



Via de Cristo Newsletter

Summer 2007

Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another and all the more as you see the day approaching. Hebrews 10:24-25

Fall Weekend News

The dates for the fall weekends have been set.

Men's - November 1-4 - Rector: Kevin Nelson

Women's - November 8-11 - Rectora: Bonnie Davis

Both will be held at Good Shepherd in Sandy.

Please pray about serving on a team or be an Angel for the weekends.

Now is also the time to start praying about sponsoring a weekender.

A copy of the application for this Fall is included with this newsletter.

Allocations Chairman is Al Heiskanen.

News From the Council

Our third Servant Training Class was held June 23rd. We will continue to offer this course several times each year. The next class will be early 2008 and we encourage you to attend as it will broaden your knowledge of the structure and progression of a weekend and clearly define the duties of a sponsor.

Council Roster

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Meet a Council Member

Hi, my name is Tammie Todd. I have been a member of the VDC community for about six years now. I can never remember what weekend I attended. At any rate I was born in a small town in Colorado (Limon - population 1200 - don't worry that you are geographically challenged if you have never heard of it) and lived there until I was 12. At that time my family moved to Denver where we lived until I went off to college at the University of Colorado in Boulder. I met my husband of 33 years there. We married after graduation and promptly moved to Texas. Since that time we have lived in California, Arizona, Utah, Colorado and back in Utah. We have lived in Sandy for 19 years. I told my husband if he accepted another transfer I hoped he would enjoy the commute!!!!!!

We have three children - a girl 28, a boy 24 and another girl 20 who we adapted from Korea when she was five months old. I am a member of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Holladay and teach first grade in Sandy.

After having many seeds planted by many people over the years....my VDC experience was what finally brought me to the Lord so this community will always have a special place in my heart.

Opportunities to Serve

There are many ways that you can serve in the Via de Cristo community (Sponsors, Angels, Weekend team members, to name a few). Currently, we have need for community members to help with in the following positions:

Council Member - to help set the direction and activities of the Utah Via de Cristo community. Specifically we are looking for someone that will help organize ways to establish improved communication channels within the community.

Newsletter Editor - to publish this newsletter on a monthly basis. This person is responsible for assembling the newsletter (content provided by Council). Should have skills in Word and/or Publisher

Please contact Bob Ricci (bob@riccifamily.com) or any council member if you have any questions or are interested in either position.

Ultreya's

August 19 - Our Saviour's - Holladay

September 16 - Mountain Springs

October 21 - Our Savior's - Roy

November 18 - Good Shepherd - Post-weekend Ultreya

Recipe Corner

KEY LIME PIE

1 graham cracker crust
2 cups eagle brand milk
2 egg yolks
3/4 cup lime juice
1 cup whipped cream

Combine milk and eggs and lime juice. Pour into crust and bake for 10 minutes at 350 degrees. When cool top with whipped cream.

Please contact Bob Ricci (bob@riccifamily.com) or any council member if you would like someone to sample your efforts with this recipe!

Devotion

Words Spoken rise on the wings of faith and enter safely into the throne room of grace. The Father not only hears each word, He also recognizes each voice as a father discerns the sound of his child's call for help. Your voice is precious to Him, and prayer opens the door for Him to speak to your heart with peace, comfort and love.

Utah Via de Cristo Application Form

(One applicant per form)

Submitting this application does not guarantee your acceptance to the weekend. The selection process occurs 8 weeks prior to each weekend and is done with a set of predefined selection rules. You will then be notified by mail of the status of your acceptance to the weekend and at that time a \$75.00 registration fee will be required.

COMPLETED BY APPLICANT: (Please Print Very Clearly)

Age _____ Male _____ Female _____
Date of Weekend **November 1-4, 2007** **November 8-11, 2007**

Has your spouse attended a Via de Cristo weekend? _____ When? _____

Applicants full name:

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|----------------|------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Last Name | First Name | Middle Initial | (Spouse's Name) |
| Street Address | City | State | Zip |

Home Telephone Number --- Work Telephone Number --- EMAIL Address

Name of Church and Denomination if Applicable _____

Your occupation _____ Employer _____

First name or nickname you would like printed on your nametag _____

Doctor's name _____ Phone number() _____

Medical Insurance Carrier _____ Policy # _____

Special needs (Diet, special bed, etc.) Please describe _____

Applicant, when done with your portion of this form, return it to your sponsor, or the Church Liaison listed below.

COMPLETED BY SPONSOR: (Please Print)

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____ Are you in a renewal group? _____

Sponsor, when finished with your portion of the application, return it to the Church Liaison.

COMPLETED BY PASTOR or other Spiritual Leader: (This is NOT required for application)

Is this person physically and emotionally able to attend a weekend? _____

Is there any particular information about this person which you feel would be helpful to the leadership of this VdC weekend? _____

I certify that the applicant's church membership is at the church of which I am pastor.

Pastor's Signature _____ Date: _____

Pastor, when you complete this portion of the application, return it to the Church Liaison.

If this is a new Via de Cristo church, please disregard the Liaison portion of this application.

Completed by Church Liaison (or by Sponsor if liaison is unavailable):

Signature of Liaison (or sponsor) _____ Date submitted _____

Liaison information: Local Church _____

Church Liaison Name _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone: _____ EMAIL: _____