



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



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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

Brother Knights;

Thank you for the honor of being your Grand Knight for the coming Columbian year. I will do my very best to live up to the confidence you have placed in me. With the slate of officers you have elected to support me, I'm confident the Council will have another great year.

We all owe our most recent Past Grand Knight, Jim Mlodgenski a debt of gratitude for the tremendous job he did for the Council last year. He will be a very tough act to follow. Jim's PGK Dinner is scheduled for Friday, October 28th at the Captain's Inn, so mark your calendar. Details will follow shortly.

The Berkeley Township Concert Series will be held on Wednesday evenings this year, so our meetings during July and August will be on the first and third Thursdays. Again, please mark your calendar. Our preparations for the concert series are well underway, but we'll still need a lot of help. I hope to see you there.

Our Annual Picnic with the Fourth Degree will be held on Sunday, August 28th at Veterans Park. See the enclosed flyer for details.

I look forward to another great year with our Council. If you haven't been able to attend a meeting recently, please come back; you're missed.

Vivat Jesus,
Ronald J. Pikor, PFN
Grand Knight

"We just don't believe that marriage can be changed and radically altered to accommodate a particular lifestyle."

Archbishop Timothy Dolan

Meetings

Meetings - 1st and 3rd Weds. of each month at St. Barnabas Church in Fr. Brennen Hall. All meetings start promptly at 8 PM. Officers Meeting- 1st Wednesday at 6:30 PM.

UP COMING EVENTS!!!

Wednesday, July 6	Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM
Thursday, July 7	Meeting 8 PM Fr Brennen Hall
Wednesday, July 20	Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM
Thursday, July 21	Meeting 8 PM Fr Brennen Hall
Saturday, July 30	Installation of Officers After 4 PM Mass
Wednesday, August 3	Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM
Thursday, August 4	Meeting 8 PM Fr Brennen Hall
Wednesday, August 17	Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM
Thursday, August 18	Meeting 8 PM Fr Brennen Hall
Sunday, August 28	Annual Picnic (See information included in the News Letter)
Wednesday, August 31	Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM
Saturday, September 10	Community Pride Day (All Day) Sounds of Summer Concert Series 6 PM

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Jennifer Fortunato

Linda O'Donnell

Pardo Spedalieri PGK

Herman "Bud" Cooper PGK

Brielle Bijoux

Veronica Metzler

Joe Colleta

Martha Connor

Al Kessler PGK

Ruth Kostick

Edna Stewart

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

All The Troops



RECENTLY DEPARTED



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 than 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.

Need a Notary Public

If you are in need of a Notary Public we have two Brother Knights who are offering their services to all Brother Knights at no cost. To take them up on this offer please contact:

**Brother Carmen Amato at 732-915-5068 or
Brother SK Mike Masucci at 732-330-3412**

Thanks Carmen and Mike for your service!



Thank You

The last Columbian year went by so fast it's hard to believe that it is over. We had a great year and we will have many more to come. When I first received the honor of being elected your Grand Knight I wanted to bring back some older programs that were put to the side for whatever reason.

We started with the CCD classes on Sunday morning and the coloring contest. Just the look on the children's faces when they waited for the winners to be called was priceless and worth the time the Council spent on the program. Thank You for the experience!

The Altar Servers Pizza Party was by far the most satisfying program we sponsored this past year. To have that many servers attend and be honored for all the hard work that it takes to help make the Masses enjoyable for the entire Parish was out of this world. Thank You to all the Altar Servers and their parents for a job well done. Also a special Thank You to Deacon Mike and his wife Ann Marie for all the help in putting this program together.

To list all the programs we ran this past year would take too much time but none of the programs would have been successful if it wasn't for the backing and help of Fr Kevin. This past year I found out firsthand how much this Parish relies on Fr Kevin's time and talents. If it wasn't for email I don't know how I would have ever communicated with him since he is always on the go. Thank You for all your help!

Fr Mike is the Council Chaplain and one of the most dedicated priests I have had the pleasure of knowing. I had the honor of attending the Bishop's Dinner and the Pride in our Priest Dinner with him this past year. He is always on the go but never too busy to stop and say hello and answer some of my many questions. Thank You for your time this past year it was a pleasure.

We all know that in order for any organization to run smoothly it requires an outstanding supporting cast and we have one of the best. Every time I went into the office I was greeted with smiles. Both Barbara and Gail did everything in their power to help make my year as Grand Knight a pleasant one. Thank You for putting up with all of my many requests and for being so understanding. This past year would have been a long and hard endeavor without your help.

Pat Torcicollo was a very valuable part of our success this past year. Year after year she volunteers her time to make sure that we are prepared for our monthly Baptisms. She gets everything together and prints the certificates. All we have to do is present the gifts to the families. We get all of the exposure and she just sits on the sideline and watches. I would like to say Thank You for all your dedication and this program would not have run so proficiently without you.

To our Council Officers and members, you are one of the most dedicated group of individuals that I have had the opportunity to work with. We had a mixture of new members and some seasoned members working together with one goal in mind. And I think we accomplished a great deal this past year. I would not of had such a pleasurable year without your help. Thank You!

I could go on and on about all the wonderful and dedicated people that I have had the pleasure to meet and work with over the past year but I know I would miss saying Thank You to someone. So, Thank You St Barnabas for an unforgettable year!!!

Jim Mlodgenski PGK

**St. Barnabas Council # 8603
John D. McMahon Assembly #1926
Annual Picnic**

When: August 28th, 2011

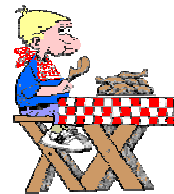
**Where: Veteran's Park Pavilion
Bayville, NJ**

Time: 3:00 PM

We will supply Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Salads, Desert and Water.

*******IF YOU WOULD LIKE SODA, WINE OR*******

*******BEER PLEASE BRING IT WITH YOU.*******



**St. Barnabas Council # 8603
John D. McMahon Assembly #1926
Annual Picnic**

Name: _____

Number Attending _____

Please mail this before August 21st to:

Ron Pikor GK

18 Medford Rd

Whiting, NJ 08759

For more information call Ron at 732-849-0770

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