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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

“BE MEN OF ACTION”

### Message from State Deputy



My Brothers All,

April already! Wow, this fraternal year is really zipping by! Hope your Council is ready - or nearly ready - for the upcoming convention....there are many things that should be done by now but if they haven't been completed yet, please get on it now. Reports to be filed.....awards entries to be submitted.....Per capita to be paid.....Council delegate certification in to the State Secretary....recruiting that new church member.....just to name a few.

As you already know, our annual convention is being held in Olympia this year. If you haven't already, please get your registration in now.....we are fast approaching the deadline for hotel room reservations. Also, make sure you get your meals reserved and paid for. The convention committee from Olympia has been working on this convention for a long time - let's get registered. We are looking forward to seeing you at the convention this May.

April church drives bring May Knights! Has your Council conducted a drive yet? It's still not too late to get one scheduled and conducted. The last few months have been slower than we expected in the new member recruitment area.....it's not too late to step up your efforts. If you really want it, it isn't too late to attain that Star Council award.....

We are gaining on our membership and we State Officers look forward to helping your Council celebrate your successes. Let us present a Star Council Award to you with your successful completion of this Fraternal Year! It is one of the great joys we have visiting and presenting awards to you all!

Remember how we as Knights of Columbus can show the Corporal Works Of Mercy - here are a few examples:

- Feed the hungry - 40 cans for Lent or any food drive, work in soup kitchen
- Give drink to the thirsty - See above
- Clothe the naked - Coats for Kids, donations to shelters
- Shelter the Homeless - help provide staffing for warming shelters,
- Visit the Sick - Visit ill parishioners/nursing home bound/Brother Knights - Bring them the Eucharist
- Visit the Imprisoned - visit the incarcerated, visit the home bound and/or nursing homes
- Ransom the Captive - The unity cross, and ultrasound program
- Bury the Dead - make sure our members have access to our insurance, provide honor guards for funerals.

As always.....I do appreciate all you and our Council does for the needy, for our youth, for our communities, for our families, for our Church, and for all the causes that are near and dear to your heart! Without you, we would be less of a fraternity - THANK YOU for all you do.

God Bless.

Vivat Jesus!

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## State Chaplain Message

These are important days for us as Catholics.

With the celebration of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord and the commemoration of Jesus' entry into his own city of Jerusalem, we enter into a week-long observance of the historical events that won for us the forgiveness of our sins and restored to us the hope of eternal life.

On the evening of Holy Thursday, we sit together with our Lord at the Last Supper, hearing those familiar words, "This is my Body ... This is the chalice of my Blood ... Do this in memory of me." Only this time, for some reason the words have more of an impact. Maybe we feel more strongly the connection between the sacred meal and the sacrifice he offered on the Cross. Mustering up all the faith we can, we ask God for the grace to be more grateful for the gift of Jesus' Flesh and Blood, the font of divine life for us who partake of it. We beg God to transform our hearts through the love poured out on us in every Holy Communion. We resolve to live by the same humble love, emulating our Master, who washed the feet of his disciples.

Good Friday brings a somber tone to our spirit, and very often overcast skies above us. The weight of the Cross is felt this day. As we listen to St. John's account of the sufferings our Lord endured with unshakable patience and no complaints, we find ourselves present as witnesses, beginning in Gethsemane and accompanying Jesus to the stone tomb hewn by the hands of Joseph of Arimathea. Whether we view the Passion through the eyes of a soldier or Simon Peter, the high priest or Pontius Pilate, Mary or the beloved disciple, we are afforded a deeper connection with the reality of Jesus' agony as the story of his sacrificial love is told. The Lord himself invites us to walk with him, and carry in our hearts every day of our lives the memory of his unsurpassable gift.

Our Mother the Church exhorts us to keep the Paschal Fast sacred, most especially on Good Friday, but also extending, where appropriate, through Holy Saturday, "as a way of coming, with spirit uplifted, to the joys of the Lord's Resurrection" (Roman Missal). Holy Saturday, then, as the second consecutive day of fasting, finds us resting in the tomb with the seemingly defeated Body of Jesus. We wait. We hunger not only for physical food but for renewal. We long for new life. We direct ourselves toward resurrection.

With the Easter Vigil comes the absolute high point of the Church year. The Roman Missal calls this celebration "the greatest and most noble of all solemnities" and "the mother of all Vigils." In the Lucernarium (Service of Light), the darkness of sin and death is cast away by the Jesus Christ, the Light of the World. The Word of God is proclaimed, announcing salvation history and professing the Resurrection. Catechumens come forth to be bathed in the waters of baptism and sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and together we all renew our promises to renounce sin and Satan and walk in truth and holiness. Finally, we approach the Eucharist—the culmination, the goal, the holiest and most life-giving of all the sacraments—to be united with Jesus in a foretaste of heaven!

Easter brings our lenten journey to its end, but it's only the beginning of a whole season of great joy. Celebrate the Resurrection with wonder and heartfelt exultation!

Vivat Jesus!



Fr. Kenneth St. Hilaire  
State Chaplain

## State Secretary Message



Greetings Brothers,

Every month before I write these messages I look at last years to find out what I said. This month I started to read last year's message and I came to the realization that it's time for the State Convention again. Then I remembered that **I'm running for State Deputy**. What an honor that would be!!! I'm excited about being your State Deputy and I pray that you all will find me worthy of your trust, and that you will vote for me.

What's your favorite part of the Convention? I really enjoy hearing about the amazing programs that the Councils participate in and I like the Awards Banquet where those Councils are recognized. Speaking of the Convention there a few very important matters that must be taken care of before that weekend and I want to remind you of those again. Here goes:

First off, we have received most of the Per Capita payments (we are at 90% collected). Get your Council's payment in soon if you haven't already, because the Per Capita payment must be paid **prior** to the State Convention time or your Council delegates cannot be seated, according to State By-Law.

Many Councils have also chosen to make their Pennies for Heaven donation at this time. That's wonderful! **A Penny a Day and A Prayer a Day for Vocations** has always been a premier program in this State. Keep it up guys!

Next, each Council received a Certificate of Election with your Per Capita bill that needs to be filled out after your Election of Delegates to the State Convention and sent back to me. I need this data to input into the State database if you want to have your Council delegates receive their Mileage & Per Diem payment.

Last but not least, all Councils need to submit a summary of yearly accomplishments that are due to your District Deputy. Your District Deputy will compile them and submit their summary to me for publication in the Convention Booklet by April 10th. **It's really great for your Council to read this and to be proud of it, so don't miss the chance!** The State Chairmen also submit a summary of their area accomplishments and then those along with the DD summaries are submitted to me by April 10. Please guys, send these reports electronically to me in a MS WORD file format.

**God Bless You Brothers Let's have a fantastic State Convention! See you there!!!**

Bob Baemmert  
State Secretary  
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## State Treasurer Message



My Dear Brothers,

Every Council needs membership to continue. Every Council needs new life blood to grow and prosper and every Parish needs an active Council. Without a constant influx of new members and leadership any group will fade out of existence.

Now is the time for the final pushes for membership. We have less than three months to go to the end of the Fraternal year. This is the time to follow Isaiah's example and hold up your hand and now is the time to say:

"Here I am Lord...send me".

Be the Isaiah of your Council and set the example. Ask that man that hasn't joined yet and give him the gift of membership into the most wonderful ministry of the church...your Council. See you at the Convention next month.

For your reading pleasure...The Supreme Reports.

**COUNCILS NOT SUBMITTING REPORT OF OFFICERS CHOSEN Form 185 As of 03/30/2017**  
03153 08398 13831 15721

**COUNCILS NOT SUBMITTING SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL Form 365**  
**As of 03/30/2017**

01545 01699 02999 03153 04367 08266 08294 08398 12273 13831 14510 14922 15684 15721 15838 15968

**COUNCILS NOT SUBMITTING SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY Form 1728 As of 03/31/2017**  
00683 00763 01674 02126 03153 04367 06706 08079 08311 08398 10543 12273 14510 14852 14922 14926 15721

### SEMI-ANNUAL COUNCIL AUDIT REPORTS - WASHINGTON

**RUN DATE: 03/31/2017 FOR PERIOD ENDED 12/31/2016 DUE BY 02/15/2017**

Council Number	Status	City	Last Report Filed Period	Received
1674	A	HOQUIAM	06/30/2016	08/30/2016
2999	A	CAMAS	06/30/2016	11/22/2016
3153 *	P	EPHRATA	06/30/2015	02/25/2016
4196	A	SPOKANE VALLEY	06/30/2016	08/01/2016
4367 *	A	MOSES LAKE	12/31/2013	06/08/2014
5816	P	LYNNWOOD	06/30/2016	10/25/2016
7149 *	A	GOLDENDALE	06/30/2012	07/30/2012
8294 *	A	YAKIMA		
8398 *	P	SPOKANE	12/31/2013	04/14/2014
10543	A	PROSSER	06/30/2016	11/21/2016
11217	A	SEATTLE	06/30/2016	09/13/2016
11906	A	DUVALL	06/30/2016	08/03/2016
12273	A	COLVILLE	06/30/2016	08/23/2016
13597	A	LEAVENWORTH	06/30/2016	08/24/2016
13831 *	S	SPOKANE	12/31/2014	04/07/2015
13834	A	SEATTLE	06/30/2016	09/28/2016
14510 *	A	SPOKANE	12/31/2015	02/07/2016
14926 *	A	GRANGER	06/30/2014	06/21/2015
15136	A	SUMNER/ORTING	06/30/2016	09/08/2016
15721 *	P	SEATTLE	12/31/2013	02/12/2014
15838 *	S	SEATTLE	12/31/2015	09/29/2015

\* LAST 2 REPORTS ARE DELINQUENT

## State Treasurer Message continued

COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE
676	\$ -	3307	\$ -	8201	\$ 7.00	11253	\$ -	13606	\$ -
683	\$ 21.00	3361	\$ 7.00	8266	\$ 7.00	11357	\$ -	13761	\$ -
763	\$ CREDIT	3455	\$ 7.00	8294	\$ -	11408	\$ -	13794	\$ -
766	\$ -	3598	\$ 42.00	8297	\$ 35.00	11478	\$ 21.00	13831	\$ 28.00
809	\$ 7.00	3611	\$ 49.00	8311	\$ -	11611	\$ -	13834	\$ -
829	\$ 21.00	3645	\$ 7.00	8398	\$ -	11642	\$ 7.00	14046	\$ 21.00
894	\$ 7.00	4196	\$ -	8437	\$ -	11736	\$ 7.00	14162	\$ -
1327	\$ 7.00	4322	\$ 7.00	8455	\$ 7.00	11762	\$ 21.00	14268	\$ -
1379	\$ -	4367	\$ -	8476	\$ -	11780	\$ -	14394	\$ -
1401	\$ -	4385	\$ 14.00	8672	\$ -	11789	\$ 7.00	14510	\$ -
1449	\$ -	4782	\$ -	8768	\$ CREDIT	11906	\$ 7.00	14689	\$ 28.00
1460	\$ -	5177	\$ -	8872	\$ 7.00	11948	\$ -	14852	\$ -
1488	\$ -	5495	\$ -	9145	\$ -	12002	\$ -	14922	\$ -
1545	\$ -	5816	\$ 7.00	9237	\$ -	12175	\$ 21.00	14926	\$ -
1550	\$ -	6097	\$ 14.00	9238	\$ -	12251	\$ 7.00	15136	\$ 14.00
1565	\$ -	6686	\$ -	9434	\$ -	12273	\$ 7.00	15143	\$ -
1606	\$ -	6706	\$ 7.00	9605	\$ CREDIT	12420	\$ 14.00	15338	\$ -
xxx		6806	\$ -	9617	\$ -	xxx		15462	\$ -
1620	\$ 7.00	7117	\$ -	9637	\$ -	12483	\$ -	15538	\$ -
1629	\$ -	7149	\$ -	9664	\$ 14.00	12583	\$ -	15684	\$ -
1643	\$ -	7356	\$ -	9721	\$ -	12591	\$ 7.00	15689	\$ 14.00
1674	\$ -	7360	\$ CREDIT	9833	\$ 14.00	12786	\$ -	15721	\$ -
1699	\$ -	7528	\$ 14.00	9910	\$ 7.00	12889	\$ 7.00	15730	\$ -
1758	\$ -	7642	\$ 77.00	9941	\$ -	12899	\$ 7.00	15838	\$ 28.00
1823	\$ 7.00	7863	\$ -	10532	\$ -	12983	\$ -	15968	\$ -
2103	\$ -	7907	\$ 7.00	10534	\$ 7.00	13186	\$ 7.00	16176	\$ -
2126	\$ -	7908	\$ -	10543	\$ -	13238	\$ 35.00	16184	\$ -
2155	\$ 7.00	8015	\$ 14.00	10652	\$ 7.00	13364	\$ 28.00	16186	\$ -
2260	\$ -	8079	\$ -	10653	\$ 7.00	13374	\$ -	16361	\$ -
2303	\$ -	8102	\$ 14.00	10664	\$ 14.00	13395	\$ 7.00	16667	\$ 49.00
2763	\$ -	8136	\$ -	11085	\$ -	13422	\$ 7.00	16690	\$ 14.00
2999	\$ -	8137	\$ -	11134	\$ -	13462	\$ -		
3044	\$ -	8150	\$ 7.00	11217	\$ 7.00	13560	\$ -		
3153	\$ -	8179	\$ 14.00	11252	\$ 21.00	13597	\$ 14.00		

Fraternally,

Pat Kelley  
State Treasurer



## State Warden Message

*The Family Fully Alive: April theme – Mercy & Forgiveness*

***Service Award Applications Due April 15; NEW/Revised Form SP-7 Due June 30; Building the Domestic Church programs required for STAR Council / Columbian Award; Council Spotlight – Councils submitting Partnership Profile Report with Special Olympics 4584***

Brother Knights,

The State Convention is May 19-21, 2017, in Olympia. Do not miss out on this opportunity to come together to celebrate Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. All Councils should send Delegates to the convention. And, do not forget to bring your signed 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Membership Card.

**Reminder #1:** The Service Program Award applications are due to their respective WSC Program Chairmen by **April 15**.

**Reminder #2:** Grand Knights, submit your Monthly Service Reports for April by **May 1**.

**Reminder #3:** The Columbian Award Application (SP-7) is due **June 30 to Supreme**. We recommend submitting the application by June 1.

Go here to download award applications: <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Officers/nnGK.aspx>.

Remember, four (4) programs must be Supreme-designated ***Building the Domestic Church*** activities for Councils to qualify for Star Council and/or to receive the Columbian Award. Those programs must be identified on the NEW/Revised Form SP-7, Columbian Award Application.

Go here to download the New/Revised Form SP-7: [http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/Council/columbian\\_awardap\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/Council/columbian_awardap_p.pdf).



Congratulations to St. Frances Cabrini Council 4322, Lakewood, on their 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – District Deputy John Forrest makes his congratulatory remarks on January 21, 2017.

## State Warden Message continued



Grand Knight Eddie Liloc and his wife Chona pose for a photo next to the Charter for Council 4322, a 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Relic of St. Frances Cabrini and a picture of St. Frances Cabrini.



Three Past Grand Knights of Council 4322 pose for a photo after a great evening of celebration: +Ernest Oliver, PGK (center); Wayne Hogan, PGK, PSD (right); John Kline, PGK, PSD (left).

PSD and PGK John Kline takes a picture with his family at 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Council 4322.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,



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## General Programs

Brother Knights,

Family Fully Alive in April focuses on Mercy and Forgiveness. *The inner form of Christian familial love is mercy like God the Father who is "rich in mercy" (Eph 2:4).*

Fraternal Leaders should be setting their eyes on Star Council. This is the time to assess how close you are to reaching that goal. **You must conduct at least four of the Supreme-designated programs from the Building the Domestic Church category listed below and mark them on the revised Form SP-7:**

[5th Sunday Rosary Program](#)  
[Consecration to the Holy Family](#)  
[Family Fully Alive Devotional Program](#)  
[Family Week Celebrations](#)  
[Father's Day Affirmation of Wedding Vows](#)  
[Food for Families](#)  
[Holy Family Prayer Program](#)  
[Journey to the Inn](#)  
[Keep Christ in Christmas Campaign](#)  
 Spiritual Formation Groups ( ex. [Into the Breach](#))



The **NEW/Revised** Columbian Award Application (Form SP-7) can be found at the following link: [http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/Council/columbian\\_awardap\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/Council/columbian_awardap_p.pdf). This form includes boxes that you must mark to indicate the programs pertaining to Building the Domestic Church.

Grand Knights should review the **Program Service Award Applications** that are due to their respective State Chairmen by April 15. The applications can be downloaded at the following link: <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Officers/nnGK.aspx>.

***Council Spotlight -- Councils submitting the Partnership Profile Report with Special Olympics, Form 4584: 1488, 1545, 1550, 1620, 1629, 1643, 1758, 1823, 2763, 3307, 3361, 3598, 3645, 4196, 4322, 5495, 6806, 7360, 7528, 7642, 7907, 7908, 8102, 8136, 8137, 8266, 8437, 8455, 8476, 8768, 8872, 9434, 9605, 9617, 9637, 9664, 9721, 9833, 10664, 11252, 11408, 11478, 11642, 11789, 11948, 12002, 12175, 12420, 12483, 12889, 13238, 13374, 13395, 13606, 13794, 15136, 15143, 15689, 16176, 16361***

***By submitting Form 4584, you helped raise an additional \$3,500.00 for Special Olympics Washington. Washington State came in third out of 12 jurisdictions in our division for raising the most money for Special Olympics this year. Well done Brother Knights!***

**Be Men of Action and help build up Christ's Church.**

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,



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## Membership Director Desk



### **420+ STAR TRACK RECRUITER PINS ISSUED TO PROPOSERS TO DATE.....Do you have yours?**

**“Spread the Light”**

**We have a lot to talk about!!!**

Charles Marks 12583 is at it again, bringing in 3 new members making a total of 11 for the year. He is the first, by our records, to attain Alpha Centauri earning \$75.

Steve Schweyen 13794 is not far behind at 9 new members. He did reach the Rigel Level standing, one away from Alpha Centauri. Rigel level pays \$50.

Frank Lucarelli 7642 attained Rigel also and stands at 7 new members, as reported by Supreme.

Abundeo Reponte 13238 and Brian Comfort 14689 attained Vega level (5 new members) for \$25 each. We have several guys that are just one away from Vega level.

I can't tell you how much the Order and me appreciate your efforts in bringing in more hands.

**Way to go guys!!!!**

In March, we brought in 77 new members, just one away from a Supreme payout. So far, the March Madness has paired us with four other jurisdictions and we are 4-1-0. If we would have been at 3% growth during any week (28 plus) we would have received a payout from Supreme.

**However, if we bring in just 13 more members by April 12<sup>th</sup>, we will earn a \$500 payout from Supreme by winning 4 or more competitions.** All Supreme funds will be placed in a drawing at the Convention in Olympia. The more money we take in, the more drawings and prizes.

Make sure you get your membership brochure to Marcel for tabulation and receiving a Star Track Recruiter Pin.

**YOU DON'T HAVE A PROPOSER APPLICATION!!!!**

Ask your District Deputy for a brochure, or go to our State website and search for past State Bulletins or website icon.

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## Membership Director Desk continued

As of March 31<sup>st</sup>, there were 17 Councils on track for the Father McGivney Award, a key to Star Council.

12583 Spokane – 266.67%	11252 Woodland/Ridgefield – 200%
9910 Monroe – 175%	16186 Snoqualmie – 175%
16186 Snoqualmie – 175%	13794 Seattle – 175%
7360 Pullman – 171.43%	12420 Lynden – 150%
8015 Arlington – 142.8%	5495 Seattle – 140%
8437 Seattle – 120%	11642 Mercer Island – 114.29%
14689 Shoreline – 112.5	3361 Oak Harbor – 108.33%
16176 Elma - 100%	12175 Seattle – 100%
15968 Spokane – 100%	

Keep up the great work you are doing.

For the month of March, Councils 9910 and 16186 in Division I were tied for first place in membership intake (see graphs at the end).

Worthy District Deputy Abundeo Reponte topped the DD list at 47.60% growth in his District for March. **Fantastic job Abundeo!!**

### DO YOU KNOW SUPREME MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVES????

#### Supreme Incentives

April 1, 2017 – June 30, 2017

##### ☐ Individual Recruiter Incentives


- Knights of Columbus members who recruit new members will receive 1,500 VIP points per new member that they recruit.
- GK Incentives (graphic)

### Recruitment Incentives for Grand Knights

Knights of Columbus
Membership Development Department
Fraternal Year 2016-2017 Fourth Quarter

**INCENTIVE FOR COUNCILS**

Councils that recruit twelve (12) or more members between January 1, 2017 and June 30, 2017 will receive a Domestic Church Kiosk & Booklet Set.\*



Councils that qualified for the Domestic Church Kiosk incentive during the third quarter of the fraternal year will receive a Booklet Set refill if they qualify again during the fourth quarter.\*

**INCENTIVE FOR FIELD AGENTS**

Field agents who service councils that attain one or more levels of the Star Council Award by June 30, 2017 will receive 17,000 VIP points.

**INCENTIVE FOR RECRUITERS**

**FOURTH QUARTER = 4X VIP POINTS!**

Knights of Columbus members who recruit a new or former member between April 1, 2017 and June 30, 2017 will receive **2,000 VIP points per member** that they recruit. VIP Points can be used for Knights of Columbus merchandise on [knightsgear.com](http://knightsgear.com).

No application is necessary for the field agent or recruiter incentives. Winners will be sent prizes automatically following the completion of the contests.

\* Offer valid only for councils in the United States, Canada and Guam. At the end of each month, councils that qualified during the course of the previous month will be sent an order form. Qualified councils must complete and return the order form in order to receive the free kiosk.

*Our Last Chance This Year to Grow Our Membership*

For all Knights of Columbus councils, the last quarter of the fraternal year represents the final opportunity to make a concerted effort to grow membership and reach for their Star Council goals.

During this important time of the year, we would like to remind you of the resources available to all councils from the Supreme Council office. Visit our website at [kofc.org/membership](http://kofc.org/membership) to find resources geared toward your council's membership growth efforts.

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## Membership Director Desk continued

### □ Council Recruiter Incentives

- Councils that recruit six or more members will receive a Domestic Church Kiosk & Booklet Set.
- Councils that recruit twelve or more members will also receive an additional Domestic Church Kiosk & Booklet Set.

### □ Star Council

- Waiver of all Supreme per capita for the fraternal year 2017-2018. Huge benefit to your Council.

### □ District Deputy

- Newly designed Star District plaque & lapel pins
- Pin delivered in the same box as your Star District plaque
- Number on lapel pin represents the number of Star Councils in your district regardless of Star Council level
- “All Star District” awards a jacket when all active Councils in your District achieve Star Council status
- Must meet membership and insurance goals and at least one Council in district must attain one of the levels of Star Council.

DD with the highest percentage growth is DD34 Gary Scheifley

## Recruitment Incentives for District Deputies

Knights of Columbus
Membership Development Department
Fraternal Year 2016-2017  
Fourth Quarter

INCENTIVE FOR DISTRICTS

District deputies will receive 1,000 VIP points for each first degree that is held within their district from April 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017. If at least one first degree is held within the same district in each month (April, May, June), the district deputy will receive an additional 5,000 VIP points.

In order to receive credit, Form 450 must be submitted to the Ceremonials Department for each degree held. The deadline for Form 450 submissions for this contest is July 15, 2017.

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Our Last Chance This Year to Grow Our Membership

For many district deputies, the last quarter of the fraternal year represents the final opportunity to make a concerted effort to grow membership in order to reach their Star District goals.

During this important time of the year, we would like to remind you of the resources available from the Supreme Council office. Visit our website at [kofc.org/membership](http://kofc.org/membership) to find resources geared toward your district's membership growth efforts.



Knights of Columbus Membership Development  
One Columbus Plaza, New Haven, CT 06510-3326  
[membershipgrowth@kofc.org](mailto:membershipgrowth@kofc.org) • (203) 752-4270

Please GO TO: <http://www.kofc.org/en/members/membership/membership-awards.html#/> for further details on awards and future incentives from Supreme.

## Membership Director Desk continued

### Here's where we stand as a State Jurisdiction.

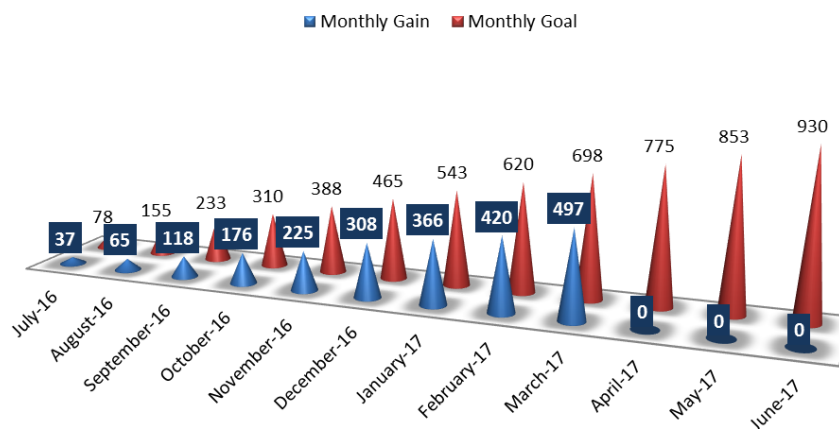
- Our monthly State quota (Intake) for Circle of Honor is 78/month. Cumulative, 930 new members by fraternal year end.
  - We brought in 77 new members for March. Great job. Thank you guys!!!
  - 497 new members for the year and that places us 58<sup>th</sup>, 53.55%, out of 74 jurisdictions.
- Yearly Net/Intake – 560 (47/month) new members by fraternal year end.
  - We are ranked at 67<sup>th</sup>, 36.43%, out of 74 jurisdictions.
- Yearly Net/Net – 275 (23/month) new members by fraternal year end.
  - We stand at -3.27% for the fraternal year, ranking us 49<sup>th</sup>. This is great news for we are only 9 members away before we are at break even on State membership total. Very good guys!!!

**42 Councils are membership inactive. That is an improvement of 5 over last month.**

Hope you all had a spiritual Lenten season and were humbled in our annual celebration of the Passion and Resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ.

Kim Washburn – State Advocate  
Membership Director

**Intake - Annual Goal 930**



### 2016-2017 Membership Goal Tracking





## Membership Director Desk continued

				Membership							
2/28/2017				THIS MONTH			YEAR TO DATE			Monthly Intake Gain (%)	Year to date Net gain (%)
District	Membership as of 7/1/16	District Quota	Council Quota	GAIN	LOSS	NET	GAIN	LOSS	NET		
001	522	26	37	1	0	1	1	4	-3	3.8%	0.0%
002	560	25	36	8	1	7	21	1	20	32.0%	80.0%
003	539	24	34	2	0	2	14	10	4	8.3%	16.7%
004	572	29	41	0	0	0	7	6	1	0.0%	3.4%
005	527	25	35	3	0	3	24	3	21	12.0%	84.0%
006	590	32	45	2	0	2	13	0	13	6.3%	40.6%
007	1327	62	89	2	0	2	32	37	-5	3.2%	0.0%
008	652	31	44	1	0	1	21	6	15	3.2%	48.4%
009	308	15	22	2	0	2	11	3	8	13.3%	53.3%
010	329	16	23	0	0	0	5	30	-25	0.0%	0.0%
011	531	26	37	1	0	1	14	66	-52	3.8%	0.0%
012	868	40	60	3	0	3	24	0	24	7.5%	60.0%
013	794	37	53	0	2	-2	22	3	19	0.0%	51.4%
014	418	20	28	2	2	0	18	4	14	10.0%	70.0%
015	380	20	29	2	0	2	19	13	6	10.0%	30.0%
016	673	33	47	6	1	5	27	1	26	18.2%	78.8%
017	386	18	26	0	0	0	3	0	3	0.0%	16.7%
018	439	22	31	0	0	0	5	0	5	0.0%	22.7%
019	431	20	28	8	1	7	22	3	19	40.0%	95.0%
020	379	22	31	4	0	4	9	4	5	18.2%	22.7%
021	627	31	44	4	0	4	11	24	-13	12.9%	0.0%
022	435	21	30	10	0	10	22	0	22	47.6%	104.8%
023	428	26	33	1	0	1	19	1	18	3.8%	69.2%
024	244	12	17	0	0	0	5	6	-1	0.0%	0.0%
025	303	15	21	1	1	0	14	21	-7	6.7%	0.0%
026	476	22	35	0	0	0	2	0	2	0.0%	9.1%
027	483	26	33	5	0	5	15	6	9	19.2%	34.6%
028	241	18	25	1	0	1	3	1	2	5.6%	11.1%
029	339	18	24	0	0	0	8	1	7	0.0%	38.9%
030	342	17	23	0	0	0	3	0	3	0.0%	17.6%
031	243	16	21	2	1	1	8	1	7	12.5%	43.8%
032	507	25	34	3	0	3	14	0	14	12.0%	56.0%
033	489	26	35	1	0	1	13	7	6	3.8%	23.1%
034	245	14	18	1	1	0	18	1	17	7.1%	121.4%
035	398	20	27	0	0	0	21	8	13	0.0%	65.0%
036	444	22	29	1	0	1	9	22	-13	4.5%	0.0%

## Membership Director Desk continued

**March 31, 2017 Membership Standings by Division**  
(Division Leaders are Highlighted in Green)

Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss	Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss	Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss
<b>Division I - &lt; 50 members</b>					<b>Division II - 50-99 members (continued)</b>					<b>Division III - 100-149 members continued</b>				
1823	47	4	1	25	8311	93	7	0	0	9664	123	8	3	37.5
3044	47	4	0	0	8398	62	4	0	0	9833	142	10	5	50
7149	41	4	1	25	8437	79	5	6	120	10543	101	7	3	42.86
8266	40	4	0	0	8455	85	6	-3	0	10652	124	8	5	62.5
9237	46	4	-1	0	8672	93	7	0	0	11478	114	8	3	37.5
9605	47	4	0	0	8768	83	6	1	16.67	11642	105	7	8	114.29
9910	43	4	7	175	9145	72	5	1	20	11762	102	7	3	42.86
10534	48	4	2	50	9617	96	7	2	28.57	11780	138	9	3	33.33
11085	38	4	0	0	9637	62	4	-4	0	11789	112	7	6	85.71
12002	47	4	0	0	9721	55	4	2	50	12591	116	8	-4	0
12420	46	4	6	150	9941	54	4	0	0	12899	130	9	-19	0
12889	42	4	1	25	10532	72	5	-1	0	13238	140	10	11	110
13364	45	4	4	100	10664	60	4	3	75	13374	149	10	-4	0
13422	48	4	0	0	11252	69	5	10	200	13560	105	7	4	57.14
13462	39	4	0	0	11253	76	5	1	20	13794	108	8	14	175
13761	48	4	0	0	11357	77	5	0	0	14046	105	7	4	57.14
13831	25	4	0	0	11408	88	6	2	33.33	14689	116	8	9	112.5
13834	41	4	0	0	11611	87	6	0	0	14922	102	7	2	28.57
14162	41	4	0	0	11736	54	4	3	75	15136	106	7	2	28.57
14268	48	4	1	25	11906	51	4	2	50	<b>Division IV - 150-249 members</b>				
14510	19	8	0	0	12175	51	4	4	100	683	198	13	3	23.08
14852	47	4	0	0	12251	61	4	2	50	809	245	16	2	12.5
15338	42	4	0	0	12273	96	7	1	14.29	829	158	11	2	18.18
15462	42	4	0	0	12483	50	4	2	50	1379	220	14	1	7.14
15538	38	4	0	0	12583	94	6	16	266.67	1620	163	11	-3	0
15684	24	4	0	0	12786	95	7	-4	0	2999	174	12	2	16.67
15689	33	4	2	50	13186	86	6	-1	0	3361	204	12	13	108.33
15838	22	4	0	0	13395	72	5	4	80	3598	228	15	7	46.67
15968	43	4	4	100	13597	57	4	3	75	4196	153	10	4	40
16176	32	4	4	100	13606	79	6	0	0	4367	150	10	3	30
16184	24	4	3	75	14394	66	5	1	20	4385	176	12	-1	0
16186	28	4	7	175	14926	64	4	0	0	4782	186	12	-36	0
16361	25	4	3	75	15143	61	4	-1	0	5816	192	13	1	7.69
16667	0	0	7	0	15721	62	4	0	0	6097	216	15	5	33.33
16690	0	0	2	0	15730	68	5	2	40	6686	187	13	0	0
<b>Division II - 50-99 members</b>					<b>Division III - 100-149 members</b>					7642	250	17	13	76.47
1401	77	5	0	0	894	142	9	5	55.56	7642	250	17	13	76.47
1449	50	4	1	25	1327	137	8	4	50	7907	151	10	3	30
1550	99	7	-3	0	1460	126	8	1	12.5	7908	197	14	8	57.14
1606	59	4	0	0	1488	115	8	6	75	8201	159	11	1	9.09
1629	97	6	1	16.67	1545	139	9	-27	0	8476	164	11	4	36.36
1674	69	5	0	0	1565	131	8	-6	0	8872	222	15	1	6.67
1699	93	6	0	0	2103	128	9	0	0	9238	217	15	5	33.33
1758	68	5	1	20	2303	101	7	1	14.29	9434	156	11	-19	0
2126	86	5	0	0	2763	139	9	-13	0	10653	180	13	2	15.38
2155	68	5	1	20	3153	115	8	0	0	11134	164	11	1	9.09
2260	87	6	3	50	3455	136	9	1	11.11	11217	162	11	1	9.09
5177	74	5	1	20	3611	102	7	6	85.71	11948	158	10	2	20
5495	76	5	7	140	3645	116	8	-11	0	12983	170	12	-19	0
6706	75	5	2	40	4322	130	8	5	62.5	<b>Division V - &gt;250 members</b>				
7117	69	4	0	0	6806	116	7	3	42.86	676	290	15	-4	0
7360	97	7	12	171.43	7356	104	7	0	0	763	330	22	5	22.73
8102	84	5	1	20	7863	140	9	5	55.56	766	274	18	1	5.56
8136	77	5	4	80	8015	110	7	10	142.86	1643	380	25	0	0
8150	97	6	3	50	8079	110	7	0	0	3307	339	22	8	36.36
8297	95	6	7	116.67	8137	123	8	-3	0	7528	292	20	9	45
										8179	257	17	-16	0

## Council Chairman

Brothers,

The month of April is here and it's a busy month as the "Knight of the Year" and the "Harry J. Tucker, Jr Memorial Award for Fraternalism" awards are due now. If you haven't already, you should have sent these forms into me because by the time you read this piece of news, the due date was April 1<sup>st</sup> and is now **past due**. The "Council Service Program Award" is due no later than **April 15<sup>th</sup>** to me as well, so if you haven't done so yet get started on writing up your Council Service Program that your Council has chosen to submit. Send it to me to by email: COUNCIL @kofc-wa.org. Please send this **BEFORE APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>**!

If you need one of the award forms, you can get them by going here to download award applications: <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Officers/nnGK.aspx>. Scroll down to the desired form, then go across and click on "Link to the Award". That will give you the form that you are looking for. Hope this information helps you get the form that you need and to whom you need to send it to.

I wish every Council the best of luck and want to say that even if you aren't chosen as the winner at the State Convention, every one of you are number 1! All the good works that your Council does for our brothers, Council, church, community, Priests, religious, and youth are OUTSTANDING! You all should be very proud of everything that you have completed this past fraternal year. I am proud to be counted with you as a member of the Knights of Columbus of Washington State.

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Miller  
Council Chairman

## Bishop White Seminary Debt Retired!

State Deputy Ed Parazoo and Immediate Past State Deputy George H. Czerwonka, Jr., bring the good news that after eight years of hard work the Bishop White Seminary construction debt has been retired!

"Fr. Dan phoned to tell me the last \$16,000.00 of the construction debt incurred with the new building - offices, dormitory and chapel at Bishop White Seminary is PAID IN FULL! One of the last Councils to offer their donation of \$2,000 was Pope St. John 23rd Council 5495 of Burien."

"It has been many years coming, more than 8 years for sure, but then we have all supported this effort for our future priests. Many of us will not be here in 50 years, but I believe it is safe to say we'll see more than 500 young men go through Bishop White Seminary in those years and most will discern to become Catholic Priests."

Many thanks to the Councils and individuals who have worked so hard over the past years to raise money to pay off this debt, when the Knights of Columbus put their minds on solving a problem there is no stopping us!

## State Convention Information



# Knights of Columbus

## Washington State Council

March 10, 2017

Dear State Convention Delegates and Guests:

The State Officers and I look forward to seeing you and your families at the 114th Annual Meeting of the Washington State Council to be held in Olympia, WA, on May 19<sup>th</sup> through 21<sup>st</sup>! **If you haven't already done so, please register at the Red Lion Hotel by April 15, 2017 at 1-800-733-5466.** Tell them you are with the Knights of Columbus. You may also register on the WSC web-site at [www.kofc-wa.org](http://www.kofc-wa.org). I ask that you also submit the enclosed Registration Form to the Convention Committee as indicated on the form.

The State Convention provides an opportunity for the delegates, members, and guests to celebrate accomplishments and successes, learn from other councils' activities, renew old acquaintances, establish new friendships, and to recommit to the vision of our founder, Fr. Michael J. McGivney.

See **attached agenda** and information provided by our convention committee to see the many special events and activities scheduled this year. **Fourth Degree members are requested to bring their regalia if they wish to participate in the Color Corps at the Masses and Banquet.**

The proper clothing for the regular meetings is a business suit or blazer with slacks. The attire for the Saturday night banquet is formal - tuxedos, dark suits or white dinner jackets with ties for men and evening dress for the ladies.

District Deputies should bring their District signs for the tables and Grand Knights their Columbian Award Applications to the State Convention. I also suggest that you acquire a clipboard and add your council number in big white numerals so I can recognize you when you rise to speak and make a motion or second a motion.

Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643 Convention Chairman Darren Johnson, Grand Knight Michael Colosi, District Deputy 4, Darren Johnson, the entire convention committee, and the staff of the Red Lion have dedicated themselves to ensuring your visit will be an enjoyable one for all. I am confident that you will agree they have done an excellent job preparing for your convention at the Red Lion-Olympia.

I trust that you will enjoy your time with the state fraternal family on this weekend in May; and, you will also make wonderful memories for the years to come. I trust this state convention will inspire you on to even greater efforts to celebrate in the greatest Catholic men's fraternal organization in the world – The Knights of Columbus.

**The First Lady requests that you please provide her attached letter to your wives.**

Fraternal Yours in service, as Men of Action,

*Eddie L. Parazoo*

*Eddie L. Parazoo, State Deputy*



## State Convention Information continued



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
114<sup>TH</sup> WASHINGTON STATE CONVENTION  
Olympia, WA - MAY 19-21, 2017  
CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_  
 E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Council Name \_\_\_\_\_ Council # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If attending) (Ages if attending)

CONVENTION STATUS (Check one only)

____ Delegate	____ Alternate	____ Gen. Agent	____ Fld. Agent	____ Guest
			Quantity	Amount
CONVENTION REGISTRATION FEE (Each KC MBR)			x \$10.00	\$

**MEAL TICKET ORDER (Must be purchased in advance)**

**Deadline for Meal Orders is May 1, 2017**

Friday Night Dinner at Sacred Heart – Lacey – “Flash Back to Seventies”

Pulled Pork/Chopper Brisket, etc. (Limit 300) .....	_____ x \$20.00	\$ _____
Saturday Ladies' Breakfast at Hotel (French Toast).....	_____ x \$18.00	\$ _____
Saturday Men's Lunch at Hotel (London Broil).....	_____ x \$27.00	\$ _____
Saturday Night Banquet (Petite Filet Mignon).....	_____ x \$44.00	\$ _____
<b>Or</b> (PNW Salmon).....	_____ x \$41.00	\$ _____
Sunday Ladies' Program with Father St. Hilaire (Free)...	_____ x \$ .00	\$ Free

If you require a special meal (vegetarian or medical reasons only), please indicate below:

## PAYMENT INFORMATION

Make checks payable to: **Knights of Columbus – Convention - 2017**

Send checks and completed registration form to— **John Hazelrigg – 412 N. Oak St., Centralia, WA 98531– Registration questions?**

Send an email to [Johnhazelrigg@gmail.com](mailto:Johnhazelrigg@gmail.com) or call 1-360-388-5786

**Hotel reservations need to be made directly to the Red Lion – Olympia or [kofo-wa.org](http://kofo-wa.org) link –**

Call 1-800-733-5466-by April 14, 2017 and indicate that you are with the Knights of Columbus Group.

You can also register for the hotel on the State web site at [kofc-wa.org](http://kofc-wa.org) by hitting the link. The hotel rate per night is \$110.00 plus taxes.

## State Convention Information continued

### Knights of Columbus WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL 114th Annual Convention –Tentative Agenda Red Lion Hotel – Olympia, WA May 19-21, 2017

#### *Thursday, May 18*

- 01:00 pm – 09:00 pm State Officers Meeting (Board Room)
- 04:00 pm - 09:00 pm Country Store (Rainier Room)
- 05:00 pm - 07:00 pm Attendee Registration (Ballroom Foyer)

#### *Friday, May 19*

- 06:00 am - 09:00 am Breakfast (Hotel Coffee Shop)
- 07:00 am - 05:00 pm Attendee Registration (Ballroom Foyer)
- 08:00 am - 04:00 pm Turn in Pennies for Heaven (Rainier Room)
- 08:00 am - 04:00 pm Turn-in Pro-Life Posters (Registration Area)
- 08:00 am - 04:00 pm Country Store (Rainier Room)
- 08:00 am - 09:00 am District Deputy (and wives) Appreciation (Pine Room) (Pastries, coffee and juice)
- 09:00 am - 10:00 am State Chairman (and wives) Appreciation (Pine Room) (Pastries, coffee and juice)
- 10:00 am - 11:00 am Resolutions Committee Meeting (Cedar Room)
- 10:00 am - 10:30 am Briefings for the following Committees (Hemlock Room)
  - Credentials Committee
  - Warden's Committee
  - Pennies for Heaven
  - Culture of Life
- 11:00 am - 04:00 am Good of the Order Meeting (Board Room)
- Noon - 04:00 pm Ladies' Hospitality Room Open (Olympic Room)
- 11:00 am - Noon Membership Workshop (State Room)
- 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm First Business Session (Fir Ballroom)
  - Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
  - Appointment of Committees
  - Roll Call of Delegates by District & Convention Floor Rules
  - State Officers' Reports
  - State Chairmen's Reports
  - Open Caucus - State Officers and Supreme Convention Delegates
  - Visiting Dignitaries' Comments
- 05:00 pm Opening Convention Mass –Sacred Heart Church– Lacey
- 06:30 pm - 08:30 pm Council-Hosted Dinner –Sacred Heart Parish Hall – Lacey

## State Convention Information continued

### Knights of Columbus WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL

#### 114th Annual Convention – Tentative Agenda

#### *Saturday, May 20*

- 06:00 am – 08:30 am Breakfast (Hotel Coffee Shop)
- 07:00 am – 04:00 pm Turn in Pennies for Heaven (Rainier Room)
- 07:00 am – 04:00 pm Country Store (Rainier Room)
- 07:00 am – 04:00 pm Attendee Registration (Registration Area)
- 08:00 am – 02:00 pm Turn-in Pro-Life Posters (Registration Area)
- 08:15 am – 11:15 am Second Business Session (Fir Ballroom)
  - Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
  - State Deputy's Address
  - Resolutions
  - Elections of State Officers & Supreme Convention Delegates
  - Visiting Dignitaries' Comments - if needed
- 09:00 am – 04:00 pm MPD Committee (Board Room)
- 09:00 am – 04:00 pm Ladies Hospitality Room Open (Olympic Room)
- 09:00 am – 11:00 am Ladies' Breakfast (State Room) French Toast
- Noon – 02:00 pm Men's Awards Luncheon (Forest Ballroom)
- 02:45 pm – 04:30 pm Third Business Session (Fir Ballroom)
  - Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
  - Elections of State Officers & Supreme Convention Delegates
  - Visiting Dignitaries' Comments - if needed
- 02:30 pm – 04:30 pm Pro-Life Committee Poster Judging (Registration Area)
- 05:30 pm – 06:45 pm No Host Convention Social (Pre-Function Area)
- 06:30 pm Doors to Ballroom Open
- 07:00 pm – 09:30 pm Awards Banquet (Forest Ballroom)
  - Everyone must be seated by 7:00pm for the head table procession to begin
  - Flag presentation ceremony by the 4th Degree

#### *Sunday, May 21*

- 06:00 am – 09:00 am Breakfast (Hotel Coffee Shop)
- 07:00 am – 08:30 am Annual Memorial Mass (Forest Ballroom)
- 09:00 am – Noon M&PD Committee (Board Room)
- 09:00 am – Noon Turn in Pennies for Heaven (Rainier Room)
- 09:00 am – Noon Country Store (Rainier Room)
- 09:00 am – 11:00 am Ladies' Program with Father St. Hilaire (Americana Lounge)
- 09:45 am – Noon Final Business Session (Forest Ballroom)
  - Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
  - Elections continued as needed
  - PFH and Columbus Charities Meetings
- Noon Adjourn
- 12:30 pm – 01:30 pm Supreme Convention Delegates Meeting (SD Suite)

## Master of the Fourth Degree - Western WA

### Upcoming 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Schedule



Jun 3, 2017 Tacoma, WA. (last degree)

#### Military Chaplain's Fund

Huge thank you to the following Assemblies and individuals who have donated to support such a worthy and very important need. Donations contributed thus far are \$7409.00 in the Western Washington District. The district mission was \$4000 and because of the great support and belief toward the fund, the District has surpassed the goal by over \$3400. Assemblies and members are still contributing and I will update this list in the monthly bulletin June 2017 at the end of the fraternal year. Thank you again for such a great job toward supporting the MCF.

James Shield	Cash Collection
Mother Joseph	Karl Hadley
St Francis of Assisi	Council 763
John F Kennedy	Council 11789
Bishop Thomas E Gill	Patrick Igo
Archibishop Thomas J Murphy	Lacey Exemplification Cash Donation
Holy Trinity	JBLM Exemplification Cash Donation
Rev Hervey A Vanasse	Matthew R. Tavares
Holy Family	Don & Patricia Hall
Stanwood Assembly	Council 7863
St. Joan of Arc	Eddie Parazoo
St. Eugene De Mazenod	

#### Funeral Support

Gentlemen, I received a formal letter from a member greatly displeased with the failing support of honor guards during funerals of 4<sup>th</sup> degree brothers in the Tacoma area. Assemblies are directly responsible for this support. I ask that to defray any concerns moving forward that each FN and Color Corps Commander reach out to the surrounding assemblies and ask brothers with regalia if they can attend as honor guards. I also send emails targeting the surrounding FN's and ask for support.

Many assemblies are doing a great job of supporting funerals at local Parishes and National Cemeteries. I thank you and the feedback is positive and beautiful. Very proud moments to be a Master when the community calls just to say thank you.

Yet, these proud moments do not extend fully across the District. I understand many people work jobs and perhaps doesn't know the deceased individual, but I ask that we as the Patriotic Order show presence the best we can and support the Priest, fallen brothers, families, and community especially during Mass and funerals. Life is challenging and I ask we lean on one another to support the best we can, which is all we can do as an Order. When we stand, we stand as one team under God. Please take the time to support our fallen brothers.



**Master of the Fourth Degree - Western WA continued****District Awards Are Due 30 April 2017**

Assemblies which achieved their mission, which is ONLY 7% of the roster, can apply for:

- Assembly of the Year: JFK award
- Faithful Navigator of the Year

These awards above require a full two-page description and 6-10 photos to support why the assembly and FN should receive top awards of the Western Washington District.

**Sir Knight of the Year**

Any assembly can send a ½ a page description and photo of why your member should be Sir Knight of the year. Any assembly can submit for their Sir Knight. No prequalification is required.

Send all write-up's and photos by email to [Wmaster@kofc-wa.org](mailto:Wmaster@kofc-wa.org)

Western Washington District Team wants to hear from you and help you conduct training.

Thank you brothers for all your great works to the Western District and continued support.

Vivat Jesus!



Phillip Clingan  
PGK, PFN, FDD  
District Master  
Western Washington  
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## Fourth Degree Exemplification - Spokane

### FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

**Saturday, May 6, 2017**, at St. Mary's Catholic School Gym 304 S Adams Rd, Spokane Valley, WA 99216

The host assembly is **John J Mertens Assembly 2414**

**District Master Darrell R Henn 509-528-4157 or email drhenn1@frontier.com**

The host **Faithful Navigator** is Sir Knight Frank Owens (509-858-2413)

The **Faithful Comptroller** is Sir Knight Victor Vera (509-995-5981)

The degree team is the Eastern Washington Fourth Degree Team

**EXEMPLIFICATION HONOREE: The Honoree for this Fourth Degree Exemplification is TBD**

### EVENT TIME SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY		TIME	LOCATION
Exemplification Set-up/Rehearsal	Saturday	12:00 noon - 2:00 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
Color Corps Rehearsal	Saturday	12:30 pm - 2:00 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
Registration	Saturday	1:00 pm - 2:15 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
Degree Team Rehearsal	Saturday	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification	Saturday	2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
Public Knighting/picture taking	Saturday	4:30 pm - 5:15 pm	School Gym 304 S Adams Rd
Mass	Saturday	5:30 pm	St. Mary' Church

### FEES

The exemplification fee for each candidate, **except priests**, is **\$50.00**. The fee includes a social baldric and Fourth Degree lapel pins. There is no exemplification fee for **priests or religious brothers**; however, their assembly will pay **\$20.00** to cover the cost of the social baldric and Fourth Degree pin. The candidate's or the assembly's check is to be made payable to the **Masters, Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree**.

### FEES Continued

**Important Note:** The exemplification fee does not change if the candidate does not attend dinner. Nor does the exemplification fee pay for the candidate's name tag or annual assembly dues or fees relating to the assembly in accordance with Article XIII, Section 24(k). The exemplification is set forth by the Board of Directors under Article IX, Membership, Section 26.

### ATTIRE

#### ARTICLE XI OFFICIAL DRESS

Section 38. Official Dress. The official dress for the Fourth Degree shall be: (a) black bow tie, plain white tuxedo shirt, black cummerbund, black footwear, black tuxedo and social baldric worn under the coat, from right shoulder to left hip. (b) A member serving in the armed forces of his country, fulltime police and firefighters shall be considered in proper attire when dressed in a Class A dress uniform. **LADIES:** As men are dressed formally, most ladies prefer dressy attire.

### ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The sponsor will ensure that all information is legibly printed on the Form 4. The applicant, his sponsor, and the applicant's Council FS will sign the Form 4. Ensure the candidates 3<sup>rd</sup> degree is updated with Supreme, so the Form 4 does not get kicked back. After the assembly's Admission Committee's action, the FN and FC will sign the Form 4. The FC will forward the signed Form 4 (all copies) and the applicant's check to the District Master. After the degree, the District Master will sign and send the Form 4 to Supreme with copies to Councils and assemblies.

## **Fourth Degree Exemplification - Spokane continued**

### **\*\*\* MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS\*\*\***

#### **ARTICLE IX MEMBERSHIP**

Section 25. Eligibility for Membership. (a) Applications for membership in the Fourth Degree may be made to any Assembly provided the applicant is: (i) Over eighteen years of age. (ii) A citizen of the country in which he resides, or with permission of the Master of the District over the area where he claims citizenship, with the understanding that if permission is granted the pledge of allegiance will be to the country of citizenship. (iii) A Third Degree member in good standing in his Council. (iv) A former member whose membership was terminated for failure to pay dues or by a withdrawal card if he has been readmitted to good standing in his Council. (v) A practical Catholic in union with the Holy See.

#### **SUPPORTING LOCAL DEGREES**

Knighthood Degree Exemplification - Spokane District 5, 8, 18, 20, 28, & 33 April 22nd

## **Master of the Fourth Degree - Eastern WA**

Brother Knights,

We as members of the "Patriotic Degree are an important part of our Order by serving our Brother Knights by conducting various educational programs, honoring knights and their families during times of tragedies and loss. We encourage active participation in the programs of our Order. Those of us who participate in the Color Corps are a visible reminder of our service to Church and community, the sword we carry symbolizing Christian Knighthood signifies reverence of Church, the Eucharist, Country and freedom. We are very proud to represent the fraternalism that is so embedded in the Knights of Columbus.

As this fraternal year ends, now is the time to look back at the accomplishments of your assemblies and submit those dreaded reports to Supreme and your District Master. Those awards are "To Be a Patriot" due to the master by April 30, "Civic Award" submitted to the Supreme Council by June 30 and the "Refund Support Vocation Program" (RSVP) also due at Supreme Council by June 30. Once your new assembly officers have been elected please submit "Report of Assembly Officers Chosen for the Term" (form # 186) and contact your District Master to schedule your Instillation of Officers.

The last item I have is the upcoming State Convention in Olympia, Washington on May 19, 20 and 21. The State Deputy is requesting that all Sir Knights attending the Convention bring their regalia and take part, as members of the Honor Guard, in the Masses and Convention Banquet.

Patriotically Proud,

Darrell Henn  
Master of the Fourth Degree,  
Eastern Washington

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## Vocations Chairman

### PENNIES FOR HEAVEN

“Thanks be to God!” Said Father Daniel Barnett, speaking to the Saint John Paul II Society this past Saturday. “Praise be to Jesus, Bishop White Seminary is now debt free.” He went on to say a huge THANK YOU to the Knights of Columbus for your generous support these last six years. Thanks to a share of the Pennies For Heaven fund, as well as gifts from the various Councils, the mortgage debt for Bishop White Seminary has been retired. The Pennies For Heaven fund has provided support to all three dioceses in the State of Washington, as well as help pay the mortgage for Bishop White Seminary. That penny a day, and prayer a day has literally moved a mountain (of debt). We can all be proud of our efforts, but there is much more to do to promote vocations in Washington.

### RSVP

At this same event, two seminarians discussed their journey to discernment at the seminary. One began as a sophomore in high school and a protestant. He said he was trained at an early age to show Catholics the error of their ways, and to convert them. One day, a friend invited him to Mass and he thought “I might as well see what the attraction is.” He said he never looked back. He discussed it with his parents and they said if he converted they would disown him. During his junior year of high school, he converted and was planning to move out of his parents home a week after telling his parents. However, they told him to leave that night. His journey was filled with obstacles, but after high school realized that he wanted to become a priest. He now is at Bishop White Seminary, and a freshman in college. He works 20 hours a week to help pay his residency fees at Bishop White. He also received a \$5,000 scholarship from the Saint John Paul II Society to assist with his college expenses. He also receives support from two Knights of Columbus Councils through the RSVP Program.

This is just one story, there are 47 of them in the State of Washington. The RSVP program makes a huge difference in the lives of seminarians. If your Council would like to help a seminarian, please contact me at [vocations@kofc-wa.org](mailto:vocations@kofc-wa.org).

Tim Coyle  
PFH/RSVP/Vocations Chairman

## State Historian

### Bring Your Council History to the State Convention

The State Council has a collection of the histories of nearly all subordinate Councils in the state. But there are 25 Councils that have no history or minimal history in the collection. The histories have been published in two books, one in 1990 and a second one in 2007. Others have been added since then. Is your Council's history included?

The following Councils still are lacking complete histories: 9721, 9833, 9910, 11085, 11217, 11252, 11253, 11611, 11948, 12175, 12483, 13761, 14046, 14689, 14852, 15143, 15338, 15462, 15684, 15721, 15838, 15968, 16184, 16186, and 16361.

Even if your Council's history is included in the book, you can always update it. It's easy to assemble your Council's history. It doesn't have to be elaborate; just a few facts are needed: charter members, charter officers, a few words about the Council's founding, and honors and activities of the Council since its founding. Assemble those facts and then email them to me, [historian@kofc-wa.org](mailto:historian@kofc-wa.org). I can write it up in a formal manner if you'd rather not do it yourself. Contact me for more information.

Joe St.Hilaire  
State Historian



## Church Chairman

Brother Knights,

By the time you read this, the deadline for submitting your award application for Church and other programs may have come and gone. This is an excellent time to **take stock of your status for the Columbian Award** application due in June and for Star Council.

Here's one way to proceed.

1. Look critically at the Annual Grand Knights Report you just sent to your District Deputy. That will remind you which strong, visible programs you have or will have executed.
2. Review each of your Monthly Service Reports (MSR) making note of the points you might have earned. It might help to have printed copies on hand. If you conducted any of the programs that satisfy all requirements, then you are well on your way. Examples for Church programs are supporting a seminarian through RSVP or conducting the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosary on all four of the months that had five Sundays this fraternal year (July, October, January, and April).
3. Ensure that a minimum of four (4) of these programs are designated as Domestic Church activities to meet the Columbian Award requirement. Domestic Church activities can be attributed to any category and there can be multiple Domestic Church activities conducted in a single category. Please visit [kofc.org/domesticchurch](http://kofc.org/domesticchurch) for the list of qualifying programs.
4. Check that your Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728) was received.
5. Check that your Service Program Personnel Report (#365) was received.

If you still need to conduct a Domestic Church activity, there are a few that can be done in the weeks that remain. Consider conducting a 5th Sunday Rosary April 30, a Consecration to the Holy Family, the Father's Day Affirmation of Wedding Vows, Into the Breach, or the **CIS- Building the Domestic Church series**. You can order a complete parish set of the BDC series for your parish and receive a free display kiosk. For ordering the series and promoting the resources within your parish Councils you will receive credit for a **"domestic church"** activity towards the **Columbian award**.

Finally, after taking stock of what shape your Council is in, consider what you might get a head start on for next year. If you want to conduct the Family Fully Alive program, you will need to obtain approval and order the materials well in advance of the next liturgical year. Similarly, your Family Week program will need to be planned by July at the latest.

### **Building the Domestic Church Themes**

The theme for April is **Mercy and Forgiveness**. *The inner form of Christian familial love is mercy like God the Father who is "rich in mercy" (Eph 2:4).* . Suggested activities, readings and themes can be found on Supreme's web site at <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/domestic-church/monthly-themes/april.html>. Two projects noted are: 1. going to church as a family for the sacrament of reconciliation and 2: a week later, take a few moments to discuss how the sacrament has helped each of you to be more holy and to fight against temptation and sin.

### **Divine Mercy**

This year, the Sunday of Divine Mercy is April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Apart from the promises Our Lord made to St. Faustina, the Church has attached a plenary indulgence to a Divine Mercy observance subject to the usual conditions. Your family reconciliation trip may satisfy one of those conditions if it is within the timeframe before or after.

I pray your Lent and Triduum have been blessed and fruitful. Remember, when someone greets you with the traditional Paschal Greeting, "He is risen." you reply "He is risen, indeed." Also, during the Easter Season, it is tradition to pray the *Regina Coeli* in place of the *Angelus*.

Vivat Jesus!

Paul Robertson  
Church Chairman

## Council Spotlight - Ocean Shores 15689

**March 25th—Day of the Unborn Child and Traditional Annunciation Feast of Christ's Conception, celebrating the Incarnation nine months before Christmas**

March 25th is the Feast of the Annunciation and more recently was established by Pope John Paul II as the Day of the Unborn Child, as it comes nine months before Christmas Day.

The Knights of Columbus Council 15689 at St Jerome Church in Ocean Shores observed International Day of the Unborn Child after both Saturday and Sunday Masses. All parishioners and friends were invited to the St. Jerome social hall to enjoy a very special birthday cake to honor Unborn Children.



The event was very well received by parishioners and guests, and it was very important to share the positive message of Life in a tourist city like Ocean Shores.





## Council Spotlight - Redmond 8102

The St Jude Council 8102, Redmond participated in the Redmond Special Olympics Polar Plunge for the 4th year. Our team raised \$3900.00, with some company matching funds remaining to be included.

Once again we had a grand time, in spite of the rain. We had a booth, gave away some swag, and once again the KC logo was on the back of the T-shirt.



## Youth Chairman

The end of the fraternal year is fast approaching, your Youth Service program submissions are due to be turned in by April 15th. If you need some assistance on the format and content please contact me and I'll provide you with some tips and ideas that have helped past winners. Don't let repeat winners scare you from submitting. Be original and think outside the box. The simplest event, in a descriptive write-up can draw the attention to your activity. Good luck.

### DOMESTIC CHURCH

Continuing with theme of Building the Domestic Church, this month we hear about how it is difficult for teens and young adults to understand the meaning of self-giving love. They often define a relationship's worth by the feelings or emotions they experience.

Immature romantic love — such as a teen's first crush — shows love in an emotional stage. It can be fleeting and fickle, but it may also lead to the important element of loving friendship. In this latter stage, each person wants the best for the other and for themselves. The move from "I" to "we" in a romantic relationship becomes an integral step toward the self-surrender and personal commitment required for a successful marriage and start of a family.

April Family Project: Speak with your children about your first date. Tell them about what first made you notice each other. Describe where you went on your first date. Talk about how this initial attraction grew into a deeper friendship and then into authentic love. Finally, tell your children about your marriage and all of the transitions it involved. Share with them what it was like when you were first married, and when you became parents. Explain how you dealt with hard times and celebrated happier moments. Afterward, look through old photos, tracing your relationship from when you first met to today.

Ken DeVos - Youth Chairman

## Welcome To Two New Councils!

Brothers, Supreme has assigned numbers to two new Councils in Washington!

DD22 Aubundeo Reponse led the efforts to form the first new Council, 16667 at Holy Cross parish in Tacoma.

DD15 Stephen Schweyen led the efforts to form the second new Council, 16690 at St. Peters parish in Seattle. Of the 27 members of the Council, 16 are new Knights!

Please join me in welcoming our new Councils and thanking all those involved in the efforts to form them. Be sure to look for our newest brothers at the upcoming State Convention in Olympia.

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Parazzo  
State Deputy

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## **The Good Samaritan**

### **THE GOOD SAMARITAN - A PARABLE OF MERCY** (Lk 10:29-37)

"To a lawyer who asked Him, "and who is my neighbor?" Jesus responded with the parable of the Good Samaritan, ending the parable with the exhortation, "Go and do likewise." The usual interpretation is that we ought to be good Samaritans when we see our neighbor in need. And this is right; we must be merciful to those in misery.

There is, however, another way to interpret the message of the parable, and that is to identify ourselves with the poor man who has been robbed, stripped, and beaten up. We are the poor miserable one left on the side of the road, half dead. Jesus is the Good Samaritan who comes along as our Savior to bind up our wounds, pouring oil and wine on them, and bearing us to the place of rest where He takes care of us and pays the price for all our needs.

This is Mercy! Jesus has reached out to us while we were still sinners and laid down His life for us (Rom 5:6-8). Jesus has washed us clean through the water of Baptism, anointing us with His Holy Spirit, feeding us with His own Body and Blood, bringing us home into His Body, the Church. All of this love through no merit of our own. That is Devine Mercy - and He wants no one to escape from that mercy!  
(*Marion Press - "Deeds of Mercy"*)

### **THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY**

Admonish sinners.  
Counsel the doubtful.  
Bear wrongs patiently.  
Pray for the living and the dead.  
Instruct the uninformed.  
Comfort the sorrowful.  
Forgive offenses.

### **THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY**

Feed the hungry.  
Clothe the naked.  
Visit the sick.  
Comfort the imprisoned.  
Give drink to the thirsty.  
Shelter the homeless.  
Bury the dead.

Can you identify your works of mercy? We perform charitable acts on a daily basis by deed, by word and by prayer without identifying them as such works. We may not personally have the material means to carry out corporal acts of mercy, but you can do so as a member of your local KofC Council with Supreme, State and Council programs. And, we can all perform acts of spiritual mercy, which required no permission or material means, and is more meritorious, and within the grasp of every Knight.

George H. Czerwonka, Jr  
Immediate Past State Deputy

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## Culture of Life

The last day to submit your winning essays for Culture of Life is April 1, 2017. Your winning posters for each of the three grade groups, 1st and 2nd grade, 3rd and 4th grade and 5th and 6th grades are to be delivered to the State Convention on Friday, May 19 and Sat., May 20. Judging will begin at noon on Saturday. Your Council's entry for the Culture of Life / Herbert Liebert Award is due to me no later than April 15, 2017. I know that many Councils are quite involved in Pro-Life and I'm encouraging you to write up your most outstanding program of the year.

We have been quite active in the Ultrasound Initiative arena. Our first active application for the Ultrasound Initiative is for Next Step Pregnancy in Lynnwood, WA. This drive is sponsored by Fr. Chirose Council #5816. We have all of the needed funds pledged and we are in the collection of funds phase.

The second application is for Care Net Puget Sound and is sponsored by Tacoma Council #809. This request is for an ultrasound machine to be installed in a new mobile unit that Care Net Puget Sound recently purchased. It will be operating in the underserved regions of the Puget Sound between rural Care Net Pregnancy Centers. We just received the approved Diocesan Evaluation from the Archdioceses of Seattle on this application and can now proceed with fundraising. The third current application is to replace an aging ultrasound machine for Life Choices of Wenatchee. Council #13186 is the sponsor. They are in the process of getting an application together along with a Diocesan Evaluation for approval of the archdioceses. As you can see we are busy with the Ultrasound Initiative.

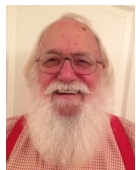
For those State Convention goers we will be having an informal meeting on Saturday morning beginning at 6:45 AM to explain the opportunities available to help with fundraising for the Ultrasound Initiative. Hope to see you there.

Vivat Jesus!

Ron DeGroot

## Umbert the Unborn

by Gary Cangemi



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## Family Chairman

Brother Knights,

**Just a Reminder.....**It's a new month.....Has your Council selected the Family of the Month???? Family is the what makes this Order so successful. Take the time to recognize those that stand out in your Council!! A Big Thanks to the Councils that sent in a submission last month, Good Job!!

Brothers, this fraternal year is flying by.....It's April already!! Have you done your submissions for **Family of the Year**??? Have you compiled your Service Program report for your **BEST Family Program**? Deadlines are knocking on the door. Don't let all the hard work that you and Council has done go unnoticed. Take the time to show the great works completed this fraternal that have made your Council successful. I can't say it enough...**GET YOUR REPORTS DONE!!!** You owe it to your Council members!!

### Family Fully Alive-Building the Domestic Church

#### **The theme for April is Mercy and Forgiveness**

During the course of the parable of the unforgiving servant, Christ instructs his disciples to forgive not just seven times, but 77 times — a symbolic number that represents a willingness to forgive without limit. In other words, Christ instructs his disciples to love unconditionally by being merciful.

Once we allow ill will to take root in our hearts, it leads to deep resentment. ...The opposite of resentment is forgiveness, which is rooted in a positive attitude that seeks to understand other people's weaknesses and to excuse them. as Jesus said, "father, forgive them; for they know not what they do" (Lk 23:34). Yet we keep looking for more and more faults, imagining greater evils, presuming all kinds of bad intentions, and so resentment grows and deepens. ... something is wrong when we see every problem as equally serious; in this way, we risk being unduly harsh with the failings of others. The just desire to see our rights respected turns into a thirst for vengeance rather than a reasoned defense of our dignity.

If we accept that God's love is unconditional, that the father's love cannot be bought or sold, then we will become capable of showing boundless love and forgiving others even if they have wronged us. Take the time to forgive those that have done us wrong and live in God's Grace of Forgiveness.

Brother Knights, are you and your Council involved the "Family Fully Alive" program?? If not you can learn how to get started by going to [www.kofc.org/en/domestic.../family-fully-alive-getting-started.html](http://www.kofc.org/en/domestic.../family-fully-alive-getting-started.html).

**The theme & meditation for the month of April is "Mercy and Forgiveness"**

Vivat Jesus!

Tommy LaCour  
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**If I can be of any assistance to you or your Council please DO NOT hesitate to contact me!**

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**Tootsie Roll Update****\$123,381.40 Final 2016-2017****Tootsie Roll Corner****columbuscharities.net**

Worthy Tootsie Rollers,

We had a great year. Thank you for all your hard work. With that said.....

Now is the time to start preparing for next year's drive so you're not scrambling at the last minute. ***Get Your Locations Now!***

Fred Meyer is already securing store locations... QFC is a great partner, too, and is associated with Fred Meyer under the Kroger name. Sam's and Wal-Mart both continue to be a good locations as well. These are merely suggestions as you know your local area best.

Again, thanks for the tremendous effort to each and every one of you. I can't wait to do it all over again next year!!

**On a side Note****Are you enrolled with the Fred Meyer Community Rewards Program??**

Fred Meyer donates approximately \$2.5 million dollars to non-profit organizations each year through the Community Rewards Program. The only requirement is that you link your rewards card to Columbus Charities, then each month a check will be issued to Columbus Charities. It's that simple.

If you have a current Fred Meyer card, go online and follow the link instructions . If you do not have a Fred Meyer card, sign up online, or go to Customer Service, then you can link to our Columbus Charities organization.

**After you linked to Columbus Charities, that's it, you're done. The more folks that sign up, the greater percentage of the award each quarter.**

Our Columbus Charities account is **86675**. Enter the number, or enter our name, when searching for an organization to link to.

This would be a big boost to our Endowment Fund that has been lacking for several years. There are a couple of Councils that still donate to the Fund and we greatly appreciate it.

***Vivat Jesus!***

Tommy LaCour  
Washington State  
Tootsie Roll Chairman  
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## Members and Family in need of Prayer March 2017

Archbishop J. Peter Sartain, Diocese of Seattle. Sister Sharon Park, Exec Dir WA State Catholic Conference. Myra Mickles, sister of Abbot Neal  
**Council ..... Seattle 676**

Matt Ulrich; Jainie Philbrick; Roman Miller; Matt Ulrich; Archbishop Sartain; Jim Kessler; Father Robert Egan; Amadeus Amador; Joseph Zimmerman; Albert Freedman; Don Luby; Paul Heneghan; Mac Henderson; Edgar Pitre; Tom Hoagland; Walter Brazelton; Bernard Blazuk; John Costello; Joe Robinson PGK PFN PDD; Bridget Dobson; Ann Heneghan, daughter of Paul; Archbishop Emeritus Brunett; Thomas Barker  
**Council ..... Spokane 683**

Pete Budig, John Oliveri, Dennis Bauch, Henry Crapo, Thomas Giblin, John 'Jack' Stockton, Xavier Kasbar, Dick Daschbach, Doug Jones, Steve Muto, Cindy Kromholtz, wife of FS Tim Kromholtz; Sean Huetmaker, nephew of Scott Huetmaker; Corky Daschbach, wife of Dick Daschbach; Mrs. Kostelecky, mother-in-law of Greg Fong, PGK; Rachel Kupice, wife of John Kupice, GK; John Kupice, father of John Kupice, GK; Joanne Kupice, mother of John Kupice, GK; Mary Lacy, wife of Tom Lacy, deceased; Mathew Formanek, brother-in-law of George Czerwonka, PSD; Mike and Emma Stephens, parents of Darryl Stephens; John, Payton and Joseph Stephens, brothers of Darryl Stephens; Alan 'Morning' Stephens, son of Darryl Stephens;  
**Council ..... Walla Walla 766**

Fred Pick, Gordon Cresci, Frank Sannar, Larry Meliah, Brent Caulk, Terry Teske, Carl Bossini, Joseph Yragui, Harry Olson  
**Council ..... Bellingham 829**

Lou and Jenna St.Hilaire and baby, Dave Rasbach, Mike Vailencour, Kevin's Schmid's mother-in-law, Harvey Unruh's brother and brother-in-law, Leeann and Dave Rasbach, Jerry Wilson, Adriana Estrada, and Dale Boudreau.  
**Council ..... Yakima 894**

Fr. Richard House, Frank Schneider, Tom McCormick and his sister, Josh Jones, Katie Eschbach (Marc D. niece), Alice Walker, Norm Ives, Bob Wilson, Elena Kasberg (Bishop Sevilla sister), Leo Schmidt, Steve Szibert (Larry Ziegler friend), Aunt Linda (Shane Smith), Jean Simard-stroke (Keith's mother in law)  
**Council ..... Puyallup 1629**

John B. Moran  
**Council ..... Olympia 1643**

Walt Dale, Ron DeGroot, Ray DeTerra Family, Whitney Johnson, John Kramer, Sam Pellegrino, Meg Pivec, Dennis Perez, Ed Sauley, Jose Ybarra, Nancy Zyrkowski  
**Council ..... Oak Harbor 3361**

Bert Broxson, Catherine Bagarella, Dale Auburg, Denise Albertelli, Denise Henderson, Kevin Butler & Family, Leo & Marci Doyle, Leonard McGregor, Maria Parungao, Mary Milton, Mary Mueller, Mauri Tonini, Maurice Lund, Mike Gerrity, Mike Mahoney, Morgie Harper, Rey Parungao  
**Council ..... Clarkston 3455**

Vincent Polis General Agent East ..... **Renton 3645**

**Council ..... Spokane 4196**

Pansey Marro - mother of Brothers Anthony & Michael Marro, Phyllis Lamb - wife of Brother Roy Lamb, Brother Ken Jansen, Richard Diehl - father of Brother Jim Diehl, Jan Schulhauser - wife of Brother Tony Schulhauser, Harold Zeuschel, Jr - son of Brother Harold Zeuschel Sr, Brother John Klepinger, Laura Martinez - wife of Brother/Dacon Chalo Martinez, Paisley Burger - Granddaughter of PGK Shelley Hays, Brother Orval Wood, Joe Oscar Marmolejo - father of Brother Oscar Marmolejo, Brother & Msgr Frank Bach, Brother Ed Galles, Brother Jim Hibbs  
**Council ..... Lakewood 4322**

An So Farkas, widow of PGK Robert Farkas, Bill & Sarah Jones, Thomas Wiese, Wallace L. Jordan Sr, Lori Hogan, Ralph Klein, Joshua Mamerto, Isabella Chavez, Marge Warren, Elaine Kowalski, Aurora Villagrancia, Barbara Jerue, Rose Hansen, Leo Pavone, Ehli family

## Members and Family in need of Prayer March 2017

**Council ..... Yakima 6097**  
Urban Beaudry

**Council ..... Lynnwood 5816**  
Jo Bonin, wife of Marty Bonin; John Balch, Dan Thulin

**Council ..... Bothell 6686**  
Jim Riddell, DD16; Diana Munko, wife of PFS Dan Munko; Leo O'Dore; Harold Zebert and wife Pat

**Council ..... Marysville 7863**  
Tom LeMere, Ted Mikula, Tom Lester, Shirley Dockendorf, Gary Way, Don Francisco, Fred Chriscaden

**Council ..... Issaquah 7907**  
Ron Smith, brother-in-law of Jim Nold

**Council ..... Arlington 8015**  
Bob Dietz

**Council ..... Kennewick 8179**  
John and Tess Walker

**Council ..... Poulsbo 8297**

Ron Wernke family, Mary Therese Bartlett, Brian Cross, Roger Fritz family, Michael Thatcher, Tom & Rosie Bennett, Nick Ogilvie, Tom Musha family, Ann Wahlfors, William Smith jr family, Nancy Hepp, Larry Devlin family, Brad Serwall, Nathan Wernke family, Lee Metzger, Bill & Nancy Hepp, Robert Brainerd, Storm & Caroline Smole, Sharon Smith, Chuck Hackett, brother of John Rebar, U.S. troops in harms way  
**Council ..... Camano-Stanwood 8476**  
Reinhold Schmidt, PGK

**Council ..... Colbert 8872**  
Del Murray, George and Marie Benton, Ida and Jewell Smalley, mother and wife of PGK Art Smalley

**Council ..... Mountlake Terrace 9605**  
Adrian Calvillo-Reyes; Robert M Shay, Bob Dixon

**Council ..... Lakewood 11762**  
John M Wallace PSD

**Council ..... Puyallup 11948**  
Kevin Foster

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**> Prayer List In Memoriam <**

**We join the survivors in remembering the following members who recently died. We offer our prayers for them and their families. May their souls rest in peace.**

**March 2017**

Al Ehli, PGK .....	Tacoma 809
Thomas LeMere .....	Marysville 7863
Adrian Mendiola .....	Des Moines 8079
Leslie Jack .....	Kent 8150
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 Mabel Hazelrigg, mother of GK and FN John P. Hazelrigg, Centralia 1758  
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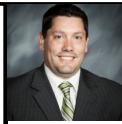


*Eternal rest grant unto  
 them, O Lord.  
 And let the perpetual light  
 shine upon them.  
 And may the souls of all the  
 faithful departed, through  
 the mercy of God, rest in  
 peace.  
 Amen.*





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