

SEPTEMBER 26, 2023 Meeting Minutes

		Diocese of Oakland Cursillo – English Speaking Section			
Meeting Facilitator:		Shawn Meade			
Meeting Date/Time:		Tuesday September 26, 2023, 7:00 PM			
Meeting Location:		Corpus Christi Church, Piedmont, CA			
In Attendance: Present in Bold *voting position	*Shawn Meade	*Craig Wilson	*Michelle Meade	*Kelleen Bush	Geri Tong
	*Geri Cooney	*Therese Perez	*Ben Palacios	*Danny Vargas	Marlene Wilson
	*Mary Kessler	Cathy Romero	*Louie Archuleta	Bob Lanuza	
	Andrea Limb * Denise Jin				

Topic
Opening prayer: Shawn Meade
Approved Minutes: with corrections for August 22, 2023
Treasurer’s Report: Mary Kessler Balance as of 6/26/2023: \$25,529.51 Men’s team & candidates brought in \$6,300; Women’s team & candidates brought in \$5,025
Lay Director Report: Shawn Meade – Both weekends were a success. Happy enough candidates showed up!
Assoc. Lay Director Report: Geri Cooney – It was nice to be a part of the Commissioning and serving dinner!
Current Business:
Recap from Men’s # 348 weekend: Rector Craig Wilson 14 Candidates! We were short Rollistas so 2 men from the music team helped as table professors for the first time and appreciated the experience. The Rollos were high quality. We pretty much stayed on schedule. Had 2 young candidates – 19 and 20 years old. They brought a refreshing perspective that everyone benefited from. The table groups were very engaged in their discussions.
Recap from Women’s # 349 weekend: Rectora Andrea Limb The weekend was wonderful! Having a small team and only 11 candidates brought about a special atmosphere throughout the weekend. Many thanks to the men who helped with set-up and break-down. Not knowing if we had a dumpster was a big concern during our planning and leading up the weekend. Finally, on Friday, Rosemary Medeiros contacted her husband, Joey, and he came to the rescue. We need to do better communicating next time. The dumpster needs to be in the future contracts with the facility. The kitchen team expressed it was difficult working in an outdoor kitchen. It was suggested maybe the women could find an indoor location with a kitchen for the next weekend. It’s okay if men and women weekends are at different locations.
On-site Storage unit: Shawn Meade The CCOP business manager, Mike Harmon, is working on getting the approval from the pastor, Fr. Mark Weisner, for us to put an on-site storage unit on the St. Elizabeth Seton premises.
Combined 4th Day on Saturday, September 30, 2-4PM at Corpus Christi Church: Denise Jin Denise to emcee. Craig Wilson to talk about the Men’s weekend. Vice-Rectoras to talk about the Women’s weekend. Frank Cabrera and Mary Kessler to give 4 th Day talks. Kelleen Bush and music team to provide music. Mary Kessler has a supply of work applications to bring and make available to the new Cursillistas. If attending, Fr. Ramon to say opening prayer and Sharon Chipman to say closing prayer.
Meeting Minutes: Geri Cooney, Shawn Meade What should we do about the timeliness of receiving the DRAFT minutes from these monthly meetings? Shawn explained that Michelle Meade, our current secretary, is very busy with other important commitments. She has a full plate. We will start looking for other Cursillistas that could help us out as secretary to relieve Michelle. Denise will make a recruiting announcement at Combined 4 th Day.

2024 Annual Meeting and Ultreya: General discussion

The Annual Meeting is usually held on Saturday of Super Bowl weekend. Therefore, we should plan an Ultreya at the end of April. We will firm up dates at our October meeting.

Closing Prayer: Craig Wilson

Meeting Adjourned: 8:36PM

2023 Upcoming Events

Event	Dates	Location	Notes
Annual Meeting/Elections	February 25, 2023, 2:00 – 4:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Secretariat Meeting	March 28, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Secretariat Meeting	April 25, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Secretariat Meeting	May 23, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Secretariat Meeting	June 25, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Cancelled
Secretariat Meeting	July 26, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Secretariat Meeting	August 22, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Men’s Weekend #348	September 14-17, 2023	St. Elizabeth Seton	Weekend Held
Women’s Weekend #349	September 21-24, 2023	St. Elizabeth Seton	Weekend Held
Secretariat Meeting	September 26, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	Meeting Held
Combined 4 th Day	September 30, 2023, 2:00-4:00 PM	Corpus Christi	
Secretariat Meeting	October 24, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	
Secretariat Meeting	November 28, 2023, 7:00 PM	Corpus Christi	
Secretariat Meeting	December, 2023 no meeting		