

Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Trustee [Russ Heuer](#)

HIGHLIGHTS

WELCOME OUR NEW BROTHERS WHO COMPLETED THEIR 1st DEGREE LAST SATURDAY

- Donald Beck
- Grant Eaton
- Kelly Eaves
- Matt Mattingly
- Henry Mires
- Patrick Nwafor
- Carlos Perea
- Robert Strommen

THIS WEEK:

Saturday: Pray at Abortion Mill

Sunday: HELP NEEDED

Msgr. Hart will celebrate the 20th Anniversary of his Ordination this Sunday, 9/25. He will celebrate the 9 a.m. Mass and the Knights of Columbus will host a breakfast for him at 10 a.m. in the Parish Hall. We need help cooking, serving, cleaning, and dumping trash. Check in with Mike Raffetto for assignments

Lecturer [Jack Zwit](#)

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Monday: Feed Beautiful Feet

Wednesday: Kickoff Forty Days for Life

GOD BLESS AMERICA

ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 24th - Saturday

Saturday of Prayer will be at 8:30 AM.

We'll be meeting at the Pius XII Center (PCC) (Formation Building), 7:15 AM on Saturday, leaving at 7:30 AM to go as a caravan to at Planned Parenthood in Forth Worth or you can meet us at Planned Parenthood. 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 by our presence and accountable to God. We usually stop for breakfast on the way home.

September 26th - Monday

Prepare Meal for Beautiful Feet.

Contact Gerry Asher gmasher@netzero.net for arrival time.

September 28th - November 3rd

40 Days for Life

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OCTOBER 2 Sunday (2pm to 3:30 pm)

Keller Life Chain - Pray to end abortion on the sidewalk along North Tarrant and US 377. Consider volunteering to hand out signs.

October 6th - Thursday

Council 759 Monthly Business Meeting. KC Hall. Rosary at 6:30PM. Meeting 7:00P.M.

October 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.

October 14 - 15 - 16 / Friday - Saturday

FALL FEST (See Fall Fest Category below)

October 29th - Saturday

Trunk or Treat Details to Follow

October 30th - Sunday

Blood Drive - KC Hall 7:00PM to 1:00PM

IMPORTANT DATES ON VOTING

Deadline to register to vote in 10/4/16

1st day of early voting is 10/24/16

Last day of early voting is 11/4/16

Election day is 11/8/16

Pray for our country.

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. Dennis Smith, Father Glen Mullan, Father Gary Picou, Father Michael Greco, 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 and family who have gone before us.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

SK Al Yowell

Brother Francis Formoso has asked for prayers for his sister.

Council Lecturer Brother SK Jack Zwit.

Brother John Devivo .

Tom Ratigan, father in-law to Brother Roland DeGraauw.

Carol Vaughn wife of SK Burnie Vaughn DD.

Phyllis Norgaard wife of SK Dick Norgaard PGK of Bedford Council

SK Brother James Dzielawa (JALAVA) diagnosed with Cancer after numerous tests.

Sir Knight Robert Dorough and Lady Diana (also Catholic Daughter) request prayers for their first grandson, Owen.

Joan Borgmeyer wife of Brother Ken Borgmeyer

Don Schneider, brother to Brother Tom Schneider.

Sue Flatley, wife of Brother SK Bill Flatley.

Brother Dennis Jeffrey.

Andy Schneider son of Brother Tom Schneider

Kerry Lustig, wife of Brother Jeremy Lustig, and their daughter Gracie Ann.

Brother Pete Donnelly has asked for prayers for his son, Bob Dorband, who has been diagnosed with cancer.

Brother Don Verdinella.

Brother Cedric Dsouza

Brother Mike Jones

David Hill Family

SK Brother Joe McGookin, and his wife Lady Adele.

Brother Richard Laporte has asked for prayers for his mother Denise.

Barbra Mauter, wife of Brother Mike Mauter.

Leila Donnelly wife of Council 759 Advocate Pete Donnelly

Brother Deacon Klaus Gutbier

SK John Langbein

Father Edmundo Rodriguez

SK Chris Gomez.

Lady Moria Jones wife of SK Tom Jones and Tom too.

Nita Roach wife of Brother Knight John W. Roach.

**Lois Savoy, wife of our Brother Tim Savoy.
Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.**

Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones

SK John Donovan's wife.

Brother Ray Florez Jr.

Lady Maxine Propp wife of SK Bob Propp.

Brother Johnny Pelzel and wife Martha

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.

Message from Church Director

Ed Leal

Brothers in Christ,

Starting this month (September), I will once again be leading a [Scripture study class at St. Elizabeth](#). This year, the spotlight will be on the book of ACTS - The history of the early Church. ACTS is an exciting New Testament scripture written by St. Luke, and is told through the ministry of two men: St. Peter and St. Paul.

Classes will be held on Thursday evenings from 7 to 8:30

Please pray and ask the Holy Spirit for guidance and consider becoming part of this wonderful faith filled ministry. For information on how to register, please contact me at edleal7751@gmail.com.

A Message From Pro Life Director Brother Tim Johnson

Contact Tim at:

TNT9232001@sbcglobal.net

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Vivat Jesu,
SK Timothy Johnson
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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, Miguel Chaidez, Ray Antio or Kevin Bast for questions or assistance.

For the next meeting - membership dues and the start of the new fraternal year are here. Please plan to submit. If you have financial difficulties please let any of the counselors know.

Upcoming Events:

- **Coordination for camping trip - next business meeting**

Esto Dignus (Be Worthy)
Kevin Bast

FALL FEST: OCTOBER 14, 15 and 16.

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Fall Fest 2016 is approaching fast. The dates are October 14, 15 and 16. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Knights of Columbus, Council 759 is always a participant.

We will need more help to be as successful as we always are. If you can only work a few events per year, this is one of those events you will enjoy.

We will be asking for a minimum of a 4 hour commitment. As of this newsletter we still need inside and outside cooks and order takers. This is a fast paced and fun event.

Family members are also welcome, if they are mature enough to handle positions needed without supervision.

Those of you who are new to the Council, this is a good way to become involved, and meet many Parishioners at the same time.

Co Chairs for this year's Fall Fest will be Brother Richard Snow, email snowrj@hotmail.com and Burnie Vaughn Frisco1945@1scom.net Or any Council officer.

Many volunteer hours are available for those students who need them.

If you know right now that you want to be included please let Brother Richard or me or any Council Officer know right away.

If you have questions, about times or positions or anything please call me.

Burnie Vaughn cell 817 881 6261

Our Seminarrians:

Seminarian Brother Jason Allan - Council 759

jwallan@gmail.com

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

jonathan.demma@live.com

Seminarian Brother Ricky Diaz, Council 759,

ricky.diaz.db@gmail.com

Seven Wonders of the World

A group of students were asked to list what they thought were the present "Seven Wonders of the World." Though there were some disagreements, the following received the most votes:

1. Egypt's Great Pyramids
2. Taj Mahal
3. Grand Canyon
4. Panama Canal
5. Empire State Building
6. St. Peter's Basilica
7. China's Great Wall

While gathering the votes, the teacher noted that one quiet student hadn't turned in her paper yet. So she asked the girl if she was having trouble with her list.

The girl replied, "Yes, a little. I couldn't quite make up my mind because there were so many."

The teacher said, "Well, tell us what you have, and maybe we can help."

The girl hesitated, then read, "I think the 'Seven Wonders of the World' are:

1. to see
2. to hear
3. to touch
4. to taste

5. to feel
6. to laugh
7. and to love."

The room was so quiet you could have heard a pin drop.

Just a gentle reminder - that the most precious things in life cannot be built by hand or bought by man.

"Each day comes bearing its own gifts -- learn to untie the ribbons."