



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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NEWSLETTER  
April 2015



### A Message from our Grand Knight Marc Morneau

The month of April brings spring, new life, colours and a fresh outlook for many now that the cold, dark, short days of winter are behind us.

In March we had an extremely busy month with a number of Parish focussed efforts. We hosted 3 breakfasts at St. Patrick's, St. John's and St.

Paul's serving approx. 550 people which I know was well received and appreciated by all.

We recruited 6 new members to our Council in the last month with a few more to follow up on.

As we continue to work closer with our parishes supporting events at this level, the higher our profile becomes and the on-going objective of new member recruitment will continue.

At the last General Meeting we had 40 members (one of our biggest turnouts in recent memory) in attendance who were able to greet and meet our new Chaplain, Rev. Father Ronald Hodera.

We also elected 4 new members to the Executive of the Kolumbus Club and accepted nominations for next year's Halton Columbus Charities.

Our next General Meeting is on Monday, April 13 where elections will be held for the Halton Columbus Charities and nominations will be accepted for next year's Council Executive.

I urge every Brother to get engaged and involved in the many activities of our Council which serves our Priests, Parish and our community.

Vivat Jesus

Marc Morneau, Grand Knight



Council Executive 2014-2015
<b>CHAPLAIN</b> Fr. Ronald Hodara 905-637-9267
<b>GRAND KNIGHT</b> Marc Morneau 905-330-7545
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<b>TREASURER</b> David Stokes 905-335-6863
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<b>OUTSIDE GUARD</b> Bill Manley 905-632-7410
<b>HONORARY OUTSIDE GUARD</b> John Pickard 905-336-0076
<b>TRUSTEE ONE YEAR</b> Gary Smith 905-319-1200
<b>TRUSTEE TWO YEAR</b> Jere Hartnett 905-637-3934
<b>TRUSTEE THREE YEAR</b> Tom O'Brien 289-337-4540

COUNCIL COMMITTEES 2014 - 2015
<b>BURLINGTON KOLUMBUS CLUB</b>
President Ignatius MacDonald 905-632-5586
<b>HALTON COLUMBUS CHARITIES</b>
President Donald Millet 905-592-3367
<b>SERVICE PROGRAMS</b>
<b>Program Director</b> Kevin Abraham 905-330-7545 <b>Community Director</b> Paul Catena 905-630-1840 <b>Family Director</b> Rick Lomas 905-336-3835 <b>Pro-Life Director</b> Gary Smith 905-319-1200 <b>Membership Director</b> Rick Lomas 905-336-3835 <b>Youth Director</b> Gordon Drake 289-337-3847
<b>PARISH ROUND TABLE COODINATORS</b>
St. Patrick Marc Morneau 905-637-9267 St. John the Baptist Michael Enright 905-315-1784 St. Paul the Apostle Gordon Drake 289-337-3847 David Stokes 905-335-6863 St. Raphael Henry Valcheff 905-639-4085

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES FEBRUARY 2015
<b>General Events</b> <b>REFER WEB SITE</b> <a href="http://www.kofcknights.org/5073">www.kofcknights.org/5073</a> <b>April 2-5</b> Easter Triduum (Good Friday, Holy Saturday Easter Sunday) <b>April 17</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Annual Dinner <b>April 24 -26</b> KofC Ontario Convention <b>April 26</b> Strike Out Cancer Bowling Day
<b>Meetings and Activities</b> <b>Executive Meeting</b> –April 6 -7:30 pm <b>General Meeting</b> – April 9 13- 7:30 pm <b>Halton Columbus Charities</b> – n/a <b>Kolumbus Club</b> – April 20 –7:00 pm <b>Prayer Cenacle</b> – April 30 – 7:00 pm <b>Farternal Night</b> – April 27
Midnight Bingo (Every other Tuesday of the month) April 1, 15 and 29
Matinee Bingo (Every other Wednesday of the month) April 7 and 21
Seniors Club (Every Wednesday) April 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 (10- 11.30am)
<b>Other Events</b> <b>MAY</b> May 9 St. Andrews 175 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary <b>May 23</b> – 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification <b>For dates of Degree Ceremonies – see website</b>



A Message from our Deputy Grand Knight  
Kevin Abraham

I am writing this Message after having just returned from degree ceremonies at St. Francis Xavier Parish Mississauga. Our Council has seen a surge in membership recently, adding several new youthful members ready and willing to assist in our charitable purposes.

I am hopeful that our new recruits will also attend and participate at our monthly Council meetings every second Monday.

GK Marc has struck a Nominating Committee which will be presenting an Officer Slate for 2015/16 Council Year at our next Council meeting on April 13, 2015.

I am pleased to report that the KofC International Day of Prayer for the Unborn Child was observed at both St. Matthew and St. Gabriel Parishes on Wednesday March 25, 2015 where KofC Prayer for Life and Rosary to End Abortion prayer cards were distributed to parishioners.

I will be attending the KofC Ontario Convention the weekend of April 24-26 with GK Marc and Chaplain Fr. Hodara. If there are any matters that members would like circulated at the Convention please advise.

In closing I certainly can be accused of “**HARPING**” however, **WE CONTINUE TO NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS TO HELP WITH OUR CHARITABLE BINGO.**

*Lenten Reflection:*

*Lord, source of eternal life and truth, give to your shepherd, our Holy Father Pope Francis, a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love.*

*By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he, as successor of the Apostle Peter and Vicar of Christ, build your church into a sacrament of unity, love and peace for all of the world and may we, in faithful communion with him, always seek to further the pastoral mission of your church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

*Knights of Columbus “In Solidarity With Our Holy Father”*

Faithfully in Christ, Kevin Abraham DGK

## Welcome to our newest Brothers!

A group of our members were on hand to offer support to 3 of our newest Brothers who recently completed their First Degrees in Mississauga.

Pictured below in the front row from left to right;

Membership Chairman Rick Lomas, Dennis Roy, Ignatius MacDonald, our new Chaplain Father Ron Hodara, John Schunk and Grand Knight Marc Morneau.

Back row are our new members, Brothers Bill Butler and Jason Romanetti.

All 3 of our new members were recruited at our recent Breakfast and membership drive held at St. Raphael's Parish.



On Saturday, March 28 we had the pleasure of having 2 new members join our Council having completed their First Degree at St. Francis Xavier Council in Mississauga. Our new members are Brothers Chris Ropa and Mario Carr who are both from St. Patrick's Parish.

A photo (picture above) was taken of our newest Brothers on their special day, and those who supported them by attending the ceremony;

From left to right - Grand Knight Marc Morneau, Michael Mark, Chris Ropa, John D'Addario, Mario Carr and Deputy Grand Knight Kevin Abraham.

We welcome both Brother Mario and Brother Chris and look forward to them meeting members of our Council at our next General Meeting on April 13th, 2015.



*Birthday Wishes  
For April*

*Rick Lomas 1<sup>st</sup>  
Stephen Kwabena Kportufe 6<sup>th</sup>  
Ignatius MacDonald 11<sup>th</sup>  
Edward Uddenberg 12<sup>th</sup>  
John Schunk 14<sup>th</sup>  
Riccardo Colaianni 16<sup>th</sup>  
Jerry Geo Ponikvar 19<sup>th</sup>  
Philippe Lauriault 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Michael MacDonald 26<sup>th</sup>  
William Manley 26<sup>th</sup>  
Ted Van Lierop 26<sup>th</sup>  
Frank Barich 27<sup>th</sup>  
Yves Isabelle 27<sup>th</sup>  
Ronald Milne 28<sup>th</sup>  
Alan Read 30<sup>th</sup>*

Prayer Requests

**In charity, unity and fellowship let us pray for the needs of our brother Knights and their families.**

Shawn Buckley  
Fr. Roger Fermo  
Sharon Bradwell's husband, Ken  
GK Marc's father-in-law, Bill Ducharme  
Bill Brennan  
Joe Accosta  
Shawn Browne  
Maureen Malone  
Sarah Alfred

**Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen**

Mother of Perpetual Help pray for us.

**Special Note:**

*Please call Paul Catena, our Financial Secretary, at [905.335.5073](tel:905.335.5073), if you are aware of any Brother who has died or is in need of our prayers and/or assistance. The importance of speedy notification is important so that we can:*

- provide support for them and their families;*
- attend services and ensure a Mass Card and Resolution of Condolences is obtained, and*
- promptly advise Supreme and our field agent, Trevor D'Mello 905-281-0760 [trevordemello@rogers.co](mailto:trevordemello@rogers.co), to ensure financial security is preserved for the families of insured members.*

**Vivat Jesus!**



*Anniversaries  
Wishes  
for the  
following Knights  
in April*

*John and Catherine Bennett 7<sup>th</sup>  
Vincent and Elaine Meehan 12<sup>th</sup>  
Alan and Eleanor Read 21<sup>st</sup>*





**Bowling with the Hamilton Tiger-Cats for  
McMaster Children's Hospital  
and  
Juravinski Cancer Centre**

Sunday, April 26th: 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.



Registr.: 86476-3529-RC0001

**Splitsville**

830 Laurentian Drive  
Burlington, ON L7N 3V6

**\$20 per person**

*(children 6 and under play for free)*

2 hours of bowling + shoes + taxes  
+ 2 slices of pizza + pop  
*(5 or 6 people per lane)*

- Top fundraising team gets tickets to a Ticats game
  - Top 5 fundraising teams get to bowl with Ticat players
  - Pre-registration is required in order to guarantee a lane
- credit card or cheque. Cheques (payable to McMaster Children's) must be received at the Foundation office by Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> - PO Box 739 LCD 1, Hamilton, ON L8N 3M8

**Click here to register**

<https://secure.42m.com/register/startup.aspx?eventId=165804>



**Tax receipts for ALL online donations**  
as well as cheques/cash donations of \$20+



**KNIGHTS' FAMILIES  
HELPING FAMILIES IN  
NEED**

Brother Knights please rally your family together on April 26 at Splitsville for a day of fellowship and charity with the Hamilton Tiger-Cats in a family bowling event in support of McMaster Children's Hospital and Juravinski Cancer Centre. \$20 pp, children under 6 play for free. Includes 2 hours of bowling, shoe rental and pizza. Income tax receipts provided for donations. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. You can register on our web site and full details can be found at [sianbradwell.com/burlington](http://sianbradwell.com/burlington)

**Halton Columbus Charities**

At the March 9<sup>th</sup>, General Meeting, the following Brother Knights were nominated for election to the Halton Columbus Charities

Tim O'Brien  
Don Milet  
Ron Milne

Nominations will close and election for the vacant positions will take place at the April 13<sup>th</sup> General Meeting.



**Knights of Columbus**  
**Basketball Freethrow - Regional Competition (Region 2)**  
**Waterloo - February 28, 2015**  
**Winners, 2nd, 3rd place participants:**

**Age 9 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Nowah Annandsingh Burlington, ON Council: 10061 Regional Score: 14 - Shootout: 3/5	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Neil Elises Waterloo, ON Council: 5135 Regional Score: 14 - Shootout: 1/5	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Kieran Senra Walkerton, ON Council: 2042 Regional Score: 12
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**Age 9 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Claire Yates Walkerton, ON Council: 2042 Regional Score: 13 - Shootout: 1/5	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Sophia Cerda Stoney Creek, ON Council: 1454 Regional Score: 13 - Shootout: 0/5	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Brooklyn Dawson Hamilton, ON Council: 9553 Regional Score: 11
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**Age 10 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Michael Wator Brantford, ON Council: <not listed> Regional Score: 20	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Adrian Diodatt Niagara Falls, ON Council: 1652 Regional Score: 18	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Matthew Molinski Owen Sound, ON Council: 2092 Regional Score: 17
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**Age 10 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Kristine Cooper Hamilton, ON Council: 9553 Regional Score: 22	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Kaylor Rasos Hamilton, ON Council: 8380 Regional Score: 20	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Natalie Picton Welland, ON Council: 2140 Regional Score: 15
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**Age 11 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Shad Annandsingh Burlington, ON Council: 15920 Regional Score: 24	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> John Karl Legado Kitchener, ON Council: 1504 Regional Score: 23	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Matteo De Benedetti Niagara Falls, ON Council: 1652 Regional Score: 21
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**Age 11 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Melanie Shields Fort Erie, ON Council: 3320 Regional Score: 17	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Christina Saba Hamilton, ON Council: 8380 Regional Score: 16	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Mallory Larmond Stoney Creek, ON Council: 7969 Regional Score: 15
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**Age 12 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Ethan Foster Hamilton, ON Council: 8380 Regional Score: 19 - Shootout: 5/5	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Luka Jones Hamilton, ON Council: 10956 Regional Score: 19 - Shootout: 4/5	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Christian Benedetti Hamilton, ON Council: 12745 Regional Score: 19 - Shootout: 2/5
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**Age 12 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Sierra Susi Stoney Creek, ON Council: 14421 Regional Score: 20	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Deanna Matasje Ancaster, ON Council: <not listed> Regional Score: 17	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Madeleine Hepditch Waterloo, ON Council: 5135 Regional Score: 14
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**Age 13 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Matthew Duffy Burlington, ON Council: 10340 Regional Score: 21	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Alexdaner Dicesare Hamilton, ON Council: 12745 Regional Score: 20	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Bishop Harris Hamilton, ON Council: 8380 Regional Score: 19
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**Age 13 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Trinity Cooper Brantford, ON Council: <Not listed> Regional Score: 18	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Brianna Di Giovanni Hamilton, ON Council: 1454 Regional Score: 15	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Grace Shea Caledonia, ON Council: 9300 Regional Score: 14
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**Age 14 – Boys**

<b>Winner:</b> Owen Bender Hanover, ON Council: 5607 Regional Score: 11	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> <none>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> <none>
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**Age 14 – Girls**

<b>Winner:</b> Sophia D'Aurora Oakville, ON Council: 14446 Regional Score: 11	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b> Josie Berry Southampton, ON Council: 6736 Regional Score: 8	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b> Robyn Albert Hanover, ON Council: 5607 Regional Score: 5
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## *St. Patrick's Parish*

March 14, 2015

Mr. Marc Morneau, Grand Knight,  
Burlington Council of The Knights of Columbus,

Dear Marc,

Please express my sincere thanks to the Knights for their excellent food and service to the people of St. Patrick parish who enjoyed immensely the breakfast that the Knights served in our parish hall on Sunday, March 1, 2015.

Both Bishop Peter Hundt and myself thought the variety and the happy service given by you and the Knights who helped was wonderful....and I did not have to make lunch for the Bishop that Sunday...an added bonus.

I understand that about 200 people took advantage of the breakfast and that a little over \$ 1,000.00 was the revenue that was generated for our parish for normal expenses.

Again, thank you most sincerely.

In the Lord's service,



(Rev) Monsignor Raymond N. Modeski  
Pastor



Jere Hartnett inspects equipment



Brother Knights on kitchen duty



Breakfast is being served



Parishioners enjoying breakfast

St. Paul's Parish Breakfast

