

CEW



The Christian Experience Weekend (CEW), is an adult renewal weekend for persons 18 years of age or older. CEW is intended for anyone looking to live life more fully as an adult Christian. CEW grew out of the realization that the Christian Life has to be experienced before it can be properly appreciated.

The community based weekend includes talks, discussion, prayer services, and Mass. A team of lay people, priests and sisters conduct the weekend.

The overnight retreat weekend is held at the St. Francis of Assisi Lifeteen House, 1122 North 14th Street, Manitowoc. The CEW begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday evening and is continuous through approximately 5:30 p.m. Sunday evening.

We have limited openings, so turn in your registration early. When the weekend is full, additional registrants are put on a waiting list and notified if there is a cancellation.

The cost of the weekend is \$50.00. If the cost would be a financial burden for you, feel free to contact any one of the rectors listed below.

Please send completed registration form with either a \$15.00 deposit or full payment. Make checks payable to St. Francis of Assisi CEW and mail to:

Lyn & Bernie Brouchoud
3329 Kimberly Circle
Manitowoc, WI 54220

After you have registered, and about a week before the scheduled weekend, you will receive a letter with more information from the weekend rector.

Men's Rector: Jerrod Jirikowic 686-1267
Assistants: Scott Reel 683-1897
Mike Cisler 682-2814

Women's Rector: Michelle Jirikowic 686-1267
Assistants: Kim Reel 683-1897
Char Haug 629-4122

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

(Street)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Age: _____ Single: _____ Married: _____ Other: _____

Church/Parish (if any) _____

Friends/Relatives who have made a Cew/Cursillo/Tec: _____

Friends/Relatives who are also making this CEW: _____

Expectations: _____

Please list any special needs you may have. (Diet, Medications, difficulties, etc.) _____

Check the weekend you plan to attend

Email: _____

_____ Women's CEW - Oct. 21, 22, 23, 2011
_____ Men's CEW - Jan. 27, 28, 29, 2012

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What have those who have attended thought about CEW?

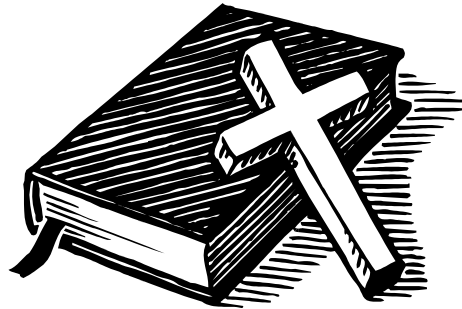
I went to my first CEW with no expectations. Fr. Schuster just told me it would be a good idea. Well, it turned out to be one of the best things I have ever done for myself. The Holy Spirit was definitely present that weekend, and he took up residence in my heart! What a wonderful feeling after a long "desert" period in my life. I re-learned 3 things that were buried somewhere deep in hurt and self-pity. God loves me, Christ died for me, and the Holy Spirit lives in and through me. I saw the face of Christ in so many people, and continue to do so every day.
Jody Gauthier

The CEW weekend allows a person to withdraw from the troubles and responsibility of daily life; to focus on one's self, their relationship with God, and with others. The weekend is made more special because you are experiencing it and sharing it with other people who have the same hopes, dreams, troubles, and failings that you do. It gives us the opportunity to slow down and recognize the God in others and in ourselves. The gamut of emotions that one experiences, while sometimes taxing, are rewarded a hundred times over by the peace and serenity that only comes from God.
Tony Gauthier

I've always been a religious person but felt like I was just going through the motions & never really fully connected with God. After CEW, I truly felt his grace and now I speak to him every day & consider the CEW community my extended family!
Best weekend ever!
Candy Vincent

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