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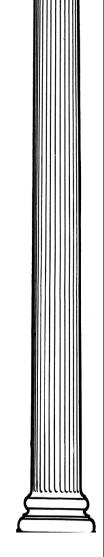
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My Dear Fellow Knights,

We begin a new year as a Council with new leadership at the helm of our mission to bring charity, unity and fraternity to our brotherhood and community in which we serve. There is an opportunity here to apply the principle lessons we learned in each of our degrees. How good it is to put them into practice! What a positive impact we can make on the people we encounter?

Charity flows from the fact that God first loved us. Throughout the scriptures there are bunches of stories of God's love impacting the lives of his people. It often speaks of God's tenderness and mercy which flow directly from God's love for us.

Unity is the result of God's willingness to forgive us and His invitation via Jesus Christ to extend that loving mercy by forgiving others. Forgiveness is possible because God first loved us. Forgiveness is the direct result of God's desire to love us. Unity results when we strive to forgive one another. Sin separates. Love/mercy binds together again. Love holds us together in unity.

Fraternity is the direction in which Christ leads his flock. His message and actions clearly demonstrates his efforts to remove the obstacles that keeps humanity apart. Jesusgoes to great lengths to call us together as one family offaith. He removes the barriers that separates us and enjoins us to work toward what St.Paul would laterwrite "to preserve the spirit of unity in abond of peace."

(Eph. 4:1-6) Fraternity was so vital toChrist's work that in the final prayer at the Last Supper Jesus addresses his Father, "I pray that they will all beone, just as you and I are one--as you are in me, Father,

"and I am in you. And may they be in us so that the world will believe you sent me. (Jn 17:21)

Let us then this new year of our Council, be even more committed to our brotherhood so that our lives will reflect our calling to charity, unity and fraternity. May we become examples to our families, churches and communities of these threefold virtues and may the world in which we live and serve become a much better place.

Veni Creatur Spiritu,

Fr Tom



FOR THOSE WHO SERVE OTHERS

O Lord our heavenly Father, whose blessed Son came not to be served but to serve: Bless, we beseech thee, all who, following in his steps, give themselves to the service of others; that with wisdom, patience, and courage, they may minister in his name to the suffering, the friendless, and the needy; for the love of him who laid down his life for us, the same thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and

the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

- Anonymous





Words from the Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

If you have received your latest issue of Columbia magazine, you noted the article on the new model for our activities - "Faith in Action (FIA)." FIA is the new umbrella program that covers all programs recommended by our Supreme



Council. It categorizes programs according to our main priorities as an Order: Faith, Family, Community, and Life.

Faith represents our primary goal: to strengthen men and their families in our Catholic faith. Family represents our commitment to keeping families strong, especially in these turbulent times. Community represents our mission of performing works of charity in our communities. Life represents our commitment to the defense of life in all its stages and conditions, to paraphrase St. John Paul II.

The Supreme Council has recommended 32 programs as part of FIA. However, we as a council have a great deal of independence and responsibility in conducting programs that may fit these four categories. For example, our Bike Project is something of which we are all very proud, and nothing in FIA says that we must curtail it in favor of other programs. What FIA represents is a benchmark for any projects that we may undertake, to make certain that they fil the calling of one of those four categories. There are required programs for our council to earn a Columbian award, but nothing in the Supreme Council's directives requires us to undergo any specific program to maintain our charter.

As we continue through this new year and the years to come, let us be mindful of FIA not only as a guide for our council, but also as our conduct as individual Knights.

Vivat Jesus!

Ken Williams Grand Knight



Remember our Brothers and their Families that are in need of our Prayers:



Bruce Beck's Granddaughter, ChoppsFamily, Dennis Conley, Rich Cunningham, Marty DeBattista, Ted & Nan Fitzgerald, J.Foliar and his wife, Janet Foresman, Mike Halcarz, Leo Mavhew and his wife Trish. Jim Miller. Jim Murphy"s Granddaughter, JoePollaro, Dave Pzonka, Brother Joe R from SEAS, Rich Schutkovske. Fred Siminski's friend in Hebron, FredSiminski's mother in law. JessicaSiminski and babv. Mark Siminski &his wife, & Daughter inlaw who's pregnate, Ed Stram, Ernie Williams, Ken Williams Mom & Dad Glenn Wyant & his Kathy

Please pray for the victims and families of the massacres inTexas, Las Vegas, Florida, Santa Fe High School.



If you know of anyone who should be added or removed from this list please contact:

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Five Things You Need to Know Before Talking to Your Insurance Agent

Our agents can advise you on what insurance policies are best for you and your family — that's why they're so helpful. Still, you might be hesitant to sit down with your agent for various reasons. Here are a few things to keep in mind the next time you sit down with a KofC agent to alleviate all your fears.

1. What should a family expect when sitting down with a KofC agent?

A family should expect to visit with a professional and intelligent representative of the Knights of Columbus who is going to bring a great deal of value to their family.

2. What would they discuss?

The agents will start by discussing the history and current events of the Knights of Columbus, then transition into discussing what is going on in the member's life, and then finally educate the member on how we may be able to better their situation financially.

3. Why is this meeting important?

A member's life can change in an instant, and everyone should always be prepared for the unthinkable to happen so their family is okay.

4. Why should families meet regularly with their agent?

Life is always changing. New jobs, new houses, etc. All these things change the financial needs of a family.

5. Why should families choose KofC Insurance?

Personal service is a lost art in our world today. But our agents are not just business men, they are brother Knights and your well-being is their business 24/7. This type of service is so important when you need help the most.

Did You Know?

1 in 4 of today's 20-year-olds will be disabled before they turn 67.

Are you prepared if it happens to you?

Visit with your agent to discuss how Knights of Columbus disability income insurance can let you earn an income when you can't work due to a disability.

(Source: Knights of Columbus Home Page)

Note: Our insurance agent **Eric Olson** is retiring at the end of August. He can be contacted at:

Cell (219) 689-4980 Hone (219) 374-8684

KoC thanks Eric for his wonderful devoted services to our members and wishes him the best in his retirement. "Well done good and faithful servant."



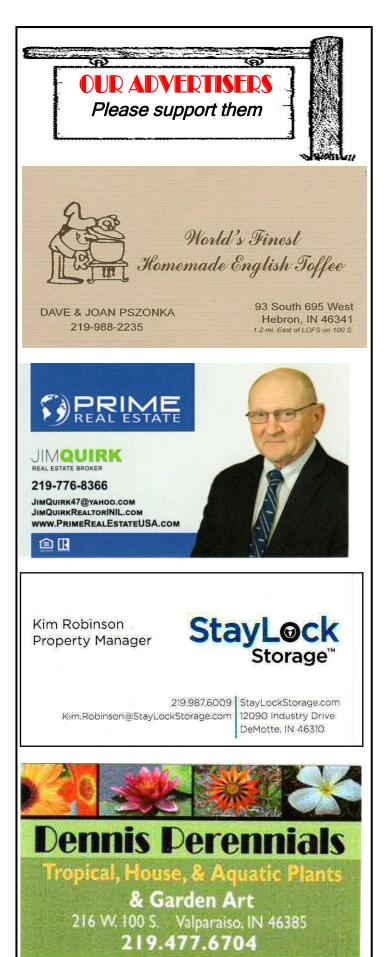




Michael Aloia, David Bailey, Wayne Borowski, Michael Bucko, Rev. Jeffrey Burton, Lawrence Caldwell, David Del Real. Michael Halcarz, Matthew Kustron. Scott Mason. Douglas Mayer, William Mc Carthy, Erik Mc Donald. John Ryczaj, Bernard Taylor, Jonathan Wilkerson, Danek Znika,

WINNERS JULY MEETING

50/50 winner: Bob Marchina won \$16.00 Jason Krampen won the Monthly Attendance drawing of \$50.00. The kitty was reset to \$50.00





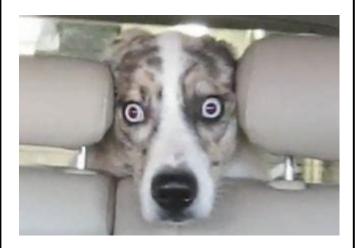
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- AUG 4 Holy Spirit Mens Group 8:00 am
- AUG 8 Council Business meeting at SH 7:00 pm
- AUG 11 Council Breakfast at 12 Islands 8:00 am
- AUG 19 Holy Spirit Mens Group 7:00 am
- AUG 22 Council Social Meeting TBA 7:00 pm
- SEP 1 Holy Spirit Mens Group 8:00 am
- SEP 6 Council Officers Meeting at SEAS-7:00 pm
- SEP 8 Council Breakfast at Pappa's 8:00 am
- SEP 12 Council Business meeting at SEAS-7:00 pm
- SEP 16 Holy Spirit Mens Group 7:00 [m
- SEP 22 NW Catholics Men's conference at St. Patrick's in Chesterton
- SEP 26 Council Social Meeting TBA
- OCT 4 Council Officers Meeting at HS -7:00 pm
- OCT 6 Holy Spirit Mens Group 8:00 am
- OCT10 Council Business meeting at HS 7:00 pm
- OCT13 Council Breakfast at Country Kitchen -7:00 am
- OCT24 Council Social Meeting TBA 7:00 PM

House Rules

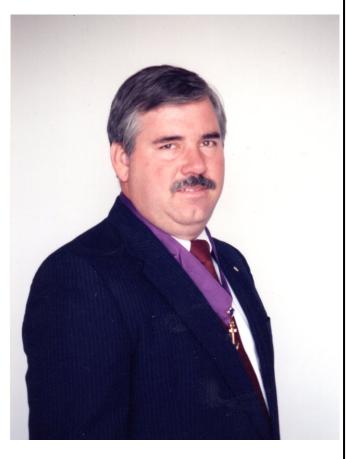
- .1. If you open it, CLOSE IT.
- 2. If you turn it on, TURN IT OFF.
- 3. If you unlock it, LOCK IT.
- 4. If you break it, FIX IT.
- 5. If you can't fix it, CALL SOMEONE WHO CAN.
- 6. If you borrow it, RETURN IT.
- 7. If you use it, TAKE CARE OF IT
- 8. If you make a mess, CLEAN IT UP.
- 9. If you move it, PUT IT BACK.
- 10. If it belongs to someone else, GET PERMISSION TO USE IT.
- 12. If you don't know how to operate it, READ THE DIRECTIONS or DON"T MESS WITH IT.
- 13. If it doesn't concern you, DON'T MESS WITH

CUT OUT AND POST FOR EVERYONE TO SEE

Fr. Tom, PLEASE!!! SLOW DOWN!!









NAME REVEALED



No this is not James Bond! This one of our Knight in shinning armour. It's our loveable and hard working member: JIM QUIRK