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*Cursillo in the Episcopal Diocese of San Diego*

*Our Mission Is To Christianize Environments and Develop Lay Leadership*

## *Appeal to the San Diego Cursillo Community*

Dear Cursillistas,

Your financial support is needed at this time. Our financial reserves have been slowly depleted over the years, and although we canceled the last fall weekend, we had to pay Camp Stevens for the weekend. That really put us in the position of having only about one weekend of resources left. We then had a very limited local appeal that raised about \$3,000, putting our account at \$8,000.

We are now seeking an account goal of **\$20,000** by opening the appeal to all Cursillistas to help and participate in our recovery. While this is a large amount, the Secretariat believes that this amount will take care of our needs for the foreseeable future, and allow us to concentrate on rebuilding our community and changing our environments for Christ. Please remember, this is the only general financial appeal, needed to support our community, in the last 10 + years.

We need each one of us to prayerfully consider Palanca in the form of a financial contribution to be given at this time in a number of ways:

- ◆ *The cost of a candidate or worker for a weekend (\$120)*
- ◆ *Contribute \$\_\_\_\_\_ /month to support Cursillo in San Diego*
- ◆ *A one- time gift of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Cursillo (large or small)*
- ◆ *A commitment to our Treasurer to give at a later date*

Please remember that only our Treasurer Jamie Wood keeps a record of giving. Please strongly consider a contribution to Cursillo at this time. Make checks out to: **Cursillos in Christianity**, and mail to: **Cursillo, c/o Jamie Wood, 4552 Point Loma Avenue, San Diego, Ca. 92107.**

On a personal note: *I was on the Secretariat years ago when our treasurer reported at a meeting that our down payment check to Camp Stevens for the next fall weekend had bounced. I was humbled. One member paid what was owed the next day out of his own pocket. We appealed to our community and raised \$20,000+. This was our last appeal. We did it then, I believe that together, we can do it again.*

Ultreya with Love, Faith, Sharing, and Caring,

*Larry Salvadori*

Cursillo Secretariat Member