



KNIGHTLY NEWS

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Grand Knight Message

"The resurrection is not an event... It is a Person."

Brothers, during the month of March, we will continue with our Lenten Season and the Feast of Easter at the end of the month. The bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead is the crowning proof of Christianity. Everything else that was said or done by Christ and the apostles is secondary in importance to the resurrection. If the resurrection did not take place then Christianity is a false religion. If it did take place, then Christ is God and the Christian faith is absolute truth.

Death is our greatest enemy and it has conquered all men but Christ. No man is wise enough to outwit death or wealthy enough to purchase freedom from death or strong enough to vanquish death. The grave always wins the victory and every person sooner or later returns to the dust.

May we look upon Easter with awe as to what actually happened? It is true that He died and was buried, in common with all other men, but unlike other men He returned from Hades, resurrected His own dead body, made it henceforth immortal, and emerged from the tomb, alive forevermore! This was the greatest of all miracles since the creation itself, and could have been accomplished only if Jesus indeed is God, as He had claimed to be.

May spring be just around the corner and the weather warms us for an outstanding finish to our fraternal year. From my family to yours, we wish you a very Happy Easter. May this Lenten Season be one of growing in our Faith and good Fellowship for the future.

***Vivat Jesu,
Dan Richard - Grand Knight***

Family of the Month

Brother Reco Cotton and Susanna Catalano



The Family of the Month is a truly wonderful couple. The events that they attend are heightened with enjoyment when they show up. Reco helps count money during bingo nights, is a guard at our meetings and also DJ's when he is asked (and sometimes even volunteers). Susanna plays bingo and makes many wonderful decorations for our events. When the two of them are together, and also in the presence of their children, everyone around them has a smile. Neither one of them has a negative to say about anything when they help carry a conversation. It is truly a pleasure of mine to name Reco Cotton and Susanna Catalano as our Family of the Month.

Knight of the Month

Brother Jerry Vorwold



The Knight of the Month for March is an avid bingo worker that very few people get to see. But the work that he does is still very important to the overall success of bingo. He shows up on a regular basis and counts the instant tickets in the back room. He always has a good word to say to whoever is in his presence. The amazing aspect about him, is how he squats to smoke outside of the lounge. He has a wealth of military knowledge to share along his knowledge of how a working farm actually operates. I think our Council is truly blessed to have Brother Jerry Vorwold as a member and he is our March Knight of the Month.



Protecting Widows – A Founding Goal

As a member of this council, you know how important spouses can be to the charitable works of the Order. If you're married, your wife is probably involved in a few of the many events that happen each fraternal year. This support adds great value and impact to what a council can achieve.

When the Order was founded in 1882, Father Michael J. McGivney and the other brave men were setting out to protect Catholic families, but especially wives and children. Today, we remain committed to this mission by offering insurance products and fraternal benefits designed with that goal in mind. One specific policy rider that you may not know about is called Spousal Waiver of Premium. This rider is unique to the Knights of Columbus philosophy of helping our widows.

This rider is available on most permanent and Discoverer plans purchased at standard rates by a member and his wife on the same day. When both spouses apply, the rider provides for waiver of premiums on the spouse's contract in the event of the insured's death. Best of all, for members and spouses ages 18 to 60, this waiver can be added for no charge. The rider stays in effect until the spouse attains age 65 or certain other triggering events occur.

Our products are designed with your needs and budget in mind. With a solid portfolio of life insurance, long-term care, disability income and retirement products, the Knights of Columbus can help you meet all of your financial goals. To learn more about these solutions, contact me today.

Todd Curtis, FIC Phone – (757) 847-9981 Email – Todd.Curtis@kofc.org

Chancellor's Corner



Thank you for everyone's support and attendance during the 1st Degree Exemplification on February 23rd, 2016 at Council 5480. Please welcome our new Brothers and encourage them to get involved in Council activities. Brothers, we have another exemplification coming up soon. Please get those **Form 100s** in as soon as possible. Put them in the Chancellor's box as soon as possible! **Upcoming Degree Events in 2016:**

- 1st Degree
 - March 10, 2016. Council 510 Mary Star of the Sea
 - April 26, 2016 Council 5480 Walter Pollard
 - May 19, 2016. Council 511 Mary Star of the Sea
 - June 14, 2016. Council 5480 Walter Pollard
- 2nd Degree
 - March 29, 2016. Council 11264
- 3rd Degree
 - April 2, 2016. Council 511 Mary Star of the Sea
 - May 14, 2016 Council 12117 Virginia Beach

Fraternally Yours, R. Dean Jernigan, Chancellor


3.19.2016



A Knight in the Vineyard
2016 wine festival and auction

6 p.m.
St. Michael Hall
144 Harpersville Road
Newport News, VA 23601
for tickets & info:
www.peninsulacatholic.com






Help students... help yourself! Receive a state tax credit for your donation to the McMahon Parater Foundation for scholarships at Peninsula Catholic!

Through Virginia's Education Improvement Scholarships—Tax Credit Program, donors can receive a state tax credit equal to 65% of their donation, plus regular tax savings, when they make gifts to the Diocese of Richmond's McMahon Parater Foundation for scholarships for students in need at PC.

To learn more, contact Director of Development Arlene Armentor at 757-596-7247 ext. 117



McMahon Parater Foundation



MARCH 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 FEB	29 7 PM Bingo	1 MAR 7:30 PM Assembly Meeting Dine Out	2	3 7 PM Bingo	4 <i>Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC) 3PM-6AM</i>	5 6:30 PM Family Dance (St. Jerome's)
6 5 PM	7 7 PM Bingo	8 7:30 PM Council Meeting	9	10 7 PM Bingo 1st Degree Council 510	11 4 PM OLMC Fish Fry 7 PM Lounge Open	12 9 AM Adopt-a-Spot VA KofC QTR (Richmond)
13	14 3 PM PAA Packing 7 PM Bingo	15 PAA Packing 7 PM 5480 Club Meeting	16	17 St. Patrick's Day 7 PM Bingo	18 7 PM	19 Solemnity of St. Joseph VA District Biennial (Woodbridge) 11 AM Children's Movie 6 PM PCHS Wine & Auction (OLMC) 6:30 PM St. Patrick's Dance
20 Palm Sunday First Day of Spring	21 7 PM Bingo	22 7:30 PM Council Meeting 1st Degree Council 5480	23	24 7 PM Bingo	25 Good Friday	26
27 Easter Sunday	28 7 PM Bingo	29 7:30 PM Assembly Meeting 2nd Degree Council 11264	30	31 7 PM Bingo	1 APR	2 3rd Degree Council 511
April 2016 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 APR: 3rd Degree (Council 511) 3 APR: Devine Mercy Sunday 4 APR: Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord 5 APR: Assembly Meeting 6 APR: Blood Drive 9 APR: 4th Degree (Roanoke) 12 APR: Council Meeting 15 APR: Council Scholarship Forms Due 16 APR: Adopt-a-Spot 16-17 APR: KOVAR (OLMC) 23 APR: Public Safety Appreciation Dinner 24 APR: Groovin Picnic 26 APR: Council Meeting / 1st Degree (5480) 29 APR - 1 MAY: VA KofC State Convention (Herndon) 				May 2016 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 MAY: Assembly Meeting (Officer Elections) 5 MAY: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord (National Day of Prayer) 8 MAY: Mother's Day 10 MAY: Council Meeting 15 MAY: Pentecost 14 MAY: Adopt-a-Spot 14 MAY: 3rd Degree (VA Beach) 19 MAY: 1st Degree (Council 511) 24 MAY: Council Meeting 29 MAY: Corpus Christi Sunday / USS Scorpion Memorial Ceremony 30 MAY: Memorial Day 		

✂ Cut along the dotted line and keep the calendar at hand to attend our events ✂

SICK, RECOVERING & DECEASED: Brothers we ask for your prayers and support for Brothers in need of healing. We also ask for prayers for the deceased. If you are aware of a Brother Knight or his family member in need of our prayers, contact Clement Danish or the Grand Knight.

- **SICK & RECOVERY.** JAN 2016: Mary Litzinger (PGK David Litzinger's Wife). Dolores Carota (wife of Leonard Carota, PGK, FDD, PFN); Brenda Litzinger (PGK David Litzinger's Sister-In-Law). FEB 2016: Dolores Carota (wife of Leonard Carota, PGK, FDD, PFN); Michael Chittenden.
- **DECEASED MEMBERS, RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.** JAN 2016: SK John Ganger; Elmer Litzinger Jr. (Brother of SK David Litzinger).

NAMES WILL REMAIN ON LIST FOR ONE MONTH. PLEASE RENEW YOUR PRAYER REQUEST IF CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE DESIRED. CALL CLEMENT DANISH (877-2751) OR THE GRAND KNIGHT WITH REQUESTS OR QUESTIONS.



Roaring Knights March 2016 Bartender Schedule

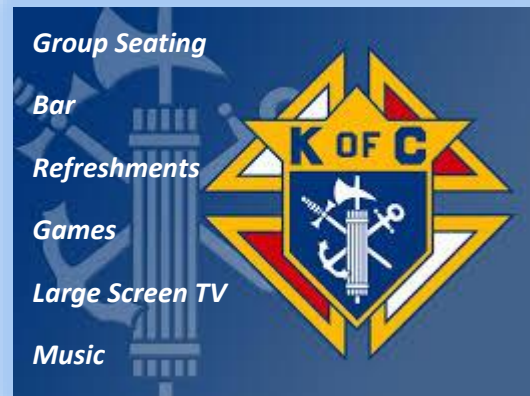


Knights Den Lounge Information



FEB	Day	Description	Bartenders
1	Tuesday	Assembly Meeting	Closed (Dine Out)
4	Friday	Open Night	Umit
8	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Kelley, Humphrey
11	Friday	Open Night	Schirm
18	Friday	Birthday Knight	Koch, Kerstteter
22	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Silva, Carrotta, Schirm
26	Friday	Good Friday	Closed

If a knight is interested in tending bar or cannot make it to bartend **please call** Alberto Rios at 814-5393 or riostoto@aol.com



For All Lounge Rentals, Please Contact:
Lewis Stokes (PGK) - Lounge Manager
Phone: 757-872-7840 Email: Issyms@verizon.net

MARCH 2016 BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAYS

TYLER J ELDRED -1
DOUGLAS C HAGER -2
BRIAN G HARRISON II -2
JEROME F HEMPFLING -2
MARK H MUHLER -2
WILLIAM A HARVEY -3
OSCAR LORENZO -3
DEA JOSEPH N RISS -3
CARMEN CARDAMONE JR -
L JOSEPH CONNORS -4
DAVID A CVITANOVICH -4
DR LUCIO MAESTRELLO -4
REV TYSON J WOOD -4
KEVIN A BEEBE -5
NATHAN A GIBSON -5
MICHAEL C GRINSTEAD -5
TIMOTHY S ROSCOE -5
JAMES C BUCKMAN JR -7
DREUX A ELLIOTT -7
REV DAVID J DORMER -8
DR TOTI P GONZALO -8
JUAN A GARCIA -10
JOSEPH F O BRIEN -10
MICHAEL J REILLEY -10
LUIS M RIVERA -10
DENNIS J SERPA -10
ANGELO A CAVONE -12
MICHAEL J DOWNER -12

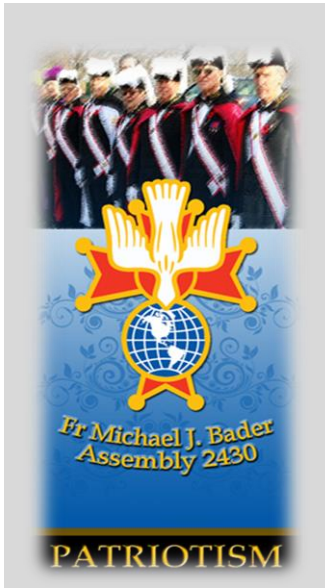
JEFFREY S KINCAID -12
JAMES M SUMNER -13
EMMETT A MC NULTY -14
MICHAEL A PETERSON -14
MICHAEL S BLANTON -15
JOHN M CANNELLA -15
WILLIAM R GORMAN -15
JOSEPH R RAS -15
RMR ANTONIO C SIOCHI -16
GEORGE J KOCH -18
SHANE M BARRINGTON -19
STEVEN C FOREHAND -20
DAVID BRIAN GRUMBLING -20
RICHARD T CANNELLA -21
JACOB F LEHMBERG -21
KENNETH A KLIMCHOCK -22
JOHN R PIZZANO -22
HART T SMITH -22
RICKY O WADE -23
THEODORE C LANGEVIN -24
RAMON V MACARAEG -25
JAMES E STELLMACHER -25
DAVID GARAY -26
VINCENT F PEDULLA -26
BEVERLEY E TIETJENS -26
DOMINIC J CARZIA -27
RICHARD J CORSO -27
JOHN M MALARKEY -27
PARLAN A CAIRNS -28

STEPHEN J D' URSO -28
RICHARD S NIEWOLA -28
ROBERT E SCARBOROUGH -28
ROBERT C WRIGHT -28
GABRIEL S FRANCO -29
MICHAEL W COMBS -31
SAMUEL R COTTON -31
BENJAMIN E ELEFANTE -31
LOUIS H LUTH III -31

ANNIVERSARIES

JOHN & JEANETTE CARTER -1
GEORGE & YVETTE HAKE -2
MIKE & JEANETTE WEBB -3
CLAY & MARLIES HESTER -5
GARY & KATHERINE SMITH -8
ANDREW & BARBARA CANELLAS -17
WILBUR & DOMINIQUE CALOPE -20
WALT & CONSTANCE CRENSHAW -22
DAVID & TERESA MUMMERT -23
THOMAS & TRACY LOVELL -24
GEORGE & DIANNE MATTINGLY -24
PATRICK & CAROLYN GILLROY -26
KELLY & KATHY TOPP -26
JOSEPH & KATHY BRINCAT -28
JOSE & LILLANA REYES -28
JOSE & VICTORIA LOMELL -30
JEROME & HYON HEMPFLING -31

FR. MICHAEL J. BADER – ASSEMBLY 2430



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SK Jim Kazmer 897-0119

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SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865

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1 Yr – SK Chuck Olson 867-7878

2 Yr – SK Louis Federico 870-0573

3 Yr – SK Thai Nguyen 232-0889

From the Faithful Navigator

★ Attaining the Assembly Star Award

Yes, the Star Assembly Award is here. For years this award has been available to our Councils and now, we as Assemblies, have that same opportunity, the honor of being recognized for our achievements in membership, service, civic and patriotic programs. The criteria is listed along with where we currently stand:

- Publish and distribute to the assembly membership a minimum of six Assembly Newsletters during the fraternal year. A copy of each newsletter must also be sent to the Vice Supreme Master. **Done**
- Meet the assembly's membership goal, with a net gain of 10% additions over deletions. **In progress**, our most difficult task
- Earn the Civic Award by conducting/participating in a minimum of four patriotic programs during the fraternal year and reporting same to the Supreme Master by June 30, 2016. **On track** to be completed by May 29th with the Scorpion Ceremony
- Complete and submit to your District Master by April 30 the To Be A Patriot Award application. Being finalized
- Complete and submit the Report of Chosen Officers for the Term by July 1, 2015. **Done**
- Complete and submit the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity Report by January 1, 2016. **Done**

As with our largest associated Council (#5480) large membership means a higher level of our recruitment effort.

Fourth Degree Exemplification...

Attention all current (and those to be) Third (Knighthood) Degree Brothers. Our Spring Exemplification will be held on April 9, 2016 in Roanoke, Virginia (see flyer). This is a "one" day event with a few embellishments. The exemplification fee is \$70.00. Dress is formal/tuxedo. Please see your Faithful Admiral, Faithful Comptroller and Faithful Navigator for more information. Deadline for receipt of applications, approval, payment of fees, etc. is Tuesday, April 5th at the scheduled Assembly meeting. We ask you to seriously consider becoming a member of the patriotic arm of the Order.

Nominating Committee...

We are pleased to announce the Nominating Committee for the Fraternal Year 2016-2017. The election will take place on May 3rd at the scheduled Assembly meeting. Election results will be reported to the District and Supreme by June 15th as required. Sir Knights desiring to serve as Officers of the Assembly should make their intentions known to members of this committee: SK Charles (Chuck) Olson, PGK PFN (Committee Chair), SK Joseph Drozdowski, FDD, PGK PFN, SK James P Healy, FDW PGK PFN, SK George Hart, PGK and SK Kiet Nguyen, PFN.

Dates to Remember...

- March 1: Dine-Out at The Jefferson Diner, "Blues Night" (See flyer). Open invitation to 4th Degree candidates.
- March 12th: Virginia State Council Quarterly Meeting in Richmond, VA.
- March 19th: Fourth Degree Virginia District Biennial Meeting at Assembly #1443 in Woodbridge, VA.
- April 9th: Fourth Degree Exemplification in Roanoke, VA.

Patriotically Proud, Harold Hairston

NEWS FROM AROUND THE COUNCIL & ASSEMBLY

New Brothers Join the Knights of Columbus in February

On Tuesday, February 23rd 2016, Council 5480 hosted a first degree exemplification and had the pleasure of adding 5 new brother Knights to the 5480 Council. ***Their names are: John Carter, Michael Blackwood, Glen Ferrer, Richard Hillenbrand, and Joseph Gagliano.*** When you see our new brothers please welcome them and help them out. Special note to our new brothers. Please find a committee or a job that suits you in our organization. We can use your talents in many ways. We are anxious to get to know you and how we can use you and how we can get to know you better. We would like to see you become an intricate part of the Knights of Columbus!



L-R Richard Hillenbrand (Council 5480), Jorge A. Casillas (Council 11781), Nikolas Gonzalez (Council 11781), Michael Blackwood (Council 5480), Tom Berger (Council 511), Glenn Ferrer (Council 5480), Steve Hudak (Council 16226), John Carter Jr. (Council 5480), Joseph Gagliano (Council 5480), Sam Cho (Council 11264)



Past Grand Knight George Hart (left) is the degree honoree, pictured with Grand Knight Dan Richard.

Knights Support the American Heart Associate with a "Run for the Heart"

Weather hasn't been the best of friends to the Knights of Columbus 10 Mile Run for the Heart. For the third time in four years the race had been postponed from its original in late January date due to snow or ice which closed the Battlefield Tour Roads. But runners who raced this year were treated to a perfect day for running when we held the event on February 20, 2016. Conditions at race time were mostly sunny with temperatures at 50 degrees with a breeze. A total of **90 runners entered the 10 Miler with 68 runners completing the course.** **Cub Scout Pack 242 and Boy Scout Troop 27 both assisted** by manning the water stations. 15 Brother Knights and family members worked as course marshals. Thank you all for your support of a great event! The raced **raised \$1000 for the American Heart Association.** Below are some scenes from the race!



EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nocturnal Adoration

Our Lady of Mount Carmel **will host First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on March 4th**. Brothers and their families are invited to pray for one hour in the **Blessed Sacrament Chapel**. Nocturnal Adoration hours are 3:00 p.m. on Friday, 4 March through 6:00 a.m. on Saturday, 5 March.

Lounge Hours During Lent

During Lent, the **lounge will not open on Fridays until 7 P.M.** to enable members and their families to attend Stations of the Cross and Soup Suppers at their Parishes. Also, there will be **no Movie Knight in March due to Good Friday**. Normal Lounge hours and Movie Knight will return in April. We will be showing *The Martian* – a 2015 American science fiction film directed by Ridley Scott. Matt Damon stars as an astronaut who is mistakenly presumed dead and left behind on Mars. The film depicts his struggle to survive and others' efforts to rescue him. Showtime will be published in the next newsletter. See you at the movies in April!

OLMC Fish Fry

We need **volunteers on Friday March 11th for the OLMC Fish Fry Dinner** prior to the "Stations of the Cross". We need volunteers for preparation and set-up at 4:00 pm, serving at 5:30pm and clean-up following. Contact David Litzinger, PGK if you can assist: (757) 719-4028 or email davidlitzinger@verizon.net.

Volunteers Needed – PAA Meal Packing & Blood Drive!

Council 5480 will again be **supporting Peninsula Agency on Aging (PAA) for packing meals** on Monday, 14 March and Tuesday, 15 March. We will need most help on Monday to unload the trucks and set up the assembly line. All volunteers are appreciated and should arrive at Founders Hall at 3:00 pm on 14 March. Also – please mark your calendars; we will be **supporting a Blood Drive on 6 April and will need volunteers** to help (more information will be published in the April newsletter). To volunteer for both events, please contact Frank Dougherty in early November so he can finalize manning and logistics. Phone: 757-595-2380 - Email: fado41@yahoo.com.

Children's Movie Day

Council 5480 **will host a "Children's Movie Day" on Saturday, 19 March 2016** – 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Knight's Den. Children (with their parents) are invited to a fun afternoon with a movie, pizza, drinks, and lemonade. **We will play the movie "Minions" in the lounge**. The bar will be open for adult drinks. The event is free to attend, but please RSVP with John Edwards at murmur291@gmail.com to make sure that we have enough food.

Council Scholarship Applications

Council Scholarship forms will be available in lounge and meeting room. Due to limited funds scholarships **are limited to students attending Catholic Schools in our area**, namely Our Lady of Mount Carmel and Peninsula Catholic High School. **Forms are due back by April 15, 2016**. Awards may be limited to two per family. Any questions about forms can addressed to Committee Members, the Grand Knight Dan Richards, or Committee Chairman SK Joe Drozdowski. Email: drozdow@verizon.net.

Need Your Support for a Petition!

Pope Francis has called what is happening to Christians in the Middle East "genocide." The European Parliament has done the same, as have prominent voices such as the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom, and Genocide Watch. This is not a partisan issue. Presidential candidates and elected leaders of both American political parties have said Middle Eastern Christians are facing genocide. But despite the evidence that these individuals and institutions have found compelling, the U.S. State Department has still not made such a designation. **Please take two minutes to join Supreme Knight Carl Anderson as well as Catholic bishops, Christian religious leaders** and other advocates in signing the petition at www.StopTheChristianGenocide.org.

Volunteers Needed for Bingo!

B-I-N-G-O!!! Fellowship, Fun...who says it's all work and no play? Volunteers are needed to help count instants, money, set ups and work with the school volunteers! Council 5480 sponsors bingo in on Monday and Thursday nights. Come in around 3 pm and play cribbage until work begins! Join your brother knights for a night of fun! Ticket sales begin at 6pm, game begins at 7pm...ALL FOR A GREAT CAUSE! We Could Always Use Volunteers to Help With: Game Callers, Floor Workers, Game Packet Sales, Instant Games, Quality Control, and Concessions.

**Sir Knights’
“Blues Night”
At the Jefferson Diner**



Date: Tuesday, March 1, 2016, 6:30 p.m.

Location: 12838 Jefferson Avenue (The old “Hot Dog King”)

Dining 6:30 p.m. to 7:30p.m. (Buffet Style)

Entertainment 7:45 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Featuring Bobby “Blackhat” Walters

***(Recording artist, harmonica player, vocalist and songwriter –
see website)***

Sponsored by Fr Michael J Bader Assembly 2430



EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



Father/Daughter—Mother/Son Dinner Dance

(All ages Welcome!)

Saturday March 5, 2016

6:30PM to 9:30PM

St. Jerome's Fellowship Hall

\$10 Couple/\$15 Family (Advance) - \$15 Couple/\$20 Family (Door)

Tickets Available For Sale after Upcoming Masses

R.S.V.P. AngeloCavone@verizon.net or (757)469-8303



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*Knights of Columbus Council 5480 In Conjunction with
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*For more
information,
contact SK Robert
Debartolo -
286-4253*

The WIZARD of OZ

Proudly Presented by
The Peninsula Catholic Players

Directed By Beth Wigley

**Thursday, Friday, and Saturday
March 10th, 11th, and 12th
at 7:00 pm**

**Tickets available at the
door and in the PCHS
Main Office**

**Saturday and Sunday
March 12th and 13th
at 2:00 pm**

**600 Harpersville Road
Newport News**

**Adults: \$10
Students/Children: \$5**

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Join us for a
Saint Patrick's Day
Celebration



Contact Larry O'Bryan for tickets at 757-869-0376
Cost: \$25 each, \$20 for Knights (no sales at the door)
All Proceeds go to KOVARVA.org (charity for people with
intellectual disabilities)

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOURTH DEGREE Virginia District



Exemplification

Saturday, April 9, 2016
St Elias Maronite Catholic Church
5730 Cove Road NW
Roanoke, Virginia 24017

Exemplification Fee: \$70.00
Dress is formal (tuxedo)

For more info...See your Faithful Navigator (Harold Hairston), Faithful Admiral (Carroll Kelley), or Faithful Comptroller (David Brin) or visit the State website:
<http://www.vakofc.org/exemplifications.html>

PUBLIC SAFETY APPRECIATION DINNER

Saturday, April 23, 2016

**“Celebrate Those Who
Protect and Serve
Our Community”**

Doors Open at 6:00 p.m.

Dinner Begins at 7:00 p.m.

Cost: \$10.00

RSVP April 14, 2015

Thai Nguyen, (thairfic@gmail.com or 757-232-0889),
Event Chair



April 24, 2016

5480 Picnic Shelter

2–6 p.m.

BBQ CHICKEN AND FIXIN'S!

\$ 5.00/MEMBER

\$10.00 MEMBER FAMILY (UP TO 4/FAMILY)

\$ 7.50/NON-MEMBER ADULT

\$ 3.00/NON-MEMBER CHILD 12 AND UNDER

**SIGN UP IN THE LOUNGE TO ATTEND OR
VOLUNTEER**

OLMC TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE

April 16th & 17th

“Knowing Our Values, Achieving Results”

KOVAR is a Virginia Knights of Columbus Charity established in 1971 to provide financial assistance through grants and home loans to tax exempt organizations providing training and assistance to citizens with intellectual disabilities.

April is “Autism Awareness Month”, please consider signing up to assist with the TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE at one of the Masses the weekend of April 16 & 17 April at Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Sign-up sheets will be at the Assembly Meeting on April 5 and the Council Meeting on April 12th.

Saturday, 16 Apr at 5:00 pm

Sunday, 17 April at 8:00 am

Sunday, 17 April at 10:00 am

Sunday, 17 April at 5:00 pm

This year we will be assisted by the Catechists, Friends & Family from the Special Religious Development (SPRED) community. Afterwards the SPRED Room will be open for an OPEN HOUSE and tour.

COUNCIL 5480 WALTER POLLARD DIRECTORY

COUNCIL OFFICERS:

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Treasurer	Ron Gorman	930-0311
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• Inside	Reco Cotton	508-1398
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• Outside	Stanley Baker	725-0576
• Outside	Umit Davulco	

Trustees:

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• Two Year	David Litzinger	719-4028
• Three Year	Gabriel Franco	877-4423

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Council Director	David Kerstetter	817-2473

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• Queen of Peace	Mike Lennartz	234-0886
• St. Vincent	VACANT	930-0818

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Youth Outreach	Dean Jernigan	596-4034

SQUIRES

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