

# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

October 21, 2011

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Brothers, thank you for all the hard work and support for Fall Fest. Because of your hard work, the KC Food at Fall Fest was extremely successful this year. Despite the weather on Sunday and because of some fast work by the facility guys to keep our customers dry, we were also to keep everyone well fed, happy, and satisfied. We were successful in exceeding the financial expectations for the weekend and generated significant funds for the council. Brother Rob Schill arranged to have Beautiful Feet Mission come by and pick up the excess food we were not able to return so nothing was wasted.

I really don't dare getting into thanking individuals because I will miss someone who deserves recognition but I sincerely want to thank everyone who helped prepare and serve food for this year's Fall Festival. I do need to send a special thanks to Tom Sheely's wife and daughter who worked both days because he was not able to.

But from the crew at the Labor day smoker and catering crew who smoked the brisket ahead of the festival to the crew who helped set up the hall for cooking and serving to the guys who spent so many hours over the hot grills and fryers or behind the counters serving our customers to the guys who helped clean up the grounds and return extra food for a refund, you came through again. The hard work of the brothers of council 759 once again, made this event a huge success.

Thank you all

Terry Bachman  
Council 759 Fall Festival Food Chairman

## HIGHLIGHTS:

Our Treasurer, Jim Oburtz, has resigned for personal reasons. Thank you Jim for your service to the council. We are calling for those that are interested running for this

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office to be at the November business meeting at which time nominations and an election will take place.

Jim Dowling GK759

If you still have your **Baby Bottle** drop it off in the back of the church or at the church office. Thanks.

CONGRATULATIONS! TO ROBERT BLAGG FOR WINNING THE WINSTAR TRUCK RACES RAFFLE. [Many thanks to all who bought raffle tickets.](#)

**The Council needs your help!!!**

Call [Dave Nicholas](#) at 817-253-3094 or [Jim Dowling](#) at 817-676-4762 to volunteer.

**We need ticket sellers after all masses every weekend to sell, Cowboy Game, raffle tickets to support our charities.**

Brian Minick is still in need of help for the Family Halloween Picnic on Saturday October 29th at the KC Hall. To volunteer contact Brian at 817-532-7338 or [brian.minick@hotmail.com](mailto:brian.minick@hotmail.com)

**GOD BLESS AMERICA!!!!**

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**October 22nd - Saturday**

The next Saturday of prayer at the Abortion Mill will be Saturday October 22nd 2011. We seek to defend the unborn until we have secured their right to life, protected in law. Knights and other "Prayer Warriors" will be going to Planned Parenthood, 301 South Henderson Ft Worth. We pray 20 decades of the ROSARY, asking for God's help to eliminate abortion. Meet at the KC Hall at 7:30 AM, or meet us at the abortion mill at 08:00. We complete 20 decades in about an hour. We try to stop and have breakfast after the Rosary. Please join us in prayer.

October 29th - Saturday

Halloween Family Picnic - 6:30PM at the Knights Hall. There will be games for the kids, a costume contest, a jack-o-lantern contest and food. **To volunteer contact Brian Minick at 817-532-7338 or [brian.minick@hotmail.com](mailto:brian.minick@hotmail.com)**

November 3rd - Thursday

Knights of Columbus monthly business meeting, 7:00PM Rosary, Business meeting at 7:30PM

November 17th - Thursday

KC Officer's meeting at 7:30PM. All Knights are welcome.

December 3rd - Saturday

Saint Nick's Party See Jack Zwit to help.

December 11th - Sunday

KC Blood Drive at the KC Hall 8:30AM - 1:30PM. Consider giving blood if you can. This is a donation, a gift, that can save lives.

## [Prayer Requests](#)

For the health of Fr. E. James Hart, Fr. Gary Geurtz, Fr. Jim McGhee, Fr. Dennis Smith, our deacons, Bishop Vann, the CFR's and all our Clergy.

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Baker, son of Brother Ken Baker. He had successful back surgery this week.

For the health and healing of Brother Ralph Foster, Ralph is making good progress.

For the health and healing of Velma Garcia wife of Brother Ug Garcia.

For the health and healing of Brother Roger York son-in-law of Rob Meyer who has lymphoma and is currently undergoing treatments.

For the health and healing of Rori Bingham, Brother Don Sieve's granddaughter who is going through cancer treatments.

For the health and healing of Brother Tom Sheely who is still in the hospital battling cancer of the jaw, recovering from several major surgeries, and complications. Tom has had his reconstructive jaw surgery. He has had a pretty rough go of it. Keep Tom, his wife Kathy and daughter Jackie in your prayers.

For the health and healing of Brother Tony Casper.

For the health and healing of Terri Bossert wife of Brother Jim Bossert.

For the health of John Radford.

For Karen Dsouza's Aunt Millie (Schick) who is fighting cancer.

Robert Osborne Family

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.

## **Pro-Life Committee/Couple - Burnie and Carol Vaughn**

**Pro-Life Committee - Carol & Burnie Vaughn 817-881-6261**

**40 Days for Life:** This year's program began September 28th, and will through November 6th, St Elizabeth Ann Seton has chosen every Tuesday to pray at the abortion mill 301 So. Henderson St. Ft. Worth As always, a plea is being made to the Knights of Columbus to help with covering the nighttime hours. Please consider joining in prayer to save lives. **We need your help.**

**The Baby Bottle Drive:** continues and bottles can be brought to the Church or the Parish Office. **Please bring your bottle if you haven't done so yet.**

**CELL PHONE DRIVE:** The Knights of Columbus collect cell phones year around to support The Loreto House, a Catholic Life Center in Denton TX.

## **Sunday's Reading**

**Brothers:**

**"You shall love God with all your heart and your neighbor as yourself."**

**The Gospel message this weekend is extremely direct. Love the Lord our God and love our neighbor as our self. This is what God requires of us. That we love as he loves.**

**Reflect on what Matthew tells us. 22:34-40.**

**[www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings).**

**God is love, God is compassionate, and God is forgiving. What makes our love for God grow in us?**

**Pax Domini,**

**Ed Leal**

**Tell everyone about "Sharing the Good News", and encourage them to become part of this faith filled ministry. Send me an e-mail to get added to the every growing list of folks who receive a short reflection like the one above Monday - Friday.**

**The purpose of this ministry is to "bring people to Jesus and Jesus to people."**

**Ed Leal**

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## **A Thought**

**Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than standing in a garage makes you a car.**

