

Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Trustee [Dan Porter](#)

Grand Knight's Weekly Reflections...

May God bless you, your families, and our country.

Grand Knight
Nic Stevens

HIGHLIGHTS:

August 3rd - Monday

2015 Religious Appreciation Dinner at St Bartholomews. Tickets \$25, Table Sponsorship \$100.

August 6th - Thursday

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

Business Meeting at 7:00PM.

DON'T FORGET THAT SATURDAY AUGUST 8TH IS FAMILY DAY AT HAWAIIAN FALLS!!!! GET YOUR TICKETS NOW.

Trustee [Mark Le May](#)

Lecturer [Jack Zwit](#)

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GOD BLESS AMERICA **ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!**

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3rd Annual Hawaiian Falls Family Outing.

This is the third year we have done it and it is great time. We get our own pavilion to store our stuff and eat. If you have kids or grandkids, then please come. It is even fun for adults. If you have season tickets and would like to eat with us, then email me.

Here are the specifics:

Event: Hawaiian Falls Family Day!

Date: Saturday, August 8th

Time: Gates open at 10:30am

RSVP: August 6th to get a count of attendees for the park

Cost: \$18 per person. (includes entry, food, and plenty of bottled water).

You may also purchase a park drink wristband for \$2.99.

Children 2 and under free.

Visit the website www.kofc759.org for more info and to purchase tickets online

or

Email me back or call me at 817-675-2019 to reserve your tickets and mail a check to: KofC 759, 1907 Whitley, Keller, Texas 76248.

August 9th - Sunday

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.

August 15th - Saturday

CPR Class for Certification. At KC Hall 8:00AM - 1:00PM. Class cost is \$45. You get your own dummy to work on. Contact Richard Laporte at rlaporte00@bellsouth.net

August 20th - Thursday

Council 759 Officers Meeting at KC Hall 7:00PM.

August 21st - Friday

Family Movie Night / Taco Dinner

Help Needed at 4:00PM. Dinner at 6:00PM.

All are invited, bring your family, bring some neighbors, bring your friends.

Did we mention it's FREE!!! We won't refuse donations.

August 22nd - Saturday

Saturday of Prayer will be at 8:30 AM.

We'll be meeting at the Pius XII Center (PCC) (Formation Building), 7:30 AM on Saturday to go as a caravan to at Planned Parenthood in Forth Worth. 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

September 12 - 13 - Saturday, Sunday

Respect Life Baby Bottle Drive Kick Off.

October 2 - 4 - Friday, Saturday, Sunday

4th Degree Exemplification Weekend

Dallas / Addison Marriott Quorum

14901 Dallas Parkway Dallas

Friday - Hospitality Night

Saturday - Exemplification / Banquet

Candidates \$70. Others Banquet \$35 per person

Sunday Mass at Hotel

ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY DISTRICT

COMPTROLLER NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 20th

SK Dennis Stark - District Comptroller

5513 Oak Top Dr.

Colleyville, Texas 76034

H- 817-485-2851

C- 817-944-0591

October 3rd - Saturday

Gospel of Life Celebration and Balloon Rosary

This is a great family event. The emphasis is on the family and kids.

What could be better?

The format will be like last year's, but better:

Pancake breakfast

Mass

Launch the rosary

More pancakes

October 4th - Sunday

Keller Life Chain on Respect Life Sunday.

October 9th - 11th - Friday - Sunday

October Fall Fest - It's going to be BIG, very BIG. Please consider volunteering to help. Contact Burnie Vaughn if you are interested at

frisco1945@1scom.net

November 7th - Saturday

Bishop's Annual Pro-Life Banquet

It's with great joy that I inform you that we have a keynote speaker for this year's Respect Life Gala: Texas First Lady Cecilia Abbott.

If you would like to know more about Mrs. Abbott, the following link contains her bio: <http://gov.texas.gov/firstlady>

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. Jim McGhee, Fr. Dennis Smith, Father Glen Mullan, 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.

REPOSE OF THE SOUL:

Our Brother Knights who have gone before us.

SK Former Master Mark Hesselgrave's father-in-law, Albert Marhefka. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, having seen action in Europe, where he was tasked with building airfields as land was liberated.

Brother Robert Auwaerter's wife, Michelle Auwaerter.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

Brother Michael Cook Nephew of Brother Buddy Austin

Leila Donnally wife of Council 759 Advocate Pete Donnally

Carol Vaughn wife of District Deputy SK Burnie Vaughn.

Brother Ruben Delgado

Tim Miller, cousin of Brother Tom and wife Betty Marzano.

Diego Arrossa , 6 year old nephew of SK Sean Arrossa

Council 759 Chaplin SK Father Jim McGhee and his wife Ann.

Brother Deacon Klaus

Brother John Ward

SK Tom Sheely

Father Edmundo Rodriguez

Barbara Harris mother-in-law of Brother Franco Deras

Cheryl Radford

Mary Ann Casper wife of SK Tony Casper.

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. Lois was diagnosed with lung cancer.

Connor Olympia

Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.

Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones

SK John Donovan's wife.

Brother Ray Florez Jr.

Lady Debbie Meyer, wife of SK Rob Meyer.

Lady Maxine Propp wife of SK Bob Propp.

Brother Johnny Pelzel.

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 -
Brother Tim Johnson**

Contact Tim at:

TNT9232001@sbcglobal.net

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Pro-Life ACE Wings Award

**TEXAS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Pro-Life ACE Wings Award
Application**

Pro-Life without Apology, without Compromise, and without Exception

**Form is available on the Knights of Columbus web site,
www.tkofo.org.**

Message from Church Director

Ed Leal

Friday, July 31, 2015

The Bread of Life - Read John 6:24-35

Jesus tells us today that He is the bread of life. He is the one God send down from heaven to be our food. He is the whole meaning of our life. If we believe in Him, we will never go hungry. So, the question raised today is what are you hungry for? As we begin to choose the signs that Jesus gives, we come to realize that we no longer hunger or thirst because we have been satisfied. Have you received the bread of life today?

Squire's Corner

If you have 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, Kevin Bast, Miguel Chaidez or Ray Antio for questions or assistance.

Congratulations new officers!

Upcoming Events:

- Planning for upcoming Waffle Breakfast
- Squire recruiting "Lock-in" planning sessions under way - bring your ideas to the next business meeting
- All Squire musicians, please provide your input on what musical piece to play at the Retirement Center and provide to Hector.

Esto Dignus.

Our Seminarrians:

Seminarrian Joseph Keating Birthday 05/10 E-Mail
joe_keating510@hotmail.com

Joe Keating

Pontifical North American College

00120 Vatican City State

Deacon Date: October 2015

Ordination Date: Summer of 2016

Seminarrian Brother Jason Allan - Council 759

jwallan1216@gmail.com

Seminarrian Brother Jonathan Demma, Council 759, son of Brother Mike Demma.

jonathan.demma@live.com

Seminarian and Brother Knight Ricky Diaz, Council 759 is spending the summer in Ranger Texas.

PEARLS OF WISDOM

"Never Squat With Your Spurs On"

Will Rogers, who died in a 1935 plane crash in Alaska with bush pilot Wiley Post, was one of the greatest political country/cowboy sages this country has ever known. Some of his sayings worth remembering:

1. Never slap a man who's chewing tobacco.
2. Never kick a cow chip on a hot day.
3. There are two theories to arguing with a woman. Neither works.
4. Never miss a good chance to shut up.
5. Always drink upstream from the herd.
6. If you find yourself in a hole, stop digging.
7. The quickest way to double your money is to fold it and put it back into your pocket.
8. Good judgment comes from experience, and a lot of that comes from bad judgment.
9. If you're riding' ahead of the herd, take a look back every now and then to make sure it's still there.
10. Lettin' the cat outta the bag is a whole lot easier'n puttin' it back.
11. After eating an entire bull, a mountain lion felt so good he started roaring. He kept it up until a hunter came along and shot him.

The moral: When you're full of bull, keep your mouth shut.