



The Marian Gazette

For the Brother Knights of Marian
Council 4563—October 2012



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A brief word from the Financial Secretary

Brothers -

We witnessed another great example of support for our Parish last night. We were asked to move all the chairs out of the church in preparation for the new pews being installed this week.

We had a great turn out including Knights, wives, family members, MTSU students and our Youth group.

We moved all the existing chairs in the church to the Stonewall house, upstairs in the Marian center and stacked the remainder in the Shepherd's hallway.

A big **THANK YOU** to all that helped.

Our MR Chairman, Jim Harding, needs some help in filling 20 more slots at the Tootsie Roll drive at the Old Fort Wal Mart and the North Rutherford Wal Mart October 13th & 14th. This is a family activity that wives and children can participate in.

Please contact Jim directly at flappin1@gmail.com or 615-785-2761 if you can help.

He wants to have all slots filled by October 7th to make this year another success.





The House Christmas Committee has formalized a plan for decorating the KC house in celebration of the Christmas season.

Our theme will be “Keep Christ in Christmas”

In planning for the decorating, we are asking our fellow Knights for donations to help us with the implementation of our plans.

These may be items that you have extra and/or are willing to donate.

We are specifically looking for:

Window wreaths with hangers (for outside windows)

White icicle lights (for hanging on the gutters)

Gutter clips for hanging icicle lights

White Christmas lights – (150+ per strand)

Battery operated window candles

AA batteries – to be used in window candles

Extension cords (green – for exterior applications)

Ground level spot lights

Rebar stakes

100 ft of 14 ga. 2 wire (with ground)

(5) rolls of black electrical tape

(3) pop-in electrical boxes

(2) outlet plugs with weatherproof covers

(1) 15 amp breaker with GFI

(1) plug in switch

(2) timers (dust/dawn – multiple settings)

(1) gallon of white exterior oil based paint

(1) roll of paint tape

(3) three inch paint rollers

(3) small paint brushes

(3) paint trays

(1) pint of black or Dark Green oil based paint

Tarps – 10’x 12’ – prefer black – brown or silver acceptable

Please plan to bring donations to the October 10th meeting

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Announcements from the Social Director

Brother Knights,

October is a BUSY month – I hope you can attend our Rosary in the Grotto, support the 40 Days for Life activities, MR Tootsie Roll Drive and all the other GREAT THINGS our Council is working on this month.

BUT – this month isn't ALL about work, we have some reward lined up for you as well:

October 24 – Beer Tasting - During our regular Council Meeting we will have a Beer Tasting – Sponsored by Murfreesboro Wine and Spirits. For those of you who attended our last Tasting you know we can always count on Ted to provide some tasty beers and plenty of beer knowledge, so be sure to come out and join us on October 24th (After the Rosary in the Grotto of course!). Did I mention the Beer is FREE!?!?



October 27 – Knights of Columbus Tailgate at the MTSU Game – Please plan to join your Brother Knights and their families for this event! We will tailgate and attend the MTSU Home Game as a group. \$15 covers your food and water/soft drinks at the Tailgate as well as your ticket for the game. ***Please RSVP and provide your payment directly to David Schlacter by Saturday October 20th for this event.*** MTSU is giving us a special group rate for the game so I will need to collect all of our money up front, then go purchase our block of tickets. If you have never been to an MTSU home game before please know that the Tailgate environment is one of the best in the Southeast –

VERY FAMILY FRIENDLY

with plenty of activities for the kids and grown-ups alike, so please come join us for this K of C Family Fellowship opportunity!!! Kickoff at 2:30pm, Official Tailgate time TBD.

To RSVP and arrange payment for the MTSU Tailgate please contact David Schlacter – david.schlacter@aspect.com or 615-618-4668

Vivat Jesus!



Brothers -

Here is a listing of upcoming events:

Wed 10/3 - 6:30 Rosary in the Grotto for Knights and their families

Sat 10/6 - The 3rd degree and family picnic have been cancelled and will be rescheduled

Sat 10/6 - carpool after This Man is You to pray at abortion clinic in Nashville (contact Billy Trout)

Wed 10/10 - 6:30 Rosary in the Grotto

Wed 10/10 - 7:00 Council meeting at clubhouse

Fri 10/12 & Sat 10/13 - Yard Sale at Stonewall house

Sat 10/13 & Sun 10/14 - MR Tootsie Roll sale at Walmarts (contact Jim Harding)

Wed 10/17 - 6:30 Rosary in the Grotto

Wed 10/17 - 7:00 Officer & Director meeting

40 Days for Life: Your Chance to Help Make a Difference

The fall 40 Days for Life campaign is here! From September 26 to November 4, people of many Christian faiths will join together to pray for the victims of abortion - babies, mothers, and fathers. The attached file has details regarding St. Rose's efforts in supporting this cause through the Respect Life Committee, for which Rich Richard and myself and our wives are all co-chairpersons.

When we held our first degree this week, I was struck with the mention that the Knights are defenders of life at all stages. And we should be! If we are to be "the strong right arm of the Church", then supporting pro-life efforts is a no-brainer.

Part of the campaign involves peacefully praying in front of the abortion clinic in Nashville during the 40-day period. Several Knights and their spouses have participated in this in the past. It's a great way to demonstrate your faith and to hopefully change the lives of those who work in the abortion facility, the parents of these babies, and to save the life of God's creation.

Here's how to help - join us on Saturday, October 6 and also on October 27. We will join with men from the That Man is You group and leave St. Rose at around 8:00am. We can carpool to save gas! Once we arrive, we will sign a Statement of Peace making sure all understand we are not there to confront anyone, but to pray in support of pro life! We will pray as a group in front of the clinic for an hour - more if you would like - and then return to our busy Saturday activities.

Feel free to contact Billy Trout at 714-0994 if you have any questions. It will be impressive to see the Knights in our council untied together for this - please try to clear your schedule to attend!

Vivat Jesus!

Celebrations!

First Degree

The Marian council is pleased to welcome our three newest brothers:

Steven Bull, Peter Verhoeven and Matthew Owens. At the degree, we had two very important guest in attendance. First, our State Insurance agent, Daniel Schachle and second, Steven Bull's father in law John Malaerohtr who was in town from Florida.

Happy Birthday!!

10/2 Paul Dougall and Roger Muehe

10/7 Lu Navarro

10/8 Jeremy Harkins and Tom Wallman

10/13 Ronnie Arnold and Jeff Viers

10/15 Gregg Cummings

10/16 David Tuma

10/19 Tony Ferone

10/20 Bill Green

10/22 Al Ambrose

10/23 Chris Short and John Wermert

10/25 Eric Sagman

10/26 Tom McGrane and Tony Ray

10/27 Roger Krugger

10/29 Dennis Sullivan

11/2 Chip Smith

11/5 Cliff Daugherty

11/8 John Kropczynski and Pedro Reyes

11/11 John Morris

11/13 Chuy Echeagaray





Special Olympics Golf Tournament, Smyrna Municipal Golf Course.



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