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COUNCIL 5073 NEWS

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Celebrating 60th year Anniversary in 2020

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COUNCIL CHAPLAIN, FATHER FRANCIS SALASIAR, C.S.C.



We shall remember them and be thankful:

Dear brother knights, in November we do celebrate quite a few important things. We begin the month honouring all the saints who are not acclaimed in the liturgical calendar of the church. Then we move on to celebrate all soul's day on Nov 02, the people who have gone from this world to experience the goodness of God, and on their way to saintliness in their own ways, and our thoughts and minds. Then as Canadians, we celebrate Remembrance Day on Nov 11th, honouring the lives of our soldiers who have sacrificed their lives for what is right and just. And on Nov 28th we begin the season of Advent preparing our hearts to celebrate the birth of our Saviour. All these celebrations point us to one thing. It is their heroic life and example that we need to follow. The constitution of the congregation of Holy Cross, 1.5 states; *"We asked how we might follow, and we found many footprints on the road. A great band of men had passed this way, men who had made and lived by their vows, men who had walked side by side in their following of the Lord. They beckoned us to fall in step with them. We wanted to be part of the family they formed in order to share in their life and work." So we seek God's grace and strength for our journey".*

Let us pray:

Dear God, we thank you for our family members who have gone before us, we thank you for the life examples of our saints who continue to praise you and be on your side along with the angels, and we thank you for the heroic effort of our soldiers who have fought many wars and has given us the freedom that we enjoy. And finally, we thank you for your son, whom you send to us. As we come to November, we remember them and thank them for their sacrifice, example and commitment. Lord, help us to be grateful for all the blessings that we have received. Amen.

With Love and Prayers
Francis Salasiar CSC
St. Raphael Church
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Fr. Francis Salasiar, CSC
Chaplain

Message from the Grand Knight



Brothers:

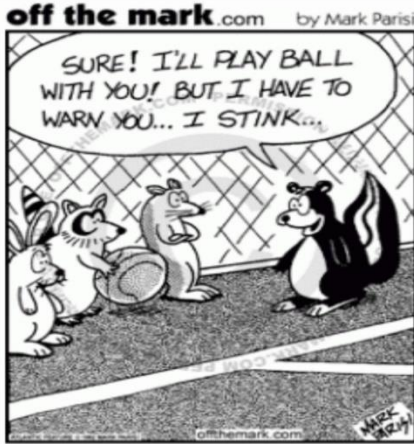
As settle into the month of November, we must remember those who have sacrificed their lives for our country's freedom on Remembrance Day and also recognize the ultimate sacrifice Jesus made for us on the cross for our sins. Our country is still in the midst of recovery as a result of this pandemic. We must continue to pray for our Lord to lead us out of this pandemic while providing us with wisdom, resources, patience and strength so that we can continue to help those who are less fortunate within our community. We must also pray for the safe arrival of an associate pastor to assist our worthy chaplain, Father Francis. We must be thankful for all that God has graciously provided for us and not take anything that we have, including our health and our family and friends for granted.

The Lord has always been with us and we should continue to pray for his guidance and support in all that we do as members of the Knights of Columbus within our community and bring honour and glory to our saviour.

Vivat Jesus and Fraternally Yours,

**Michael Mark
Grand Knight
Council 5073**

Pandemic Humour Corner 19th Edition



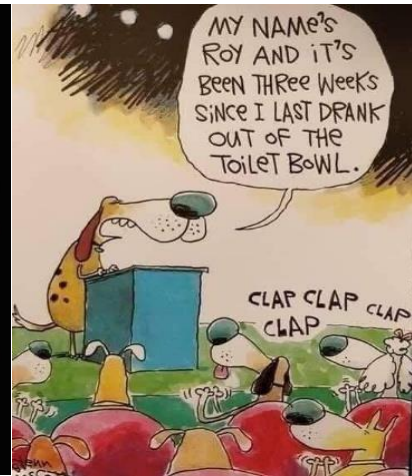
When you order your steak well-done

Amish farmer washing his classic Mustang.



TODAY'S HOUSEKEEPING TIP:

"Always keep several get well cards on the mantel. That way, if unexpected guests arrive, they'll think you've been sick and unable to clean."



I asked the waitress for a quickie and she slapped me. The old woman next to me said, "It's pronounced 'quiche', dear."

I tried cooking with wine last night ... After 5 glasses I forgot why I was in the kitchen



Council Award

On Wednesday, October 6th, I was presented with the Columbian Award for the fraternal year of 2020/2021 by our worthy District Deputy SK David Fisher. During the midst of a pandemic, and being able to attain this award, is not an easy task. I applaud all of my brother Knights within this council who stepped up in some way so that we can be able to fulfill the four service programs of our order. (Family, Faith, Community, and Life). This is due directly to everyone's hard work throughout the fraternal year. I could not have asked for a better team of brother Knights to work with me on this great and worthwhile endeavour. Give yourselves a pat on the back and a big applause. Only two councils out of five within our district 83 won this award. Well done everyone on our council!

Below is a picture taken of myself accepting the award from our worthy district deputy SK David Fisher:



Remembrance Day 2021

Remembrance Day will fall on a Thursday this year. Please remember to observe a moment of silence on the eleven hour on that day to pay respects and homage to the many veterans who sacrificed their lives for our freedom. It is also worthy to note that the Pope John Paul II Assembly that is associated with our council, will be sponsoring a wreath on behalf of all the councils of Burlington for this Remembrance Day Event. Our local legion in Burlington will have a ceremony that will be conducted by war veterans who are members of the Legion on that particular day. This is a closed event that is not open to any external organizations due to our government's COVID restrictions and regulations.

Brother Roger Robichaud

Brother Roger Robichaud, a long time member of council 5073 will be moving to London, Ontario, he will still remain to be a part of our great council. Brother Roger has chaired the seniors group of our council for many years and organized many fun and exciting events for our senior brother Knights and their spouses. We would like to wish him well in his new abode located in London. We would also like to sincerely thank him for his contribution and service to our council for so many years. SK George O'Brien has taken over the chairing of our seniors group within the brother Knights and we are quite sure that this important role will be in very capable hands for many years to come. Below are some photos taken by brother SK Tom O'Brien on the morning of October 18th at St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church's meeting room with about a dozen or so Knights on hand to wish brother Roger Robichaud a fond farewell:





Pro-Life Update

Thank you for an incredible 2021 Gala!

It's been a crazy year but Halton Alive continues to forge ahead with innovative approaches to our resources, educational programs and events. Thank you to everyone who supported and participated in this year's Gala. It was amazing to see you at the drop-in and remind ourselves of the incredible community that is found in Halton Alive! We hope you enjoyed the custom virtual Gala map and had fun.

A special thank you goes to our volunteer team who worked so hard to prepare this event as well as set up and tear down the in-person experience.

Thank you to the donors who sponsored the event and support pro-life education and resources. With all your help, so far we raised:

\$22,000

Halton Pro-Life

Next Initiative: Christmas Cards

This Christmas we'll be spreading hope and encouragement to the elderly in our community through Christmas cards! BUT FIRST....we want your help to design the cards.

CHRISTMAS CARD DESIGN COMPETITION:

1. Sign-up for our Inspire Hope e-update
2. Have your kids or students design a 5x7 post-card style Christmas card.

- It should have room for us to add a Christmas message
 - It should be drawn clearly enough to be able to print (teens can do it digitally)
 - It should have enough blank space to add a mini candy cane
3. Take some time to have a healthy discussion about the value of the elderly while you work on the cards, using our Discussion Starters below.
 4. Our team will select the top designs to use for the cards
 5. Send your submission to us at info@haltonalive.com (or drop it off and we'll scan it)
 - **Submission deadline: Saturday, November 20, 2021**

The Virtual 50/50 Draw

As a result of an elaborate and detailed presentation at the last business meeting that took place on October 12th in which a lot of hard work and effort was put forth by Brother Henry Valcheff, our council has decided by vote to go ahead and host a virtual 50/50 draw on a regular basis, in an effort to raise much needed funds for the many worthwhile charities within our local community that the HCC arm of our council supports. Details of this will follow in the ensuing months. We are very excited to work with Brother Henry Valcheff and his team to make this exciting project a huge fund raising success for our council and the Halton Columbus Charities.

4th Degree in Person Exemplification

Our worthy district deputy SK David Fisher has informed us that there will be a 4th degree exemplification ceremony taking place on Saturday November 13th at St. Thomas the Apostle Church (715 Centre Road, Waterdown, Ontario). There will be a mass, and a dinner directly following the exemplification. For further details regarding this event, please contact our worthy district deputy, David Fisher whose contact information can be found in this newsletter.

Prayer for Healing

Almighty and merciful Father, by the power of your command, drive away from me all forms of sickness and disease. Restore strength to my body and joy to my spirit, so that in my renewed health, I may bless and serve you, now and forever more.

To be included in the Prayer Network,



Please Pray for the Following People:

- ***Gary Smith***
- ***Patrick Crowley***
- ***Richard Vaughan***
- ***Monsignor Ray Modeski***
- ***Ignatius McDonald***
- ***Don MacPherson***
- ***Frank Hartman***
- ***Riccardo Colaianni***
- ***Reginald Eckstein***
- ***Andrew Eckstein***
- ***Meghan Patty Tepall***
- ***Kerrie Newscombe***
- ***John Cummings***
- ***Tony Van Dalen***
- ***Reginia Diaz***
- ***Sam Whalen***
- ***Leo Russell***
- ***Robert Lalonde***
- ***The Herod Family***
- ***Moira Asmann***
- ***Zeno Karcz***
- ***Andrew Hallett***
- ***Ross Langford***
- ***Karen Beemo***
- ***Phil Strecker***
- ***Ron Milne***
- ***Ronald Milne Jr.***
- ***Mary MacDonald & Family***
- ***The Pesterfield Family***
- ***Edith Theresa Pye and the Pye family***
- ***Ingrid Brown***
- ***The soul of Noel Carling (95 years old)***
- ***The soul of David Robinson***
- ***Jack & John Stefnitz***
- ***Robert Chisholm***
- ***Richard Rottich***
- ***Helen Edwards***
- ***Gloria MacDonald***
- ***Tom Tilley***
- ***Sarah Harper***
- ***Doris Anderson***
- ***The Churchill Family***
- ***Soul of David Buchanan***

- The Martel Family
- Joseph Constantini
- Protection in the time of a pandemic
- *The people around the world who have been devastated by this pandemic and the latest wave*

COUNCIL CONTACT INFORMATION

COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

2021/2022

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2021-2022

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Herb G Lane David Irwin Rich	1 Council Executive Meeting	2	3	4	5	6
7 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Jeff A Cuzen	8 Council General Meeting	9 H.C.C. Meeting	10 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Andres F Gabrielli	11 Remembrance Day	12	13
14 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Robert A O'Connor, Sr	15	16 <i>Happy Birthday</i> David M Stanga Henry M Valcheff	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Tom Vermeltfoort	25	26 <i>Happy Birthday</i> John K P Pickard	27
28	29	30	1 <i>Happy Birthday</i> John K Boyd Paul A Brown Paul Muller	2 <i>Happy Birthday</i> John A Colterman	3	4 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Rocco DeVito

