

Knightly News

Knights of Columbus ó Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 ó Monthly Newsletter

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The Family Council, New Port Richey

August 2016

Grand Knight's Message



Dear Brother Knights

To begin with I would like to thank Tony Nalli for his two years as Grand Knight. The month of August we will be serving hot dogs at the parish picnic, hope all Knights join in on the fun. The Oktoberfest planning is going well, our Council is working on the advertisement for this event. We need volunteers to help make this a success.

We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his

purpose." Romans 8:28

God is always working behind the scenes in your life! No matter what you may be facing, no matter what trial you may be going through, God has a plan to turn things around in your favor. You are called according to His purpose; so right now, He is working out a plan for your good. Right now, He is orchestrating the right people to come across your path. He is orchestrating the right opportunities for you. You may not see it in the natural, but look with your eyes of faith today. Show your love for the Father by your obedience to His Word. Come before Him with an open and humble heart trusting that He is guiding you. Keep standing. Keep believing. Keep hoping. Keep declaring His Word. Meditate on His goodness, knowing that He is at work right now and rewards the people who seek after Him.

God Bless

Thomas Young GK

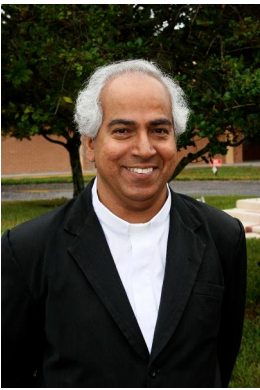
KNIGHTS ON THE WEB There's a great deal of information on the World Wide Web about the Knights of Columbus. Supreme council's web site is: www.kofc.org. Florida State Council web Site: www.floridastatecouncil.com . Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 web site: www.kofc11680.org

Pro-life

Pray to end Abortion!!

O Mary, bright dawn of the new world, Mother of the living, to you do we entrust the *cause of life*: Look down, O Mother, upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born, of the poor whose lives are made difficult, of men and women who are victims of brutal violence, of the elderly and the sick killed by indifference or out of misguided mercy. Grant that all who believe in your Son may proclaim *the Gospel of life* with honesty and love to the people of our time. Obtain for them the grace to *accept that Gospel* as a gift ever new, the *joy of celebrating* it with gratitude throughout their lives and the courage to *bear witness* to it resolutely, in order to build, together with all people of good will, the civilization of truth and love, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. Amen

Chaplain's Message



Dear Brother Knights,

Hope you are all doing fine. May be this is a quiet time for many of us. I know some of our friends are busy flying North and South, East and West meeting families and friends. Make the time God has given us meaningful and worthwhile. Build up relationships, maintain the family connections. As parents or as brothers and sisters we might have gone through failures in the past; some misunderstanding in the family might have disconnected us. Repair the past hurt feelings and go forward for a peaceful ending of our life. We have to sit down for a while and should think over our past. Life is very short; shorter than what we believe.

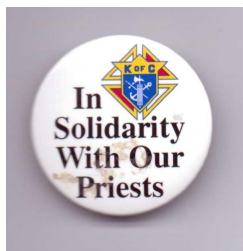
So friends, take some time to reflect up on different aspects of our relationships.

There are people to whom we should be grateful. There are others to whom we may have to forgive. I am not going here for any details. Concentrate on your family; simply ask, 'where are they now?' or 'when did I hear last from some of them or did I hear at all from some of them?'

Let us live our time wisely.

**God's blessings,
Father Sebastian**

Prayer for Vocations



Heavenly Father, Your divine Son taught us to pray to the Lord of the harvest to send Laborers into His vineyard. We earnestly beg you to bless our Diocese and our world with many priests and religious who will love you fervently, and gladly and courageously spend their lives in service to Your Son's Church under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. We pray that lives may be always centered on our Eucharistic Lord which they may be devoted sons and daughters of Mary, our mother, in making you known and loved that all may attain Heaven. Bless our families and our children and choose from our homes those whom you desire for this holy work. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen

Calendar for Council and Assembly events for August 2016

August 1, 2016, Officer's Meeting 7:00 pm in hall.

August 4, 2016, Business Meeting at 7:30 pm in hall.

August 18, 2016, Social meeting 7:30 pm in hall.

August 25, 2016 Assembly 2882 Meeting at 7:30 pm in hall.

August 29, 2016 Officer's meeting 7 pm in Hall.

August 2016 3rd and 4th Degree Knights

Timothy R. Baron 08/26
Glen Bennett Sr 08/25
Dustin J. Bensonhuber 08/31
John J. Jace 08/02
Eduardo Jackson 08/05
Carlos B. Jara 08/28
David B. Katcher 08/18
James M. Manjone 08/30
Lewis A. Morales 08/08
Rev. Vincent R. Nicita 08/07



Peter Scott Petricone 08/21
Robert Rizzo 08/30
Raymond R. Rossi 08/24
Rev. Augustine J. Shayo 08/24
Raymond J. Vizgirda 08/28
Pablo Zamora 08/03
Rev. Michael R Lydon 08/28
Damon A. Palestra 08/09
Anthony Skrobacz Jr. 08/17
Thomas C. Stimson 08/18
George A. White 08/25

4th Degrees News



4th Degree August Newsletter 2016

Greetings to all Sir Knights

I take this opportunity to again congratulate all incoming officers for this new fraternal year. Together we all can keep our Assembly strong.

It was a disappointment with the lack of support and participation at our installation of officers. Hopefully we can generate more interest for this next coming year.

I congratulate Art Ostrander for being chosen as Sir Knight of the month for June. I also congratulate Bob Poll for being chosen as Sir Knight of the Year. Congratulations to John Barry as Sir Knight of the month for July. These honors are well deserved.

We are currently planning our calendar for the year. If anyone has any suggestions or ideas, please contact any officer to share your thoughts.

God's Blessings to all

George F.N.



Plan for this Tax Day and into the Future

April 15 (tax day) is right around the corner. It's become popular this time of year to encourage the opening of an IRA or similar retirement annuity, or the depositing of additional funds into an existing account, as a tax-savings vehicle. Or perhaps someone has tried to convince you to open an account, touting the rate of interest that money in one of these accounts can earn. Let me join the chorus of folks encouraging you to open or add funds to an annuity, but for a different reason.

Certainly, contributing money to a Knights of Columbus annuity will allow you to save some money on your income tax return. And our annuities do pay a very competitive interest rate, consistent with our primary goal of absolute safety of principal. Opening or adding to an annuity for these reasons, however, strikes me as

taking a short-term view of a product that is designed to provide long-term security. How much security? How does retirement income that you cannot outlive ô guaranteed ô sound to you?

Here at the Knights of Columbus, you can open a retirement annuity for as little as \$300. Consistent and disciplined savings placed into that annuity over time can guarantee you an income at retirement that you cannot outlive. That guarantee ô along with the fact that no one has ever lost money left in a Knights of Columbus annuity (remember ô absolute safety of principal) ô really will provide you with peace of mind.

I am happy to meet with you ô at your convenience and in your home ô to explain in detail the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top-rated life insurance, disability income and long-term care insurance plans.

Mark Blaton

352-279-2533

Email MARK.BLANTON@KOFc.ORG



From the Memorial Director, Brother Dan Poulter

If anyone knows of a brother knight or a family member of a brother knight that is sick, distressed or has gone to be with the Lord, Please contact me at 727-376-7811.

Sick and Distressed

Prayers requested for the following Brothers and members and their families.

Father Joseph Pastick, Brother Jim Kremer Healing, Brother Jack Petrosky Niece Lauren, Brother John Barry Healing, Brother Martin Michelin, Brother George Mountford, Brother Richard Overbeck.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence? Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. AMEN

Congratulation!!

The Knight of the month of June
Brother Art Ostrander



The Family of the Month of June
Brother Joe Tengowski



Sir Knight of the Month June
Sir Knight John Barry



Sir Knight of the Year
Sir Knight Bob Poll



MARY QUEEN OF THE KNIGHTS

Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our order. Keep us true to the pledge, to extend the Kingship of your Divine Son on earth, through your intercession win for us your grace, ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues which should characterize those, specially dedicated to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware, that as you're Knights we are constantly observed, our faith judged, and our order appreciated. Accept, O Mary this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion, of your servants the Knights of Columbus. Amen

News Letter Deadline

Please have your Article for the September 2016 issue of the Knightly Newsletter to me by August 20, 2016. Any Chairman of any committee that wishes to promote their projects are responsible to get their article to me. Art Ostrander, News Letter Editor phone Number 727-372-9437

Email arthurostrander@gmail.com



Brother Tony Mortilla will make the Council Shirts per the order form below. Please send your order to Tony along with your check. If you have any questions please contact Tony or Eileen at the number on the order form.

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COUNCIL NUMBER: _____

ORDER DATE: _____

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ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

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Total Number On This Order: _____

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Text on 1 sleeve add \$2.00

50-50 POLO SHIRT (3rd Maroon and 4th Royal)

S \$22.50

M \$22.50

L \$22.50

XL \$22.50

XXL \$24.50

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XXL

Button-down Twill SHORT SLEEVE SHIRT (3rd Maroon and 4th Royal)

S \$22.50

M \$22.50

L \$22.50

XL \$22.50

XXL \$24.50

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Up charge of \$1.00 each additional size after 2XL / Longsleeve \$2.00 upcharge

Special Instructions:

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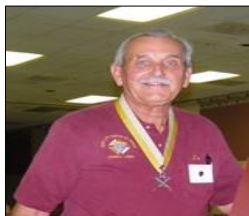
Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 Officer's Roster 2016/2017



**Grand Knight
Thomas Young**



**Deputy Grand Knight
John Barry**



**Chancellor
Art Ostrandert**

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**Warden
Armando Xavier**



**Financial Secretary
Tom Cleary**



**Treasurer
Tony Alves**



**Recording Secretary
Lou Gallina**



**Lecturer
Matt Carlino**



**Advocate
Ed Gongola**



**Inside Guard #1
Dan Poulter**



**Inside Guard #2
Jim Blatchley**



**Outside Guard #1
Anthony Esposito**



**Outside Guard #2
Richard Palladino**



**First Year Trustee
Joe Fiorentino III**



**Second Year Trustee
Joe Tengowski**



**Third Year Trustee
Tony Nalli**



**Chaplain
Father Sebastian**



**District Warden
Joe Fiorentino**



**District Deputy
Richard Overbeck**



**Ins. Field Agent
Mark Blanton**

Father Gerard E Powers Assembly 2882 Officers 2015-2016



**Faithful Navigator
George Mountford**



**Faithful Captain
Chuck Hope**



**Faithful Admiral
Joe La Guardia**



**Faithful Pilot
Paul Amodeo**



**Faithful Friar
Father Sebastian**



**Faithful Comptroller
Bob Poll**



**Faithful Purser
Clark Hill**



**Faithful Scribe
Maurice A. Batista**



**Inner Sentinel
Dan Poulter**



**Outer Sentinel
Anthony Esposito**



**First Year Trustee
Ed Gongola**



**Second Year Trustee
Matt Carlino**



**Third Year Trustee
Joe Fiorentino**



**Color Corp Commander
Joe Fiorentino**



**District Deputy
Richard Overbeck**



**Ins. Field Agent
Mark Blanton**

The Installaion of Officers were held on July 9, 2016 for Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 and Father Gerard E. Powers Assembly 2882

The following are pictures taken at these installations by Heather Fiorentino





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9th Annual Knights of Columbus Day at the Ball Park

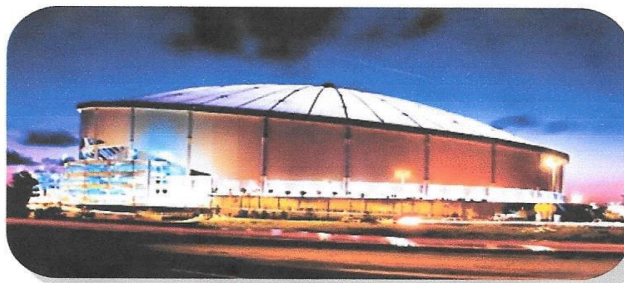
Sunday September 25th, 2016
Game time: 1:10 pm
 KC Charities, Inc. Benefit at Tropicana
 Field—St. Petersburg, Florida

Join your brother knights and families for
 Knights of Columbus Family Fun Day at
 Tropicana Field. The Rays take on the
 Red Sox—kids 14 and under will receive
 a DJ Kitty Toothbrush holder.

Please have one representative from
 each council collect and submit all ticket
 requests. Ticket deadline is August 31st.

**Tickets are only \$20 per person for
 upper level, \$25 for lower level base-
 line box tickets or \$45 for lower re-
 served with a hat.**

Proceeds will go to KC Charities, Inc.



Parking at Tropicana Field

The Rays go green—Carpool to Tropicana
 Field! All vehicles with four or more
 passengers get FREE parking on Family
 Fun days. For vehicles with fewer than
 four passengers, parking will cost \$10-\$15
 depending on location.



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For your convenience, we've listed area hotels and area attractions to help plan your

Comfort Inn St. Petersburg
 2260 54th Avenue North
 St. Petersburg, FL 33714
 (727) 362-0075

Homewood Suites by Hilton
 2233 Ulmerton Road
 Clearwater, FL 33762
 (727) 573-1500

Other Attractions:
 Busch Gardens
 Adventure Island
 Sundial and more!

Number of Tickets	Council #	Contact Name and Phone #	Total
10 ³ Upper level @ \$20 per ticket	12345	Joe Smith, (555) 555-1212	\$200.00
10 Lower level @ \$25 per ticket	12345	Joe Smith, (555) 555-1212	\$250.00
10 Lower level w/hat @ \$45 per ticket	12345	Joe Smith, (555) 555-1212	\$450.00
Send my tickets to:		123 Main St., Yourtown, FL 12345	

Number of Tickets	Council #	Contact Name and Phone #	Total
Upper level @ \$20 per ticket			
Lower level @ \$25 per ticket			
Lower level w/hat @ \$45 per ticket			
Send my tickets to:			

Please make checks payable to: St. Peter the Apostle Council #15779
Mail this form to: Paul Amodeo, 2613 Brinley Dr. Trinity, FL 34655

Carnival Fall Fest 2016



Location: Our Lady Queen of Peace 5340 High St. N.P.R.
Off US-19 cross the street from South Gate Shopping Center.

Opening day:

Friday November 4, 2016 at 5pm. until midnight.
Saturday November 5 from 12:00 noon until midnight.
Sunday November 6 from 1:00pm until 10:00pm.

Second weekend November 11,12,13

Friday November 11, 2016 starting at 5:00pm until midnight.
Saturday November 12 from 12:00 noon until midnight.
Sunday November 13 from 1:00pm until 10:00pm.

Carnival Rides Tickets sold for \$1.00 each or 12 tickets for \$10.00

24 tickets for \$20.00 / No pre-sale tickets to be sold

All day rider's wristband tickets sold for \$25.00

For Information Call Tom Cleary 727 -741-1922or Joe Fiorentino 727-809-0492

Reminder!

***First Friday of each month the Social Committee
puts on a dinner.***

Please call in for your reservation.

727-849-7521

Knights of Columbus



Councils of West Pasco

**Fr. Felix Ulrich, St James, St. Michaels, Our Lady Queen of Peace,
St Thomas Aquinas, St Peter the Apostle**

**5850 K of C Drive
Port Richey, FL 34668**

**Enjoy German Food, Beer,
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Music, souvenir Steins and T-
shirts for sale and more!**

**September 30th 3pm till Midnight
October 1st Noon till Midnight
October 2nd noon till 6pm**

Entertainment Schedule

**Friday, September 30th, 7pm to 10pm
The Deutschmeister Blas Band**

**Saturday, October 1st, 7pm to 10pm
The Outside Da Box Band**

**Sunday, October 2nd, 2pm to 5pm
The Deutschmeister Blas Band**

**Net proceeds to be presented to
Johns Hopkins All Childrens Hospital Guild Pasco County**