tami Ritter

Men's 154: October 18-21, 2012
Rector: Mike Agriesti

Women's 147: November 8-11, 2012
Rector: Katy Kram

Mission Statement

The mission of Cum Christo is to bring Christians together in an ecumenical environment that renews their relationship with Jesus Christ and motivates them to grow as disciples of Jesus in their churches, their everyday life and other places where God leads them

Address Changes

Do you need to have your address changed for a Quiri/Quiri mailing? Changes may be emailed to Stacey Bergmann at sbe@columbus.rr.com

From the Lay Directors

Elaine Beem, W80 Sonny Beem, M112

Welcome to March 2011! For most of us it has been a long, long, cold winter. But with the temperatures on the upswing, we eagerly await the seasons of Lent and Spring and all of God's wonderful gifts that come with them. Soon God will take the cold gray days away and give us the bright sun, the beauty of the green grass and majestic blue sky. We'll wake to the singing of the birds and the dawning of a new glorious day. All of these gifts show us God's infinite love for us. As we prepare ourselves for the Holy season of Easter through our Lenten prayers, penance and sacrifices, and bask in the comfort of God's love and the beauty of the budding spring, let us keep centered on Jesus' only commandment to us in JOHN 15:9-12:

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full. This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you."

Let us continue to love all of our fellow human beings and not just the ones we feel comfortable with.

Recently we received a call concerning the application of a future candidate. During our conversation it was mentioned that the candidate would like to attend one of our weekly Utreya's to learn a little more of what Cum Christo is all about, but the sponsor was not sure if this was allowed; he had been told by several people that a prospective candidate could attend only one Utreya before making a Weekend

In fact, as stated in Cursillio manuals written by Bishop Juan Hervás, founder of Cursillio, a prime candidate should attend several Utreya's and may even participate in group reunion before making the Weekend. However, since we have incorporated a few surprises in the Weekend, it is suggested that a candidate *not* attend Utreya on Babe Chick or Guardian Angel nights. Nor should a candidate attend Utreya on a lengthy, on-going basis before making the Weekend, but attending 6 or 7 Utreya's as a candidate may be very beneficial. (Continued next page)

Leaders School

Julie Glowacki, W79

Please mark your calendar and save these dates. These events offer opportunities for spiritual growth and learning, as well as Christian fellowship and fun.

Seder Meal:

- * Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2011 (Wednesday of Holy Week)
- * Location: First Congregational Church of Christ, 444 East Broad Street
- * Registration: Pre-registration is required; a donation is requested to cover expenses (about \$20 per meal)
- * More details to come later

Cum Christo Leaders School Weekend Orientation

- * Date: Friday and Saturday, May 6th and 7th, 2011
- * Location: Cum Christo Center, "overnighters" welcome
- * Watch the Quiri and website for more details to come later

This is the last article I will be writing for the Quiri as the head of Leaders School. My term of service in this position ended December 31, 2010. However, I will remain as a member of the School. My replacement will be Bob Franz. Bob brings to the position a fine knowledge and understanding of our Cum Christo Movement, as well as many years of experience in service to the community. As a former Lay Director and long-standing member of the School, Bob will ably guide us through the years to come.

With my best wishes for a spiritual and prosperous New Year,

LAY DIRECTOR cont.

While on the subject of sponsorship –In our enthusiasm to tell others about the wonderful gift of Cum Christo, many of us tell a potential candidate that “It’s a great weekend!” or “You’ll have a wonderful time!” or “You’ll have the mountaintop experience of your life!” Telling someone that it will change his or her life may actually scare some people (of course, others may find comfort in that!) While these statements might be true for some of us, it is not everyone’s experience. When we talk to potential candidates about Cum Christo, let us not talk about how we *now* feel about the Cum Christo Weekend -- looking back to the Sunday of our weekend, but let’s try to put ourselves back in the place where we were *before* we made our weekend and to remember the anxiety, the doubt, the unfamiliarity, the insecurity of being out of touch with the outside world for 3 ½ days. We can tell them that it’s a great weekend, but also advise them that the weekend moves along slowly and not to judge the Weekend until it’s over. Some Cursillistas don’t pull it all together until well after the Weekend.

We can encourage the candidates to make a Weekend by telling them that CumChristo is a 3-day “Workshop in Christian Living” designed to enhance their spirituality, to deepen their relationship with Christ and enable them to become the leaven for apostolic action. Tell them that the Weekend provides tools that can help Christians become the people that God is calling them to be both in their personal lives and in their environments, and provides a means for similarly committed Christians to support one another in achieving this goal. (continued on last page)

Upcoming Men's 151 Weekend March 10-13, 2011



The Team

Rectors: Dan Hill Greg Bergmann

Clergy: Fr. Charlie Cotton, Pr. Paul Ullring, Dcn. Bob Neely

Table Leaders: Bob Turner (musician), Sony Beem, Jon Bennett, Jerry Cable, John Hodges, Bert Kram, Tom Nance, John Todd

Weekend Servants: Cecilia Reis, Sue Shetler

Tentative Candidates (as of 03-01-2011)

Candidates	Sponsors	Church
Wayne Booker	Gerard Tracy	St Bridged of Kildare
Ted Linger	Becky Hollen	St. Cecilia
Richard (Rich)Link	Martin Walker	St Elizabeth
Phil Milsom	Doug Campbell	Our Lady of Victory
Tim Mogan	John Hodges	St Paul
Dan O'Rouke	Mary O'Rouke	St. Peter
James Raynak	Carl Lefever	St Mary Groveport
Stephen Rechnitzer	Rich & Jenn	Saint Christopher
Paul Schaffer	Flanagan	St Elizabeth
Carmine Spada	Deacon Tony	St Joseph Plain City
	Bonacci	
Tony Spiegel	Mary Kilkenny	St Vincent dePaul
Tlm R. Wright	Mary O'Rourke	St. Peter
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<i>Awaiting Candidates</i>	<i>Awaiting Candidates</i>	<i>Awaiting Candidates</i>

Closing Date: Sunday, March 13, 2011

Closing time: 6:30pm

Closing Location: URLC The Church on Lytham
2300 Lytham Rd

Upper Arlington, Ohio

Closing Contact: Deb Hill

NEED AN APPLICATION?

Download a CumChristo weekend application on the website at www.cumchrisot.org or call 614-464-2474 to have an application faxed or mailed to you.

Brochures available on website: Cum Christo Brochure
Pastor Brochure
Cum Christo Sponsorship
Handbook for Sponsors

WEEKEND REMINDERS

Sponsors

Please remember your commitment to 'pre' and 'post' Cum Christo weekend clean-up.

Cleaning

For the Men's 151th will be Monday, March 7th and Monday, March 14th The center will open at 5:30 pm with a chapel visit at 7:00 pm. Please note this change of time!!!!

Palanca

Are you or your group looking for some action? We are the hands and feet of Christ, Cursillistas are needed to clean the Cum Christo Center, work a meal if you are not a sponsor, write a letter for the team and/or candidates and share your palanca for the weekend. What can you do?

Sunday Serenade

Begins promptly at 6 am. Please do not bring children. For those interested, breakfast will follow the serenade at Bob Evans:
1455 Olentangy River Rd
Columbus, OH, 43212
614-421-0090



Prayer Vigil

Men's 151th

The list is now being generated from the Cum Christo database. If you are interested in being on the Vigil List, please go to www.cumchristo.org and make the change on the website where it asks you to update your database information

If your name is on the Prayer Vigil List, be sure that you or a Cursillista of your choice covers the hour. If at all possible, fulfill your vigil at the Cum Christo Center's Chapel, which is open from 7:00 am to 10:00 pm. It is allowable for you to be in the Chapel even with the candidates present, except Saturday between 1:00 pm and 3:30 pm during Table Visits. If your name does not appear on the list below, you may still visit the Center to participate in the prayer vigil. Remember: Christ is counting on you!

Thursday

- 8:00 PM Stacie Potter
- 9:00 PM Mary Schwinn
- 10:00 PM Catherine Morgan
- 11:00 PM Georgia Rainier

Friday

- 12:00 AM Sue Pompili
- 1:00 AM Natasha DeckerRandiCrook
- 2:00 AM Mary and Tim Muller
- 3:00 AM Susan Edgar
- 4:00 AM Joyce Semeraro
- 5:00 AM Sandy Moorehead
- 6:00 AM Trish Barber
- 7:00 AM Diana Fisher
- 8:00 AM Laura Murray
- 9:00 AM Paulette Leigh
- 10:00 AM Jackie Paluszakr
- 11:00 AM Molly Meyer
- 12:00 PM Marianne Bruening
- 1:00 PM Jessica Conley
- 2:00 PM Bev Graves
- 3:00 PM Mary O'Rourke
- 4:00 PM Becky Lynch
- 5:00 PM Heidi Price
- 6:00 PM Tom & Cassey Burke
- 7:00 PM Eric Williams
- 8:00 PM Michael Meyer
- 9:00 PM Rev Jerome D. Staluka
- 10:00 PM Steve and Michelle Stroh
- 11:00 PM Theodore Pinkins

Saturday

- 12:00 AM Ada Varney
- 1:00 AM Skip and Linda Murray
- 2:00 AM Brian & Patricia Maloney
- 3:00 AM Mary Strubel
- 4:00 AM Judi Lisi
- 5:00 AM Catherine Loveland
- 6:00 AM Tim & Sandi Peterson

Saturday continued

- 7:00 AM John & KathyHodges
- 8:00 AM Joan Miller
- 9:00 AM Kathy Savoia
- 10:00 AM Toni Gilletly
- 11:00 AM Tom Wagner
- 12:00 PM Buck Byrne
- 1:00 PM Archie Edgar
- 2:00 PM Susan Stalter
- 3:00 PM Kathy Rex
- 4:00 PM Peter & Dawn Gallen
- 5:00 PM Mike Kelly
- 6:00 PM Chris & Camille Warren
- 7:00 PM Nancy McBride
- 8:00 PM John & Karen Cheatham
- 9:00 PM Jerry & Jane Neiman
- 10:00 PM Cora Munoz
- 11:00 PM Dan & Kelly DiCesare

Sunday

- 12:00 AM Frank & Karen Martens
- 1:00 AM Martha West
- 2:00 AM Tom Schulte
- 3:00 AM Pete Walsh
- 4:00 AM Teresa Weiner
- 5:00 AM Randy & Judy Unger
- 6:00 AM Pat Sellers
- 7:00 AM Bob & Linda Cummins
- 8:00 AM Jim & Donna Andriot
- 9:00 AM Tim & Tess Galvin
- 10:00 AM Gerry Riendeau
- 11:00 AM Barry Klump
- 12:00 PM Jerry and Linda Abraham
- 1:00 PM Steve and Cindy Copeland
- 2:00 PM Bob & Rob Franz
- 3:00 PM Ingrid Robb
- 4:00 PM Price Finley
- 5:00 PM George & Jean Blubaugh
- 6:00 PM Donna Rimmer
- 7:00 PM Jon Coventry
- 8:00 PM Tom & Margie Yatsko

In Thanksgiving

- For new beginnings,
- For answered prayers,
- For health and wellness,
- For family and friends
- For the blessing of close Moments

We Lift UP

- Those who have died and their loved ones,
- Those suffering from illness or accidents,
- Those in the military,
- The unemployed and underemployed,
- Our children

Prayer Requests

If you would like your friend or relative remembered by name in the prayers of the Cum Christo Community, please visit the Cum Christo web site at http://www.cumchristo.org/E-Prayer_Form.html and complete the prayer request form via our prayer chain. If you do not have access to the web site, you may leave your prayer request details at **614-464-2474 (GO4-CHRI(ST))**, the Cum Christo main number, and your prayer request will be posted on our prayer chain for you.

Pre CumChristo

Tom Corroto M126

The Gift of Sponsorship

When we were called to our Cum Christo weekend, God did so through another Cursillista who had previously made a weekend. We accepted this calling or gift just as we accept His ever-flowing grace. This gift of the weekend, the method and this great movement of people has been with us ever since. Many of us have accepted this gift and used it for the Glory of God. Others have felt a responsibility to share this gift with others. When we share this gift with others, we do so in a very structured way through a process of candidate sponsorship.

Sponsoring candidates for Cum Christo is made up of three very important elements. They can be defined as Pre-Cum Christo, the Weekend and Post-Cum Christo.

Pre-Cum Christo includes the selection of an appropriate candidate, explaining the weekend, grouping and Ultreya to the candidate, cleaning the center and delivering your candidate to the center on Thursday evening. Appropriate candidates are defined by the eligibility guidelines outlined in the Cum Christo Sponsorship brochure. All of this is preceded by a growing, Christ-centered relationship and prayer for this potential Cursillista.

The Weekend activities are centered on providing support for the candidate and their family during the weekend. This includes Palanca (prayer and sacrifice) for the benefit of your candidate. It also includes a visit to Serenade the candidates, and attending the closing.

Post-Cum Christo sponsorship responsibilities are of utmost importance. Beginning with a ride home from the closing, they include cleaning the center for the second Monday in a row, attending the first three Ultreyas after the weekend, helping your candidate find a group and providing support for their first year as a babe chick. Your relationship, in Christ, can grow immensely now that you share a common method and understanding of your Christian faith.

So, have you freely accepted this gift of the weekend, the method and the movement? Do you feel a sense of responsibility to share this gift with other Christian leaders? If so, continue to pray that God will reveal those who are ready for Cum Christo. And when you are called, respond with a gift of your own by accepting the responsibilities of sponsorship.

If you would like to read more about being a sponsor, please access the Cum Christo Sponsorship brochure at the Cum Christo website (www.cumchristo.org). There, you will find *A Handbook for Sponsors* link.

Leader Discernment Team – December 2010

Jerry Abraham M138

The Leader Discernment Team praises God that the Leaders He selected for Cum Christo Leadership have answered His call. Those leadership positions with terms beginning January 2011 are:

Kitchen Coordinators:	Colleen Barta and Jill Todd
Post Cum Christo:	Mickey Brucken and Daffine Papaly
Weekend Coordinator:	Sandy Engebretson
Communication-Quiri:	Need volunteer ; please call Sonny & Elaine Beem if interested
Sustaining Fund:	Bert Kram
Applications Coordinator:	Bob and Lisa Hess
Leader Discernment Team:	Randy Smith, Bill Gibeaut, and Mary Tracy

Being a leader for Cum Christo is being a servant for God. Being His servant is what we are called to be. So when the Leaders of Cum Christo ask you to help with community events.....to be a Servant for God....answer with a resounding YES!

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Today's candidate may have visited the Cum Christo website and may be more informed than we were when we made our weekends. When candidates have questions, answer their questions honestly -- it will not diminish their experience -- and encourage them to come to the weekend with an open heart and to let the Holy Spirit work through them.



As Teambeem enters the last year of our opportunity to be the Lay Directors of the Cum Christo movement, we are grateful for all of your prayers. Not all of our decisions have been popular, but all have been done with prayerful discernment. Prayer is one of the most important weapons we all have in fighting the evil in this world. Teambeem will pray whole heartedly for the future of Cum Christo and our future new Lay Directors, Cliff and Julie Glowacki. May our beloved Community also all pray for them as they prepare to assume the mallet of responsibility in leading our movement in next year.

May God bless each of you abundantly.
Elaine and Sonny