

Knight Moves



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HOLY NAME OF JESUS COUNCIL 11886**

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Grand Knight's Message



I want to start off with a few words of praise for the way our 20th Anniversary Dinner was organized. The evening was a huge success and everyone really enjoyed themselves.

We had three Priests who blessed our Dinner with their presence. Fathers Wes, Tim and David, who took part in the evening activities and helped, entertain us with humorous comments and stories. We were very pleased to see Father Wes looking so well. He is a strong and determined leader and great example to his Brother Knights.. The next day I took my Grandkids to the Bulk Barn and we bumped into Father as he was coming out. Does he have a secret sweet tooth?

The hard work and preparation by Br Gary and his team was obvious as the evening smoothly rolled along. Our Master of Ceremony, Br Mike Stenson was on top of his game. His knowledge of the Br Knights and their Spouses really came through at his time at the microphone and his words of appreciation to some of our senior Br Knights were touching and heart felt.

Thank you to all who attended and contributed to a wonderful evening. We just have to do this again.

We will continue through the winter months with the same Meeting format, Meal, Executive Meeting and then into the General Meeting. For those who live a distance from our Meeting Room, I do not expect you to even think about driving on bad winter roads. Any information that is of importance can be sent out electronically. Some of course will get it verbally by phone.

I will take the responsibility for representing the Council at any Degrees, although I am confident there will not be many of them until late spring.

Please continue to bring us in new members and stand by to help as required.

I will prepare Christmas Greetings and wishes as we get closer to the Holy Celebrations.

Thank you and God Bless. Scotty, Grand Knight Council 11886

Seminarian Thank You Note

Michel Quenneville, a seminarian at St Augustine's Seminary in Toronto, sent a Thank You Note after Mike Stenson had delivered a \$500 cheque for his studies on behalf of our council.

Brother Brosso Honoured



SK Basil Brosso was honoured by Jochebed Katan in the above photo for his services as one of the many thousands who helped liberate The Netherlands. Jochebed Katan, author of the book, is a child survivor of the Holocaust, involved with Anne Frank House in Holland has organized an exhibition about Anne Frank that opened 26 September in the Wilson Room of the Kingston Public Library. It will be open to the public for the next couple of months. It chronicles the incremental rise of the Nazi Party and how their cumulative actions led to a wide scale slaughter.

Brother Basil was a veteran of the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals. His decorations include: France and Germany Star, 1939-1945 Star, Canadian Volunteer Service Medal with Overseas Clasp, War Medal 1939-1945.

Deadline Approaching for Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity!

The time and effort you take as Knights to improve your community and parishes are what make the Knights of Columbus who we are. Don't let your hard work go unheard. Your numbers will support and inspire the Knights of Columbus and your brother Knights' efforts in the year to come.

The council is required to submit its Annual Survey information to Supreme NLT the end of January. All council Knights are requested to complete a survey form of their hours of charity work for the preceding year, 1 Jan – 31 Dec 16. The survey is enclosed in the mailing of this newsletter.

Knights are requested to complete their survey forms and return them to me NLT 17 Jan, our last Council meeting before the deadline. If you will not be attending that meeting, you are requested to scan and e-mail them to me or drop them in an envelope addressed to me at the church.

Thank you for your participation in this very important survey.

Bro Philip Henderson, Financial Secretary, (613) 544-7519

Meeting Reminder: 2nd Monday each month at Holy Name of Jesus. Meetings begin at 7PM.

Council Family of the Year Award



Brother Chris Stringer accepting the Council Family of the Year Award from the Grand Knight "Scotty" Smith.

20 September St. Vincent de Paul Lunch Crew



Photo (Left to Right) Knights Mackenzie (Mac) Robinson and Mike Stenson slicing up green and red peppers for the main course.

Knights Mike Stenson, Pat Stenson, Mac Robinson, Raymond Paquin and Robert Charest under the supervision of Laurie Day prepared and served lunch to 78 people on September, 20 at St Vincent de Paul. They learnt some cooking and preparation techniques in the process. The only drawback is listening to an x-infantryman's jokes. Ha, ha, ha.

Gift Card Program Update

Profit to date is \$2877.

Cards make Great Stocking Stuffers

Deadline for Christmas Special Order :

20 Nov, for delivery 25 Nov and **11 Dec**, for delivery 15th Dec.



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Great Stocking Stuffer Ideas thru the Group Opportunities Program raising funds to repair St Mary's Cathedral.

Event tickets for less than box office price?

- ★ All Senators home games!
- ★ All Ottawa 67s home games. Grey Cup!
- ★ Arkell's Concert and more.....



SK Ray Paquin (in picture at left) has taken the role of Council Lecturer

The Grand Knight indicated, “ ...that in the short time with our Council he has proven to be a very involved and hardworking Brother. ... tactful mixture of business and humour had us leaving Meetings with smiles on our faces...”

Now if he can only learn to wear his hat correctly

Another Milestone----- 20 years!



From Left to Right

Worthy District Deputy, Brother Allen DeBeneditti, Deputy-Grand Knight Chris Stringer and Grand Knight Scotty Smith.

Chris and Scotty are holding the Star Council Award Plaque.

A link to the pictures taken by Philip Henderson are at:

<https://goo.gl/photos/G1DgjZvk9AhW2CQt5>

What a celebration we had on November 5, 2016 at Rideau Acres with 60 attendees, a served dinner and the fraternity of Brother Knights, their spouses, and some special invited guests

A beautiful display of continuously rolling photos depicted many events and personalities from our first 20 years as a Knights of Columbus Council. Wonderful professionally finished and framed photos of all our Grand Knights over the years were displayed along with the various prestigious awards acquired for exemplary Knights of Columbus program participation. They were flanked by prints of Christopher Columbus on one side and by Father Michael McGivney, our founder, on the other. Totally awesome! Master of Ceremonies, Bro. Mike Stenson, guided the evening through the agenda just as he has done on occasion in the past, and did a spectacular job!

Fr. Wes Chochrek said opening grace and Fr. David Beresowski the closing grace. Fr. Timothy Shea was a speaker, so the three priests were actively involved. They mingled, chatted and reminisced with the people through the evening.

Brother Mike Stenson called upon our Worthy District Deputy, Bro. Allen DeBeneditti to present The Star Council Award to our Worthy Grand Knight, Bro. Scotty Smith. What an achievement, to garner such a prestigious award; something that is hard for a small council, any council for that matter to accomplish! Most years, less than 10% of councils are able to earn this award because the requirements for winning are extremely difficult. Thanks to great leadership and good participation by our members we achieved a wonderful result!

In summary; the evening was a great gathering and thanks should go to the hard working Organizing Committee: G.K. Scotty Smith, Bro. Mike Stenson, Bro. Peter Scott, Bro. Pat Stenson and Bro. Gary Richards. Thanks also to Bro. Pat Stenson and Bro. Jeff Reitzel for setting up the picture profile of the 20 years and to the Manager, Rideau Acres, David Tremblay and his staff. Of course, to make the night successful, thanks go to those who attended the event.

Brother Gary Richards, Past Grand Knight

Archbishop J. V. Cleary Assembly

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Christmas Social 2016

Monday, December 12th, 2016

6:00 p.m. social - 7:00 p.m. dinner

\$30.00 per person

Turkey Dinner with all of the trimmings

at Our Lady of Fatima Church
Division Street (behind Performance Auto)

Contact - S.K. John MacIntyre

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3 Nov. - Adrian Hau
Nov. - David Manryk
13 Nov. - Dr. Stankey Pietal
18 Nov. - Brad A. Reitzel
2 Dec. - Donald Clark
12 Dec. - Jerzy(George) Prugar

Installation of Officers

Installation of Officers took place on the 17 September at the Holy Name Jesus Chapel. A luncheon was served after the event which has been described as very memorable. Ask the Grand Knight for details.

Knights Insurance

Do you have RRSP savings that not doing much and would cost you more in taxes to take it out? Consider leaving it in your RRSP folder and using it for life insurance until you reach 71.

To find out more contact your Field Agent, SK Stephen Henderson
Cell 613-766-7648, Stephen.hendersonkofc.org

Calendar

19 Nov. - Kingston Christmas Parade
26 Nov. - Gananoque Christmas Parade
8 Dec. - 4th Degree General Meeting TBC
8 Dec. - Mass Immaculate Conception - Cathedral
12 Dec - Council Meeting, TBC
12 Dec. - Christmas Social, Archbishop J.V.
Cleary Assembly,
24 Dec - Holy Name Mass times: 5 PM , 7 PM,
and 12 PM
25 Dec - Holy Name Mass time: 10 AM
9 Jan - Council General Meeting
12 Jan - 4th Degree General Meeting

2016/17 Executive

Chaplain: Fr. Wes Chochrek
Grand Knight:George "Scotty" Smith
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(www.11886knights.com) Schedule of activities is kept current. Colour versions of the Knight Moves are available. The what's new page and twitter feed provide updated facts. No excuse for not being in the know. Visit it today!