



# **KNIGHTLY NEWS**

**St Patrick's Council 3484**  
**Canby, Oregon 97013**  
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**November, 2018**

## **Awards for Previous Month**

### **Knight of the Month – Mike Robert**

Mike Robert has been at St. Patrick for many years and involved with our council. As our Community Director, he recently helped with our Fall Festival on Sunday afternoon. He is active with ushering at the 11am Mass and with our annual crab dinner/auction fund raiser. The free throw contest has been one of his projects too. Thanks Mike for your support.

### **Family of the month – Joe Patershall Family**

Joe and Jody have been at St. Patrick for many years. Joe ushers at the 11am Mass and helps at many of our KofC activities. Jody is busy as the Religious Ed. coordinator for our parish grade schoolers. Their kids have helped with parish activities as well. Thank you, Joe, Jody, and family.

### **Lady of the Month – Marguerite Baker**

Marguerite has been at St. Patrick for many years. In the past and recently, she has been active in the Fall Festival put on by our council for families. It has been a good youth activity for our parish. Thanks for your continued support of parish life at St. Pats.

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

The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved as read.

**Notices and Applications – 4 Hispanics joined the Knights of Columbus on October 14<sup>th</sup>.**

### **Grand Knights Report**

Dave recommended that Mike Robert be selected as Knight of the month for October.

### **Director Reports (Ricardo Hernandez):**

Ricardo reported that the Safety & Environment form needs to be resubmitted to Supreme for Paul Crawford. The time frame has been changed from 30 days to 45 days.

The parish Finance Committee reminds everyone that **Parish Work Order forms need to be filled out for every project that the Knights work on.** The project manager must be specified and approved by Fr. Arturo.



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## **Chaplain Report (Fr. Arturo):**

Ricardo reported that Fr. Arturo wants the Knights to communicate with him on any new projects.

## **Financial Secretary Report (Ron Suchanek):**

Budgeted bills were paid. They include \$103.45 to Dave Bernklau for Church Kiosk items, \$20 to Steve Heli for Distress and Bereavement Fund supplies, \$223.60 to Thriftway for council socials and Pro-life breakfast, \$132.46 for Prolife breakfast expenses and \$500 to Mater Dei Radio as charity.

**Income received:** \$124 for Kiosk.

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

No reports due.

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

None

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

Sonny thanked the Canby council for all the things they do for Charity and reminded us of the mission that we need to care for each other. We tend to forget about our Brother Knights and forget to visit and care for them. We tend to forget about the families of members that have passed on.

Eddie Herrera will become Canby's new insurance agent over time, with an emphasis on working with the Hispanic members in our and other Oregon councils.

## **Service Program Reports: (Ricardo Hernandez)**

Ricardo Hernandez recommends that we purchase 2 big screen TV's, one for the Parish Center and the other for the entrance to the church – vestibule. St. Edwards in Keizer has multiple big screens in their entrance. Ricardo will provide details for the December business meeting.

Ricardo was curious as to why the Parish Auditorium does not have a crucifix?

Ricardo reported that we have 4 new council Knights and 5 candidates for the 4<sup>th</sup> degree. Great job Ricardo and Jesse. November 25<sup>th</sup> is the next date scheduled for 1<sup>st</sup> degree.



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December 12<sup>th</sup> is the Feast date of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Deacon Felix will be a guest speaker on Tuesday December 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. All are welcome. Music will also be provided. Do the Knights want to be involved in this program? Mass will be at 7:00 pm with music and food following in the auditorium.

On December 18<sup>th</sup>, a Posada (like a Novena, where Joseph and Mary went door to door looking for a place to stay.) will be held by the Hispanic community at St. Pat's. It would be great to get more people involved in this event. Ricardo will be point of contact.

The Hispanic Knights will be doing a Valentines Dance fundraiser on February 16<sup>th</sup>. Details will come soon on the sale of tickets.

Ricardo also mentioned that our Grand Knight needs to create a list of Knights to handle refreshments after each meeting for the rest of his term as Grand Knight.

Ron Suchanek thanked everyone for their help with the Pro-Life Breakfast. This year, we took in \$250 in donations. The net profit was \$714, \$214 more than last year.

Ron hoped everyone voted in the recent election, especially for measure 106, the defunding of support for abortions.

## **Faith (Jesse Villarreal)**

No report

## **Community (Mike Robert)**

Mike Robert reported that the Fall Festival was poorly attended, with only 20 kids and approximately 25 adults. Holding it after the Hispanic Mass is not the best approach and we need to revert back to holding the event after the 11:00 Mass. Mike wanted to especially thank the Patershall family for helping with the decorations. Brad Baker did a great job with the food in the kitchen. Mike thanked everyone else for their help with the different activities. Lots of food left over due to the low attendance. The event needs to be publicized better.

Eddie Herrera, in his attempt at recruiting members to our parish, thinks we need to open the event to the community with the hope of getting people interested in our church.

## **Family (Jim Currie)**

No report.



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

Baby Bottles for the Pregnancy Care Center fund raiser are due November 18th.

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

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

## **Unfinished Business:**

Dave thanked Bill Martinusen for his teaching on the need for keeping the faith in these difficult times.

See Service Program above for more details.

## **New Business:**

John Meyerhofer reported on the Archdiocesan training for ushers. The biggest emphasis is on greeting people and taking action before something happens. We need more training and practice to stay current and know how to react to the different situations, not only from the outside, but for medical situations.

Ron reported that the Knights will be selling Christmas cards at the Masses, with Spanish cards also available.

There was lots of discussion on KC aprons, with a cost of \$17 for new ones. Some would like names on the aprons, for a cost of \$22. No decision to purchase any. We need to get a count in the store room before purchasing any new ones, unless a member will pay for the cost.

\$300 was approved to send to Kent Purdy for the purchase of 2 wheelchairs. The money will come from the Charities budget.

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

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

A new form has been developed for the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity. This report needs to be completed no later than January 31.



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**Fourth Degree Report (Bob Sheveland):**

The Molalla Veterans program is at 12:30 pm on Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.

The next meeting will be Nov 27 at St. Patrick, with a Thanksgiving dinner prepared by Ellen Hannan and Chris Kloser.

A Veterans Memorial program, organized by Brother Knight Greg Perez, will be held at Burgerville on Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am. Dress in Regalia.

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## **Happy Birthday to our November Knights**

<b>December</b>	<b>Birthday</b>
CLEOPHAS WOLF	12-01
JOSE CAMARENA	12-02
TYLER SMITH	12-02
BRIAN MASTERSON	12-04
CARLOS VALADEZ	12-14
JAMES DAVIS	12-15
WILLIAM PATTON	12-15
JUAN GONZALEZ	12-18
JAMES THOMAS	12-25
<b>January</b>	
JOHN WALDRON	01-02
JOSEPH BAURER	01-09
JAMES VOELLER	01-15
RICHARD BEKO	01-17
GERALD GIGER	01-21
DAVID BERNKLAU	01-23
VINCENT PAVLICEK	01-24
MARCELO REYES HERNANDEZ	01-26
MICHAEL SCHMADER	01-28
RICHARD OATHES	01-29
CLEM MEYERHOFER	01-30

### **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:**

Mike and Fran Monahan, Lora Heli, Martin & Melitta Heli, Elias Brown, Syl & Edith Pavlicek, New Herrera baby and mom, Blake Tumbleson, Victims of crash on Highway 224, Peter Nguyen, Michael Vu, Marguerite Baker, Tom Fitzgerald Family, Barbara Thomas, Rodney Bernklau, Martha Robert, Mark Kloser & Family, Sarah Kloser Lutz, Lacey Buttram, and Nicholas Kloser.



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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.

**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	<i>Jesse Villarreal</i>
<b>Deputy Grand Knight</b>	<i>Co-Directors: Ron Suchanek / Dave Bernklau</i>
<i>Ricardo Hernandez</i>	<b>COMMUNITY</b>
<b>Spiritual Advisor</b>	Mike Robert
Jerry Giger	<i>Co-Dir. Eddy Herrera &amp; Dennis Richey</i>
<b>Financial Secretary</b>	<b>FAMILY</b>
Ron Suchanek	<i>Paul Crawford</i>
<b>Lecturer</b>	<i>Co-Dir. ???????????</i>
<i>Sonny Van</i>	<b>LIFE</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<i>Duane Kloser / ??????????</i>
Stuart Hunt	<i>Co-Dir. ??????????????</i>
<b>Chancellor</b>	<b>Ushers</b>
Paul Crawford	Stuart Hunt
<b>Warden</b>	<b>Membership</b>
Richard Hannan	<i>Ricardo Hernandez &amp; David Bernklau</i>
<b>Advocate</b>	<b>Round Table</b>
Tony Davis	<i>Ricardo Hernandez &amp; Jesse Villarreal</i>
<b>Recorder</b>	<b>Public Relations</b>
Duane Kloser	Ron Suchanek
<b>Trustee 1 year</b>	<i>Co-Dir. Bob Sheveland</i>
<i>Mike Robert</i>	
<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>	
<i>Bob Hitch</i>	
<b>Outside Guard</b>	
<i>Ken Bepple</i>	