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Meeting Schedule (7pm)

Officer's Meeting 1st Mon.
Council Business 2nd Tues.
Assembly 3rd Tues.
Women's Club 3rd Tues.
Social 4th Tues.





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Grand Knight's Message

Worthy Knights and Ladies

First, THANK YOU for Being Part Of My GREAT Two Years. I will miss sending out my Grand Knights Message to you all.

In all of my relationships, I am a living, loving example of the Christ nature. Father David once said to me, "I was the cinder block, that became a Corner Stone in our Council and Parish and Community. Thank You Father David for having faith in me, to turn our council around. Thank you, Ron C., Ron S., David E., Tony R., Jack H., Dick P., Larry P., they pushed me hard. As I once said" I May Have Been the Head Of Our Sacred Heart Council (Grand Knight) but, you all were the body that made me better. I see the wisdom and goodness in those who I have engaged in a relationship with. With willing heart, I gave of my time, talent, treasures to those in need. When I lost my little brother in 2016, I found so much love from those around me, it helped me pull through a rough time. I am eternally grateful for the opportunity to be blessed through your rich relationship with me.

At birth, we board a train of life and we first meet our parents, and we believed they would always be around. As time goes by, others will board the train; and they will be significant. Siblings, friends, children and the love of our life. This train will be full of joy, sorrow, fantasy, expectations, hellos, goodbyes, and farewells. Success consists of having a good relationship with all passengers requiring that we give the best of ourselves as we go along. So, we must live in the best way, love, forgive, and offer the best of who we are. So I Thank You All From The Bottom Of My Heart, "THANK YOU FOR BEING ON MY TRAIN OF LIFE." Two things I am Proud of "I Served My Country in U.S. Navy and Government and Being Your Grand Knight."

LOVE YOU ALL

God Bless America

VIVAT JESUS! Larry Fusco



Chaplain's Report

This article was published by CNA News USA on June 17, 2017

What does "The Joy of the Gospel" look like in the U.S.?

It's been nearly four years since Pope Francis released his apostolic exhortation, *Evangelii gaudium*, or "The Joy of the Gospel." But what does it look like to truly live out the Joy of the Gospel in the U.S.?

That's the question behind an unprecedented gathering of Catholic leaders from around the country this summer.

On the weekend of July 4th, hundreds of bishops will join with thousands of Catholic leaders from around the country to participate in "The Convocation of Catholic Leaders: The Joy of the Gospel in America," a four-day conference to share experiences about the Church engaging with modern U.S. culture.

"Never before has such a large and diverse group assembled under the guidance of the bishops," said Bishop Richard J. Malone of Buffalo, who chairs the bishops' Committee on Laity, Marriage, Family Life and Youth. Speaking to his brother bishops in a June 15 talk, he stressed, "This is truly unlike any other meeting."

Dr. Jonathan Reyes, executive director of the

bishops' Department of Justice, Peace and Human Development, said in an interview with Register Radio that the Church finds herself in a unique moment, which provides a wealth of opportunities for growth and fruit from this convocation.

"I think it's the kind of moment the Holy Spirit uses for the Church, to open the Church up to ideas and opportunities," Reyes said. "It's about an opportunity that we think the Lord has given, that we believe the Lord has given and that we have to respond to."

The Convocation of Catholic Leaders will take place July 1-4 in Orlando, Florida, and will bring together a broad swath of bishops, clergy and lay Catholic leaders from around the country.

Focusing on what it means to be a Catholic in the United States, delegations from 155 dioceses and roughly 200 Catholic organizations will be in attendance, along with 160 bishops. Nearly 4,000 people of all ages, backgrounds, and ministerial focuses are expected to attend.

Bishop Malone explained the major role the bishops have played in organizing the event. "It had to be led by us, the bishops. It had to leverage our best research strategy and people."

"And," Bishop Malone continued, "it had to be about forming missionary disciples."

The bishops will be leading each of the panel discussions, round table conversations, liturgies and speeches at the event. Topics will range from the Church and politics, youth evangelization, reaching to the peripheries, family dynamics, technology, life issues, disabilities, application of the Church's social magisterium and more.

Dr. Reyes explained that the strength of the convocation will be found in the participants' broad range of expertise, geography and background.

"What happens is that conversation evolves. People get to trust each other. What we're doing is bringing in people from completely different backgrounds. We've got college presidents, we've got business leaders, we've got religious, we've got people working the front lines in some of the most difficult socioeconomic situations in this country. We've got people who've been in basically every aspect of the Church's ministry but also in worldly life, just doing things, because they're essential to effective evangelization," he told Register Radio.

Many of these people would not have any other chance to share their expertise with one another, yet what the bishops are doing is "trying to provide an opportunity for a trusting, balanced conversation because it's really key to us having a way forward together as a Church," he continued.

Another key aspect of the convocation, Reyes added, is the bishops' focus on *Evangelii Gaudium*'s message of missionary discipleship and bringing the message of the Gospel to new, unprecedented challenges.

"This is Pope Francis's whole point: it's the laity out there who are going to change the culture in their conversations with those around them," Reyes said. "And we need the laity, we need the priests, we need the Church unified proclaiming the Gospel and inviting people to encounter Jesus Christ. The good news is that if we do that, the Gospel works."

Most of all, however, Reyes said he is excited to see what comes after the convocation. "Everyone is going to come back with key insights. You just can't help it."

Often, Reyes offered, "we don't see enough the great things the Holy Spirit is doing." He noted that while attention is often placed on the challenges of the 21st Century, there are many different movements, ministries and local

examples of life sprouting within the Church that others may not see.

"There's light all over the place. The Gospel is not failing. I think the Church would benefit from seeing this."

Chris Romero Chancellor

NEWS DESK





The first photo was taken at a unveiling dinner for Champions for Champions.

Pictured are: Grand Knight Larry

Fusco, NFL Retired Players Mike Reilly,

Cookie Brinkman, Mike McBath,

Richard Trapp, Don Nottingham, along with Father David Vivero, Faithful Navigator Les Phillips, Henry Ayala, David Pistarelli.

The dinner was in Honor of the Special
Needs Children and Adults with
Champions for Champions being part of
St. Theresa's.

The second photo is at the Skeet Shot
Contest Retired NFL Players Sheriff
Officers from Marion County, Connie
Roman who is Director of Program,
Don Nottingham NFL

Coordinater Grand Knight Larry Sacred Heart Council donated over \$1200.00 to help with Champions for Champions Program.

We hope to continue doing this each year with different Guests along with Larry, who is now trying to get NFL to play in our future Golf Outing.

Golf Tournament October 14th

Summer Camp @ St. Theresa July 1721 9-Noon

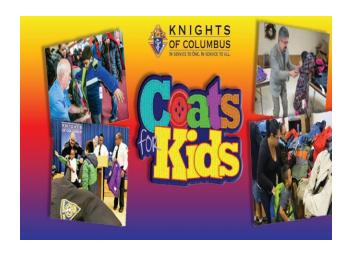
Volunteers for both events would be greatly appreciated. Volunteer

applications for the summer camp are available at St. Theresa Parish Office and must be filled out and returned by Sunday, July 9th. Please contact Don LaClair @ 445-4231 or David Pistarelli Jr. @ 233-9689 djpj723@hotmail.com for additional information.

On Tuesday, June 13th the Vatican announced that Carl A. Anderson, Supreme Knight of the Knights of Columbus, has been appointed by Pope Francis as a member of the Pontifical Academy for Life.



THE APOSTLES ON PENTECOST SUNDAY



STAR COUNCIL AWARD

FATHER MCGIVNEY AWARD: ACHIEVE MEMBERSHIP QUOTA: MINIMUM IS 7% INCREASE OR 4 NEW MEMBERS.

FOUNDER'S AWARD: ACHIEVE INSURANCE MEMBERSHIP QUOTA: 2.5% INCREASE AS OF JULY 1 OR 3 OR MAX OF 18.

COLUMBIAN ÁWARD: 4 MAJOR PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE SERVICE PROGRAM CATEGORIES OR ONE FEATURED PROGRAM.

- 1. CHURCH ACTIVITIES: 4 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE FEATURED PROGRAM; REFUND SUPPORTS VOCATION PROGRAM. (RSVP).
- 2. COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES: 4
 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE
 FEATURED PROGRAM; HABIT FOR
 HUMANITY AND GLOBAL
 WHEELCHAIR MISSION.
- 3. COUNCIL ACTIVITIES: 4 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE FEATURED PROGRAM; SPECIAL OLYMPICS
- 4. FAMILY ACTIVITIES: 4 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE FEATURED PROGRAM; FOOD FOR FAMILIES PROGRAM.

- 5. CULTURE OF LIFE ACTIVITIES: 4
 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE
 FEATURED PROGRAM; LOCAL,
 REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL MARCH
 FOR LIFE.
- 6. Youth Activities: 4 ACTIVITY PROGRAMS OR ONE FEATURED PROGRAM; COATS FOR KIDS.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

John & Helen Nowak 54 yrs.



JULY BIRTHDAYS

Mary Delaney 7/2
Quinn Beaudouin 7/4
Lawrence A. Powers 7/6
Benjamin J. Feuerstein 7/8
Stephen J. Jewusiak 7/12
Theresa Trudell 7/15
Kathy Haney 7/18
Robert J. Austin 7/19
Keith E. Krause 7/21
Edmond R. Fielden 7/23
Leonard R. Lanzillotti 7/23
Frank Demino 7/24
William P. Pivnick 7/27

Jack Harward 7/28 Thomas B. Rogers 7/29



PRAYER REQUEST

+NELLIE HORHOTA
TONY ROBERTO
JOE MC DERMOTT
JERRY LAMURA
+ LINDA LANZILLOTTI
+MARY LANZILLOTTI
+MARGE STERBINSKY
+GLENN KLINE
THERESA HACKNEY
GINA DOOLEY
MARY CASSIDY
THERESA ROMERO
+ROBERT LANCTOT
CINDY REM
TERRY JONES

+CHARLES GILMOUR

FOURTH DEGREE WOMEN'S CLUB

No Report this Month



We play on the 2nd& 4th Friday of every month at 7pm in the council meeting room. The 5th Friday is our tournament style Texas Hold 'em. These games are open to the public. The food is complimentary and beverages are only \$1!

COUNCIL DUES

This is a friendly reminder to pay your <u>council</u> dues if you have not done so yet. For any questions regarding dues, please contact Financial Secretary Dick Penndorf. 352-347-7717.

PRAYER OF THE MONTH

God of justice, Father of truth, who guide creation in wisdom and goodness to fulfillment in Christ your Son, open our hearts to the truth of his Gospel, that your peace may rule in our hearts and your justice guide our lives. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



A council that prays together stays together! Everyone is encouraged to attend the Corporate Communion Mass which takes place on the 1st Saturday of every month at St. Theresa's 5:30 p.m. Don't forget your Knights of Columbus shirt. Thank you to all those who attended the Corporate Communion Mass on June 3rd. The next Mass is on July 1st.

CONTRIBUTOR SUBMISSIONS

FOR THOSE WHO REGULARLY SUBMIT ARTICLES FOR THE NEWSLETTER, AND ANYONE ELSE WHO MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO ADD, MUST BE TO ME NO LATER THAN THE 20TH OF EACH MONTH. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

ABOUT THIS NEWSLETTER

Should you have a correction, addition, or deletion to this newsletter (**especially birthdays and anniversaries**) please do not hesitate to contact David J. Pistarelli, Editor djpj723@hotmail.com or Don LaClair, Assistant Editor donlaclair@yahoo.com



FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR MESSAGE

Please join me in welcoming the newest Sir Knight, Robert Horhota who took his degree in Sarasota last month. Also congratulations to the newly elected officers who will help lead the assembly during the 2017-2018 fraternal year. The assembly business meetings will resume in September. I would like to thank Sacred Heart Assembly 2062 for granting me the opportunity to serve as your Faithful Navigator; has been quite a pleasure.

Lester E. Phillips, PGK
Past Faithful Navigator
Sacred Heart Assembly 2062

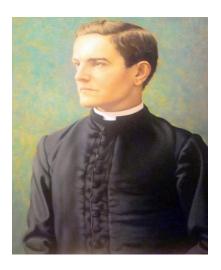
Saint of the Month

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, virgin

Kateri was born in 1656 near the town of Auriesville, New York, the daughter of a Mohawk warrior. She was baptized by Jesuit missionary Fr. Jacques de Lambertville on Easter of 1676 at the age of twenty. She devoted her life to prayer, penitential practices, and the care of the sick and aged in Caughnawaga near Montreal (where her relics are now enshrined). She incurred the hostility of her tribe because of her faith. She was devoted to the Eucharist, and to

Jesus Crucified, and was called the "Lily of the Mohawks." She died in 1680 and was beatified June 22, 1980 — the first native American to be declared "Blessed." She was canonized on October 21, 2012.





Congratulations to all Knights who are celebrating their anniversary of membership:

Joe G. Lindo 9 yrs. David Pistarelli Jr. 9 yrs.

A Message from Don La Clair, Grand Knight-Elect

Worthy Officers and Members, it is a great honor to be your Grand Knight for the 2017-2018 Fraternal year. First of all, I would like to thank all past officers and council members of council 8012 for your hard work in achieving the many goals set forth. Thank you, Larry Fusco, for your leadership as Grand Knight for the past two years and helping Council 8012 achieve program goals (Columbian Award), membership goals (Father McGivney Award), and the insurance goals (Founder's Award) to achieve Star Council status. In fact, our achievement this past year gave Sacred Heart Council 8012 Double Star status.

Secondly, thank you goes to the Knights who devoted many hours of tireless work supporting the Charitable programs and activities in the Council, Church, Community, and the Youth of the Parish. To continue with these worthwhile programs, we need to come up with new program/activity ideas and new ways

to raise money to fund them. Share your ideas and don't hesitate to do that now.

Thirdly, Sacred Heart Council 8012 needs your help to continue programs such as 5th Sunday Rosary, RSVP program, Wheel Chair program, Support Wounded Warrior program, Lenten Fish Fry, 40 cans/40 days program, Citizens with Intellectual/ Physical Disabilities (Tootsie Roll), Coats for Kids program, Food for Families, Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest, Soccer Challenge and Free-Throw Contest, Catholic Citizen Essay Contest, Substance Abuse Awareness Poster Contest. Sign up for one of these programs today and have fun. In addition to the regular business meeting at 7pm the second Tuesday of each month there is also a social where wives join the Knights for some food and fun. Two socials are in the works for this Summer. July 18th is a Mass at 5pm at St. Theresa, followed by the installation, and a meal at the hall; August 6th kicks off Family Week. In the planning stages is a cookout for the families of St. Theresa and the Knights of Columbus. Eat, Drink, and have fun with games for the youth of the parish. Please help! With that being said, we need your help with a fundraiser that will provide funds for charity as well as provide much needed funding for our socials, office supplies, and basic operating expenses. Sacred Heart Council 8012

is holding its first Annual Golf Outing. You do not need to be a golfer to help. Each Knights member is being asked to sponsor a hole or go out and get a sponsor or player to participate in this fundraiser. You are also asked to help on October 14th, the day of the outing.

Finally, our Membership Chairman, Ron Ciampi, is asking that each Council member sponsor one new member in the Knights of Columbus. There will be Membership Drives this fall. All materials including training will be provided. Thank you for your continued participation.

Thank you for all that you do for the Knights of Columbus.

Vivat Jesus!