



Knights and Days

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Council News

The Council held its first Officer Meeting of the Fraternal Year at which the basic *Calendar of Events* was established. Here are the first few events we are planning:

- The first item to add to your Calendar is our *Installation of Officers* on August 8th during the 11am Mass at St. Joseph, which will be our new Council home at that time.
- We are hosting a Silver Rose service on September 9th at 7pm at St. Joseph.
- We will be cooking for and hosting the State *Teens R Dynamite* fundraiser on September 18th at St. Agatha.
- There are also 2 State events in August - see "Events of Note" below.

125th Anniversary



We are booked at St. Ann's Arts & Cultural Center on Saturday, September 25th (this year). We will start with a 4 pm Mass (at St. Joseph) before proceeding

to St. Ann's Arts & Cultural Center. Cocktails at 6pm, dinner at 7pm

Family of the Month

Congratulations to **July** Family of the Month recipient - the Tom Burke Family, pictured below with GK Nick Gaulin & Family Director Don Csizmesia.



Also receiving their Family of the Month Award at July's Business Meeting was the Michon family who were recognized for the month of June. They are pictured below.



Events of Note

August 4th-7th - Holy Trinity Carnival
August 8th - Installation of Officers



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- August 15th** - State Family Day
- August 23rd** - Business Meeting
- August 23rd** - Silver Rose comes to RI
- August 28th** - Open House at Mother of Life Center (State Event)



Grand Knight's Notes

Programming efforts

It looks like we will be resuming our usual programming soon. If you have a suggestion for the calendar, please come to an Officer or Business Meeting and pitch the idea. New ideas are always welcome, and many hands make for lighter work.

Nota Bene: As an active Council we have a need for many event Chairmen. We are more than willing to share the labor so that no one individual has too much of a burden. The following are just a few of the things we hope to continue or resume in the coming Fraternal Year; **Teens R Dynamite, Autumnfest informational table, Annual Blood Drive(s), Annual Toy Drive, Operation ROVAC, Palm Sunday Breakfast, C.O.P.S. Walk, Annual Memorial Mass.** Our current Chairmen would be happy to share the load with anyone interested. And, we always welcome the "regular" workers without whom we would be lost.

The following Brother Knights have birthdays in **August**: Matt Belair 8/18, Robert Brodie 8/6, Eugene Cotnoir 8/16, Michael Deslauriers 8/12, Marc Forget 8/16, Deacon Gene Garceau 8/1, Jerry Houle 8/1, George Jutras 8/14, Marcel Laliberte 8/24, Don Morse 8/31, Bob Noel 8/03, Joe Riel 8/5, Rich Riel 8/14, Jose Rodriguez 8/31, Geno Sivo 8/26, and Dave Tout 8/8. If you see them, wish them the best.

Prayers Requested



- For Deacon Gene Garceau
- For Brother Knight Ryan Bilodeau
- For Andy & Pauline Ledoux (parents of Gizele Garceau)
- For all those suffering due to the pandemic and their caregivers
- For the unemployed and under-employed
- We ask you to continue to pray for Bishop Gelineau, Annette Bebyn (mother of State Secretary Dave Bebyn), Mike DeAngelis, Armand Dufresne, PGK Stanley Eason, Florence Houde, Theresa Shunney, John Shunney, Denis Richard, Gerry Gervais, Terry



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Gervais (wife of Gerry), Gerry L'Esperance and all our Brother Knights who are dealing with health issues and/or their family members.

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