

Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

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Grand Knight's Weekly Reflections

Brothers,

Who was Monsignor Robert M. Nolan, after whom our Council is named? Thanks to Brother Bob Propp, PGK, PFN we have some insights. Brother Bob owns a 'first edition' book, St. Patrick's (The First 100 years) written by Fr. William R. Hoover and published in 1988 at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Its editors are Malinda R. Crumley and Kay Fialho. The following information comes from that book, pages 30-39. St. Patrick's Cathedral was dedicated on July 10, 1892. A 33 year old priest, Fr. Robert M. Nolan, came from Gainsville, TX in 1907 and became its next pastor. In 1908, Fr. Nolan oversaw the building of a new rectory which remains to this day next to the Cathedral. Multiple priests lived in the rectory as well as Fr. Nolan's mother (Mrs. Margaret A. Nolan) and Fr. Nolan's sister, Mrs. May Drake, who was the housekeeper. Fr. Nolan had the Stations of the Cross replaced with the Gothic revival style ones we see there today. He also had installed an organ with 1,268 pipes which provided the growing congregation with beautiful music. Our Lady of Victory school was established in 1909 with the help of Fr. Nolan. It and Laneri High School would later merge to become Robert M. Nolan High School in 1961. In 1913, Fr. Nolan was appointed, what was called at the time, 'dean' of the city which now had 14 parishes and institutions. Dean Nolan would, at times, represent Bishop Joseph Patrick Lynch, who was the Bishop of Dallas. In 1925, Fr. Nolan became Monsignor

Lecturer [Jack Zwit](#)

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Nolan and worked hard to grow the Catholic Faith during an era when Catholics were despised and the KKK was very active. On December 24,1939, Monsignor Nolan died at the age of 65.

Thank you, Monsignor Nolan and all our priests, for your vocations!

Blessings and all that is good.

Grand Knight

Nic Stevens

FUNERAL MASSES:

The funeral Mass for SK John Ward will be on Friday (11/13) at 1 pm at SEAS.

The funeral Mass for Brother Mike Fritzel and his wife Paula will be on Saturday (11/14) at 11:30 am at SEAS.

THIS WEEK:

Thursday - Thanksgiving Smoker

GOD BLESS AMERICA

ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

November 19th - Thursday

Thanksgiving Smoker. Drop off your goodies to be smoked and the Knights will smoke it for you over night pick it up the next morning. Donations accepted. Help needed.

November 28th - Saturday

Saturday of Prayer will be at 8:30 AM.

We'll be meeting at the Pius XII Center (PCC) (Formation Building), 7:30 AM on Saturday to go as a caravan to at Planned Parenthood 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

November 29th- Sunday

Corporate Communion Sunday. The Rosary will start at 8:30 a.m. and all Knight are encouraged to attend with their families. The front right pews are reserved for us at the 9 a.m. Mass. What a wonderful way to display our Unity and Fraternity!

December 3rd - Thursday

KC Council 759 Monthly Business Meeting.

Rosary at 6:30PM.

Business Meeting at 7:00PM.

December 3rd - 6th - Thursday - Sunday

Men's Silent Retreat at Montserrat Jesuit Retreat House, Lake Dallas , with Retreat Leader Fr. Jeff Putthoff, S.J.

Fr. Putthoff's background is at <http://jesuits.org/news-detail?TN=NEWS-20140211031124>

Register at the following link:

<http://www.montserratretreat.org/calendar/2015/12/3/50-men-advent-i>

<http://www.montserratretreat.org/>

This Q and A link can provide helpful information for those who may be considering the Advent retreat.

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

December 5th - Saturday

Annual Saint Nick's Christmas Party. Details to follow at later date.

Sunday - December 13th

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.

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, Father Glen Mullan, 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.

Brother Mike Fritzel and his wife Paula

SK John Ward

Barbara Harris mother-in-law of Franco Deras

Brother Jorge Romero's mother, Mary Magdlene Sanchez Romero

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

Brother Dennis Jeffrey AKA "Pickle Man"

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.

Brother Michael Cook Nephew of Brother Buddy Austin

Leila Donnally wife of Council 759 Advocate Pete Donnally

Carol Vaughn wife of District Deputy SK Burnie Vaughn.

Diego Arrossa , 6 year old nephew of SK Sean Arrossa

Past Council 759 Chaplin SK Father Jim McGhee and his wife Ann.

Brother Deacon Klaus Gutbier

SK John Langbein

Father Edmundo Rodriguez

Barbara Harris mother-in-law of Brother Franco Deras

Cheryl Radford

Mary Ann Casper wife of SK Tony Casper and for Tony too.

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. Lois was diagnosed with lung cancer.

Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.

Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones

SK John Donovan's wife.

Brother Ray Florez Jr.

Lady Debbie Meyer, wife of SK Rob Meyer.

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

Friday, November 13, 2015

This is His Day

**This is the day the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad. -
Psalm 118:24**

Today, treasure the time that God has given you. Give Him the glory, praise, and thanksgiving He deserves. And search for the hidden possibilities that God has placed along your path. This day is a priceless gift from God, so use it joyfully and encourage others to do likewise. God has given you the gift of life (here on earth) and the promise of eternal life (in heaven). Now, He wants to celebrate those gifts. Rejoice and be glad!

COUNCIL 759 CATERING TEAM

HELP NEEDED

Brother Andy Wheaton has asked for help.

We have the following events below and needed man power:

Hall Rental Nov 14th 85 ppl 2 guys needed...I am a guest at this party so will be here and will help, cooking tomorrow morning, biggest need is food prep and clean up after...dinner at 6:30 show time 4:00.

Smoker Nov 20th... 5PM then all night...need help mostly in the morning starting at 7 AM of the 21st to help clean and help with pick up

Summit Metals Nov 25th 150 ppl all covered for event and buffet workers (will cook meat at smoker), mostly need 2-3 guys here when we return to help clean up. Lunch at 12 show at 8 leave hall at 1030

Hall Rental Nov 28th 100 ppl...they have servers need 2-3 to help prep and get food out (smoking meat at the smoker) Dinner at 5:30 show time 2:30

Please let anyone know or the entire council. More the merrier I am pretty good at dolling out jobs.

Any questions let me know.

We also have two more in December that I will get out once we get closer.

Looks like we should have a productive catering side through the year end.

Contact Brother Andy [at....andrew.wheaton@kofo.org](mailto:andrew.wheaton@kofo.org)

A Message From Pro Life Director Brother Tim Johnson

Contact Tim at:

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Pro-Life ACE Wings Award

**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.tkofo.org.

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.

Thanks, Squires - for your help and participation at the FALL FEST and at the SILVER ROSE. You help make our Parish what it is.

Next Business Meetings November 15 - 3PM at the Knight's Hall.

Upcoming Events:

FINAL PLANNING FOR CAMPING TRIP - this coming Business Meeting!

- New Squires coming aboard - Next Meeting
- Next Business Meeting - November 15, 2015
- Proposed Camping Trip - November 20, 2015
- All Squire musicians, please select your piece - and your fellow musician for a duet (or go solo) - for entertainment for retirement home

Our Seminararians:

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Deacon Joe Keating

Pontifical North American College

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Ordination Date: Summer of 2016

**Joe Keating was ordained to the transitional diaconate
October 1st at the Pontifical North American College in
Rome by Cardinal Timothy Dolan of New**

York. Congratulations Deacon Joe Keating we are all looking forward to the summer of 2016.

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