



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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NEWSLETTER

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A Message from our Grand Knight Philippe Lauriault

Brother Knights,

Well here we are, another fraternal year finished. I'd like to take a moment to reflect on some of the achievements of the last year:

- We sponsored a new council at Holy Rosary Parish
- Recruited eight new members
- Hosted a Third Degree Exemplification
- Participated in numerous community projects
- Provided significant financial assistance to several groups and charitable causes
- Received the Ontario State Trillium Award – Gold Level (our first gold)

Truly, we have a lot to be proud of when we look back at our accomplishments. However, we must do more; and with a new fraternal year upon us, we have the perfect opportunity. I wish to thank all the members of this year's executive for all the hard work and leadership which they provided our council. I also wish good luck to Grand Knight-Elect Marc, and I wish him and the new executive officers best of luck in the next fraternal year.

It has been an honour and a privilege to have been able to serve as your Grand Knight.

Vivat Jesus!



District Deputy Milt Cowan presents Council 5073 with an Honourable Mention Certificate from State Council for our support of the Nelson Youth Centre.



***A Message from our
Deputy Grand Knight
Marc Morneau***

We had a busy month of May which included the distribution of 'Roses for Life' in all four of our parishes on Mother's Day this year.

Roses for Life - Mother's Day 2014

A big thank you to all of our Knights who supported this cause, and all donations were turned over to our Financial Secretary, Brother Paul, who will direct the funds to Pro Life supported initiatives of our Council.

Upcoming Events

I attended a meeting with our Parish Round Table (PRT) representatives at St. Paul the Apostle, Brs. David Stokes and Gordon Drake, recently. We met with Father Ed and confirmed a number of initiatives that will take place within St. Paul's which include:

- The Knights are hosting a Coffee Sunday – tied to our own Brother (and soon to be ordained) Deacon Brian Dunn's first weekend of delivering his Homily at his parish.
- New Members Recruitment Drive – on Father's Day in June – will be held at St. Paul's.
- Our Knights will support their parish BBQ.
- Longer term plans for a parish breakfast which we will be hosting in the fall.

Father Ed Henhoeffer is a member of our Council and offered his appreciation for our support.

Get Engaged and Involved!

I encourage all PRT heads to reach out to our pastors or key personnel at all our parishes to offer our help and get our Council involved in parish activities. This is a basic principal of our Order – when we get involved, we raise our profile within our parishes. This involvement certainly helps to bring new members to our Council as well!

St. Patrick's Parish Breakfast in Honour of Monsignor Modeski

On Sunday, May 25, a Parish Breakfast was held at St. Patrick's Parish and our Council was asked to host and sponsor this event in recognition of the recent appointment of Monsignor Raymond Modeski. This weekend also fell on the 45th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood.

Monsignor Modeski is a member of the Fourth Degree and is also a member of our Council.

I had the privilege to present on behalf of our Council a K of C Chaplain's Stole to Monsignor which he gracefully accepted. He went out of his way to express his gratitude to the Knights of Columbus for the support we provide to his parish and the Catholic community as a whole.

We had 23 Knights out to support this event. I extend a big

thanks to all who participated!



Our cooking staff was certainly in good spirits with Brs. Sam, John Schunk, Ray Bartlett and John D'Addario. (Special thanks to Br. Sam from Holy Rosary Council for helping out; and yes, that is cooking oil he has in that jug!)



Our old friend and mentor, Br. Vic from Holy Rosary Council, stopped in to see how his protégé 'Chef Jean' was doing! From all accounts, he passed with flying colours.



Parishioners enjoyed the breakfast in honour of Monsignor Modeski.

***Vivat Jesus
Marc Morneau
Deputy Grand Knight***



***A Message from our
Chaplain
Friar Reto Davatz***

How is faith transforming you lately? The wonderful thing about our life is that it can never be boring even when we do repetitive things because we know that God is by our side. Moreover, Pope Francis, in his encyclical *Lumen Fidei*, reminds us of that on-going adventure that our interior or spiritual lives are to be lived out as an adventure, one that transforms the way we experience everything else. Allow me to quote our Holy Father from his encyclical:

Saint John can speak of faith as touch, as he says in his First Letter: "What we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life" (1 Jn 1:1). By his taking flesh and coming among us, Jesus has touched us, and through the sacraments he continues to touch us even today; transforming our hearts, he unceasingly enables us to acknowledge and acclaim him as the Son of God."

So, although we are almost at the end of the Easter season as we celebrate the Feast of the Ascension with Christ going to the Father, our receiving of the Spirit makes us open to being touched in the way described above. Remember, Jesus tells us that if we truly loved him we would rejoice that he is going to the Father. May our faith-in-action continue to be as real as the bread and wine becomes the body and blood of Christ, which we consume every Sunday.

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Friar Reto*



**COUNCIL 5073 – Proposed Trip
New Haven and New York City**

Please be reminded that the deadline for providing your deposits for our planned trip in October are coming due in late June.

All members who have expressed an interest in making this trip, please bring your deposit to our next General Meeting and submit to Brother John McCarthy. Cheques can made payable to our Council if this is your preferred method of payment.

Thank you for support and co-operation.

Br. John McCarthy



**RESPECT FOR LIFE MEMORIAL STONE
AT HOLY ROSARY CHURCH**



As part of our Council's commitment to support Pro Life initiatives, we dedicated our third Respect for Life Memorial Stone at Holy Rosary Church in May which was blessed by Bishop Tonnos. The installation of officers for the new Council at Holy Rosary followed this dedication.

Our Council has now installed Respect for Life Memorial Stones at St. John the Baptist, St. Patrick's and now at Holy Rosary. Before the end of 2014, we hope to have the last stones installed at the two remaining parishes (St. Raphael's and St. Paul the Apostle) that fall under our Council's responsibility.

**RECENT PRESENTATIONS AND AWARDS
AT COUNCIL 5073**



PGK Floris is presented with his Honourary Membership Card and Certificate.



Br. Jude Malone is presented with his Honourary Life Membership Card.



Br. Jeff Cuzen is presented with his Third Degree Certificate.



Br. Ellard McBane is presented with his First and Second Degree Certificates.

Fraternal Benefits

THE PITFALLS OF REPLACING COVERAGE

We all know the old adage, “the grass seems greener on the other side of the fence.” When it comes to replacing your existing Knights of Columbus life insurance with coverage offered by another company, the adage holds true. Perceptions are deceiving. A move to the other side of the fence might seem like a good one, but it can leave you with less green in your wallet – in some cases, a lot less. That’s why it pays to remember another old saying, “Read the fine print.”

There are many reasons to keep your existing coverage in force, whether that coverage is with the Knights of Columbus or with another company. I’ll focus on the potential pitfalls of replacing coverage here – pitfalls that an agent trying to convince you that the grass actually is greener might neglect to mention.

First, all life insurance contracts contain a contestability period, which allows the insurer to contest claims made for a period – typically two years – after the contract is issued. Chances are this is no longer an issue with your current coverage.

Second, it’s unlikely that you can obtain the same amount of coverage, for the same premium, that you were able to obtain with your existing contract. The two factors that determine how much you’ll need to pay for life insurance coverage are age and health. Certainly, you’re older now than you were when you took out your current coverage. There’s no way around that one. And you have to ask yourself, has your health changed during that time? Is your blood pressure the same? Your cholesterol? Have you gained weight? All these factors can affect the amount of coverage you’ll get for your premium dollar.

If someone encourages you to replace – or worse, drop – your existing coverage, please call me. I’ll show you how your existing coverage is working for you and why replacement is rarely in your best interest.

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
2014 CASH CALENDAR
APRIL DRAW WINNERS**

DATE	TICKET NO.	WINNER	PRIZE
1	1049	Don Moore	\$ 20.00
2	0338	Tom Stoliker	\$ 20.00
3	0213	Kevin Richardson	\$ 20.00
4	0167	Carol Hartung	\$ 50.00
7	0373	Donna Beaton	\$ 20.00
8	0460	Tyson Prescott	\$ 20.00
9	0711	Nicole Myers	\$ 20.00
10	1050	Tom Hopkins	\$ 20.00
11	0300	Fr. Bob Stainsby	\$ 50.00
14	0567	O Neill	\$ 20.00
15	0940	Margaret Bailey	\$ 20.00
16	0036	Hal Babington	\$ 20.00
17	0012	Jim McClellan	\$ 20.00
18	1025	Rolande Brown	\$ 50.00
21	1103	Ann Fortier	\$ 20.00
22	0864	Boris Eventov	\$ 20.00
23	0705	Phil Strecker	\$ 20.00
24	0772	Mary Whalen	\$ 20.00
25	0079	Angelo Trolio	\$ 50.00
28	0116	Ester Grant	\$ 20.00
29	0511	R. Pavao	\$ 20.00
30	0147	Julie Walton	\$ 20.00

Drawn by: Jere Hartnett

Witnessed by: Gerry Kelly

Recorded by: Dave Stokes





April 30, 2014
DATE OF DRAW