# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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## **HIGHLIGHTS**

## THIS WEEK:

SUNDAY: BURRITO SUNDAY

MONDAY:

**COLUMBUS DAY** 

Our Seminarians
Council Officers



Chaplain - Father Gary Picou

Associate Chaplain -

Deacon Nelson Petzold

Grand Knight Nic Stevens

Deputy GK <u>Marc Bollon</u>

Chancellor Frank Adinolfi
Advocate Pete Donnelly
Recorder Edwin McGillick
Treasurer Dave Rollins
Financial Sec. Jim Jones

Warden Mark Tate

Inside Guards Tony Masta

Outside Guards <u>Ted Maturo</u>, Patrick McGillick

Trustee <u>Sean Arrossa</u>
Trustee <u>Dan Porter</u>

Trustee Dan Porter
Trustee Russ Heuer

FALL FEST IS ALMOST UPON US AND THERE ARE MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP YOUR COUNCIL AND YOUR PARISH.

## **COUNCIL HELP NEEDS:**

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY FEED THE HUNGRY (SEE FAIR FEST SECTION BELOW)

## **PARISH HELP NEEDS:**

Lecturer Jack Zwit

#### Quick Links...

KC 759 Website

#### **Hall Rental**

Council 759 Catering
KC Headline Bistro

Catholics Respect Life

#### **SEAS Home Page**

<u>Franciscan Friars Begging</u> List

LifeSiteNews.com

www.kofcassembly2857.org

www.twitter.com/kofc759

www.facebook.com/kofc759

Join Our Mailing List!

- Thursday, 10/13 Silent Auction setup at Pius XII Center
- Friday, 10/14 Fall festival grounds setup
- Sunday, 10/16 Fall festival breakdown and cleanup

# GOD BLESS AMERICA ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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 13th - Monday

**Columbus Day** 

October 14 - 15 - 16 / Friday - Saturday

FALL FEST (See Fall Fest Category below)

October 22nd - 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.

October 24th - Monday

**Prepare Meal for Beautiful Feet.** 

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

October 29th - Saturday

**Trunk or Treat** 

Event Start Time: 6:15pm Volunteer Start Time:

- Volunteers for set up: TBD We will be helping set up for ministry fair as well. 2-3 volunteers needed
- Volunteers for food service: 4:30pm We will be feeding both Trunk or Treat and Ministry fair participants. 3-4 volunteers needed
- Volunteers for clean up: 8:30pm. 2-3 volunteers needed

John M Halloran < john.m.halloran@ampf.com>

October 30th - Sunday
Blood Drive - KC Hall 7:00PM to 1:00PM

November 3 - Thursday

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

December 1 - 4 Thursday - Sunday Men's Silent Retreat at the Montserrat Jesuit Retreat House Details in Section below

## **VOTING:**

IMPORTANT DATES ON VOTING
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:**

Grandfather of Deputy Grand Knight Mark Bollon, Arthur Peter Bollon (Arturo Pietro Bilone).

SK Brother Bob Propp, PGK, PFN has a prayer request... Lady Maxine's sister Shirley Montandon

Grandmother of Brother Michael Halloran

## 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 "prochoice" 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 <a href="mailto:edleal7751@gmail.com">edleal7751@gmail.com</a>.

# A Message From Pro Life Director Brother Tim Johnson

Contact Tim at:

TNT9232001@sbcglobal.net

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#### 40 Days for Life

Begins September 28th thru November 3rd. Tuesday is typically the day Council 759 and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish goes to pray. The

minimum commitment per week is 1 hour. I signed up for 3 - 4am slot. Does anyone want to join me? You can sign up for your own slot at 40daysfortworth.com and go to the "vigil" link.

Vivat Jesu, SK Timothy Johnson 817 908-0271 tnt9232001@sbcglobal.net

# 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.

Next Business Meetings October 24 - 3:00 PM at the Knight's Hall.

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:**

- Next Business Meeting 10/24 3:00 PM
- Coordination for camping trip next business meeting
- Planning for Squire Taco Fiesta

See you there.

Esto Dignus (Be Worthy) Kevin Bast

## FALL FEST: OCTOBER 14, 15 and 16.

3rd Notice of Fall Fest 2016

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Fall Fest 2016 is approaching fast. The dates are October 14, 15 and 16. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The Knights of Columbus, Council 759 are proud to be participants in this Parish event.

As of this newsletter we still need a few helpers, particularly on Sunday of this event. We also need help tearing down and cleaning up on Sunday evening at 8 PM.

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

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

Co Chairs for this year's Fall Fest are Brother Richard Snow, email <a href="mailto:snowrj@hotmail.com">snowrj@hotmail.com</a> and Burnie Vaughn <a href="mailto:Frisco1945@1scom.net">Frisco1945@1scom.net</a>

Or contact 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 myself 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

# Men's Silent Retreat at the Montserrat Jesuit Retreat House DECEMBER 1 - 4 Thursday - Sunday

http://www.montserratretreat.org/

http://www.montserratretreat.org/facilities-and-accomodations/

http://www.montserratretreat.org/retreat-fags/

This year's retreat master is Fr. John Payne, S.J.

Fr. John R. Payne, S.J., grew up in Galveston and entered the Jesuits immediately after graduating from Kirwin High School. In the long course of Jesuit training he studied at Grand Coteau, Louisiana and Spring Hill College in Mobile, Alabama before teaching at Strake Jesuit and then moving to Toronto, Canada for theology. After ordination he pursued graduate work in American Civilization at The University of Texas in Austin. While there he wrote a dissertation on a saintly

and heroic Jesuit, Father Louis J. Twomey, S.J., whose dedication to Jesus and others made him a powerful force for social change. With that phase of study completed he accepted an assignment to help in the early years of forming the Spirituality Center at Grand Coteau and taught novices there.

He spent many years at both Loyola University in New Orleans and Spring Hill College and four years at Jesuit of Dallas serving to foster the distinctive Jesuit approach to education while serving on the faculty and engaging in ministry. During the past 13 years he served in Austin, Texas to help support the Catholic identity of one secondary school while helping with the foundation of another based on the Christo Rey model.

He presently is on the board of Cristo Rey Jesuit Preparatory in Houston. Bishop Gregory Aymond, then Bishop of Austin, appointed him to the position of "Minister to Priests" in 2005 with the approval of the Jesuit Provincial and he provided spiritual guidance to brother priests of the Diocese of Austin until leaving to accept assignment to Montserrat in the spring of 2012.

## **Our Seminarians:**

We are truly blessed that we have four very fine young men from our parish currently in the seminary. Thank you Lord.

Seminarian Brother Jason Allan - Council 759 jwallan@gmail.com (SEAS)

Seminarian Brother Jonathan Demma, Council 759, son of Brother Mike Demma. (SEAS)

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Seminarian Brother Ricky Diaz, Council 759, (SEAS)

ricky.diaz.db@gmail.com

**Seminarian Harrison Lewis (SEAS)**