



The KNIGHTLINE

HOWELL JACKSON Council 6201

December 2015

Grand Knight Letter

Dear Brothers,

With the Advent season upon us there comes added responsibilities as Knights of Columbus to fulfill our mission of service to our church and community. In November, we assembled Thanksgiving food baskets that were distributed through St. Aloysius Church to many families in need. This month, we will once again be helping people in our community by assembling and distributing food and gifts in the hopes that our efforts will help bring a more joyous and Merry Christmas to all. By helping those less fortunate, we can celebrate His birth this month by making the extra effort to get involved in aiding those in our community that are suffering in these tough economic times. I encourage all Knights to make a real concerted effort to reach out and help someone this Advent season. The month of December will see many events at the Council that coincide with the celebration of the Advent season. Among them, we will be having our Nativity Lighting on December 4th, at 7:30 pm. at our Council. All Knights, their wives or girlfriends and children are invited. Please come and sing Christmas carols and enjoy cookies, cake and hot chocolate as we celebrate the birth of Christ. Please check in this Knightline or on the Council website KOFC6201.com for further information on these and all upcoming events.

On November 19th we held a second Degree at the Council; Thanks to the 2nd degree team from Saint Monica's Council for performing the ceremony. I would also like to congratulate my brothers that made their 2nd Degree. We will be holding our 3rd degree on December 11. Please come down to the council and be part of our brother's final step to full knighthood. Please arrive early to show the "Unity" of Council 6201.

Edward Althaver	Andrew Hoffman	Peter Lowe
Andrew McCathy	John Northrop	Colin Olsen
Rich Artale	James Curtis	Karl Fahringer
Joseph Grieco	Chris Pacelli	James Seyglinski
John Smisek	Kevin Van Wieren	Pedro Vargas

The Second Degree certificate was awarded in memory of PGK, PFN and FDD Brother *Santo Cultrara*.

Special congratulations to Brother Tony Esposito for participating in the Fourth Degree exemplification. Congratulations Sir Knight.

Meetings:

Council: 1st & 3rd Friday of the Month at 8:30 P.M.

Officers Meets at 7:30 P.M.

Officers: Tuesday before 3rd Friday of the Month at 8:30 PM. Columbian Club

Columbian Club: 3rd Friday of the month following K.C.

I hope everyone had a very enjoyable Thanksgiving surrounded by the people they love most.

A very special thank you to PGK Rich Lehmann for organizing the Deceased Members Mass. Thank you also to Fr. Bambrick and all the Brothers and their families, who joined together to celebrate the lives and memories of all the Brothers who have gone before us.

I want to thank PGK Bob Clifford for organizing our Thanksgiving Food basket program; we were able to deliver food baskets to St. Aloysius for delivery to some of the very needy families in our area.

Great job Bob,

We will be holding our Annual Coat Drive, Any new coats, hats, and gloves can be dropped off at the council.

On December 14th at 10:00 AM, we will be holding our annual Breakfast with Santa. Help is always welcome, if you plan on attending the sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board.

On December 12, we welcome our Lord Jesus to New Jersey. The Knights of Columbus will be celebrating the coming of Jesus with the Blessing of the Nativity Crèche alongside the NJ State House, 125 West State Street, Trenton, NJ

The annual Adult Christmas Party will take place after a short business meeting on Friday, December 18th. I encourage all Knights to attend, please bring your significant other down and join in the celebration of Christmas.

On December 19th, we will be assembling Christmas food baskets for the many local families in need. As you can imagine, the need each year is even greater than the year before. Anyone interested in helping assemble or distribute baskets can meet at the council at 9:00 AM. Also, any donations you can make to this effort will be a blessing. I look forward to see what number we can hit for our Christmas Food Baskets, we are looking to deliver 100 baskets this Christmas.

On December 19th In the afternoon we will have Old Timer's Day. Come out and meet some of the members that were instrumental in the growing of this council to what it is today. All are welcome

Rich Russo has graciously stepped up to be the RFL Chairman, if you are interested in helping out please contact him.

As we move into December the Council will once again be very busy. Please bring your family down to help OUR Council celebrate this Christmas Season.

Currently, we have the following events planned:

- 12/4 Nativity Lighting @ 7:00 PM (No Social Meeting);
- 12/11 3rd Degree
- 12/14 Children's Christmas Party
- 12/18 Business & Club Meeting @ 7:30 followed by the Adult Christmas party.
- 12/19 Christmas Food Baskets
- 12/19 Old timers Day

Vivat Jesus,
Grand Knight,
Louis McGraw



Columbian Club President Letter

As the Christmas season quickly comes upon us, The Club is in full swing. Football Sundays have been somewhat successful so why don't you stop on down for a cold beer and some delicious homemade food prepared by one of your Brother Knights.

The Columbian Club has created a new logo. The Officers and bartenders are sporting the great new look. If there is enough interest, we can order more of them for fellow Knights to purchase. Please see me.

Thanks to PGK Steve Stazko and his wife Margaret for yet another wonderful Iron Couples Knight. A blast was had by all and the revenue from the bar ring will help with the high expenses that the Club has in keeping our building and grounds maintained.

The annual Chili Cook off will be Sunday Dec 6 in the bar area. Anyone interested in testing their chili cooking skills against some tough competition, please see Br Tony Konier to compete for the honor of Kofc 6201's best chili.

The Club will now be open on Wednesdays as well as Fridays at 12 noon as of December 2nd.

We will be open on Christmas Eve until 6 p.m. and Closed Christmas Day

PCCP Andy Palveko has offered to chair a New Years Eve Party. If anyone is interested in helping out please contact him

Our new smoke tent has been purchased and as soon as all the proper paperwork and permits are issued, we will install a new natural gas heater and we will be in compliance with all the codes set by the State of New Jersey.

Please remember to keep the Club and Council grounds neat and clean. This is YOUR CLUB. Treat it as it is your home.

Sincerely,

Jim Londis CCP



Calendar of Events

December 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
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December 2015

- 4 Nativity Lighting (Council Director)
- 4 Rosary & Social Meeting Canceled
- 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception
- 11 Third Degree
- 12 Children's breakfast with Santa
- 15 Officers' Meeting – 8:30pm (Club officers 7:30pm)
- 18 Business, & Club Meeting – 7:30pm Followed by Adult
- 18 Christmas Party (TBD)
- 19 Christmas Food Baskets (R. Clifford)
- 19 Old Timer's Day
- 24 Christmas Eve! Club Opened until 6pm!
- 25 Merry Christmas! Club Closed!
- 31 New Year's Eve Party (Club is OPEN!)

January 2016

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January 2016

- 1 Happy New Year! (Club Opens at Noon)
- 1 Feast of Mary, Mother of God
- 6 Feast of the Epiphany
- 8 Rosary @ 8:00pm; Social Meeting
- 11 Chapter Meeting
- 11 KC Budget Meeting – 7pm
- TBD Mid-Term GK meeting
- 12 Mid-Year Planning Session (8pm) All Officers!!!
- 12 Officers' Meeting – 8:30pm (Club officers 7:00pm)
- 15 KC Business & Col. Club Meetings – 8:30pm
- TBD March for Life, Washington, D.C. & Trenton

February 2016

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February 2016

- 5 Rosary @ 8:00pm; Social Meeting @ 8:30pm
- 5 K of C Semi-Annual Audit – following meeting
- TBD Annual Free Throw completion (TBD)
- TBD Columbian Club Semi-Annual Audit
- 7 Super Bowl (Columbian Club)
- 8 Chapter Meeting @ TBA
- 10 Ash Wednesday
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 15 President's Day
- 16 Officers' Meeting – 8:30pm (Club officers 7:30pm)
- 19 KC Business & Col. Club Meetings – 8:30pm
- 21 Race for Life (Rich Russo)

December

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	
 <div>  <p>12/18/15 See bartender for details</p> </div>	<p>1</p> <p>Happy Hour</p> <p>5 - 7</p> 	<p>2</p> <p>Happy Hour</p> <p>5 - 7</p>	<p>3</p> <p>NFL BUCKET SPECIALS</p> <p>5 - close</p>	<p>4</p> <p><i>Nativity Lighting</i></p> <p>Ladies drink 1/2 PRICE</p> <p>6 - close</p> 	<p>5</p> <p>COLLEGE BUCKET SPECIALS</p> <p>12 - close</p>
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<p>27</p> <p>NFL BUCKET SPECIALS</p> <p>12 - close</p> 	<p>28</p> <p>NFL BUCKET SPECIALS</p> <p>5 - close</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Happy Hour</p> <p>5 -</p> 	<p>30</p> <p>Happy Hour</p> <p>5 - 7</p>  <p>HAPPY NEW YEAR Party</p> <p>See bartender for details</p>	<p>SPECIALS - Happy Hour</p> <p>Domestic Drafts \$2.00 - Buckets \$12.00</p> <p>Import Drafts \$2.50 - Import Buckets \$15.00</p> <p><i>Additional charge for Guinness</i></p> <p>*L/Drink* = Ladies Drink</p> <p>Short Beers - \$1.25</p> <p>Pizza Specials everyday!!!</p>	

Come down to the Council November 19th to help with the Christmas Food Baskets

See Bob Clifford for details

9TH ANNUAL KofC 6201



**WELCOMING ALL TO TASTE AND VOTE FOR
YOUR FAVORITE CHILI !!!**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6th 2015

Test your chili skills against your fellow members

START TIME APPROX. 2:30 PM (HALF TIME OF THE 1PM FOOTBALL GAME)

FINAL VOTES CALCULATED DURING HALFTIME OF THE 4PM GAME.

JUDGING WILL BE BASED ON A 2 TIER SYSTEM

CHILI PARTICIPANTS NEEDED!!!

PLEASE SIGN UP AT THE COUNCIL

BULLETIN BOARD!!!

PLEASE CONTACT TONY KONIOR FOR MORE INFORMATION

PHONE: 732-905-0621 EMAIL: TONSKII@YAHOO.COM



The Knights of Columbus invites you, your family and friends to help KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS by joining us as we welcome our Lord Jesus to New Jersey. The Knights of Columbus will be celebrating the coming of Jesus with the Blessing of the Nativity Crèche alongside the NJ State House, 125 West State Street, Trenton, NJ on Saturday December 12, 2015. Our celebration shall begin at 11:00 a.m. with caroling and refreshments. The Blessing shall occur at 11:30 with Monsignor James Innocenzi and Fr. Brian Woodrow presiding. The Knights of Columbus Color Corps will be in formation. Following the ceremony there is a fixed price luncheon at Amici Milano's Restaurant, Chestnut Avenue, Trenton, NJ. For more information contact John Nowicki at 732-279-4502 or email at

pgk9852@gmail.com



Children's Christmas



December 12, 2015

10:00am

Sign up sheet located at the Council.

For further information please call Michael Bradley at 201-988-5399





A Christmas Prayer

Let Your goodness Lord appear to us, that we
made in your image, conform ourselves to it.

In our own strength
we cannot imitate Your majesty, power, and wonder
nor is it fitting for us to try.

But Your mercy reaches from the heavens
through the clouds to the earth below.

You have come to us as a small child,
but you have brought us the greatest of all gifts,
the gift of eternal love

Caress us with Your tiny hands,
embrace us with Your tiny arms
and pierce our hearts with Your soft, sweet cries.

St. Bernard of Clairvaux (1090-1153)

16th Annual Race for Life Cancer Benefit
February 21, 2016
Being Held in Memory of Brother Chuck Washington



Full Daytona 500 Coverage On 7 HD Flat Screens With Surround Sound

Gift Auction

Food/Beverages

Cash Bar {Beer Specials}

Door Prizes

Children's Games/Activities

T-Shirts {First 100 adults at the door day of the event}

Cost: \$12 Adults, \$6 12-18
Children Under 12 Free



Knights of Columbus
Council 6201

New Years Eve Party

Dec.31ST

6:00 PM— 2:00AM

Bring Your Favorite
Dish!

For These We Pray

Lucy Littlefield, Regina Blackford, Dane Blei Jr, Family, John Callaghan, Kylie Carroll, Chuck Clayton, PGK, Bill Coleman, Family, Maryellen Kennedy, Ivy Lynch, Family, Christine Scaronnello, Gary Trauss, Sid & Millie Weinman, All Military Personnel, Diocese's Seminarians

Deceased

Patrick Corrigan, Vincent Guardino, David DeJesus, William Francis Coleman Sr., Martha Ann Dinen

For all Our Armed Forces, especially:

SSGT Andrew Monigan, USMC ; SSGT William Jansen, USMC; Sgt. Travis L. Newman, USMC; 1st LT Dennis Zulinski II; CW4 Tom Dittman, MI BN; Corporal John Paul Grande, USMC; Corporal E-4, Corporal Joseph Grande, USMC; Lance Corporal E-3, Sgt. Robert A. Jacobs, US Army; Sgt. Kevin G. Morrow, USMC; CPL Christopher Roitzsch, USMC; Sgt Sean Curran, USMC; Captain Michael Foley, US Army; Sgt. Craig M. Bauerlein

Please note, to add or remove someone from the prayer list, contact Alex D'Ambrosio at Alex@ocitcs.com



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