(Please keep this portion for your information)

Cursillo Women's Weekend, St Mary's Towers Retreat Centre
415 Douglas Park Drive, Douglas Park NSW 2569 (not far from Picton,
Camden, Campbelltown or Appin)

Friday Evening 29th October to Monday afternoon 1st November 2021

**Commitment** - It is essential that you attend the whole 3 Days because of the structure of a Cursillo.

**Accommodation** at St Mary's Towers consists of warm and comfortable single bedrooms, some bedrooms have an ensuite. All linen and towels are provided. You only need to pack comfortable clothes plus a jacket, toiletries, and any medications. You may like to bring a dressing gown as the bathroom may along the corridor. Face masks may still be required.

#### Cost

Individual Rate \$360.00 unless changed by venue

Corporate Rate (paid by employer) \$400.00 excluding GST

The cost for the Cursillo covers all meals, accommodation and activities. The fee may be sent with the application form or at least two weeks before the weekend, or contact one of the people below for alternate arrangements. Please do not think you cannot attend because of incomplete or delayed payment, just ring us.- please

Please make cheques or money orders payable to:

WOLLONGONG CURSILLO MOVEMENT (Please do not send cash in the mail)

Or **Direct EFT** Bank transfers are welcomed to our bank account

A/c name Diocese of Wollongong Cursillo Movement BSB 641 800 Account No 200459499

(Please give your name as reference and ring or email Denise beforehand)

Please return the form opposite either by scanning and emailing or posting to

Mail – Denise D'Amore 4 Comin Place, Abbotsbury 2176 Or scan and Email: denisedamore0@gmail.com

We will contact you to let you know we have received your application and to answer any queries you may have.

Due to the requirements of the Retreat Centre, the Wollongong Cursillo Movement is committed to pay the full amount of accommodation and catering based on numbers quoted two weeks prior to the weekend. Therefore, we are unable to refund any payment to you if you cancel after 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

If you would like further information about this weekend, please contact Denise D'Amore, Phone 0438254139, email <a href="mailto:denisedamore0@gmail.com">denisedamore0@gmail.com</a>

### **Application Form for the Cursillo Women's Weekend**

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Full Name
Address
Postcode
Phone (Home) (Work)
(Mobile) Email
Parish (If you have one)
<b>Approximate Age Bracket</b> 18 to 35 □ Over 35 years □
Occupation
Interests and Hobbies
Do you have any special dietary or other health needs? (There are a few ground floor bedrooms available
Do you need help to get to Douglas Park?
May we circulate your contact details on a list to fellow Cursillistas? Yes No.
Have you spoken with any Cursillo member about this application? If so, who?
SignatureDate
Please send this portion of the Invitation ideally before 15 <sup>th</sup> October 2021 to:
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If you are sending this form after 15th October please ring Denise immediately.

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## **Frequently asked Questions:**

#### What is Cursillo?

Cursillo is a life changing experience meant to be lived, a method of supporting and encouraging our lives as Christians through friendship and a way of living life to the full.

#### What is the goal of the Cursillo Movement?

The goal of the Cursillo Movement is that there will be more Christians who will live the Good News by becoming the Good News.

#### What does Cursillo offer?

Cursillo offers an opportunity to grow, a chance to experience the love and Grace of God and a way of continuing our life's journey together as Christians.

#### Who is it for?

Catholics who are curious, searching, discovering, growing and/or open. Attendance at church is not a pre-requisite.

#### What is expected of me?

There is no specific response expected of you. Just be open to what happens. Simply take a fresh look at what the Church has always taught – the Good News that God loves you.

#### Is that really all?

Yes! There are no tricks, no gimmicks, no hidden mysteries only revealed to the initiated. If there are any surprises it is only because the Christian life is full of surprises. You aren't expected to know more or do more, just reflect on "being" more!

#### And then?

The 3 Day weekend is not an end unto itself. It is only the beginning, and leads us into The Fourth Day! The Fourth Day is where we continue our journey together, back in the real world and this is the most important part of Cursillo. We experience the support and encouragement of a group of friends as we find a way to live the Gospel in our lives

#### Sounds too good to be true

Come and see for yourself.



(Extract from the Cursillo Web site - www.cursillo.asn.au)



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### What is Cursillo?

**Cursillo** is a movement from the Church that focuses on helping each person to discover themselves, their relationship with Christ and with others.

**Cursillo** has a method that shows how the Gospel can be lived in everyday life.

**Cursillo** provides a means of support to enable Christianity to be lived.

**Cursillo** has proved to be a fantastic opportunity for people of all ages to get to know self, God and others.

Many millions of people around the world have experienced Cursillo.