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Cursillo Jottings



Greetings and welcome to Jottings! *Marg Carr - Diocesan Lay Director*

ULTREYA

June 21

St Peter's
Bribie Island
Noon -BYO lunch,
Ultreya 1.00pm

Onwards and Upwards



Come to beautiful Bribie Island on June 21 for their Ultreya, which will feature the launch of the 40th Anniversary events. including the celebratory dinner with tickets available for purchase. Whilst the Ultreya is free, tickets for the dinner are \$150 per person, or early bird special price of \$140 until October 23. We have booked caterers for 100 people, so don't leave it too long to book your place at the table and bring your friends. Tickets are online only through Ticketebo and they can be purchased at Bribie or through our CuSQ website link.

More information is available on the CuSQ website.
Kay Self is managing billets for our long distance Cursillistas.

Alison Dorman, W03 1986, will be the Witness speaker at the 40th Anniversary Diocesan Ultreya. Alison is a seasoned Cursillista and married to Rev. Graham, M03 1986, with both being active in Cursillo for decades. The theme of 'Faith Like a Mustard Seed' will be reflected in Alison's talk.

The Ultreya will also feature a second speaker who has been a passionate supporter of Cursillo at the National Secretariat level. Bishop Ian Palmer now resides in Melbourne, following his retirement from the Diocese of Grafton. He has contributed greatly to the strong foundation nationally and last year, he stepped down as the National Episcopal Advisor. Bp Palmer will also reflect on the theme in his talk in the Cathedral plus a follow on talk at the dinner.

The wonderful **Ann Morris W19, 1989**, (Maryborough) and **Gail Toohey W92, 1993**, (Goondiwindi) are also speaking at the dinner.

P.S. We have two beautiful 40th banners to share around parishes, so please contact me if you would like to borrow one for a week or two.

Cursillo weekend #83-August 22-24

Theme: **GRACE; Because He Lives!**

Bible verse: **Jeremiah 29:11**

Theme song: **Because He Lives.**

The commissioning of #83 has taken place and team training is underway.

NB. Only 20 Candidates max and there are 11 already. **Cut off date is July 20.**

You will be interested to know that our motion to Synod has been successful. The motion is that Synod acknowledges the work of Cursillo in our diocese, over the past 40 years. With 182 week-ends behind us, this year will be our 183rd week-end. The previous weekends comprise 80 men's, 101 women's and 1 combined weekend. The motion will be put forward on Sunday afternoon by Rev Pauline Harley and if you are a Synod representative or clergy, we hope to see you and hear your applause.

De Colores!

Parish contacts, would you please assist us by spreading the word about Cursillo and our 40th Anniversary celebrations? Do you need any information? Posters? Forms? These are on the Cursillo Southern Queensland website for easy access—however you do need a login. Only 12 contacts have registered and we know there are many, many more to sign up. We can assist you with getting a login and our database has full lists of Cursillistas in parishes, etc to help you. Please help us to keep our database accurate.



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Sally Turnbull's Pilgrimage Team 2026 will be commissioned at the Bribie Ultreya on June 21. Come along and join us next May (long weekend) as we head out to visit our Cursillista friends there.

PRAYING FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY:

Please keep praying for **Mackenzie** (Tony Shellshear's seven year old granddaughter) and **David Thomas** who is very unwell. **RIP—Wayne Elliott** M62, 2007 at Brookfield QCCC.



HAVE YOUR CONTACT DETAILS CHANGED?

Please inform our new Database Coordinator
Ian Russell russell.ian@gmail.com

Pray for all who are attending Synod

Give thanks for Cursillistas from the foundation years.

Consider sponsoring a candidate for #83

