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Cursillo®, Happening, New Beginnings, Living Stones, Mustard Seeds, Back to the Mountain Retreats, Schools of Spirituality, Inner City Ministry & International Missions

Dear Friends,

February 2010

Over 70% of the Renewal Center income comes from people who have attended our programs. This year fell far short of this goal, leaving us starting off 2010 in a precarious position.

Our programs are doing well, so, we will continue what we have been doing. Meanwhile, we are cutting back on as many expenses as possible, like the Metroline service, cleaning service and by not mailing the Carpe Diem except to those who have requested it. We are tightening our belts, and cutting where we can. We are asking for volunteers to help with the cleaning of the office. We are praying that more money will come in. PLEASE HELP US IF YOU CAN. Thanks to all that have helped so far.

Yours in Christ,

Frank Bain, Executive Director

Men & Women's Retreats to be held in March

This year we are having 2 Back to the Mountain Retreats in March—one for women and one for men. Both retreats will include time to relax, enjoy the camp and plenty of music.

The **Women's Retreat** will be March 13 & 14 at All Saints Camp. Rev. Susan Slaughter will conduct the retreat entitled "The Witness of Women: Mothers, Martyrs and Mystics". The retreat will begin on Saturday at 10 AM and end on Sunday with Eucharist and lunch.

The **Men's Retreat** will be March 19-21 at Camp Crucis. Fr. Ray Ball will lead the retreat entitled "Maturity & Mentoring". As Christian men mature they need to model Christian maleness for discipleship for younger men. The retreat begins on Friday evening and ends Sunday with Eucharist and lunch.

Applications are available on the web www.episcopalrenewalcenter.org or call 214-351-9330.

Cursillo #281

February 11–14, 2010

All Saints Camp on Lake Texoma

Check our website for updates
www.episcopalrenewalcenter.org

Team:**Rector:** Mary Ruth McKenney, *St. Michael & All Angels, Dallas***Observing Rector:** Jackie Doss, *St. Luke's, Dallas***Spiritual Advisors:** Mother Diana Freeman, *Good Shepherd, Terrell*Father Bill Taylor, *Retired, Diocese of Fort Worth***Rector's Cha Cha:** Dorothy Castle, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas***Palanca Cha Cha:** Linda Wilson, *Church of the Redeemer, Irving***Logistics Cha Cha:** Steve McKenney, *St. Michael & All Angels, Dallas***Music:** Rae Wisdom, *St. Peter & St. Paul, Arlington***Team:** John Castle, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas*Allen Dickason, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas*Barbara Dickason, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas*Sharon McGannon, *St. Michael & All Angels, Dallas*Renee Vanstone, *Good Shepherd, Terrell*Bill Ward, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas*Mickey Ward, *Church of the Incarnation, Dallas**Closing 3 PM***Participants:***St. Michael & All Angels, Dallas:* Madelyn Herndon, Anne Reed**St. Peter & St. Paul, Arlington:* Keegan Drake, Karen Pilgrim King, Raymond King*Holy Trinity, Bonham:* Kim Jenkins*Church of the Incarnation, Dallas:* Toby & Molly Bartholow*St. Peter's, McKinney:* David & Paige Hanks, Richard Moore, Gary Russell*Church of the Apostles, Coppell:* L. T. Smith*Our Merciful Saviour, Kaufman:* Wendy Taylor*Good Shepherd, Terrell:* Ed McCamey*St. Paul, Greenville:* Georgianna Harrison*St. Luke, Dallas:* Luke Trahan**Logistics Assignments for Cursillo #281****Baked Goods & Veggies**

1. St. Luke's, Dallas
2. Incarnation, Dallas
3. Good Shepherd, Terrell

Conference Room Take-down, Chapel Set-up & clean-up**We need volunteers at 2 PM & after the Closing**

Yes! I want to make it possible for the Episcopal Center For Renewal to continue to change lives for Christ through its various Youth, Adult, Spanish Language and Overseas Programs.

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Make a Friend! Be a Friend!
Bring your Friend to Christ!

Cursillo #282—Camp Crucis

April 8—11, 2010

Rector: Jackie Doss, St. Luke's, Dallas

Spiritual Advisors: Fr. Clif Gardner &
Deacon Ann Richards

Mark your Calendars:



February 11 – 14 - Cursillo #281 at All Saints
February 13 - School of Spirituality at St. Francis
February 14 – 3 PM Cursillo Closing at All Saints
February 19 - 20 – Living Stones at Good Shepherd, Dallas
March 6 9:30 AM Community of Servants at ECR
March 13 - School of Spirituality at St. Francis
March 13- Cursillo #281 Day of Deeper Understanding
March 13 - 14 – Back to the Mountain Retreat for Women at All Saints Camp
March 19 – 21 – Back to the Mountain Retreat for Men at Camp Crucis
April 2 – Good Friday – Office Closed
April 3 – 9:30 AM Community of Servants at ECR
April 10 - School of Spirituality at St. Francis
April 8 – 11 - Cursillo #282 at Camp Crucis
April 16 - 18 – Happening at St. Luke's, Dallas
April 24 – Mustard Seeds at Redeemer, Irving
April 30 – May 2 – New Beginnings at Crucis
May 1 – 9:30 AM Community of Servants at ECR

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