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Grand Knight's Message Mike Sweetland

Brother Knights

It's wonderful to begin a new year with you again! I'd like to take this time to introduce our two newest members, Jordan Johnson and Joshua Snow. They both received their First Degree on July 20th at our Council Hall. Some of you might recognize one the last names there. Indeed, Josh Snow is Jerry Snow's son and a member of St Bernadettes. Jordan is a member of Our Lady of Lourdes and is currently completing a Bachelors degree in Sports Psychology at Northwest Missouri State.

Both Jordan and Josh join us as young men, literally, on a mission. Both are members of the organization, FOCUS, which stands for Fellowship of Catholic University Students and their mission is to bring young men and women to the Catholic faith or to return young men and women that have fallen away from their Catholic faith. It takes much courage to put yourself at the Mercy of our Lord in our increasingly secular society and attempt to evangelize young men and women. Historically, we haven't had to do that as our parents and their parents before them have passed our Catholicism down to the next generation in large numbers. Indeed the majority of us can call ourselves "Cradle to Grave Catholics". Unfortunately, we all know how often members of my generation and the one or two that have followed are falling away from the Church we were raised in or haven't been exposed to our Catholicism at all. I was one such young High School graduate attending College that lost my way. I wish I had been able to reach out to young men like Josh and Jordan to help me find my way. I wish it was part of our recent history to reach out and evangelize those around us. It is encouraging to me that young Catholic men such as Jordan and Josh find that they are called to aide in bring Jesus to those that need Him.

It is with this in mind that I hope you join me this year in providing support for our two newest members by visiting <u>FOCUS - Home</u> and contributing to their calling. It is so much different than being called to the Priesthood. I wish them well and I hope you get to meet these young men at Our Lady of Lourdes and/or St Bernadettes Catholic Churches.

Yours in Christ



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Monseigneur Bauer Scholarship

Sunday 24, July, 2016 at both Our Lady of Lourdes and St Bernadette's churches, a presentation to our first Monseigneur Bauer Theological Studies Scholarship was made to Joseph S. Hollo. Joe is a new 1st degree member of our Council, he attended both St Bernadette's and Our Lady of Lourdes before moving on to and graduating from O'Hara High School. Joe is currently enrolled at Rockhurst University where he is studying Theology. This past semester was quite successful for Joe as he made the Dean's List at Rockhurst. Joe's major advisor, Dr. Stramara, the Department Chair for Theology indicated in his letter of recommendation that Joe is a dedicated student with a bright future in theology. It is Joe's hope that he continues spreading Catholic Theology as a teacher either at O'Hara/St. Michaels or pursue a graduate degree in theology and teach at the college level. If you get a chance to see him at his father's and grandfather's auto repair shop at 53rd and Raytown Road, congratulate him! I know his family will continue to support the Our Lady of Lourdes Christmas tree sale so if not at the shop, stop by this Christmas tree sale and wish him well! For those of you unfamiliar with the scholarship, it awards \$500.00 to any qualified applicant that meets the following criteria:

- 1. Currently enrolled in theology courses in pursuit of a degree in theology (this is verified by submission of transcripts)
- 2. Letter of recommendation from an accredited theology faculty member
- 3. Letter of intent from the applicant stating what they will do with their theology degree upon its completion.

Currently, members of the charity committee oversee/review all applications before bringing the name(s) before the Council. The application deadline is June 1st of each year. If you have any further questions, feel free to contact Mike Sweetland at michael.sweetland@yahoo.com.



St. Theresa "The Little Flower" Auxiliary

Noda Scherer President

Dear Ladies:

I have nothing to report at this time. I just want to thank everyone for all the help and support this past year. Thank you to Shelia Zegers, our outgoing Treasurer, for keeping our checks and balances. Please welcome Jeanette Wood, our new Treasurer.

Our next meeting is Thursday, August 11 at 7:30 p.m. Please plan to attend. Maybe we will see some cooler weather in August.

Asking God's blessings as we help Knights help others.

As always we are helping Knights help others,





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COUNCIL #4962 - RAYTOWN- POPE PIUS XII REMEMBERS Emory Corrigan



Emory Corrigan died peacefully at home March 23, 2015. Emory was born Nov. 25, 1920, to John and Divanna Corrigan. He was a WWII Veteran serving in the Army Air Corps. Emory graduated from Michigan State University and worked at General Motors, Leeds as a Tooling Deptment Supervisor for 34 years. He was ordained as a permanent Deacon in the Kansas City/St. Joseph Diocese in 1974 where he shared his full time ministry between the Diocesan Family Life Office and St. Bernadette's Parish until his retirement. Active in his retirement, Emory was an avid woodcarver. photographer, golfer fisherman. Emory worked tirelessly to gain petition signatures to promote fair and just "micro-loans." He was a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 4962.



21st Annual Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament

Ken Scherer / Ron Woods Memorial Golf Tournament will be held on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at Teetering Rocks Executive Golf Links. Registration Insert is included with this newsletter. For more information, please contact Manny Cano:

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Happy August Birthday Knights

(ladies had no birthdays in August)

Father McGivney/12, Francis U Okafor/14, Warren G Olson/16, Joseph L Wolfgeher, Jr/21, Stephen W Hollo, Jr/23, Tucker D West/29

Good of the Order

Mike Jarrett - Bob Slusher
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John Neger - Peggy Neger - Joe Pilsl
Patsy Smith - Jeanette Wood - Larry Kelly
Janice Jarrett - Bill Orrick - Pete Zegers – Jerry
Snow

Please notify Bernie Lillig of any additions or deletions



IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ

By: Bernie Lillig (Newsletter Editor)

Please take notice of my new email address. I am still receiving articles to my old email address.

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Friday Game Night

Second Friday of the Month at 7:00 p.m. in the lower hall. All are welcome. Bring a snack to share.



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Calendar of Events For August

Date	Event
04	Officers Meeting
11	General Council Meeting – Auxiliary Meeting
12	Game Night
26	Newsletter Deadline