

# Knights of Columbus St. Barnabas Council # 8603 Bayville, NJ 08721



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### GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

Dear Brother Knights:

I hope that everyone had a very enjoyable Christmas and I wish you all the best of health in the New Year.

On October 23<sup>rd</sup> we had or Annual PGK Dinner in honor of Vincent Eckersley. We had a nice showing and everyone had a good time. Vinny received a certificate from the US Congress for his dedication to helping the less fortunate. Good job!!!

I would like to thank all of the Brothers who came out and help deliver the Thanksgiving food baskets. I'm sure the food was greatly needed and appreciated. It leaves you with a fulfilled feeling when you see the faces of someone in need and you are there to help.

Again this year we spent some of our time delivering the Christmas presents to the sick and needy. We used 3 trucks to deliver the presents to the Tallwoods Care Center and another 3 trucks to deliver the presents to Crystal Lake Healthcare and Rehab Center. We received a very warm welcome and the staff couldn't believe how generous the people from St Barnabas Parish are to their residents.

This past December we brought back the coloring contest for the younger parishioners and they did a wonderful job.

Our Christmas Party with the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree was a great success. We had around 90 Brothers and their wives in attendance. A nice turnout!

The Knight at the Races is scheduled for February  $12^{th}$  and on February  $16^{th}$  we are sponsoring a pizza party for our Altar Servers.

We have a few ideas in the planning stages for things that we would like to do after the Knight at the Races. As always all Brothers are welcome to come and help.

Vivat Jesus, James Mlodgenski Grand Knight

Teach us to	give	and	not	count
the cost.				

Meetings
Meetings - 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds. of each month at St. Barnabas Church in Fr. Brennen Hall.
All meetings start promptly at 8 PM.

St. Ignatius de Loyola Officers Meeting

Officers Meeting- 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday at 6:30 PM.

#### **UP COMING EVENTS!!!**

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	Saturday Jan 22, 2011	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Sno-Ball The Captain's Inn, Forked River, NJ 7 to 11PM	
9	Sunday Jan 30,2011	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Communion Breakfast after 8 AM Mass	1
196	Saturday Feb 12, 2011	Knight at the Races- Fr Rucki Hall 6 to ???	4
	Wednesday Feb 16, 2011	Altar Servers Pizza Party- Fr. Brennen Hall 6:30 PM	
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#### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Jennifer Fortunato
Linda O'Donnell
Pardo Spedaliere PGK
Herman "Bud" Cooper PGK
Brielle Bijoux
Veronica Metzler

Martha Connor
Al Kessler PGK
Ruth Kostick
Edna Stewart

Joe Colleta

Charles Kerr Letters
Steve Mc Dermott

Ellen Page

Tony Calvitti
Martin Pisano
Pat Schreier
Bill Martin
Susan Walton
Linda Mackintosh
Pat Colleta
Peter Fortunato Sr.
Margaret Kessler
Kathleen Lynch
Mario Calabrese
Maureen Ising

**Bill Powers** 

Joe Mockapetris PGK
John Taylor
Emmit Worthy Jr. PGK
Monica Brewi-Bijoux
Ava Slinchak
Pat Kelly
Will Stockham
Edward Mlodzienski
Peggy Pikor
Lillie Hruby
John Sutor PGK, PFN
Brenda Mc Dermott
Jean Fortunato

#### RECENTLY DEPARTED

SK James M. Mooney



All The Troops

Mollie Kearney



#### **E-Mail Addresses!!!**

We are asking all members to update their E-Mail address. This way we can keep everyone up to date on the affairs of the Council. In the future everyone with an E-Mail address will receive the News Letter by E-Mail. By doing this we can save the Council the cost of printing and sending the News Letter through the mail. Also the News Letter will be posted on our web site for all to read. To update your E-Mail address just send an E-Mail to **8603@comcast.net** Thank you.



#### **Baptism Procedure**

- 1- All babies receive gifts at the first Sunday mass.
- 2- Members of K of C St. Barnabas Council #8603 and their immediate families who have a baptism at the St. Barnabas Church, Bayville, NJ in a private ceremony will receive gifts at the ceremony provided that the Brother Knight gives the Council two weeks' notice. Should the Brother Knight fail to give the Council two weeks' notice the gifts will not be presented at the ceremony but can be picked up at the Parish Office when they are ready.
- 3- Members of K of C St. Barnabas Council #8603 and their immediate families who have a baptism at a church other then the St. Barnabas Church, Bayville, NJ can pick up their gifts at the Parish Office provided that the Brother Knight gives the Council two weeks' notice.

#### **Hospitalized Brothers**

If you know of a Brother Knight from Council # 8603 who has been hospitalized for three days or more, please contact George Vogt at 732-269-2916 so we can present him with our Council 8603 robe.

#### **Sweet Jenny's**

As most of you know the caterer that we have been using, Sweet Jenny's, had a major fire that completely destroyed the restaurant. Brother Joe Dringus, the manager of the restaurant, was devastated. Some good friends are out of work and everyone was lucky that nobody hurt. Brother Joe will still be doing catering out of the Ship Bottom location until the location in Barnegat can be rebuilt. You can get in touch with him at 609-494-5111 or (Cell) 609-709-5705. Please keep Joe and his staff in your prayers.



#### BENEFIT OF PERMANENT LIFE INSURANCE

Permanent life insurance has many uses and two main purposes as a death benefit. It replaces income. Without your income, your family would have to change their lifestyle and in some cases they would live in poverty if you are not there to provide for them. In retirement, it insures your assets. Now that your assets are producing the income stream for you and your wife, it is very important you protect that income.

Our financial needs in retirement would be easy to plan except for two main problems. We do not know how long we will live, and how much our medical costs will be in our retirement years. If we are retired 20 years or more, how will inflation change the way we live. How much can you spend in retirement given that your assets have replaced you as the money machine. This is what permanent life insurance is really designed for, to be enforce when you die, guaranteed.

For any questions or to schedule a review, please contact me at 732-606-1616. Fraternally,

James Castrovilly, Field Agent

# THANK YOU



SSG Sal Giunta, a paratrooper w/ the 173rd Airborne, has become the first living Medal of Honor recipient since the Vietnam War. He earned this by charging a group of Taliban who were trying to make off with a wounded comrade in the Korengal Valley of Afghanistan. His actions broke the Taliban's attack and allowed him to regain control of SGT Josh Brennan. He also saved the lives of

the many other members of his unit who had been caught in a near ambush by the Taliban. Giunta didn't hesitate one second before advancing on his own to ensure the enemy would never take one of ours, but sadly Josh Brennan was too badly wounded too survive. His cousin PVT Joe Brennan recently graduated airborne school and has joined the same unit proudly carrying on Josh's memory.



# **Knights of Columbus**



## St. Barnabas Council #8603

**Presents A** 



## KNIGHT AT THE RACES



#### WHERE:

St. Barnabas Church 33 Woodland Rd Father Rucki Hall Bayville, NJ 08721

#### WHEN:

February 12th, 2011 at 6:00 PM until ???



Admission is \$15.00 per Person Snacks will be served

Only Persons 18 Years Old and Older Will Be Admitted

## **ONLY 125 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!!!**

# SO DON'T WAIT!!!

For Information Contact: GK Jim Mlodgenski (732) 349-1755 Or Don O'Connor (732) 349-1916