

KNIGHTLY NEWS



Christ the King Council 14144 Newsletter

April, 2015

Grand Knight's Message:

**"It doesn't matter whether the glass is half full or half empty.
The tomb is empty
HE HAS RISEN!"**

Happy Easter to you, your family and friends of Christ the King. Let us continue to live our 'new life' with the Peace, Love, and Compassion of our Lord.

Now that the "Fish Fry Fridays" have come to an end, I imagine that we all are in need of a well-deserved rest. You, the KofC Knights and our wonderful volunteers did an **awesome job!** I am most grateful for your continued and endless hours of work and to our Community at Christ the King, as well as, our Fish Fry patrons for their support. Thank you, all. Without this joint effort, we would not be able to help support the church, ministries, seminarians and local charities. But our work isn't over yet...God always gives us the blessings of 'will and strength' to move forward doing for others. To me, that knowledge is MORE than any Grand Knight's 'thank you'!

Congratulations to our newly installed **"Ladies of the Knights"--Woman's Auxiliary of Council 14144 of the Knights of Columbus**. Although a separate organization, we, are there to assist them,,, as they are here to assist us. I look forward to working with the women on future events and wish their organization much success, many blessings, and may they flourish as they continue their discipleship with Jesus.

Our last **major** event (until the fall) will take place on **April 11th** in the Community Center. A wonderful **Pasta Dinner** will be served with Dance music provided by **The Big Wave Trio**. And a **"Bonus"** of **two complimentary drinks** is included. This will be a joint effort of our council and the Knights of Holy Spirit. What a great opportunity to **Dine, Dance, and Socialize** with past friends and new ones. I'm told that there will be some surprises that evening... so I for one will not miss out on a Good Time!!! For those who **cannot** make this affair, **Sunday, April 12** we have scheduled another **Knight Famous Pancake Breakfast!** As always, these two events will prove to be **"Better than Olive Garden... or I-Hop"!!!**



God Bless us all...and, God Bless Christ the King Catholic Community.

Vivat Jesus

SK Vincent Gorski, Grand Knight

Words to Live by:

Is there a patron saint for discernment?

One possibility is Ignatius of Loyola whose *Spiritual Exercises* were created to help aid right discernment. His order, the Society of Jesus, has also been active in higher education and founded a number of universities in the United States. On the subject of discernment, Ignatius said, "We should always be prepared so as never to err to believe that what we see as white is black, if the hierarchy of the Church defines it thus."
<http://www.catholic.com>



Origins of Mothers Day:

The history of Mother's Day is centuries old and the earliest Mother's Day celebrations can be traced back to the spring celebrations of **ancient Greece in honor of Rhea**, the Mother of the Gods. During the 1600's, the early **Christians in England celebrated a day to honor Mary, the mother of Christ**. By a religious order the holiday was later expanded in its scope to include **all mothers**, and named as the **Mothering Sunday**. **Celebrated on the 4th Sunday of Lent, "Mothering Sunday"** honored the mothers of England.

During this time many of the England's poor worked as servants for the wealthy. As most jobs were located far from their homes, the servants would live at the houses of their employers. On Mothering Sunday, the servants would have the day off and were encouraged to return home and spend the day with their mothers. A **special cake, called the mothering cake**, was often brought along to provide a festive touch.

As Christianity spread throughout Europe the celebration changed to honor the "Mother Church" - the spiritual power that gave them life and protected them from harm. Over time the church festival blended with the Mothering Sunday celebration. People began honoring their mothers as well as the church.

<http://www.theholidayspot.com/mothersday/history.htm>



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Council 14144 Events:

- **4/11 Pasta Dinner/Live Band** (joint effort with Holy Spirit)
- **4/12 Pancake Breakfast**
- **4/14 Council Meeting**
- **5/3 Cinco De Mayo**
- **5/10 Carnations for Mothers**
- **5/12 Council Meeting**
- **6/7 Pancake Breakfast**
- **6/9 Council Meeting**
- **7/12 Blood Drive**
- **7/14 Council Meeting**



Knight of the Month:

August 2014 - Wayne Babchak
 September 2014 - SK Sebastian Nocita
 October 2014 - Richard Medici
 November 2014 - Patrick Westerlund
 December 2014 - Sam Head

January 2015 - Fabio Villaquiran
 February 2015 - SK Bill Wasserburger
 March 2015 - SK Dominic Descala
 April 2015 -
 May 2015 -
 June 2015 -
 July 2015 -

Family of the Month:

August 2014 - SK Les Lisicki PGK
 September 2014 - SK Gene Lush
 October 2014 - Ken Chipman
 November 2014 - SK Sam Patino
 December 2014 - SK Rob Donoghue

January 2015 - SK Vince Gorski
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Hail Mary Origins:

The Hail Mary (sometimes called the "Angelical salutation", sometimes, from the first words in its Latin form, the *Ave Maria*) is the most familiar of all the prayers used by the Universal Church in honor of our Blessed Lady.

It is commonly described as consisting of three parts. The first, "Hail (Mary) full of grace, the Lord is with thee, blessed art thou amongst women", embodies the words used by the *Angel Gabriel* in saluting the Blessed Virgin (*Luke, I, 28*). The second, "and blessed is the fruit of thy womb (Jesus)", is borrowed from the Divinely inspired greeting of St. Elizabeth (*Luke 1:42*), which attaches itself the more naturally to the first part, because the words "*benedicta tu in mulieribus*" (*I, 28*) or "*Inter mulieres*" (*I, 42*) are common to both salutations.

Finally, the petition "Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen." is stated by the official "Catechism of the Council of Trent" to have been framed by the Church itself. "Most rightly," says the Catechism, *has the Holy Church of God added to this thanksgiving, petition also and the invocation of the most holy Mother of God, thereby implying that we should piously and suppliantly have recourse to her in order that by her intercession she may reconcile God with us sinners and obtain for us the blessing we need both for this present life and for the life which has no end.*

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Something to think about:

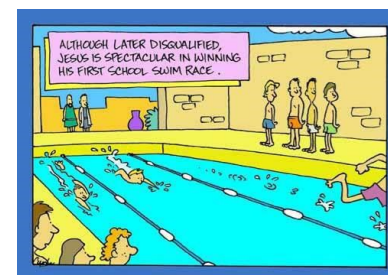
Is it true that at Trent the Church added the seven deuterocanonical books (Judith, Tobit, 1 & 2 Maccabees, Wisdom, Baruch, and Ecclesiastics) to the Bible

No. The Council of Trent (1545-1564) infallibly reiterated what the Church had long taught regarding the canons of the Old and New Testaments. Pope Damasus promulgated the Catholic canons at the Synod of Rome in A.D. 382, and later, at the regional councils of Hippo (393) and Carthage (397, 419), the Church again defined the same list of books as inspired.

The canons of the Old and New Testaments, as defined by Pope Damasus and the Councils of Hippo and Carthage, were later ratified (though the books were not enumerated individually) by the later Ecumenical councils of II Nicea (787) and Florence (1438-1445). Although the Council of Trent, in response to the Protestant violation of the Bible by deleting the seven Deuterocanonical books plus portions of Daniel and Esther, was the first infallible conciliar listing of each individual book, it certainly did not add those books to the canon.

If that were the case, how could Martin Luther and the other Reformers have objected to the presence of those books decades before the Council of Trent if they weren't in the canon to begin with and were added by the Council of Trent?

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