

# **KNIGHTLY NEWS**

# St Patrick's Council 3484 Canby, Oregon 97013





## What's New and Useful for You

# **Knight of the Month**

Michael Vu was selected as Knight of the Month for his commitment to the Knights of Columbus and the Parish. He is proud to be a Knight, and volunteers at many activities; the Parish Picnic, the Fall Festival, and the Knights booth at the Canby Street Dance. Michael often helps with Building the Domestic Church movie night and Praying the Rosary on the 5th Sunday of the month. He also volunteers at the St. Vincent DePaul Food Bank, in Canby, on Wednesdays, and is a member of the St. Patrick's Choir. Michael helps at the Canby Library filling orders, and stocking returned books. He graduated from Portland State University with a Business Degree. Michael is a devout Catholic, and is committed to the Parish and the Canby community.

# **Lady of the Month**

Mary Jeanne Reif Sheveland was selected as Lady of the Month for her contribution to the music ministry at St. Patrick's. She was raised in Canby and has always been a Parishioner at St. Patrick's where she was baptized, confirmed, and married. Her children are now involved in the sacraments, just as she was. Mary Jeanne has been cantor at the 11 A.M. Mass for over 10 years.

She has played an active and enthusiastic role in many of the Bilingual Services in our Parish. Mary Jeanne did an outstanding job cantoring at the Confirmation Bilingual Mass, and sings beautifully. She is married to Rob Sheveland, and has three children. Mary Jeanne's contribution and faithfulness is an asset to the Parish.

#### **Family of the Month**

Karen and Stuart Hunt were selected as Family of the Month for their dedication in helping care for their aging parents. The Hunts also help care for their grandchild. Stuart loves the Knights of Columbus and has stated several times that the Knights have made him a better Catholic and father. He has held the office of Council Treasurer for several years. Stuart enjoys holding the office, although he has the stress of working full time while helping care for Karen's parents. Karen is a great asset to the Women's Club at St. Patrick's and has helped organized and support many their events. including their annual tea. She did a fabulous job decorating and serving guests at the special table at the Knights Crab Dinner and Charity Auction. Karen and Stuart are involved in making the Crab Dinner and Charity Auction a great success every year. They are always willing to help when asked. Karen and Stuart are hard workers in all their endeavors, and are dedicated to their family and the Parish.

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# Minutes of the preceding meeting **Chancellors Report:** No report. The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved by the Council. **Lecturer Report: Notices and Applications** No report. There are none at this time. **Service Program Reports: Grand Knight Report Church Directors** The Grand Knight thanked everyone who participated in the Hispanic Exemplification held on No report. Saturday, April 22. **Pro-Life Director Reports:** No report. No report. **Chaplain Report: Youth Report** No report. No report. **Financial Secretary Report: Membership** Ron Suchanek submitted the bank statement balances. Ron reported the following receipts: No new membership. Dues-\$25.00, 501© 3-\$24,956.77, Kiosk-\$152.50. The following disbursements were made: **Community** Pennies from Heaven - \$1,500.00, RSVP - \$500.00, Pop Corn machine - \$518.00, Fourth of July bingo No report. space - \$135.00. Special Olympics - \$1,000.00. **Family Trustees Report:** No report.

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#### **Wardens Report**

No report.

#### **Round Table Report:**

No report,

# **Unfinished Business:**

John and Marsha Meyerhofer hosted their Annual Three Rivers Fishing Trip/Campout, May 19-21. The weather was excellent, and all those attending enjoyed themselves; fishing, camping, and socializing. The Meyerhofers provided the main course for the potluck on Saturday night. Steaks, hamburgers, and hot dogs were served. On Sunday, Jesse Villarreal was the acting Deacon, and Holy Communion was received by the group.

## **New Business:**

Congratulations are in order to our Council for another successful year. The Canby Council won every Service Award at the State Convention, including the Father Taft, and the Star Council Award. Bob Thomas won the District Deputy of the year for the State of Oregon. Bob stated that all you have to do is wear a tie to merit the award. Greg Perez and Duane Kloser informed the Council of the 109<sup>th</sup>. Knights of Columbus Convention held in Bend, Oregon on May 5<sup>th</sup> through the 7<sup>th</sup>.

Changes are being considered for the Council meeting format. Under a new proposal, the board will conduct a separate business meeting at a different time, and the rest of the Council will assemble under a social format.

Duane Kloser announced that there will be summer training for District Deputies, Grand Knights, Secretaries, and all Service Directors. The dates and time of training sessions will be available at the next meeting.

The signup sheet for the Mother's Day breakfast on Sunday, May 14 was circulated.

The Relay for Life will be held on June 24 at Wait Park in Canby.

Building the Domestic Church movie, Where Angels Follow, will be shown in the Parish Center on Friday, April 21. This will be the last movie this season.

John Fontana proposed a schedule of events for the new fiscal year. The bike ride held at the Parish Picnic last year was a great success. John would like to expand the event to include a child safety class. Duane Kloser and John Fontana will initiate a project to enhance Wi Fi reception at the Parish Center. The cost of the upgrade is estimated at \$907.72. Duane Kloser proposed to expand the Wi Fi by mounting the equipment to the ceilings that cover the gym, meeting center, conference room, and classrooms. A meeting with Father Art was held on May 25, at 5:00 P.M. to secure his approval. The Knights of Columbus Council 3484 elections will be held at the next meeting on June 6.

# **District Deputy Report:**

Hillsboro will host the Second and Third Degree on Saturday, May 20.

#### **Fourth Degree Report:**

The Fourth Degree Meeting will be held at St. James, in Molalla, on June 24, at 6:00 P.M.



Julie Sherman won the Knights of Columbus shopping spree at Cutsforth Thriftway for the second year in a row.

#### Happy Birthday to our May/June Knights



#### May

Dan Herberger 5-08

Paul Crawford 5-23

Timoteo Barajas 5-23

John Meyerhofer 5-25

Syl Pavlichek 5-27

#### June

John Fontana 6-15

Terry Prince 6-21

# Good of the Order

Please keep all the Brother Knights, wives and family members in your daily prayers. Remember all those Knights who are sick or in distress, especially those in our Council.

#### **Prayers are requested for the following:**

Martha Robert, Alberto Canete, John Fontana, Greg Perez, Amado Barajas, Ron Bielanberg, Bob Thomas, Juan Herrera, Navidad Valadez, Elizabeth Huu Tran, Louis Ha Kim Trinh, Irene Saucedo, Randy Revies, Jan Brothers, Joan Clark, Chris Kloser, Elias Brown, Frances Warmesdam, Lucille Henson, The Suchanek family, Martin A. Heli, Lacey and Judy Buttram, Marguerite Baker, Bob Cassidy, Clarence Gaub, Darlene and Earnest Gaub, Dan Hemshorn, Sid Thiel, Bill Trumm, Syl Pavlicek, Mike Monahan, Bill Geary, Tommy Evans, Karen and Stuart Hunt, and Paul Crawford and family.

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# **Check out two other spots while you are there:**

- 1. Daily Scripture readings
- 2. Reflections on the scripture readings

- We support the teachings of the Holy Father
- We are active for the Church, Family, Community, Poor and Needy.
- Rewarding benefits of membership are growth in faith, lifechanging experiences and enjoyment.
- Know someone who might be interested? Is this person a practicing Catholic man, 18 years or older? Call Jesse Villarreal (503) 266-4043.

#### 2017-2017 Officers

**Grand Knight** 

Duane Kloser

**Deputy Grand Knight** 

Dave Bernklau

Spiritual Advisor

Jerry Giger

Financial Secretary

Ron Suchanek

Lecturer

Felix Barba

Treasurer

Stuart Hunt

Chancellor

Jesse Villarreal

Warden

John Meyerhofer

Advocate

**Tony Davis** 

Recorder

Ray Brown

Trustee 1 year

Steve Heli

Trustee 2 year

Matt Bunch
Trustee 3 year

Mike Robert

Inside Guard
Michael Vu

**Outside Guard** 

Jim Currie

Council Service Program Directors 2016,2017

**CHURCH** 

Michael Vu

**COUNCIL** 

James Voeller/Jack Ellis

**COMMUNITY** 

Greg Perez/Matt Bunch

**YOUTH** 

Mike Robert

**FAMILY** 

Jim Currie /Duane Kloser

PRO LIFE

Steve Heli/Michael Vu

<u>Ushers</u>

**Stuart Hunt** 

<u>Membership</u> Duane Kloser

Round Table

Jesse Villarreal

Public Relations
Bob Sheveland