



School of Leaders (SOL) Secretariat Nominations

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Agenda



- † Bible Enthronement & Reflection
- † Leader's Prayer
- † Reflection & Floating Group Reunion
- † Doctrine Talk: A new take on the Tripod
- † Secretariat Nominations
- † Closing Prayer





Leader's Prayer



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- † Lord grant that we may understand the necessity for depth in our Movement, rather than surface glory. Convince us of the truth that colorful programs do not constitute success.
 - † My God, give us a spirit of self sacrifice so that we may offer everything for Your cause: our time, our abilities, our health and even our lives if necessary. Instill in us courage in our initiatives, good judgment in our choice of the right means, and that determination, which in spit of failures, assures victory.
 - † Move away from us the tiny rivalries, sensitivities, discourtesies, pride, everything which distracts from You, everything which divides or discourages.



Leader's Prayer con't



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- † Help us to maintain at a high level, a meaningful supernatural and mutual charity among ourselves, so that each one will seek by preference, the most humble task and will rejoice at the good performed by others, so that all our spirits, united in a common purpose, will have one single spirit, Yours Jesus, and that this spirit may let us see Your attractive goodness marked in all our faces, Your warm accents in all our words, and in our lives something superior to the world, something that proclaims Your Living Presence among us. Amen**
 - † Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patron of the Americas, Pray for US.**
 - † St Paul, Patron of the Cursillo, Pray for US.**



Doctrinal Talk



Piety, Study and Action

Father Bede O.S.B.



† Piety

- The word Pious means doing what you are supposed to do; dutiful
- Christians who are pious seek God

† We study to form our conscience so:

- We can see so as to form the soul
- To recognize truth

† Action: we rejoice in Action

- We can see those who do not know God
- So we can tell them we are not alone

† Sharing our faith is a function of thanksgiving

- With God's grace, we can strive for the ideal



Secretariat Nominations



To Serve On the Secretariat



- † Nominees must have been a Cursillista for at least 2 years
- † Nominees must be living the movement
 - Grouping
 - Attending Ultreya
 - Member of the SoL or prepared to join the SoL
- † Nominees must be able to attend the SoL and Secretariat meetings on the second Saturday of each month
 - And have the time to accomplish their duties during the month
- † Nominees must confirm their willingness to serve either in person at the October SoL or send written notification (email) to the Chairman of the SoL
- † New members of the Secretariat will be selected at the November Secretariat meeting



Positions Up for Nomination



- † Lay Director
- † Pre-Cursillo Chair
- † Post-Cursillo Chair
- † Treasurer

Nominations





Announcements



SoL News



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- † Remote SoL is third Thursday of each month at 7PM. Attendance information is at cursillo.org/birmingham
 - † Next SoL is 2d Saturday of November in Cullman, 0930 (November 10th)-Topic Environments Rollo
 - † Thanks for your prayers for Cursillo 127; the Spirit was with us!
 - † Actions:
 - Pastoral Plan in draft by EOY 2012
 - By Law Approval by Bishop Baker 2013



Discussion



Closing Prayer



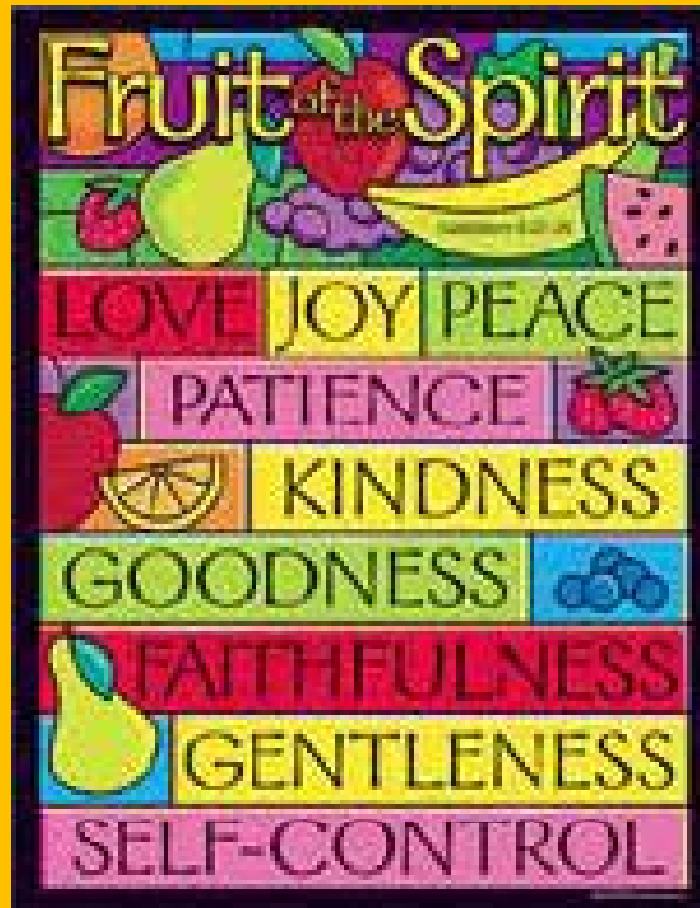
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- † Dear Lord, we must have fraternal charity, or we can accomplish nothing for you.**
 - † In loving you, help us to have a genuine concern for one another, a generosity in sharing one another's burdens, a gallantry in defending the reputation of our group, a sincere sympathy in sharing one another's suffering and sorrows, and a joy in sharing their spiritual growth.**
 - † By this shall all men know that we are your Apostles. Amen.**

The Northern Alabama School of Leaders



I Am Third

Back UP Charts





SoL Six Month Schedule



| | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------|
| Doctrine | The Holy Spirit | Deacon Dan | Father Pat | | | No SoL |
| Technique | The Holy Spirit & Cursillo | Set Up | Leadership | Secretariat Nominations | Environments Rollo | |
| | Jan | Feb | Mar | April | May | June |
| Doctrine | | | | | | |
| Technique | | | | | | |



SoL Action Log



| ISSUE | POC | STATUS |
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| Revise By Laws-last updated Mar 12 | SoL | Changes include scheduling of weekends and remote SoL guidance |
| Develop a list of potential alternate sites for the weekend | Secretariat | Partially Complete |
| Need to update Ultreya Facilitators on Web Site | Post Cursillo | Complete |
| Need to identify all <i>groups</i> on Cursillo website | Post Cursillo | Working |
| Provide list of eligible team members to 3 day chair for Cursillo #s 127 & 128 | SoL | Complete |
| Update Bylaws and schedule an appointment with Bishop Baker once approved | SoL | Complete |

