

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



# FR. GERLICH COUNCIL 10930

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## Grand Knight's Report

Brother first degree Knights, There is a major degree upcoming. Saturday, September 10. I highly recommend that you go if possible. It is an enjoyable experience and takes you further along the road of Knighthood. Your wives will enjoy the accompanying activities

8:00 Registration, 8:30 Mass, 10:00 Degree Ceremony

Council 4771 Denton, Council Hall  
1700 Riney Road, Denton, TX 76207.

Grand Knight is David Petty (940-230-5560)

Lunch served to the candidates at no cost. Guests can attend the lunch and the cost will be \$5.00 per person.

I also received this message and encourage all Knights to participate.....

I am the Respect Life Chairman at St. Peters and I wanted you to know about some plans we have next month. The 40 Days for Life Prayer campaign will start Wed, **28 Sep**, and end on Sun, **6 Nov**. We've asked Fr. Flores to have signups after masses the weekend of Sep 17/18<sup>th</sup>. Please bring this up at your next meeting to let all of the Knights know about the prayer campaign. We encourage the Knights to pair-up and take a time slot each week to pray at Planned Parenthood. For more information, you can go to their website:

<http://www.40daysforlifeworth.com/>

Thank you and God bless,

*Tim Schauf*

St. Peter's Respect Life Chairman

**Request from our new council director Steve Gonzales...**"could you please request our fellow knights to let me know of an activity, event, or place they would like take part in as a council. I have some ideas of my own but welcome other suggestions any time.

## Additional Chairman and Contacts

### Insurance Agent

Terry Peffers 817-519-8993

### Pro Life Chairman

Fred Salitore 817-266-9999

### Dev Chairman

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### Bingo

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### Meals on Wheels

Phil Talbert 817-232-8762

### Sunshine Committee

Dan Dennison 817-847-6120

### Samaritan House

Bruce Mallory 817-439-1179

## Council 10930 Events in August/September

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
Chapter Meeting	Aug 31
First Friday	Sept 2
Casino Night	Sept 10
Major Degree	Sept 10
Membership Mtg.	Sept 13
Highway Cleanup	Sept 17

Bishops prolife banquet Sept 24  
 Parish Breakfast Sept 25  
 Officer's mtg. Sept 27  
 4<sup>th</sup> degree Sept 30

## Family of the Month

### Hector and Luz Najera – September Family of the Month

Hector and Luz have been at St Thomas for about 12 years. Hector was born in northern Mexico and came to Ft worth about 27 years ago to be with his family

Hector and Luz met while they were both working at the same company. They have one child.

Hector's hobby is photography and he does the pictures for the Knights and any one at St Thomas.

He's been a knight for 3 years, having been recruited by Charlie Parr.

Hector is a lector and helps wherever he is needed at St Thomas and the Knights and the Youth group.

He and Luz teach the Spanish RCIA class. Luz is into exercising as a hobby

## Knight of the Month

### September Knight of Month Larry Schaapveld

Larry has been a Knight for about 10 years, recruited by Charlie Parr. Larry and his wife Kay are members of Holy Trinity. They are Eucharistic ministers and are members of the marriage tribunal, helping couples through the annulment process. They have assisted over 70 couples in the last 5 years. The training for that is an

ongoing process. He has been a parishioner at holy Trinity for 10 years. He helps with all the fund raisers and with all the breakfasts and dinners. He has gotten Holy Trinity 2 very nice fish fryers which se3 use several times a year

Larry was born and raised in Oklahoma City and earned a degree in forestry. Texas offered him a job after graduation. After 3 years in East Texas he was assigned to Ft. Worth. He is retired now but still has a forestry consulting business. He also raises quail and provides guided quail hunts.

and a 4 year certificate in Advanced Biblical Studies) and enjoys reading

## Birthdays



### HAPPY August BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

MARK	LIMONES	9/1
JAMES	KAISER	9/3
RAUL	ARRIAGA	9/5
BRUCE	MALLORY	9/8
RALPH	SANCHEZ	9/7
MARK	ALVARADO	9/10
ROBERT	ZUNIGA	9/12
DUSTIN	OSTERMANN	9/12
ANDY	ZAPATA	9/18
JOHN	JENISTA	9/19
LYNN	SPERRY	9/21
SAMUEL	ESTRADA	9/25
JESSE	GONZALES	9/30
GIL	LOZA	9/30

The entire Council wishes you all a grand and enjoyable "Happy Birthday."

### **Major Degree 9/10**

There is a major degree September 10, 2011 at Denton Council 4771. Contact Grand Knight Curt Lampkin if you are interested in attending.

We recommend that all 1<sup>st</sup> degree members go since this is one of the few scheduled this year (in fact it's the only one so far)

### **Vegas Night Fundraiser 6:00 PM Saturday, September 10**

St Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church is holding a fundraiser 6:00pm September 10 at Sokol Hall 6500 Boat Club Road, Fort Worth. Knights Gary Green, Joe Bason, and Bruce Mallory are leading the effort. An Italian dinner, two drinks, casino games, and a silent auction are included for the \$50 advance ticket price. There is a \$30 ticket option for those that would rather not eat. Proceeds will benefit the new building fund. For Tickets, contact St Thomas the Apostle, 2920 Azle Ave, Fort Worth 76106 (817-624-2184).

Contact Bruce Mallory 817-439-1179 if you would like to help the night of the event. We will need help at the door and with the silent auction.

### **FOR THESE WE PRAY**

### **For those who are sick in spirit, mind or body:**

Bernadette Svacina (Wife of Frank), Betty Stover (Tommy Jones' Mother in law), Charlie Parr, Diana & Gary Pearson, Dora Simpson (Wife of Roy Simpson), Earl Seitz (Knights' Insurance agent), Eddie Cervantes, Ed Landwehr,,Eric Ahrend, ,Evagalina Alvarez (Daughter of Joe "Mario" Torres), Father Bob Leonhardt, ,Fermina Orlando (Grandmother of Ramon Carrasquillo), Harold Green, Jack Titus, Jerry Long, Joe Kozel,

John Phillips, Josala Rivera (Nephew of Ramon Carrasquillo), Julian Pena (Father of Rafael Pena), Kenneth Krivanek, Lucille Sperry (Mother of Glenn Sperry), Lydia C Nieves (Grandmother of Ramon Carrasquillo), Mary Ann Kozel (Wife of Joe), Martha Boenisch (Widow of Charter Member Albert Boenisch), Nettie Naugle (Tom Konen's Mother in Law), Pete Gomez Sr., Thelma Belz (Sister of Glenn Sperry), Verl Daiker, David Garcia, and Mark Johnson (relative of Terry Peffers).  
Jeanine (Dennis Helgeson's sister)  
Bert Poquiz

**For the repose of the Soul of:**

Alva Dennison (Dan),  
Bobby McWilliams,  
Coy Summers (Brother in Law of Larry Loftus),  
Dennis Mauppin (Brother of Charles Mauppin),  
Dione Jolly Sandoval (Daughter of Errol Jolly, Wife of Jose Sandoval),  
Eleanor Haley (Ron Hawk's Mother in Law)  
Fred Bolliger,  
Gerald Parr (Brother of Charles Parr),  
Helen Dowling,  
Leonard Belota (Mike Beacon's Father in law),  
Robert Chirko (Jan Nowicki's Brother in Law)  
Rex Foss (Brother of Fred Foss),  
Steve Meek (Tommy Jones' Brother in Law),  
Teresa Kennedy (Daughter of Pat Edwards (Tommy)

**Please pray also for:**

Our Seminarians (Noel Albiter, Manuel Holguin, and James Wilcox), our Military, our Missionaries, and victims of fires, tornados and floods

**This is an invitation for our Hispanic brothers**

EL PADRE Anthony Mathew  
LE INVITA A HACERSE  
CABALLERO DE COLÓN.

Estimados (*nombre del feligrés y su esposa*):

Les escribo para recomendarles que se hagan miembros de

nuestra querida Orden de Caballeros de Colón. Creo que ustedes tienen todos los requisitos para ser buenos miembros de esta gran organización fraternal de familias católicas. Los Caballeros de Colón somos la fuente principal de voluntarios en nuestra parroquia.

En una o dos semanas recibirán una llamada telefónica de uno de mis hermanos Caballeros de Colón, para invitarles personalmente

a un programa informativo de "Casa Abierta". Me complacerá que los dos asistan a ese evento, que se ha planificado para el (*día y fecha*). El programa informativo se realizará en (*la dirección, y añade otras instrucciones*).

También les adjunto una lista de todos los miembros de Caballeros Colón de (*nombre de la parroquia*). Por medio de esta lista se darán cuenta la calidad de católicos y sus familias con las que se asociarán en los Caballeros de Colón.

Que Dios les Bendiga.  
Atentamente,  
*Fr Tony*

**Here's something to make you think (from our insurance officer**

**Time In Force  
Months Days Occupation  
Age Cause of Death  
Amount Paid**

1 10 Maintenance Worker 55  
Cardiovascular Disease \$  
25,000.00  
1 18 Customer Service 41  
Motor Vehicle Accident \$  
7,500.00  
2 30 Food Service Director  
42 Cancer \$ 316,000.00  
3 9 Custodian 66  
Cardiovascular Disease \$  
11,000.00

3 11 Customer Accts. Mgr.  
51 Cancer \$ 150,000.00  
3 12 Stage Hand Worker 21  
Motor Vehicle Accident \$  
358,468.75  
3 28 Public Works 59 Motor  
Vehicle Accident \$ 79,841.53  
4 7 Waitress 49 Cancer \$  
50,000.00  
4 10 Homemaker 55 Blood  
Diseases \$ 10,000.00  
4 10 Retired 56 Accidental \$  
100,000.00  
4 19 Hotel Owner 41  
Accidental \$ 1,000,000.00  
4 19 Unemployed 60  
Cerebrovascular Disease \$  
10,000.00  
4 21 Auto Mechanic 24  
Motor Vehicle Accident \$  
25,000.00  
4 28 Landlord 74 Respiratory  
Disease \$ 5,000.00  
4 29 Mail Handler 72  
Cerebrovascular Disease \$  
5,000.00  
4 29 Sales Representative  
63 Cardiovascular Disease \$  
25,000.00  
6 6 Superintendent 54  
Cardiovascular Disease \$  
115,000.00  
6 8 Farmer 34 Motor Vehicle  
Accident \$ 800,000.00  
6 9 Retired 59 Cancer \$  
10,000.00  
6 14 Construction 73  
Cardiovascular Disease \$  
5,390.00  
6 17 Retired 64  
Cardiovascular Disease \$  
10,000.00  
6 21 Temp Agency Worker  
59 Digestive Disease \$  
10,000.00  
6 25 Retired 69 Cancer \$  
10,000.00  
6 29 Waste Coordinator 31  
Motor Vehicle Accident \$  
15,000.00

7 3 Entry Specialist 64 Motor Vehicle Accident \$ 15,000.00  
7 7 Nurse 52 Cancer \$ 100,000.00  
7 12 Computer Analyst 59 Cerebrovascular Disease \$ 40,000.00  
7 22 Sales 57 Cardiovascular Disease \$ 100,000.00  
7 29 Funeral Director 36 Natural Causes \$ 50,000.00  
8 7 Retired 65 Motor Vehicle Accident \$ 5,000.00  
8 9 Floral Designer 41 Cancer \$ 5,000.00  
8 15 Homemaker 35 Accidental \$ 750,000.00

8 20 Deliveryman 59 Cardiovascular Disease \$ 100,000.00  
8 22 Sheet Metal Mechanic 68 Gento-Urinary Disease \$ 10,000.00  
8 24 Retired 64 Cardiovascular Disease \$ 10,000.00  
8 28 Service Technician 26 Motor Vehicle Accident \$ 25,000.00  
9 2 Seismic Driller 34 Accidental \$ 5,000.00  
9 3 Taxi Driver 66 Natural Causes \$ 5,000.00  
9 25 Janitor 61 Natural Causes \$ 10,000.00

10 8 Student 18 Motor Vehicle Accident \$ 10,000.00  
10 9 Manager 56 Natural Causes \$ 100,000.00  
10 13 School Bus Driver 49 Cancer \$ 176,552.27  
10 26 Retired-Inspector 70 Nervous System Disease \$ 20,000.00  
11 15 Retired 61 Cancer \$ 10,000.00  
11 19 Retired 68 Nervous System Disease \$ 15,000.00  
*\* Death proceeds payable from the Order's Fraternal Benefits are excluded*

#### **Membership**

**Meeting note** The St Thomas Hall will be available for the September meeting. We won't have to hold it in the St Thomas School building after all.

# October 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 4th Degree Exemplification Sheraton Grand DFW Irving Tx
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9	10	11 Meals on Wheels  6:30 Rosary 7:00 Membership Mtg. STPH	12	13	14	15
16	17	18 Meals on Wheels	19 4th Degree Membership 7:30 Assembly 1089 3809 Yucca St	20	21	22
23	24	25 Meals on Wheels  7:00 Officers' Mtg. STCR	26 7:00 Dinner 8:00 Chapter Mtg. Council 8512 N. Richland Hills	27	28	29
30 Corporate Communion	31 Halloween					
28	29	30 Meals on Wheels	31			

HT = Holy Trinity, ST = Saint Thomas the Apostle, STPH = Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish Hall, STCR = Saint Thomas the Apostle Council Room

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25	26	27 Meals on Wheels  7:00 Officers' Mtg. STCR	28 7:00 Dinner 8:00 Chapter Mtg. Council 6269 Arlington	29	30 4th Degree Exemplification Sheraton Grand DFW Irving Tx	