

# Knightly News

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

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The Family Council, New Port Richey

March, 2011

## Grand Knight's Message

By Joseph Menicola, PGK, PFN

My Brothers/Sir Knights:

I would like to congratulate Father Gerard E. Powers Assembly #2882 and Faithful Navigator Joe LaGuardia for a GREAT SWEETIES DANCE. It shows that when everyone works together THINGS HAPPEN !! Great Job.



This month events are starting to happen. Our Business Meeting will be held on Thursday March 3, 2011 at 7:30pm at the parish hall. Sunday March 6, 2011 Our Corporate Communion will be held at the 10:30am Mass, followed by coffee and donuts in the parish hall. Brothers/Sir Knights let's have a large turn out and receive the Body and Blood of Our Lord and Savior JESUS CHRIST.

Wednesday March 9, 2011 starts Lent and we will begin our Friday Night Fish Frys on Friday March 11, 2011 through April 15, 2011 from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Our menu will include a White Fish (baked or fried), French Fried Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Rolls w/butter, coffee, tea and dessert.

Saturday March 12, 2011 is the TOOTSIE ROLL Drive at Sam's Club. Please contact Brother Clark Hill to volunteer your help (727) 376-8434.

Sunday March 13, 2011 is our ALL AMERICAN BREAKFAST, during which we will also have our BLOOD DRIVE. Brothers if you can donate a pint to save a life please do so.

Thursday March 17, 2011 (St. Patrick's Day) is our social meeting at the parish hall at 7:30 PM.

Friday March 18, 2011 is our fish fry 5 to 7 PM at the parish hall.

Sunday March 20, 2011 is our St. Patrick's Day Dinner at the parish hall. Doors open at 2:00 PM, dinner from 3:00 to 4:00 PM. The menu will include Corn Beef & Cabbage, boiled potatoes, carrots, dinner rolls and coffee and tea.

Thursday March 24, 2011 is a meeting for Father Gerard E. Powers Assembly #2882 at the parish hall at 7:30PM

Friday March 25, 2011 is our fish fry 5 to 7 PM at the parish hall.

My brothers we are in need of a cleaning crew to help clean up after our dinners and fish frys. We are trying to generate funds for our council but we can't do it alone. ***WE NEED YOUR HELP !!!*** Together we can do it. This is YOUR COUNCIL and with your help we can be successful.

God Bless/Fraternally,  
Joseph (Joe) Menicola, PGK, PFN  
Grand Knight

*Happy St. Patrick's Day*

**HEADS UP TO ALL MEMBERS  
FISH FRY'S START IN MARCH  
HELP IS NEEDED SERVING AND CLEANUP**



## Chaplain's Message

By Father Joseph A. Pastick



In February, Carl Anderson (our Supreme Knight) said: "The obligation of the Christian ... goes beyond justice. Those who follow Christ are called not only to obey the laws but also to **fulfill** it." John Paul II said: "Through the words, the actions and the

very person of Jesus, man is given the possibility of knowing **the complete truth** concerning the value of human life.

Our self-knowledge with our personal integrity (with our empathy and respect for others) will

maintain a life-style befitting a man, a Christian Catholic and a brother Knight of Columbus who is **faithful** to the four principles of our Order.

By our fidelity to the Holy Eucharist (as a sacrament and a sacrifice) we will achieve all the great works we saw outlined in the February Newsletter. The holy season of Lent is a most appropriate time for each of us personally to **repent** and to make the Kingdom happen.

Yours in His Holy Cross,

Fr. Joe

Chaplain

### April Copy Deadline

Please have your copy for the **April, 2011** issue of the Knightly News to me by **March 24** 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

### IN MEMORIAM

**Dr. Jeffrey Baumrucker, DDS**

#### 'The Mass will provide for all your needs'

As the only child in a broken family, I was raised by my father in Vancouver, Canada. After high school, in December 1989, I traveled to see my mother, who had relocated to Australia. On the way, I stopped in Fiji. There a primitive Catholic village on a small, tropical island changed my life. I remember the first night when the bell rang for a weekday Mass. A little girl took me by the hand and dragged me to church. I had an instant love the Mass and wanted to go every day from then on.

I entered the seminary in 1992 and was finally ordained Nov. 1, 2001. I still love to go to Mass every day. If you love Jesus, you will come to Mass, and the Mass will provide for all your needs.

In 2008, I stopped in Fiji on my way to World Youth Day in Australia. The little girl, Mareta, was known in the village as the "girl who took Father Derrick by the hand." And her sister, who still lives in the village, had a son she named Derrick Mareta.

Father Derrick Cameron, Diocese of Kamloops, British Columbia

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### SPECIAL THANK YOU

Brothers, I would like to personally thank each and every person involved in our successful Fourth Degree dinner/dance held Sunday, February 13, 2011. Special thanks to Clark and Doris Hill. Clark for buying the food and for selling so many tickets at church and Doris for the wonderful decorations at the dance. I would like to thank Brothers Joe Menicola and Joe Fiorentino for buying the food and for a terrific meal and Kevin & Gay Mahon, Marie Menicola and their neighbor Dan, Duke and Barb Margo and Brother Jack Fahey for handling the daunting task of feeding nearly 300 hungry people in such an efficient and professional manner. I would like to thank Joe and Dot Tengowski for handling the gate as usual and my wife Jackie for selling prize and 50/50 tickets and Heather Fiorentino our unofficial Assembly photographer.

It was wonderful to see so many of our Brother Knights and their wives attend and support our efforts as well as our Brother Sir Knights from St. Thomas Aquinas and Fr. Felix Assemblies. Thanks also to our Pastor, Fr. Sebastian, Fr. James and our Chaplain, Fr. Joe for our spiritual uplift and for District Deputy Dick Anci and his lovely wife Josephine for attending. The night was wonderful, the food was excellent and the music lasted well into the night. This night proved that our Council/ Assembly are well and alive and able for the uphill battle we are part of in restoring our beautiful parish to health and dominance in Pasco County. **THANK YOU TO ALL...**

Vivat Jesus!

Joe LaGuardia, PGK, FDD.

Faithful Navigator

Fr. Gerard Powers Assembly, 2882



## MARCH, 2011

### MARCH 3RD

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

### MARCH 6TH

Corporate Communion, 10:30am Mass, followed by coffee and donuts in the Parish Hall

### MARCH 11TH

Fish Fry 5:00 to 7:00pm, Parish Hall

### MARCH 12TH

Tootsie Roll Drive, 8:00am to 4:00 pm at Sam's Club. Contact Clark Hill to offer two hours of your time for this worthy cause, 727-376-8434

### MARCH 13TH

All American Breakfast, 8:00am to Noon, Parish Hall

### MARCH 17TH

10:30am Mass honoring St. Patrick sponsored by Ancient Order of Hibernians, Social following In Parish Hall

### MARCH 17TH

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

### MARCH 18TH

Fish Fry 5:00 to 7:00pm, Parish Hall

### MARCH 20TH

St. Patrick's Day Dinner (see flyer)

### MARCH 24TH

4th Degree Business Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

### MARCH 25TH

Fish Fry 5:00 to 7:00pm, Parish Hall

### MARCH 25TH

West Pasco Pregnancy Center Golf Outing, see flyer on page 6

**The Social Committee of OLQP** will sponsor a dinner on Ash Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. This dinner will take the place of the First Friday Monthly Dinner. Since it is during Lent, it will be meatless.

**Macaroni and Cheese** along with a salad and pudding cup will be served. The cost is **\$4.00**, all proceeds going to parish needs. If you could, please call the office at 849-7521 so we can get an idea how many will be attending.

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Adam Beamer  
Robert J. Benson  
Joseph Beraducci  
Wayne Bilby  
John J. Cody  
Mario Defina  
Jerome Koch  
Rev. Augustine J. Mailadivil  
Sergio Martinez  
Lawrence Mercantini  
Luis Morales  
Anthony Nalli, PGK, FDD  
Eugene V. O'Shea  
Anthony Russo  
Joe L. Toy  
Leroy G. Witt, PGK, PFN

### MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

Nicholas, PGK and Gretchen France  
Thomas E. and Betty Nordengreen  
Linas K. and Grace Palubinskas  
Terry J. and Elizabeth Skinner

Our Lady Queen of Peace Knights of Columbus Council #11680 Presents for Everyone...

## All American Breakfast

### Sunday, March 13, 2011

Menu: Sausage patty, eggs, hash browns, grits, sausage gravy, Pancakes -- Coffee, tea, juice

Pancakes are ALL YOU CAN EAT

Stop at the Parish Center after each Mass and enjoy a hearty breakfast. Served from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

Enjoy the company of your friends and fellow parishioners

Adults \$4.00 per person -- Children (10 & under) \$3.00

Our Lady Queen of Peace  
Knights of Columbus Council # 11680



Will Present a Traditional Irish

# **St. Patrick's Day Dinner**

## **Sunday March 20, 2011**

Doors open 2:00 pm

Dinner served from 3:00 -- 4:00pm

Music By: Kevin McMahan from 4:00 -- 5:00 pm

Menu includes: Corn Beef & Cabbage, Boiled Potatoes,  
Carrots, Dinner Rolls and Coffee or Tea!

**Donation \$ 10.00 per person, non-refundable**

Tickets Contact: Joe LaGuardia 727-848-1183 or Joe Menicola 727-243-0066  
Joe Fiorentino 727-809-0494 or Clark Hill 727-376-8434

No tickets sold at the door -- Cut off date: March 16, 2011

**Our Lady Queen of Peace  
Knights of Columbus Council 11680**

**Presents**

# **Lenten Fish Frys**

Friday evenings from 5:00 to 7:00 pm  
In the Parish Center on following dates

**March 11, 18, 25**

Menu Includes:

White Fish (baked or fried), French Fry Potatoes,  
Cole Slaw, Rolls w/butter  
Coffee or Tea  
Plus Dessert

**Adults \$6.00, Children (10 to 5) \$5.00, under age 5 FREE**

Tickets may be purchased at the door  
Come One! Come All!



# 1st Annual Golf Scramble Friday March 25, 2011

Seven Springs Golf and Country Club

Check in time: 7:00 am, Shotgun Start: 8:00 am,

\$75.00 per player includes 18 hole Scramble, Range Balls & Lunch



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Rushe Stick Deadline 3/15

**Lunch with Elvis**



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**Longest Drive**  
**Raffle Prizes**  
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Golf Ball Drop \$ 10.00 per chance / No need to be present



Make Checks Payable to : West Pasco Pregnancy Center

5330 George St., New Port Richey, FL 34652