

Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Council Officers



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[Deacon Nelson Petzold](#)

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[Patrick McGillick](#)

Trustee [Burnie Vaughn](#)

HIGHLIGHTS:

NO NEWSLETTER NEXT WEEK!!!!

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

Sunday:

Burrito Sunday

- Cooks at 5:30AM, Rollers at 6:30AM and we really need sellers after all Masses if you can help out for 15 minutes after Mass it will help us optimize our sales. We will take credit cards for the first time this weekend.

LAST WEEKEND

HAWAIIAN FALLS FAMILY DAY

It was a beautiful day, a great family day. A special thanks to the Squires for getting everything to the park.

Trustee [Omar Holguin](#)
Trustee [Mark Le May](#)
Lecturer [Jack Zwit](#)

Quick Links...

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www.4thdegree2857.org.

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Brother Tom Jones (the original Tom Jones) was recognized at the Business Meeting tonight for have donated 64 pints of blood, 8 gallons, to the Tarrant County Blood Bank. An outstanding accomplishment that has had an impact on many lives.

GOD BLESS AMERICA

ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

August 8th - Friday

Family Night - Taco Dinner - Family Movie

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August 8 - Friday's for Life Speaker Series - Julie Grimstad

"Catholic Medical Decision Making".

August 10th- Sunday

Burrito Sunday - Cooks at 5:30AM, Rollers at 6:30AM and we really need sellers after all Masses if you can help out for 15 minutes after Mass it will help us optimize our sales.

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 4th - Thursday

Council 759 Monthly Business Meeting. Rosary at 6:30PM. Business Meeting at 7:00PM.

September 6/7 - Saturday/ Sunday

Annual Pro-life Baby Bottle Drive Volunteers needed after all Masses Contact Bob Hennessey at robhenn@1scom.net

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.

Rest of the Soul:

Janet Nadeau, wife of Brother Alan Nadeau and step-mother of Brother Noah Nadeau.

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

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

B J Emlong mother-in-law of Brothr Mike Oropeza.

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.

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

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

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

SK John Donovan's wife.

Sue Sparks wife of Brother George Sparks

Brother Ray Florez Jr.

Lady Debbie Meyer, wife of SK Rob Meyer.

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.

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 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 Our Church Director - Brother Ed Leal

Who is the person we know as Jesus? Who do we think his is? Every individual has to answer that question. It's the most important question in our lives. There are lots of ways to interpret Christ. Each of us has to come to some sort of conclusion about him.

Jesus is savior, redeemer, the Son of God, the only source of sense and meaning for our human life. Who do you think Jesus is?

A Message From Pro Life Director - Brother Tim Johnson

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
Respect Life Committee
Rolling Schedule of Pro-Life Activities 2014 - 2015

August 8 - Friday's for Life - Pro-Life Speaker Series - Julie Grimstad, "Catholic Medical Decision Making"
August 23- 24 - Pro-Life Ice Cream Social
September 6 - 7- Baby Bottle Campaign Kicks Off
September 27 - Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner
September 24 through November 2- 40 Days for Life (SEAS is Tuesday)
October 5 - Life Chain (Peaceful Prayer to End Abortion) N. Tarrant & Pkwy. 377
October 5 - Official Baby Bottle Drive Ending Date
November 8 - Lock-in for Life
November 14 - Friday's for Life - Pro-Life Speaker Series - Maria Walters, (Mary's Angels)
December 24 and 25 - Baby Gifts for Jesus
January 17 - Pro-Life March - Dallas
January 21 - Pro-Life March - Washington D.C.
January 24- Pro-Life Bus Trip to Austin
1Q 2015 Ministry Fair in New Building

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.

The voting for Officers has completed - congratulations to the new Circle Leadership team! Officers will be installed at the August 10th 2014 Circle Business Meeting.

August 10 - Officer Installation / Business Meeting - KofC Hall, Keller August 17 - Waffle Sunday

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

Esto Dignus.

**SPECIAL OLYMPIC VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!!!**

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Area 11 Special Olympics will be hosting 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.

SWIMMING

<https://area11aquatics2014.eventbrite.com>

Our Seminarrians:

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

Ordination Date: Summer of 2016

Seminarrian Brother Jason Allan
maroonmadness12@sbcglobal.net

Seminarrian Brother Jonathan Demma, son of Brother Mike Demma.

jonathan.demma@live.com

We received a thank you note from Brother Jonathan thanking us for our support and how happy he is to be part of Council 759.

He has had a very busy summer just returning from South America.

Please keep him in our prayers.

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.tkoofc.org.

The Knights of Columbus Pro-Life ACE Wings Award is earned by participating in five (5) or more Public Pro-Life activities in any 12-month period. Form may be submitted at any time. Upon receipt the State Pro-Life Chairman will review and, if approved, a set of ACE Wings will be sent to the applicant's District Deputy

for presentation. Please describe the five events below, obtain the signature of your Grand Knight and submit the form to the address listed at the bottom. Applications for Priest, non-Knights, or replacement wings do not need to have events listed.

The ACE Wings are 2" wide and 5/8" high and are metallic. The "Precious Feet" are the exact size and shape of an unborn baby's feet at 10 weeks after conception.

Requirements for Receiving the Pro-Life ACE Wings Award

A minimum of 5 Public Pro-Life events are required to qualify for the Texas State Council Pro-Life ACE Wings Award. While some items can be repeated (see items with *) it is preferred that a Knight work as many different items as he can.

4 out of the 5 must have to do with the unborn, such as;

Pro-Life

Masses

Counseling*
Life*

Sidewalk

40 Days for

Volunteer at Crisis Preg. Center*

Pro-Life Parades

Hike For Life

Pro-Life Rosary Processions

Pro-Life Award Dinners

Pro Life Presentations to Youth*

Rosaries Outside Abortion Clinics*

(These are not the only Pro Life items you can do, these are only some suggestions. Please feel free to add other items to your list, just make sure that the items deal with the unborn and are public in nature)

Private Pro-Life events (such as saying the Rosary privately, or offering up a private intention at Mass), while always encouraged, do not count as ACE Award items.

The 5th item can be either a Pro Life item as described above, or it can be an item such as;

- Special Olympics Volunteer
- Providing entertainment, working/volunteering at a hospice, nursing home, or Veterans hospital
- Being part of any of the American Wheelchair events.

- Our Holy Father has called us to be Pro Life, from conception to natural death, therefore we must include those who are forgotten and left to die. Since it is legal to kill a baby in the womb we must keep this in the forefront, this is why in order to obtain the ACE Award one must

complete 4 items that deal with our most vulnerable, the unborn. Volunteering for Special Olympic events is included because many abortions are performed once it is discovered that the baby might have Down Syndrome, or some other defect. People that work in the Special Olympics arena must also be commended.

- A member may request a set of wings for his spouse, the member will be required to pay \$5 (includes shipping) for the wings. The member will not have to pay for his original set of wings.
- A Council may present the ACE Award once a year to a non-Knight in their local community that has demonstrated a strong Pro Life stance. The Council will be billed for the wings. The Council will submit an ACE Award form to the Pro Life Chairman for tracking purposes.
- Councils may elect their Parish Priest to receive the ACE Award. For a priest the Councils does not need to list 5 events/items that the Priest has done... if he is Pro Life he deserves the ACE Award.
- Forms may be submitted at any time during the Fraternal Year.
- The ACE Wings will be presented to the recipient by the District Deputy, Grand Knight or by mail.
- We encourage everyone to continue to support Pro-Life events, however, only one set of ACE Wings will be awarded to a Brother Knight. Lost or damaged ACE Wings can be replaced for \$5.
- This Form is available on the Knights of Columbus web site, www.tkofo.org.
- Complete the Form and mail to the State Pro-Life Chairman listed on the Form.

Form: ProLifeACEWingsAward(4/2010b)