Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Chaplain - Father Gary Picou

Associate Chaplain -

Deacon Nelson Petzold

Grand Knight Nic Stevens

Deputy GK Marc Bollon

Chancellor Frank Adinolfi

Advocate Pete Donnelly

Recorder Edwin McGillick
Treasurer Dave Rollins

Financial Sec. Jim Jones

Warden Mark Tate

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Outside Guards Ted Maturo,

Patrick McGillick

Trustee <u>Sean Arrossa</u>

Trustee <u>Dan Porter</u>

Trustee Russ Heuer

Lecturer Jack Zwit

HIGHLIGHTS

FRIDAY - SUNDAY:

Source and Summit Youth Conference

SATURDAY:

- North Texas Catholic Men's Conference
- Saturday of Prayer

MONDAY:

Prepare Meal for Beautiful Feet

GOD BLESS AMERICA ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 20th - 23rd - Thursday - Sunday

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

SEE SECTION Source and Summit formerly Youth 2000 FRIDAY 21st - SUNDAY

23rd for details

Quick Links...

KC 759 Website

Hall Rental

Council 759 Catering
KC Headline Bistro
Catholics Respect Life

SEAS Home Page

<u>Franciscan Friars Begging</u> List

LifeSiteNews.com

www.kofcassembly2857.or

www.twitter.com/kofc759 www.facebook.com/kofc759

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APRIL 22nd - SATURDAY

North Texas Catholic Men's Conference

St Francis of Assisi, Grapevine Texas

To sign up go to: www.ntxcmc.org

This is an outstanding event. Go to the website above for all the details.

April 22nd - Saturday

Saturday of Prayer

will be at 8:00 AM at the Planned Parenthood (PPH) at 6464 John Ryan Road, Fort Worth.

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If you and your family plan to pray with us, please call me or email. We typically pray for an hour and then go to breakfast at one of the local diners.

April 24th - Monday

Prepare Meal for Beautiful Feet.

Gerry Asher gmasher@netzero.net. arrival time 4:00PM KC HALL.

April 29th - Saturday

10:00AM at SEAS. There will be the Ordination for Transitional Deacons and our very own, Brother Jonathan Demma, son of Brother Mike Demma, along with Maurice Moon, will be ordained during the Mass.

The Bishop will be celebrating the Mass and Ordination. Please try to attend to show your support to these fine men.

HELP NEEDED

David Vasquez is in need of 8 ushers to assist at Saint Elizabeth on Saturday April 29, 2017 from 9:30 am to noon. Please Email David at dvasquez4109@gmail.com

April 29th - Saturday

HELP NEEDED

Keller Fest Parking - The Knight's will be in charge of one of the offsite parking areas and will need help in the early evening that Saturday. Just a couple of hours of your time.

This is a fund raiser for the Knights for our charities and it is an easy way to raise those funds.

Contact michael rhodes < mr74464@gmail.com> to sign up to help out and details.

May 4th - Thursday

Council 759 Monthly Business Meeting. Rosary at 6:30PM. Business Meeting at 7:00PM

May 7th - Sunday (A WEEK EARLY BECAUSE OF MOTHERS DAY)

Burrito Sunday

Cooks at 5:00AM, Rollers at 6:30AM. We need sellers after all Masses. The more sellers we have the more money we have for our charities.

May 16th - Tuesday

Give Back Night at Devivo Brother's Eatery

On Tuesday, May 16th, between 5:00 pm and 8:00 pm, Devivo's will hold a Give Back night for our council. They will sell pizza from their Hook & Ladder Fire Truck (with a built in pizza oven) which will be parked right next to their restaurant at 750 Main Street, Suite 165 in Keller. Devivo's will donate 10% of all pizza sales that night to our council. Please bring your family and friends and either pick up a pizza to go, or eat your pizza at one of their porch tables. You do not need to bring a certificate or form to this event. Just come hungry and help support our council's charity goals.

Please contact Edwin McGillick at emgilli@reagan.com if you have any questions.

May 20th - Saturday

Council 759 First Annual Golf Tournament

Sky Creek Golf Course \$85 a player

WILL NEED 10 VOLUNTEERS

July 16th - Sunday

Quarterly Blood Drive - After all Sunday Masses at the KC Hall

Prayer Requests

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 all those Brother Knights and family

Maria Du Pham

Nell Peffers, mother of our Field Agent and Brother Terry Peffers.

Ruby Frazier mother-in-law of Brother Reed Risteen.

Brother Monsignor Richard E Johnson passed away in August of 2016 and he was a member of Council 759

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

Brother Michael Rhodes daughter Mischa Rhodes she is in Cook Children's Hospital.

Gil Wong

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

Lady Mary Lou Giles, wife of SK Ted Giles

Caleb Hood grandson of Brother Bob Farina.

Deacon Arthur R. Narvaez

(retired) from St. Genevieve's church in Las Cruces, NM. father- in law of Brother Ruben Licon.

Joan Borgmeyer wife of Brother Ken Borgmeyer as she under goes chemo and radiation treatments for the next month.

Gene Pelzel, a Charter member of Council #11905 in Lindsay, Texas, Brother of John Pelzel

Joseph Bergs, brother of SK John Bergs

Erin Johnston

Angel Gordillo, nephew of Brother Oscar Vazquez.

Brother Byron's Griggs cousin, Mick Eckert.

Kerry Lustig, wife of Brother Jeremy Lustig.

Brother Oliver (Bill) Brown.

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

SK Al Yowell

Tom Schnieder's sister Diane.

Brother John Devivo.

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

Phyllis Norgaard wife of SK Dick Norgaard PGK of Bedford Council

SK Brother James Dzielawa (JALAVA) diagnosed with Cancer after numerous tests.

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.

Brother Dennis Jeffrey.

Andy Schneider son of Brother Tom Schneider

Brother Pete Donnelly has asked for prayers for his son, Bob Dorband, who has been diagnosed with cancer.

Brother Don Verdinella.

Brother Mike Jones

David Hill Family

SK Brother Joe McGookin, and his wife Lady Adele.

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

Barbra Mauter, wife of Brother Mike Mauter.

Leila Donnelly wife of Council 759 Advocate Pete Donnelly

SK John Langbein

Father Edmundo Rodriguez

SK Chris Gomez.

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:

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 "pro-choice" 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.

A Message From Pro Life Director SK Brother Tim Johnson

Contact Tim at:

TNT9232001@sbcglobal.net

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EARN YOUR WINGS

http://www.tkofc.org/uploads/ProLife ACE Wings Form 2016 2017.pdf

Message from Church Director

Ed Leal

Prayer

Prayer is quite simply conversation with God. What a joyous privilege we have to be able to speak to Him - almighty God - whenever we desire. How could you ever get enough of those times with Him? Meet with Him often to talk about your life. Tell Him your troubles and leave your worries at his feet. Confess your sins to Him and receive His forgiveness. Tell Him how much you love Him and how grateful you are to be His son or daughter. He's always there and ready to listen.

Pray and ask God for everything you need, always giving thanks. - Philippians 4:6

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES THURSDAY APRIL 20th - SUNDAY 23rd

Most of you have received my previous "WARNING" note that the Divine Mercy Sunday Youth Retreat (4/21 - 4/23) is going strong and once again we have the opportunity to teach by serving the youth.

We used to call it Youth 2000, this year we are re-branding as The Source And Summit.

Our mission remains, to bring youth to the feet of Jesus Christ. Jesus is the Source and Summit of all our gifts.

Rosie and Charlie Levitt have committed to co-chair again with Alana and I.

Thank you to those who have responded and offered to help. Let me know if you have any friends who would like to help.

I am very excited about the amount of religious orders and priests that we will have attending this year; over 25 from 10 different orders. They will be doing all of the teaching.

The Bishop has asked the diocesan priests to make an extra effort to come and hear confessions.

The burning bush will be aflame with Jesus as the summit.

Please respond even if you cannot help so I know these emails are getting out. Let me know when and how you would like to a help. We have to ensure we have coverage. Here is the approximate schedule:

Thursday:

3:00 pm S&S team will be setting up the arena.

5:30 pm Team mass in the Nolan Chapel

6:00 PM Team dinner (Wraps from Chic Fil A)

Friday:

3:00 pm Those with trucks will meet at Sams

3:00 pm We will start organizing the cafeteria Slicing and bagging of oranges, organizing snacks and food.

Setting up Hospitality room.

Setting up the teacher lounge to feed the entire team. Ginger Falcon's famous tuna salad recipe will be available for "as you can" dinner

Opening Mass with the Bishop Listen to the opening talks.

Saturday:

We will start at 8:00 AM preparing for the onslaught of smiling but half sleeping youth. Detail schedule of the day later. As in the past it will be a mix of snacks and meals.

Sunday is family day Final talks and Mass with the Bishop.

The work of the food team is about over and you can attend the final talks. We will be saying goodbye and distributing left overs at the exit.

Thank you for your patience and support.

Let me know.

Michael and Alana

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Michael Demma

GBI1721@GMAIL.COM

Squire's Corner

Hello Squires and Family.

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.

Our next Business Meeting is April 23, 2017 at 2:30 PM. Please plan on being there.

A big thanks for what was accomplished this month - the Squires did a LOT:

- Lenten Fish Fry's THANKS FOR THE HELP!
- Stuffing Easter Eggs THANKS FOR THE HELP!
- SEAS Kids Easter Egg Hunt THANKS FOR THE HELP!

THIS UPCOMING MEETING - PLEASE BE READY TO COMMIT TO AND SIGN UP FOR:

- 1. Participation and "Mom" attendance at the "Thank you For Life" Dinner for Mom 5/14 (Mother's day)
- 2. Ability to attend the Squires Annual Convention in Humble Texas 6/23 6/25 ROAD TRIP!

If we don't have enough participation (and two adults for the trip) - we will not be able to hold the events.

Upcoming Events:

- Next Business Meeting 4/23/17 2:30 PM
- Commit to Mother's Day Thank you For Choosing Life" Dinner 5/14
- Commit to Squires Annual Convention 6/23 to 6/25
- Planning for SEAS Recruitment Effort
- Coordination for fun events each business meeting

See you there.

Esto Dignus (Be Worthy) Kevin Bast

Our Seminarians:

We are truly blessed that we have these four very fine men in the seminary. Thank you Lord.

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

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

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Seminarian Harrison Lewis (SEAS)

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Rev. John Martin

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Deacon Martin will be ordained in May.