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June 17, 2011

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Chaplain - Fr Jim McGhee

Grand Knight Jim Dowling

Deputy GK Mike Potts

Chancellor <u>Dave Nicholas</u> Advocate <u>Bill Flatley</u>

Recorder <u>Dan Cleary</u>

Treasurer <u>Jim Obrzut</u> Financial

Sec. Tom Howard

Warden Richard Crabtree
Guards Russ Heuer, Al
Obregon Cary Schroeder

Noah Nadeau

Bernie Vaughn Ken Baker

Lord, one word overwhelms me personally. It's father.

I guess it overwhelms me because in Your prayer, You give us permission to call You Father.

When I think of the perfect Father that You are, I know I can never measure up.

You are unfailingly loving and passionate.

You continually provide us with all that we need, even though we don't deserve it.

I can never be as patient as You.

But You have called me to be a father. Your domain is great, mine is rather small. Yet to some people, I'm very important. I'm their father.

Give me the wisdom, strength, and insight I need to be a good father.
Through the gift of Your Spirit, help me model You in all things.

And be patient with me when I come up short.

Lord, especially help me to be forgiving toward my family.
May my forgiveness know no bounds, just as Your forgiveness washes away my sins.
Amen.

## **HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!!**

## **Grand Knights Appreciation Dinner**

You all are invited to attend the installation of officers and the Grand Knights Appreciation Dinner this Saturday, June 18th, with your wives. It starts at 6:30

3Yr Trustee Bob Propp
1Yr Trustee Mark LeMay
2YR. Trustee Joe Jordan
Lecturer Jack Zwit

Quick Links...

KC 759 WebsiteTexas Knights

### **Hall Rental**

Council 759 CateringKC
Headline Bistro

Catholics Respect Life

### **SEAS Home Page**

Franciscan Friars Begging List

LifeSiteNews.com

www.4thdegree2857.org.

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PM, with the installation of officers at 7 PM, followed by dinner and awards. I need a confirmation of who is going to attend for a count on the food we will need. Please respond back to me as soon as possible. Thanks. Jim Dowling Grand Knight Council 759

Phone- 817-676-4762

gk759@hotmail.com

## Need a KC Hall Manager!!!!

Contact Dave Nicholas for Details
A Big Thank you to Obie for his contributions to the Hall as Hall
Manager

**Beautiful Feet** is in a dire situation with food supplies. In their 25 plus years they have never seen it this bad. Please help if you can. Contact Rob Schill at <a href="mailto:rschill@verizon.net">rschill@verizon.net</a>

### God Bless America!!!!

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

June 18th - Saturday Grand Knight Appreciation Night Dinner

June 25th - Saturday

The next Saturday of prayer at the Abortion Mill will be Saturday June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011. We seek to defend the unborn until we have secured their right to life, protected in law.Knights and other "Prayer Warriors" will be going to Planned Parenthood, 301 South Henderson Ft Worth. We pray 20 decades of the ROSARY, asking for God's help to eliminate abortion. Meet at the KC Hall at 7:30 AM, or meet us at the abortion mill at 08:00. We complete 20 decades in about an hour. We try to stop and have breakfast after the Rosary. Please join us in prayer.

June 26th - Sunday Blood Drive at KC Hall 8:30 AM - 1:30PM

July 7th - Thursday Monthly Business meeting. Rosary at 7:00PM. Business Meeting at 7:30 PM

July 10th - Sunday Burrito / Sausage Sunday Cooks at 5:00AM, Rollers at 6:00AM.

July 16th - Saturday Ladies Appreciation Dinner. 7:00PM at KC Hall. Italian Dinner. Noah Nadeau needs an assistant to run the event. Please contact Noah if you can help.

July 20th - Wednesday KC Hall Committee Meeting 7:00PM. All knights are welcome.

July 21st - Thursday KC 759 Officers Meeting at 7:30PM. All knights welcome.

August 2nd - Tuesday Clergy Appreciation Dinner at St Francis in Grapevine.

August 13th - Saturday Something to add to your calendar. I'm working with the Covenant Keepers & Fr. Hart on a men's retreat for Sat. Aug. 13, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Fr. Hart will kick it off with Mass and we've got Patrick Coffin from Catholic Answers confirmed as our main speaker.

http://www.catholic.com/seminars/coffin.asp

This is designed to be a retreat for ALL the men of the parish, so we're trying to get all the men's organizations involved, not just the Knights or the Covenant Keepers.

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September 24th - Saturday Bishop's Pro Life Dinner.

October 1st - Saturday
4th Degree Exemplification in Irving Texas. Contact Rob Meyer for a
Form 400 in you are interested in becoming a Sir Knight.

## **Knights Pictures**

### **KC759 Event Pictures**

Dannie Needham has put together a web site of all the pictures he had of council events. Check it out. It's a hoot!!!! Also, If other knights

have pictures they want to share Dannie will add them to the page. www.knightsofcolumbuscouncil759.shutterfly.com

### WANT TO RENT THE KNIGHT'S HALL?

SEND NOTE TO: knights759@verizon.net

## Input to Knights of Columbus Council 759 Weekly Newsletter

PLEASE SEND ALL INPUT FOR THE CURRENT WEEK
NEWSLETTER TO BOB HENNESSEY AT robhenn@1scom.net by
NOON THURSDAY TO HAVE YOUR INPUT INCLUDED IN
CURRENT WEEK.

THE PLAN IS TO PUBLISH WEEKLY, EARLY FRIDAY.

## **Prayer Requests**

For the health of Fr. 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 healing of Tom Sheely's Father in Law - Kathy's Dad: Andrew F. Pirhalla complications after 2 brain surgery's.

For Brother Tony Casper and his family.

For Brother Robert Osborne and his family.

For the victims of the recent tornados and floods.

For the health of Brother Bob Nelson.

For the health of Brother Mike Colegrove.

For the health of Karen Dsouza's aunt, Millie Schick, who has just been diagnosed with cancer.

For the health of Brother Phil Leberta's mother.

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.

# **Pro-Life Committee/Couple - Burnie** and Carol Vaughn

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

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right to life, protected in law.Knights and other "Prayer Warriors" will be going to Planned Parenthood, 301 South Henderson Ft Worth. We pray 20 decades of the ROSARY, asking for God's help to eliminate abortion. Meet at the KC Hall at 7:30 AM, or meet us at the abortion mill at 08:00. We complete 20 decades in about an hour. We try to stop and have breakfast after the Rosary. Please join us in prayer.

### Bishop's Annual Catholic Pro-Life Banquet

Saturday, September 24, 2011, at The Hyatt Regency DFW, 2334 North International Parkway, DFW Airport, TX 75261

CELL PHONE DRIVE: The Knights of Columbus collect cell phones year around to support The Loreto House, a Catholic Life Center in Denton TX.

## **Membership Director - Anthony Solitario**

As a member of the Knights of Columbus, you and your family will enjoy many benefits, including: 12 free issues annually of the Columbia magazine, the world's largest family magazine; eligibility to join the Knight's of Columbus top ranked life insurance program; and an opportunity to make a profound difference in your community. On March 12/13 following all masses, the Knights will answer your questions about the order, provide additional information, and help you fill out your membership application. The Knights extend a sincere invitation to join them for an experience of a lifetime.

## Burritos/Sausages Team (Cedric Dsouza)

Sunday July 10th COOKS 5:00 AM, 6:00 AM ROLLERS NEEDED.

## **Columbian Squires**

(Allan Thompson)

The Squires are always accepting young Catholic Men between 10 and 18 years of age. Son's of Knights are also welcome, for more

information please see <a href="https://www.kellersquires.org">www.kellersquires.org</a> or contact Allan Thompson at (817) 337-9982 or aithompson@verizon.net

## Message From The Church Director - Ed Leal

Brothers,

This weekend we celebrate the feast of the Holy Trinity. The dogma of the church which defines the three persons of God! The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

In the Gospel from John, he tells us that "God so loved the world that he gave his only son." Christ gave up heaven - he left perfection, he left total happiness to come down to earth.

So what can we learn from this? We can learn generosity and self giving. This is the purpose of our life. It's not about us!! It's not asking what's in it for me, or how can I benefit from this? It's all about pleasing others.

If you pray, you are going to feel this charity come into your heart, and you are going to find peace and happiness not only in this life but also in eternity.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you!

### Pax Domini

Ed Leal (817) 205-1122 eleal@itt-tech.edu

## Youth Activities (Joe Jordan)

**Keeping Children Safe Class** 

Any Knights that are interacting with the youth are required to take the Keeping Children Safe class. It's our responsibility to ensure that all Knights are compliant with the Diocesan requirements. Anyone working with the Squires, Scouts or volunteering with the youth need to take the course. The course is taught multiple times a year at various locations in the diocese. You can check the Diocesan website for more information about the program and see the scheduled classes.

## **Community Board**

Looking for something, looking to sell something, looking to get the word out on something, this is the place to do it. Send input to Bob Hennessey at robhenn @1scom.net

#### CONTACT:

Mike Potts <u>sirknightmike2000@sbcglobal.net</u> if you are interested in buying shirts with KC emblem.

## **Our Seminarians**

Please support our Seminarians by writing them (cards, letters, etc.)

### **GARY PICOU**

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## 4th Degree - San Juan Diego Assembly 2857

www.4thdegree2857.org. Please bookmark it or add it to your favorites.

## **KC INSURANCE**

Call me - let's talk.

817-706-6879 or Andrew.Wheaton@kofc.org (Alpha A-J)

817-519-8993 or Robert.Peffers@kofc.org(Alpha K-Z)

Come visit our Council Website KC759.org sponsored by our field agents Andy and Terry

## **Operation Welcome Home**

Remember our dedicated service personnel arrive and depart everyday, they deserve our support!

Call the military suport office at DFW 972.574.0392 for daily arrival/departure times to greet them

. You can also call me at 817.773.2131 for information or car pooling.

## **Community Store House** (Tom Jones)

Mr. Ambassador, Brother Tom Jones

communitystorehouse.org

817-431- 3340

4574 Keller-Hicks Road

**Keller Texas 76248** 

http://www.communitystorehouse.org

http://www.minipagesites.com/minipages/commstore/commstore.html

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give." Winston Churchill

## **KNIGHTS BLOOD DRIVE - Ken Robinson, Chairman**

Our next Blood Drive will be on Sunday June 26th 8:30 am-1:30 pm at KC Hall

## **Beautiful Feet (Rob Schill)**

Beautiful Feet is seeing a downturn with the economy and they are out of perishable groceries. We need meat and grocery cards so they can buy what they need. If you can help, please contact Br. Rob Schill at <a href="mailto:rschill@verizon.net">rschill@verizon.net</a>

Beautiful Feet Ministries 1709 East Hattie Fort Worth, Tx 76115 Phone: 817 536 0505

## **Hall Maintenance Committee**

**Chairman - Dave Nicholas** 

**Treasurer - Jim Jones** 

Manager -

At large - Burnie Vaughn

At large - Dannie Needham

At large - Ken Baker

At large - Terry Bachman

#### **Council Hall Membership Available:**

Offered to any Member in Good Standing Initiation fee designated for Capital Improvements Only \$300.00 initiation fee

\$150.00 rental fee (no other fees) \$300.00 Lock in rental fee (no other fees)

For Current Charter Hall Membership \$100.00 rental fee (no other fees) \$300.00 Lock in Fee (no other fees)

This an outstanding bargin given the cost to rent comparable space.

### **Building Maintenance Committee Meeting**

#### **GOLF LEAGUE NEWS**

**SEAS Golf League Information 2011** 

The SEAS Golf League plays nine holes on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of the month, from the end of March through September. We do a shotgun start at 5:30 p.m. We play at Sky Creek Ranch in Keller (\$25.00 plus tax) on the second Thursday of the month, and we play Champions Circle GC in north Fort Worth across 114 from the Texas Motor Speedway (\$20.00 plus tax) on the fourth Thursday of the month. This is an informal league; we don't turn in scorecards, and you need not be present each time we play. I collect \$2.00 per player before play begins for the closest to the pin on one of the par 3's. Winner buys the first round or couple of pitchers after golf!

Sign up for each league night the week before by responding to my e-mail to the group whether or not you are "in" for the next league night. We have been asked by the courses we play to please play only nine holes on league night, per our contract.

Our league schedule this year is (tentative, subject to change):

June 23 Champions

July 14 Sky Creek

July 28 Champions

August 11 Sky Creek

**August 25 Champions** 

Sept 8 Sky Creek Sept 22 Champions

We go out to eat and have a beverage or two at a local establishment after golf. After golf at Sky Creek, we either stay at the Sky Creek clubhouse, or go to Mi Pueblo( by Wal-Mart at North Tarrant Parkway and Davis), or Buffalo Wild Wings on 377 in Keller. After playing at Champions, we head to Roanoke and meet at Gerhard's, Cowboy Chow, Twisted Root, or one of the other fine Roanoke establishments.

We round out the year with an 18 hole scramble tournament on a Sunday afternoon in mid October. The venue for this year's outing has yet to be determined.

To sign up to be placed on the e-mail roster, simply send me an e-mail with your name, e-mail address, and cell phone number.

Tom Schneider Coordinator, SEAS Golf League (817)925-9899

tom@tomschneider.com