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The Mainsail





OFFICER INSTALLATION AND AWARD BANQUET SET FOR JUNE 30TH

Council #6065 will hold it's annual officers installation banquets on Saturday, June 30th in the Great Hall. The event will start at 6:30 p.m., and will be preceded by a corporate communion at the 5:30 Mass at St. Mark.

The cost for the dinner is \$17.50/person. Last minute signups will be available at the June Business meeting. Otherwise please RSVP by June 15th. This is "Most Significant" event in our Council's calendar as the new officers take their oaths of office and the awards for outstanding service are presented.

This year the usual Officer Installation and Awards Dinner will be combined with a celebration commemorating the 50th Anniversary of our Council's chartering. We have invited dignitaries from the Texas State Council and Diocesan chapter, as well as local Plano civic leaders to join us for this special occasion.

Brother Knights are urged to participate in this event. For more information contact GK David Wolf

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COMING UP IN JUNE

- Business Meeting 6/7
- Adoration 6/8
- San Remo Visit 6/9
- Refreshments at Mass 6/9-10
- Prayer Service 6/14
- Budget meeting 6/16
- First Degree 6/18
- Family Picnic 6/23
- Awards & Officer Installation banquet 6/30

OFFICER ELECTIONS THIS MONTH

The Trustees of Council #6065 have presented a slate of officers for consideration at the upcoming June business meeting, and, if elected, these Brother Knights will serve for the 2018-2019 fraternal year. Any Brother Knight wishing to be added to the slate should contact one of the trustees prior to the June meeting, or he can offer his name for consideration at the business meeting, prior to the election; otherwise the slate will be elected as presented.

These gentlemen are up for election and subject to an approving vote of the Council. Again, any Brother Knight who wishes to serve in one of the above capacities has until June 7th, prior to the start of the elections, to request consideration.

Following the election, the Council will then turn to the task of "recruiting" committee chairmen. These, too, are vital functions within our Council and many of the Brother Knights currently serving have been doing so for many years and it is time for new Brother Knights to step forward.

This is the time for YOU to make a difference in the Council and YOU can rest assured that you will be "mentored" throughout the year, so please do consider taking on a committee chairmanship.

Grand Knight David Wolf Deputy Grand Knight Michael Brennan Chancellor **Doug Cargo** Advocate Tina Figueroa Treasurer Rich Holmer Recorder Roger Knott 2018-2019 **Financial Secretary** Jake Fleischer Fraternal Year Warden **James Smiley** Slate of Officers Inside Guard Freddy Rodgriguez **Outside Guard Brad Lamb Outside Guard Thomas Evans Outside Guard** Lucas Gonzalez Historian **Rudy Profaizer** Trustee 1st Year Chuck Schumacker Trustee 2nd Year John Vasquez **Trustee 3rd Year** Steve Cosgrove

COMMITTEE CHAIRS NEEDED

In addition to officers being elected this June, there are a number of vacancies opening up with committee chairs.

If you've worked with these projects or have a passion for Council, Family, Community, Youth, or Pro-Life consider chairing one of these committees.

One of the things you'll learn, if you didn't know it already, is "Many hands make light work"

Many of the projects under these committees have dedicated Brothers running them, and for those without a lead, you'd be surprised the level of support you receive.

They sound much more ominous and involved than they are, especially with the amount of help you'll get.



BUDGET MEETING SET FOR JUNE 16TH

Every year at the beginning of the Fraternal year we go though our budgeting process. This year, the annual budget meeting is Saturday June 16th starting at 9:00 am

This is the meeting where the Council decides how it will be earning and spending funds for the whole fraternal year.

All Brothers are welcome and encouraged to attend. This is a fantastic way to learn how the Council functions. If you are a committee or project chair you are asked to have your funding requirements to FS Bob Knode before the meeting.



Dues were "due" in January. There's still a rather large list of Brothers on the delinquent list. If you haven't paid dues, please contact Bob Knode and make arrangements or pay on the web.

COUNCIL PICNIC JUNE 23RD

Come one, come all to the annual Knights of Columbus family picnic. Set aside Saturday, June 23, to have fun in the sun. Picnic hours are from 12:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The location as always is the clubhouse at Country Place. This is a wonderful family affair where you, your wife, girlfriend, kids, grandkids, cousins, aunts and/or uncles are all invited to participate. And if you can't make it, your family members are welcome to attend without you.

The pool is open to all, and there's a fishing stream boarding the picnic area. We'll have games, food and fun for all. However, please bring your own towels, swimwear, and whatever else you want for a fun-time family picnic.

The Council will provide the hotdogs, hamburgers and brats along with the necessary condiments, and ample beverages (beer, soda, and water) to wash it all down. Lunch will be in a nice air conditioned clubhouse so we can all be comfortable while we eat.

Admission is simple: bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share with your fellow picnickers. The only requirement is that you must register your attendees so we will know how much food and drink to purchase. Sign up at the June Council meeting or call Dale Hearst (972-423-1636) to get on the list.

MAKE SOME TIME FOR ADORATION AND PRAYER

The Council has adoration in the chapel every Friday at 8:00 PM. Spend some time with your brothers and the blessed sacrament to start your weekend.

In addition, the Council hosts a healing rosary and prayer service on the second Thursday of the month. Lists are passed around at every meeting for those that need our prayers.

If you can't post for one of opportunities for prayer, make some time to pray during the week, especially for those on the Council prayer list.



Check out our website at www.kofc6065.org

THE MAINSAIL IS LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN

Starting with the new fraternal year The Mainsail will highlight one or two committees and maybe some projects as an ongoing feature. As you can see from our directory there are quite a number committees and projects. Some require nearly constant work, yet others post one, maybe two events per year – easy duty especially if you normally attend those events anyhow.

These groups of hard working knights seldom reach more than a few members per committee and more often than not consist of a "committee of one". One person typically plugging along until either they burn out or other events cause them to come before the council and plea for relief. And really this should never be. This council sports a large enough membership that should support actual committees where any member of the team can take over when the chair feels it's time to move on maybe even to another committee.

The first one committee that can use help is the Mainsail itself. Currently there's one of us that creates, edits and compiles this publication. This newsletter combined with our website form a vital link sharing information within our council and provide an avenue for the outside world, including the parish we support, to learn about us. They both form invaluable tools to recruit new members. The look, feel, and content of both show the world that this is a quality council.

We are currently looking for a Brother to take over assembling the Mainsail. It's pretty easy if you are familiar with Microsoft office products. Brother Pat Haney will set you up with the template and nearly a decade of content that can be repurposed for new issues. Ideally there would be two more brothers to write content, and maybe act as stringers to get information for the issues.

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Has supported St. Mark's Parish for 50 years, and is part of an international organization of Catholic men devoted to serving the Catholic Church. Our Focus is on Families, Youth, Our Parish, & Our Community.



Note that www.kofc-6065.org has been retired.

The Council site is still http://www.kofc6065.org (No dash)

There's a link on the top of the main page to access the UKnight council portal

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