

Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

June 1, 2012

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HIGHLIGHTS:

THURSDAY NIGHT, JUNE 7th, THE JUNE BUSINESS MEETING, ELECTION OF NEW COUNCIL OFFICERS WILL BE HELD.

Nominees for Council 759 Officers - 2013

Grand Knight - Mike Potts, Burnie Vaughn

Deputy Grand Knight - Cary Schroeder

Chancellor - Bill Flatley, Jim McInnis

Warden - Noah Nadeau

Treasurer - Jim Jones

Recorder - Dan Cleary

Advocate - Russ Heuer, Ron Kiminski.

Three Year Trustee Omar Holquin

Guards - Brock Childress, Chris Woolbright, Tom Sheely

Nominations will also be accepted from the floor. You must have a current travel card to vote and be a 3rd degree member in good standing to hold office.

Submitted by trustee nomination committee

A Knights of Columbus Recommended Movie
We invite you to see **For Greater Glory** in theaters June 1st.

For theater listings please visit
www.forgreaterglory.com today!

Commentary: What is Happening to Our Country?

Yesterday was a very sad day for this great country of ours. It seems as if the country has been taken over by people who have disengaged from common sense, decency and basic morality to support a secular society based on a set of very misguided standards.

Yesterday, two very disturbing events took place. First, the 1st U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Boston ruled that the provision defining marriage as between a man and woman is unconstitutional. Second event, the U.S. House of Representatives defeated a bill to ban sex-selective abortions. ONE HUNDRED SIXTY EIGHT elected members of congress voted against the bill. 168 members of Congress think it is OK to murder the unborn babies based on the sex of the baby. Can anything be more vile and disgusting.

Add to these two events a government that has singled out Catholics and has violated our basic religious liberties granted under the Constitution. You have to ask yourself, just what is going on, to what end?

Also, ask yourself, what have I done to combat this war that is taking place for our country. Have I voted? Have I supported candidates that support traditional values that support Catholic values? What more can I do to make a difference to protect the unalienable Rights endowed by our Creator, to protect the sanctity of marriage and the unborn babies, God's creations?

We, as Knights of Columbus, are looked upon as leaders in our Catholic community. Let's continue to step up and lead with a passion before it is too late. As a dear friend and brother said to me, "Do you know what is a bright spot in all this, God has chose "us" to be His warriors at this point in time."

Bob Hennessey

GOD BLESS AMERICA!!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 26th - Saturday

June 7th - Thursday (IMPORTANT MEETING)

Monthly Business Meeting. Rosary at 7:00 PM. Meeting at 7:30 PM This is a really important meeting. Election for next year's council officers will be at this June Meeting. Also, the final vote on next years budget that was reviewed at the May meeting.

**June 9th - Saturday - Rescheduled to July date TBD
Father Daughter Dance**

June 16th - Saturday

Grand Knight Appreciation Dinner and New Officer Installation.

At the KC Hall. Installation of Officers is at 6:30 PM with dinner following the installation.

June 21th - Thursday

KC Officer's Meeting, 7:30 PM at KC Hall. All knights are invited.

June 23rd - Saturday

Saturday of prayer at an abortion mill, will always be the 4th Saturday of each month at 8:00 AM. We seek to defend the unborn until we have secured their right to life, protected in law. Knights and other "Prayer Warriors" meet at Whole Women's Health 1717 South Main, Ft Worth. We pray 20 decades of the ROSARY, asking for God's help to eliminate abortion. We complete 20 decades in about an hour. We try to stop and have breakfast after the Rosary. Please join us in prayer.

June 25th - Monday

We will be cooking for Beautiful Feet. Start about 3:30PM to about 7:30PM. We will need help cooking

July 30th - Monday

Clergy Appreciation Dinner at Most Blessed Sacrament in Arlington.

Prayer Requests

For the health of Monsignor. E. James Hart, Fr. Gary Geurtz, Fr. Jim McGhee, Fr. Dennis Smith, our deacons, Bishop Vann, the CFR's and all our Clergy.

For the repose of the soul Ruth Caroline McGookin, mother of Brother Joe McGookin.

For the health and healing of John Meyer, son of Brother Rob Meyer. He has been given several tests regarding his abnormal heart rhythm and chest pains. His chest pains have subsided and his heart rhythm is more normal. Still having other issues. We are still awaiting the results of his nuclear stress test and to find out if he will continue to be hospitalized.

For the health and healing of Ug Garcia who had a triple bypass surgery. Please keep Ug, his wife Velma, who is recovering from hip replacement surgery, and his family in your prayers. [Update: Ug is home and recuperating.](#)

For the health and healing of GK Jim Dowling who has been diagnosed with prostate cancer.

For the health and healing of Brother Jack Malik who had surgery for prostate cancer on Tuesday. [Update: All went](#)

well. Jack is home and thanks everyone for their prayers.

For the health of Brother Richard Mutschler.

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Gomez.

For the health and healing of Brother Terry Bachman who is recovering from surgery.

For the health and healing of Donna Davis, mother-in-law of Brother Ron Kaminski , as she recovers from cancer surgery.

For the health and healing of Brother Michael Broom.

For the health, healing and employment of Brother Jack Zwit and for his family.

For the health and healing Brother Joe Vedda Sr who is going through chemotherapy for cancer.

For the health and healing of Rita Weldon wife of Brother Ron Weldon

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Baker, son of Brother Ken Baker.

For the health and healing of Velma Garcia wife of Brother Ug Garcia recovering from hip replacement.

For the health and healing of Brother Tom Sheely who is recovering from cancer of the jaw. Tom was seen last at the last 4th Degree pancake breakfast serving breakfast. Way to go Tom!!! Keep Tom, his wife Kathy and daughter Jackie in your prayers. Update: Please contact Kathy directly if you would like to visit Tom at ANY time. (682 554-4816).

Robert Osborne Family. A prayer of thanksgiving for the nieces of Brother Bob who are expecting this fall.

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 our military who protect our freedom.

For our veterans who have served to protect our freedom.

Pro-Life Committee - Carol & Burnie Vaughn 817-881-6261

http://www.youtube.com/watch_popup?v=D9vQt6IXXaM&hd

The next Saturday of Prayer will be Saturday June 22nd, 2012 at 8AM. At Whole Woman's Health, 1717 S. Main, Ft. Worth, Limited Parking available on Bryan. We seek to defend the unborn until we have secured their right to life, protected in law. Every time we pray in front of an abortion mill we are proclaiming the Gospel of life in a public square. We are also, prayerfully, making an abortionist concerned of us and accountable to God.

Religious Freedom Rally being held nation-wide at noon on June 8, 2012 Joe Jordan will be the emcee. The rally will be downtown at the Fritz G. Lanham Federal Building 819 Taylor Street near St. Patrick's Cathedral.

CELL PHONE DRIVE:

Knights of Columbus, will continue to collect used cell phones and recycle them. This is a fundraiser for Pro-Life charities. All Knights are asked to accept the cell phones and bring to a meeting

Sunday's Reading

Brothers:

This Sunday we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity: one God in three divine persons. By the grace given to us at Baptism, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit dwell in our souls and invite us to participate in their Trinitarian life and love.

In the Gospel, (Matthew 28:16-20) Jesus sends out his apostles to make disciples of all nations and promises that he will remain always with us even to the end of the world.

Let us pray. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

The Lord be with you.

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KC COUNCIL 759 CATERING EVENTS:

Catering Events for Council 759 are a major source of income in the support of our Council and our charity objectives every year. Please try to help out when you can to support the catering team. Contact Rob Schill at rschill@verizon.net and let him know you can help. The Catering TEAM will really appreciate the help.

Saturday June 16th - GK Appreciation Dinner and Installation of Officers

Saturday June 23rd - Breakfast, lunch and dinner for the squires convention. We will need multiple people at each. Breakfast will be Burritos ,,,,,,hopefully from our burrito team, lunch will be hot dogs and then we will do a sitdown dinner that night. Hopefully we can get a lot of the council to help and show support for our squires !!!

Friday July 27th.....Rehearsal dinner for brother Bill Browns granddaughter Audra and her intended Tristan. Dinner for 50 people.

Friday June 27th - Chapter Meeting

We need people to confirm helping by emailing me at rschill@verizon.net .

Catering team