

## Diocese of Southeast Florida May 1-3, 2009 - ECLW Report

The Diocese of Southeast Florida, ECLW held at the Duncan Conference & Retreat Center was indeed a wonderful success as noted by the participants attending. The National Team headed by Judy Hood including Rev. Dr. James Johnson, Holly Walker and Kent Sterling did a magnificent job.

We, were Blessed to have a diversity of four Diocese attending, including the Diocese of Jamaica & Cayman Islands who the Diocese of Southeast Florida is in the process of exporting Cursillo to the island. After breaking the ice on Friday evening and meeting the participants, there was a feeling of unity and great expectations. Our table discussion after the talks were very intriguing and to the point at times, but consensus on the main point was never a problem.

Recalling one of the talks, I myself marveled at the faith one can find at times, but knowing God's unpredictable ways, and taking the steps forward to help another when not knowing the individual and seeing success after, sure brings about Apostolic Action in retrospect and growth within oneself.

With respect to recruiting and bringing new Cursillistas to know the love and joy of Christ, as well as building new leaders for the movement, I left the weekend with a very invigorating saying that some how rang a bell to me. I close this report with that line. Having individuals that could benefit from a weekend, it's the sponsor's responsibility to commit to, "One man, one woman, one Church for a year" and be sincere about it. Prayer goes a long way here.

In His Love,

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