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Charity

Charity is adhering to a new commandment. (*Knights to Christ* August 26th entry)

A new commandment I give you: love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. (John 13:34)

Senior BBQ

On August 7, Brother Knights Mike McBride, Dan Fessler, Bill Telesco, Al Finken, Mo Mitchell and Rick Brentrup cooked a barbecue lunch for LOW seniors. Chairman McBride reported that 100 hamburgers, 72 brats and 48 dogs were served. Not surprisingly, Mike said no one went away hungry.

Parish Breakfast

Chairman Mike McBride reported the parish breakfast on August 16 was a great success. 231 meals were served, with a profit of \$639.71. Thanks to the many brothers who helped out.

Tootsie Roll Drive

Matt Traver will chair our annual Tootsie Roll Drive for the mentally handicapped this year. He has three Fridays, five Saturdays and three Sundays lined up in September and October, starting the weekend of September 11-13. There are 76 shifts to fill. Please contact Matt to help.

Supreme Appeal

The Supreme website (https://www.kofc.org) lists opportunities to support Knights of Columbus sponsored charities, including our effort to aid persecuted Christians around the world.



Unity

Unity is a Council of super heroes. (*Knights to Christ* August 27th entry)

In a large house there are not only items of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay; some are for noble purposes and some are ignoble. If a man cleanses himself from the latter, he will be an instrument for noble purposes, made holy, useful for the Master and prepared to do any good work. (2 Timothy 2:20-21)

Council Awards

At the August 25 business meeting, GK Derek Landreville presented a Certificate of Appreciation to PGK Dan Fessler (top photo below) for his service to our council. Derek also presented the July Knight of the Month award to Pat Garrison (bottom photo). Council Director Matt Traver announced that Francis "Fuzzy" Jensen was Knight of the Month for August. The GK also announced that Frank and Ronnie Seagren were the July Family of the Month and the Greg Polak family was the August Family of the Month. (Thanks to Brother Bill Telesco for the photos this month.)





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Fraternity

Fraternity is brothers praying for brothers. (*Knights to Christ* August 11th entry)

For where two or three have gathered in my name, I am there in their midst. (Matthew 18:19-21)

Honorary Life Member

Past District Deputy and current Executive Secretary to the State Deputy, Paul Patricca, was honored at the August 25 business meeting by GK Derek Landreville with a certificate acknowledging his Honorary Life membership status.



Upcoming Events

September 5,6 Community Sunday
September 8 Council social meeting
September 11 Carron Coffee House

September 13 Youth Kickoff

September 16 Officers' meeting (at Steve Haynes')

September 18 Carron Coffee House September 19 Food Bank of the Rockies September 22 Council Business meeting

Major Degree

Date: September 19, 2015 (Combined) 10:00

AM (not August 19, as noted in July

newsletter)

Council John P. McManamen Location: Christ the King Church

4921 Evergreen Parkway Evergreen, CO 80439

Patriotism

Patriotism is taking care of our own. (*Knights to Christ* August 22nd entry)

If anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for his own family, he has disowned the faith and is worse than an unbeliever. (1 Timothy 5:8)

4th Degree Exemplifications

All council 3rd Degree members are strongly encouraged to take their 4th Degree as soon as possible. Here is the next opportunity:

Date: October 3, 2015

Assembly: 87 – John Redden Assembly Location: K of C Hall – 1555 Grant St.

Denver, CO 80203

Contact: Gordon Hummel 303-960-5427

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133rd Supreme Convention

Calling the gathering of more than 2,000 Knights of Columbus and their families "the first chapter of the World Meeting of Families," Archbishop Charles Chaput welcomed the 133rd Supreme Convention to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

"We will have a rather larger meeting here in 49 days," he said, referring to the World Meeting of Families to be held in Philadelphia at the end of September, which will include the first apostolic visit to the United States of Pope Francis.

He made his remarks in his homily at the convention's Opening Mass, of which he was also the main celebrant, on Tuesday morning, Aug. 4, at the Pennsylvania Convention Center in downtown Philadelphia.

