



# **KNIGHTLY NEWS**

**St Patrick's Council 3484**

**Canby, Oregon 97013**

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**September, 2018**

## **Awards for Previous Month**

### **Knight of the Month – Tom Spink**

Tom Spink and his wife Mary Ellen have been members of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Canby, for three years. Recently Tom was the lead on the paving/sealing of the church parking lot. He volunteered many hours and his hard work paid off as it turned out great. He and his family are a great addition to our parish. They live in nearby Wilsonville and have five children and fifteen grandchildren. Tom graduated from the University of Washington and Oregon State University and for the last 15 years he has owned a consulting engineering company. They are appreciative of St Pat's and the friendliness of the Canby community we thank them for their support.

### **Family of the month – Mike and Nancy Patton**

Mike & Nancy Patton and family are active members of St. Pats parish.

Most recently they helped with the parish picnic and the city street dance booth for a KofC charity. Also, they are Eucharistic ministers at Mass. Nancy has volunteered her skills in organizing the parish social media tool "Flock Note". Her gifts in photography record many parish sacraments and activities with her photos/posters displayed around the church and parish hall. Mike also part times by being a referee for some college football games. They have five growing children and their oldest son, Mike Jr. is working as a college age missionary with FOCUS(Fellowship of Catholic University Students) in southern California. We thank them for their involvement in our parish family life

### **Lady of the Month – Alice Wallace**

Alice Wallace Alice has been supportive of parish life through the years at St. Pats and helping where needed. She was recently involved with our parish picnic by arranging the buying of prizes for youth and bingo too. She also is involved with the prayer shawl ministry, the community garden and attending the adult bible study. Thank you Alice for your continued help at St. Pats

### **Minutes of the preceding meeting**

The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved.

### **Notices and Applications – None**

### **Grand Knights Report**



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Dave thanked everyone for making the Parish Picnic a huge success.

### Special Guest Speaker:

On August 24<sup>th</sup>, our Council, 3484, participated in an annual "Canby Street Dance" event in Canby. It's a night of music, street dancing, food and fun for all ages. Our Council, including spouses and Parish volunteers, sold popcorn, water and snow cones. We raised \$435.61 for the benefit of "The Madonna Center for Life", located in Milwaukie, Or. This Catholic, all volunteer organization, "Serves unsupported parents who have chosen life for their unborn child" from the age of 13 to 21. The Center provides essential items, which are not affordable, such as new car seats, cribs, strollers. They also provide many basic needs, such as diapers, formula, bottles, PJ's and laundry detergent.

The Canby Council also donated an additional \$500 from our charity funds to aid their pro-life efforts. Valerie Aschbacher and Venessa Mellicott gave an update on the support they give to teen parents and the 56 teen parents in Canby alone. It's remarkable that their volunteers deliver all the products to the home of the parents in need. They are true evangelizers for the Catholic Church.

### Director Reports (Ricardo Hernandez):

No Report

### Chaplain Report (Fr. Arturo):

No report.

### Financial Secretary Report (Ron Suchanek):

Budgeted bills were paid, to include \$118.50 to Ron Suchanek for membership badges, \$50 to Paul Crawford for the spot for the Canby Street Dance, \$434.95 to Duane Kloser for the Parish Picnic, \$40 to Ricardo Hernandez for the Parish Picnic stage, \$4,000 for scholarships for college and \$435.61 to the Madonna Center for Life. An additional check for \$500 was made out to the Madonna Center for Life and a motion was passed.

**Income received:** \$500 for Canby Street Dance and \$45 for chicken donations at the Parish Picnic.

### Trustees Report (John Meyerhofer, Tom Fitzgerald and Michael Robert):

Audit report was completed on time for the report due on August 15<sup>th</sup>.



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## **Chancellors Report (Paul Crawford):**

No report

## **Lecturer Report (Sonny Van):**

No report

## **Service Program Reports:**

Ricardo Hernandez asked Ron Suchanek to set up a time to meet with Francis Parker and Jodi Pattershall to get a decision made on what materials can be posted on the walls in the Parish Center.

With a lack of volunteers stepping up for the monthly snacks, Ricardo recommended tat the Grand Knight just pick Brother Knights and see what happens.

## **Faith (Jesse Villarreal)**

Jesse recommended that the council reimburse Ken Beppe \$100 for the plywood he purchased for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. A motion was made and passed.

## **Community (Mike Robert)**

The Canby Street Dance was a major success with \$561 in gross sales.

The soccer challenge was scheduled for this year's picnic, but it did not happen because there is no support from our District councils, thus no path to state.

## **Family (Jim Currie)**

No report.

## **Culture of Life (Duane Kloser)**

The Respect for Life quarterly meeting was held on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Resurrection church in Tualatin. Duane and Chris Kloser attended. A lot of focus was spend on the issue with the sex abuse issue in Pennsylvania.

## **Round Table Report (Ricardo Hernandez & Jesse Villarreal):**

Jesse and Ricardo will meet at 7:00 PM tomorrow.

## **Unfinished Business:**



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The training for ushers has been delayed until further notice.

Ron Suchanek will schedule a meeting to determine limits on posting thins on the wall in the multipurpose room.

Parish Picnic was a major success, especially with the outdoor mass on the parish grounds. The help from the different ministries was great, but it did take more coordination to make sure nothing fell through the cracks.

A big thanks to everyone that helped with the Canby Street Dance. The Madonna Center for Life in Milwaukie was the recipient of the net proceeds.

### **New Business:**

A regional training session for GK, FS, DGK, Council Officers, Chairmen and all Brother Knights was held at Tualatin Resurrection Church on Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>.

The user training by Deacon Jerry is still on hold.

Dave Bernklau asked for volunteers for the monthly socials, but very little support was given. He will make assignments and ask for forgiveness.

Save the date for the Pro-life breakfast to be held on Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>.

The Novena for Life, part of the "Faith I Action" program needs to be completed in October. Father Arturo recommends that the event be more internal with the Knights to make sure it is a success before getting the Parish involved.

The semi-annual audit was completed by August 15<sup>th</sup> deadline.

Mike Schmader update everyone on the progress of Procurement for the Charity Auction and Crab Dinner. A "save the Date" email was sent to all guests that attended last year's event and provided an e-mail. We need help with procurement.

A discussion was held regarding recruitment. We need to do more one-on-one versus a pulpit announcement. Ricardo recommended that the Anglo's do a mass where they provide all the man-power for the different ministries for the mass.



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Deacon Mathias will be ordained a priest on Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at St. Mary's in Silverton and St. Patrick's is blessed to have him say all the masses at our Parish that weekend.

The 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday rosary will be said at the 8:30 mass on Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>. Please show up to participate in saying a decade of the rosary.

Deacon Jerry discussed the website "Formed" and the need to get everyone signed up.

## **Insurance (Sonny Van):**

Sonny Van recently traveled to Supreme in New Haven. He mentioned that the Catholic Church is hurting from all the scandals in Pennsylvania and around the world. The Pope is recommending silence and prayers on the issue versus trying to discuss the issue in detail without knowing all the facts.

## **District Deputy Report (Bob Thomas):**

No Report

There are new Admission Degrees coming up in September and October. Go to the Knights website to get the details and directions to a site.



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| ADMISSION DEGREES   | ADMISSION DEGREES  |
| <b>First Degree @ Tigard St. Anthony</b><br>Hosted by: Council #3591<br><i>Wednesday, October 3, 2018</i><br>6:30 pm                          | <b>Admissions Degree - Hillsboro</b><br>Hosted by: Council #1634<br>{Hillsboro, OR}<br><i>Thursday, November 1, 2018</i><br>6:30 pm          |
| <b>Admission Degree Holy Trinity Beaverton</b><br>Hosted by: Council #14802<br>{Beaverton, OR}<br><i>Thursday, October 4, 2018</i><br>6:30 pm | <b>Albany Council Admissions Exemplification</b><br>Hosted by: Council #1577<br>{Albany, OR}<br><i>Tuesday, November 27, 2018</i><br>6:00 pm |
| <b>First Degree of Admission - Milwaukie - Christ the King</b>  |  |

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| ADMISSION DEGREES   |
| <b>First Degree of Admission - Milwaukie - Christ the King</b><br>Hosted by: Council #9257<br>{Milwaukie, OR}<br><i>Tuesday, October 9, 2018</i><br>6:30 pm |
| <b>Albany Council Admissions Exemplification</b><br>Hosted by: Council #1577<br>{Albany, OR}<br><i>Tuesday, October 23, 2018</i><br>6:00 pm                 |

## Fourth Degree Report (Bob Sheveland):

The next 4<sup>th</sup> degree meeting will be Tuesday September 24<sup>th</sup> at Cindy's restaurant in Molalla.



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## Project and Activity Pictures

Duane decided not to include pictures in the newsletter in the future to reduce the size and the hope that Brother Knights will start using our website to stay informed. Pictures are posted under the Photo Galleries link listed on the left side of the Home page.

## Happy Birthday to our October / November Knights

| October              | Birthday |
|----------------------|----------|
| BILL JUDGE           | 10-02    |
| THOMAS FITZGERALD    | 10-03    |
| MICHAEL ROBERT       | 10-04    |
| TIMOTHY JUDGE        | 10-06    |
| DAVID TIBBETTS       | 10-06    |
| LUIS GARCIA-ENRIQUEZ | 10-10    |
| JAMES GHELFI         | 10-14    |
| FELIX BARBA          | 10-19    |
| DOUGLAS SPENCER      | 10-19    |
| EDWARD MONTECUCCO    | 10-20    |
| DANIEL BROWN         | 10-21    |
| JOSEPH KREMERS       | 10-25    |
|                      |          |
| November             |          |
| GEOVANNI ZAMORA      | 11-05    |
| BRADLEY BAKER        | 11-06    |
| MARK DEPNER          | 11-07    |
| DOUG WALTON          | 11-16    |
| PABLO FLORES         | 11-18    |
| RONALD SUCHANEK      | 11-22    |
| GILBERTO MEJIA       | 11-30    |
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## Good of the Order

Please keep all the Brother Knights, wives and family members in your daily prayers. Remember all those Knights who are sick or in distress, especially those in our Council.

**Prayers are requested for the following:**





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Nick Gunther, Tom Fitzgerald Family, Mike and Fran Monahan, Rodney Bernklau, Martin Heli, Dennis Richey, John Meyerhofer, Amparo Suchanek, Syl Pavlicek, Shane Anderson, Martha Robert, Mark Kloser & Family, Sarah Kloser Lutz, Lacey Buttram, Nicholas Kloser, Ricardo Hernandez and Fr. Arturo.

## **Sonny Van**

### **Insurance**

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**Have you been on our website yet? Check it out at: <http://www.koc3484.com>**

**Check out two other spots while you are there:**

- 1. Daily Scripture readings**
- 2. Reflections on the scripture readings**

**We are active for the Church, Family, Community, Poor and Needy.**

**Rewarding benefits of membership are growth in faith, life-changing experiences and enjoyment.**

**Know someone who might be interested? Is this person a practicing Catholic man, 18 years or older? Call Jesse Villarreal (503) 266-4043.**



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| <b>2018-2019 Officers</b>  | <b>2018-2019 Council Service Program Directors</b> |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>Grand Knight</b>        | <b>Faith</b>                                       |
| Dave Bernklau              | Jesse Villarreal                                   |
| <b>Deputy Grand Knight</b> | Co-Directors: Ron Suchanek / Dave Bernklau         |
| Ricardo Hernandez          | <b>COMMUNITY</b>                                   |
| <b>Spiritual Advisor</b>   | Mike Robert  |
| Jerry Giger                | Co-Dir. Eddy Herrera & Dennis Richey               |
| <b>Financial Secretary</b> | <b>FAMILY</b>                                      |
| Ron Suchanek               | Paul Crawford                                      |
| <b>Lecturer</b>            | Co-Dir. ???????????                                |
| Sonny Van                  | <b>LIFE</b>  |
| <b>Treasurer</b>           | Duane Kloser / ??????????                          |
| Stuart Hunt                | Co-Dir. ?????????????                              |
| <b>Chancellor</b>          | <b>Ushers</b>                                      |
| Paul Crawford              | Stuart Hunt  |
| <b>Warden</b>              | <b>Membership</b>                                  |
| Richard Hannan             | Ricardo Hernandez & David Bernklau                 |
| <b>Advocate</b>            | <b>Round Table</b>                                 |
| Tony Davis                 | Ricardo Hernandez & Jesse Villarreal               |
| <b>Recorder</b>            | <b>Public Relations</b>                            |
| Duane Kloser               | Ron Suchanek                                       |
| <b>Trustee 1 year</b>      | Co-Dir. Bob Sheveland                              |
| Mike Robert                |  |
| <b>Trustee 2 year</b>      | <b>Health &amp; Wellness</b>                       |
| Tom Fitzgerald             | Steve Heli   |
| <b>Trustee 3 year</b>      |  |
| John Meyerhofer            | <b>Council Projects – Paul Crawford</b>            |
| <b>Inside Guard</b>        |  |
| Bob Hitch                  |  |
| <b>Outside Guard</b>       |  |
| Ken Bepple                 |  |