

# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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## HIGHLIGHTS:

### SATURDAY

### HAWAIIAN FALLS FAMILY DAY

This is just a reminder to RSVP for Hawaiian Falls this Saturday, August 2. The cost is \$18 per person (2 and under is free) which includes your ticket, food provided by the knights (make your own sandwich, chips, and cookies), and plenty of bottled water. You may also purchase a drink wristband for \$2.99 (all you can drink fountain drinks from the park), and a meal wristband for \$7.99 if you want the park food.

If you are interested in attending but haven't confirmed with me, please email me with the number of tickets you are requesting. You will pick up your tickets that morning between 10am and 10:30am. The park opens at 10:30am. If you plan to be there later than 10:30, let me know and I can have your tickets waiting for you at the window.

Please let me know you are coming. I will forward more detailed information to attendees this weekend. I look forward to seeing you there.

Marc C Bollon

Deputy Grand Knight

[marc@blnmail.net](mailto:marc@blnmail.net)

### THURSDAY

**KC 759 Business Meeting** at Hall. Rosary at 6:30PM. Meeting at 7:00PM

Trustee [Mark Le May](#)

Lecturer [Jack Zwit](#)

#### Quick Links...

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## LAST WEEKEND

Brothers,

We completed a work filled weekend. Which we had good turn out.

**The Sweat** - The council had a work day at the Council Hall on Saturday morning. We had a group of about 18 Knights unafraid of the heat we had to complete a drainage project, cleaned out the south storage shed, and got about half way complete on a brick walkway at our back gate. Hopefully, this and the sealing will alleviate the issue we have in the patio. The walkway is looking good and will be a nice looking addition to the back of the hall.

**The Blood** - A big thanks to Bro Dan Porter and Bro Richard LaPorte for organizing this. We had a great turn out for the blood drive on Sunday. We were able to collect 39 pints of blood which potentially can save 117 lives! Blood supply is low in North Texas and this will help. If you missed our drive, please find time to donate info to donate can be found here.

**The Tears** - Well some our backs or legs may be sore this morning or maybe it's from trying to get through this long email! Thank you to all of you for your help this weekend. Have a Blessed week my brothers.

Fraternally,  
Sean

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## GOD BLESS AMERICA

## ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

August 2nd - Saturday

**Second Annual Hawaiian Falls Water Park Family Day**

Saturday, August 2, 2014@ 10:30a

Location: 290 W. Byron Nelson Blvd., Roanoke, Tx

Admission: \$18 per person (tax free)

Food: Knights will provide sandwich cold cuts, fixins, chips, and bottled water included in price .

You may additionally purchase food wrist bands to eat the park food: Drink Band: \$2.99 (tax free), Meal Band: \$7.99 (tax free)

RSVP by Friday, July 25, 2014

Contact Marc Bollon at [marc@blnmail.net](mailto:marc@blnmail.net) . Provide name, email, phone, and number of tickets and wrist bands.

**Payment:** We need to make one payment to get the pricing. Please write your check to "Knights of Columbus #759" and put "2014 Family Day" in Memo line. You can mail the check to: Knights of Columbus, 1907 Whitley Rd., Keller, Texas 76244.

**August 7th - Thursday**

**KC 759 Monthly Business at KC Hall.** Meeting Rosary at 6:30PM, Business Meeting 7:00PM

**August 8th - Friday**

**Family Night - Taco Dinner - Family Movie**

SEAS Parish Members invited. KC Hall Dinner at 6:00PM, Movie at 6:45PM.

It's free but we will accept donations.

**August 8 - Friday's for Life Speaker Series - Julie Grimstad**  
"Catholic Medical Decision Making".

**August 23 - Saturday**

The next **Saturday of Prayer** will be at 8:30 AM.

We'll be meeting at the Pius XII Center (PCC) (Formation Building), 8:00 AM on Saturday to go as a caravan to at Whole Women's Health 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 27th - Saturday**

**Bishop's 10th Annual Catholic Respect Life Gala.**

A Celebration of Life

Omni Hotel Fort Worth.

<http://www.advancementfoundation.org/pages/respect-life-gala-registration>

**November 16th - Sunday**

**KC Blood Drive.** At KC Hall after Sunday Morning Masses. We will **need volunteers** after Masses for the two Saturday and Sundays prior to the drive to sign up parishioners to give blood on November 16th. Please consider giving blood you can have a profound effect on a person's life.

## **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, 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:**

**Samuel Joachim Rodriguez infant son of Brother Gustavo A Rodriguez and wife Nancy.**

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:**

**Margret Foster, wife of SK Brother Ralph Foster.**

**Lisa Althouse, family member of Brother SK Robert F. Brojanowski**

**SK Brother Bill Mechura, FN General Worth Assembly.**

**Betsy Zwit Adams, neice of Brother Jack Zwit, lost her unborn child last Friday after six months of pregnancy. There is another angel in God's arms.**

**Kerry Lustig wife of Brother SK Jerry Lustig**

**Max Demma 5 year old grandson of Brother Mike Demma and wife Alana.**

**Brother Israel Cartagena**

**Deacon Nelson Petzold.**

**Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.**

**Brother Ed Leal**

**Jane Osmond**

**Sir Knight (SK) Mike Raffetto's daughter Stacy.**

**Eileen Copeland mother of SK Chris Copeland FN.**

**Jodi Lynn Johnson and Joanne Johnson.**

**Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones and Tom's wife Lady Moria and for Tom too.**

**Lady Carol Vaughan wife of Grand Knight Burnie Vaughan.**

**SK John Donovan's wife.**

**Sue Sparks wife of Brother George Sparks**

**Brother Ray Florez Jr.**

**Lady Debbie Meyer, wife of SK Rob Meyer.**

**Bob Zwit, brother of SK Jack Zwit.**

**Lady Maxine Propp wife of SK Bob Propp.**

**SK Tony Casper and wife Mary Ann.**

**SK Tom Sheely and prayers for his wife Lady Kathy and daughter Jackie**

**Brother Johnny Pelzel.**

**Velma Garcia wife of SK Ug Garcia.**

**Pablo Holguin- 5 year old grandson of SK Omar Holguin.**

**SK Chris Gomez.**

**Brother Joe Vedda Sr.**

**Brother Chris Baker, son of SK Ken Baker.**

**SPECIAL NEEDS:**

**Please have the brothers pray for my family. Nataliya and Anna must travel to Moscow to handle emergency issues with her Mom. They will leave the 2 Aug and be back two weeks later. SK Bob Osborne.**

**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 our military who protect our freedom.**

**For our veterans who have served to protect our freedom.**

## **A Message From Our Church Director - Brother Ed Leal**

God did not create you to live a little life with little dreams. God thinks big. He thinks expansive. He thinks abundance. Remember, that you haven't touched the surface of what God has in store for you. He's going to bring talent out of you that you didn't know you had! Keep praying and believing and don't settle where you are. Embrace the blessing God has in store for your future!

## **A Message From Pro Life Director - Brother Tim Johnson**

**Loretto House** is in need of new born baby items and toiletries. You can take your items to Denton or bring them to the next business meeting. Loreto House does not take used items.

### **PRO-LIFE BUS TRIP TO AUSTIN AUGUST 4TH**

**Brothers,**

**Last year through the efforts of the Pro-Life Community and the Texas Legislature, landmark legislation was passed to protect the health of women by compelling the abortion industry to act in a manner which meets current standards for a surgical facility.**

**On Monday August 4th, the Fifth Circuit Court will be hearing a suit filed by Whole Woman's Health. It attempts to strike key aspects of that legislation and would allow the centers in Texas to remain open after Sept. 1.**

**We need your help.**

**Several Pro-Life groups from all over Texas are preparing a prayer vigil in Austin to influence the judges to uphold the law.**

**The Diocese of Fort Worth will be represented in Austin.**

**You have the option of forming carpools yourself. Or we are going to try to organize bus transportation from Fort Worth to Austin and return.**

**There are several options depending on who is committed to go. Renting a bus will require at least 40 committed riders.**

**It will be on a first come, first served basis and will cost approximately \$35.00.**

**We have to be there by 8:00 AM which mandates a very early departure of 4:00 AM from Fort Worth. Departure location will be determined by committed riders. At this time I am suggesting the Catholic Charities location in south Fort Worth.**

**Fraternally,  
Sean**

**Timothy M Johnson**

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## **Squires 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 or Kevin Bast for questions or assistance.

Squire Business Meetings - 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at the Knight's Hall from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM.

Circle 2040 will be hosting the Texas Annual Mid-Year Convention - January 16 - January 18, 2015. Planning under way.

**August 3 - Assistance with Hawaiian Falls Parish event**

Esto Dignus.

## **SPECIAL OLYMPIC VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**

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Area 11 Special Olympics will be hosting the 2014 Bocce Competition on August 2nd and the 2014 Aquatics Competition on August 16th. Please come out and help make both competitions memorable for our athletes! Below are the links to each event. Click on each link for information regarding location and volunteer times. Let us know if you have any questions! Thank you for your continued support for our athletes.

### **BOCCE**

<https://area11bocce2014.eventbrite.com>

### **SWIMMING**

<https://area11aquatics2014.eventbrite.com>

## **2014 KC STATE OF TEXAS OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP**

**40th Annual Johnny Lopez  
2014 Knights of Columbus  
State of Texas Open  
Golf Championships**

**Brother Knights and Fellow Golfers,**

**2014 Tournament Information:**



**The 40th Annual Johnny Lopez Knights of Columbus State of Texas Open Golf Championship is being hosted by the Texas State Council and the Bastrop Knights of Columbus Council #14943. The tournament will be held the weekend of September 19, 20 & 21, 2014 at two different golf courses, Pine Forest Golf Club and ColoVista Golf Club. We did play Pine Forest Golf Club back in 2008 which is the last time the tournament was in Bastrop, Texas.**

**Pine Forest Golf Club will also host the Friday scramble tournament, which has a 1:00pm shotgun start. The Saturday and Sunday individual tournament play will be played at both the Pine Forest Golf Club and the ColoVista Golf Club, with an 8:00 AM., shotgun start both mornings. With an 8:00am shotgun start golfers are asked to be at their assigned golf course no later than 7:30am, so we can start our pretournament prayer and announcements.**

**Registration for the Friday Scramble and the Saturday/Sunday Individual Tournament will be held at Pine Forest Golf Club starting at 9:30am Friday morning and continuing until 5:30pm Friday evening. Late registration will be held at both golf courses on Saturday morning 6:30 to 7:30am.**

**Attached you will find a copy of the tournament entry form. Be sure to complete all the information requested, including council; flight; division; e-mail and membership numbers. Incomplete forms will delay your entry. For those of you who may have not ever played or have not played in one of K of C State Golf Tournaments within the past five (5) years, to establish a handicap for our tournament you will need to submit a copy of your club handicap card or two score cards from two separate rounds of golf on a 18-hole golf course. For those of you who have played within the past five years we will have a handicap on record for you.**

**The entry fee for the scramble is \$70.00 per golfer and the entry fee for the individual two day tournament is \$130.00 per golfer, and if you sign up to play all three days your entry fee will be \$165.00. Your entry fee must accompany the registration form. Please make checks payable to: 'K of C State Athletic Fund'.**

**Unfortunately the tournament is limited to the first 220 paid golfers. Please pass along the word! Hotel/Motel information will accompany your golf confirmation letter.**

**Daryl Entrop (Bear)**  
**State Athletic Chairman**  
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## **Our Seminarrians:**

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