



# Invitation

## To experience the Cursillo Three Day Weekend

To be held at the beautiful

**Hartzer Park Conference and Retreat Centre,  
25 Eridge Park Road, Burradoo NSW 2576 (Nr Moss Vale)**

**Thursday evening 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021 to  
Sunday afternoon 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

### 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.

(Extract from the Cursillo Web site – [www.cursillo.asn.au](http://www.cursillo.asn.au) )

**(Please keep this portion for your information)**

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

**Accommodation** at Hartzler Park consists of warm and comfortable single bedrooms with hand basin. Bathroom facilities are shared close by. We have shared use of the beautiful convent chapel, and grounds, there are separate bathrooms, meeting/discussion rooms for men and women. All linen and towels are provided. You only need to pack warm comfortable clothes plus a jacket, toiletries, and any medications. You may like to bring a dressing gown as the bathroom is along the corridor.

**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 3 Comin Place, Abbotsbury 2176**

**Or scan and Email: [denisedamore0@gmail.com](mailto: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 Hartzler Park 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 16<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

If you would like further information about this weekend, please contact Denise D’Amore, Phone 0438254139, email [denisedamore0@gmail.com](mailto:denisedamore0@gmail.com)  
Or Frank Bugeja, Phone 0418404180 email [fbugeja@ozemail.com.au](mailto:fbugeja@ozemail.com.au)

**Application Form for the Cursillo Weekend**

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Full Name .....

Address .....

..... Postcode .....

Phone (Home) ..... (Work) .....

(Mobile) ..... Email .....

Parish (If you have one) .....

Approximate Age Bracket    18 to 35     Over 35 years

Occupation .....

Interests and Hobbies .....

Do you have any special dietary or other health needs? (Please note there are some stairs but now also a lift).....

Do you need help to get to Hartzer 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?  
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Signature .....Date.....

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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.

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