Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

July 27, 2012

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www.4thdegree2857.org

HIGHLIGHTS:

VOTE - RUN OFF ELECTION TUESDAY - JULY 31st

BUSINESS MEETING THURSDAY, AUGUST 2nd.

HELP NEEDED AFTER MASSES

Brothers,

By now you have received, and hopefully responded to the letter I sent regarding the Raffle tickets we are selling to raise funds for the emergent improvements we have to make to our storage containers. Now we need your assistance to sell after masses each weekend between August 4 and September 23. We also need you to pick up tickets to sell at work, around your neighborhoods and anywhere else you think we could make a sale. We will be selling after all masses starting August 4. I can't be at every mass but if I have names of brothers who will volunteer to sell after each mass, I will make sure that there are tickets and cash to make change and a table available along with instructions on where to put everything for the next mass.

It is vital that we get as many tickets sold as possible so we can get started on the project to bring our storage buildings up to city code, but we also want to promote the hall to any potential renters. and of course, we always want to take the opportunity to invite other men to join the knights. Flyers about hall rentals and form 100's will be provided for you to give to any interested parishioners.

If you can support this effort by helping to sell after masses, see me after the August business meeting or contact me at, <u>tm1979@sbcglobal.net</u>. If you need tickets to sell please pick them up during the business meeting in August and get more at the September meeting.

Terry Bachman Hall Committee P.S. Donations are welcome to help us offset this expense. (Editor)

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY

Brother Knights - - - -

The free money I spoke about is only part of the great benefit of getting you ticket. \$10 for the ticket can be worth more than \$100...or \$1000 if you really like to eat. Football sweepstakes starts October 6th and goes 8 weeks thru November 24th.

College football 11 weekly prizes starting at \$500 down to \$20 Support the Knights of Columbus

If you cannot be at either the August of September council meeting ---- last date to

Join Our Mailing List!	purchase tickets is September 6th send cash, check or money order made payable To "K of C #759" and send it to me at Andy Bahl 3921 Cedar Falls Drive Keller 76244 And I will send you back a ticket. Don't miss outget at least one ticket. Andy Bahl PGK, PFN, FDD, Council Football Sweepstakes Chairman abahl@casham.com 817-335-1100 x1391
	UPCOMING EVENTS:
	July 27th - July 28th - Friday and Saturday Immaculate Heart of Mary Homeschool and Parent Conferences Knights of Columbus members wear badges get in free. Friday first talk at 2:30PM last talk 7:45PM Saturday Rosary at 9:00AM last talk at 3:45PM Arlington Convention Center 1200 Ballpark Way Arlington, Texas 76011.
	July 28th - Saturday The next Saturday of Prayer will be Saturday July 28th, 2012 at 8AM. At Planned Parenthood 301 S. Henderson, Ft. Worth. We'll be meeting at the Formation building at 8am on Saturday to go as a caravan to Planned parenthood, Knights and Youth together. 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.
	July 30th - Monday We will be cooking for Beautiful Feet. Start about 3:30PM to about 7:30PM. We will need help cooking.
	July 30th - Monday The Annual Priest and Religious Appreciation Dinner is being held at St. Vincent de Paul 5819, W. Pleasant Ridge Rd. Arlington, Texas. 5:30PM Social, 7:00PM Dinner, Tickets \$25. Silent and Live Auction. Dollars spent on auction will be applied against Council 759's State Goals. Make Checks Payable to: Western Metroplex Chapter For further information, contact Pat Henz 817-501-5197 or pghenz@yahoo.com Send Checks to : Pat Henz 7420 Gibson Cemetery Rd Mansfield Texas 76063
	JULY 31 - Tuesday Runoff Election VOTE!!!! August 2nd - Thursday Monthly KC Council 759 business meeting. Rosary at 7:00PM. Business meeting at 7:30PM. All members in good standing are encouraged to attend.

August 4 - Saturday Special Olympics: (8am - 4pm) at the Keller Aquatics Center on Rufe Snow near the Keller Town Hall Complex. They are in need of volunteers to help in all areas. Just show up to volunteer.

August 11 - Saturday Major Degree Where - Council 6269 - 2625 South Cooper St, Arlington, TX 76013 Times - TBA Brothers this is a perfect opportunity to move up and become a Third Degree Knight.

August 16th - Thursday KC 759 Officers Meeting 7:00 PM at KC Hall. All Knights are invited.

August 22nd - Wednesday A first degree exemplification will be held at Council 759 KC Hall. It will start at 7:00PM. If you have friend who you think is a good candidate get a Form 100 and start the process.

August 26th - Sunday KC Parish Blood Drive. Blood Donations can be made 8:30AM - 1:00PM at the KC Hall. Please considering a donation. Dan Porter will need help after Sunday Mass getting folks signed up. Please consider giving him a hand.

September 29th - Saturday Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner (SEE PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE SECTION FOR DETAILS)

December 8th - Saturday St. Nick's Party at the Church Hall

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.

Brother Knights, we recently learned that in the Bishop Evans Council 10122 in Aurora Co. the grandson of one of their members was killed in the shooting this past week. Also, several members of their Parish were injured in the same shooting. Plese take a moment to remember these people, and all the victims of the shooting, in a prayer.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sir Knight Brother Richard Mutschler, and for his wife, Marie.

Please pray for the health and healing of Sir Knight Dr. John V. Osborne, father of Brother Robert Osborne.

For the health and healing of Pablo Holguin- 5 year old grandson of . Omar Holguin, whose Leukemia is currently in a state of remission but is suffering from several side effects due to the heavy doses of Chemo. and radiation treatments.

For the health and healing of Dr. Klemens Gustafson grandfather of Brother Knight Patrick Gustafson.

For the health and healing of Mary as she under goes chemo, blood transfusions every two weeks, for lukemia.

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

For the health and healing of John Meyer, son of Brother Rob Meyer.

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.

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Gomez.

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. Update: Joe has finished with going through chemotherapy for cancer. The chemo treatments have not destroyed all the cancer cells so Joe will have a bone marrow transplant using his own bone marrow. Keep Joe and his family in your prayers.

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 Brother Tom Sheely who is recovering from cancer of the jaw. Tom was just re-elected as KC 759 Guard. 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 - Tim and Teresa Johnson

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NOTE: Vote accordingly, that Caesar may never sit where God sits. Run Off elections July 31st.

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.

Bishop's Pro Life Banquet is scheduled for September 29th. Tim will have table registration forms at the business meeting, so those who want to go to the banquet can pay and sign up then.

AS THE THREATS TO HUMAN LIFE MOUNT, NOW MORE THAN EVER, WE MUST STAND UNITED!

- Check-in 4:30 PM
- Silent Auction 5:00 PM
- Dinner 6:30 PM

Location:

The Hyatt Regency DFW 2334 North International Parkway DFW Airport, TX 75261

Here is the link for the Bishop's Pro-Life Banquet on 9/29/2012:

http://www.fwdioc.org/ministries/respectlife/bishopsprolifebanquet/Pages/default.as px

Sunday's Reading

Brothers:

John 6:1-15 www.usccb.org/bible/readings

Brothers:

Sunday's Gospel is the wonderful story detailing the feeding of the 5 thousand. God always provides. He gives us what we need and brings abundance out of what seems to very little.

Our Lords amazing sign of the multiplication of the loves and fish is the only miracle recorded in all four gospels.

What lesson do we learn from this miracle? It proves without a doubt, that Jesus is the true bread from heaven, and it prefigures the institution of the Eucharist that takes place at the Last Supper.

Do you trust in God's provisions for you?

The Lord be with you.

Ed

Ed Leal (817) 205-1122 eleal@itt-tech.edu NOTICE: If any Brother Knight, or family member is ill or in the hospital I will make arrangements to bring them Holy Communion. Ed Leal edleal7751@gmail.com 817 205 1122

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Pastoral Internship St. Joseph Arlington

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 <u>rschill@verizon.net</u> and let him know you can help. The Catering TEAM will really appreciate the help.

Friday July 27th......Rehearsal dinner for brother Bill Browns granddaughter Audra and her intended Tristan. Dinner for 50 people. Smoke brisket all day on the 26th. Setup, reheat etc. at 1:00PM the 27th.

We need people to confirm helping by emailing me at <u>rschill@verizon.net</u>.

Catering team

Boy Scout Troop 32

2012 Footsteps of the Saints Pilgrimage

During March 2012, Bishop Vann appointed John Ryan (KC 759) Diocesan Pilgrimage Director for the 2012 Footsteps of the Saints Pilgrimage (sponsored by St Francis Church and KC 7099 Chaplain Fr Anh) that departs August 3 and returns on August 8th, 2012. As Director, John will lead 30 Boy Scouts and 15 Scout Adults on a pilgrimage to New Mexico exploring the lives of the saints as a National Catholic Committee on Scouting program. John will be accompanied by KC 759 member, Dale Shipman, who will be managing the "3 Amigos" food operation for the entire group. Presently, there are 5 adults and 6 Scouts from Troop 32 including Michael Shipman and Nolan Ryan (sons of KC 759 members). A few of these Scouts/Scouters appeared in a story carried by the Texas Knight on their website several months ago. Scouts and Scouters from Arlington to Muenster, Wichita Falls to Keller and from 6

different Troops around the diocese will participate in this groundbreaking sojourn. Our Footsteps Pilgrimage will include study regarding Venerated Fr McGivney as one of the subjects of our Scouts curriculum. St Juan Diego, Blessed Pope John Paul II, Blessed Fr Serra, and Blessed Katera Tekakwitha will round out the topics of our program. The 2012 Footsteps Pilgrimage is sponsored by St Francis Church and will also be attended by Fr Anh Tran as well as Diocese of Ft Worth Seminarian Thomas Jones. Fr Anh is Pastor of St Francis Church, KC 7099 Chaplain and Region Chaplain for the National Catholic Committee. KC 759 members Dale Shipman, John Ryan and their sons have participated in fund raising activities that have raised almost \$6,000 for Scout Scholarships and the expense of a commercial bus. These scholarships have allowed Scouts and Scouters attend our Pllgrimage who may not have been able to because the current economic problems... layoffs, underemployment, etc. The Pilgrimage includes a visit to San Miguel Mission (oldest church in America), Loretto's Chapel (the miraculous staircase), and the Church at Chimayo. In keeping with the Indian culture involved in the lives of Blessed Katera, St Juan Diego and Fr Serra's work along the west coast, our Pilgrimage will visit the Indian cliff dwellings at Bandolier National Monument. Finally, our Boy Scouts will visit Philmont Scout Ranch where the National Catholic Committee Conference will Occur and an opportunity for our Scouting pilgrims to conduct a Living Rosary in the mountains of New Mexico. Footsteps of the Saints is a religious adventure meant to portray inspiring role models for our Scouts to aspire to in their own faith journey. We ask the Knights of Council 759 to please pray for the success for our Pilgrimage. For more information, please contact John Ryan at thetexaswebguy@yahoo.com