# Knights of Columbus Council 759 Newsletter

December 19, 2014

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#### **Council Officers**



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## **HIGHLIGHTS**:

**NOTICE:** The Weekly Newsletter will not be published December 26 or January 2. Normal publication will start January 9th 2015

Please consult the Upcoming Events Section for activities through January 9th.

Please note that the January Business meeting will be held Thursday January 8th

Have a Blessed Christmas a Happy New Year

# COOKING BEAUTIFUL FEET CHRISTMAS EVE DINNER STARTING TODAY

# **NEED TURKEYS:**

When you are out shopping for your Turkey please look deals where you can buy a second turkey and bring it to the KC Hall for our use in making dinners for the poor and homeless. Thanks. Trustee <u>Mark Le May</u> Lecturer <u>Jack Zwit</u>

# GOD BLESS AMERICA ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

#### Quick Links...

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

December 18th - Friday - December 24th Tuesday

## COOKING FOR BEAUTIFUL FEET CHRISTMAS DINNER

Brothers,

The Council cooks a Christmas Dinner annually Beautiful Feet. The Ministry of Beautiful Feet focuses on the poor and homeless in inner-city Fort Worth. We need approximately 15 more turkeys. Please consider donating a frozen turkey. There is a chest freezer at the hall by the smoker that you can place your donated turkey.

Below is the schedule for the preparation of the dinner and serving. Help out when and where you can. New members, and members we haven't seen in a while this is a great opportunity to see what we do and get acquinted with your Brother Knights. Families are welcome help and serve dinner at Beautiful Feet on December 24th. Thursday December 18th 5pm - Prepare turkeys for saltwater bath Sample vine

**Friday December 19th** 

8am - Cook 20 turkeys on smoker 9am - Prepare and store: Cornbread dressing, potatoes 4pm - Debrief at Shannon Brewery

**Saturday December 20th** 

8am - Debone turkeys Make gravy Prepare green beans Wrap flatware and candy canes 12p - Done for day

Wednesday December 24th

9am - Meet at the hall to get items for dinner 10am - Leave for Beautiful Feet 12pm - Serve the meal 1pm(ish) - Finish clean up and return to the hall December 18th - Thursday SEAS TOASTMASTERS 7 PM in room 201 of the Pius XII Catechetical Center. Please RSVP to Kathy, 817-694-0466, kathy.bergs1986@gmail.com

#### **DECEMBER 25th - Thursday**

WE CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST - HAVE A BLESSED CHRISTMAS

#### **December 27 - Saturday**

The next 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

#### **December 31st - Wednesday**

**New Year's Eve Celebration and Dance.** Ticket are \$65/couple and \$35/single.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish is invited to celebrate the closing of 2014 and welcoming in 2014 with the Robert M. Nolan Council #759 of the Knights of Columbus at the Council Hall.

The event includes a buffet dinner, dancing, and a champagne toast at midnight. 7:00PM - 12:45AM

#### PLEASE NOTE THE FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH FALLS ON NEW YEARS DAY - BUSINESS MEETING MOVED TO JANUARY 8th January 8th - Thursday

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

#### January 24 - Saturday

Bus Trip to Austin - TEXAS Annual Pro-life March BUS TRIP from SEAS - If you haven't done this before it is worth the trip. SEE TIM JOHNSON'S NOTE IN THE PRO-LIFE DIRECTOR'S SECTION

#### February 1 - Sunday

The Knights of Columbus, invites you to be a part of a great event the Knights hold each year on "Super Bowl Sunday". Held at the Knights of Columbus Hall 1907 Whitley Rd. Keller.

Bring your favorite Super Bowl Food/Snack and share with all. Warmers will be provided.

The admission is free. There will be a Football Frenzy being offered, which adds to the excitement of Super Bowl Sunday. Advance registration is recommended for the Frenzy. For information on the Football Frenzy, please contact Super Bowl Frank at: Email address: FRANKWEEBS@YAHOO.COM

Cell number to text or call is 817-876-7026 Please don't mention any of the New York teams when talking to Super Bowl Frank as he is somewhat sensitive. February 7th - Saturday CASINO NIGHT

Saturday, February 7, 2015 Happy Hour 6:00-7:00 PM Tables Open 7:00-10:00 PM Prize Drawings 10: 15 PM Knights of Columbus Hall 1903 Whitley Road, Keller, 76248 \$25 per person - Includes Horsd'oeuvres, refreshments and starting chips -Tickets will be available after Masses beginning the weekend of January 17th or reserve your ticket by emailing Dan Cleary at <u>clear1@aol.com</u> - Sponsorships are available. This is a great way for businesses to promote themselves to the Parish community. Questions? Contact Dan Cleary cleard1@aol.com or 817-917-8100

SEE CASINO NIGHT SECTION FOR MORE INFORMATION

# **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, 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.

## FOR HEALTH AND HEALING:

Brother Richard Crabtree Past Warden of Council 759 had a valve replacement and triple bypass on December 2nd and is recovering.

Lois Savoy, wife of our Brother Tim Savoy. Lois was diagnosed with lung cancer.

Edie Dowling and Brother Jim too.

Brother Robert Osborne's mother in law, Riassa, in Moscow Russia.

**Tony Eggleston** 

**Connie Wright** 

Ann McGhee wife of Council 759 Chaplin Brother Father Jim McGhee

**Brother Marc Bollon** 

SK Tom Sheely and prayers for his wife Lady Kathy and daughter Jackie

Brother Carl Knapp

**Deacon Rob Montini** 

Trey Reyes a student at SEAS as he battles cancer.

B J Emlong mother-in-law of Brother Mike Oropeza.

SK Brother Bill Mechura, FN General Worth Assembly.

Kerry Lustig wife of Brother SK Jerry Lustig

**Brother Israel Cartagena** 

Emily McClintick and prayers for her family.

Ann Mears, daughter of SK Tom Jones, Tom's wife Lady Moria and prayers for Brother Tom too who broke his arm.

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.

SK Tony Casper and wife Mary Ann.

**Brother Johnny Pelzel.** 

Velma Garcia wife of SK Ug Garcia.

SK Chris Gomez.

**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.

A Message From Pro Life Director -Brother Tim Johnson Contact Tim at: <u>TNT9232001@sbcglobal.net</u>

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## **BUS TRIP TO AUSTIN**

Greetings Friends,

Teresa and I are starting to get our lists together for the bus trip to the 2015 Texas Rally for Life in Austin on Saturday, January 24th. The cost is usually \$35 dollars per seat. This week we plan to get in touch with the charter bus company and get an estimate.

We are planning to have a minimum of two buses depart from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Keller.

If you are planning on going please let us know the size of your party.

Please pass the word to others who might want to join us. If you cannot go and would like to still be part of the bus trip, please consider buying a seat for a student or some else you know or don't know who is going.

Peace,

Tim & Teresa

#### OPPORTUNITY TO GO ON MARCH FOR LIFE IN WASHINGTON DC Brother Knights,

Sue Laux of the Fort Worth diocese Youth for Life has openings for adults on her trip to the March for Life in Washington DC on January 22nd. The dates of the trip are January 21 thru the 24th.

Adults who join Sue crew can tag along with her group or make their own agenda.

The cost of the trip is \$500 person and includes hotel and airfare only. Families are encouraged to go as well. The cost is \$375 per person for a family of four.

Please read the attached flyer for more information. You can also contact Angela Walters at 817 2475615.

Viat Jesu! SK Timothy Johnson

# Message from Church Director Ed Leal

Thursday, December 18, 2014

Matthew 1:18-24 www.usccb.org/bible/readings

During these last days before Christmas, the gospel readings are more directed at the coming of the Messiah. Today's reading is about the

response of Joseph to God's word. This is a great example of how we can trust, listen, and believe when God speaks to us. Joseph is a wonderful model of love and understanding. Open your heart to God's word!

Scripture reading - 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

May the God of peace make you perfect in holiness! May he preserve you whole and entire, spirit, soul, and body, irreproachable at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The one who calls you is faithful, and therefore he will do it.

# **Squires 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 <u>1greenm63@gmail.com</u> or Kevin Bast <u>kevin.bast@gmail.com</u> for questions or assistance.

Squire Business Meetings - 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at the Knight's Hall from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM.

**Upcoming Events:** 

- Next Business Meeting: Christmas Party
- December 21, 2014 come have fun
- Beautiful Feet December 24, 2014
- Circle 2040 will be hosting the Texas Annual Mid-Year Convention - January 16 - January 18, 2015. Final preparation under way.

Esto Dignus.

# **Our Seminarians:**

Seminarian Joseph Keating Birthday 05/10 E-Mail joe keating510@hotmail.com Ordination Date: Summer of 2016

Seminarian Brother Jason Allan - Council 759 maroonmadness12@sbcglobal.net

Seminarian Brother Jonathan Demma, Council 759, son of Brother Mike Demma. jonathan.demma@live.com

Seminarian and Brother Knight Ricky Diaz, Council 759, has a new address. Ricardo Diaz Jr. P.O. Box # 449 St. Benedict, LA 70457

# **CASINO NIGHT:**

We need your support - and the support of the entire council!

- Mark your calendars
- Spread the word
- Invite friends to attend
- Volunteer
- Be a sponsor
- Donate prizes
- Ask for sponsorships
- Ask for prizes from local businesses

## **Contact Dan Cleary**

## cleard1@aol.com or 817-917-8100

for the flyer for this year's event along with letters that can be used to solicit donations and advertisements (sponsorships) and a sponsor form

**ABOUT CASINO NIGHT** Saturday, February 7, 2015 Happy Hour 6:00-7:00 PM Tables Open 7:00-10:00 PM Prize Drawings 10: 15 PM **Knights of Columbus Hall** 1903 Whitley Road, Keller, 76248 \$25 per person - Includes Horsd'oeuvres, refreshments and starting chips -Tickets will be available after Masses beginning the weekend of January 17th or reserve your ticket by emailing Dan Cleary at clear1@aol.com - Sponsorships are available. This is a great way for businesses to promote themselves to the Parish community. **Questions? Contact Dan Cleary** cleard1@aol.com or 817-917-8100