

## **STEP BY STEP OVERVIEW**

**Open with prayer....Hail Mary**

**My name etc. April 2019 Regional Meeting**

**Introduce Steering Committee:**

**Angie, Lois, Debbie, Aurora, Velma, Deacon Bill and myself**

**We have been Working on the Step by Step since the summer of 2019. My plan was to have this report finished by the end of 2019. Well, that did not happen! I felt that a Steering Committee was the best way to study this and then bring this to the Secretariat and the School of Leaders for discussion and approval. I apologize that this has taken so long.**

## **DOCUMENTS THAT YOU SHOULD HAVE TO READ AND FOLLOW ALONG WITH US IN OUR EXPLANATION:**

- 1) Weekend Schedule – Revised May 16, 2020**
- 2) OPTION 1 (Thursday) 3pm**
- 3) OPTION 2 (Thursday) 7:45pm**
- 4) Welcome (Thursday) 7:45**
- 5) Meditation (Thursday) 9:45pm**
- 6) Examination of Conscience (Thursday) 10p**

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**The Why – Edward Bonnin's vision was for Cursillo to bring back the 'fallen away' men from the church.**

**We must remember that Cursillo originated in Spain – that is why so many things are in Spanish.**

**As Cursillo was introduced in English some things were changed to better understand them in English  
This is where many of the problems arose.**

**We adopted and introduced changes that took away the original vision of Cursillo that Edward Bonnin had.**

**Step by Step is to help us get back on track. Many Diocese took on ideas from other Movements (such as Walk to Emmaus, The Great Banquet etc.) that had strayed from the original Cursillo Movement.**

**Our Diocese has NOT strayed far from the National guidelines set by Edward Bonnin.**

**The Step by Step Rectors Guide authored by Edward Bonnin is a guide to the World Cursillo Movement to assist us in ensuring that the Cursillo content of the Weekends is simple, clear and containing all that is necessary, nothing more and nothing less.**

**We do have some leeway and don't have to do things that don't work for our Diocese. Remember, each Diocese is different in size and people.**

**I was asked to cover the things that we do on Thursday of our weekend.**

**I will cover the agenda and time schedule and the different options. Please take notes and I will answer any questions that you may have at the end.**

**OPTION ONE is Thursday. The team arrives at 3pm. This Option is what we CURRENTLY do.... READ**

**OPTION 2.....READ**

**OPTION 3.....READ**

**EXPLAIN EACH ONE**

**1)Go to 7:45 OPTION #2 Welcome Talk**

**2)Go to 7:45 Welcome Reading by Rector/Rectora**

**9:35 is the Meditation**

**10pm Examination of Conscience**

**CONCLUSION**

**After all was explained I opened it up to discussion and questions.**

**We closed with a prayer...**