

Regional Encounter of Bolivarian Countries of the CM

10 to 12 September, 2010
Trujillo-Perú

The Latin American Cursillo Group summoned the delegates of the National Secretariats of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela, to the Regional Encounter of the Bolivarian countries in Huanchaco, Trujillo, Peru, from September 10 to 12, 2010 to deepen their knowledge of the Movement based on the Christian experience of doctrine in order to evaluate and relaunch it to holiness. They exchanged experiences of each national situation, on the basis of the survey sent by the GLCC, which was previously analyzed in each country. Finally, they prepared the final document from their recommendations and conclusions.

The encounter was held at the Retreat House of the "Oasis" Huanchaco, and attended by 41 leaders of the Cursillo Movement and the Bolivarian countries and the GLCC. As observers were delegates of the Diocesan Secretariats of Chiclayo, Huancayo, Huanuco, La Oroya, Tarma, and Trujillo. The welcoming remarks were made by the Coordinator of the SEN-Peru, Elva Sanchez Cáceda followed by the greeting of Spiritual Adviser SEN Fr. Eleuterio Pineda Mosquera. The keynote address was made by the President of the GLCC, Alberto Stang and was opened by the Ecclesial Advisor of the GLCC Fr. Jorge Farfan.

Upon the completion of each presentation a question and answer session was held that enriched the meeting. Rocío Ramírez Munera, past President of the GLCC was in charge of the Talk: Conclusions of the Latin-American Encounters. She reminded us of the importance of studying these documents and their corresponding implementation in the activity of the CCM.

The presentation "The CCM and the Youth" presented by our Ecuadorian brother Andrew Puetate, showed us an alternative to the lack of young candidates in the CCM. The work done with young people is based on the preparation of Precursillo for at least a year, and sometimes two or three years, to determine the leadership and maturity in order to live the Cursillo. The presentation by Andres, a young medical student, makes us "see" that the Holy Spirit, who leads the Church invites us to rejuvenate the CCM with the presence of young leaders. This presentation awakened the interest of the brothers and sisters to implement the work with young people in different secretariats.

The meeting was held in an atmosphere filled with the love of God manifested in the love between brothers and sisters in Christ.

We thank the Holy Spirit, who guided our brothers and sisters in the GLCC in the organization of the Meeting, which took place as scheduled, in an atmosphere of harmony and constructive participation.

And the SEN-Peru gives thanks to God for inviting us to be the host Secretariat. Thank you very much to the GLCC and the Bolivarian brothers, for the knowledge, experience and love shared.

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