



Knights News

Knights of Columbus
Council 8282

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August—September 2010

What's New

Brother Knights— I do appreciate the knights and spouses that attended the Protecting Gods Children course held on the 14th. It is an eye wakening experience and we all benefited from it. It is required from the Diocese that any Brother Knight that will be working with children complete this course, register and be fingerprinted to protect the volunteer and the church. The next class is at St. Viator Catholic Church on the 28th of August at 1:00pm. You

must preregister to attend the class. Go online at www.virtus.com to register. Please take the time to register online and help us work with and protect our youth of today and leaders of tomorrow. For further information or questions see Brother Knight Scott Davis and myself.

This month we will have our Social at the Parish Center. There we will

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Knights of Columbus tops in Charity

Over the past year, the Knights continued in their tradition, setting new records for their charitable work.

During the year, the Knights donated \$151,105,867 to charity, exceeding last year amount by more than \$1million. Over the past decade, charitable giving by the Knights of Columbus at all levels totaled \$1,367,764,509 a dramatic testament to our commitment to charity.

The top rank jurisdictions ranked by the amount given to charity per member were British Columbia with donations of \$6.3 million, Ontario with 5.9million, Florida with \$5million and Michigan with 4.8 million.

Over the past decade, Knights of Columbus volunteered 639,854,407 hours and the total value of those volunteer hours is in excess of \$11.6 billion. Habitat for Humanity received 227,000 hours. Supported blind widow in Dallas, donated medical supplies in Kandahar, Afghanistan etc.

A good explanation of their charitable activity comes from the Second Vatican Council document Lumen Gentium. "the laity by their very vocation, seek the kingdom of God by engaging in temporal affairs and by ordering them according to the plan of God... They are called there by God that by exercising their proper function and led by the spirit of the Gospel they may work for the sanctification of he world.

Special Dates:

- 08/24/2010—Council Social 6:30 at Parish Center—Fried Chicken and Fixings
- 09/06/2010 Labor Day
- 09/11—12/2010—Ministry Fair
- 09/14/2010—Officers Meeting 6:00pm
- 9/14/2010—EZinn Meeting 6:30pm
- 9/14/2010—Business Meeting 7:00pm—Elections
- 9/28/2010—Council Social 6:30pm—To Be Determined



What's New

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have fried chicken, cole slaw and soft drinks. Vivat Jesus, Rick Sherman—Grand Knight

Upcoming Events

We have many upcoming activities and events this fall. We encourage all Brother Knights and their families to either participate in the event or attend them and help support your council and parish.

September

Ministry Fair—September 11th and 12th after each Mass

Youth Soccer Challenge—September 24th after school at the St Viator Soccer Field. All boys and girls are encouraged to attend and participate. You do not have to be a St Viator student or the child of a knight to participate. The challenge starts at 3:00 pm.

October

A Taste of St. Viator—October 16th after the 4:30 Mass. The Knights will be preparing traditional hot dogs and hamburgers. Visit our many ethnic communities here at St. Viator through the foods that they prepare. Come join this blending of your Parish.

“Insurance—Simple Things”

Sometimes it is easy to overlook the simplest of things.

Take the beneficiaries on your life insurance policies. If your policy was applied for and issued several years ago, it could very well be that the person you originally selected as the beneficiary is no longer the person you would want to receive the policy proceeds. If you bought the policy when you were single, for example, you may have named your parents as beneficiaries. If you have since been married, that could be updated to reflect your spouse or your children.

Most people list a primary beneficiary – that person is specifically designated as the first in priority to receive policy proceeds. We also encourage the naming of a contingent beneficiary – an alternate person designated to receive policy proceeds, usually in the event that the original beneficiary pre-deceases the insured.

I will routinely call all of our policyholders for annual review appointments, usually near the anniversary date of your policy – the date it was originally issued. One of the matters that I'll discuss during this review is the status of your beneficiary designations. If they need updating, and they often do, I can complete the paperwork during that appointment.

I'm your field agent **ARVIND NAIR** at **(702) 860-0551** or **arvind.nair@kofc.org**. Call me – let's talk.



Good of the Order

Please keep the following in your prayers: Pope Benedict XVI, The Clergy, Our Military, Our Police and Firefighters, Our Servicemen here and abroad, PGK Tip Cunningham, James Coryer, Mario Barone, PGK Larry Gallas and his wife Delores, PGK Joe Lamato, Judy Dennis, wife of Tom Dennis, PGK and Chancellor Frank Lenzo's wife Joann, Sam Ruvolo and his wife Lois, Norris DuPree, Sally Quagliano, Wife of Trustee Joe Quagliano, PGK Al Benedetti's wife Patti who is recovering from surgery and a stroke, Robert Blander who is undergoing a Kidney transplant, Council Warden, Lonnie Wisham, recovering from surgery, the family of Brother Knight Francis Clagett, who entered into eternal life, Brother Francis served 77 years in the Knights of Columbus, the widow of Brother Knight Al Ziemniak who passed away this month. Past Grand Knight and Faithful Navigator, Larry Gallas who also entered into eternal life on August 26th.

Family of the Month— July
and Lois Ruvolo

Sam Knight of the Month— July
Joe Sorentino

Happy Birthday—August 2010



We want to wish the following Brother Knights who celebrate their birthday this month a very Happy Birthday and many, many more:

Ruel A Brione	08-01	Julius J Riedl	08-22
Leonard E Di Pasqua	08-01	Albert L Cunningham	08-25
Robert G Abel	08-02	Gerald J Pfannenstiel	08-25
Michael G Valpiani Md	08-09	Vincent M Specht	08-26
Anthony J Brenes	08-11	Jeremey A Scheel	08-27
Henry M Zrebiec	08-12	Everett P Bryant	08-28
Thomas E Pfaff	08-16	Fred A Stevens	08-29
Mark J Dimartino	08-18	William F Lunsford	08-30

365 Club - A penny a day will help a Brother Knight in need. That is the mission of the 365 club. This is a State Council Project which all councils support. Remember this fund is to help our council exercise the virtue of charity to our brothers, who are in need and only costs a penny a day (Three Dollars and Sixty Five cents a year). Bring your pennies or spare change to each council meeting.

Polar Plunge

Council 8282 is supporting Special Olympics by building a team for the Second Annual Polar Plunge at Lake Las Vegas. We will be taking a dip in Lake Las Vegas on November 20, 2010. You have two options should you choose to support us. Become a Plunger team member and help us raise money for Special Olympics or you can be a Chicken and support us by donating to the team. See GK Rick Sherman for details or to sign up.






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Schedule of Events

- 08/24/10—Council Social 6:30pm
- 09/06/10—Labor Day
- 09/11—12/2010 Ministry Fair after all Masses
- 09/14/10—Officers Meeting 6:00 Parish Center
- 09/14/10—Open Meeting of the E Zinn Corporation
- 09/14/10—Business Meeting 7:00 Parish Center
- 09/16/10—Fourth Degree Meeting—St Francis of Assisi
- 09/24/10—Soccer Challenge at St Viator School Field
- 09/28/10—Council Social Place to be determined.
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Aug / Sept 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

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