



KNIGHTLY NEWS

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Grand Knight Message



Perpetual Help



Brother Knights, Brothers, as September begins we have an important change in our families, children going to school, some for the first time, some starting middle school, or high school, or college. This time can be stressful for the family, I know this is a great time of transition within my own family as my son Ethan starts sixth grade at OLMC while my other son Samuel starts Kindergarten also at OLMC this year. Important changes to the families of our members are changes for the council as well, maybe this change impacts the time some of our brothers can spend on council activities.

This is a good opportunity to talk to a member about giving their time at a council activity, or maybe just attending something that they have not had the opportunity to in the past. This transition period is also a good time to talk to that friend who has not yet joined our order and inviting them to come to an event and get to know some of the brothers.

This is also an important month for the church, September 8th is the birthday of Mary the mother of Jesus. We should take a moment to say an extra rosary or this Prayer to the Mother for her intercession on our behalf.

Mother of Perpetual Help, you have been blessed and favored by God. you became not only the Mother of the Redeemer, but Mother of the redeemed as well. We come to you today as your loving children. Watch over us and take care of us. As you held the child Jesus in your loving arms, so take us in your arms. Be a mother ready at every moment to help us. For God who is mighty has done great things for you, and God's mercy is from age to age on those who love God. Intercede for us, dear Mother, in obtaining pardon for our sins, love for Jesus, final perseverance, and the grace always to call upon you, Mother of Perpetual Help.

Vivat Jesu, Jonathan Sargent - Grand Knight

Family and Knight of the Month



Sir Knight Robert and Jeanette DeBartolo. The DeBartolo family is definitely a regular fixture at council events, always offering to help out in any way they can. Robbie has helped organize the family picnics with Neil Rosenbaum, he has helped increase attendance at Adopt a Spot with the inclusion of Boy Scout Troop 27 and Cub Scout Pack 242. He is a regular volunteer at bingo as well as a bingo caller. They do all this while still raising a family of 4, both of them volunteering as Scout Leaders, Robbie and his daughter Abby support the Nocturnal Adoration Society at OLMC. I count myself lucky to have them as friends and I hope you take a moment to congratulate Robbie and Jeanette DeBartolo, our September Family of the Month.



Sir Knight David Litzinger, PGK. The Knight of the month for September works behind the scenes and out in front to ensure the council runs smoothly. As trustee, he ensures that we are financially sound, but also gives me advice and the benefit of his experience. He is always one of the first to respond to email requests for information or advice. Even though his wife Mary is ill, he still finds time to serve at the parish and the council; in addition to his trustee role, he also serves as the church director for OLMC. He is also very involved in the church ministry to those with special needs. This ministry is close to my own heart as my sister Elizabeth has benefited greatly from t. Take a minute to thank our September Knight of the Month David Litzinger for all he does for our council, his parish and our community.



Whenever you hear someone from the Virginia State or Supreme Councils talk about the Knights of Columbus, it doesn't take long before they quote some numbers for the millions of volunteer hours' knights perform and the millions of charity dollars we donate. If you go to www.kofc.org, you'll see that we boast of \$175 Million in charitable donations and more than 73.4 million hours of service for 2015. Those figures can seem faceless when taken in the context normally provided: from a lectern or pulpit at a meeting or other event. Let's put a face to those numbers. A portion of our Bingo charity helps provide scholarships for families who otherwise wouldn't afford a Catholic education for their children. Some of our service hours keep the streets that we drive down, in this case Warwick Boulevard, clean of litter. When we vote on charity motions during meetings, we help our Churches provide quality, wholesome activities for our children. When you consider volunteering your time, talent, and treasure please remember the valuable and worthy causes that Council 5480 supports as a result of your hard work.

Vivat Jesu, John Edwards - Deputy Grand Knight



Raising Awareness About Life Insurance



Each September since 2003 has been designated as Life Insurance Awareness Month. Like most awareness-raising campaigns, Life Insurance Awareness Month was created because there is an overwhelming lack of understanding of life insurance, its uses, its benefits, and its variations among the general public. Each year, the Life Insurance Market Research Association (LIMRA) puts out the results from a recent survey, and unfortunately, the numbers they report continue to be discouraging.

A recent survey found that more than 75 percent of people polled did not have a personal financial advisor, even though 68 percent of them said their opinion of the current economic conditions was somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable.

In other words, a majority of those surveyed were uncomfortable with the economy and the uncertainty it brings, yet they did not seek professional assistance. Maybe they spoke with their friends and family. Maybe they hoped the instability would go away on its own. Maybe they did not know to whom to turn.

If you fall into this category, please remember that as a member of the Knights of Columbus, you have a full-time, professional agent you can call your own. My primary responsibility is the care and service of your family's life insurance, retirement and long-term care needs. I'll answer your questions because I want your decisions to be informed ones. I want to help.

Another LIMRA statistic said 43 percent of people did not buy life insurance because they worry about "making the wrong decision." Talk with me, your agent, and, afterwards, you'll understand that the only wrong decision was not purchasing sooner to protect your family's future.

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



Growing Our Council

Brothers, There are several degree opportunities in September 2016. We have several brothers that are eligible to advance to 2nd and 3rd degree. If you or someone you know would like to participate in the 2nd and 3rd degree ceremonies, they will be held at our council this month. This makes it very convenient and saves travel time. If you are planning to take one or both degrees, please contact me ASAP (DAVID.KERSTETTER2@VERIZON.NET or 757-871-2473). Upcoming degree ceremonies:

- 2nd Degree - Tuesday September 20, 7:30 PM @ Council 5480. Degree participants should arrive at 6:45 PM *Please note - this is the 3rd Tuesday of September and is not a regular council meeting.*
- 3rd Degree - Saturday September 24, 11:00AM @ Council 5480. Degree participants should wear a suit and a tie and plan to arrive at 10:45 AM.
- 1st Degree - Tuesday October 11, 7:30PM @ Council 5480.

Fraternally Yours, David Kerstetter, Chancellor

- **Knights of Columbus - Our Principles:** <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/todays-knights/our-principles.html>
- **Check the Virginia KofC Calendar for additional Degree Events:** <http://www.vakofc.org/calendar.html>



SEPTEMBER 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 AUG	29 7 PM Bingo	30	31	1 World Day of Prayer for Care of Creation 7 PM Bingo	2 Open Knight 7 PM <i>Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC) 3PM-6AM</i>	3
4	5 Labor Day 7 PM Bingo	6 7:30 PM Assembly Meeting (6:30 PM Potluck)	7 PCHS Back to School Night	8 Birth of Mary 7 PM Bingo	9 Day of Prayer for Peace in our Communities 6:30 PM Vietnamese Dinner (Lounge)	10 8:45 AM Catholic Men's Conference (Williamsburg) 2 PM KofC Recruitment Webinar
11 Patriot Day	12 7 PM Bingo	13 7:30 PM Council Meeting First Degree Team Meeting (after council meeting)	14	15 Hispanic Heritage Month Begins 7 PM Bingo 1 st Degree (Council 511)	16 7 PM Dinner Knight	17 10 AM Denbigh Day Parade 9 AM Adopt a Spot
18 Catechetical Sunday 2016 "Prayer: The Faith Prayed." 1200 Laser Tag Challenges	19 7 PM Bingo	20 7 PM 5480 Club Meeting 2 nd Degree (Council 5480)	21	22 7 PM Bingo	23 6:30 PM Past Grand Knight / Past Faithful Navigator Dinner	24 11 AM 3 rd Degree (Council 5480) 6 PM Oktoberfest
25	26 7 PM Bingo	27 7:30 PM Council Meeting	28 1 - 7 PM Blood Drive (St. Jerome Faith & Life Center)	29 7 PM Bingo	30 7 PM Movie Knight "Wish You Well" Knight	1 OCT

Mark Your Calendars for Upcoming Events!

<u>October 2016</u>	<u>November 2016</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 OCT: Virginia KofC State Quarterly Meeting (Fredericksburg) • 1 OCT: Domestic Abuse/Respect for Life/Black Catholic History Month Begins • 1 OCT: Bon Secours Hampton Roads Free Drive Through Flu Shot Day • 4 OCT: Assembly Meeting • 7-8 OCT: Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC) • 8 OCT: Color Corps Training (8:30 AM) • 10 OCT: Columbus Day • 11 OCT: Council Meeting / 1st Degree (Council 5480) • 14 OCT: Birthday Knight • 15 OCT: Adopt-a-Spot / Fiesta Latina • 16 OCT: Canonizations of Blessed Jose Brochero and Blessed Jose Sanchez del Rio • 18 OCT: 5480 Club Meeting • 21 OCT: Dinner Knight (Lounge) • 22 OCT: Rev Mr. Dwyer Memorial Dinner • 23 OCT: Youth Halloween Party / World Mission Sunday • 25 OCT: Council Meeting / Memorial Mass • 28 OCT: Movie Knight • 31 OCT: Halloween 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 NOV: Assembly Meeting / All Saints Day / Native American Heritage Month Begins • 2 NOV: All Soul's Day • 4-5 NOV: Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC) • 5 NOV: 4th Degree Exemplification (Richmond) • 8 NOV: Election Day/Council Meeting / 1st Degree (Council 5480) • 11 NOV: Veterans Day/5480 Club Quarterly Meeting • 11 NOV: Birthday Knight • 12 NOV: Adopt-a-Spot • 15 NOV: 5480 Club Meeting • 17 NOV: 1st Degree (Council 511) • 18 NOV: Dinner Knight (Lounge) • 19 NOV: Polish Fest (Council 11264) • 22 NOV: Council Meeting (Cancelled) • 24 NOV: Thanksgiving • 25 NOV: Movie Knight • 27 NOV: First Sunday of Advent

.....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 Clement Danish or the Grand Knight.

- **SICK & RECOVERY.** FEBRUARY 2016: Mary Litzinger (PGK David Litzinger's Wife); JUNE 2016: SK Bill Allen
- **DECEASED MEMBERS, RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.** JUNE 2016: Brother Alosio Laban.

NAMES WILL REMAIN ON LIST FOR ONE MONTH. PLEASE RENEW YOUR PRAYER REQUEST IF CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE DESIRED. CALL CLEMENT DANISH (877-2751) OR THE GRAND KNIGHT WITH REQUESTS OR QUESTIONS.



Roaring Knights September 2016 Bartender Schedule

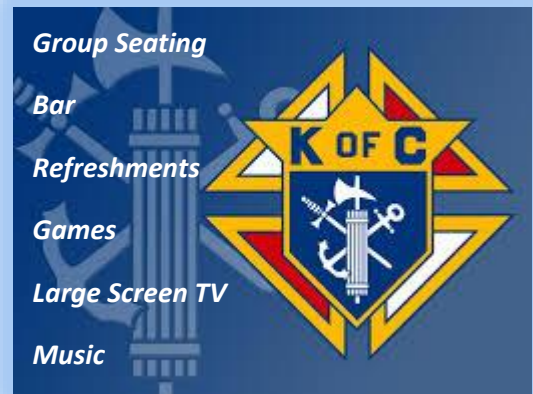


Knights Den Lounge Information



Sept	Day	Description	Bartenders
2	Friday	Open Knight	Rios
6	Tuesday	Assembly Meeting	Howard
9	Friday	Knight Dinner	Koch, Kerstetter
13	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Carroll, Humphrey
16	Friday	Billy Mitchell	Schirm
23	Friday	PGK/PFN Dinner	Jeff James
27	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Silva, Carrota, Schirm
30	Friday	Movie Knight	Rios

If a Knight is interested in tending bar or cannot make it to bartend please call Alberto Rios at 814-5393 or riostoto@aol.com



For All Lounge Rentals, Please Contact:
Lewis Stokes (PGK) - Lounge Manager
Phone: 757-872-7840 Email: lssyms@verizon.net

SEPTEMBER 2016 BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAYS

ANDREW B CONVERY - 1
SHAWN D FITZPATRICK - 2
PETE LONTOR - 2
EDWARD M PLUCINSKI - 2
RICHARD J SPIVAK - 2
WILLIAM T LENDERMAN - 3
GEORGE W MATTINGLY - 3
JOHN G ROOS - 3
PHILLIP M SKRYPISKI - 3
NATHANIEL L SULLIVAN - 3
CHARLES H TIEDEKEN - 3
THOMAS J AHEARN - 4
JONATHAN L SARGENT - 5
RICHARD M BENNETT - 7
EDWARD J HYNES - 8
TIMOTHY E SHARPE - 8
DOMINICK R BEVACQUA PGK - 9
PHILIP A BROADHEAD - 9
JOHN L SILVA - 9
BLAINE R BEAULIEU - 11
STEPHEN M CURRAN - 11
LOUIS W FEDERICO - 11
TODD J HARRAH - 11
CARROLL G KELLEY - 11
RAYMOND J NOVEY - 12
RICHARD LUSK - 13
ROBERT D PALLONE - 13
JESSIE POWELL - 13
MATTHEW J WEIS - 14
JAMES M DALBERTH - 15
ROBERT W CURRAN - 16
CORNELIUS MITCHELL - 16
DANIEL J RICHARD - 16

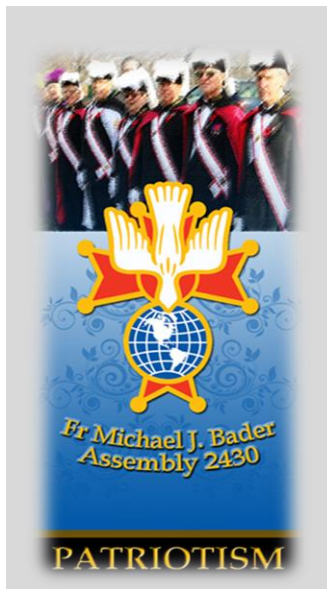
JEFFREY T STALLINGS - 16
WALTER A CRENSHAW - 17
DR KENT E WILLYARD - 17
ALBERTO RIOS - 19
JUSTIN R GONZALEZ - 20
ANTHONY C LONG - 20
LARRY M PEDERSON - 20
WILLIAM T EGGLESTON - 22
JOHN M JACKOWSKI - 22
RONALD J ROSENBAUM - 22
FRANKLIN D CLARK JR - 23
KARL L HEDLUND - 23
ANDREW S ARCHBALD - 24
PAUL J CARACCILO - 24
DR KELWYN A D SOUZA - 25
JEFFREY J KHOURY - 25
SHAUN MILLER - 25
MARSHALL J MANIPOL - 26
MARTIN A WALSH - 26
GEORGE M WOJCIK - 26
CHRISTOPHER H BUSH - 27
GEORGE D WOOD - 28
ANTHONY R FECONDO JR - 30
JAMES P HEALY - 30
TERENCE J KONOUCK - 30
CHARLES L ZASTROW - 30

ANNIVERSARIES

MICHAEL & CELIA GRINSTEAD - 1
JAMES & KATHLEEN BRADLEY JR - 3
JOSEPH & JAMIE OSSO - 3
CARROLL & FERNANDA KELLEY - 5
MARK & LINDA LYNCH - 5
KEVIN & KIMBERLY MCDERMOTT - 5
GERARD & JUDY PRINCE - 5

MARSHALL & LEAH MANIPOL - 6
FRANCIS & FAYE DOUGHERTY - 7
JEFFERY & HEATHER LEE - 8
JOHN & PATRICIA GRECO - 10
DAVID & LYN DOUGLAS - 11
SHAWN & MARGARET MCNEILL - 11
WILLIAM & CAROL BURKE IV - 14
WILLIAM & NIKKI BARRY - 15
THOMAS & IRENE KILLACKEY - 15
RAYMOND & JANE NOVEY - 15
PAUL & MARGAUX KILEY - 16
MICHAEL & KIM LEWIS - 16
DONALD & TERRY SHANNON - 18
BEVERLY & MARIA TIETJENS - 18
RICHARD & KELLY BRYSON - 19
JOHN & CHRISTINA WOJTAS - 19
KENNETH & JAN CLARKE - 20
DAVID & PATTY SMITH - 21
BILLY & DEANNA BRUCE - 22
JOHN & DEANNA BUCKLEY - 22
GARY & FRANCIS KUDLACIK - 22
JOHN & DELORES MACRINO - 23
MICHAEL & ANNE SMITH - 23
CHARLES & RITA SMITH - 24
DANIEL & JANET O'BRIEN - 25
ROBERT & LINDA SCHROCK - 25
JOHN & JUDY TRISKA - 25
PETER & CAROLYN LEBEL - 28
JAMES & SHIRLEY PATTERSON - 28
HART & BEVERLY SMITH - 28
WILLIAM & YOLANDA DOAK - 29
ED & MARY BETH PLUCINSKI - 29
MARK & MARY PINKERTON - 30

FR. MICHAEL J. BADER – ASSEMBLY 2430



ASSEMBLY DIRECTORY

Faithful Navigator

SK Stephen Raschke 509-0177

Faithful Friar

SK Father Tyson J. Wood 878-2257

Faithful Captain

SK Rick Schirm 310-3242

Faithful Pilot

SK Tyrone Fuller

Faithful Comptroller

SK Harold Hairston 877-1566

Faithful Purser

SK Wilfred Wotke 877-3316

Faithful Scribe

SK Albert Rios 814-5393

Faithful Admiral

SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865

Faithful Inner Sentinel

SK Reco Cotton 508-1398

SK Stanley Baker 725-0576

Faithful Outer Sentinel

SK Bernie Gerlach 877-0126

SK Jerome Vorwald

Color Corps Commander

SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865

Sick and Distress

SK Tony Merendino 872-7113

Trustees

1 Yr – SK Louis Federico 870-0573

2 Yr – SK Thai Nguyen 232-0889

3 Yr – SK Kiet Nguyen

From the Faithful Navigator

Sir Knights, I look forward to seeing you at the September Assembly meeting. Please mark your calendars for the following upcoming events:

- The next Assembly meeting is Tuesday, September 6, 2016. The doors open at 6:00 PM followed by a Dining-In at 6:30 PM, Rosary at 7:00 PM and the formal meeting at 7:30 PM. All Sir Knights and your spouses are encouraged to attend and bring your favorite dish for the pot luck meal.
- The 57th Denbigh Day Parade and Festival will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2016. The Parade will begin at 10:00 AM from Denbigh High School parking lot and proceed east on Denbigh, turn right onto Old Courthouse Way, then continue past the reviewing stand to disband at Ferguson parking lot. Sir Knights participating in the parade will assemble no later than 8:30 AM at the Ferguson parking lot (just past Tabb's Lane) or at the Denbigh High School parking lot no later than 9:30 AM. Please contact SK Carroll Kelley if you are planning to participate.
- The District will conduct Color Corp Training for Sir Knights needing initial training or rectification on the 8th of October 8, 2016 at 8:30 AM in the Council 5480 Columbian Center.
- The next 4th degree exemplification will be in Richmond at the Doubletree Hotel (use to be the Kroger Center) on November 5, 2016. The event includes a dinner in the evening. Please plan on staying and enjoying the weekend with your fellow Sir Knights. If you know of a brother Knight that wants to join the 4th degree, please have him contact myself or the Faithful Captain Rick Schirm.
- The renewal of obligations will be at our January 3, 2017 Assembly Meeting.

Sir Knight Stephen Paul Raschke Sr., Faithful Navigator, Father Bader Assembly 2430.

Knights of Columbus Non-partisan National Voter Registration Program

2016 is a Presidential Election year. All citizens of the United States have the right to vote. All Catholic citizens should become active and informed participants in the political life of their local community and their country. This includes making sure that all Catholic citizens who are eligible to vote are registered to do so. In this important election year, the Order is asking you to please consider participating in The Knights of Columbus Nonpartisan National Voter Registration Program. This is a nonpartisan parish-based program that enables members of the Knights of Columbus to help Catholic citizens register and exercise their right to vote. To learn more about how your state and your council can participate in this important program, go to www.kofc.org/vote. To review an informative webinar presentation describing the program and related program materials, click here to register. If you have specific questions about this program, call Fraternal Mission at (203) 752-4270. Any questions from the media concerning the Knights of Columbus and political activity or any other public relations issues should be directed to Joe Cullen, Senior Communications Specialist, at (203) 800-4923 or joseph.cullen@kofc.org.

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nocturnal Adoration

Our Lady of Mount Carmel *hosts Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the first Friday-Saturday of each month.* Brothers and their families are invited to pray for one hour in the *Blessed Sacrament Chapel.* Nocturnal Adoration hours are 3:00 p.m. on Friday 6:00 a.m. on Saturday. Upcoming Nocturnal Adorations: 1-2 September, 7-8 October, and 4-5 November.

Join the First Degree Team!

BROTHERS, we are always asking eligible Catholic men to join our Order, but before they can become a Knight they must complete the First Degree Ceremony. **You can help these Catholic men become a Knight by becoming a member of the Council's FIRST DEGREE TEAM.** Please consider becoming a FIRST DEGREE TEAM member. There will be a meeting of the current FIRST DEGREE TEAM and anyone interested in joining the team on **TUESDAY 13 September 2016 after the Council meeting.** Fraternaly, Ron Gorman PSD, First Degree Team, Captain.

Help Needed for Storm and Flood Victims

In August 2016, *Southern Louisiana was hit by what is called "the worst natural disaster since Superstorm Sandy."* Several people have died, with tens of thousands of others forced to leave their homes. More than 30,000 people have been rescued from the flooded areas, many seeking refuge in emergency shelters. In response to the devastation, *the Supreme Council has launched an online donation drive to assist with local relief operations.* One hundred percent of the proceeds will go directly to relief efforts. To donate, visit: https://www.kofc.org/en/secure/charities/louisiana-flood-relief.html?utm_source=Aug-email1&utm_medium=email&utm_term=LA-Relief&utm_campaign=Aug-LA-Flood-Relief

2016 Catholic Men's Conference

The Center for Marriage, Family, and Life is gearing up for the **5th Annual Catholic Men's Conference in the Diocese of Richmond on September 10, 2016 @ 8:45 am - 5:00 pm.** An excellent opportunity to *demonstrate your principles CHARITY - UNITY- FRATERNITY. Let's make Council 5480 proud and offer our services as USHERS and MINISTERS this one day.* Please contact Brother David Litzinger (davidlitzinger@verizon.net) if you are willing to volunteer your services ALL day or for MASS only. Registration will be available at the door for \$50. For Conference information, please visit: http://www.cdrcmfl.org/ai1ec_event/2016-catholic-mens-conference/?instance_id=

Mark your Calendar and Order your tickets for Oktoberfest!

This year's *Oktoberfest is a joint venture between the Tidewater German- American Society and the Knights of Columbus Council 5480.* This event will be held at the Columbian Center on Saturday, **September 24th, at 6:00 PM.** Please observe the detailed information shown on the Oktoberfest 2016 Flyer that is part of this newsletter. In an effort to reserve your tickets at the lesser price, please fill out and tear off the lower section and mail it with your check prior to September 15th, 2016 to the address as shown on the Flyer. Please contact SK Wilfried Wotke at (757) 877-3316 or wwwotke@aol.com, if you encounter any questions. ***We are going to have lots of Fun!***

Council 5480 Market Center!

Please visit the Council 5480 Market Center! The purpose of the UKnight Market Center is to ***extend the fraternal relationships shared by brother Knights to the marketplace,*** and to use the power of this market center to provide financial support for your council. Use the Business Categories below to help find a business or service you are interested in. All of these businesses have provided financial support to their council. To find out more information and learn about sponsor levels and advertising opportunities, please visit: <http://kofcknights.org/CouncilSite/CouncilMerchants.asp?CNO=5480>

September Movie Knight

Please join us on the Fifth Friday - September 30, 2016 at 7:30 PM in the lounge for a showing of the "Wish You Well". The film is a 2013 adaptation of David Baldacci's novel by the same name and stars Mackenzie Foy and Ellen Burstyn. The story a young girl that moves from New York with her younger brother to live with their great grandmother on a Virginia farm after a family tragedy and comes closer to understanding the land and roots that inspired her father's writings while discovering herself, the love of family, and the power of truly believing. It is a film for the whole family!

KofC Recruiting Webinar

Join KofC Fraternal Education, Training, and Ceremonials for a ***webinar on September 10, 2016 at 2 PM to learn how good recruitment skills*** can help you build a stronger and more vibrant council. The webinar will cover identifying and training recruiters, planning successful parish recruitment drives, and the 10 Keys to Membership Recruiting Success. Register: <http://event.on24.com/wcc/r/1232265/C943B5742021DB15EB3C64977BDD5E8E>

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Knights of Columbus Council 5480 Presents the 6th Annual

LASER TAG CHALLENGE!



Sunday September 18, 2016 * 12 Noon to 4:00PM

Columbian Center

12742 Nettles Dr. Newport News, VA 23606

Tickets will be on sale in August/September after masses at
Immaculate Conception Church, St. Jerome's & Our Lady of Mount Carmel
\$8 per person (Advance) or \$10 (Door)

RSVP/Info: Angelo Cavone 757-469-8303 / AngeloCavone@VERIZON.NET

**Join your family & friends for an FUN afternoon of pizza,
drinks, games, and entertainment & Camaraderie!**

Mark Your Calendar These Other Council 5480 Events:

Halloween Fest

**Sunday October 23, 2016, 1:00PM—4:00PM
Columbian Center**

Christmas Party

**Sunday December 4, 2016, 1:00PM—4:00PM
Columbian Center**



Fiesta Latina

*Celebrating
Hispanic Heritage Month*

Saturday October 15, 2016

At Columbian Center

100 Columbus Way Newport News, VA 23606

Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Enjoy a fun-filled evening with local performers and dancers in their national outfits. You will want to sway to the exciting Salsa music with our DJ, or the ever inviting romantic slow tunes of the Latin Pop music while savoring the delicious Mexican food prepared by the chefs of Plaza Azteca^o

Your choice of:

Chicken Fajitas, Beef Fajitas or Creamy Chicken

Advance tickets are \$15 / cash bar. Tickets will not be sold at the door!

For information, tickets please call: Thai Nguyen 757 232 0889

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



“Deacon Dave”

Rev. Mr. David Vincent Dwyer Memorial Dinner

to benefit - SPRED PARTNERS OF VIRGINIA

October 22, 2016 – St. Michael Hall –

144 Harpersville Rd. Newport News, VA

Doors Open for Silent Auction @ 6:00pm - Dinner @ 7:00pm

for more information contact: spreadpartnersva@gmail.com

reservations are \$45/person



Guest Speaker - Julia Hess

“The SPRED JOURNEY”



Working as a SPRED Community Religious Worker for over 35 years, Julia shares the Good News in the life of a parish SPRED program.

“We are ready to look at the present and contemplate strategies to attend to both the current and future needs of our SPRED friends . Friends who have reached a point of transition were also identified triggering a discussion. Who goes on the waiting list? ... the Friend who is no longer comfortable in an age group? or the Friend who has not yet been in the program? How does the syllabus honor the chronological age of the Friend? Can a child with a disability sense the need to move on? What are some of the signs of disconnection? When is it necessary for a group to change from one age group to another? And ... what does the change entail regarding environment; choice of activities and change of the mindset of the catechists ... to be able to recognize that the person is no longer a child, but instead an adult with adult needs. How does changing an age group affect other parishes and SPRED communities. Whew! Many thoughts and concerns ... definitely just scratched the surface ... Your thoughts are appreciated.” (exerpts from BLOG June 2014)

SPRED



This SPRED logo portrays Jesus revealing the love of his Father, standing in the midst of his people, welcoming all who yearn for God's love. Filled with the Spirit, their hands reach out in to touch the hearts of others.

SPRED prepares persons with intellectual disabilities to fully belong in the liturgical life of the parish. Catechists welcome their friends with disabilities into a small faith community. Within the community, the friends are invited to experience an activity of their choice like clay, painting or other centering activity to prepare their hearts to develop a sense of the sacred. The Word of God is shared, reflection on life experiences with the use of symbols and a simple meal is enjoyed with their mentor or helper catechist.

VIETNAMESE DINNER

FRIDAY NIGHT IN THE LOUNGE

September 9, 2016 at 6:30 p.m.

\$10 per person-cash bar

Featuring:

Grilled Pork Chops, Shredded Pork Loin, Baked Omelette Stuffed Ground Pork served with white rice, cucumber, tomato and Romaine lettuce accented with a tasty home made sauce for an authentic flavor.

Seating is limited to sixty!

Sign up at meetings or call

Thai Nguyen 757 232 0889 for reservation



The need is constant.
The gratification is instant.
Give blood.”

American Red Cross

**St. Jerome Catholic Church
Blood Drive**

116 Denbigh Blvd. In the Faith and Life Center

**Wednesday
September 28th
1:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

To schedule an appointment, visit redcrossblood.org
Sponsor Code: **StJerome**

All presenting donors will receive a coupon by email for a free haircut at Sport Clips!!

COUNCIL 5480 WALTER POLLARD DIRECTORY

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Financial Secretary	Jessie Powell	595-9305
Chancellor	David Kerstetter	817-2473
Warden	Dean Jernigan	596-4034
Recorder	Wilfred Wotke	877-3316
Treasurer	Ron Gorman	930-0311
Advocate	Carroll Kelley	877-4865

Guards:

• Inside	Reco Cotton	508-1398
• Inside	Walter Troyan	988-1436
• Outside	Stanley Baker	725-0576
• Outside	Umit Davulco	(862)226-1089

Trustees:

• One Year	David Litzinger	719-4028
• Two Year	Gabriel Franco	877-4423
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