# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

November 9, 2012

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# **HIGHLIGHTS:**

Grand Knight Burnie Vaughn announced the following honors at the November Business Meeting

# **Knight of the Month - Andy Wheaton**

Andy Wheaton is one of our worthy KC Insurance Agents who not only fulfills our insurance and investment needs but is a knight who is always there to help a brother knight or the needs of the council. Andy is a fixture at the KC Hall and especially in the KC Hall kitchen creating all those wonderful culinary delights that we consume monthly at our meetings. Andy is our worthy insurance agent, a great knight and family man who lives his life serving others.

# Family of the Month - Gerry and Meg Asher

Gerald (Gerry) and his wife Margaret (Meg) have been members of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton since 1995 and have been very active in the parish. Gerry and Meg have two sons, Ronald (Ron) and Phillip. Ronnie is serving in the US army and Phillip is a freshman St. Louis University. Gerry been a CCD volunteer, the altar boy trainer, an acolyte and serves at the altar on a regular basis with funerals, morning mass. Gerry and Meg have served the SEAS community for a long period of time. Gerry is also one of the chairmen and cooks for Beautiful Feet Ministries which the Knights of 759 help support.

# **HEY IT'S BURRITO SUNDAY!!!!!**

COOKS 5:30AM, ROLLERS 6:00AM, SELLERS AFTER MASS

KC OFFICERS MEETING - THURSDAY, 7:00PM KC HALL

#### **FOOD FOR THOUGHT:**

Caution: If you read this you may be personally challenged.

http://www.ncregister.com/blog/matthew-warner/heresthe-lesson-from-the-election-folks

# GOD BLESS AMERICA!!!!! ONE NATION UNDER GOD

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### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

November 10th - Saturday
Pure by Choice - Youth Respect Life Conference
Arlington Methodist Church
4- 6 PM Contact Mike Demma at <a href="mailto:demmarespectlife@verizon.net">demmarespectlife@verizon.net</a>
MIKE NEEDS HELP!!!!!

November 11th - Sunday Burrito Sunday, Cooks at 5:30AM, Rollers at 6:30AM. Sellers after all Masses.

November 12th -19th - Monday to Monday

Honduras Mission Council: A trip to our sister parishes in Manto and Salamá will be November 12th to the 19th. Fellowship and prayer with the congregation, visit recently completed chapel constructions and other projects, meet with the Milk Line children and also those who participate in our school sponsorship program. Cost for the week is \$700, covering all in-country expenses. 18 yrs old and over only, per the Diocese. Please contact Kirstin Kloesel at 817-368-6153, or email <a href="mailto:seasmissioncouncil@live.com">seasmissioncouncil@live.com</a> to discuss flight arrangements and further details.

Thanks
Matt & Kirstin Kloesel

November 15 - Thursday KC 759 Officers Meeting. 7:00PM at KC Hall. All knights are invited to

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November 16th - Friday Annual Thanksgiving Smoker. Drop off your meats 6PM - 9PM and pick up on Saturday morning.

November 18th - Sunday Bowl - A - Thon for the Deaf

Where ---Forum Bowl in Arlington on great Southwest Parkway When ----Sunday Nov 18 at 1:00 please be there about 12:30 so we can

start on time.

Format ---When possible 2 Knights and a lady. Each team will draw for a fourth member from the Deaf program for their team. We will bowl 3 games.

Drawings --- There will be a drawing for a bowling ball and other prizes and other games played .

Cost -----\$10.00 per person except for the Deaf community .Shoes are included .

Any questions contact me at 817 239 1314 Come out any join the fun and bowl or come out and help out or just cheer everyone on . It will be a lot of fun .

S.K. Carlos Ortiz

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K of C Special Olympics Coordinator

**Fort Worth Diocese** 

November 21st - Wednesday

Annual Catering Event for Summit Metals. Need 8 - 10 guys to serve. Contact Andy Wheaton <a href="mailto:andrew.wheaton@kofc.org">andrew.wheaton@kofc.org</a>

November 22th - Thursday

Thanksgiving Day. Thank you Lord for the many blessings You have bestowed on us!!!!

November 26th - Monday Beautiful Feet Cook at KC Hall

November 24th - Saturday

The next Saturday of Prayer will be November 24th at 8AM. At Planned Parenthood 301 S. Henderson, Ft. Worth.

We'll be meeting at the KC Hall 7:30AM on Saturday to go as a caravan to Planned parenthood, Knights and Youth together. 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. (An event that qualifies for your ACE Award Application) December 1st - Saturday

KC Dues Letters will be emailed to the council membership. This is a change from last year. We are trying to save money and avoid postage.

November 25th - Sunday

We will be celebrating a Corporate Communion Mass for all Brother Knights and their Families at the 9:00AM Mass at SEAS on the Feast of Christ the King, the last Sunday of Ordinary time.

November 26th - Monday Beautiful Feet Cook at KC Hall

November 30th - Friday Catering Event Boy Scouts.

December 6th - Thursday

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

December 6 - 9, Thursday - Sunday

Advent Silent Retreat with the Jesuits at the Montserrat Retreat House at Lake Dallas. 6-9 December.

http://www.montserratretreat.org/

For Questions contact Jack Malik - jandcmalik@earthlink.net

**December 8th - Saturday** 

St. Nick's Party at the Church Hall

Council 759 will host a St. Nick's Party on Saturday, December 8, 2012, starting at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. We will serve a pasta and meatball dinner and St. Nick will make an appearance to take pictures with the kids. The party is free and open to all ages. If you can help for 2, 3 or 4 hours that day (especially in the kitchen and serving the food), please contact Edwin McGillick at emcgilli@juno.com or 817-229-8322."

Thank you, Edwin McGillick December 14th - Friday Brother Knights & Ladies

Council 759 is having our annual Christmas Gathering on Friday December 14, 2012 at the Council Hall. We have invited our Fourth Degree Brothers and their Ladies to join us. We are asking that each family bring a dish as described below.

Last Names Ending in A-LHot Dish (Meat, Chicken, Vegetables etc Last Names Ending in M-SSalad Dish (Garden Salad, Macaroni Salad, Bean Salad)

**Last Names Ending in T-ZDeserts** 

The Council will furnish Beer, Wine, Tea and Water Cocktails to begin at 6:30P and Dinner at 7P

We look forward to seeing all of you at the Christmas Gathering

**December 31st - Monday** 

Annual KC 759 New Year's Eve Party. Cary Schroeder Chairman.

January 26th - Saturday

**Texas Rally For Life (Austin)** 

- a bus has been reserved for the day trip to the state capitol for the rally. Cost \$35 per seat.

To purchase a seat by mail, send a check or money order to:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

Attn: Respect Life 2013 Bus Trip

2016 Willis Lane

**Keller, TX 76248** 

Make Payable to:

**SEAS Respect Life** 

On the MEMO line write:

2013 Bus Trip

February 2th - Saturday

**VEGAS NIGHT!!!!** Dan Cleary Chairman

As always we'll need plenty of volunteers the night of the event. Please let me know what you'd like to help with - dealers, food, bar, etc.

The real keys to the success of this event are the sponsors and prizes:

- Sponsorships start at \$100 a great way for businesses to promote themselves to the Parish community. Let me know if you'd like to be a sponsor or if you know of someone who might like to get their business some recognition. We'd love a "title" sponsor!
- We can use all the help we can get with prizes gift certificates from restaurants, stores, golf courses and hotels are great ideas. Please let me know if you can help. If every member could get us one prize we would have more than enough!

Thanks Dan - dcleary2@aol.com

# **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 Monsignor. 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 repose of the soul of Margarita Montes, mother - in-law of Marc Bollon, who passed away Tuesday after a sudden illness. Please keep Marc and his wife Araceli and her family in your prayers.

For the health and healing of Brother Johnny Pelzel.

For the health and healing of Velma Garcia.

For the health and healing of Brother Michael Halloran. Michael will be having open heart surgery on Nov 16th.

For the health and healing of Brother Jack Zwit and prayers for his family.

For the health and healing of Ralph Foster.

Ralph has cancer. He is still undergoing tests, and will for at least another week. They expect him to be released from the hospital, either today (Thursday) or tomorrow. His tests will be given locally by his doctor. As you all can guess, Margaret is totally stressed, and in need of privacy now. Her son and daughter in law are in town and their daughter is in route. The family will all be together for a while until tests are finished, and the severity and treatment are decided. Please keep the Fosters in your prayers.

Ralph Foster is using a pint of blood per day at Baylor Grapevine. We ask that any brothers who can, please consider giving blood in his name using sponsor #040452, Knights of Columbus, Keller.

You may donate blood at any Carter Blood Center. The closest one is Keller Donor Center, 101 Town Center Ln. Suite 111 - (Hwy 1709 & Rufe Snow)...817 337 1520, please make an appointment. Location Hours: Sunday:09:00 AM - 04:00 PM, Monday: 09:00 AM - 06:00 PM, Tuesday: 11:00 AM - 08:00 PM, Wednesday: 11:00 AM -06:00 PM, Thursday: 10:00 AM - 08:00 PM, Saturday: 08:00 AM - 04:00 PM.

For the health and healing of Brother Tony Casper's granddaughter Laura Casper.

For the health and healing for Edie Dowling wife of PGK Jim Dowling.

For the health and healing of Cheryl Radford.

For the health and healing of Pablo Holguin- 5 year old grandson of Omar Holguin.

For the health and healing of John Meyer, son of Brother Rob Meyer.

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Gomez.

For the health and healing of Donna Davis, mother-in-law of Brother Ron Kaminski, as she recovers from cancer surgery.

For the health and healing Brother Joe Vedda Sr.

For the health and healing of Brother Chris Baker, son of Brother Ken Baker.

For the health and healing of Brother Tom Sheely.

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.

My nephew Jason is a Chaplain in the United States Army, currently stationed with the Special Forces in Afghanistan. This is his third tour, second in Afghanistan. I received an email which said "Lost two more great warriors. Prepping for the third memorial in less than a month. Been a tough two weeks. We need lots of prayers." I am so worried for him and our soldiers. Jason was called to be a Chaplain in the Army, because there are so few Catholic Chaplains in the Army. He has over twice the bases this time as with his first tour, and now it's with the Special Forces.

I'm not sure of the proper channels to go through to get this out. Thank you for your help!

#### **Gerri Ames**

For our veterans who have served to protect our freedom.

<u>Pro-Life Committee</u> - Tim and Teresa Johnson tnt9232001@sbcglobal.net 817- 908 -0271

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Whole Women's Health Abortion Mill Has Moved to 3256 Lackland Road, Fort Worth, a neighborhood south of the Ridgemar Mall and I-30 on Lackland Road. It backs up to the Z Boaz municipal golf course. The location is almost 7 miles west of the former site.

CELL PHONE DRIVE: Knights of Columbus, will continue to collect used cell phones and recycle them. This is a fundraiser for Pro-Life charities. All Knights are asked to accept the cell phones and bring to a meeting.

Texas Rally for Life is January 26th. We will be taking a charter bus to the rally again this year. Last year over 5,000 marchers attended the rally and it was a GREAT TRIP... testimonials available by our own brother knights who made last year's trip.. Cost is \$35 a seat. On a first come signup basis. Contact Tim at 817 - 908 - 0271 or tnt09232001@sbcglobal.net

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Pro-Life ACE Wings Award Application tkofc.org/uploads/downloads/9\_Ace\_Pro-Life\_Award.pdf
File Format: PDF/Adobe Acrobat - Quick View
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.

# **CHURCH DIRECTOR - ED LEAL**

# Sunday's Reading

#### **Brothers:**

Mark 12:38-44 www.usccb.org/bible/readings

Sunday's Gospel helps us understand the ways of God.

The story of the poor widow demonstrates powerfully the humility that pleases Jesus. We tend to think that being humble means allowing other people to take advantage of us, but this widow teaches us that true humility means total dependence on God.

Today, let us ask the Lord to make us more like this poor widow. She trusted that God would provide everything for her.

Jesus teaches us that we must learn how to live that way too!

Do you have the faith and trust that God will provide for you?

The Lord be with you.

Ed

Ed Leal (817) 205-1122 eleal@itt-tech.edu

#### IF YOU NEED COMMUNION:

If any Brother Knight, or family member is ill or in the hospital I will make arrangements to bring them Holy Communion.

Ed Leal edleal7751@gmail.com 817 205 1122

# **Our Seminarians:**

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Pastoral Internship St. Joseph Arlington

# **Catering Team:**

#### **KC COUNCIL 759 CATERING EVENTS:**

Catering Events for Council 759 are a major source of income in the support of our Council and our charity objectives every year. Please try to help out when you can to support the catering team. Contact Rob Schill at <a href="mailto:rschill@verizon.net">rschill@verizon.net</a> and let him know you can help. The Catering TEAM will really appreciate the help.

#### **November 21st - Wednesday**

Annual Summit Metals Family Lunch. Contact Andy Wheaton at <a href="mailto:andrew.wheaton@foc.org">andrew.wheaton@foc.org</a>. Need Servers.

#### November 30th - Friday

Boy Scouts Annual Dinner. Need servers.

#### December 15th - Saturday -

Council 7264 Weatherford. Christmas Party. We will cook at Weatherford site.

### June 15th - Saturday

McDonnell wedding

We will cook for the wedding reception on June 15th next summer. That night. 150 people. We will need bartenders and servers.

We need people to confirm helping by emailing me at rschill@verizon.net.

Catering team

# **Insurance Agents**

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