



KNIGHTLY NEWS

MEETING NIGHTS: SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH - 7:30 PM - (757) 930-0491 - WWW.KOFC5480.ORG

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Grand Knight Message

Our second principle - UNITY

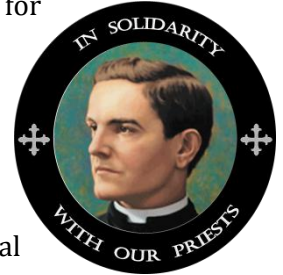
As a Knight of Columbus we can work wonders as a united group. With our many programs, you can help change the community, city or neighborhood in which we live.

"Christ has no body but yours, no hands, feet on earth but yours," St. Teresa of Avila wrote centuries ago.

Those words are still true today. The Catholic Church provides the compassion of Christ in countless ways in the United States, including through health care institutions, schools and universities, charities and social service agencies and the work of individuals, parish communities and diocesan entities. Our motto - "In service to one, In service to all" exemplifies how the Knights of Columbus provides the compassion of Christ in numbers. Over the past fifty years (1963 charter) Walter Pollard Council 5480 supported our local parishes, hospitals, schools, youth, social agencies, and the community as a whole. As we reflect on the legacy we take time to remember those who preceded us at the 50th Anniversary Jubilee on October 11-12.

Spelled **u-ni-ty** [yoo-ni-tee]
noun, plural u-ni-ties.
 1. the state of being one; oneness.
 2. a whole or totality as combining all its parts into one.
 3. the state or fact of being united or combined into one, as of the parts of a whole; unification.

I am amazed and thank you for supporting the Our Lady of Mount Carmel Cornerstone Dinner, the Boys & Girls Club "Diamond & Denim" dinner auction and the upcoming Peninsula Catholic Booster's Club 2nd Annual Ronald



C. Messier Memorial Golf Tournament. -

BRAVO! The legacy continues. As we progress through the Fraternal year, you will see an emphasis on Family, Youth, Young Adult and Special Needs activities. It is necessary to attract the young and special friends to continue our mission and ministries. We are always looking for

innovative and new ideas.

However, a successful Knights of Columbus program depends on people taking the initial idea, modifying it to suit specific situations and local needs, then implementing the program in the way it works. We encourage you to extend the INVITATION to join our fraternity. Our council will continue the legacy with "RECRUITMENT - RETENTION - REMEMBER".

***Be forever faithful
 David Litzinger - Grand Knight***

Family of the Month

The Messier Family

Congratulations to Colleen Messier, her daughter Rose and son-in-law Tyler Powell as our Family of the Month. They are members of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. The Legacy of Ronnie continues. As Grand Knight I received raves on the Installation dinner and the PGK/PFN dinner. What a godsend for Mary and me. Colleen also serves as our Kitchen Manager and does a superb job for the 5480 Club Activities. In addition to a hectic schedule, they still find time to support both OLMC and PCHS and various youth organizations.

Knight of the Month

Brother Rick Schirm

Rick Schirm is our Knight of the Month. He is member of Immaculate Conception. Rick is an avid BINGO volunteer. He is also the "word" of the Council as our Recorder, and the Assembly as our Scribe. Rick also serves as our Council Director and is at most council activities. Recently he served superbly as House Manager for the Past Grand Knight / Past Faithful Navigator dinner.





Cooler Temperature is in the Air

October has been my favorite month, since the remnants of the summer heat has faded away and we can now enjoy a more pleasant weather. Going back to history, it was on October 2, 1881, when Fr. Michael J. McGivney gathered a group of men for an organizational meeting. This meeting culminated in the establishment of the Knights of Columbus in March 29, 1882. This is also the month that our council will be celebrating its 50th anniversary. We all need to be part of this once-in-a-lifetime event, and let's all leave a legacy for those future brothers who will lead this council to another 50 successful years. Also remember, we will have six council brothers who will be knighted on October 26. Let us join them at this prestigious ceremony and congratulate them for becoming a Sir Knight. Have a safe and wonderful Halloween!



Chaplain's Corner

by Father Carlos Lerma

This month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. The Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on October 7. What a perfect opportunity to reflect in the importance of praying the Holy Rosary, especially in this time, in which, we have seen a lot of things going on in our country and in the world, war, division, natural disasters, and so on.

The rosary is a Roman Catholic sacramental and Marian devotion to prayer and the commemoration of Jesus and events of his life. With the *Holy Rosary* we meditate the mysteries of joy, of sorrow, of light, and glory. It's a simple prayer, humble so much like Mary. It's a prayer we can all say together with her, the Mother of God. With the Hail Mary we invite her to pray for us. Our Lady always grants our request. She joins her prayer to ours. Therefore it becomes ever more useful, because what Mary asks she always receives, Jesus can never say no to whatever His Mother asks for.

Why pray the Rosary today? Certainly, to grow in holiness and in one's prayer life. The following are a few others reasons why the rosary should be prayed often, even daily:

- ◆ "Among all the devotions approved by the Church none has been so favored by so many miracles as the devotion of the Most Holy Rosary".
- ◆ "Say the Rosary every day to obtain peace for the world"
- ◆ "There is no surer means of calling down God's blessing upon the family than the daily recitation of the Rosary".
- ◆ "We do not hesitate to affirm again publicly that we put great confidence in the Holy Rosary for the healing of evil of our times".
- ◆ "No one can live continually in sin and continue to say the Rosary: either they will give up sin or they will give up the Rosary"
- ◆ "The Rosary is a magnificent and universal prayer for the needs of the Church, the nations and the entire world".
- ◆ "The Rosary is the compendium of the entire Gospel".
- ◆ "Meditation on the mysteries of the Rosary can be an excellent preparation for the celebration of those same mysteries in the liturgical actions".
- ◆ "Praying the Rosary is the greatest value not only according to the words of Our Blessed Mother, but the according to the effects of the Rosary one sees throughout history".
- ◆ "How beautiful is the family that recites the Rosary every evening".

Let's enjoy as a Knight of Columbus family to pray together with our heavenly Mother, that we can obtain the great gift of bringing about a change of hearts and conversion. Each day, through the devotion of the Holy Rosary, we can drive away from ourselves and from our homeland and the world many dangers and many evils.

Vivat Jesu, Gabe Franco, Deputy Grand Knight

5480 Club Election

The Nominating Committee has proposed the following Slate of Officers for 2013-2014:

President Jessie Powell
 Vice-President Jon Sargent
 Secretary Tom Clark
 Treasurer Joe Drozdowski
 3 yr Director Bernie Gerlach
 3 yr Director Rick Schirm

Nominating Committee:

Chair, James Healy, HLM, PGK, PFN, FDW George Hart, Dom Bevacqua, Chuck Olson, David Litzinger, Jim Healy.

Knights of Columbus 10-Mile Run for the Heart

Saturday, 25 January 2014 - Colonial National Historical Park Yorktown, Virginia



Volunteers arrive at York High School at 07:00 AM.
 Registration and packet pickup begins at 08:00 AM
 Race begins at 10:00 AM
 Lunch and Awards to follow.

Runners: <https://www.raceit.com/Register/?event=22882>
 Volunteers - Contact John Edwards (757) 876-8386

October Religious Events

WHITE MASS Bishop Francis X. DiLorenzo, Diocese of Richmond invites you to attend one of the Diocesan White Masses. Eastern Vicariate Basilica of St. Mary, Norfolk, *October 26th - 5:00pm Vigil* Church of the Holy Spirit, Virginia Beach, *October 27th - 12:15pm Bishop Francis X. DiLorenzo will preside*

Men's Prayer Breakfast The next men's prayer breakfast is Saturday, October 5th at 8:00 AM. Join fellow brothers for a hearty breakfast, fellowship and speaker. The speaker for this month's gathering will be Fr. John David. Doors open at 7:30AM @ St. Michael Hall at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. The Please sign up at: mpbreakfast@yahoo.com

Theology on Tap: Kick Off another GREAT year of Theology on Tap with other Peninsula Young Adults on October 15 @ 7PM. Fr. Jim Curran is the speaker. El Tapatio Mexican Grill & Bar 615 Thimble Shoals Blvd, Newport News. Theology on Tap is open to all College Students & Young Adults, Single & Married, ages 18-35.



We stand strong on ethical ground

to be
 its leaders must abandon morality and embrace the dark, greedy side of capitalism.

At the Knights of Columbus, we know this business model is incorrect. As a Catholic organization, we understand the value and importance of our core beliefs and the original mission of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney. In fact, much of the strength and financial security we provide to members and their families can be attributed to our ethical, moral standards. More than 96 percent of Knights who buy our life insurance keep it, year in and year out. The Order takes this commitment to

our members very highly. This means carefully planning when it comes time to invest. Our professional staff researches all transactions to insure that they fall in line with Catholic values. If a transaction makes them uncomfortable, they don't make it.

"We exclude any company engaged in activity that conflicts with Catholic moral teaching: companies directly involved in abortion, contraception, human cloning, embryonic stem cell research, for-profit health care that pays for any of these, or pornography," said the Supreme Knight. "There are many companies in the pharmaceutical and communications industries that would undoubtedly provide excellent returns for us, but which are not in our portfolio because they engage in research and development or

programming in ways that violate the sanctity or dignity of human life."

In the end, the Knights of Columbus investment strategy is motivated by morality and not money-making. Yet, each year we remain profitable, increase our assets and stay dedicated to this vision that will keep the Order sound financially for generations to come.

"Faithful Catholics have choices when buying life insurance," said the Supreme Knight. "But they know that at the Knights of Columbus their policy is supplied by an insurer that shares their moral and ethical values and is guided in all of its investment and sales practices by those values."

*To learn more about our products,
 contact me today.*

Todd Curtis, FIC

Phone (757) 847-9981 Email Todd.Curtis@kofc.org

Walter Pollard Council 5480 is proud to announce a weekend of celebrating **50 YEARS** of Charity Unity Fraternity and Patriotism to our Members, Parish and Community.

When: October 11/12, 2013

The cost \$54.80 IS PER COUPLE, SINGLE IS \$28.00. This cost covers FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENING

FRIDAY EVENING - OCTOBER 11, 2013 7:00 PM - Starts a Social event of Fraternity, some Historical presentations. Heavy Hors d'oeuvres. Drinks are the **COMPLIMENTS OF THE 5480 CLUB**. ATTIRE: Business Casual

SATURDAY EVENING- OCTOBER 12, 2013 6:30 PM - Starts with a social hour (CASH BAR), Dinner seating 7:15PM. (Carved Prime Rib, Chicken Masala Vegetables), Anniversary cake, Coffee, Tea. ATTIRE: Coat and Tie

This 50TH Anniversary Gala is for Council Members in good standing their Families and Special Invited Guests.

***RESERVATION/RSVP IS A MUST.
 NO TRANSACTIONS AT THE DOOR.***

***For you pleasure, seating and dining. Make ALL Reservations and payment to:
 Please make checks payable to **Council 5480*****

***PSD RON GORMAN at:
 116 Meredith Way Newport News, VA 23606
 E-MAIL-PSD5480@VERIZON.NET
 (757) 930-0311***

Reservation and payment: **CUT OFF DATE IS SEPTEMBER 30, 2013.**

A Members Golf Tournament is will be on Friday October 4, 2013 at Kiln Creek. For details and sign up contact Joe Drozdowski at (757) 930-3559.

COME AND ENJOY YOUR BROTHERS ON BOTH DATES AT THE COLUMBIAN CENTER AND MAKE THIS ONCE IN A LIFETIME CELEBRATION A MEMORY TO REMEMBER.

The Anniversary Committee



Roaring Knights Bartender Schedule



RENTALS of all the KofC space and property for personal use, please call Bernie Gerlach (FDD) 877-0126

DATE	DAY	DESCRIPTION	BARTENDERS
1	Tuesday	Fr. Bader Meeting	Collins, Howard, Stokes
4/5	Friday/Sat	Anniversary Celebs.	Miller, Powell, Powell
8	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Clarke, Kelley, Humphrey
11	Friday	50 th Jubilee Cocktail	Plusinski, Richard
12	Saturday	50 th Jubilee Dinner	TBA
13	Sunday	TIAMO	Merendino, Stokes
18	Friday	Birthday Knight	Muhich, Paquette
20	Sunday	OSIA	Messier
22	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Carota, Healy, Silva, Wotke
25	Friday	Movie Knight	Kulis, Reig

If you are interested in tending the bar, cannot make it to bartend OR/AND want to help with events in the lounge, please call 344-7630 or email Colleen759@verizon.net

FOOTBALL

NOVEMBER 16, 2013 at 1:00 PM

**THE APPRENTICE SCHOOL
VS
AVE MARIA UNIVERSITY**

(Southwest Florida)

"If ever there was an institution that exemplified the spirit of the John Paul 2 Generation, it's

Ave Maria University"

(Carl Anderson, Supreme Knight of the Knights of Columbus)



OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

JOHN J. & CRYSTAL HOESLI.....	2	NEIL J. & GAUDY O'CONNOR.....	12	LARRY H. & CLAUDIA DRYDEN.....	22
VINCENT A. & MARIE ANANIA.....	3	STEPHEN M. & LISHA MULLEN.....	14	DONALD J. & MELANIE MAROIS.....	22
KEVIN P. & MICHELE BRINK.....	3	DAN J. & MARGARET BAKER.....	15	JOHN J. & DIANE BOSCO.....	23
JOSE H. & DALIA CRUZ.....	3	ROBERT & MILLIE GILLIAM.....	15	FRED R. & SHIRLEY KULIS.....	24
ERIC P. & DENISE PALM.....	5	SEAN A. & KASEY STEELE.....	16	WILLIAM T. & ANJA ALVESTEFFER.....	25
ROBERT A & KATHLEEN PATTON.....	7	JOHN P. & ELIZABETH BLASCAK.....	17	JUAN A. & EVELIN GONZALEZ RIOS.....	25
HAROLD J. & MARGARET LAURENT.....	8	SALVATORE & THERESA CANNELLA SR.....	17	WILFRIED W. & HERMA WOTKE.....	25
OSCAR & GEORGINA LORENZO.....	8	ROBERT E. & MILDRED SCARBOROUGH.....	18	THOMAS J & SUSAN YAGER.....	26
JOSEPH J. & LAURA SINNOTT.....	8	CHRISTOPHER & BECKY WALTZ.....	19	GEORGE C. & BARBARA TALLEY JR.....	27
LAWRENCE E. & KAREN THOMAS.....	8	ANTHONY F. & TERRY MERENDINO PFN.....	20	ALBERT J. & DIANE CALDERONE.....	30
PATRICK J. & SUSANNE MENDOLA.....	9	ANDREW B. & NADINE PARR.....	20	JOHN & MICHELE ROUSE.....	30
CHRISTOPHER & NORA YACOBI.....	10	DANIEL F. & MARY ABAHAZY.....	21	KEITH J. & KAREN STOKES.....	30
TIMOTHY C. & CYD KROSKY.....	11	ROBERT A. & SUZANNE KOLESHA.....	21	W. RODNEY & JEAN VAN TREECK.....	30
CHRISTOPHER & STACY LANEAUX.....	11	THAI & PHU H. NGUYEN.....	21		

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

LEWIS S. STOKES JR PGK.....	1	EDWARD J. TOMCHEK.....	14	FRANK A. HUMPHRY.....	24
JOHN F. BOLLINGER.....	1	CHARLES O. OLSON PGK.....	15	JOSEPH C. KATUZIENSKI.....	24
KEVIN O. TOPP.....	1	ROBERT S. BELL-GARCIA.....	15	JOHN J. GANGER.....	25
RINALDO V. BROLLI.....	2	DALE CRUZ.....	16	JULIO E. SOTO.....	25
LEONARD D. ROSSI.....	2	JULIO C. SANTIAGO.....	16	GEORGE F. SMITH.....	26
JOHN J. HUSSION.....	2	GARY SONNIER.....	16	JAMES THOMAS.....	26
JOHN M. SWEENEY.....	5	JOSEPH R. LAY.....	17	DAVID L. DELAHOY.....	27
WILLIAM F. O'HALLERAN JR.....	5	BRENDAN C. KONOUCK PGK.....	18	PETER C. MCGOWAN.....	28
WILLIAM R. HAMMOND.....	7	JASON R. INGRAM.....	19	SCOTT D. SHERIDAN.....	28
THOMAS W. SINGER.....	7	WILLIAM D. BEATTIE.....	20	JORGE A. LOPEZ.....	28
RICHARD M. MACALUSO.....	9	JUAN A. SANCHEZ AVCE.....	20	JOHN D. BUCKLEY.....	28
WILLIAM J. COLLINS III.....	9	FRANK A. GRIM.....	21	LANCE G. WARNER.....	28
DWIGHT E. RUHLEN SR.....	10	WILLIAM J. ZIDZIUNAS.....	21	JOHN C. WAINWRIGHT.....	28
ROBERT M. YACOBI PGK.....	10	EDDIE A. MENDEZ.....	22	MICHAEL J. BUTLER.....	29
ROBERT P. FILIPIAK.....	11	ANDREW B. PARR.....	22	LEE R. BULLEIGH.....	30
GERARD E. MCGOUGH.....	11	JOSEPH J. DIMAGGIO.....	22	EDWARD T. SCHWEIGER.....	30
CHRISTOPHER COMBS PGK.....	11	JOSE A. RIVERA.....	23	GARY D. KUDLACIK.....	30
MICHAEL B. TRUNK.....	13	FRANKLIN D. CLARK JR.....	23	BRIAN L. POLLARD.....	30
WILLIAM T. BUNDICK JR.....	13	RAYMOND C. FERRARA.....	23		
MICKEY D. MARCELLA JR.....	14	KYLE L. HARRINGTON.....	24		



OCTOBER 2013



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Fr. Bader Assembly meeting and Pot luck 1	2	3	Nocturnal Adoration at OLMC From 10:00 Pm to 6:00 Am Golf Tournament at Kiln Creek @ am Cribbage Tournament 7 Pm 4	Men's Prayers Breakfast 8:00 Am 5
6	7	Council Meeting precedes by Rosary 7:05 Pm 8	9	10	50 th Anniversary Jubilee Social Event 7:00 Pm 11	Adopt-A-Spot 50 th Anniversary Jubilee Dinner 6:30 Pm 12
13	14	5480 Club Meeting from 7:00 Pm. Quarterly Officers Meeting Following 15	16	17	First Degree Exemplification At Council 511 Hampton 18	Officials Installation Fr .Bader Assembly Cars and Stars 6:00 Pm 19
20	21	5480 Annual Meeting & Election during Council Meeting precedes by Rosary 7:05 Pm 22	23	24	Fourth Degree Exemplification Va Beach Birthday Knight 6:45 Pm 25	Fourth Degree Exemplification Va Beach Flea Market 8:30 Am 26
Fourth Degree Exemplification Va Beach Halloween Party From 12 to 4:00 Pm 27	28	2 nd Degree Exemplification 7:00 Pm 29	30	31		

✂ Cut along the dotted line and keep the calendar at hand to attend our events

SICK, RECOVERING & DECEASED

Brothers we ask for your prayers and support for Brothers in need of healing. We also ask for prayers for the deceased. If you are aware of a Brother Knight or his family member in need of our prayers, contact Steve D'Urso or the Grand Knight.

SICK & RECOVERY: Emmett McNulty, James Buckman Jr., Leonard Waltz, Edward Riecke, Robert Tardif, Dale Cruz, Stephen Jernigan (son of Dean), Cornelius Mitchell, Conner Steele (son of Sean), June Gerlach (Bernie), Stan Zounick, Fred Kulis, Fernanda Kelley (Carroll), Gabriel Franco, Edmund "Beau" Riely.

DECEASED MEMBERS, RELATIVES AND FRIENDS: Joy Filipiak (Bob's wife), Mary Agnes Menno(Chuk's mother).

NAMES WILL REMAIN ON LIST FOR ONE MONTH. PLEASE RENEW YOUR PRAYER REQUEST IF CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE DESIRED. CALL STEVE D'URSO (877-2189) OR THE GRAND KNIGHT WITH REQUESTS OR QUESTIONS.



Brothers Receive Their 3rd Degree Exemplification

Brothers Juan Guerrero, Jose Ortiz and Guillo Gonzalez of Council 11781 join Council 5480 Brothers Father John David Ramsey, Tom Clark, David Kerstetter, Mark D'Zousa and Kent Willyard at the Third degree exemplification on Saturday, September 21st at Council #13467 in Virginia Beach.

Front row: Tom Clark

Back row: L-R Juan Guerrero, Julio Santiago, David Kerstetter, Jose Ortiz, David Litzinger - Grand Knight 5480, Fr. John David Ramsey, Pastor OLMC, Tony Fortunato, State Deputy-Virginia, 8) Ben Ignacio FDD Retention Committee, Thai Nguyen, District Deputy 5, Guillo Gonzalez, Mark D'Zousa, Kent Willyard.

OCTOBER KNIGHTLY EVENTS

ADOPT A SPOT: 23 YEARS SERVING OUR CITY

Brother Ted Langevin, our man in charge of "Adopt-A-Spot" has a good reason to be really proud these days, this year is the 23rd anniversary of Adopt-A-Spot, the city of Newport News congratulate our council as one of the longest participants in the program. From Oyster Point Rd. to Wellesley Dr. at Warwick Boulevard, some 2.1 miles in length, our council goes beyond the required 4 clean ups per year, with a monthly average of 20 volunteers, in one of the most busy areas of Newport News.

For the past 8 years, our brothers have dedicated 3,013 hours to collect 1363 bags of litter, that is about over 40,000 pounds of trash removed by our council. Please congratulate brother Langevin for his work, and through him all those brothers helping our city. This month Adopt-A-Spot will be on October the 12th, volunteer in the morning for Adopt-A-Spot and attend our 50th Anniversary celebration in the night!

Contact: Brother Ted Langevin (757)872-6751

Birthday Knight Dinner!

FRIDAY

October 25

Doors open 6:45 pm



Music by A
Surprise DJ!

It's Oktoberfest with a
Halloween twist!

Birthday Celebration after Dinner

Knights. During your birthday month, you will receive your birthday dinner free! This applies only to Knights. **RSVP's are a must to receive** your free night.

REMEMBER! You do not have to have a birthday during the month to attend!

Knights and Ladies! Come dressed as "Halloweenie" as you can for a great time! Lots of Fun to be had by all!

**\$ 10.00/person Cash Bar
All are welcomed!**

RSVP October 23: Colleen759@verizon.net
or 344-7630

MOVIE KNIGHT: "The Lone Ranger"

Oct. 18, 2013 (3rd Friday) By 7:30 PM

In this reboot of the 1950s television series, Native American warrior Tonto rescues wounded lawman John Reid and restores him to health, thus creating an often-contentious but effective partnership as they attempt to rid the Old West of corruption.

Cast: Johnny Depp, Armie Hammer, Helena Bonham Carter



HALLOWEEN PARTY

There will be snacks, drinks, games, and entertainment!!
& A Very Scary Haunted House.

You Never Know What You Will Find at Every Creepy Corner!!!!

Sunday, October 27 • 12 Noon to 4 PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 12742 Nettles Dr. , Newport News, VA 23606. Kelwyn D'Souza 757-867-6630 KelwynDsouza@gmail.com



Cribbage Tournament

On 5 October 2013 starting at 7:00 in the Lounge.

Contact Rick Schirm at 272-3576 or rickschirm@hotmail.com

*Also, a sign up sheet will be in the Lounge.



Knights of Columbus

5480 Club

Saturday

October 26, 2013

8:30 am to 3:00 pm



15 x 15 Spaces only \$ 20.00

Bring your own table, tent and what ever you need to make your booth!

Sell All Day * Buy All Day

Food Available for purchase

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers & Drinks

Spaces are limited! Reservations are recommended

Call 344-7630 for more information!

Knights of Columbus Parking Lot

100 Columbus Way

Newport News, VA 23606

Cars and Stars - CHILI COOK OFF

Please join the Knights of Columbus council #5480 for a night of family fun!

Saturday, October 19th, 6:00pm-10:00pm at 100 Columbus Way

The kids will enjoy a double feature of Disney's *Cars* and *Cars 2* on a 12 ft outdoor movie screen. We will serve pizza and popcorn. Be sure to bring your sleeping bag or lawn chair and enjoy "Cars under the stars".

The adults will bring their best chili in a 9 ½ x 12 disposable aluminum tray (we will provide sternos) to be judged for a **\$50 CASH** prize to the best chili! We will provide cheese and other chili toppings. Please bring anything else you wish to serve with your chili to set it apart from the rest. Of course, adult beverages served as well.

We will enjoy fire pits manned by Boy Scout Troop 242, and a special custom cake made exclusively for this event.

Cost is \$5/person, \$15/family



Fr. Michael J. Bader – 2430 Assembly Directory



- FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR:**
 SK Thai Nguyen 232-0889
- FAITHFUL FRIAR:**
 Father Henry Diesta 872-0705
- FAITHFUL CAPTAIN:**
 SK Harold Hairston 877-1566
- FAITHFUL PILOT:**
 SK David Litzinger 249-0649
- FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER:**
 SK Jon Sargent 766-6293
- FAITHFUL PURSER:**
 SK Wilfred Wotke 877-3316
- FAITHFUL SCRIBE:**
 SK Rick Schirm 272-3576
- FAITHFUL ADMIRAL:**
 SK Louis Federico 870-0573

- FAITHFUL INNER SENTINEL:**
 SK John Edwards 876-8386
 SK John Silva 998-1995
- FAITHFUL OUTER SENTINEL:**
 SK Jim Kazmer 877-1822
 SK Marty Georgen 874-1257
 SK Ted Langevin 872-6751
- COLOR CORPS COMMANDER:**
 SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865
- SICK OR DISTRESS:**
 SK Tony Merendino 872-7113
- TRUSTEES:**
 1 Yr – SK Bernie Gerlach 877-0126
 2 Yr – SK Kiet Nguyen 833-7943
 3 Tr - SK Chuck Olson 867-7878

From the Faithful Navigator

Worthy Sirs,

District Master Cy Alba had pledged 300 Sir Knights in full regalia to support the 50th anniversary of the Knights Tower at the Basilica in DC. Although we did not make the 300, but once again, proud Virginia Fourth Degree took the lead: at over 270 out of 500 Sir Knights.

Fr. Bader Assembly had 6 representatives, kudos for Sir Knight Dean, despite his unfavorable health condition, still managed to drive up hoping to be able to participate but ended up in the emergency room.

Thank you Steve Raschke, Louis Federico, Harold Hairston, Jon Sargent and Dean for answering the call.

At our October pot luck dinner, we are inviting the Fourth Degree candidates to join us for a taste of Fr. Bader Assembly quality bonding time and an orientation to the Fourth Degree program.

Saturday, October 19 Installation of Officers at St Joseph in Hampton, dinner after the ceremony at Marian center (511 hall), \$15 per person.

Saturday, November 2 at 6:30 in the lounge it's the Welcome New Sir Knights Dinner. \$15 per person, cash bar, no charge to new Sir Knights and their guests.

November 5 social meeting, pot luck dinner with a special Veterans ceremony.

SK THAI NGUYEN - Faithful Navigator



Welcome New Sir Knight's Dinner
Saturday, November 2
Social 6:30 pm
\$ 15.00/person
Cash Bar

* Beef Tips with Mushrooms/Onions/Sauce*
 Garlic Sour Cream Red Mash Potatoes with Scallions
 - OR -
 Vegetarian Dish: Seafood Alfredo over Noodles
 With
 *Fresh Garden Salad * Fruit Cup *
 * Green Beans* Buttered Corn * Rolls & Butter*
 * Warm Blueberry Cobbler with Vanilla Ice Cream*

Officers and new Sir Knights in Tuxedo.
 All other Sir Knights Tux or coat and tie, Ladies dress appropriately
 Easy listening music for dinner, dance music after

For More Information:
 SK Thai Nguyen FN 232-0889
 SK Harold Hairston FCPTN 870-1192

All must RSVP, including New Knights by October 26
 Wilfred Wotke 757-877-3316

Checks Payable to Fr. Bader Assembly 2430
 to SK Jon Sargent FCPTLR 703-304-3528

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

4th Degree Exemplification

Saturday October 26, 2013
 at the Cavalier Hotel in Virginia Beach
 Your Opportunity to join the patriotic arm of the Order and become a Sir Knight.
 Sign up with
 Faithful Navigator SK Thai Nguyen,
 Faithful Admiral SK Louis Federico or
 any Assembly officers.

Faithful Navigator SK Thai Nguyen

COUNCIL 5480 WALTER POLLARD DIRECTORY

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David Litzinger 249-0649

CHAPLAIN

Fr. Carlos Lerma 595-0385

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Tony Rivera 602-4524

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