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Grand Knights Message



My Brother Knights, What a great month October was. I'll start with the Save a life dinner dance. We took in just under \$2000.00 that means YOU made this a success. The best part of the dinner was the arrival of Bishop Burns from Juno Alaska. What a great privilege to be blessed with Bishop Burns presence, also having all three of our parish priests there too made this a special night. Now let's step up in November and help at all the

masses for the baby bottle fund raiser, covering the doors to pass out the bottles one weekend and collect them the next. All the money collected will go to the ultrasound fund, helping us make our goal! To the members who worked their tails off, thank you is not enough, but for now that is all I can say, you have shown true Charity, Unity and Fraternity.

Brothers you have made my job of picking the Knight and Family of the month the hardest this month so far, but this is the best problem a Grand Knight can have. Also in October we Recruited new members keeping us on track to meet our goal of 13, for this I thank Brother Knight LaGuardia for leading the way and by helping members recruit. November 16th will be our first breakfast, so let's make this a success to put funds in our treasury. We also had a great soccer challenge thank you brother Tom and his wife Emily who made this successful. We even had 3 out of 5 of our kids go to regional. We wish them good luck.

We need to support the work of brothers Martin and Maurice with the play 12 angry men. If you can act or think you can, contact either of them for an audition. Council 11680 has shown what I believe is Charity, Unity and Fraternity, and showed it in our actions not just in words. I thank every member of this council for their support.

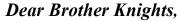
Vie Vat Tony Nalli Grand Knight

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



Parish Mission: November 10, 11, 12,13,2014

Nightly at 6.30-8.00 pm

Fr. Larry Richards

% gifted and captivating speaker, preacher, retreat master, and author. Fr. Larry Richards holds the answer to some of lifes most profound questions. He speaks from experience as a pastor of an inner city parish, a high school chaplain, a counselor and evangelist. Fr. Larry Richards has directed hundreds of retreats, parish missions, and conferences for young and old alike. His inspirational talks, presentations, and books always authentic and enthusiastic, have changed the hearts, minds and lives of millions of listeners and readers worldwide.+

It is true that each of us have a plan for our life. Sometimes it doesnot go with Godos plan for us. There lies the trouble why we donot find peace in ourselves.

Believe: whether we are aware of or not, God has a purpose for our life. It is up to us to find it out.

I invite you all to this four day mission at Our Lady Queen of Peace, New Port Richey.

Gods 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

1st Degree Team.



We have several positions open on the first degree team.

Anyone interested in becoming a Team member please contact

Brother Martin Michelon at <u>michelonmartin@yahoo.com</u> or 719-322-7464.

Reminder!
First Friday of each month the Social Committee
puts on a dinner.
November's menu will be
Home-style Turkey with fixings, Salad, and Desert.
Please call in for your reservation.
727-849-7521

News Letter Deadline

Please have your Article for the November 2014 issue of the Knightly News to me by October 20^{th.} Any Chairman of any committee that wishes to promote their projects are responsible to get their article to me. Art Ostrander, Editor

Phone Number 727-372-9437 Email arthurostrander@gmail.com

Calendar for Council and Assembly events for November 2014

November 2, 2014 Church Breakfast 6:00 am in Hall

November 3, 2014 Officer's meeting 7:00 pm in Hall

November 6, 2014 business meeting 7:30 pm in Hall

November 9, 2014 Blood Drive

November 16, 2014 Knight's Breakfast 6:00 am in Hall

November 20 4th Degree meeting 7:30 pm in Hall

November 27, 2014 Thanksgiving Day



Only Having Insurance "Through Work" Doesn't Work

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? Ito very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there a possibility that you (or your spouse) could lose your job or change employers.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having õthrough workö insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. In be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you'll know exactly where you stand.

MARK S BLANTON

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Congratulation!!

The Knight of the Month for the September 2014 Brother Joe LaGuardia



The Family of the Month for the September 2014 Brother Tom Young and Wife



Sir Knight Ed Gongola Presented with Honorary Card



KNIGHTS ON THE WEB



Thereøs a great deal of information on the World Wide Web about the Knights of Columbus. Supreme counciløs 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

Note you can view the newsletter on www.kofc11680.org web site.

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Francis P. Bunting
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Sick and Distressed
Please pray for Knights and family members listed below
Prayers for Brother Dan McKinnon
Prayers for Brother Dan Poulter
Prayers for Brother Lou Galina continued healing
Prayers for Heather Fiorentino continued healing

Scott Schoffstall needs our prayers. Scott is in Consulate nursing home on Old C.R. 54. He is going through rehab for two broken legs. He could use visitors.

Prayers of healing are offered for all the Knights going through surgery or sickness. Brother Bill Fuhrmann announced, if anyone knows of anyone who needs prayers send him or Theresa an email or call and they will be added them to the Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Group.

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



Announcing auditions

Our Lady Queen of Peace Knights of Columbus Council 11680 is sponsoring the presentation of the award winning stage drama TWELVE ANGRY MEN to be presented January 15 thru January 25, 2015.

Auditions will be held at the conclusion of the October 2 meeting, a Thursday.

PRIOR EXPERIENCE IN COMMUNITY THEATER ACTING IS NOT NECESSARY

There are 13 roles available, the twelve jurors who are on stage from beginning to end, and a very small role for the Court Bailiff. The off stage voice of the Judge will be played by Pasco County's distinguished Tax Collector, Brother Mike Fasano.

If you are not familiar with the play, you can obtain a copy from director Maurice A. Batista who can be reached at 813-493-4534 or email mabatista 1944@gmail.com

The objective is to cast the play from within the ranks of the Council membership. If that does not become possible, then Brother Maurice will reach to the parish community, but he is hopeful that will not be necessary.

If you are chosen, rehearsals will be held beginning November 17. Cast needs to rehearse a minimum of 3 days per week for 8 weeks.

The production will also need assistance with other responsibilities such as Box Office Manager, two ushers for each of the seven production days, and a Stage Manager whose duties can be performed by the same individual playing the Court Bailiff. Deputy Grand Knight Martin Michelson has accepted the responsibility to serve as Production Coordinator.

TWELVE ANGRY MEN Notes on characters and costumes

Guard (Court Bailiff)- This is a bit part. Can be any age and the only one that wears a uniform.

<u>Juror # 1</u> – The Jury Foreman, somewhat preoccupied with his duties; impressed with his authority; handles himself quite formally; proves to be accommodating to others. He is an assistant high school football coach.

 $\underline{\text{Juror } \# 2}$ – A meek, hesitant and unpretentious bank clerk who is at first domineered by others but finds his voice as the discussion goes on.

<u>Juror #3</u> - A business owner, a distraught father; the antagonist; a strong, forceful and opinionated individual, stubborn with a temper. Intolerant of the opinion of others, with a streak of sadism; accustomed to forcing his views and opinions on others.

<u>Juror #4</u> – A rational stockbroker. Unflappable, self-assured and analytical. Seems to be a man of wealth. Well groomed, well dressed, distinguished appearance. A practiced speaker who presents himself well at all times. The only that wears glasses. Doesn't perspire.

<u>Juror #5</u> – A young man from a violent slum, Works as a hospital orderly. Naïve. Takes his obligations very seriously but finds it difficult to speak up when his elders have the floor.

Juror #6 - A House painter. Tough but principled and respectful.

Juror #7 – A loud, flashy, glad-handed salesman who has more important things to do than to sit on a jury. A Yankee sports fan. Superficial and indifferent to the deliberations. Quick to show temper and equally quick to form opinions on things he knows nothing about.

<u>Juror #8</u> - The protagonist. An architect by profession. He is a quiet, thoughtful, gentle man – who sees all sides of every question and constantly seeks the truth. A man of strength tempered with compassion. Above all, he is a man who wants justice to be done, and will fight to see that it is.

<u>Juror # 9</u> - The oldest of the jurors but with a perfect 20/20 vision. Wise, observant gentle and lonely old man, long since defeated by life. A widower. Lives alone. If he has any children or grand-children, they either live far away or don't see him often or at all. He recognizes himself for what he is, and mourns the days when it would have been possible to be courageous without shielding himself behind his many years.

<u>Juror # 10</u> – A garage owner, Pushy, loud mouth bigot. Angry, bitter – a man who antagonizes almost at sight. Places no value on any human life save his own. Has been nowhere and is going nowhere and knows it deep within him.

 $\underline{Juror \# 11}$ – A watchmaker from eastern Europe. Probably a refugee. A naturalized American citizen. He speaks with an accent but has greater command of the English language that most other jurors. He is a humble man, very respectful of others, who will honestly seek justice because he has suffered through so much injustice

<u>Juror # 12</u> – A wisecracking, indecisive advertising executive. Slick, bright, who thinks of human beings in terms of percentages, graphs and polls, and has no real understanding of people. A superficial snob, but trying to be a good fellow.

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Jurors wear every day business clothes suitable for sum

Our Lady Queen of Peace Knights of Columbus Council 11680

Announces the

200 Club #5

Looking for a Start Date January 4, 2015.

This program consists of the Donation of \$25.00 per person Maximum number of tickets is 200.

There will be 25 weekly drawings for \$25.00 each

Winning number will be returned to the drum each week so you are eligible to Win a \$25.00 prize more than one time if you are lucky.

Following the 25 weekly drawings, we will have a party and Grand Prize Drawing of (2) prizes of \$250.00 each and one prize of \$1000.00

> Your donation of \$25.00 entitles you to admission to the party Plus entry in all drawings.

All Proceeds will help the Knights of Columbus Council 11680 Keep our obligations to the Parish and other charitable donations.

Approximate four weeks before the end of the period we will Start another 25 week period following the same setup.

Any questions, please call Tom Cleary at 727-846-0392 Or tom.cleary75@gmail.com

Cash or Check made out to OLQP KofC Council 11680



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Message from Color Corp Commander Sir Knight Clark Hill.

Any Color Corp Member interested in marching in the Veteran's Day Parade on November 11th please contact me. Below is a flyer with the information on the parade.

I would like to thank the six Color Corp Members that participated in the possession of the Statue of Our Lady Of Fatima at the Portuguese Cultural Center in Hudson on October 12, 2014.





Knights of Columbus Monthly Breakfast
Come join us on November 16, 2014.
The Knights of Columbus Council 11680
at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish has a monthly
breakfast on the second Sunday of the month. If you
are not able to help us, then please bring your
family for a great breakfast at an affordable price.



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More pictures from the installation of Officers held on September 23, 2014











Past Grand Knight of Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 receives the Columbian award from our District Deputy Brother Richard Overbeck at the 3rd degree business meeting on October 2, 2014.



Grand Knight Brother Tony
Nalli Receives a banner from the
recently golf tournament at the
3rd degree business meeting on
October 2, 2014
This tournament was held at
Timber Greens Country Club