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Grand Knight's Message

By Joseph Menicola

My Brothers:

I hope that everyone had a great summer and now it's time to get down to council business and looking at the calendar we have a few things to do. I would like to thank our Worthy Financial Secretary Kevin McMahon PGK, FDD, for a job well done on the K of C Charities Day at the Ball Park and our Worthy Advocate Clark Hill PGK, FDD for his part on the council level with ticket sales. GREAT JOB!!



Brothers, on Sunday September 6th we will have our CORPORATE COMMUNION thanks to the efforts of our Worthy Recording Secretary Tom Cleary. Let's show our support for our parish at the 10:30 am mass by having a "LARGE" turn out.

On Sunday September 13th we start up our PANCAKE BREAKFAST, lets talk it up to our friends and members of the parish so we can have a good turn out like we have had in the past.

I have been advised that our District Deputy Dick Anci has another engagement the night of our INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS, and so we have the honor of having one of our own install our officers, in the Third Degree Joe LaGuardia PGK, FDD. Installation will be after the 4:00 PM mass and Tony Nalli PGK, FDD, our Kitchen Manager, will be in charge of the refreshments in the hall. We will also be installing our New Faithful Navigator in the 4th degree Clark Hill PGK, FDD

and his officers for Father Gerard E. Powers Assembly 2882 after the 3rd degree installation.

Former Master Lee Witt will have his first of four dinners on Sunday September 27th. We need to have some volunteer ticket salesman to help Lee promote this function. Brothers, these dinners help support our church as well as our charities, lets show some great support for this fundraiser.

I would like to congratulate our Worthy Chancellor Joe and Dot Tengowski for being selected as Family of the Month and our Worthy Treasurer Antonio Alves PFN, for being selected Knight of the Month.

Other items this month are:

3rd degree Father Felix on Sat., Sept. 12th at Noon
1st degree St. Michaels on Tues., Sept. 15th at 7:00 PM
Council Meeting Thurs., Sept. 3rd, Parish Hall 7:30 PM
Social Meeting Thurs., Sept. 17th Parish Hall 7:30 PM
Fourth Degree, Thurs., Sept. 24th Parish Hall 7:30 PM
Officers Meeting, Mon., Sept. 28th Parish Hall 7:30 PM

Remember my brothers; this is YOUR COUNCIL, and TOGETHER WE CAN have a GREAT and SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

Fraternally,

Joseph (Joe) Menicola
Grand Knight

Chaplain's Message

By Father Joseph A. Pastick



As I hope and pray that you read the accounts in *Columbia* and any or all of the articles in the eight top Catholic magazines, which summarize Pope Benedict XVI's newest encyclical. His teaching is concerned with SOCIAL JUSTICE and its essential

connection with Catholic TRUTH and LOVE. Maybe you've noticed how many of his monthly intentions for the whole Church have to do with peoples throughout the world. Jesus is *the* TRUTH. Jesus' teaching is proclaimed for all people of all ages and countries. Jesus teaching is about God, Who is LOVE.

Unless peoples and nations acknowledge the sovereignty of God in their respective functions, it seems to me, we are a godless nation; we pay lip service, and not only ignore Him in our political activities but also have many bitter but influential people who are completely anti-God and anti-religion.

In effect, what I'm hoping and praying for is that you as a brother Knight overcome laziness, indifference or whatever keeps you from being an informed and active Catholic. Examine your consciences, gentlemen. You will be called on Judgment Day to render an account of the time God gives you. Read *Columbia!*

May God bless you and yours,

Fr. Joe

Membership, this year's goal higher than last year

Brothers, I announced that Supreme increased the goal to 7% this year for membership well I just received the numbers we need 13 new or reinstated members this year and 5 insurance members. The good news is we have one new insurance member already so we need 4 more insurance members. Our total membership as of 08/01/09 is 185 so with 13 new or reinstated members we will grow back to the 198 we had before. We have 20 to 25 members attend meetings regularly of that number there are 14 officers and 6 to 11 members at large this is our real active membership. Lets expand this to recruiting if each member talked to 5 to 10 men in the next 10 months and one joined for each 10 we would have 20 to 25 new members in the council. What if we take it one step further and contact the inactive members who were suspended or quit for what ever the reason and half of them come back we could be double or triple star this year. Mark Blanton is getting me the list of orphans and suspended members in our area so we can contact them. I need 10 good motivated brothers to take this list and contact them to ask them back to rejoin our council. I do have a list of brothers in mind who I will ask but help me out and come forward first and be the front runners of recruiting for our council. There will be a request of father for one Sunday every month to be recruitment Sunday I would like to see the third Sunday be that day and have father announce this from the alter at each mass, but to make this work there needs to be men at every door to pass out information and get names and phone numbers. I can't do this alone I need your help I'll provide all the literature and form 100's you will need but you need to be there to pass it out and sign up the men. The goal is talk to 10 men 1 will join if all 25 of the regulars do this we'll have 25 new members just one additional and we make double star, ARE YOU WITH ME!!

Your Brother in Christ

Tony Nalli PGK, FDD



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Peter A. Altman
 Gus Di Iorio
 Frank France
 Donald Gluchowski
 Harold Grabow
 Ronald P. June
 Anthony J. Klemmer
 Joseph A. LaGuardia, PGK, FDD
 Daniel Miller
 Coby Sheppard
 Michael J. Vaporis
 Joseph E. Wenger, Jr. PGK
 Edward Zeglarski
 Donald F. Zisa

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

David and Lynn Alves
 John J. and Jane Cody
 Louis and Lucille Gallina
 Michael E. and Carol Gongola
 Joseph A. and Jacqueline LaGuardia, PGK, FDD
 Nicholas and Louise Martucci
 Joseph and Marie Menicola
 Lawrence and Annette Mercantini
 Joseph and Dorothy Tengowski

SICK AND DISTRESSED

Brother **Ed Gongola** continues to improve at home.
 Brother **Tony Nalli's** wife, **Gail**, is recovering at home from a fall.

Nick Martucci has recovered from surgery and has moved back to Philadelphia with his wife to be near his family.

Dennis Magner's sister **Pat Readon** is undergoing radiation treatment for a tumor.

Bishop Robert Lynch recovering from surgery.

Please remember to offer your prayers for those in need.

All members who know of any sick or distressed members notify **Bob Fagan at 727-816-8822** or **Lee Witt at 727-863-1064**

OCTOBER DEADLINE

All copy for the October Newsletter must be received by Sept. 24th, any copy received after that date will appear in the next edition unless it is time sensitive.

Send to Tom Cleary at clearytb@yahoo.com

UPCOMING EVENTS AND DATES

Sunday Sept 27 – Dinner 1 to 3 pm
 Dinner Music – 3 to 5 pm

Other Dinners, Oct. 25, Nov. 26, Feb. 20, Mar. 21

Sunday Sept. 6, Corporate Communion,
 10:30 am Mass, coffee & donuts in hall after

Sunday Sept. 13, 8 am to noon, All American Pancake breakfasts resume

Parish Carnival, Oct. 8, 9, 10, 11

Plenty of help is needed on all activities.

Please call Lee Witt at 863-1064 or see him after monthly meeting to let him know what you will help on.

**MEMBERS NEEDED AT ALL
 MASSES TO SELL TICKETS
 FOR FALL DINNER
 TO BE HELD SEPT. 27**

**PLEASE MAKE YOUR EFFORT
 KNOWN TO LEE WITT
 AT 863-1064 OR
 BOB FAGAN AT 816-8822**



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1 Year Trustee	Anthony Nalli, PGK, FDD	727-207-1992	tnalli@kofc11680.org
2 Year Trustee	David Alves, PGK	727-868-5585	dalves@kofc11680.org
3 Year Trustee	George Mountford, PGK	727-847-5945	gmountford@kofc11680.org
Insurance Representative	Mark S. Blanton	352-279-2533	mark.blanton@kofc.org
District Deputy 27	Alfred "Dick" Anci	727-372-6776	dickandjo@aol.com

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Program Director	Joseph Fiorentino III	727-809-0492
Church Activities Director	Robert W. Fagan	727-816-8822
Family Activities Director	Kevin McMahon, PGK, FDD	727-862-4370
Community Activities Director	Joseph Fiorentino III	727-809-0492
Blood Drive	Keith Gosnell	727-861-3713
Council Activities Director	Clark Hill, PGK, FDD	727-376-8434
Membership Director	Anthony Nalli, PGK, FDD	727-207-1992
Admissions Director	Joseph Tengowski	727-868-6555
Youth Activities Director	Open	
Pro-Life	Nick France, PGK	727-860-5167
Memorial Director	Robert W. Fagan	727-816-8822
Webmaster	Nick France, PGK	727-860-5167
Public Relations Director	Lee Witt, PGK, FSM	727-863-1064
Tootsie Roll	Clark Hill, PGK, FDD	727-376-8434
Kitchen Manager	Anthony Nalli, PGK, FDD	727-207-1992
Activities Board	George Mountford, PGK	727-847-5945
Church Bulletin	Thomas Cleary	727-846-0392

4th Degree Assembly Officers

Faithful Navigator	Clark Hill, PGK, FDD	727-376-8434
Faithful Captain	Joseph A. LaGuardia, PGK, FDD	727-848-1183
Faithful Pilot	Ronald Molles	727-372-0945
Faithful Admiral	Antonio Alves, PFN	727-856-7987
Associate Faithful Friar	Rev. Joseph A. Pastick	727-841-0344
Faithful Comptroller	John J. Fahey, PGK	727-841-7061
Faithful Purser	David Alves, PGK	727-868-5585
Faithful Scribe	William Fuhrmann	727-842-1454
Inner Sentinel	Dan Poulter	727-376-7811
Outer Sentinel	Dennis Magner	727-849-8889
One Year Trustee	Joseph Tengowski	727-868-6555
Two Year Trustee	George Mountford, PGK	727-847-5945
Three Year Trustee	Joseph Menicola, PFN	727-243-0066
Color Guard Commander	Joseph Fiorentino III	727-809-0492

Calendar of Events

SEPTEMBER, 2009

SEPTEMBER 3RD

3rd Degree Business Meeting, parish hall, 7:30pm

SEPTEMBER 5TH

RAYS BASEBALL GAME

SEPTEMBER 6TH

Corporate Communion, 10:30 am Mass,
Coffee and donuts in parish hall following

SEPTEMBER 12TH

3rd Degree at Fr. Felix, noon

SEPTEMBER 13TH

Pancake Breakfast, Parish Hall, 8am to noon

SEPTEMBER 15TH

1st Degree at St. Michaels, 7:00pm

SEPTEMBER 17TH

3rd Degree Social Meeting, parish hall, 7:30pm

SEPTEMBER 24TH

4th Degree Business Meeting, parish hall, 7:30pm

SEPTEMBER 28TH

Officers Meeting, parish hall, 7:30pm

Fr. Sebastian has given permission for a Respect Life Committee to be formed here at Our Lady Queen of Peace.

The meetings will be held the first Wednesday of the month from 10:00 am - 12 Noon in the Faith Formation Building.

All interested Knights should see column elsewhere in Church bulletin.

**Join us in the
Eastern Caribbean for
10 nights on board The
Grandeur of the Seas**

A cruise ship so grand we had to call it Grandeur of the Seas. This majestic, 2,446-guest ship comes equipped with a full-service spa, six whirlpools, an outdoor jogging track and a seemingly endless choice of bars and restaurants.

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Dec. 7-17, 2009

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**Inside Cabin \$1099
Oceanview \$1129 or \$1169
Balcony \$1479**

**Rates include
All Port Charges & Door to Door**

A deposit of \$450 per person is due at time of booking. Final payment is due by September 10, 2009.

Contact Arlene at Mary's Travel

727-848-5998 800-466-5998

PASSPORT IS REQUIRED

Our Lady Queen of Peace
Knights of Columbus Council #11680

Presents for Everyone...

Our 1st Fall Dinner

Sunday, September 27, 2009

Doors open 1:00 p.m.

Dinner served from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Entertainment from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Menu includes Over Baked Half Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy
Buttered California Mixed Vegetables, Chef Salad, Dinner Rolls w/Butter
coffee, tea or milk and a Surprise Dessert!

Please B.Y.O.B -- Ice Furnished

Ticket \$10.00 per person

\$5.00 for children under 12 years. (Non-Refundable)

Tickets will be sold after Mass Sept. 5-6, Sept. 12-13, & Sept. 19-20.
Tickets will be sold by Bob Fagan at 816-8822 or Lee Witt 863-1064.

No tickets will be sold at the door. Cut off date: September 21, 2009.

*Proceeds will be donated to Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
& the Knights of Columbus for Special Projects.*

Only YOU can make this a success, so please join your friends for a fun afternoon!

Our Lady Queen of Peace
Knights of Columbus Council #11680

Presents for Everyone...

**All You Can Eat
Pancake Breakfast**

Sunday, September 13, 2009

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