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August Newsletter 2013

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Grand Knight Notes - by Robert Falke



Brothers,

I attended the Parish planning session with Fr. McCaffery, leaders from other parish organizations and staff on the 28th of July. Fr. shared his vision for the next year and there was a lot covered in the discussion.

When the planning was finished, I tallied up our part in the over all plan and concluded we have a lot on slate for this upcoming fraternal year.

The list and dates below represent our only sources of funding for our projects and charities:

- * Knightstock October 12th
- * DDD October 12th & 13th
- * Horse Races December 7th
- * Roses for Life January 2014
- * Trivia February 22nd, 2014
- * Mouse Races May 3rd, 2014
- * Mothers Day Carnations May 10th & 11th, 2014

I am issuing a challenge to EACH one of you for the next 12 months. Please, please look for at least ONE (1) more opportunity to get involved in our programs. If you volunteered once last year, please volunteer twice this year. I especially challenge those Knights that have not participated in the past. During the next 12 months please give your time and talent to one of these events to make it successful. When these events win, we win (**Charity, Unity & Fraternity**). We come together to make a difference, to be an agent of change in our parish community. Don't miss your chance!! We all have something to contribute and collectively we can be a powerful force.

Also, as you look through this list, please let me know if you would be interested in Coordinating any of these events. **Any help is very appreciated.**

God Bless!

Robert Falke, Grand Knight

Chaplain's Notes - by Fr. Sean

Dear Brother Knights,

I am excited about the opportunity to serve as your chaplain here at our St. Regis Council. As I read through our Grand Knight Robert Falke's address I am truly inspired by our commitment to Charity, Unity and Fraternity. I pray this year we may truly grow even more closely as a parish family in all of our service projects and charities. As we begin preparations for our 50th Anniversary as a parish we have so many gifts to be truly grateful for that have been given by our Heavenly Father. This year I want to focus on Evangelization at St. Regis and reaching out to our Christian brothers and sisters, as well as those who do not regularly practice their faith and non-believers. Through the mission of the Knights of Columbus I truly believe we can set a fire in the Blue Ridge corridor inviting our brothers and sisters into a relationship with Jesus Christ. May we seek this year to be inspired by the motto of St. Ignatius of Loyola: "All for the Greater Glory of God" and be truly dynamic Catholics who are guided by the Holy Spirit to share God's Merciful Love!



Our Lady Seat of Wisdom, Pray for us!

Fr. Sean Patrick McCaffery

Deputy Grand Knight Membership chairman - by Fred Krabbe

I am deeply honored to be elected deputy grand knight for the 2013-2014 membership year. I will do my best to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of this position.

Upcoming dates for various Degree Exemplifications are as follows:

- * August 4th, Harrisonville, 1st, 2nd & 3rd degrees;
- * September 9th, St Therese North, 1st degree; *
- September 12th, Raytown Council 4962, 1st degree;
- * December 10th, Lee's Summit, 1st degree.



If you know of anyone interested in becoming a Knight of Columbus, please let me or Robert Falke know so we can make contact, complete the Form 100 application form, and arrange to pick him up and escort him to the Exemplification Ceremony.

Sponsors for candidates for membership are encouraged to participate in the Exemplification.

Grand THANK YOU, from Mike Murtha Brothers,

Let me begin by saying Thank You, for the beautiful portrait of St. Michael the Archangel. It will always be in a prominent place in our home.

More importantly I can't begin to thank you enough for your help and friendship. While as Grand Knight I was given praise for the accomplishments of OUR council but the fact is it could not have happened with out you!

I am so very proud and grateful just to be a part of this wonderful parish and council. We are 92 strong and I hope when time allows, you might attend a meeting and pray a Rosary with me!

Mike Murtha, Immediate Past Grand Knight

Knights of Columbus Insurance

Since our founding in 1882, the primary mission of the Knights of Columbus has been to protect families from the financial ruin caused by the death of the breadwinner. In the beginning, Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney and his fellow Knights "passed the hat" to benefit widows and orphans.

From that humble start, the Order has grown to include top-rated life insurance, long-term care insurance and retirement products. Consider meeting with K of C Field Agent, Paul Leuschen, when he calls, or call him at 816-739-8793.

Nearly One Third of Council 13671 are 4th Degree Members

+ Knights of the Patriotic Degree are dedicated to the personal development and continued honor of brother Knights. We are always there to offer leadership, guidance, and encouragement.

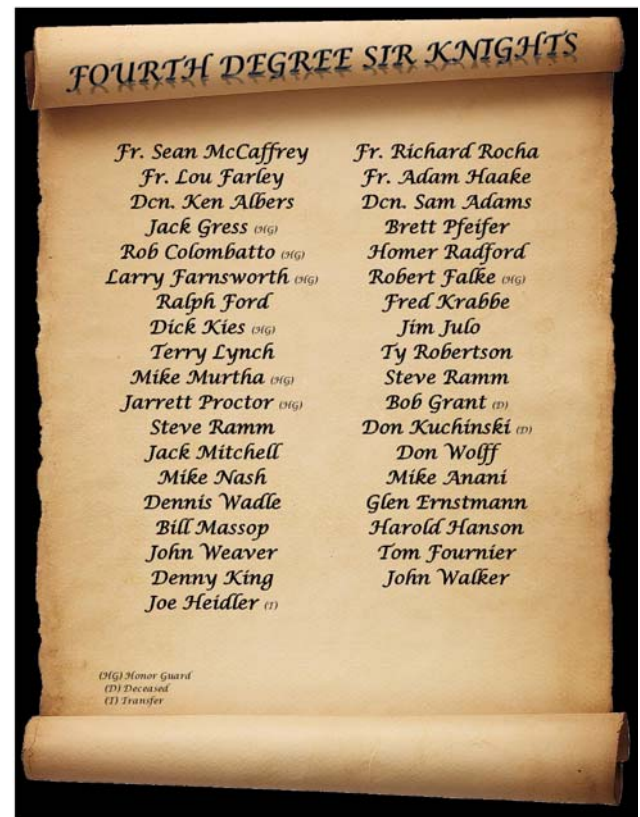


+ Knights of the Patriotic Degree glorify God by serving our communities and nations as though Christ were the one being served.

+ Knights of the Patriotic Degree hold unwaveringly to what is right and honorable, working to keep God in the civic arena, serving the life of the Church, and defending laws that recognize the sanctity of life and true religious liberty.

+The Color Corps/Honor Guard is an elective division of the Patriotic Degree that presents a visible reminder of our service to the community.

→The next 4th Degree Exemplification will be in Spring 2014. All 3rd Degree Knights are encouraged to give serious consideration to this step forward to complete all degrees in Knighthood.



Contact Mike Murtha, 816-942-8385, for more information about the 4th Degree application process and time to begin the planning for and get answers to any question you may have about the Degree and the Fr. Donnelly Assembly 566.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

For those who are ill or recovering from surgery:

Fran Wadle, Msgr William Blacet,
Fr. Ernie Gauthier, Fr. Jim Hart,
Jack Mitchell, Ralph and Judy Ford,
Vincent Proctor-Father of Jarrett
Proctor, Jim Monnig, Phil Mueller.



Special Intentions: Pope Francis,
Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI; Bishop Robert W.
Finn; Bishop Emeritus Raymond Boland, all priests,
deacons, men & women religious.

For our seminarians studying at these seminaries: Conception, St. Gregory the Great, Pontifical College Josephinum, Holy Apostles, and in Rome as they continue their preparation and discernment.

For Active Duty Chaplains:
Rev. Joseph “Dan” Reardon,
Chaplain and all priests
serving as Military Chaplains
and all who serve in the US
Military service at home or
abroad.



For the Cause for Canonization of Fr. Emil J. Kapaun – “Servant of God.”
Chaplain, US Army”: <http://www.frkapaun.org>

REMINDER

August

- 2nd - Adoration - Holy Hour for Church Vocations at 11 a.m. Chapel of Repose at St. Regis
- 4th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Sunday - 9:30 a.m.- following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.]
- 4 - 1st Degree - Fr. Puetz Council #6550 for Our Lady of Lourdes, Harrisonville - DD9 Mike Tesmer [dd9@mokofc.org] Please note there will be a Second/Third Degree later this day.
- 4 – 2nd and 3rd Degree – following the 1st Degree Fr. Puetz Council #6550 for Our Lady of Lourdes, Harrisonville- DD9 Mike Tesmer [dd9@mokofc.org]
- 14th - Adoration & Reconciliation 6 -7 p.m.
- 14th - Council Meeting - Rosary at 7:10 p.m.
- 24th - Saturday morning Officers Meeting at 8:30 a.m.

September

- 6nd - Adoration - Holy Hour for Church Vocations at 11 a.m. Chapel of Repose at St. Regis
- ?th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Sunday - 9:30 a.m.- following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.
- 9th - St Therese North, 1st degree
- 11th - Council Meeting - Rosary at 7:10 p.m.
- 12th - Raytown Council 4962, 1st degree;
- 28th - Saturday morning Officers Meeting at 8:30 a.m.

Celebrating Birthdays in August

Robert W Brown Jr	08-09
Jacob D Duerr	08-13
Richard J Kies	08-14
John T Lynch	08-17
Brian W Vernon	08-17
Donald E Watterson	08-17
Larry J Farnsworth	08-25
Mark C Weaver	08-26

Let the Good times ROLL!

Looking for something fun to do this Fall? How about bowling? Ever have one of those games that you always leave that 1 pin? While I've got a league for you. You get 9 pins, that is close enough. I'll make it a strike. Come join in the non competitive just for fun League. The money in the league goes to charity. The cost is only \$11. Also this league plays every other Sunday starting at 6:00 pm.

Join the Knights of Columbus

9 Pin No Tap Bowling League

Strike 'N Spare

Bowling Center

40 Hi-way - Independence MO

Every Other Sunday - 6:00 pm

Starting August 25th

Bowling Meeting on

August 25th at 5:30pm

Call Strike and Spare (816-356-1900)

Or Bill Umstead (816-806-7458)

For more information call Steve and Debbie Ramm 816-763-8279



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E A C H O N E

B R I N G O N E

Good Candidates for being a Knight in our Council are waiting to be asked...”invited to join.”

Each member is greatly encouraged to help our Council grow to better serve our parish and the Church.

Contact Fred Krabbe

Newly Installed Council and Auxiliary Officers, Chaplain and

The annual installation ceremony, July 29th, for Council 13671 completes the steps for those elected to serve and to lead for the next year to listen to District Deputy Cliff Miller's delineating of their duties for each officer installed and to pledge their time and talent to fulfill their office.



← Sherry Falke, Auxiliary President, and the leaders of pledged to serve this year.



← Mike Murtha was congratulated for his service to the Council As Grand Knight for the past two years.



Fr. Sean McCaffrey Installed as Chaplain. ^



It's Official..... Our new Grand Knight is Robert Falke. Our Council and Auxiliary will have a dynamic duo In Robert and Sherry. ***Thank You for responding to this call to leadership,***



In his first action as Chaplain Fr. McCaffrey extended a blessing over the officers and members at the close of close of the installation ceremony.



Renewed Commitment to Our Mission and Service to the Church



← Newly installed Grand Knight, Robert Falke, expressed appreciation for the support of Council members, especially the Officers and Committee Chairs.



Our new Chaplain, Fr. McCaffrey, Congratulated the 2013-2014 officers of the Council and Ladies Auxiliary at the closing of the Installation Ceremony.



Thanks to the Ladies Auxiliary who prepared a great variety of delicious food for the luncheon following Installation.

Good friends and good food were shared along with good conversation .



Best wishes to our new Leaders!



All members are encouraged to visit our Council webpage for information and calendar items during the month for latest information:.. <http://www.regiskofc.org> Also, in discussing the Knights with a friend, consider sending him a link to our webpage to share more about what we do and our purpose, then follow-up with an invitation to a First Degree and complete a Form 101-Membership application.



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Charity

Our Catholic faith teaches us:
Love thy neighbor as thyself.

Members of the Knights of Columbus show love for their neighbors by conducting food drives and donating the food to local soup kitchens and food pantries, by volunteering at Special Olympics, and by supporting mothers who choose life for their babies. Knights recognize that our mission, and our faith in God, compels us to action. There is no better way to experience love and compassion than by helping those in need, a call we answer every day.

[Tell me more](#)

Welcome

St. John Francis Regis Council was formed in November 2004 through the efforts of Fr. John Bolderson, district officials, and 77 dedicated men of the parish. Our mission has always been the support of our pastor, parish, school, order, and community. We hold our general meeting on the second Wednesday of every month at 7:00PM and begin with the Rosary. The council's meeting room is located in the convent/daycare building at the end of the north driveway of O'Hara High School. You are more than welcome to attend.

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Welcome to the Fourth Annual St. John Francis Regis



School Golf Tournament Saturday, August 10, 2013 Teetering Rocks Golf Course

Tournament Entry Fee is \$85.00 per Person and Includes:
18 Holes of Golf + Cart
Lunch and Door Prizes at the close of the Event
Prizes for the top 3 teams in each flight
Additional Golf Challenges and Prizes during the Event

Space is Limited – only 25 teams will be entered into the event

Payment is due at the time of registration to secure your entry
Note: Golfers must be at least 12 years of age

Complete your entry form today and return with team entry fee (Cash or check only)
payable to St. Regis either in person or by mail to:
St. Regis Parish Office, 8941 James A Reed Rd, Kansas City, MO 64138
Contact Brent Hamby with any questions at (816) 673-1172

Teetering Rocks Golf Course
12010 E 86th Street, Raytown, MO 64138
Par 64 golf course, appealing to golfers at all levels.

Check In: 7:30, 4-person Scramble, Shotgun Start

We are seeking business owners and families that may be interested in donating or sponsoring a hole.
Business Sponsorships are \$100 and Family Sponsorships are \$50. If you are interested or know someone who
may be interested, please contact Brent Hamby at bchamby74@att.net.

Calling All Volunteers!

Volunteer opportunities are available for non-golfers! Volunteers help make this event a great success!
For volunteer opportunities, contact Colleen Hamby at bchamby74@att.net

Golf Registration

Player 1:	
Player 2:	
Player 3:	
Player 4:	

To receive event updates and information, please provide the Team Captain's contact information

Team Captain Name			
Mailing Address			
Phone		Email Address	

Hole Sponsorship (Business \$100)

Hole Sponsorship (Family \$50)

Donation _____

Total Enclosed \$ _____



(Pope Francis blesses the son of a policeman from the Popemobile as he arrives to celebrate Mass on Copacabana Beach, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, during World Youth Day, July 28, 2013. Photo by Buda Mendes/Getty Images.)

Pope Francis's Prayer Intentions for August

On August 1, the Apostleship for Prayer announced Pope Francis's prayer intentions for August 2013. These are the prayer intentions that Catholics should keep in mind this month whenever we pray for the intentions of the Holy Father—as, for instance, when we pray the final prayers of the [rosary](#).

Pope Francis's general prayer intention for August 2013 is "That parents and teachers may help the new generation to grow in upright conscience and

life." Coming on the heels of a very successful World Youth Day in Rio de Janeiro, this prayer intention reminds us that the real work in rearing children does not happen in mass events

but every day in our homes and schools. We must lead not simply by instruction but by example. The child who sees his mother and father taking their faith seriously is more likely to grow strong in his. The student whose teacher shows in his own life that the [theological virtues](#) of [faith](#) perfects the intellect rather than standing in opposition to it is more likely to stay strong in his faith as he moves on to higher education.

We can join our prayers to those of the Holy Father this month through this [Prayer of Parents for Their Children](#) and this [Prayer for Students](#) to Saint Catherine of Alexandria, the [patron saint](#) of science, students, and teachers.

Pope Francis's mission prayer intention for August 2013 is "That the local Church in Africa, faithfully proclaiming the Gospel, may promote peace and justice." Torn apart by violence in recent years, especially wars between Muslims and Christians, Africa desperately needs the message of Christ. The conversion of hearts and minds is the only sure means of bringing peace and justice to those who struggle every day to meet their basic needs.

--By [Scott P. Richert](#), About.com GuideAugust 2, '13
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