# **Calendar of Events**

June 29, 2014	<b>Grand Ultreya – St. Joseph Parish in Alma;</b> begins with 11:00am Mass (details included in this mailing)
July 11, 2014	Secretariat Meeting, Sacred Heart Church, Hebron – approximately 7:30pm (meeting precedes the Fourth Day Retreat on Saturday)
July 12, 2014	<b>FOURTH DAY RETREAT</b> – Sacred Heart Parish, Hebron, NE. Details and the registration form are included in this mailing.
July 31 – Aug 3, 2014	2014 National Cursillo Encounter, Chapman University, Orange County, CA. (Registration forms are available online –https://www.natl-cursillo.org/encounter/)
September 13, 2014	Secretariat Meeting, John XXIII Diocesan Center – 9:30am (9:00am Mass)
September 26-28, 2014	Fall 2014 Region VI Encounter –Archdiocese Kansas City, KS to host. Details and the registration form will be included in the next mailing (the information will also be available on the Lincoln Diocese and Region VI webpages when details are finalized).

# **Grand Ultreya**

# Sunday, June 29 St. Joseph Parish in Alma, NE

(Fr. Baker is retired here and will be praying the Mass). The Grand Ultreya is a FAMILY event!!

# What is a Grand Ultreya?

- † This is a diocesan-wide, family-oriented event.
- † It will last from approximately **11am** (Parish Mass) **4pm**.
- **†** This will be a **potluck lunch**. Each family should bring a dish to share.
- <sup>+</sup> The Secretariat will bring paper plates, napkins, glasses and plastic-ware; iced tea/water/orange drink will be provided.

# Where will it be held?

#### † St. Joseph Parish Hall, 810 4th Street, Alma, NE

<sup>+</sup> We will participate in the parish's 11:00am Mass, then gather in the parish hall following Mass. The Grand Ultreya and meal will be in the Parish Hall, so the event will go on ... rain or shine.

# Why have a Grand Ultreya?

- + Our diocese is widespread geographically and it is rare that cursillistas from the east and west all get together.
- **†** This is a time for cursillistas AND THEIR FAMILIES to take part in a Cursillo event.

Past years have been great fun – Please come and renew friendships ... or make new ones!

#### Secretariat Members

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Weston/Wahoo/David City	Contact John Springer

#### **Ultreya Centers**

- 1) Beatrice-Crete-Hebron-Lincoln Location alternates (usually 4th Sunday of month, 3:00pm):
  - June 29 Grand Ultreya at St. Joseph Parish, Alma 11:00am (in place of regular Ultreya)
  - July 27 Sacred Heart parish hall, Crete 3:00pm
  - August 24 John XXIII Diocesan Center, Lincoln 3:00pm
- 2) Hastings-Holdrege-Minden ......Contact Mary Ann Connelly
  August 17 2:30pm; for location, contact Mary Ann Connelly or Patricia Pettz (see above)
- 3) Lincoln Vietnamese Language Group.....
  - Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Lincoln (4th Sunday of month, 3:30pm)
- 4) Plattsmouth-Nebraska City
  - Not currently having Ultreya; please participate in a neighboring Ultreya
- 5) McCook/Imperial/North Platte Location alternates (usually 2nd Sunday of month):
  - June 29 Grand Ultreya at St. Joseph Parish, Alma 11:00am
  - July 13 McCook (Church Basement) (3:30pm CT)
  - August 10 Imperial (Parish Hall) (2:30pm MT)
  - September 14 North Platte (Parish Hall) (3:30pm CT)
- 6) Weston/David City/Shelby/Wahoo.....
  - Not currently having Ultreya; please participate in a neighboring Ultreya

#### Secretariat Mail

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# **INVITATION TO ALL CURSILLISTAS**

# Fourth Day Retreat July 12, 2014

[The facility will be open on Friday evening (July 11) at approximately 7:00pm for those who would like to arrive early (there is a Secretariat meeting that begins at 7:30pm).]

# 436 North 3rd Street, Sacred Heart Parish – Hebron, NE

Please join your brother and sister cursillistas for a **Fourth Day Retreat**. This invitation is to <u>ALL</u> <u>cursillistas</u>. Come and consider how you might:

- See friends you haven't seen in awhile and make new friends as well.
- Deepen your commitment to Christ.
- Make the most of each Fourth Day as you bring Christ to others in your everyday encounters.
- Better understand and live what is fundamental for being Christian.

If you do not currently group and/or participate in Ultreya, this may be a way to begin again. Please prayerfully consider whether or not our Lord is calling you ... remember, *He's counting on you*!!

# Fourth Day Retreat

**Registration Form** 

Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone:	Email:

Are there any physical/medical/dietary conditions we need to plan for (meals, etc.)? If so, explain below:

The suggested donation is \$30.00 per person (see note below) to cover costs associated with the retreat (e.g., meals, a donation for facility usage, supplies, etc.). Please make check payable to "Cursillo of Lincoln" and mail it with this form.

Please return the top part of this form with payment to: John Springer, 1410 E. 15th St., Crete, NE 68333 by Saturday, July 5, 2014 (this allows us to plan for food)

NOTE: Don't let the registration fee keep you from coming ... those who cannot afford the requested fee should attend and contribute what they are able (and there may be those who cannot contribute anything). Some may be able to give more than others and some less. You may be blessed with the ability to give more than the \$30.00 requested donation ... your donation may make it possible for someone less fortunate than you to come.

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The retreat officially begins on Saturday morning (July 12) with Morning Prayer/Mass at 8am, so you should plan to arrive in time to settle in prior to that (the facility will open at 7am). The facility will also be open on Friday evening (July 11) beginning at 7:00pm for those who want to gather for fellowship and/or have a distance to travel. The retreat will conclude about 5:30pm on Saturday; the parish has an anticipatory Mass at 6pm. The retreat will include Saturday morning Mass, as well as meditation/prayer; there will also be talks given by laypersons and priests. This retreat is intended to build up our spiritual lives by helping us reflect on how God calls us to accept our part in building His Kingdom right where we are ... He asks something of each of us ... what is it He is calling you to? Maybe this retreat will help you better know what our Lord is asking of you.

Saturday includes breakfast, lunch, and supper (snacks only on Friday evening). The suggested donation is \$30.00 per person to cover costs associated with the retreat (e.g., meals, a donation for facility usage, supplies, etc.); however, if finances are tight, give what you are able. Please make check payable to "Cursillo of Lincoln" and mail it with this form. We ask that you let us know you are coming so that we can plan for food.

Please bring the following with you to the retreat (if you have them):

- Pilgrim's Guide (we will bring extras if you need to buy/use one)
- Other spirituals aids
- "Classic" Cursillo accommodations will be available Friday night (mats, dorm-type sleeping, etc.; NO showers). 0
- Please bring a snack or dessert to share, if you like. 0
- If you cannot be with us, we request Palanca for the success of our Fourth Day Retreat. 0

If you have any questions, email or call John Springer (jejspringer@windstream.net, 402-826-2699 or 402-580-1367).