



July – September 2014 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Edition

# Fourth Day News

Washington Cursillo Movement

*Informing, Enlightening, and Building Community*

## Secretariat Corner



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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

We ask for your prayers and support as we begin our final year as Co-Lay Directors.

We are pleased to announce that Cheryl Kerwin was installed as a member of the Secretariat on October 11, 2014. Cheryl will serve as Secretary. Jennifer Ferguson and Jennifer Tilghman will be installed as Co-Chairs of the 3 Day Committee and Burma Hill will be installed as Chair of Communications at the December Secretariat Meeting. Please join us in extending our appreciation to Maury and Nancy Mattingly, Co-Chairs of 3 Day Committee and Lethia Kelly and Denise Wilson, Co-Chairs of the Communications Committee, who have completed their terms on the Secretariat.

Contract negotiations with the Josephite Seminary concluded with an increase in the price per person to make a Cursillo weekend.



Consequently, effective January 1, 2015 the fee for candidates to attend a weekend will increase to \$210.00 and the fee for team members will increase to \$195.00.

Please note that the cut-off date to receive applications from candidates/sponsors, who wish to make a Cursillo weekend is two weeks prior to the start date of the weekends. Please plan to have your candidate arrive at the Josephite Seminary no earlier than 7:00 p.m., on Thursday evenings. This will give Pre-Cursillo and the Team ample time to prepare for their arrival. In the event that you must arrive before 7:00 p.m., please escort your candidate to the greeting room and wait there with your candidate until the registration desk is ready to receive candidates.

We will greatly appreciate any suggestions that you may have for a Cursillo fundraiser. Please contact Vincent Jordan, Financial Officer and Chair of Fundraising at vej5251@verizon.net, with your suggestions.

Sue Numrich and Sheila Vallot have planned an excellent curriculum for the School of Leaders sessions. Please join us at 7:00 p.m., at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Largo on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. All Cursillistas are welcome and highly encouraged to attend. A rubber chicken is awarded to the Ultreya with the highest attendance.

Kudos to Calvert County Ultreya for hosting our annual cookout. The September event was a crowd pleaser with plenty of food and fraternizing. Weather was excellent and a good time was had by all. (See you next year!)

We are pleased to announce that after being inactive for a while, Assumption Ultreya and Central P.G. County Ultreya have resumed their monthly Ultreyas. Welcome back!!!!!!

Several members of the Secretariat will be attending the Fall Regional Encounter at the John Paul II Center in Vineland, NJ, October 24-26, 2014. A summary of the Regional Encounter will be shared in an upcoming newsletter.

If you have any suggestions that will be helpful in improving the services of the Secretariat or if you want to serve on any Secretariat committee, please contact us at LaVerne.Atiba@gmail.com or Pmwashi@hotmail.com.

De Colores  
LaVerne Atiba & Paul Washington  
Co-Lay Direct

## **214<sup>th</sup> Men's Cursillo Weekend**

### ***"Make Me a Channel of your Peace"***



One of my all-time favorite songs is "The Prayer of Saint Francis". As a Cursillista I have a deep appreciation of its message, i.e., *"To bring love, hope, joy, understanding, consolation to all of God's children."* It is this message that I associate with the Cursillo movement, because it is through our action we become a channel of his peace.

The 214<sup>th</sup> Men's Weekend team is looking forward to our opportunity to bring the new candidates a spiritual experience that they have never had and with the assistance of the Holy Spirit new active members of our Cursillo Movement. Our unexpected two week postponement has given us more time to hone our talks and more time to coordinate our assignments. We were blessed again in that we did not lose any of our team members nor any of our candidates at least to the best of my knowledge. Our team is a wonderful mixture of first timers and experienced team members (six are former coordinators).

So I have some very heavy hitters behind me. Father John Barry, Deacon Tim Tilghman and Sue Numrich (yes a woman) make up our liturgy team.

Mel Sherbert is our Head Shepherd, assisted by Marc Abresch and Francis Langley. Our table leaders are Mike Davenport, John Richards, Dave Ranaghan, James Carrier, George Sullivan, Anthony Colbert, Len Covello and Nate Broughton.

Finally, Rich Gould is Assistant Coordinator and Joe O'Leary is the Coordinator. So, I would like all of you being good Cursillistas acting as channels of His peace to offer your prayers, Planca, and support for the success of the 214<sup>th</sup> Men's Cursillo Weekend.

De Colores  
Joe O'Leary, Coordinator

## **HOW TO GIVE A TALK — THREE THINGS OUR HOLY FATHER WOULD SAY TO HELP YOU PREPARE**

This is another answer to the central question of Cursillo: "How does my action help to build God's community?" I am still

working on the lesson Marty shared with me in 1994; he was the coordinator and I had the "ACTION" talk.



The lesson continued in CURSILLO LEADER WORKSHOP I, a package deal which included many of the leaders from the Region and especially Marty and Ginny Novak. I thought I graduated until I started joining Ginny on Talk Day. Giving a Talk is part of our couples' group reunion – another 10 years focused on the central question. Marty and Ginny, Nancy and Mike Vawter join Jennifer and me; sometimes the Dugues are with us.

We are always in the conversation about how to give a talk. "Twenty minutes," said the Angel. "Stick to the outline," is the talk day retort. This means capture the essence of the outline, not every word in the talk outline. There is a guy named Francis who lives in Rome. What are the three things he would say to help you prepare?

*"All of us are called to offer others an explicit witness to the saving love of the Lord, who despite our imperfections offers us his closeness, his word, and his strength, and gives meaning to our lives" (Evangelii Gaudium #121).*

When we talk about the living word, Jesus, there are three things that matter: What=> Jesus in the Word Made Flesh; So What=> Jesus impacts the world today; Now What=> He is impacting my world and he will impact yours if you will receive him fully.

*"To speak from the heart means that our hearts must not just be on fire, but also enlightened by the fullness of revelation and by the path traveled by God's word in the heart of the Church and our faithful people through history" (EG #144).*

In the talk, we are not asked to share the flowery or fluffy. "AUTHENTIC" is the key word in the talk, and authentic piety begins with the authentic witness.

We should emulate the Temptations who sang, "I'm bringing you a love that's true, so get ready!" in their 1960's hit GET READY. The enlightened heart is at the core of one who studies and lives the Gospel.

*"An attractive image makes the message seem familiar, close to home, practical, and related to everyday life. A successful image can make people savor the message, awaken a desire and move the will toward the Gospel" (EG #157).*

If we are consistent in what we present it at home, at the parish and on the weekend, the receiver does not see a good person or a nice parish; the receiver sees the living Christ, the one who Saul persecuted before his conversion and the one whose spirit permeates our Ultreya and Group Reunion.

Each one who presents a talk on the weekend has his or her 20 minutes to highlight some aspect of the light; Christ is the light. What does the attractive image look like? When I asked Bill Stanton what he remembered about his weekend, he replied, "I saw Tim and Scott." If he were one to use the day's vernacular, he would have said they were "BFF's" (best friends forever). I think it is safe to say that Bill and everyone who is seeking the truth are looking to see this. What did Bill see? The love of Christ!

Worried about what to say when your time to talk comes up? Three things - too many details for you to remember? To prepare for your talk, look at Holy Father Francis and remember these words of the Master Teacher:

*"When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you" (Matthew 10: 19 – 20).*

Talk to Christ daily. He will guide you!

ULTREYA! DE COLORES!

**Deacon Timothy E. Tilghman**  
**Spiritual Advisor to the Secretariat**  
©Deacon Timothy E. Tilghman, May 2014



## **A Message From Pre-Cursillo**

### **WHAT TO REMEMBER ABOUT PALANCA**

As we sit down to update our wonderful Community about the goodness of the Lord, we are pleased to report that the 214th Men's Weekend has eleven (11) men signed up but we need more!!! It would be great to get 5 more men applications for the 214th.

But at the same time it would be great to have on file applications for the upcoming women's 215th and 216th and for the 217th men's weekend. So consider it Palanca to **make a friend, be a friend and bring that friend to Christ.**

Palanca is a Spanish word that means "lever."



Just as a lever enables a person to move something which is beyond normal strength, Palanca, as used in Cursillo, empowers the accomplishment of things which would not be possible without the Grace of God. Today, perhaps more than ever, it is necessary to remind ourselves that without God we are nothing, bereft of value, and incapable of doing anything of spiritual value.

With that in mind, we must keep the concept of Palanca in balance. In other words, whatever service we perform on a Cursillo weekend will have little or no value if done in and of ourselves. Palanca, which is one of the most characteristic marks of the Cursillo method, is effective only when the prayers, sacrifices and works of mercy are done in conjunction with the presence of the Holy Spirit; allowing God to use us to serve his people.

If the effectiveness of all the human efforts in the Cursillo movement is to be assured, Palanca must be genuine and offered by communities and individuals living in union with Christ.

The purpose of Palanca is to serve as God's arms and hands in the lives of the candidates on the weekend by extending the grace which has so freely been extended to us. Bear in mind that letters in and of themselves are not Palanca! Letters are merely one vehicle in which we convey the actual Palanca being done at that time. In other words, the effort, thoughts and prayers that go into the letters are actually the Palanca, not the letters themselves.

Palanca can fall into several categories; not all of which result in notes or letters. I employ you to please keep the sponsoring of new brothers and sisters so we can have a surplus of applications on hand early enough so ample planning can be done both by the sponsors and the team.

By all means let's keep the sponsoring of new evangelizers for Christ going. I know you can do it.

De Colores  
Charles and Nancy Smallwood  
Pre Cursillo Co-chairs



## Jesus is Calling

**Greetings Cursillo Family.** The time of year has arrived again for our annual fundraiser. It will be greatly appreciated if you **will** make a donation **which will be used to defray the** costs related to our Movement. There is no amount that is too small. All of the **donations** received regardless of the amount are added together for a grand total. Our contributions have ranged from \$2.00 to \$800.00; therefore, please make an effort to support us this year **no matter how large or small the donation.**

The money donated is used for expenses related to School of Leaders events; purchasing books; Sunday lunches for the weekends; weekend supplies; Fourth Day **events**; printing, collating, folding, postage and permits for **mailing** the Fourth Day Newsletter; costs related to organizing a weekend;

assisting those who are unable to pay to attend a weekend; regional and national dues and supplemental costs related to the Secretariat members attending regional and national encounters. As a reminder, donations are accepted throughout the year.

Please use the enclosed envelope to mail your donation. In the event that you did not receive an envelope, you can mail your donation to **Vincent Jordan, 5600 Vernon Way, Camp Springs, Md. 20746**. Your donations are tax exempted. Make checks or money orders payable to **Washington Cursillo**.

A special thank you from the Secretariat for your generosity and may God bless you and your family always.

De Colores,  
Vincent Jordan  
Financial Officer



## A NEW SHEPHERD HAS ARRIVED

AT  
**OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE**

Hi everyone. A New Shepherd has arrived at Our Lady Queen of Peace. His name is Father Pawel Sass.

He is young and energetic. We happen to share the same birthday which is June 20. Our age difference is 30 years. He can kind of control me which is hard to do. He tease me and I give right back to him. That is his humorous side.

Now I would like to get to his serious side. The Gospel reading for Sunday, April 6, 2014 was on raising Lazarus from the Grave. An awesome event happens at this mass.

Father was giving his homily and I noticed that he went over to one of the Eucharistic Minister and laid hands on head and anointed her. I thought at time that he was using her as an example in his homily. What most of congregation didn't know was that she was really sick. She was having issue with her heart. One of other Eucharistic Minister and an Usher took her to the Church Hall. After the homily he started the Creed and immediately went down into the Hall to see how she was doing. At Communion time, he went down into the Hall again and gave her Communion. This brought tears to my eyes. After Mass was over the people in the Hall that witness what Father did said that they had warm feeling in their Heart. I told him after Mass was over that what he did was awesome. He told me that he only did what Jesus would have done. I have been on an emotional high ever since. This reminds me of the Cross Ceremony on a Cursillo weekend. You ask the question

Christ is counting on you and our answer is we are counting on Christ.

Father is from Poland and he made his weekend right out of High School. Our Lady Queen of Peace is truly blessed to have Dynamic Shepherd in Father Sass.

De Colores  
"Bubbles"



## ***Fifth Day Corner***

***Joseph Novak, the Fifth Day***

August 25, 2014 was the most grace-filled moments in my life of preaching God's word. I was the homilist at Marty Novak's Mass of Christian Burial. For most at St. Nicholas that day, it was the first time ever hearing of Marty as "*Martin Joseph Novak*." I thought the first funeral I would preach would be my father's; I did not know that it would be my father in the Cursillo Movement until Marty died.

Marty came in one of the best packages of blessings I have ever received. Like most in the church on August 25th, I met Marty and Ginny. It was a package deal, the first and most important church, the Domestic Church, a precious gift to St. Nicholas from its beginnings on Contee Road in early 1970's and to the Cursillo Movement in the Archdiocese of Washington.

I knew I was special because of the way Marty loved me, starting when he was Coordinator for the first weekend that I worked in 1994 and continuing until he began his Fifth Day. Marty and Ginny answered every Cursillo question I had, filling in gaps when I attended my first Cursillo Leaders' Workshop shortly after working the weekend in 1994. He was faithful to our monthly couples' group reunion for more than 10 years. This was the Domestic Church that taught me lessons about living with and loving in-laws in their twilight years and challenged Jen and me to discern a call to serve as Lay Directors of our local Movement. The personal contact which is the heart of "make a friend, be a friend and bring a friend to Christ," was Marty's mantra for his relationship with Jennifer and me. For us, Marty embodied the meaning of the Old Testament scripture proclaimed at his funeral Mass, "But I will call this to mind as my reason to have hope; the steadfast love of the Lord never ceases" (Lam 3: 21 – 22). From the time we met, Marty loved with all he had and made me aware of God's love for me.

His life was not just for me, for Ginny and their family. Since the founding of the parish in the early 1970's, Marty and Ginny were present to parishioners and people in Montpelier, just as they were to Jennifer and me. There were parish priests and Jesuits, seven permanent deacons, in addition to Deacons Iannaconi and Hannagan from his parish with whom he walked.

There is a vibrant Cursillo community at St. Nicholas and nearly every member of that community is connected to someone for whom Marty Novak was a sponsor to join the Movement.



We heard this part of Marty's mantra in the day's Gospel: *"I will not reject anyone who comes to me, because I came down from heaven not to do my own will but the will of one who sent me, that I should not lose nothing of what he gave me"* (John 6: 38 39). Marty lived as a principal assistant to the Sower in the Father's garden who was open to all and produced much fruit. In his death life continues as he was also the wheat seed that died to produce fruit. As long as we live as he lives God's love will flourish. Marty's message to us in his home going is very simple: *I love you! Ultreya!* Let us continue to love as Marty loved, and make a special effort to extend that love to Ginny and their family they grieve the husband and father to his children and many in our Cursillo Movement.

*In memory of "Marty" by  
Deacon Timothy E. Tilghman  
Spiritual Advisor to the Secretariat*



## ***Prayer Corner***

**If you have prayer requests or want to be added to the mailing list to receive prayer requests, please submit your e-mail information to MaryAnne Upright at [MAUpright@aol.com](mailto:MAUpright@aol.com).**



## ***THANK YOU As We Step Down from 3-Day***

Four years ago Nancy and I were approached about being the co-chairs of the 3-Day Committee and after much prayer said yes. These past four years have been busy but so much fun working with all of the old and new members of the 3-Day Committee and being part of the Secretariat. But with all good things they do come to an end and after approval of the Secretariat on October 11 the new 3-Day Committee co-chairs will be Jennifer Ferguson and Jennifer Tilghman. We are so excited and pleased that these two great faith-filled women have said yes to being servant leaders for the movement. Jennifer Tilghman has been a co-chair of the 3-Day Committee previously so she brings experience to the role. Jennifer Ferguson brings a wonderful excitement and spirituality to the role. We know that they will do a marvelous job. Please give them the same support and prayer that you have given us. Nancy and I will remain on the 3-Day Committee, and we are always looking for more help so let us know if you would like to serve with us!!



In our four years as co-chairs:

- ✚ We moved out of the Josephite house while their renovations took place. We searched many places to hold our weekends and settled on the Washington Retreat House.
- ✚ After one women's weekend at the Retreat House it was decided that we were not a good "fit" for each other so we started looking again for a place to hold the weekends. We finally settled on using the old standby of Camp Letts for two weekends. Unfortunately the women's weekend there was cancelled because we did not have enough candidates but the men's weekend was fantastic.
- ✚ We again moved back into the Josephite House and are now starting next year our second contract with them that will go through 2016.
- ✚ We continued the great start of our predecessors Deacon Jim Caldwell and Darren Barnes to streamline and establish specific processes to choose the coordinators for each year. We met individually with each new coordinator to give them a computer disk to help with learning about their team formation and to give them examples for all of the meetings, etc. for their use. That way we were more consistent with what we gave the coordinators. As situations changed and we learned more we updated the disk each year to better serve the coordinators.

- ✚ We put together and held four coordinators workshops with the help of the 3-Day Committee and Secretariat.
- ✚ We worked with the Communications Committee on the updated data base for all of the team information past and present.
- ✚ We put together all of information gathered during our term and put it on a thumb drive for each of the new co-chairs.

Nancy and I want to thank all of the members of the 3-Day Committee for all of their help, prayers and guidance: Annemarie Abresch, Stefan Abresch, LaVerne Atiba, Marla-Jo Bonuccelli, John Brannigan, Ginger & Deacon Jim Caldwell, Jennifer Ferguson, Glenette Fitzmyer, Jackie DeMesme-Gray, Brother Richard McCann, Marty Novak (RIP), Darah Means-Ross, Jennifer Tilghman, Shelia (Bubbles) Vallot, and Bernadette (Pio Pio) White. We would also like to thank our wonderful community for all of their support and prayers. Please continue to do so for the new co-chairs.

De Colores,  
Nancy and Maury Mattingly  
3-Day Committee



## **“Let’s Go To The Hop”**



### **Calling All Cursillistas Babe chicks, Cluck hens and Roosters**

If your Ultreya wants to be a “**Hop Host**”, please contact Paul Washington or LaVerne Atiba: at LayDirector@washdc-cursillo.org or Paul Washington on 202-302-3518; LaVerne Atiba on 202-494-0060.

## **FROM THE CURSILLO SCHOOL OF LEADERS**

### **Welcome to Cursillo School of Leaders 2014-2015**

We are truly fortunate in having a Pope who ignites the imagination of people throughout the world, and not only Catholics. From his choice to live simply and among the people to his public call to political and religious leaders to stop the slaughter of innocents in Syria, he is making his mark on the world and, with any luck, on our lives.

When Pope Francis wrote an exhortation to the Church on the “Joy of the Gospel”, the message seemed to drive to the heart of the charism of Cursillo. It’s hard to ignore his words as they come sailing out of the pages as a challenge to rethink our Baptismal commitment.

*Reading the Scriptures also makes it clear that the Gospel is not merely about our personal relationship with God. Nor should our living response to God be seen simply as an accumulation of small personal gestures to individuals in need, a kind of “charity a la carte”, or a series of acts aimed solely at easing our conscience. The Gospel is about the kingdom of God (cf Lk 4:43), it is about loving God who reigns in our world. To the extent that he reigns within us, the life of society will be a setting for universal fraternity, justice, peace and dignity.*  
**(Evangelii Gaudium, Chapter 4, 180)**

These words excite and challenge. They speak to our charism “to be the Good News” and they point to evangelization, the object of our piety, study and action. Thus, we are using this papal exhortation as the background for our study this year in School of Leaders.

We are starting off slowly, focusing on the preface and first chapter during the remainder of calendar 2014. With the New Year, we will look at the final section of Chapter 1 and go on to Chapters 3 and 4. We recognize that it is not possible for everyone to get to our sessions and in an effort to reach more of our community, we will be posting a study plan with the chapter on which we will focus, some scriptural reference and the discussion questions we will use during our sessions.

Please read and think along with us, use the questions for discussions in your own gatherings, and come join us at School of Leaders whenever you can. We meet at St. Joseph's on Route 202 just outside the beltway from 7:00pm until 8:45pm, usually on the third Wednesday of each month. This year's sessions are: Sept. 17, Oct. 15, Nov. 19, Jan. 21, Feb. 25, Apr. 15, May 20, and June 17.

*Look at the School of Leaders' section on the Cursillo website for lesson plans and for a free copy (provided by the Vatican – no copyright issues) of Evangelii Gaudium.*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### UPCOMING WEEKENDS

#### JOSEPHITE CENTER WASHINGTON, DC

##### NOVEMBER 20 -23, 2014

214<sup>th</sup> Men's Cursillo Weekend  
Joe O'Leary, Coordinator

##### February 12 - 15, 2015

215<sup>th</sup> Women's Cursillo Weekend  
Bernadette White, Coordinator

##### October 8 – 11, 2015

216<sup>th</sup> Women's Cursillo Weekend  
Toni Abresch, Coordinator

##### November 12 – 15, 2015

217<sup>th</sup> Men's Cursillo Weekend  
James Brightful, Coordinator

### **CURSILLO SCHOOL OF LEADERS (CSOL)** **2014 – 2015 Schedule** **ST. JOSEPH'S, LARGO**

2020 Saint Joseph's Dr., Upper Marlboro, MD  
7:00pm – 8:50pm

#### **Wednesday, November 19, 2014**

Ecclesiasl Institutes/Jackie DeMesme Gray

#### **Wednesday, January 21, 2015**

With Whom Are We Called To Share the Good News/Barbara Shaw, Spiritual Advisor

#### **Wednesday, February 25, 2015**

Social Dimension of Evangelization/Deacon James Caldwell

#### **Wednesday, April 15, 2015**

Reading Scripture Meaningfully/Fr. Pawel Sass

#### **Wednesday, May 20, 2015**

CDC ad DC/Secretariat Team

#### **Wednesday, June 17, 2015**

Open Forum



### **Music Workshop**

**Saturday, November 15, 2014**

St. Edwards the Confessor, Bowie, MD

### **Advent Day of Reflection**

**Sunday, December 7, 2014**

**Deacon Thomas Molineaux**

2:00-5:00pm

Brother Richard's Place

### **Relax and Reflect Weekend**

**June 12 – 13, 2015**

**Speakers: Fr. Pavel Sass & Deacon**

**James Caldwell**

Holy Trinity Spiritual Center





## Editors Corner

Are you a writer? Do you have thoughts, poems, prayers, or reflections to share? The Washington Cursillo® Community wants to hear from you!! Ultreya Leaders, please send us your sharing — it would be great to hear from each leader at least once a year! Babe Chics your articles are the most important ones. Let us hear from you. **Articles should be submitted in Arial 11 Font Size no later than November 1<sup>st</sup> for the 4th quarter issue.** Remember to sign your articles with your name, weekend, and Ultreya.

**Submit articles at any time to  
Lethia Kelly at  
communication@washdc-  
cursillo.org**

Website News!!

Jack McFadden and Tom Arnold  
(Web managers)

**The Washington Cursillo®  
Movement website is  
<http://www.washdc-cursillo.org>**

## 4<sup>TH</sup> DAY NEWS

### 2014 - PRODUCTION SCHEDULE



#### **4<sup>th</sup> QUARTER YEAR END ISSUE**

**Oct. – Dec. 2014**

**Submission Deadline**

**Dec. 1, 2014**

#### **1<sup>st</sup>. QUARTER ISSUE**

**Jan. – Mar. 2015**

**Submission Deadline**

**Jan. 5, 2014**



# LIST OF ULTREYAS

## Assumption

1:30pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday  
Ansgar Hall  
Assumption

**Gwendolyn Jarman**

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**Richard Sylvester**

## Bowie-Lanham

7:00pm, 2nd Friday  
St. Edward's, Bowie

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**Marguerite**

**Dobrosielski**

## Calvert County

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St. John Vianney  
Church Basement

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## Central PG County

7pm, Monday  
(TBD)  
Rosemont Room  
St. Josephs in Largo

**Burma Hill**

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## East of the River

7:30pm, 4th Friday  
OLPH  
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## Forestville

**St. John the Evangelist**  
7:00pm, 2nd Sunday

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## Laurel

7:30pm, 3rd Friday  
St. Nicholas Church  
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## Montgomery County

7:30pm, 1st Saturday

**Missionaries of the  
Most Holy Trinity Home**

1733 Metzerott Road  
Adelphi MD

**Sonia Melendez**

[pfcjai@msn.com](mailto:pfcjai@msn.com)

**And...**

7:30 pm 3rd Friday

**St. Paul's Church Hall**

9240 Damascus Rd.

Damascus, MD 20872

**Steve & Rosemary Reeves**

301-391-6580

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## NE/SE

7:30pm, 1st Friday

St. Anthony's Cafeteria

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**Bernadette White**

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