

# Knights of Columbus

## Council 13959

### Monthly Newsletter



August 2017

Brothers,

Summer is drawing to a close, the festival and Car Cruise are behind us, we return to the Knight's Room from the library for our business AND social meetings and our Fall and Winter projects are ahead of us. Regarding the summer activities, the parish festival was alive with Knights and their families digging in at every possible event from setting up, tearing down, running or working at the many booths, laboring at the Flea Market and dinners and even counting money. I'd like to name all of the Knights who were active in this event but that would be impossible. Let's just say the face of Knighthood was all over the festival. It has to be said most of these loyal people were diligent festival workers even before they were Knights, but it's good now that there's an umbrella of Knighthood over them now. The Car Cruise had a record year with the number of participants and the amount money brought in and it's success is all owed to the meticulous planning by the Chairman, John Vasalani and the execution by the number of brothers who worked long hours to handle all the duties required to pull off this event. Also during the summer, the project that is most visible for the longest time during the year, our parish grass cutting program, was in full swing and the grounds look great for all the activities that were held during the years. We can't thank the grass cutting crew enough. The lawns always look presentable and the parish saves money by having us do it. Now that Fall is closing in on us we can look ahead to our programs that we close the year with - The COAL tickets, which benefit our council and the State Educational Program, Football Sweeps, Tootsie Roll Drives and Christmas Seals Program and the Keep Christ in Christmas cards sale and yard sign give away. I will talk more about these items later. God Bless you all and your families and I hope to see you at the next meeting.

Fraternally,  
Frank Peduto  
Grand Knight

### September Meeting Schedule

**The September Business meeting will be on Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. The Social Meeting will be on Monday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. Both meetings will be in the Church.**

## Tootsie Roll Drive

There is a Tootsie Roll Drive coming up on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> at Sam's Club. Contact Carl Schonhardt for any open times. I'm sure we can get ten of our members to put in two hours to make this year's Tootsie Roll Drives a success.

## August Birthdays

Aug. 10 -- Ken Senatore  
Aug. 18 -- Jim Ibinson  
Aug. 22 -- George Staab, Jr.  
Aug. 27 -- Deacon Jack Mille

## List of Officers for the Fraternal Year 2017-2018

Grand Knight – Frank Peduto (1 year term)  
Deputy Grand Knight – Jay Kerr (1 year term)  
Chancellor – Thomas Luchi  
Treasurer – Frank Leja  
Financial Secretary – John Kleck  
Advocate – Mark Musial  
Warden – George Staab, Jr.  
Recorder – Larry Wargo  
Inside Guard – Henry Kmieck  
Outside Guard – Gerry Kunic  
3 Year Trustee – Robert Musgrave  
2 Year Trustee – Robert Raible  
1 year Trustee – John Vasalani