

# Knight Moves



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
HOLY NAME OF JESUS COUNCIL 11886**



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## Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

Over the month of July the lawn care crew consisting of the three musketeers (Mike, Pat and Joe Stenson), Jim Laudanski, Robert Bouvier and Paul Jackson got a well-deserved break. Knight Roger Levac paid for a lawn crew to cut the grass for the month of July. Thank you Roger Levac and thank you to the lawn crew for leading the way of keeping the grounds well maintained over the hot and muggy summer. Thanks.

Knights Steve Coombs Mike Stenson, Paul Jasckon , Jim Laudanski, Pat Stenson, Bob Portman Father Wes and Joe Payne for their work of working on the water damaged vestibule at Holy Name of Jesus Church. Thank you for your work for the parish in the hot and humid weather conditions. The parish is fortunate that Knights are required to work under all weather conditions.

Thank you knights Jim Laudanski and wife Maguerite, Mike Stenson, Ray Paquin and his wife Jeanne, and Joan Charest for working at the St.Vincent de Paul Lunch Program in the months of July - August. Thank you Brother Sébastien Généreux for your work on our website. Brother Mike Stenson, thank you, for checking on contacting our elderly parishioners and the spouses of our deceased members. The Fundraising committee consisting of Pat Stenson, John Schell, Ray Paquin, Phil Henderson and the undersigned were also busy with the marketing and budget issues. Thanks.

Some good news last month arrived, the Council was awarded the Knights Columbian Award. Refer to page 6 for more details.

The last 4 months have been very different and at times difficult for all of us and our families. As a result of the pandemic it is very difficult to plan activities. Hence, some of our usual activities may not occur and others will be modified with pandemic measures in place to ensure we are all safe. Also, if you are aware of any knight who is ill or needs assistance of some kind please advise. Vivat Jésus.

Robert Charest,

Grand Knight Council 11886

## A word from the editor

If you have content for Knight Moves please forward to the Editor - Robert Charest at [knights11886RC@gmail.com](mailto:knight11886RC@gmail.com) no later than the Tuesday of the week prior to the council meeting. If you submit after that there is no guarantee that it will appear in the next issue. Also, please forward any comments or feedback including errors on Knight Moves that you might have found.

## Your Prayers are needed

At the 9 June Council Meeting the Knights were asked to pray the following: Hudson MacIsaac, Chris Marcus Hacault, Mackenzie Robinson, Father Frank Morrisey, Bob Lemmon, Rolland Dubeau, Hughie Rankin MacIsaac.

## Who is Justin Yoo?



Born in Inchon, South Korea, Justin Yoo moved to Canada with his family in 1994. He spent most of his childhood in Delta, British Columbia with his parents and his older brother, Julian. The remainder of his immediate family have since moved to Victoria, BC. After completing his secondary education in Delta, BC, he joined the Canadian Armed Forces in 2005 as a Signals Officer through the Regular Officer Training Plan. Justin graduated from the Royal Military College of Canada with a Bachelor of Engineering (Civil) in 2009 and completed his Basic Signals Officer Course at the Canadian Forces School of Communications and Electronics in Kingston, Ontario.

In 2010, Justin was posted to Petawawa, Ontario as a Troop Commander at the 2 Areas Support Group Signal Squadron, providing communications and information systems support to Canadian Forces Base Petawawa. He worked with the 3rd Battalion, the Royal Canadian Regiment, providing communications support to the light infantry battalion. Following a short stop as at the 2 Canadian Mechanized Brigade Group (2 CMBG) Headquarters and Signal Squadron, he was then posted to the Canadian Special Operations Regiment enabling deployed operations around the world. He is now an Officer Commanding at the Canadian Forces School of Communications and Electronics

responsible for the training of future Canadian Army Signallers.

Throughout his military career, Justin has been extremely fortunate with the opportunity to pursue two fully funded Masters Degrees. He has completed a MBA through the American Military University and a Master of Technology Management from Memorial University of Newfoundland.

Justin met his wife Alayna during his long posting to Petawawa. They have been married since 2015 and have been blessed with two wonderful children, Noah (3 years old) and Maeve (1 year old). Despite COVID-19 impeding on his favorite hobbies, he is looking forward to returning to traveling as well as continuing his training in Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu. In the meantime, Justin and his family will make best use of the time at their cottage in Verona, Ontario.

Justin became a knight in 2019 after he was recruited by the Grand Knight, Robert Charest, following a Sunday mass. Although he has not had much time to be involved in the Knights' activities, he is looking forward to the many volunteering opportunities. He hopes to set a positive example to his children by demonstrating faith and charity through the Knights of Columbus.

## 2019-2020 Knight of the Year - Raymond Paquin



The selection committee for the Knight of the Year consisted of Pat Stenson (chairman), Scottie Smith as representative from Holy Family Chapel and Blair Macfie our newly elected Trustee. Three council members were nominated for the honour. Raymond Paquin from Holy Family Chapel was selected as our Knight of the Year. Brother Raymond has participated in the St. Vincent de Paul lunch program, Youth sport activities, Family Director, Lecturer, our Assembly Council representative and Assembly Warden, Treasurer of Holy Family Chapel, preparing council meeting suppers, organizer of our Retreat which regrettably had to be cancelled, and assisting the priest of Holy Family Chapel in mass preparation and conduct. Congratulations, Raymond. Please continue work pace and serve as an example to our members. Yes, everyone likes your friendly smile.

## St Vincent de Paul Lunch Program over the summer



On 8th July Knights Mike Stenson, Knight Raymond Paquin and his wife Jeanne worked at the St. Vincent de Paul lunch program. Raymond and his wife worked in the kitchen area and Mike worked in a corner of the establishment peeling potatoes and other required tasks. Lunches were wrapped in brown bags with a drink and given to everyone walking in for a meal.

On 29 Jul, Knight Robert Charest and his spouse Joan took a turn working as the kitchen team and Knight Mike Stenson worked again on his tasks. Robert showed Joan the ropes in working (chuckle, chuckle). However, she did not take long in telling the Grand Knight on how to do things. **Picture at left:** Joan cutting up radishes for over a 100 meals.

On the 12 of Aug, Knight Jim Laudanski and wife Maguerite, and Knight Mike worked again at St. Vincent de Paul. Jim and Marguerite were the first husband and wife team who had worked in the kitchen before wearing masks.

## Knights Making Repairs at Holy Name of Jesus Church



**Picture at Left: From Left to Right** Knights Steve Coombs Mike Stenson, Paul Jasckon, Jim Laudanski on a rest break from their work at Holy Name of Jesus Church.

As well as those in the picture Father Wes Chochek and Pat Senson worked on repairing water damage to a wall at Holy Name of Jesus Church. Bob Portman was on site & did the bulk of the work in the discovery stage. He was soaked with sweat in an effort to get this project started. As the only qualified electrician on the council, Joe Payne, did the electrical work required. They are all very experienced do-it yourself people who can repair almost anything requiring plumbing, electrical and carpentry skills. Joe Payne built his own house a year ago.

**Picture below:** From Left to Right Paul Jackson on Mike Stenson

Mike has a bad shoulder but in the picture, for his wife's knowledge, if she reads this article, he is using his best shoulder for the work and it not creating havoc to his back at the same time.



## Volunteers Needed

Date and Timing	Task	Number of Volunteers	To volunteer contact :
1. Normally, 2nd Wednesday of m.	Kitchen staff at at St. Vincent De Pau l	2 Knights from 8 AM – 1 PM and a spouse of one of them	Mike Stenson, 613-353-6956, mikestenson@hotmail.com
2. Once per month About 2-5 days prior to council meeting	Phone 15-20 members To remind them of meetings and events	1 knight	GK
3. Presence at Youth Activities	Take in the background check and and the Environmental Safety Crse	1 Knight	GK
4. Attend Assembly Meeting Once a month.	Report on Assembly Meetings items to the council	1 Knight	GK
5. Assist with Lottery Ticket Sales Dec-Apr.	Sell and assist with Lottery Tickets at malls/individually	8-10 Knights	DGK
6. On-going	Market Council Fundraisers In particular Gift Cards	1 knight	GK
7. On-going	Recruiter at each mass At Holy Name of Jesus	1-2 knights at each mass	GK
8. Saturday 17 Oct	Highway cleanup workers 8-11 AM RV - Highway 15/401 lot	8-10 Knights and sons/daughters Wear masks, gloves, and boots and bring lawn chair for break at Timmy's U r provided with a 2-3ft grabber and bags	Await next meeting

### A little bit of Knight's humour - an Irish Ghost Story

This story happened a while ago in Dublin, and even though it sounds like an Alfred Hitchcock tale, it's true.

John Bradford, a Dublin University student, was on the side of the road hitch-hiking on a very dark night and in the midst of a big storm. The night was rolling on and no car went by. The storm was so strong he could hardly see a few feet ahead of him.

Suddenly, he saw a car slowly coming towards him and stopped. John, desperate for shelter and without thinking about it, got into the car and closed the door ... only to realize there was nobody behind the wheel and the engine wasn't running. The car started moving slowly. John looked at the road ahead and saw a curve approaching. Scared, he started to pray, begging for his life. Then, just before the car hit the curve, a hand appeared out of nowhere through the window, and turned the wheel. John, paralyzed with terror, watched as the hand came through the window, but never touched or harmed him. Shortly thereafter, John saw the lights of a pub appear down the road, so, gathering strength, he jumped out of the car and ran to it... Wet and out of breath, he rushed inside and started telling everybody about the horrible experience he had just had.

A silence enveloped the pub when everybody realized he was crying ... And wasn't drunk. Suddenly, the door opened, and two other people walked in from the dark and stormy night. They, like John, were also soaked and out of breath. Looking around, and seeing John Bradford sobbing at the bar, one said to the other...'Look Paddy, there's that idiot that got in the car while we were pushing it!'

# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCI 11886 RECEIVES TOP AWARD**

Holy Name of Jesus Knights of Columbus Council 11886 has received the distinction of Star Council, the international organization's top award for local councils.

The Star Council Award recognizes overall excellence in the areas of membership, promotion of fraternal insurance benefits, sponsorship of faith formation programs, service-oriented activities and Safe Environment compliance.

To earn this award your council must conduct and report programs in each of the four program categories (Faith, Family, Community, and Life). The featured programs for each category are listed below.

- ◆ Faith- Refund Support Vocation Program (RSVP), Holy Hour, Spiritual Reflection, Into the Breach
- ◆ Family – Food for Families, Family of the Month, Family Prayer Night, Family Fully Alive.
- ◆ Community – Coats for Kids, Habitat for Humanity, Global Wheelchair Mission, Leave No Neighbour Behind. and
- ◆ Life – March for Life, Special Olympics, Ultrasound, Pregnancy Center Support.

In 2019-2020 we did not do all of the featured programs but we did many of them. Well done council

## **60 YEARS of LOVE !**

The Church teaches, “ that the Sacrament of Marriage is a commitment of life and love that stretches through the lifetime of the couple and which must grow and develop every day.”

I am a Convert to Catholicism and this was instructed to my group in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, or R.I.C.A. in 1959, the year before I married Jean. I have heard these words again throughout the years.

The outpouring of good wishes on our Anniversary, August 20 th, was incredible! Family, friends, relatives and Knights of Columbus members from all over; passed along good wishes to Jean and I. Thank you to everyone who took the time to contact us on our Special Day; we were humbled.

God has blessed us with each other and with his loving care.

Sincerely,

Jean and Gary Richards

## **FAMILY OF THE MONTH**

Each month, the council Family of the Month selects one parish family that models Christian family values and visibly lives them every day. Once a year, each participating council also selects one of the previous twelve Family of the Month winners to represent the council as the potential international Family of the Year. The Knights of Columbus Family of the Year is chosen by the Supreme Council and recognized each year at the annual Supreme Convention.

If as a Knight you have a family in mind for the program please submit a name for the Family of the Month NLT than the 5th of a month to the Family Director Ray Paquin. Contact information for all members of the executive are located in the last pages of every newsletter.

The format to be used in your submission is as follows:

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Number: to be provided by GK (thru Family Director - Ray Paquin) \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Children /Ages: : \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Our council's "Family of the Month" was selected for the following reasons: Your council's recognition of a family must answer at least the following questions:

Does the family pray and attend Mass together? Has the family made significant contributions to the Church, community and/or council?, Does the family enjoy one another's company? Does the family communicate openly and honestly? Does the family spend time together?



13 Sep - Mackenzie Robinson  
16 Sep - James Laudanski  
17 Sep - Mario Gonzalez  
19 Sep - Michael Crespo  
19 Sep - Philip Henderson  
8 Oct - Peter Splinter

## Our Field Agent

Stephen Henderson at Cell 613-766-7648 or Stephen.Henderson@kofc.org

## Calendar

- ◆ 1 Jul - Start of new Council year
- ◆ 8 Sep - Council Meeting
- ◆ 9 Sep - St Vincent de Paul Lunch
- ◆ 22 Sep - Installation of new Executive thru Zoom at 7:30 PM.
- ◆ 17 Oct - 8 AM Highway Cleanup 8-11 AM,
- ◆ 7 Nov - 6 PM - Remembrance Ceremony for Deceased Members at Garden beside Mgr Raby House (TBC)

## Service Personnel

- ◆ **Faith Director** – Robert Bouvier
- ◆ **Vocations Director** – Mike Stenson
- ◆ **Community Director** - Jim Laudanski
- ◆ **Family Director** - Raymond Paquin
- ◆ **Program Director**- Robert Charest
- ◆ **Membership Director, and Retention Chairman** – John Schell
- ◆ **Recruitment Committee/Retention** – Pat Stenson, François Bédard, Blair Macfie
- ◆ **Holy Family Chapel, Round Table Chairman** - Scotty Smith
- ◆ **Webmaster, twitter account**- Sébastien Généreux

## 2019-2020 Executive

- 1. Chaplain:** ..... Fr. Wes Chochrek, 613-546-0418
- 2. Grand Knight:**.....Robert Charest, knights11886RC@gmail.com, 613-547-4731
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- 13. Outside Guard**...Jean-Philippe Goulet,
- 14. Trustee 1:** ..... François Bédard, paulineb1943@me.com, 613-549-0410 (1 year left in mandate)
- 15. Trustee 2:** .....Pat Stenson, pat@kingstoncollision.ca, 613-767-9710 (2 years left in mandate)
- 16. Trustee 3:** .....Blair Macfie ( 3 years left in mandate) b;aor/macfie@gmail.com, 613-353-7138

## **Knights of Columbus - Knights Deals**

**Questions - Email [deals@knightsdeals.ca](mailto:deals@knightsdeals.ca) or call or text 613.817.5353**

Check Knight deals website.

Game Tickets for these teams and others are available upon endex of the pandemic..

**Note:** When Senator game tickets will be sold in the future, free parking may be provided.

### **Knights of Columbus - Gift Cards**

### **Supporting our Parish, our Community and other charitable activities.**

**Gift Cards Make a Difference**

It's simple, buy gift card sand use as cash for those every day things: gas, groceries, clothing, dining, coffee, and more. For more info contact us at [11886.kofc@gmail.com](mailto:11886.kofc@gmail.com) call or text 613.817.5353.

Gifts cards come in various amounts: \$25. \$50. \$100, etc. Example buy a \$50 card and spend \$50.

**Or** buy cards on-line at <https://group.fundscrip.com/en/JQMHYU/all-activities> as well as E-cards and reloadable cards. If you buy \$500 worth of plastic cards during this pandemic delivery is free.

### **Plastic Cards**

If not bought on-line, cheques should be made payable to "**Knights of Columbus Council 11886.**"

We are not asking you to spend more money. We are simply asking that if you shop at these stores, please buy the gift card from us then use it to make your regular purchase Our council will receive 1-4% depending of the value of the card you purchase. It takes about 4K of cards to raise over a \$100.

Or buy plastic cards **on-line**, minimum amount of \$500 purchase during the pandemic and save on delivery charges.

### **Regular Movers - Plastic cards in stock by the council**

Farm Boy, Loblaws/Valu-mart/NoFrills, Metro/Foodbasic, Sobeys/Freshco Esso, PetroCanada, Shell, Ultramar, Canadian Tire, Staples, Ultimate Dining Card, Tim Hortons,

### **Periodic Movers - some of these cards in stock by the council**

Marks Work Warehouse, Walmart, Amazon, Shoppers Drug Mart, Chapters/Indigo, Red Lobster, Boston Pizza, Subway, M&M, Starbucks, Pizza Pizza, Home Sense/Winners/ Marshalls, Keg, Home Depot, Lowes, Rona, Home Hardware, itunes, cineplex, bodynbath, Irving Gas, McDonalds, A&W, Giant Tiger, Land Mark Theatres, LCBO

**Can get but other plastic but allow 2 weeks to obtain,**

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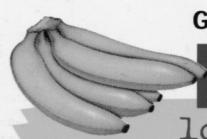
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