

The British Anglican CURSILLO® Council

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Dear BACC member

It is hoped to have the next edition of BACC Pages available by the AGM on 18th May but there are a few events that I would like to draw your attention to sooner than that. Please circulate this information to your membership as soon as you can.

1. Durham Cursillo have a Retreat at Shepherds Dene in Northumberland (17 miles west of Newcastle) from Thursday 16th May until Sunday 19th May

(obviously clashing with the AGM but non-BACC members could go). The details are:

Cursillo Retreat at Shepherd's Dene: "From Easter to Pentecost – a journey into the life of the Spirit", from Thursday 16 May at 6 pm until Sunday 19 May, 2019 at 2 pm

This weekend retreat provides an opportunity to meet with God, deepen your relationship with Jesus and experience a fresh anointing of the Holy Spirit. This will primarily be for personal nourishment and spiritual refreshment but will also deepen your understanding of how spiritual gifts are for building up the church and growing God's Kingdom in the world.

The weekend will include guided meditations, teaching, corporate worship, and engagement with the Holy Spirit. There will also be quiet space for personal prayer and reflection, time for recreation and conversation and time for personal nourishment and renewal. There will also be a screening of the film *The Shack*.

The weekend is open to everyone, whether you have attended a Cursillo weekend or not. Please complete the booking form attached and return to Chris Williams.

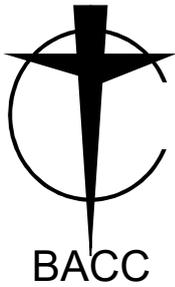
The weekend is offered to you as a gift from Cursillo but if you are able to offer a donation towards the cost you will be given the opportunity at the weekend.

If you are interested please contact: Chris Williams, Durham Cursillo LD, either by email to cw2369@gmail.com or ring her on **01642 601265**.

2. The 2019 BACC Pilgrimage, "The Path to Pilgrimage – Becket and Beyond", from Tuesday 13th August to Friday 16th August.

Organised by Canterbury Cursillo it will be based in Dover, Kent. The focus will be on the subject of pilgrimage following the death of Archbishop Thomas Becket in 1170 AD. In those

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times, pilgrims came to Canterbury from all parts of the British Isles and also from Europe in considerable numbers. Highly respected historian, Canon Dr Christopher Dent, will be leading the pilgrimage and we will visit historic and Spiritual sites in East Kent including Canterbury Cathedral.

We will be staying at Dover College, a place not only of great learning but also of significant historical interest. We will use the College's comfortable minibuses for our transport and the provisional itinerary blends interesting history with significant spiritual experiences and worship. A memorable experience is guaranteed and the **cost per person is £250.00**.

Further details will be in BACC Pages and are on BACC's website:

<http://www.anglicancursillo.co.uk/information-for-diocese.php>

3. National Ultreya GB 2019 in Chester, Saturday 31st August.

Full details and a booking form are available on Chester Cursillo's website and on our own:

<http://www.anglicancursillo.co.uk/ultreyagb2019/>

4. The AGM

I'm afraid that I won't be at the AGM this year because I have a family memorial service on the same day. I'm sure you understand that I need to be there. Laurie Little, Area Rep for Greater London, has kindly agreed to chair the meeting.

If there's anything that you were hoping to talk to me about on the day please send me an email instead: president@anglicancursillo.co.uk

Look out for BACC Pages in the next few weeks, there'll be lots of interesting things in it. Ultreya!

Trevor King
National President
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