# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Topics This Week

Council Officers Highlights Upcoming Events Prayer Requests Church Director Squires Corner Our Seminarians

**Council Officers** 

Chaplain -<u>Father Gary Picou</u> Associate Chaplain -

Deacon Nelson Petzold

Grand Knight <u>Marc Bollon</u> Deputy GK <u>Pete Donnelly</u> Chancellor <u>Frank Adinolfi</u> Advocate Recorder <u>Edwin McGillick</u> Treasurer <u>Craig Wietz</u> Financial Sec. <u>Reed Risteen</u> <u>Warden</u>

Inside Guards Michael Rhodes

 

 Outside Guards Ted Maturo, Patrick McGillick

 Trustee
 Sean Arrossa

 Trustee
 Felix Mira

 Trustee
 Nic Stevens

 Lecturer
 Jack Zwit

# **HIGHLIGHTS:**

THIS WEEK: Saturday: Pro Life March Dallas Sunday: Burrito Sunday

# IMPORTANT MESSAGE: New News Since Last Week

There are two Council officer openings.

Council Warden - Brother Mark Tate has asked to be nominated for Warden.

Council Advocate - Brother Mike Potts has asked to be nominated for Advocate.

If any other Council Brother is interested in being nominated for one of these positions please contact the Grand Knight.

There will be a vote at next month's Council Business Meeting to elect new officers for these two positions.

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Quick Links... **ANNUAL DUES:** KC 759 Website THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE PAID THEIR Hall Rental ANNUAL DUES KC Headline Bistro Catholics Respect Life **SEAS Home Page** LifeSiteNews.com If you haven't paid yet here is how you can do it. www.kofcassembly2857.org www.twitter.com/kofc759 Mail check to Financial Secretary, 1907 Whitley Rd, Keller Tex. www.facebook.com/kofc759 76248 OR Go to Council website and pay online http://kofcknights.org/CouncilSite/index.asp?CNO=759 Super Bowl Contest Fund Raiser If you signed up for a box and you haven't sent your commitment voucher to Frank contact him at Frankweebs@vahoo.com. or call him on his cell 817-876-7026. **Commitment to Help** Sign up to help for at least one event this year. It is a great opportunity to get to know your Brothers a little better and help us support our Council charities. One of our biggest and favorite charities is supporting our FIVE seminarians. Can't beat that. SEE SECTION BELOW "OUR SEMINARIANS" **GOD BLESS AMERICA ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!! UPCOMING EVENTS** January 13 - Saturday **Pro-Life March in Dallas** January 14th - Sunday **Burrito Sunday** Cooks at 5:00AM, Rollers at 6:15AM. We need sellers after all Masses.

January 24 - 27 Wednesday - Sunday Trip to National Pro-Life March in Washington D.C.

January 27th - Saturday

Bus Trip to Texas March for Life in Austin at State Capital

**NOW IS THE time to purchase your seats** for the annual St Elizabeth Ann Seton - Bus Trip to Austin for the Texas Rally for LIFE!!

WE NEED TO PLAN FOR THE NUMBER OF BUSES. Please visit our website at <u>www.seascc.org</u> and look for the link to secure your spot.

COST is \$30.00 per seat for a full day of Pro-Life education, prayer and family FUN!!

We will depart promptly at 7am from St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Keller, TX....plan to arrive at 6:30am to board the buses.

Bring a sack lunch, water and snacks. Further details will be provided as we get closer to the departure date.

Discounts for large families are available, if needed!!

Donation seats accepted. No unaccompanied children please.

January 29th - Monday

Prepare Meal for Beautiful Feet.

Gerry Asher <u>gmasher@netzero.net</u>. arrival time 4:00PM KC HALL.

February 3rd - Saturday

#### Casino Night

We have started to collect items to raffle during Casino Night. So if you have items, please bring them. In addition, I have attached a copy of the sponsor letter. Please feel free to print off to pass on to local businesses or forward by email. We will have one more meeting before the event. Contact Marc Tate <u>tatepmark@gmail.com</u> to coordinate collection items for raffle from local establishments.

Tickets can be purchased from the Council website via Paypal

6:00PM - Happy Hour

7:00PM - Tables Open

February 4th - Sunday Annual Pot Luck Super Bowl Party

February 8 - Thursday

Council 759 Monthly Business Meeting.

Rosary at 6:30PM. Business Meeting at 7:00PM

February 14th - Ash Wednesday

February 16th - Friday 1st Lenten Fish Fry Oh, the Fish Fries are a coming and we are a needen your help!!! Volunteers needed, wanted and appreciated!!!!

## Prayer Requests

Please review the list and send updates to Bob Hennessey robhenn11@att.net

God, our Father, walk through my house and take away all my worries and illnesses and please watch over and heal my family and friends in God's name, Amen.

For the health of Bishop Michael Olson, Monsignor. E. James Hart, Fr. Gary Geurtz, Fr. Dennis Smith, Father Glen Mullan, Father Gary Picou, Father Michael Greco, our Deacons, the CFR's and all our Clergy.

May the Lord bless and guide Pope Francis as he leads his flock.

For the health of Pope Emeritus Benedict.

May the Lord bless and guide Bishop Michael Olson as he leads his flock.

May the Lord bless and guide Father Picou and Father Greco and deacons as they minister to our spiritual needs.

### **REPOSE OF THE SOUL:** For our Brother Knights and family

Brother Oliver (Bill) Brown. A funeral Mass will be held January 12th, at SEAS at 11:00AM

Therese Zwit, mother of Sir Knight Jack Zwit.

Father of Brother Jude Chiedu

Tillie Barbolla Ortiz, aunt of Brother Michael Barbolla.

Phyllis Norgaard, wife of, DD#18/PGK, Richard Norgaard. A funeral mass will be held in January19th, at St. Michael's at 1:00PM.

Roger York, Sr. , father of Brother SK Roger York

Brother Bernard Edward Kloesel father of Brother Matt Kloesel

#### FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

Tom Owens

**SK Javier Martinez** 

Andrea Broom, wife of Brother SK Mike Broom

Malissa Young daughter of Brother Mike Colegrove

**Elmer Spear** 

Joan Borgmeyer wife of Brother Ken Borgmeyer

Jean Jaeger daughter of SK Frank Caron

Ronald Fullenkamp brother of SK David Fullenkamp

**Donald Beck's daughter Sydney** 

SK Chris Gomez.

**Brother George Sparks** 

Lady Anne McGhee

Lady Debbie Myers

SK Tony Casper

Max Sandmann

Lisa Colegrove wife of Brother Mike Colegrove

Brother SK John Bergs brother-in-law, Hubert St Louis, Susee Klekar wife of Brother Steve Klekar.

**Brother Russ Heron.** 

Gil Wong

Steve Klekar's father-in-law who is battling lung cancer.

Caleb Hood grandson of Brother Bob Farina.

**Brother Michael Rhodes daughter Mischa Rhodes** 

Joseph Bergs, brother of SK John Bergs.

Angel Gordillo, nephew of Brother Oscar Vazquez.

Brother Byron's Griggs cousin, Mick Eckert.

Kerry Lustig, wife of Brother Jeremy Lustig.

Brother Larry Lamoine asks for prayers for his brother and his family.

**SK AI Yowell** 

Tom Ratigan, father in-law to Brother Roland DeGraauw.

Sir Knight Robert Dorough and Lady Diana (also Catholic Daughter) request prayers for their first grandson, Owen. Sue Flatley, wife of Brother SK Bill Flatley and Bill too.

#### Andy Schneider son of Brother Tom Schneider

Brother Pete Donnelly has asked for prayers for his son, Bob Dorband,

**Brother Don Verdinella.** 

**Brother Mike Jones** 

**David Hill Family** 

Brother Richard Laporte has asked for prayers for his mother Denise.

Barbra Mauter, wife of Brother Mike Mauter

Leila Donnelly wife of Council 759 Deputy Grand Pete Donnelly

SK John Langbein

Lady Moria Jones wife of SK Tom Jones.

Nita Roach wife of Brother Knight John W. Roach.

Lois Savoy, wife of our Brother Tim Savoy. Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.

Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones

SK John Donovan's wife.

**Brother Ray Florez Jr.** 

Lady Maxine Propp wife of SK Bob Propp.

**Brother Johnny Pelzel and wife Martha** 

Velma Garcia wife of SK Ug Garcia.

Brother Joe Vedda Sr.

# **SPECIAL NEEDS:**

All those whom have been impacted by the many disasters.

God grant them peace of mind and the strength to mend.

For those Brothers and Sisters who are suffering and need our prayers.

May God's grace be with all those in their time of need.

For an end to the scourge of abortion.

For all those out of work or concerned about the future of their jobs.

In thanksgiving for the leadership of our Bishops, Priests and Clergy in standing up for and teaching the Truth

For our Country and its leaders - especially the "prochoice" Catholics that they see the truth.

For the Christians around the world who are being persecuted and murdered because of their faith in Jesus Christ.

For our military who protect our freedom.

For our veterans who have served to protect our freedom.

# **Message from Church Director**

**Ed Leal** 

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#### **Your Calling**

The first step in knowing your calling is to get to know God intimately through his Word. He will show you what to do. When God gives you a specific calling, it fills your thoughts and energizes you so that you will long to pursue it wholeheartedly. When the Lord gives you a calling or mission, he always has you enter into a process: a process of purification, a process of discernment, a process of obedience, and a process of prayer. Do you know what your calling is? Seek and you shall find!

My life is worth nothing unless I use it for the Lord. - Acts 20:24

# **SQUIRES CORNER**

If you know a male youth age 10 to 18 - please encourage them to become Knights. The first best step is to have them join the Columbian Squires.

Please ask them to consider and see Brothers Dale Shipman, Miguel Chaidez, Ray Antio or Kevin Bast for questions or assistance.

Please note that Circle 2040 will NOT be attending this year's mid-year Squire's conference due to lack of registration. The annual conference will be this summer in San Antonio - please consider attending.

**Upcoming Events:** 

- Continued Planning for SEAS Recruitment Efforts
- Coordination for next fun event give Nick your input!
- Lenten Fish Fry planning

See you there!

Esto Dignus (Be Worthy) Kevin Bast

**Our Seminarians:** 

We are truly blessed to be able to support these very fine men in the seminary. Thank you Lord.

Seminarian Brother Jason Allan - Council 759 jwallan@gmail.com (SEAS)

Seminarian Brother Deacon Jonathan Demma, Council 759, son of Brother Mike Demma. (SEAS)

jonathan.demma@live.com Congratulations Deacon Jonathan Demma ORDINATION MAY 19th 2018

Seminarian Brother Harrison Lewis (SEAS) harryllewis@gmail.com

Seminarian Blake Thompson (Mansfield) <u>bthompson@sjasc.edu</u>

Seminarian Brother Cameron Winn (Sacred Heart Church, Wichita Falls)

cwinn@sjasc.edu