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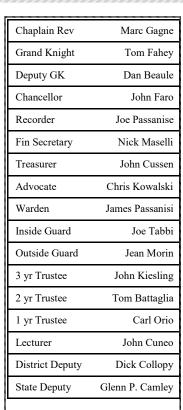
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**NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR** 





#### Publication Month – January 2019







**COUNCIL 9058 NEWSLETTER** 

The Grand Knight began by thanking all the brothers for their thoughts and prayers during his back surgery. The monthly Planning meetings are ongoing and continue to provide essential planning for our various committees. Out of that meeting, we have formed a Dinner Committee that will meet just prior to the Planning meeting. All are encouraged to attend and provide ideas, thoughts or suggestions. The Dinner Committee goals are to better understand the meals and the tasks involved and to provide solutions to better execute. At the upcoming dinner on January 12<sup>th</sup>, a few new ideas will be presented.

The proposed budget was sent out via email in December. Because our funds are very low, the budget will be managed more closely. This means that anything requested [under New Business], if it was previously approved in the budget, it will be approved as such. If the money requested is not previously allocated within the budget, the request will be sent to the Financial Committee (Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight) and held until additional funds are acquired and allocated. Once these funds are acquired, the request will be brought back to the council for a final vote and approval. This will be further discussed under New Business.

He then presented the Knight of the Month to Jim Carey. Jim exemplifies the principles of Charity and Unity within our council. As the Director of St Anne's food pantry, Jim provides a tremendous benefit to our Parish and the community. Jim is always available to his fellow Knights to help with food preparation for the various dinners hosted by the council. Thank you for a job well done.

## **Business Meeting Minutes**

The council's last business meeting was held on January 7<sup>th</sup>. Minutes from the meeting can be found on our Council Website in the Members Only section. A link to the member section can be found <u>here</u>.



## Knight's Corner and Upcoming Events

#### Congratulations to Jim Carey Knight of the Month

#### Congratulations to Chris Herron and family Family of the Month

Our next Monthly Dinner will be homestyle meatloaf on Saturday, January 12<sup>th</sup>! Team Rigatoni (odd months) is assigned. Please try to be there for 2:30pm.

Upcoming degree exemplifications:

- 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> degree event on January 26<sup>th</sup> in Berlin
- 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> degree event on March 9<sup>th</sup> in Goffstown
- 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> degree event on May 18<sup>th</sup> in Keene
- The next 4<sup>th</sup> degree exemplification is not until June 2019

As reminder, the schedule of all Degree Exemplifications can be found on our Council Website.

Welcome Packets are available for new members. The individual documents can also be found in the Document Library in the Members section of the Council website. These include:

- a letter from the Grand Knight
- a degree exemplification guide
- a volunteering guide
- information on the monthly dinners
- a Rosary guide
- a Monthly Business Meeting guide
- a Council Website guide
- the Council by-laws

Check these all out and more at the council website www.hampsteadknights.org

Our next business meeting is Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>. Rosary will be said at 7:00pm followed by the meeting at 7:30pm.

## Weekly Briefings

Each week, the Knights of Columbus State Council put out Weekly Briefings. These briefings list any upcoming events such as State sponsored drives, degree exemplifications and membership updates. These briefings can be found here:

http://nhknight.org/documents/NHKofCMidWeekNewsbrief.pdf

For a list of past briefings, they can be found here:

http://www.nhknight.org/index.php/en/home/previous-newsletters

## 2019 Monthly Dinner Schedule



| Date                                    | Dinner             |
|---|--------------------|
| January 12, 2019                        | Meatloaf           |
| February 9, 2019                        | Surf and Turf      |
| March 9, 2019                           | St. Patty's        |
| April 13, 2019                          | Greek              |
| May 11, 2019                            | Chicken BBQ        |
| June 8, 2019                            | Italian            |
| July 13, 2019                           | Summer Feast       |
| August 10, 2019                         | Steak BBQ          |
| September 14, 2019                      | Polish             |
| October 12, 2019                        | German Oktoberfest |
| November 9, 2019                        | Roast Chicken      |
| December 14, 2019                       | Italian Feast      |
|   |                    |
| Donation: ADULTS \$7.00 CHILDREN \$3.00 |                    |
| Take Out Available after 5pm            |                    |



#### Prayers for Brother Knights and Others

Chris Cronin's mother in law recently passed Jim Tobin Ziggy Zybert Nick Maselli's wife Carl Orio and his wife Bob Chabot's wife Chuck Mack's wife John Keisling Jr (overseas serving his country)



The next Blood Drive is scheduled for Friday February  $22^{nd}$  from 1:00 - 6:00pm. Brother John Cussen will be leading this event. Please call if you can work a 2-3 hour shift (603) 329-5207.

1:00 - 3:00pm3:00 - 5:00pm2:00 - 4:00pm4:00 - 6:00pm5:00pm to closing (usually about 7:00pm)



All information related to our council such as meeting schedules, phone numbers, upcoming events, interesting articles and videos, etc., can be found on our council website by clicking here: <u>www.hampsteadknights.org</u> Check it out, you are guaranteed to find everything you need and MORE!!!

This newsletter is for all Brother Knights so feel free to use it if you have anything for sale or you want some work done or are looking for a tradesman - maybe one of our Brother Knights could use the extra work. It's a good tool for some free advertising or if you have a prayer request. Just send any information on birthdays, anniversaries, or anything you would like to put in the newsletter to Nick S. Good Jokes & Recipes are always welcome. Email Dan Beaule at <u>dbeaule1@gmail.com</u> or John Keisling at <u>jfkeisling@gmail.com</u>.



#### Puzzles by the Social Media Committee

- 1. There are three switches downstairs. Each corresponds to one of the three light bulbs in the attic. You can turn the switches on and off and leave them in any position. How would you identify which switch corresponds to which light bulb, if you are only allowed one trip upstairs?
- 2. Your last good ping-pong ball fell down into a narrow metal pipe imbedded in concrete one foot deep. How can you get it out undamaged, if all the tools you have are your tennis paddle, your shoe-laces, and your plastic water bottle, which does not fit into the pipe?
- 3. A Petri dish hosts a healthy colony of bacteria. Once a minute every bacterium divides into two. The colony was founded by a single cell at noon. At exactly 12:43 (43 minutes later) the Petri dish was half full. At what time will the dish be full?



#### On The Lighter Side

A missionary priest works in rural India among the poor. The monsoons come and the Villagers warn him that the river is rising and he must come with them to the shelters in the hills, but the missionary refuses to go, saying "God will rescue me so that you may have faith." The river keeps rising, the priest climbs on a local roof to stay dry and a rescue boat crew comes, telling him to get in and they will bring him to safety. The priest refuses, saying "God will rescue me so that you may have faith."

The river rises and the priest is perched on the building chimney. A rescue helicopter comes to save him, but he says "God will rescue me so that you may have faith."

The priest drowns and stands before God at judgement and says "Lord, I don't understand! I had such faith that you would save me, why am I here so young?"

God says "What? I sent you smart Villagers, a rescue boat and a helicopter. What did you expect, an engraved invitation?"

A priest was walking along the corridor of the parochial school near the preschool wing when a group of little ones were trotting by on the way to the cafeteria. One little lad of about three or four stopped and looked at him in his clerical clothes and asked "Why do you dress funny?"

He told him he was a priest and this is the uniform priests wear.

Then the boy pointed to the priest's plastic collar tab and asked, "Do you have an owie?"

The priest was perplexed until he realized that to him the collar tab looked like a band-aid. So the priest took it out and handed it to the boy to show him. On the back of the tab are raised letters giving the name of the manufacturer.

The little guy felt the letters, and the priest asked, "Do you know what those words say?"

"Yes I do," said the lad who was not old enough to read. Peering intently at the letters he said, "Kills ticks and fleas up to six months!"

## Council Classifieds Recommended services and vendors

Spring Clean Up Special, lawn maintenance & repair, mulching, cellar & garage clean outs, dump day help, seeding & planting, gardens. Call Doug Robbins (603) 339-8697

**Farris Auto Service – (603) 329-4567** State inspections special - \$25 for Knights

Adam White snowplowing – (603) 235-3120 Very reliable and reasonable rates. 10% off for Knights

Our very own Brother Gene Morin – (978) 360-4796 Additions, roofs, decks and siding

**O'Brian's Carpet Cleaning – (978) 372-1119** Great job, only \$99 for the whole house

#### Paul Power Inside House Painting – (603) 608-8684

Odd jobs inside and out, decks, very affordable prices

Advance Stump Services and Tree Work – (603) 382-6292 Newton, NH

Wood Merchant - (603) 974-0775

Dry and green cord wood, great rates and free delivery for Knights

#### Mattress by Appointment (978) 729-6687

Wholesale Mattresses 50%--80% off of retail, ask for Ron 91 Plaistow RD Route 125 Plaistow

JUST in CASE Med Alert for any person that needs 24/7 Health and Emergency Monitoring Anyone can receive this \$24.95 a month discount call (866) 859-4379 mention Knights 9058

#### Trivia Answers

Keep the first bulb switched on for a few minutes. It gets warm, right? So all you have to do then is ... switch it off, switch another one on, walk into the room with bulbs, touch them and tell which one was switched on as the first one (the warm one) and the others can be easily identified.

All the tools are random things that are not going to help you. All you have to do is pour some water into the pipe so that the ball swims up on the surface. And if you say that you don't have any water, then think about what you drank today and if you can use that somehow.

The dish will be full at 12:44