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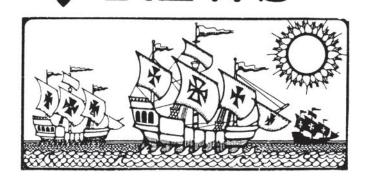


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Father Boecker Council No. 6090

#### **Knight Light News**

#### May/June 2017

CHARITY UNITY FRATERNITY PATRIOTISM

Worthy Brothers,

**Vivat Jesus!** 

I trust all of you had a joyful and blessed Easter Celebration of Our Lord's Resurrection, and a productive Lenten season. We have many outdoor activities coming up in the next few months so let's pray that mother nature is on our side.

A great big <u>THANK YOU</u> goes out to all who helped at the <u>Track Meet</u> on the 22<sup>nd</sup> and <u>Festa</u> on the 29<sup>th</sup>. Special thanks to our chairmen Ray Morello and John Plotke.

May starts with our Business Meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Corporate Communion on the 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Pius X Church for a 10:00 am Mass; Father George's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. We will be giving out flowers on the 13-14<sup>th</sup> at St. Pius X for mother's day. The 11<sup>th</sup> is our council planning meeting. The Special Olympics is May 20<sup>th.</sup> See elsewhere. The 21<sup>st</sup> is the Lilac Parade and picnic immediately following at Frank Cvach's house. See elsewhere.

June starts with our business meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup>. Corporate Communion is on the 4<sup>th</sup> at Sacred Heart for the 11:00 am Mass. Our planning meeting is on the 15<sup>th</sup>. The 25<sup>th</sup> is our Officer Installation Dinner; see elsewhere in this newsletter for details.

Elections are coming up on June 1<sup>st</sup> and as in past years; our officers will be serving for two year terms. I would like to thank all of the officers for their service to our council. I'm very proud of the council's success for my 2 years as your Grand Knight, and pray we will continue the trend into the next year. We could use your help as many of the chairman positions will be opening. If you are able to serve the council in a chairman's position, please contact Joe Martinet. We really need your help and ideas to make Council 6090 everything it can be. There will be an installation of Officer's following the 11:30 am Mass at St. Pius X on June 25<sup>th</sup>. All Officers' should plan on attending.

If you have not been to a meeting in some time, please attend our next business meeting, May 4<sup>th</sup>, at St. Pius X church. We meet in the Martha room at 7:30 pm. We will have news from the 2017 Illinois State Convention of which Joe and I attended on April 20-23.

If I can be of any help to you, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your support of Fr. Boecker Council 6090,

Dennis Jensen - 630-629-1518 Grand Knight Fr. Boecker Council 6090



## **MEMBER NEWS**

#### **CONGRATULATIONS - MAY HAPPENINGS**

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

03 Greg J Querfurth	03	Greg	J	Que	rfurth	1
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05 Steven M Steck Donal M Sullivan

06 Raymond Norton

06 John Bongiorno

08 David J Rappe

11 John J Plotke

12 Thomas P Blaszak

17 Robert L Borsom, Jr

20 Erwin H Stark

21 John J Conaghan

23 John W Meade Patrick J Pohl

26 Joseph Benning

29 William P Ware

30 John R Gerlesits

05 Raymond & Dorothy Seranko

19 Harold & Mary Duffy

25 John & Janet Nolan

#### **CONGRATULATIONS – JUNE HAPPENINGS**

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

02 Paul & Rosa Behrendt

13 Ralph & Arlene Borgatell

17 William & Gina Donnelly18 Raymond & Dorothy Morello

01 Christopher M Bonny

03 Michael E Wiedman

06 Paul A Marnell Jr

10 Rev Edward Mally

15 Robert E Becvar

16 John R Giangrasse

20 Donald R Meiers

21 Jhesser A Oaxaca

22 Joe Ciaccio

23 Christopher & Caroline Hanes

23 Donald & Jane Banks

24 Founding of Council #6090

26 Daniel & Catherine Anderson

24 Herbert F Pfisterer

Please contact Paul Warda, 629-0154, if there are any additions, deletions or corrections to this list.

## **Dues are now past Way OverDue**

We realize these are tough economic times and some people may be having difficulties. We also realize some members may be unhappy with the Council or feel we are not meeting their needs. If this is the case we apologize. We ask you to let us know what we need to do to help. We are here to help in any way we can, even if it is only with our prayers. PRAYER IS A VERY POWERFUL TOOL.

Dues are important because the Council pays close to \$10 per member to Supreme and State in per capita and other assessments. The Council pays these assessments from the dues collected; the remaining portion goes for operating expenses, like the printing and mailing of this letter, and many programs. Please, we ask you to pay your dues. It is with the help of your dues that we are able to do many of the things we do. Please, prayerfully consider your membership in the Knights of Columbus. You can make a difference.

Please call Grand Knight Dennis Jensen at 630-629-1518 or Financial Secretary Paul Warda at 630-629-0154 with any questions.



#### **WELCOME**

Please welcome into our council our newest Brother Knight Jonathan Van Broeck. Jonathan recently relocated to Lombard from Rockford. Congratulations to Jonathan on receiving the admission degree on March 31 & the Formation and Knighthood degrees on April 30.

#### For the Good of the Order

Please keep all Brother Knights, their families and friends in your prayers, especially for the following: Jerry Kramer's wife Betty, Dick Watts, Gerald and Mary Guertler, Ray Seranko's wife Dorothy, Frank and Geraldine Cvach, Ray Morello, Bob Becvar, Erwin Stark, D. Thurman's mother-in-law Sandy and her son Danny Powers, John Plotke's Aunt Marilyn, Eero Turen, Gina Wiedman and her Aunt Betty and the repose of the soul of her friend Joyce Malick, John Matyasik's Brother Don, Chris Hanes sister in law Terese Williams, all those unemployed or underemployed, and all of our service men and women.

### St. Pius X Carnival

The parish will be having their Second Annual Spring Carnival on the weekend of May 18-21. The Knights have again been asked to man the beer tent on these days. There are several 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour shifts available to work, if you would like your name on the list in the event of a cancellation let me know. Dennis

## **Knight of the Month**



The February Knights of the Month are awarded to Mark Yurich and Paul Warda for their continued behind the scenes service to the Knights of Columbus and the council. They are continuously working on financial reports and letters to the membership that we

don't see but are the end recipients of their work.

The March Knight of the Month is awarded to Joe Martinet, my right hand man for the last 22 months for his dedication in assisting me and to the Council. THANK YOU to all for your support of Father Boecker Council.

#### Lilac Parade

We will again be marching in the Lilac Parade on May 21st, and will be wearing either our Regalia or Council/Assembly shirts. We invite all members, their families and children to participate. For those unable to march we will have the ship Santa Maria to ride in. As in past years, we will gather at Frank Cvach's house before noon and provide a shuttle to the parade site. There will also be a picnic at Frank's following the parade, so bring a dish to share and come join us for a little camaraderie and fellowship. Call Frank Cvach at 630-629-2005 or Dennis Jensen at 630-629-1518 for further information.



## SPECIAL OLYMPICS



Northeast DuPage Special Recreation Association is again looking for volunteers to help at their local Special Olympics track & field meet to be held on Saturday, May 20, 2017 at Glenbard East High School. Report time is 8:45 am. Whether to participate or to just watch the athletes compete in

the events is amazing. It is an experience you are not likely to forget! Please see elsewhere for a volunteer registration form (deadline May 5<sup>th</sup>) or contact Senior Recreation and Meet Coordinator Beth Corso at 630-576-4030 with questions or for additional information.

## 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Report

The next meetings of Dr. Dooley Assembly will be on May 10 at St. Peter the Apostle Council 10884, 524 N Rush St., Itasca and June 14 at Damen-Hildebrand Council 650, St. Phillips Church 1223 W Holtz Ave., Addison. The meetings start at 8:00pm. Honor Guard requestcan be found at; drdooleyassembly.com





#### **Installation Dinner**

The installation Dinner for new Officers for the 2017/2018 fraternal year will take place on June 25<sup>th</sup> at Anyways Restaurant, 5 E. Roosevelt Rd., Oakbrook Terrace, IL. We will gather at 6 PM for cocktails and dinner. Please join us and show your support for your new officers as we begin our new fraternal year. The dinner is open to all members, family and friends who want to join. The cost is \$26 per person. There will be a cash bar. Please make your checks payable to Father Boecker Council 6090 and mail to Paul Warda, 218 S. Highland Ave, Lombard, IL. by June 19. Contact Dennis Jensen at 630-629-1518 with any questions. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ON THE 25<sup>th</sup>!

# ILLINOIS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GROUP NIGHT



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If you want to go, please contact Dennis Jensen and he will email you a ticket order form. Ticket orders must be in by May 10<sup>th</sup>

#### **CORPORATE COMMUNION**

The purpose of Corporate Communion is to promote family values and display our unity. All we are asking is for you and your families to attend the first Sunday mass each month with the Council, and if you do attend, to sit in the front of Church with the Council.

We alternate between the parishes we serve so there will always be a mass at your home parish. By showing our church communities that the Knights are a family oriented organization may just encourage gentlemen to join and increase our membership.

The Councils success is a direct result in your participation and support. You do not need Regalia or be a fourth degree Knight to attend.

The next Corporate Communion will be on May 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Pius X at 10:00 am, and we will be celebrating Father George's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his ordination. Hope to see <u>all</u> of you there!!

April May 2017 June					June ▶	
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	47:30 PM Council Business Mtg.	5	6
7 10:00 AM SPX Honor Guard Fr. George Anniv.	8	9	10 8:00 PM Assembly Mtg. St. Peter Itasca	11 7:30 PM Council Planning Mtg.	12	135 & 7 PM St. Pius Mothers Day Flowers
14 All masses St. Pius Mothers Day Flowers	15	16	17	18 5:00 PM St. Pius Carnival	19 5:00 PM St. Pius Carnival	20 8:45 AM Special Olympics 1:00 PM St. Pius Carnival
21 12:00 PM Lilac Parade & Picnic, 3:30 St. Pius Carnival	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 7:10 PM White Sox Outing			

June 2017 July				July <b>▶</b>		
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 7:30 PM Council Business Mtg.	2	3
4 11:00 AM SH Corporate Communion	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	148:00 PM Assembly Mtg. St. Philips Addison	15 7:30 PM Council Planning Mtg.	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 7:30 PM Admission Degree or Practice	30	



#### **OFFICER ELECTIONS**

Officer elections will be held at our June Meeting. The nominating committee presents the following slate for officers of Father Boecker Knights of Columbus Council #6090:

Grand Knight	Joe Martinet
Chaplin	
Deputy Grand Knight	D. Thurman
Chancellor	Fred Kaefer
Warden	John Plotke
Recorder	Ron Wisniewski
Treasurer	Mark Yurich
Advocate	Frank Cvach
Guards	Todd Munson
	Rudy Bianchi
	Ken Le Beau
Three year Trustee	Dennis Jensen
Two year Trustee	Al Treado
One year Trustee	Chris Hanes
Delegates to the 2018 State Convention	Joe Martinet
	D. Thurman
Alternate Delegates	Fred Kaefer
	Dennis Jensen
Appointed by Suprem	ie
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Financial Secretary...... Paul B. Warda

Elections will also be held for the 6090 Club. The nominating committee presents the following slate:

President	Al Treado
Vice President	Joe Martinet
Secretary	Ron Wisniewski
Treasurer	Dennis Jensen
Directors	Christopher B. Hanes
	Gerald Kramer

We would like to see you at all of our meetings but especially at our June meeting to show your support for your new Council Officers.



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#### Volunteer Commitment Form for Saturday, May 20, 2017

It is with gratitude, excitement and pride that we anticipate your involvement with NEDSRA. It is hoped that you are looking forward to your upcoming experience, and NEDSRA will make every effort to make the day extra special.

#### Complete and return the form by Friday, May 5, 2017.

Please review the enclosed information giving details on the meet and feel free to call if you have questions.

We look forward to seeing you at the Volunteer Registration table on May 20<sup>th</sup>!

We look for ward to seeing you at th	e volunteer Registration table on May 20"!
Please check one of the following if you are affiliate	ed with a group:
Glenbard East National Honor Society	Glenbard East High School
St. Raphael School	Addison Trail National Honor Society
Knights of Columbus – Council	
Other Group Affiliation	Service Club/Corp
Name	Phone
Address	City, State Zip Code
Date of Birth/ Age Sex	
I wish to: Be a Buddy (full day) Help wit  (National Honor Society members or High Scho  VOLUNTEERS-If you can  please specify on this form and	K Large XXX Large XXX Large
Volunteer Signature (if mailing)	Date
Guardian Signature (if under 18 years of age)	 Date



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