

Knighly News

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

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The Family Council, New Port Richey

August, 2013

Grand Knight's Message

By Joseph L. Tengowski

My Brothers:

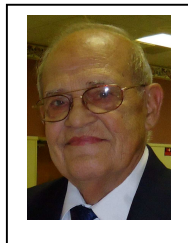
I hope everyone is enjoying their summer and the rain.

July started our second 200 club and everyone should have their numbers for this round by now.

I hope everyone has their tickets for the Ray's baseball game on August 4th. This is a good time for our families to enjoy a day at the Trop.

On Thursday, August 1, there will be a 3rd Degree Council business meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15th NO MEETING (summer).



Thursday, August 22nd, 4th Degree Assembly business meeting 7:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

Monday, August 26th, 3rd Degree Council officers meeting at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall. **(note time change)**

Monday, September 2nd is Labor Day, hope everyone enjoys the Holiday.

Please mark your calendar, our installation of officers for 3rd and 4th Degree will be on Thursday, September 19th at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

Fraternally:
Joseph Tengowski
Grand Knight

AUGUST, 2013

AUGUST 1ST

3rd Degree Business Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

AUGUST 18TH

NO SOCIAL MEETING (SUMMER)

AUGUST 22ND

4th Degree Fr. Powers Assembly 2882 Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

AUGUST 26TH

3rd Degree Officers Meeting, 7:00pm, Parish Hall (please note time change)

SICK AND DISTRESSED

Fr. Joseph Pastick, prayers for continued good health.
Joe Toy, recovering from hip replacement
Gail Nalli, North Bay Hospital, recovering from surgery
Dave Cruz, complications from motorcycle accident
Larry Smerecki, surgery
Grand Knight, Joseph Tengowski, surgery

IN MEMORIAM

Paul Pickett
Jane Wallace

September Copy Deadline

Please have your copy for the **September, 2013** issue of the Knightly News to me by **August 20** at the latest.

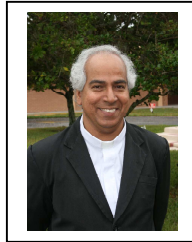
Any Chairmen of any committee that wishes to promote their projects are responsible to get their copy to me.

Tom Cleary, Editor



Chaplain's Message

"I will "... for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us..."



We all hope for forgiveness. But we dislike forgiving someone who hurt us. One of the petitions in Lord's Prayer is, to "forgive us our sins". The same petition also reminds us to forgive others. Retaining the hurt feelings will not help us. Hard heart is a bad omen. Sometimes our pride doesn't allow us to forgive others.

End of the day, sit in your living room. Switch off the TV and other stuff. Close your eyes, take a deep breath. Relax; reflect what happens in us when we do not forgive others.

We never know what peace of mind is. We get engaged in plotting revenges. It surely infects other areas of our life. (Such people fear death, deny God and die without hope.) When you kick a rock, you don't hurt the rock but break your leg. When you don't forgive someone, you become sick. You ruin your life with negative feelings and vengeful thoughts.

I don't intent to upset anyone. I am telling the truth. We could be the innocent victims. Someone cheated or abused us or told lies about us. We have every reason 'to hate' 'that person'. What I want to say is, we have to move forward. We have to get healed. The right way to end it is, to forgive the one who wounded us. Then we are 'Free'. Nobody can force anyone to forgive. You are your own. It should come from within. We can't forgive someone if we do not want to.

The easy step to forgive someone whom we do not want to forgive is, to think something positive about him/her. Then try praying for him/her. Your life will blossom. If we do not forgive others, we don't have the right to ask God's forgiveness.

God's blessings,

Father Sebastian

**Knights of Columbus
Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680
VAVS (Veterans Affairs Voluntary Service)**

"Serving Those Who Served"

We are now accepting donations. Please place your items in the boxes provided at each EXIT door in the Church. Needed items are to be NEW and unopened.

PLEASE choose from the following.

Combs Body Powder Shampoo Denture Cleaner
Calendars Stationery Punch Deodorant
Hand Lotion Shaving Cream Tooth Brushes
Greeting Cards Coffee/per lb. Pens Hair Brushes
Nail Clippers Writing Pads Emery Boards
Hair Oil Soap Stamps Tissues
Playing Cards Chap Stick Pencils
Medical Supplies Envelopes Note Paper
After Shave (non alcohol) Tooth Paste Cosmetics

REMINDER
Friday, August 2
Monthly Dinner sponsored by
Social Committee
Doors open 4:45pm,
Serving 5pm to 6:30pm
Roast Pork, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables,
Apple Sauce and Dessert
Coffee, Tea and Lemonade
Adults \$5.00, Children \$4.00

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Timothy R. Baron
Glen Bennett*
Eduardo Jackson*
Carlos J. Jara*
James Manjone
Alfred Margo
Ronald Menard
Guido J. Mifsud*
Robert Rizzo*
Raymond Rossi
Raymond J. Vizgirda
Harry Wagner*
Pablo Zamora*

ANNIVERSARIES

Richard W. and Irene Hohenthanner*
Kevin PGK, FDD and Gay McMahon