

OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

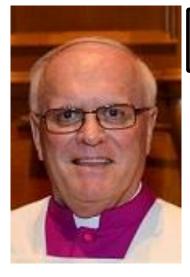
COUNCIL 15920 NEWS

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MESSAGE FROM SPIRITUAL ADVISOR Msgr. Edward House

<u>Welcome to the Knights of Columbus</u>. We are an organization like no other – more than 1.8 million Members throughout the world. An organization that, since 1882, has embodied the selflessness of man as it has helped overcome adversity in the world.

<u>We are men of faith</u>. Guided not only by our belief in God and the Catholic Church, but by our belief in each other, and in ourselves. We are the Knights of Columbus. Believing that a man is defined by his actions as a follower of God, and as a leader in his community. Believing that a man is more than simply a man, when he bears the title of "Knight."

DEDICATED TO MAKING A DIFFERENCE AND BUILDING A FUTURE

<u>It is through six areas of service – faith, community, family, youth, fellowship and respect for life</u> - that the Knights of Columbus truly makes a difference. As Knights, our faith is our foundation. Dedicated to the Catholic Church's growth and her good works, we support religious outreach and promote vocations in an effort to strengthen the faith that unites us. As committed as we are to our faith, so are we to building our families and communities. Whether it is through sponsoring Squire Circles (the Order's official youth organization), hosting family-focused activities, or supporting community events, Knights serve as valuable role models for other Catholic men, as well as mentors for all children. Ad so, time and again, Knights have proven that, through fellowship, the support we offer to those in need, our families, and our communities are magnified.

Today, we're looking for the next generation of Knights. Men of character and conviction who are driven by both faith and conscience to do truly meaningful works. And the rewards for members are numerous, from scholarships for our sons and daughters, to being able to participate in one of the leading insurance programs in the county. But of the countless rewards Knighthood offers, perhaps the most inviting is this: *The knowledge that, as a Knight, you can make a difference. Through fearless service. Through heartfelt perseverance. And above all, through unfaltering fellowship.*

Charity is the first principle of the Knights of Columbus. Knights are men who get things done. We volunteer our time to serve our parishes and our communities. And by working together, we were able to donate more than \$1.5 billion and 683 million volunteer hours to worthy causes in the past decade.

The Knights of Columbus is not just a fraternity in name. It is a brotherhood of Catholic men who each play a part in improving the world around them, one community at a time. They stand together in faith, dedicated to uphold the principles they cherish while lending their support and strength to parish, home and fellow Knights. *May God bless you and your family abundantly*.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

Brother Knights:

September continued to be a busy and exciting time. I would like to thank my Brother Knights for accepting the challenges that we encountered with short notices. I refer to the assistance we provided to both Holy Rosary School and Assumption High School. In both cases, we assisted with their curriculum night by serving BBQ fares.

On the social side, I want to thank Bro. Mark and Bev Taylor for their hospitality when we visited with them on our way to the Rosary Sunday celebrations in Midland. I want to thank Brothers Ken Fleming, Vic Lefebvre and Carlos Paixao for joining me as a "foursome" at the State Golf Tournament in Toronto.

Please make a special effort to attend our General Meeting on Tuesday, October 6 at 7:00 pm.

Don Prescott Grand Knight

Written Notice of Motion:

Whereas the four (4) Councils of Burlington and the Pope John Paul II Assembly have annually participated in a joint venture to sponsor a Big Band Concert at the Burlington Performing Arts Centre, and

Whereas the committee needs "seed" money to book the facilities and advertise the event, and

Whereas the expected budget for the event is \$3,750. I move that the Council commit to an expenditure of \$750.00 representing our one-fifth share of the budget.

Vic Lefebvre, PGK, PFN

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations to:

Bro. Ken and Priscilla Browne
October 10 – 31 years

Bro. Vincent and Arlene Iantomasi October 10 – 34 years

Bro. Danny and Carol Morosin October 28 – 48 years

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Stanley Semeniuk – October 4

Blaise Mac Isaac - October 20

CALENDAR OF COUNCIL EVENTS

Oct. 6 – Council Business Meeting

Oct. 7 – The feast of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary

Oct. 13 – Special Olympics Bottle Drive

Nov. 3 – Council Business Meeting

Nov. 11 – Remembrance Day Parade

Nov. 27 – Annual Turkey Roll

Dec. 1 – Council Business Meeting
Dec. 17-18 – Good Shepherd Food Drive
Longo's Markets

PRAYER NETWORK

In charity, we pray for:

Brother Loy De Mello Linda Cupido, daughter-in-law of Brother Guido Concetta Iantomasi, mother of Brother Vincent Antoinette Pennachetti, wife of Brother Lou.



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, contact Bro. Vic Lefebvre at 905-336-3056 or by e-mail at kofcholyrosary@outlook.com



FAMILY FRATERNAL BENEFITS

FROM A BROTHER KNIGHT

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<u>SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOTTLE DRIVE –</u> <u>September 8</u>

Our fourth Bottle drive was held on September 8 and it was one of the best yet as we collected over \$230. Ken Medland and Nathan Brown, a Special Olympics athlete, came out to give us a hand. With only one more bottle collection day to go we are 85% of the way to our goal.





Knights in Action – September 2015

<u>Uniform Sale at Assumption Sept 3</u>

Brothers Don Prescott, Ken Fleming and Vince Iantomasi helped out at the Assumption High School Curriculum day and used uniform sale. In total thanks to our help the school has raised almost \$10,000 this year from the sale of used uniforms.

Holy Rosary School BBQ Sept 24

Seven of our brothers pitched in and helped Holy Rosary school to put on a BBQ for over a hundred students and teachers. The Knights worked most of the afternoon and into the evening to set up tables and serve the meal.

Recruitment Sunday Sept 20

Many of our Knights were on hand to participate in the parish recruitment Sunday. A special booth was set up to show off our successes and to encourage new members to join our council. Brother SK Joe Milton, our Membership Director, was there to welcome potential recruits. It appears we may have at least 2 new members joining our council this month.

South Zone meeting

Some of our members attended the South Zone meeting held in Hamilton. The purpose of the zone structure among other things is to serve as the official link between the Bishop and his Clergy and all Councils and Assemblies within the boundaries of a Diocese.

Cob's Bakery – every Sunday

Brother Aeneas and his merry troop of volunteers continues to ensure that all of the excess baked goods available from the Cob's bread store in north Burlington is delivered to the Good Shepherd food bank every Sunday evening between 6 and 8 PM. Thanks again to Aeneas and his wife Barb along with Master Vic Lefebvre and all of the other Knights that help out.









Other September Events

Basketball free throw BBFT 2016

Our second meeting was held on September 24 to continue our planning for this year's BFT event. Kits have been received from Supreme and a package to go to all schools and the Special Olympics will be ready for distribution by mid-October. Several volunteers will be needed to personally deliver the invitation packages to approximately 55 Burlington schools



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BASKETBALL FREE THROW

JANURAY 23, 2016

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL GYM- 9AM -12

Trip to Midland and the Martyrs Shrine "Rosary Sunday"- September 12 &13

Six Knights from our council enjoyed a great trip to Midland on the weekend of September 12 and 13. The purpose of the trip was to attend the 31st Annual Rosary Sunday event at the Martyrs Shrine.... but Bro. Mark and Bev Taylor were determined to make it an even more memorable weekend. The Taylors invited us to join them at their beautiful lodge located near Honey Harbour on Georgian Bay. They had plenty of room for all of us to stay and besides feeding us like kings, they took us on a boat cruise around the area and later on a fishing trip. Brothers Ron and Ken were successful in catching a couple of pike that were immediately released to grow just a bit bigger. The Taylors have invited members of our council for next year's Rosary Sunday weekend as well.

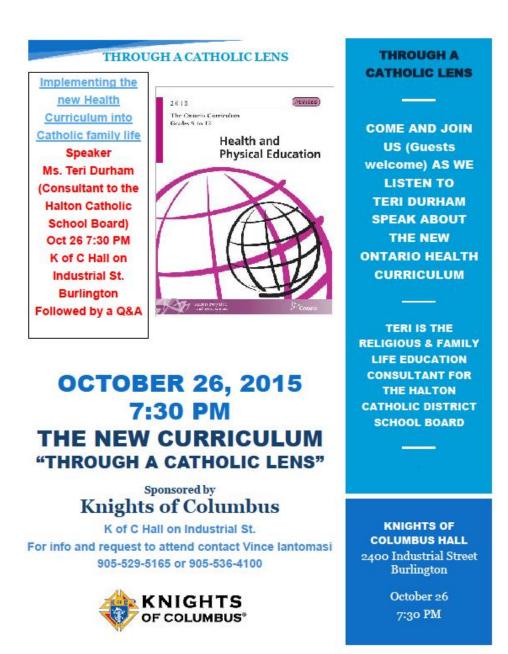
On the Sunday we attended the Living Rosary presented at the Martyrs Shrine and we really enjoyed the nice ceremony despite the rain. People of all ages and languages participated. The celebrant and homilist was Most Rev. Wayne Kirkpatrick Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Knights from all over Ontario participated in the event with many of the 4th degree Knights in full colours leading the rosary parade. SK Jude Malone and SK Kevin Abraham from Council 5073 were there along with our Knights – Don Prescott, Blair Breckenridge, Ron Lehocki, David Lord and Ken Fleming.



Coming Events

The new Ontario Curriculum -Through a Catholic lens - October 26

Thanks to the efforts of SK Vince Iantomasi, we have an opportunity to hear Ms. Terri Durham's presentation concerning the new curriculum "Through a Catholic Lens". Terri is a special consultant to the Halton Catholic School Board. The flyer shown below has been sent to all of our Knights as well as the Knights in all other councils in Burlington. Mark the date and come to the Industrial St. hall for this special event.





Saturday, Nov. 7th

9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Holy Rosary Parish Centre

287 Plains Rd. E. (in Aldershot)

SHOP EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS!



- Country Kitchen—home baking & preserves
- Crafts—Hand-knitting, Christmas items & more
- Penny Sale—Fabulous prizes—*CLOSES at 3:00 pm*
- Costume Jewellery table
- Tea Room—Good food great prices
- Kids!— Lucky Dips and a visit from Santa!

FREE ADMISSION!

Sponsored by Holy Rosary Catholic Women's League Burlington

*Penny Sale Draw winners announced approx. 3:30 p.m.

