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COUNCIL CHAPLAIN, FATHER FRANCIS SALASIAR, C.S.C.



Dear Brother Knights,

Fear and the presence of God

Fear is part and parcel of our daily lives. Every day of our lives we are faced with various types' of fears. There are common fears like fear of height, fear of water, fear of going to a dentist, etc... And there are other fears like losing your job, fear of waiting to hear about a bad diagnosis. Due to the pandemic, fear is at its peak in a lot of people's minds. It is in this situation, I want each of you to strengthen your faith and find meaning to your fears. At this point in our life, no security can make us feel safe. It does not matter what kind of house I live in, what kind of a car I drive, how much of a bank balance I have. The only place we can find strength and peace is in scripture. We can find our solace only in our faith and trust in God.

We read throughout the scripture the consoling message of God, "Do not be afraid". We hear this promise addressed to Abraham, the father of faith, then to the leaders of Israel and through Jesus to his disciples and each of us, 'Do not be afraid'.

This promise does not eliminate or take away our fear but it gives us the strength to face the situation. It does not mean that it is the wrong thing to have fear or being frightened. At times, fear can hijack us and we could forget who we are and whose we are. Through our baptism, we are claimed for Christ, and the virus may kill us but God who is everlasting can give us eternal peace and life.

Scripture makes it clear that while we will face fearful things in life, we are not alone. [Psalm 46:1-2](#) beautifully captures this truth: “God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way. Still, the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble with its Tumult.” Let us hope and trust in God.

Fr. Francis Salasiar, CSC
Chaplain



Message from the Grand Knight:

July is a month that we usually spend time with our loved ones by going on vacation since school would have been completed by the end of June. However, for this year, our children (including young adults)/grandchildren will have had almost a six month break from school before starting classes in the fall. When the kids finally go back to school, they will be telling their teachers, “That’s not the way our parents taught us about how to do our homework”. Gatherings will not be the same again, and many things we used to take for granted, will be forever changed in a profound way to say the least.

Let us pray that an effective vaccine for the corona virus is found soon so that we can finally put this pandemic behind us and get back to some sense of normality.

I have some exciting news to share with the brother Knights in our council. Effective July 1st, 2020, we will be a part of District 83 that will fall under the jurisdiction of our new District Deputy, brother **SK David Fisher** from Oakville’s Mary Mother of God’s Parish/Council. David will be responsible for overseeing five councils including council 6579 Monsignor J. Francis Hinchey in Dundas, Council 10009 St. Ann’s council in Ancaster, Fr. Vernon Cullaton Council 10091 in Waterdown, and Christ the King Council in Hamilton 12143. Our council’s executive is really looking forward to working with David Fisher, our newly appointed District Deputy in the upcoming fraternal year of 2020/2021. Please join me in welcoming our new district deputy to our council.

I inserted another new photo of me because I was finally able to get an appointment with my hairstylist recently. I think I just lost two pounds of hair and will once again be enjoying the savings on shampoo! I can stop buying hair gel now. (LOL)

Vivat Jesus and Fraternally Yours,

**Michael Mark
Grand Knight
Council 5073**

Pandemic Humor Corner 3rd Edition



Me...on my way to the hairdressers...day after lockdown ends....



I'm sorry Sneazy..

When you run out of disinfectant

Why SNEEZY was shot, he sneezed during COVID 19



How do you prepare the chicken?

We just tell them straight out they are going to die.

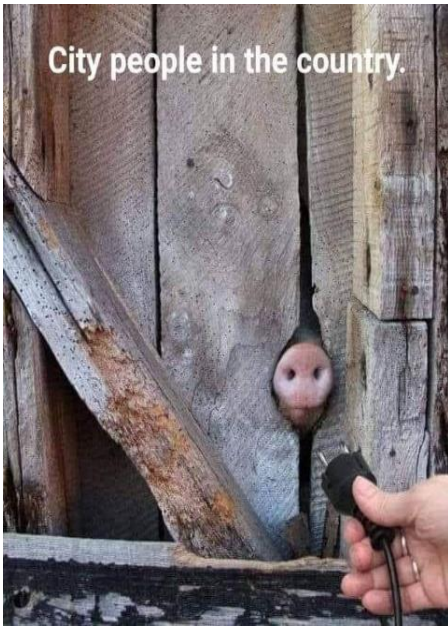


YOU CAN TAKE OUR PUBS...

BUT YOU WILL NEVER STOP ME DRINKING IN MY KITCHEN!!



I told my wife to embrace her mistakes... She hugged me.



City people in the country.

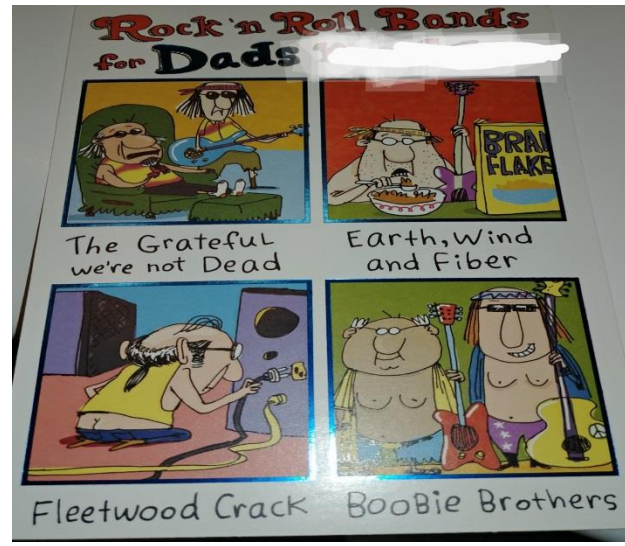


My wife hasn't spoken to me for 10 years...

Jaysus a good woman like that is hard to find...

Finally, they came up with a realistic store mannequin

When all dads get to a certain age



These gentlemen knew about social distancing long before 2020

When warned about the challenges facing the Grand Knight:

- You will face brothers who refuse to assume a role of any executive within our council no matter how hard you tried to encourage them to step up and get involved by serving our council for the good of the order because they claimed that they are apparently “way too busy with their lives” to help out in any way
- You will face fighting and confrontation amongst fellow brothers even though they are supposed to love, respect and support one another as Jesus commanded
- You will face criticism as well as advice about how the council should be operated from those who have “been there and done that many years ago” but still refuses to step up again today and undertake a strategic role within the council in order to help build the council’s future into a success story

- You will face brother knights who volunteered to help or participate at an event but end up backing out the very last minute with some kind of excuse
- You will face other K of C councils who claim that they are not trying to be competitive at being the best of the best , but in reality, is the complete opposite by virtue of winning almost every possible award under the sun at the annual State Convention
- You will face Catholic Christian brother Knights who will totally resign from this great fraternal organization just because they are not willing to forgive and forget the sins and trespasses of some of their brothers as God forgives our sins stated clearly in the Lord's Prayer during every single mass they attend. At the same time, forgetting why they even joined the Knights of Columbus in the first place because the Knights are supposed to be the right arm of the parish/church, instead, allowing their bruised egos to be more important than anything else

The Grand Knight's reply was:



2020 CASH CALENDAR

May 2020

Date Winning Ticket # Winner's Prize

- 1 Karen Robertson 927 \$50
- 4 Adrian Scott 731 \$20
- 5 Ron Caerels 581 \$20
- 6 Nancy Dewitt 351 \$20
- 7 Elaine Carroll 214 \$20
- 8 Derek White 655 \$50
- 11 D. Solomon 998 \$20
- 12 Shelagh Desrochers 94 \$20
- 13 Roy Kinsella 990 \$20
- 14 Neil Patterson 168 \$20
- 15 Umesh Patel 536 \$50
- 18 D'arcy Kelly 726 \$50
- 19 Lysa Pringle 226 \$20
- 20 Michelle Norman 318 \$20
- 21 Albert McDonagh 782 \$20
- 22 Trudy Csernyei 816 \$20
- 25 Patricia O'Brien 1200 \$20

26 Agnes Lane 282 \$20
 27 Jack Kelly 856 \$20
 28 Lucas Lepindea 805 \$20
 29 Helena Zafiropoulos 1015 \$50
 Date of Draw May 29, 2020
 Drawn by: Gerry Kelly
 Witnessed by: Ron Milne, Tom O'Brien,

Recorded by: John D'Addario

Elections

At our recent general meeting conducted on June 8th, 2020, we extend congratulations to the following candidates who were elected into our 2020/2021 council's executive:

Grand Knight- Michael Mark
 Deputy Grand Knight- SK John Sagan
 Chancellor-Larry Edwards
 Financial Secretary-Lee Brown (Appointed by State/Supreme)
 Treasurer-SK Jim Csordas
 Recorder-Robert Lalonde
 Warden- SK Ludwik Oko
 Advocate-SK Colin Pye
 3rd Year Trustee-SK John Bennett
 Outside Guard-SK Alan Benoit
 Inside Guard-Justin Hill

Jere Hartnett

Elections Chair

Walk for Life Update 2020

Halton Alive raised an incredible total of **\$13,000** through the walk-a-thon this year held on the morning of May 30th, 2020. A big thank you goes out to all the brothers from the Knights of Columbus councils in Burlington who participated, spread the word to others, and donated. This was a record breaking year despite the Covid-19 restrictions. It was great to see participants' photos and those who joined Halton Alive on the Zoom hangout. Anyone who participated from our council should give themselves a big round of applause for supporting this extremely important and worthwhile cause.

"I have set before you life and death, blessing and curse. Therefore, choose life that you and your offspring may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying his voice and holding fast to him"

Deuteronomy 30:19b-20a

The State Lottery is here

In case you are not aware of it, we have been informed by State that the draw for the State Lottery has been postponed to October 30th, 2020 as a result of the present global pandemic. We have until October 1st, 2020 to sell the tickets.

Booklets of tickets are available and can be secured directly from Colin Pye. Remember that this is an excellent opportunity for our council to make some extra money just by selling out all 60 booklets that we received from State. If we managed to sell all 60 booklets, **the council stands to make an extra \$600.** Please contact brother Colin Pye and get your booklets today and sell it to all your friends, co-workers, neighbours, and family. Also, if anyone has sold

tickets, please hang on to the stubs and money until we can meet in person again. Thank you all for your hard work, support and cooperation!

Colin's Phone number is: 905-632-4965



***Knights of Columbus
Council #5073
13th Annual Golf Tournament***

“Helping those in Need in Our Local Community.”

A Day Of Friendship And Fun

18 Hole _Best Ball_ Tournament, Thursday, September 17th, 2020 (tentative)

Lunch, Golf & Cart, Reception, Roast Beef Dinner and Prizes

All for only \$160 & Includes a Tax Receipt

For more information, please contact Michael Mark at: mysmark18@sympatico.ca or

Contact Us: Jim McCarthy, 905-336-3811, email: mjmccarthy83@hotmail.com

Brother Jim McCarthy was in communication with the golf course management and we are putting this event on hold until July because the social distancing protocol has to be lifted by the government before a successful golf tournaments can be held. We are advised by the golf course to sit tight and wait. There were many major tournaments that was postponed to September, but the golf course cannot assure everyone that the golf tournaments can even be held until the restrictions for social distancing has been somewhat relaxed by our government. Please stay tuned for new updates.

Prayer for Healing

Almighty and merciful Father, by the power of your command, drive away from me all forms of sickness and disease. Restore strength to my body and joy to my spirit, so that in my renewed health, I may bless and serve you, now and forever more.

To be included in the Prayer Network,



Please Pray for the Following People:

- ***Gary Smith***
- ***Patrick Crowley***
- ***Richard Vaughan***
- ***Monsignor Ray Modeski***
- ***Ignatius McDonald***
- ***Frank Hartman***
- ***Riccardo Colaianni***
- ***Anita Garvey***
- ***Judy Lalonde***
- ***Kerrie Newscombe***
- ***Tony Van Dalen***
- ***Leo Russell***
- ***Karen Beemo***
- ***Ron & Teresa Milne***
- ***Ronald Milne Jr.***
- ***Ingrid Brown***
- ***Robert Chisholm***
- ***Helen Edwards***
- ***Gloria MacDonald***
- ***Gloria Campbell***
- ***The Giorgini Family***
- ***Jack Stefnitz***
- ***The soul of our late brother Joseph Acosta***
- ***All the people globally affected in any way by the Corona Virus***

COUNCIL CONTACT INFORMATION

COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

2020/2021

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

2020-2021

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TRUSTEE THREE YEAR

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Vacant

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2020-2021

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Vacant

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28 • <i>Happy Birthday</i> Jonathan Martel	29	30 • <i>Happy Birthday</i> Paul W Garvey	1 • <i>Canada Day</i>	2 • <i>Happy Birthday</i> William (Remmie) R Milne Stewart S Schulhauser	3	4
5	6 Council Executive Meeting 7:00pm	7	8 • <i>Happy Birthday</i> Germain Roland Mayer	9	10	11

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
12 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Happy Birthday Michael A Thompson	13 Council General Meeting 7:30pm	14 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Happy Birthday Father Francis Salasiar	15	16	17	18
19 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Happy Birthday Rocco J Galliani Mark W Herod Thomas W Tilly	20	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Happy Birthday Chris Beaver	22	23	24 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Happy Birthday Frank H Belanger	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

July 2020

In service to one, in service to all



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