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Tom Weber, Past State Deputy of Washington from 1995 – 1997, passed away on September 2, 2013 after his long personal battle with cancer.

Tom had been a member of the Knights of Columbus for nearly 48 years. In following a strong family tradition, Tom joined the Knights of Columbus in February 1965 becoming a member of Colton council 1565. Tom's first official officer position in the Knights was in 1973 when he began serving as Council Warden for his home council. He rose up through the council officer positions and was elected and served as grand knight for two years in 1978 to 1980.

Tom took his 4th degree exemplification – “exemplification” is the term that we use to describe a member's advancement in the Order and in his commitment and understanding of our Order's principles – he took his 4th degree exemplification in February 1981. He was a charter member of Assembly 2105 Father Anton Flour Assembly. He has been a 4th Degree member for 32 years. During this time he served as a Faithful Navigator in 1994.

Following his service at the council level, Tom was selected to serve as District Deputy for District 8 in 1981. From there he served in various program positions before being elected to state office in 1987. He progressed through all the officer chairs –State Warden, State Advocate, State Treasurer and State Secretary. While he served as a state officer, Tom heavily participated in efforts to modernize some of the basic administrative requirements of the state council. And in 1995 he was elected to the position of state deputy. He served in that position – which is the leader for the Knights in the state of Washington - for two years. And under Tom's leadership serving as state deputy, Washington was recognized and achieved the honor of placing Washington in the Circle of Honor - which is a top honor for jurisdictions in the Order.

Following his term as State Deputy, Tom was recognized for his outstanding skills in leading Washington. He was asked to serve in a leadership position at the national and international level with the Supreme Council. However - Tom – citing personal reasons – declined the offer.

Following his service at the state officer level, Tom continued to serve the state council in various positions including Father McGivney Guild, Historian, and Good of the Order Chairman. The one position that he absolutely cherished was that of Ceremonial Chairman. Participating in our Order's Ceremonials was one of the things in which he excelled. Tom served as a ceremonialist on all four different ceremonial Degree Teams.

Tom's love of the Knights of Columbus constantly shone forth whenever members in the state would gather whether at the council level, the assembly level, the district level or the state level. Tom continually would encourage and mentor members – in the love of our faith and our order and encourage members to reach to a high level of personal confidence and success.

Message from State Deputy



My Dear Brothers All:

The first quarter of our Fraternal Year (FY) has gone very quickly, and we have miles to go before the FY is out on June 30. Our plans to succeed and place the Washington jurisdiction in the "Circle of Honor" this year are surely within our grasp. As President Harry Truman once said, "A leader is a man who has the ability to get other people to do what they don't want to do and like it."

We need to catch up this month of October by participating in the Order's International Church Drive with every Council active. How can we not be inspired by the Gospel; our Catholic faith; and, our works of Charity!

Do you recall our Summer Leadership Meeting in Yakima where I put forth our common "General Management Responsibilities"? We all have a duty to:

1. Build an organization and staff capable of effectively carrying out the Council's mission and accountabilities;
2. Plan and control Council operations;
3. Adhere to written operating policy and procedures;
4. Keep our superior fully informed of significant developments, issues and problems;
5. Contribute to the favorable image of the Knights of Columbus in the Council, Parish, Community and General Public; and,
6. Encourage and maintain an effective two-way communication with your Council, District and State Council.

Next, we must ask ourselves several questions.

1. Are we abiding by the "General Management Responsibilities?"
2. Have we built a staff of Council officers and chairmen to carry out the duties of the Council?
3. Are we Membership active following "One Member per Council per Month?"
4. Have we established a "First Degree Team" providing new candidates with a prompt ceremonial exemplification? Your team can READ the exemplification!
5. Do you have any problems that you need help in solving?

As I have said before, "It is about the numbers!" While we are duty bound to remain non-partisan in our work within the Order, we have a duty to participate in the governance of our state and country as Catholic citizens. Pope Francis recently said, "(Catholics) have an obligation to get involved in politics. We can't play the role of Pontius Pilate and wash our hands of it. It's easy to blame others. But people need to ask themselves: 'Me? What am I doing about it?'"

Truly, what are we doing about it? It is about numbers when we find our Freedom of Religion is challenged. Pope Francis went on to say in a recent Homily... "I have to do the best so that they govern well, and I have to do my best by participating in politics according to my ability. Politics, according to the Social Doctrine of the Church, is one of the highest forms of Charity, because it serves the common good. I cannot wash my hands, eh? We all have to give something!"

And so, we are responsible for the governance of our local Council and State Council too. As duly elected officers, it is up to us! Let's give a great showing this month of October by participating in the Order's International Church Drive in family, parish and community. If each one of us brought in one new member, we would double our numbers to more than 34,000 members. What could we not do in Unity with those numbers? Always have faith in your council's success! In order to have victory you must depend on execution. Do it with inspiration, energy and enthusiasm. God Bless You!

Vivat Jesus!

George Czerwonka, State Deputy

ONE MEMBER PER COUNCIL PER MONTH

Message from State Secretary



My Brothers All,

As your State Secretary, I collect all funds coming into the Washington State Council and as such, the State Treasurer and I have implemented a monthly invoice process. The second invoice was generated this past month for those councils that owed the state funds. This month we included the KCIC amounts owed too. Due to time commitments, not all of them have been delivered to councils yet but most have. Please pay these promptly. Check your emails.....they are there or will be shortly.

Please be patient with us, this process is mostly manual and is time consuming. Want to make our job easier? Sending your council payment in on a timely basis will do just that!

Since this process is manual, some invoices were labeled "Second Notice" when they actually were new charges for the month. We are sorry, but it is difficult to determine for each council - what are new charges and what are not new when the tracking for each separate billing item is performed by a different person.....the billing process just gets dollar amounts for each council and an invoice is generated. We will continue to fine tune the process - so please, if you dispute the invoice amounts - get in touch with us and be civil as we get to the bottom of the issue.

As always, call or email if you have questions or need some other assistance.

Vivat Jesus!

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One New Member, Per Council, Per Month



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Francis the Witness



STATE CHAPLAIN
MOST REVEREND
Blaise Cupich

STATE VICE-CHAPLAIN
VERY REVEREND
Steve Dublinski

Our Holy Father Pope Francis gave an extensive interview, which was published in various Jesuit periodicals, including America in the United States. I was asked by America to do a commentary on the interview, which is posted at <http://americamagazine.org/francis-witness>. This is an excerpt of that piece.

Each of us needs to take the time to reflect on how to respond to this “extemporaneous encyclical,” as the commentator Michael Gerson calls it. But, even now, as a diocesan bishop for fifteen years, I can already identify some areas of my ministry of teaching, sanctifying and governing that will benefit. These initially come to mind:

- 1) Catechesis, preaching and passing on the faith must not only be about educating the members of our communities in the content of our tradition. This is important, but it must equally be about developing their spiritual sensitivity to the ways God manifests His presence and action in the world. Schooling people in the ways of ongoing discernment produces a greater receptivity to the tradition of the Church and at the same time creates the freedom that will make them more responsive to the will of God throughout their lives. This balance is in keeping with the Lord’s great commission: “Go teach and make disciples.”
- 2) Pope Francis’ emphasis on ongoing discernment of the action and will of the ever-merciful One has implications also for our worship and the promotion of communion among Christians. As the source and summit of Christian life, the liturgy needs to be the celebration that reveals His saving and redeeming work taking place through and in the midst of the people called to be His own. Reflecting that aspiration more fully in our multicultural communities makes the task of enculturation all the more urgent.
- 3) Similarly, instead of a minimalist approach to promoting ecumenism by healing differences and reconciling the past, the work of Christian unity becomes foremost an opportunity to look for how God is working in our separated brothers and sisters and “recognize what the Spirit has sown in the other as a gift for us.”
- 4) Collaborative governance needs to be more than calling on the advice and competence of others to make up our episcopal shortcomings. Rather, governance involves seeking how God is revealing his work through others in the community. Rather than limiting our consultation to those with financial and legal abilities, we also need to listen to those who work side by side with the poor each day, and who are on the front lines in health care, education and other fields of ministry. We diminish our effectiveness when we do not call on these brothers and sisters to gain insight before making decisions in these areas. But, even more importantly, we pass up the chance to see how God is working through them and more fully know God’s will.

Francis offers the witness of one who has personally internalized and who himself lives what he preaches or proclaims. This is the essential feature of true evangelization, which Paul VI had in mind in “*Evangelii Nuntiandi*”: “The world needs teachers. But it needs witnesses more than teachers.” The reason is because ultimately it is only the witness who convinces people, not the teacher.

~Submitted by Bishop Blase Cupich
Diocese of Spokane

Pope Francis

On October 13th, Pope Francis will consecrate the world to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Fr. John Hampsch C.M.F. invites everyone to join in the novena in preparation for the consecration by Pope Francis. The following prayer was selected by The Very Rev. Rosendo Urrabazo, the U.S. Provincial Superior of the Claretian Missionaries of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, as the prayer the Claretian's will recite for the novena. The novena will start on October 4th and end on October 12th.

Invocation to Mary, Mother of the Church

*O Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church,
we entrust to you the entire Church.
Remember all your sons and daughters;
make their prayer effective before God;
preserve them solid in faith; strengthen their hope
and increase their charity.*

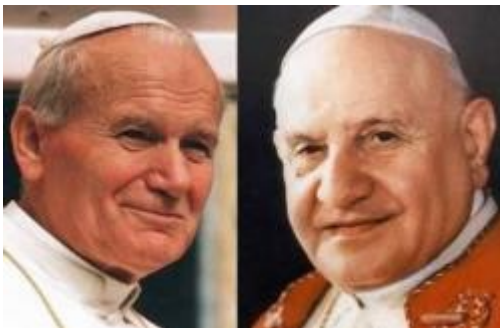
We entrust to your Immaculate Heart the whole human race:

Lead them all to know the one true Savior, Christ Jesus.

*Free them from the punishment of sin.
Grant the whole world true and lasting peace,
in justice, in freedom and in love.
Make the whole Church rise to the God of mercies
a hymn of joy, thanksgiving and rejoicing,
for the wonders the Lord has worked through you,
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Amen.*



Vatican Announcements



Pope Francis on Monday morning held the Public Ordinary Consistory for the forthcoming Canonization of Blessed Pope John XXIII and Blessed Pope John Paul II. During the course of the Consistory in the Vatican's Consistory Hall, the Pope decreed that his two predecessors will be raised to Sainthood on April 27, 2014, the day on which the Church celebrates the Second Sunday of Easter and Divine Mercy.

State Treasurer Message and Forms Reminder



Greetings Brothers,

Way to go on the forms submissions guys! We are only a few months into it and I can see the end on a number of these forms. Thank you for all of your diligence! There are a few more 185's and 365's to chase down and I trust the DDM's and DD's will round these last ones up. The Supreme Council has caught up and is now reporting on those Councils that need to still submit their August Audit (Form1295). You can find that list and the others below. If your Council is still

listed as missing one of the forms, please find the time to accomplish that submission. All of your brothers in Washington are waiting on you. **We want and will get 100% submission!** Remember, if the last few submissions are like pulling teeth, I am a dentist and I am well equipped to do so. God Bless and keep having fun!

FORM 185 OFFICER CHOSEN FOR THE TERM DUE JUNE 30, 2013

The following Councils are late on getting in this most important and first form of the year:

7149, 8266 and 8398 .

FORM 365 SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL REPORT DUE AUG 1, 2013

The following Councils need to submit this form that allows Supreme to communicate with your program personnel for success during the year. Timely submission of this form is a Star Council Requirement.

1379, 1606, 4385, 7149, 8266, 8398, 8437, 11252, 12483, 13186, 13462, 13831 and 13834.

FORM 1295-AUGUST SEMI-ANNUAL COUNCIL AUDIT DUE AUG 15, 2013

The following Councils need to submit their August 2013 Audit. This is one of two audits that your trustees need to complete to keep your Councils financial situation in balance and on solid ground.

766, 1565, 1606, 2126, 2763, 3153, 3455, 4367, 4385, 7117, 7149, 8015, 8079, 8179, 8266, 8398, 10543, 11252, 11611, 12889, 13831, 13834, 14926, 15338, 15684 and 15730.

EXEMPLIFICATION FUND

Praise God! In one billing cycle we have cut the Exemplification Fund in half! We have been getting a **GREAT RESPONSE from the FS's! I commend you for helping us catch up!!!** The State Secretary and I have sent the second monthly bill for State expenses this month and we pray for the continued support from our FS's. We have run into a few errors as we have done this: some ours and some yours. Please stay patient and continue working with us. We are all working for a financially healthy Knights of Columbus Organization here in Washington and this is how to do it!

FS's remember \$7 for each new member you exemplify with the four R's (Reapplications, Readmissions, Reactivations, Reinstatements) and priests at no charge. As always, I will continue to publish what is owed monthly at the back of the bulletin.

God Bless!

Bob-ST

Your first hour of the week goes to Jesus! After that hour at Mass on Saturday or Sunday, are you spending the other 167 hours wisely?

The Wizard of Washington presents:



Uncle Bob's Night-time Fable



Once upon a time, a long time ago, a wise old State Deputy thought it would be nice to save Grand Knights the postage they spent on mailing all of the **copies of forms** they needed to send to him. So the wise old State Deputy placed a mail box for that purpose at the front desk of the State Convention and Summer Meeting. Everyone in the kingdom was happy, especially the Grand Knights.

As time went on, the Grand Knights started to put **original forms that should have been mailed to Supreme** in that box, and the overworked and somewhat careless State Treasurers started to lose these forms. Then the Grand Knights missed their awards and everyone in the kingdom was sad.

Lucky for the kingdom, a handsome young State Treasurer issued a proclamation to remind everyone in the kingdom how to use that little white mailbox that sits on the front desk of the State Convention and Summer Meeting. It read:

Hear ye! Hear ye!

From now on only place copies of forms in the white mail box.

Send the original to the Supreme Council.

All that heard the proclamation rejoiced at this wisdom and they all lived happily ever after...especially the Grand Knights.

Sleep tight, my brother Knights, Sleep tight!
Uncle Bob-ST



Message from General Program Director



MEMBERSHIP PROMOTES PROGRAMS,
PROGRAMS PROMOTE MEMBERSHIP!!!!

Do you see? Do you get it?



It is a blessing to see all the Monthly Service Reports indicating the great work our councils are doing around the State. Here is a sampling:

- Made box lunches for Special Olympians.
- 40 Knights & 250 Parishioners facilitated installation of seat cushions at Husky Stadium.
- 50th Wedding Anniversary party for a Life Member.
- Member runs a "Caregiver Support Group" that is open to the public.
- Member runners participate in a Vocation Marathon.
- Jazz Walk for community in support of Parish.
- Visited member Knight celebrating his last radiation for tumors.
- Council donated \$11,000 for the Ultrasound Initiative.
- Held Salmon & Oyster BBQ and installed new officers.

We have councils that have participated in "Habitat for Humanity" and "Coats for Kids" this month. It's that time of year when coats are needed. Consider getting involved with this most worthy program.

I have 70 councils submitting their Monthly Service Reports under the Grand Knight 1000 Club program. 70 is good, but 100 would be better. Remember, the Monthly Service Report is a tool for your council in filing your RSVP, Food for Families Reimbursement and Columbian Award when they are due. Remember; if possible please submit your report via our website under forms (GK 1000 Club).

It's also that time of year when all councils should be accumulating data for their Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity report (Form 1728) due January 31st. The report is based on activity conducted from January 1st through December 31st. As our Worthy Supreme Vice President of Membership Growth, Lou Barbour, said, "This is the most important report of the year and each council should file this report whatever their level of charitable contributions or hours of voluntary service".

The Fraternal Survey Reports is one tool in retaining our Non Profit status as a Fraternal Order and is used in promoting the Knights of Columbus around the world. Please take this duty serious, our Order depends on it. God Bless you all and keep those Monthly Service Reports coming.

Kim Washburn
State Warden/Program Director

GK 1000 Club participants

The list of councils participating in the GK 1000 Club can be found on page 29 in the bulletin.



Message from Membership Director



Dear Brothers in Christ,

Remember the **POWER of ONE!** Every leader across our jurisdiction should set a good example for council members and personally recruit **ONE New Member** to make his council stronger. This doesn't just apply to council officers, each district deputy and state council officer, director, and chairman should recruit a new Knight! I personally challenge each of you to be good role models and do your part to meet and exceed this challenge during this Fall Church drive season.



For more information about the Officer Challenge Incentive Program can be found under "Membership Incentives" at: <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/officers/index.html>

Gentlemen, as you ponder a Church Drive this month, here are a few facts for you to think about:

88% of new members join to get more involved in their parishes

90% of members, who allow their membership to lapse, do so because no one called then and asked for their help

43% of members generally let their membership lapse within their first 2 to 3 years as a knight.

When you recruit a new member, you have someone who wants to be involved. *Treat him with respect and be attentive to his interests and ideas.* Your membership success will revolve around on how effective you are in getting each and every one of your new members involved in your council. An important ingredient to accomplishing this involves an effective and active admission committee. Your committee should:

- Preferably be chaired by your Chancellor with support by one or more of your PGKs or experienced Knights.
- Ensure that every new prospect has a committed proposer.
- Make sure that every proposer has the right information and/or training about his responsibilities before he approaches a new prospect. A new member's proposer should become his mentor and be his personal guide to getting involved in council projects and activities that are right for him.
- Work with each proposer to ensure that every new prospect meets the basic requirements for becoming a knight before he joins.
- Once he becomes a knight, use the admission questionnaire (Form #391) as a standard way to solicit the interest of your new members and connect them to your council projects and activities
- Monitor the progress of every new member and the efforts of his Mentor toward achieving the Shining Armor award and his overall involvement your council
- Encourage each new member to advance in our Order and receive 2nd and 3rd degrees

Organize your admission's committee as soon as possible so you can effectively assist your new members integrate into your council family.

Finally, I received an e-mail just today after our membership newsletter for October went out with a reminder from one of our thoughtful brothers about the *Importance of Prayer*. As Knights, this is a critical element in all that we do, especially when it comes to our efforts on membership growth. Please start every gathering with a prayer for all of your current members, both active and inactive, especially for your new members, and the success of your council programs, including your program of membership growth.

Vivat Jesus

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Has your council recruited

ONE MEMBER ... PER COUNCIL ... PER MONTH !

Just a reminder to check out the Supreme –Wide "**Membership Fall Harvest Incentive**" in this Issue. This is Supreme Program where council participation in the Fall Church Drive can assist our State Council to compete with other jurisdictions for Order-wide prizes.

The more councils we have participating in October Church Drives, the better the chance that Washington State can finish within the top three places of each division. Your help and active participation in a Fall Church drive would be greatly appreciated by our WSD.

Also I trust that you're reading our monthly Membership News letter. The October 2013 issue is found on the Membership webpage at <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Membership/2013-2014/Newsletters/Oct.pdf>

I encourage you to continue to provide your feedback. Your comments, thoughts, and ideas about promoting membership growth in your Council and Districts are very much appreciated.

October 1, 2013 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
Division I - < 50 members					Division II - 50-99 members (continued)				
1606	46	4	0	0.0%	8150	98	6	0	0.0%
1823	49	4	0	0.0%	8297	97	7	0	0.0%
3044	40	4	0	0.0%	8311	88	6	0	0.0%
7149	41	4	0	0.0%	8398	61	4	0	0.0%
8266	46	4	0	0.0%	8437	76	5	0	0.0%
9605	45	4	0	0.0%	8455	83	6	0	0.0%
11085	43	4	0	0.0%	8672	92	6	0	0.0%
11736	42	4	0	0.0%	8768	85	6	0	0.0%
12002	42	4	0	0.0%	9145	80	5	0	0.0%
12420	41	4	1	25.0%	9237	51	4	0	0.0%
12483	41	4	0	0.0%	9617	89	6	0	0.0%
12889	43	4	0	0.0%	9637	54	4	0	0.0%
13422	45	4	0	0.0%	9721	54	4	0	0.0%
13462	40	4	0	0.0%	9910	62	4	3	75.0%
13761	47	4	0	0.0%	9941	56	4	0	0.0%
13831	30	4	0	0.0%	10532	72	5	2	40.0%
13834	37	4	0	0.0%	10534	59	4	-8	0.0%
14162	44	4	2	50.0%	10652	86	5	1	20.0%
14268	45	4	-2	0.0%	10664	58	4	0	0.0%
14510	34	4	0	0.0%	11252	68	5	0	0.0%
14852	49	4	1	25.0%	11253	77	5	0	0.0%
15338	26	4	0	0.0%	11357	76	5	-2	0.0%
15462	26	4	3	75.0%	11408	81	5	0	0.0%
15538	35	4	1	25.0%	11611	77	5	1	20.0%
15684	21	4	3	75.0%	11642	98	7	0	0.0%
15689	22	4	1	25.0%	11906	60	4	0	0.0%
15721	30	4	0	0.0%	12175	52	4	0	0.0%
15730	22	4	9	225.0%	12251	54	4	0	0.0%
Division II - 50-99 members					12273	91	6	2	33.3%
1401	91	6	1	16.7%	12786	95	7	0	0.0%
1449	59	4	0	0.0%	13186	85	6	0	0.0%
1629	86	6	-5	0.0%	13364	54	4	0	0.0%
1674	63	4	6	150.0%	13395	76	5	4	80.0%
1758	63	4	2	50.0%	13597	55	4	0	0.0%
2155	78	5	0	0.0%	13606	69	5	0	0.0%
2260	91	6	-4	0.0%	13794	86	6	1	16.7%
5177	75	5	1	20.0%	14046	76	5	1	20.0%
5495	87	6	0	0.0%	14394	55	4	0	0.0%
6706	80	5	0	0.0%	14689	93	7	1	14.3%
7117	76	5	1	20.0%	14922	69	5	-1	0.0%
7360	77	5	0	0.0%	14926	55	4	2	50.0%
8102	90	6	0	0.0%	15136	83	6	0	0.0%
8136	76	5	-4	0.0%	15143	55	4	0	0.0%

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Division III - 100-149 members					13374	148	10	-10	0.0%
829	131	8	1	12.5%	13560	103	7	0	0.0%
894	133	8	0	0.0%	Division IV - 150-249 members				
1460	133	9	0	0.0%	683	230	15	0	0.0%
1488	118	8	0	0.0%	809	238	15	0	0.0%
1550	113	7	0	0.0%	1327	155	10	0	0.0%
1565	132	8	1	12.5%	1379	215	14	1	7.1%
1699	100	7	0	0.0%	1545	152	10	0	0.0%
2103	132	9	0	0.0%	1620	151	10	4	40.0%
2126	110	7	1	14.3%	2999	179	12	2	16.7%
2303	103	7	0	0.0%	3361	237	15	0	0.0%
2763	140	9	0	0.0%	3598	223	14	1	7.1%
3153	123	9	0	0.0%	4196	162	11	0	0.0%
3455	143	10	0	0.0%	4385	183	12	0	0.0%
3611	106	7	-1	0.0%	4782	191	12	1	8.3%
3645	121	8	0	0.0%	5816	190	12	0	0.0%
4322	134	8	2	25.0%	6097	230	16	0	0.0%
4367	137	9	0	0.0%	6686	190	13	0	0.0%
6806	120	8	1	12.5%	7642	224	15	0	0.0%
7356	100	7	0	0.0%	7908	172	12	4	33.3%
7863	137	9	1	11.1%	8137	150	10	0	0.0%
7907	128	9	1	11.1%	8201	163	11	-15	0.0%
8015	101	7	0	0.0%	8476	168	12	-10	0.0%
8079	104	7	6	85.7%	8872	182	13	0	0.0%
9434	149	10	4	40.0%	9238	208	14	0	0.0%
9664	128	9	0	0.0%	10653	173	12	0	0.0%
9833	132	9	0	0.0%	11134	163	11	1	9.1%
10543	103	7	0	0.0%	11217	167	12	1	8.3%
11478	107	7	0	0.0%	12983	169	12	3	25.0%
11762	127	9	-11	0.0%	Division V - >250 members				
11780	101	7	2	28.6%	676	333	18	-10	0.0%
11789	112	7	1	14.3%	763	347	23	0	0.0%
11948	137	9	0	0.0%	766	278	18	0	0.0%
12583	109	8	0	0.0%	1643	372	24	1	4.2%
12591	113	7	0	0.0%	3307	342	22	1	4.5%
12899	130	9	2	22.2%	7528	314	22	2	9.1%
13238	108	7	8	114.3%	8179	286	19	5	26.3%
5177	75	5	1	20.0%	14046	76	5	1	20.0%
5495	87	6	0	0.0%	14394	55	4	0	0.0%
6706	80	5	0	0.0%	14689	93	7	1	14.3%
7117	76	5	1	20.0%	14922	69	5	-1	0.0%
7360	77	5	0	0.0%	14926	55	4	2	50.0%
8102	90	6	0	0.0%	15136	83	6	0	0.0%
8136	76	5	-4	0.0%	15143	55	4	0	0.0%

Legislative Advocacy Program

KCIC



LEGISLATIVE LIAISON REPORT

Brothers All: Do you or your spouse have an interest in becoming more involved in the Pro-Life movement, and "March for Life" in Olympia? Do you have an interest in participating in the "Public Square" as called by Pope Francis? This training educates you on how "Olympia" works!

The training I note below is a special **Olympia 101** training session to prepare pro-life advocates for the March for Life event in January. Regular Olympia 101 sessions are scheduled when Congress is in session to enable participants to meet with their legislators. Regular sessions will begin again in January. I attended a regular session this past spring. I learned that our legislators are just like us, regular citizens from all walks of life. They are in Olympia to serve us, and they need our input. They urge us to sign up for their newsletters, respond with emails, and visit them, too. Stephen Czerwinka, Legislative Liaison

SPECIAL OLYMPIA 101 TRAINING State Capitol Campus in Olympia October 29, 2013

Olympia 101 is the Family Policy Institute of Washington (FPIW) signature citizen orientation training to inform, equip, and mobilize ordinary citizens for purposeful, authentic, and effective action in support of good public policy in Washington State. Olympia 101 accomplishes this by offering citizens the opportunity to learn about their state government through a unique on-site, real-time dynamic experience that uses the Capitol Campus as its "classroom".

This special FREE Olympia 101 training, on Oct 29th, will prepare Pro-Life Citizens to March for Life beyond the Capitol steps. Upon completion, participants will not only know how to navigate the campus and the legislative process, but they will also know how to productively march through the door of their lawmakers' offices as effective advocates for Life, and how to maintain that relationship for the long term.

Two Training Options Available:

Morning: 8:30am-11:30am

Afternoon: 1:30pm-4:30pm

Morning and afternoon training sessions are the same. People do not need to participate in both. Each training session is limited to 50 participants. More information will be provided upon registration.

To register, simply go to the FPIW Website at www.fpiw.org; click on the Events tab - a drop down box will appear - click on "Olympia 101"; and click on the *Register Here* link under the Special Interim Training Opportunities for Pro-Life Advocates section.

Hosted by the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women and facilitated FREE of charge by the Family Policy Institute of Washington. The Family Policy Institute of Washington is a non-profit, non-partisan organization dedicated to promoting public policy that recognizes the significance and sanctity of the family in Washington State.

A special thanks to all the Councils that have already participated in the Keep Christ in Christmas (KCIC) Program this year. As Christians, Catholics, and Knights of Columbus, it is our responsibility to Keep Christ in Christmas. One of the ways to easily promote our Catholic faith and not bow to political correctness is to send Religious Christmas cards to our family and friends.

I encourage all Councils who are not already participating to get involved. The purpose of this program is Evangelization, spreading the meaning of Christmas by Keeping Christ in Christmas, not selling the cards to raise money. The side benefit, of course, may be a net profit for a charitable cause, but that is not what you want to promote. Be innovative, the cards are non-denominational, they could be sold to other Churches, businesses, friends, etc.

I would recommend that you start your sales immediately. St. Thomas More Council 11134 began sales 2 weeks ago, and they have been very successful. Promoting the KCIC Program demonstrates, in a visible way, the Knights of Columbus principles of Charity and Unity. Thank you again for your support of this Program.

Please use the copy of the 2013 Council Order Form shown on pages 25 and 26 in the bulletin.

Ron Lawrence
Chairman, KCIC Program

Membership Update

Congratulations to the following Councils and Grand Knights for exceeding their annual membership goals during the first quarter of the Fraternal Year.

James T. Quigg Council 1674 (Hoquiam)
GK Patrick McGuire 150% of goal

St. Charles Borromeo Council 13238 (Tacoma)
GK Stephen Lawrence 114.3% of goal

Bishop Blanchet Council 15730 (Vancouver)
GK Robert Schwarz 225% of goal

Well Done, Grand Knights!!!! Outstanding Work!!

Upcoming 4th Degree Events

Flyers on 4th degree Exemplifications are located on pages 31-32 in the bulletin. An Honor Guard request is located on page 23.

District Master's Message (East)



Worthy Faithful Navigators, Grand Knights, and Brothers All of the Eastern District of Washington:

In the month of September I have installed seven assemblies and have scheduled five more for the month of October; however, that leaves four others that are in need of having their officers installed.

Fourth Degree Exemplifications are scheduled as follows:

JANUARY 25	YAKIMA
FEBRUARY 8	CLARKSTON
MARCH 1	MOSES LAKE
APRIL 12	CHEWELAH
MAY	SPOKANE
JUNE 14	WENATCHEE

To assist us in meeting our 10% membership quota, six 4th Degree Exemplifications have been planned in the fraternal year 2013-2014. The first of these will be held in Spokane on January 25, 2014.

Please visit the councils that are assigned to your Assembly and ask all third degree members to participate in the upcoming 4th degree exemplification in your area. Remember that there is no time limit between your 1st degree and taking the 4th degree. The six months time limit has been done away with.

Tom Sokol
Master

District Master's Message (West)



Hello Brothers

We have two degrees before the end of the year. So now is the time to give your Assembly's an early Christmas gift and recruit a bunch of fourth Degree candidates for them.

In the upcoming months my Marshals and I are going to be doing regional 4th Degree meetings with the emphasis on getting information of new programs and changes in the 4th degree to the Assemblies in a more hands-on manner.

This is open to all 4th degree members and 3rd degree members, I say 3rd because this could be a good recruitment tool to get more 4th degree members in the order. I would like to hold 6-9 of these meetings. They should not take longer than 2 hours and we will also do Color Corps and Honor Guard Certification.

And Brothers, don't worry about another meeting, because everyone who knows me knows that I'll keep it lively and I won't make it boring.

If you would like one in your area just call and we will set up a date to do it for your area.

As always, Brothers, keep the 4th In your Hearts, In your thoughts and on your Lips.

Together we can make this district the best in the order

Eugene Daly
Master 4th Degree

An Honor Guard request is located on page 23.

Is your piety, patience and perseverance getting results? If not, take bold action!

Ceremonials

Wayne C. Hogan, VSM, PSD
State Ceremonial Chairman

As we begin the new fraternal year of 2013-2014, I congratulate the newly appointed district deputies and elected grand knights and council officers on their appointment and election. Know that you received your office because your brother knights and the WSC leadership have confidence in you and your ability to lead Washington to a very successful 2013-2014. With your help, I look forward to a very productive year in ceremonials.

However, before looking forward we need to acknowledge those outgoing district deputies, grand knights, council members and especially the first, second and third degree ceremonialists who made fraternal year 2012-2013 a very successful year in ceremonials, recognizing we have some areas that still need attention.

We had five outstanding first degree teams compete in the First Degree Team Ceremonial Competition, Spokane Council 8137, Kennewick Council 8179, Olympia Council 1643, Seattle Council 676 and Bremerton Council 1379.

At the State Convention the traveling award which has all the previous first placed teams listed was presented to Bremerton Council 1379, the first place council in the First Degree Team Ceremonial Competition, who will retain the award until the same time next year. The second award was presented to the council for them to retain and cites them as the 'Best of the Best' in 2013. The team members and their positions are engraved. Also, each team member was presented with an individual certificate.

We also recognized the top individual ceremonialists which were selected by their highest scores with individual certificate. For the Grand Knight position it is Mike Donohue from Seattle Council 676. For the Deputy Grand Knight position it is John Devine from Bremerton Council 1379. For the Chancellor position it is Tommy Rosati from Bremerton Council 1379. For the Financial Secretary position it is Ed Herbert, Sr. from Bremerton Council 1379. For the Warden position it is Ed Lapinski from St. Thomas More Council 8137.

These three councils, Seattle 676, Bremerton 1379 and Spokane 8137 were recognized by these outstanding ceremonialists. We will continue this recognition again this year, however, with specially designed plaques. We hope to have them at the Summer Leadership Meeting.

We had three districts; Districts 2, 8 and 33 achieve major accomplishments in the area of second degree. District 2, District Deputy Tommy Rosati, who was the team DD, was moving to Virginia. He recruited and trained his replacement. The new team DD, Mathew Hogg was certified as well as a backup Warden, Thomas Collier and two Financial Secretaries, Robert Casey and William Smith.

District 8's second degree team members who have served with distinction for many years retired. District Deputy Kurt Zimmerman reconstructed his district's second degree team. The team members are: District Deputy Kurt Zimmerman, Grand Knight Joseph Shea, Chancellor David Buckley, Warden Ed Cenzone, Financial Secretary Gregory Johnson and Inside Guard Scott Butcher. Their performance during the evaluation degree was outstanding and they were certified.

District 33, Second Degree Team Captain Ed Broadhurst and District Deputy Dean Proszek recruited and trained the second degree team. The second degree team members are: District Deputy: Dean Proszek, Grand Knight: Ed Broadhurst, Financial Secretary: Ed Parazoo (State Secretary) Chancellor: Dr. Ramon Canto, Warden: Dwane MaKinson and Inside Guard Ron Christian. The team conducted an outstanding evaluation second degree on May 30 and was certified. The team changed its name from Northeast Second Degree Team to SFC Wyatt Goldsmith Second Degree Team to honor a brother sir knight who on his third deployment to Afghanistan was killed in action on July 15, 2011.

Also, in 2012-2013, District 15, District Deputy Renato Sacramento hosted, for the first time in Washington, a third degree in conjunction with a Corporate Mass. The Celebrant, during Mass, acknowledged the great work the Knights do for the Church and then joined the candidates receiving his third degree.

Even with these outstanding accomplishments, we experienced areas that need improvement, such as every council conducting a first degree every month, those districts that have been issued their second degree books need to recruit, train and have their second degree team certified. The participation by the councils of the third degrees must be increased. We had far too many third degrees with less than ten candidates and sometimes even fewer knights attending. These issues can and must be changed, but that requires the active participation of the councils and their leadership and especially the district deputies who are the key to the success of Washington.

Family Chairman's Message



"Who lives there in that old gray house down the middle of the block ?

"Oh, that's where the old Knights of Columbus guy and his wife live."

"Just two old people?"

They never talked a lot with words but they knew each other very well. They always showed much affection for each other, but certainly not in public, they were "Old School." Neither would not have thought it proper for people their age. They had a great love for each other and as the years passed the feeling grew into a oneness, a feeling of total belonging.



Lately, the only ones on earth they still seemed of use to were each other. He went for the mail and took out the garbage and went to the pharmacy to get her medicine. She cooked his food and mended his clothes and she was always there. They both felt a deep unspoken reliance on each other. Their age which set them apart from most other things was actually bringing them even closer together. No one else really knew all that they had been through. No one could possibly understand what they had shared. Neither would have ever thought of going through life without the other

They were frail now, very fragile, life was slipping away. The priest could see it when he made a visit. Father Tim met the local Grand Knight latter after his house call and told him that the council's oldest living member and his wife were getting very feeble. "I'm thinking they may not last much longer."

They knew it themselves in a very quiet way. They had given up one thing after another -- going to church, trips to town, his council meetings. Last Sunday afternoon as they were sitting in their living room, there was a knock on the front door.....

Epilogue: When they buried the old man, his wife and daughter had both insisted that the "Family Award" his council's grand knight presented to them in their living room on the old knight's last Sunday, be buried with him, his tears were still on it. The old man and his wife died within five days of one another, "I can't keep him waiting for me," were the last words she said to her daughter.

Brothers don't keep your honored Knights waiting, they are more than

JUST OLD PEOPLE!

Please use the Family Program to publically recognize these men and their families within your councils, they belong in your **Council's Hall of Fame!**

**STEVE SNELL, DDM, FDD, PFN, PGK
STATE FAMILYCHAIRMAN**

FOOD FOR FAMILIES



Feeding the hungry is one of the corporal works of mercy. When we have in our communities, people who do not have enough to eat, remember that is Jesus who is hungry. The need to feed the hungry is growing.

The "Food for Families" program encourages councils to feed those in need with a community dinner or conduct a food drive at your council, parish, or supermarket and donate to a food pantry or soup kitchen

As Knights we are asking **you to be there** for those in need by using the Food for Families Program. **Please!**

"LET'S MULTIPLY THE LOAVES!"

QUESTIONS – Contact me, (509-386-3462) or stevesnell@charter.net

STEVE SNELL, DDM, FDD, PFN, PGK -- STATE FAMILY CHAIRMAN

Tootsie Roll



Brother Knights,

Even as I write this article, several of our local councils have begun their Tootsie Roll Drives. So we have begun our 3rd year of "Helping People With Disabilities" using the Tootsie Roll Program. Keeping prayer in your daily life is important and so it is with our programs. Right now is the most intense time of the year for this program. However, praying for its success is only part of that needed prayer. Don't forget to pray for those who will be touched by this program both now and in the years to come.

The need is great. But we are, through our faith in Jesus, able to do great things. Look how far Fr. Michael J. McGivney's dream has grown and flourished. All through Prayer, Works, and the Word.

Good Luck on your Tootsie Roll Drives, God Bless you for your Works, and contact me if you need anything.

Remember, all forms and procedures are in the Tootsie Roll Manuel and can be found at www.columbuscharities.net.

We are not just knights. We are Knights of Columbus. Saving Lives and Changing Lives for 131 Years.

He Is Risen,

Patrick Kerley, State Chair, Tootsie Roll Program

509-280-4788

tootsieroller@koc-wa.org

p.s. - Even some of the Baemmert family (State Treasurer) seems to changing their allegiance from the Dark Side of the Force to the Good side of the Force. I'm sorry, Bob. What hat will Bob wear in the next article?



SILVER KNIGHT AWARDS

Congratulations to Silver Knight Awardees for September 2013:

Edgardo M Liloc Lakewood 4322

Romy B. Ablao, PGK PFN FDD FIC
Chairman, Member Development West
(206) 399-3515



FAMILY OF MONTH

We extend our congratulations to the families in their selection by the Supreme Council as "Family of the Month" August 2013

Family of:

David & Virginia Gates Bremerton 1379

Donald & Anita Hunter Stanwood 8476

16 Washington Councils participated in this program for May 2013. Thank you for your efforts.

Tootsie Roll Benefactors

Does your council need ideas for Benefactors to receive funds from the Tootsie Roll Program?

In 2012, the Tootsie Roll program was expanded with regards to whom we could provide funds from our efforts. Some councils may not be aware of this. The list below are some of the recipients from 2012.

2012 Washington State Tootsie Roll Benefactors

ARC - King County
ARC Clark County
ARC of Olympia
ARC of TriCities Foundation
ARC Spokane
Bangsund Dwelling Place NFP
Birth to Three
Camp Prime Time, Inc.
Catholic Family and Child Service Tri-Cities
CC - Special Olympics
Children's Development Center
Chinook Enterprises
Cornerstone Community
Disabled Am Veterans
Enumclaw Reg. Healthcare Foundation
Fisher House Foundation
Holly Ridge Center, Inc.
House of Charity
KC Help
L'Arche of Spokane
Life Works-Longview
Morningside
NAMI - National Alliance on Mental illness

2012 Washington State Tootsie Roll Benefactors

NAMI - So. King County
Northshore Wranglers
NW Assn Blind Athletes
Parent to Parent Buddy Walk
Partners Community Living
Partners Living Bernadette Pl
PAVE
People First
Rainier Therapeutic Riding
Rex Ministry
Skagit Pre-School Association
Special Needs Advocacy Parents
Special Olympics - East Region
Special Olympics Clallam County
Special Olympics Seattle
Special Olympics WA
Special Olympics Western WA
Special. Olympics Richland
Spokane Guild School
Strides Therapeutic Horsemanship Center
TACID
Terry Home, Inc.
Upper Valley Connection

Community Chairman's Message



On behalf of the State Deputy, George Czerwonka, and his entire staff, it is my great privilege and honor to announce that St. Joseph Council # 8872 of Colbert, WA has been awarded Second Place for fraternal year 2012-2013 in the Community International Service Awards for their musical adaptation of "The Wizard of Oz" at the recent National Convention held in San Antonio, TX. The council's parish priest is Father Tim Hays and the Grand Knight was Art Smalley.

The Order's "Surge ...with Service" program encourages Knights to respond to the needs of their local parish, their communities, their council, their families, the unborn and youth. This superb council stood out among this Order's "best of the best".

Words are barely adequate to describe the passion, energy, enthusiasm, work, effort, skill and talent that this group of dedicated and spirit-filled men put into this community-based "labor of love."

Council #8872 had three objectives when they set out to accomplish this arduous task; first of all to assist Catholic Charities of Spokane in feeding the poor by raising \$5-\$6000, secondly to raise community awareness of the continuing need and requirement that Catholic Charities has to feed the poor and lastly to continue to build camaraderie within the council by working together in a "labor of love."

This council met their objective and then some. Seventy-eight (78) Knights worked approximately 2000 hours constructing 15 separate sets, a stage, lighting, costumes, props and music in order to conduct this play. Additionally, they conducted 7 lengthy rehearsals over the course of 7 weeks and spent \$2000 ... most of which came from council member donations ... in order to complete this massive project. In the end, this fabulous project generated \$5800 for Catholic Charities, garnered this state's 1st Place Community Service Award as well as the accolades of this country's largest fraternal organization.

This council's project is an example to us all. It shows what leadership, teamwork and member involvement can accomplish in a very short period of time in a supreme act of charity. Additionally, it must be noted, that this is the third top five finishes in this award category that Council #8872 has been awarded at the international level in the last three years! This is an unbelievable accomplishment that probably is unsurpassed by any other council within this order.

This award reflects highly on the council, its leadership and the entire Colbert community for embracing this project by their attendance at this production. Brother Knights, please take a moment in the near future to congratulate this extraordinary council and its membership whenever you see Fr. Tim Hays, Art Smalley or any of their council members. You have all made us very proud.

Vivat Jesus!
Ron Girkins
Community Chairman

Knights Gear Available online

The Knights of Columbus Gift catalog is now available on line. You can order merchandise directly by going to <https://www.knightsgear.com/> or look for the KnightsGear logo on the homepage at kofc.org. There is a complete selection of apparel, sports items and things for home and office.



Council Chairman's Message



Where are they now....

Part 2

We have found a "lost" priest and I have leads on several others that I am following up on. Please take a look at the list from the September bulletin and see if you know the priest. Please let me know if you have any leads on their whereabouts.

Does your council send out Birthday and Wedding cards? That's one additional mailing and two if the member is married. How simple a program, but the rewards can be tremendous. The cards go out First Class. In the return address area put the words Address Service Requested. If the mail is forwarded, you can obtain the new address for a mere \$.50. What a small price to pay to keep your records current.

We currently have over 350 "lost" members with bad addresses. Does your council have any bad addresses? Contact your Financial Secretary to find out and offer to help find our "lost" members.

I can be reached at Council@kofc-wa.org

Let's pray to Fr. Michael J. McGivney that we can find those "lost" members.

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD
State Council Chairman
Council@kofc-wa.org

FS Trainers Tips and Tricks for FS, GK and Council Officers

Questions of the Month.

1. Can we set up debit cards for officers to use with the Council account? **The short answer is "No" and the point of reference on this is under the Financial Issues topic in Officers Desk reference in MM/MB. All funds advanced must be on voucher through the FS.**
2. How do I get to the Officers Desk Reference? **Go to <https://www.kofc.org/au/oo/guidance.do>**
3. How do we account for PayPal and swipe fees if we permit Debt card transactions at events? **Because these are direct charges to the bank account (or netted from the check to the council), these should be handled as bank charges, non-cash, and accounted for by the Treasurer in the bank reconciliation.**

We are seeing more examples of acceptance by Supreme of scanned, emailed documents. Some of those are scans of the Account adjustment for transfer, supply orders, scans of Form 100's to update records such as death notices, degree changes and address changes (although the transaction itself can simply be done by updating Member Management records). Just be sure to explain in the email what you are attempting to do/change and make sure it is going to the right department.

We are having positive impact on updating bad addresses for members. Remember to review your current roster once a month for the asterisk that indicates a member's incorrect address. We have created a one page guide to help prevent and/or find missing members. If you have this issue, send me an email and I will forward the info to you. Recently, I have found six missing members using Facebook to search for them. We currently have 368 members in the State Council for whom we do not have current addresses. We need to all be proactive in prevention and active in efforts to locate.

A minor change in MM/MB has been made. If you are an FS and FC, you can be in MM or MB as FS and move directly to the same location in your Assembly without going back to home page.

If you have a question, email or call. A couple of guys are here to help. David Konzek/Ed Broadhurst
FSconsultant@kofc-wa.org

Vocations Chairman's Message



PENNIES FOR HEAVEN

I have been asked many times what the Pennies For Heaven money is for. And to tell you the truth, I got it wrong. Even I was under a false assumption about the program. The true story is:

It began two thousand years ago in Bethlehem with the birth of a son . . . Okay, fast forward!

The Pennies For Heaven program in the State of Washington began in 1959 because of a concern about the support of vocations. The State Deputy and several Grand Knights came up with the idea of "A Penny-A-Day and a Prayer-A-Day" for vocations. Thus was born the Pennies For Heaven Fund.

Pennies (dimes, quarters and dollars) are collected in the Pennies For Heaven Barrel at the end of each council meeting. In addition, councils are encouraged to ask for a donation of \$3.65 (a penny a day) included with each year dues. This is not a levy, it is a donation and when you receive your annual statement due, it is a suggested amount. Councils may give more, or only the amount actually collected. The Delegates to the State Convention bring their accumulated Pennies For Heaven and participate in the Pennies Parade.

All of the Pennies are then divided annually among the Bishops of Washington State for the education of their seminarians. In consultation with the Bishops, in 1976 it was decided that half of the money collected would be deposited in long term investments. The other half would be given to the Bishops to use in their diocese for the education of seminarians. In 2011, the trust fund exceeded 1.25 million dollars. Interest from the fund is annually distributed to the bishops.

This past year, the Pennies For Heaven Funds were divided into four disbursements with \$25,000 going to each of the diocese of Washington and \$25,000 going to Bishop White Seminary to help reduce the mortgage.

What many of us forget is the second half of the "Pennies For Heaven" program which is "A Prayer-A-Day" for vocations and for the life of the church.

Let us Pray!

Tim Coyle
Vocations Chairman

Retention Chairman's Message



How to Recruit Former Members

(Copied from the April 2013 KNIGHTLINE Newsletter)

Former Knights are men who are familiar with the ideals of Columbianism. They left the Order at one time but represent a pool of prospects that councils should not overlook in striving for membership growth.

Appoint a special "Welcome Back Brother" committee that has the specific task of recruiting former members. Past grand knights familiar with circumstances of earlier departures are especially suited.

- Obtain a list of "Former Members" (those who took withdrawals or suspensions) and "Inactive Insurance Members" (those who took Withdrawal/suspensions but maintain K of C Insurance Policies) from the Department of Fraternal Services by calling 203-752-4247 or 203-752-4473. Check with your financial secretary for additional names and most recent addresses.
- Review the list to determine former members known to be residing in the area and eligible for membership.
- Prepare a presentation for former members highlighting changes, new programs/activities/benefits and recent council achievements.
- Contact each former member by phone to arrange a personal visit or invite them to a reception for former members.
- If conducting a "Welcome Back" or former-member reception, use the open house procedures. Be sure to invite your Chaplain and insurance agent to speak at the event.
- Refer to the Grand Knights Handbook (#915), Membership Procedures section, for proper procedures when recruiting former members.
- Ask every former member that's visited or those at the reception to sign a Membership Document (#100) to renew membership.

Note: Reactivating inactive insurance members qualifies the council for both membership and insurance additions toward Father McGivney and Founder's Awards.

Note: Reinstatements, readmissions or reapplications qualify the council for membership additions for the Father McGivney Award.

Supreme Membership Contest



Knights of Columbus
One Member, Per Council, Per Month
Membership Fall Harvest
October 1 – October 31

One Member, Per Council, Per Month, just think what could be accomplished if every active council could recruit at least one member every month.

Someone once said that the road to success starts with the first step, so our activity in July, August and September has us traveling down that road already. In October, let's see how many councils in your jurisdiction can recruit at least one member.

So here is how the contest works. Within your division the jurisdiction who has the highest percentage of councils recruiting at least one member during October wins.

The more councils you get to participate in the October Church Drive the better your chances to finish within the top three of your division.

Prizes for first, second, third and a bonus prize are listed on the back of this letter. However the key to success is,

"One Member, Per Council, Per Month"

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Guidelines

Division 1 and 2 - During the month of October if your jurisdiction has the highest percentage of councils recruiting at least one member, your jurisdiction will receive \$750.00. 2nd place will receive \$500.00 and 3rd place will receive a total of \$250.00.*

BONUS – If your jurisdiction attains at least 10% of its Membership Intake Quota, your jurisdiction will receive an additional \$750.00 even if you are not in the top three of your division.*

Division 3 and 4 - During the month of October if your jurisdiction has the highest percentage of councils recruiting at least one member, your jurisdiction will receive \$500.00. 2nd place will receive \$300.00 and 3rd place will receive \$100.00.*

BONUS – If your jurisdiction attains at least 10% of its Membership Intake Quota, your jurisdiction will receive an additional \$500.00 even if you are not in the top three of your division.*

Division 5 and 6 - During the month of October if your jurisdiction has the highest percentage of councils recruiting at least one member, your jurisdiction will receive the amount of \$250.00. 2nd place will receive a total of \$150.00 and 3rd place will receive a total of \$50.00.*

BONUS – If your jurisdiction attains at least 10% of its Membership Intake Quota, your jurisdiction will receive an additional \$250.00 even if you are not in the top three of your division.*

**In order to be eligible for the awards, your jurisdiction must be NET/NET Positive for October.*

VOCARE (Latin, To Call)

Mission Statement

Inspired by the Gospel and guided by the Catholic faith, we promote, encourage and facilitate the participation of the laity in the public square.

What is Vocare? Vocare is a gathering of lay people from across Washington State that promotes, encourages, and facilitates greater participation in the public square. Vocare participants are guided by the values and principles of the Catholic Church, teaching and traditions, and they welcome everyone. Vocare is non-partisan and does not fundraise.

Vocare participants strive to combine their efforts to have a greater and stronger voice on the important issues coming before us in our state. I attended the first Vocare gathering in Spokane this past month. Although I am the "Legislative Liaison" for the Washington State Council, we are all called to get involved in the public square too!

If you have an interest in the public square, I encourage you to take a look at "Vocare" in your local community. I've noted their Board of Directors with email addresses below.

Stephen Czerwonka, Legislative Liaison

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John Geis: johnjgeis@yahoo.com

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Hispanic Membership Chairman



Our Lady's Submission to the Church

There is an important aspect of the Mary's apparitions which can go unnoticed at first glance. It is both strikingly relevant and vitally important: The Perfect Virgin Mary, the Mother of God, submitted herself with reverence and humility to the authority of the church. Her request for the building of a new church was met with hesitation by renowned Bishop Zumarraga, who required a sign of faith. The Mother of God obeyed without delay, sending Juan Diego to Tepeyac Hill to gather a wide assortment of beautiful flowers in frosty fields of mid-December, and then graced us with her heavenly Image on his tilma.



The Perfect Virgin teaches us by example, that total submission to the church is indispensable. One has only to look at the sad divisions which struck the Church in Europe through proud, worldly and disobedient "Renaissance Man". Reform was needed, but separation from the center of unity, the papacy, only made matters worse. We see the results of forsaking Faith in the Catholic Church, which Christ Himself instituted, in the tragic division of Christianity today.

Yet it was precisely in this age of scandalous Popes and worldly Bishops, of the Protestant revolt that Mary, the Missionary of the Most High, intervened. She submitted to the Church authority and consequently brought about the conversion of 9 million in less than ten years, making up for the millions that left the Church in Europe.

We Knights bring her message to the world, with the image of the Silver Rose, in our works of charity and unity. We are her disciples drawn to follow in her example; to evangelize those that have left the church or practice their faith only on weekends and holidays. We have to speak up for those that are marginalized by the color of skin; to stand beside and speak up for those that can't speak English. We are all one in God, and as Knights, we have ensure the love and care of all Her children.

I ask parishes that celebrate Spanish mass (including, Hoquiam/Aberdeen, Sedro Woolley and Shelton parishes that now have RT's, as well as other councils that signed up membership) to open their hearts and surrender to Christ; to offer every Catholic family benefits the order has to offer by becoming members of the Caballeros de Colon.

Plan and call your Hispanic State Chairman for help. No one can do it alone, and together in unity we can do much for the Greater Glory of God.

Viva Cristo Rey, Viva Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe,
Mike Calderón / Hispanic State Chairman

Honor Guard Request

Archbishop Sartain will be celebrating Mass on Sunday, October 27 at 5pm. We want to provide an Honor Guard for this event. This is a proto-cathedral celebration, which means this is a parish church that formerly had the bishop's chair. Practice will be held at 4pm.

This is going to be a good chance to Honor our Bishop and our first Cathedral. Our Lead Marshal will be John Rowley. So please contact Buck Grey or John so we can get a head count. Let's see if we can get enough men to line the church and the street.

It will be held at St James Parish. The address is 218 W 12th St, Vancouver, WA

Buck Gray is coordinating. Please have everyone contact him if they wish to participate. Buck's number is 892-1333. Buck does not use email. You can also contact CCC Lee De Stael at ldstael@msn.com. He will contact Buck. Head count is requested in order to reserve enough pews.



Eugene Daly, Master 4th Degree

Sick Notices September 2013

Archbishop Emeritus Alexander Brunett Seattle 676
 Viola Brown, wife of Gene Brown FS Everett 763

Council Tacoma 809

Luke Beardemphi, Michael Edmonds

Kevin Flike

Most Rev Carlos A Sevilla, S.J. State Chaplain Yakima 894

Sheila Hebert, wife of Ed Hebert Bremerton 1379

Council Pasco 1620

Jeff Spinler, Angie Spinler, Peter McEnderfer, Russell Ng

Fr John Birk

Wayne Butler Puyallup 1629

Council Lakewood 4322

Ed Emelia, Thomas Wiese, Mike Kapala

Robert & An So Farkas

Lori Hogan, wife of Wayne Hogan VSM

Bill Jones & wife Sarah

Ernie Oliver Sr & wife Dorcus

Anna Golebiewski, wife of Joseph Golebiewski PGK

Anne Oliver, wife of Ernie Oliver Jr

Bernice Navarre, wife of Christopher Navarre

Marge Warren, wife of Robert Warren

George Turk, PSD Bellevue 4385

Council Marysville 7863

Jose Garcia, Robert Welch, Vince Bookey

Mary Beth Mantow, daughter of Mark Mantow

Council Spokane 8137

Denis Roble

Bob Sherrod

Hector Aguilar

Council Kennewick 8179

Kyle Hadley, Wife of Karl Hadley PSD

Ruth Hadley, Mother of Karl Hadley PSD

BettyJo Moreland, mother of Patrick Moreland Spokane 8398

Council Sequim 8455

Joseph Jezik, Floyd Norcott, Dolan Lannan

Dr Bill Stilwater, Deacon Selah 8768

Council Colbert 8872

Del Murray

George & Marie Benton

Jim & Ann Bonner

Mike & Kathy DeRosier

Tom Dolan

Tom Blake

Council Spokane 9237

Deacon Don Whitney, Roger Cole, Cruz Nacacio

RoseMarie Konzek Mother of David Konzek FS Consultant

..... Kennewick 10653

Council Spokane 11134

Ashley Cartagena, wife of Guillermo Cartagena

Michael Cartagena, son of Guillermo Cartagena

Vicki Schmitt, wife of Mike Schmitt

Sick Notices September 2013 continued

Council Tukwila 11253

Tess Kelley, wife of Pat Kelly, State Advocate

Pat Kelly, State Advocate

Larry McWilliams, GK, FFS Mercer Island 11642

Dave Moorby Black Diamond 11736

John M Wallace IPSD Lakewood 11762

Council Covington 11780

Polly Gilyeat & Valarie Turma, sisters in law of Scott Gilyeat

Dorothy Fouquet, Mother-in-Law of Ron Cunningham

Jennifer Beckie, Wife of Adrian Beckie

Juana Capuli, Mother-In-Law of Doug Patke

Jim Boespflug

Ben Dario

Malcolm Chang

William Arrigoni

Dick Cogswell

Bonnie Cacchione, Sister-in-Law of Angelo Battisti

Joan Elisha, wife of Jerome Elisha

Steven Palmer, nephew of Scott Gilyeat

Jerry McMahon

Scott Gilyeat

Fammari LaSharr, wife of Richard LaSharr

Rudy Bien-Aime & family

Thomas LaCour

Michael Beavin

Council Belfair 12002

Allan & Crista Elder

Steven & Leslie LeFebre

Tony & Alicia Peredo

James Berry

Grace Hochhaus, wife of Don Hochhaus

Council Colville 12273

Russ Larsen, Michael Huff, Elaine Huff,

Chris Bland, son of Ed and Alice Broadhurst

Betty Goodson, wife of Jack Goodson

Jim Ressa

Council Edmonds 12591

Walter Davis III

William Brayer

Fr Ken Haydock

Thomas McCarthy

Grace Steiner, wife of Bart Steiner

Barbara Fanger, wife of Frank Fanger

John McAlerney

Patricia Collins, wife of James Collins

Council Vancouver 12899

Duane L Vincent PGK

Sylvia Vincent, wife of Duane L Vincent PGK

> 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.
September 2013**

Edmund Diederichs	Seattle 676
George Landeis	Tacoma 809
Charles W Beo PGK	Pasco 1620
Charles Anderson	Richland 3307
Hubert Plagge	Richland 3307
Marshall W. La Cour	Spokane 4196
Larry Kraft	Lynnwood 5816
Federico Arino	Port Orchard 6706
Joseph Blazeovich	Port Orchard 6706
James Pommier	Port Orchard 6706
Ruddie Lujan	Port Orchard 6706
John Bauer	Port Orchard 6706
Reverend Charles Crosse	Spanaway 6806
Gordon Mercier	Bellevue 10664
Donald E Fellenz	Lakewood 11762
Louis A Spain Sr	Lakewood 11762
Joseph W Feuerstein	Belfair 12002
James Macagno	Cle Elum 15684
Several members passed away in prior months and years	

Family Members' Deaths September 2013

Wilma Hays, wife of Robert Hays	Pasco 1620
Elizabeth Hock, MIL of SW Kim Washburn	Olympia 1643
Lois Stadtmueller, Mother of Gary Stadtmueller	Renton 3645
Mary Margaret Wurtz, widow of Adam Wurtz	Selah 8768

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

*God our Father,
Your power brings us to birth,
Your providence guides our lives,
and by Your command we return to dust.*

*Lord, those who die still live in Your presence,
their lives change but do not end.
I pray in hope for my family,
relatives and friends,
and for all the dead known to You alone.*

*In company with Christ,
Who died and now lives,
may they rejoice in Your kingdom,
where all our tears are wiped away.
Unite us together again in one family,
to sing Your praise forever and ever.
Amen.*



Prayers for the deceased Brothers and family members or those in need of pray be reported to WSS Ed Parazoo and Bulletin@kofc-wa.org We clear the lists semi-annually (Aug 1 & Feb 1) Please keep us apprized of those in need on a regular basis.



KCIC (Order Form)

2013 COUNCIL ORDER FORM

Knights of Columbus

FDC



Order Additional Cards From Your KCIC Chairman:

Ron Lawrence**11715 4th Ave., Apt 27, Spokane, WA 99206****Phone: 509.999.8503****Email: Ralawrence1@hotmail.com**Order Date / /

Style #	Description	Quantity (# Boxes)	Council Cost Per Box	Total Cost
356 (12 Cards)	The Christmas Peace		\$3.50	\$
1361 (15 Cards)	Come to Bethlehem		\$3.75	
5013 (15 Cards)	Mother Teresa's Christmas Prayer		\$4.00	
9013 (16 Cards)	Unto Us a Child is Born		\$4.25	
3013 (16 Cards)	Holy Family		\$4.50	
8012 (15 Cards)	Saint Nicholas' Gifts		\$4.50	
1369 (12 Cards)	Old Masters		\$4.75	
6013 (16 Cards)	Jesus Light of the World		\$5.50	
4013 (16 Cards)	St. Francis' Prayer for Peace with ornament		\$5.75	
2013 (16 Cards)	The Heart of Mary		\$6.00	
1013 (18 Cards)	Madonna of the Chair		\$6.25	
SALES ASSORTMENT CASE				
CIC-2013 Case (35 assorted boxes, 25 brochures & 5 sheets of seals)			Special Price: Order before 9/25/13 (Limit 1 Per Council at discount)	\$130.00
			Regular Price: ordered after 9/25/13	\$161.50
ETHNIC CARDS				
RI-145SP (15 Cards)	SPANISH Madonna del Rosario	*	\$5.25	\$
RI-148SP (15 Cards)	SPANISH Golden Guadalupe	*	\$5.00	
RI-72SP (15 Cards)	SPANISH Madonna of the Chair	*	\$4.75	
RI-147SP (10 Cards)	SPANISH Our Lady of Guadalupe with pin	*	\$3.00	
RI-64SP (10 Cards)	SPANISH Panorama Nativity	*	\$2.75	
RI-81SP (10 Cards)	SPANISH Adoración de los Pastores	*	\$2.75	
RI-54 (15 Cards)	Tagalog Madonna of the Chair		\$4.75	
RI-33 (15 Cards)	Native American Madonna of the Nations		\$4.00	
RI-18 (15 Cards)	African-American Holy Family Bible		\$4.75	
RI-21 (15 Cards)	African-American Angelic Choir		\$4.00	
1193B (10 Cards)	French Madonna of the Chair		\$2.50	
RI-90POL (10 Cards)	Polish Our Lady of Czestochowa		\$2.50	
RI-91POL (10 Cards)	Polish Lujze Jezuniu (Jesus Lullaby)		\$2.50	
RI-95IT (10 Cards)	Italian Shepherds Adore		\$2.50	
354UK (10 Cards)	Ukrainian Value Pack		\$2.25	
SPANISH ASSORTMENT DISPLAY BOX				
SP-DB-13 (24 assorted Spanish boxes & 2 Spanish car magnets)			Special Price: Order before 9/25/13 (Limit 1 Per Council at discount)	\$70.00
			Regular Price: ordered after 9/25/13	\$81.50
CARDS Sub-total		#		
Shipping & Handling (see reverse for details)				
MISC. ITEMS sub-total (from reverse side)				
Total Amount Due				

Make check
payable to:
**Knights of
Columbus**

SHIP TO:

Name

Local Council #

Street

Phone # ()

City

(We cannot ship USPS priority mail)

State

Zip

E-Mail

Shipping location is:

☐ Business☐ Residential**SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR SHIPPING & HANDLING COSTS & SALES AIDS**

Save \$31.50
Order ONE CIC-2013
before 9/25/13

ONE case per council.

Your profit on this case:

\$162.00

Additional assortment cases
available at \$161.50. **OR** order
only the cards you need.

**Contains 35 Boxes:**

5 The Christmas Peace
6 Come to Bethlehem
1 Mother Teresa's
Christmas Prayer
6 Unto Us a Child is Born
6 Holy Family
2 Saint Nicholas' Gifts
2 Old Masters
2 Jesus Light of the World
2 St. Francis' Prayer for
Peace with ornament
2 The Heart of Mary
1 Madonna of the Chair
plus 25 color brochures
& 5 sheets "Sealed with a
Prayer" Christmas seals

Spanish Display Box**Contains 24 Boxes:**

2 SP Madonna del Rosario
1 SP Golden Guadalupe
2 SP Madonna of the Chair
6 SP Our Lady of
Guadalupe with pin
7 SP Panorama Nativity
6 SP Adoración de los
Pastores
plus 2 Spanish car magnets

KCIC (Order Form)

SHIPPING & HANDLING COST information



Christmas Cards		
Special shipping and handling for: Washington		
Sales Assortment Case (CIC-2013) and/or full case (50 boxes, same style card) \$		20.00
Spanish Display Box (SP-DB-13) \$		12.00
<i>Special shipping and handling prices have been set up for each state; you only pay a portion of the actual shipping cost.</i>		
Mixed Styles	1-2 boxes (mix and match)	\$5.00 shipping
	(OR) 3-9 boxes (mix and match)	\$11.00 shipping
	(OR) 10 or more boxes shipped to same location	\$11.00 + \$0.50 for each box over 10
Sales Aids and Promotional Materials (not covered below)		
CA-6002	Brochures (first 100)	\$4.50
	Each additional 50 shipped to same location	add \$.50 per 50
CA-6003	Public Price Board	\$9.00
	Each additional board shipped to same location	add \$2.00 each
CA-6005	Table signs	\$3.50
	Each additional sign shipped to same location	add \$.50 each
CA-6006	Advent wreath	\$3.50
	Each additional wreath shipped to same location	add \$1.00 each

Note: These shipping charges do not apply to orders shipped outside Continental U.S. and APO addresses.

ORDER FORM for Sales Aids and Promotional Materials

The apostolate of **CHRISTmas Activities** celebrates 64 years proudly serving Knights of Columbus with this evangelization program to "Keep Christ in Christmas." Supreme's *Surge With Service*, *P.S. Supplement*, and Bulletin #2874 *Keep Christ in Christmas* recommend you contact us so we can be of service to you in promoting the true meaning of Christmas: the birth of Christ.

The following items are offered to assist you in your council's evangelization to "Keep Christ in Christmas." These items may be used to make your community aware of the true meaning of Christmas. Your Church Activities Chairman may utilize them in the Catholic Schools and their parish religious education programs during the Advent and Holy Christmas Season. Contact your State KCIC Chairman and order through him. **SEE ATTACHED DESCRIPTION PAGE.**

Item #	Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Sub Total	Shipping Cost	Total
SALES AIDS						
CA-6002	Color Brochures (sold in lots of 50)		50 for \$5.00			
CA-6003	Public Price Board 36" x 45"		\$18.00			
CA-6004	"Keep Christ in Christmas" Yard Sign NEW		\$9.00		\$6.00	
CA-6005	Table Sign Easel Back 11" x 14"		\$5.00			
CA-6007A	Mounted Nativity Poster 41.5" x 75"		\$42.00		\$8.00	
CA-6007B	Unmounted Nativity Poster 45" x 75"		\$24.00		\$8.00	
PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS to Keep Christ in Christmas						
CA-6031	Christmas Seals "Sealed with a Prayer" **				Free Shipping	
CA-6021	"Keep Christ in Christmas" Christmas Seals **				Free Shipping	
CA-6011	K of C Christmas Seals **				Free Shipping	
CA-6028	"Christ is Christmas" Car Magnet - White NEW		\$1.50		Free Shipping	
CA-6027	"Holy Family" Car Magnet - Blue		\$1.50		Free Shipping	
CA-6014	K of C Bumper Stickers **				Free Shipping	
CA-3004	Lapel Pin Display Card with 20 Pins		\$10.00		Free Shipping	
CA-1001	Lapel Pin "Keep Christ in Christmas"		\$0.50		Free Shipping	
CA-2001	Flag Pin "God Bless America"		\$0.50		Free Shipping	
CA-4001	Our Lady of Guadalupe Lapel Pin		\$0.50		Free Shipping	
CA-1043	St. Francis Ornament NEW 1-9 ornaments (double-sided)	10 or more ornaments	\$0.75		Free Shipping	
			\$0.50		Free Shipping	
CA-1033	Madonna and Child Ornament 1-9 ornaments (double-sided)	10 or more ornaments	\$0.75		Free Shipping	
			\$0.50		Free Shipping	
CA-1023	The Nativity Ornament 1-3 ornaments (brass)	4 or more ornaments	\$1.75		Free Shipping	
			\$1.50		Free Shipping	
CA-1003	Madonna Ornament 1-3 ornaments <i>Limited Supply!</i>	4 or more ornaments	\$1.75		Free Shipping	
			\$1.50		Free Shipping	
CA-6019	Advent Pamphlet **				Free Shipping	
CA-6006	Advent Wreath with Candles		\$10.00			
Enter amount on front side:			TOTAL	\$	\$	\$

**CUSTOM
IMPRINT
INFORMATION:**

Prices based
on quantity.
See attached
descriptions
for prices.**



FATHER MICHAEL MCGIVNEY GUILD**Wheelchair Program****Part 2**

Father Michael J. McGivney was a "Parish Priest". Father McGivney over his short life span was assigned to several parishes. I'm sure his former parishioners never lost track of him because: "He was a man of the people. He was zealous of the people's welfare, and all the kindness of his priestly soul asserted itself more strongly in his unceasing efforts for the betterment of their condition."

-Description of Father Michel McGivney
Read at his first memorial service (1890)

In this same regard, I feel that our 350 plus "lost" members whereabouts are known by a council member or a parishioner from his respective council. Contact your Financial Secretary to find out if your council has any and offer to help find our "lost" members. Let's continue to pray that we can reconnect with our members.

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD
State Council Chairman
Council@kofc-wa.org



The wheelchairs are in the final phase of being ordered.

I want to thank the following councils for placing their orders or letting the state make the distribution on their behalf: 3361, 3611, 8872, 12983, 13395, 14268 and 14922 as well as assembly 3006. I also want to thank Henry and Betty Therrien for their contributions.

I need to hear from the following councils by October 31, 2013 as to their intentions: 1327, 7117, 7528, 7908, 8137, 8476, 10543, 10652, 11762, 11789, 12591, 12899, 13794, 14689 Will you distribute your purchased wheelchairs or let the state make the distribution on your behalf.

There are still wheelchairs that you can purchase. They come in sizes 16, 18 and 20 inch.

I want to encourage all councils and assemblies to continue their fund raising efforts for those in need of mobility. Once we have raised another \$16,500 we can place another order.

If your parish does not have a wheelchair, please send \$150 immediately to the State Secretary, Eddie Parazoo and reserve one.

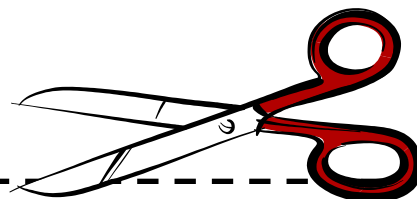
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The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild serves as a source for information about the life, works and spirituality of Father McGivney. The Guild distributes informational materials about him, receives reports of favors granted through his intercession and oversees the distribution of relics. Guild members receive regular updates on the progress of Father McGivney's cause for canonization and are invited to participate in promoting devotion to this Servant of God. Members of the Knights of Columbus are not automatically Guild members and must elect to join the Guild. The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild Newsletter is published bimonthly except July- August, and is sent free to Guild members. To join the Guild, fill in and submit this form. Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required.

Title: _____ Name: _____
(Rev, Mr, Mrs, Miss, Dr) First* Middle Last* Suffix

Address* _____ City* _____ State* Zip _____ Country*

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ E-mail address _____ Signature _____



Directory Changes

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Directory Changes

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State Military Affairs



“Because a Family’s Love is Good Medicine”

Since 1990 the Fisher Family has been providing a free lodging for family members of Military personnel while they are undergoing treatment at Military and VA Medical Centers.

Currently, there are 61 Fisher Houses on 23 Military bases and 21 Near VA Medical Centers. The patient recovers a lot faster when family members are nearby, I have had that experience. The Fisher houses are really houses there not at all like a hotel room; they give a welcoming feeling to the families of service members and Veterans as they arrive and during their stay.

There are two Fishers Houses in Washington State; Madigan Army Hospital has plans for second house. Puget Sound VA Medical Center has its own Fisher House. With the Spinal Cord treatment center there is also a need for a second house. Two years ago the Portland VA Medical Center was chosen a site for future Fisher House to be built on the Vancouver Campus. There must be 1.5 Million raised before they can break ground. Assembly # 3006 was one of the first organizations to donate to the newly announced Vancouver Fisher House.

Here is how you can help: Through “Grass Roots” Local Fund Raisers or by buying from businesses that support the Fisher Foundation. “Newman’s Own” Brand Foods donate to the Fisher Foundation with grants there many other corporate partners that are involved. You can also donate your air miles and Hotel points to Fisher Foundation. Charity Navigator rates Fisher Foundation four stars, A+ from Charity watch.org, and the foundation receives other top ratings. For more Information or a list of businesses that support the Fisher Foundation , check out www.fisherhouse.org

One Nation Under God

Greg Georgoff PGK, PFN
Military Affairs Chairman

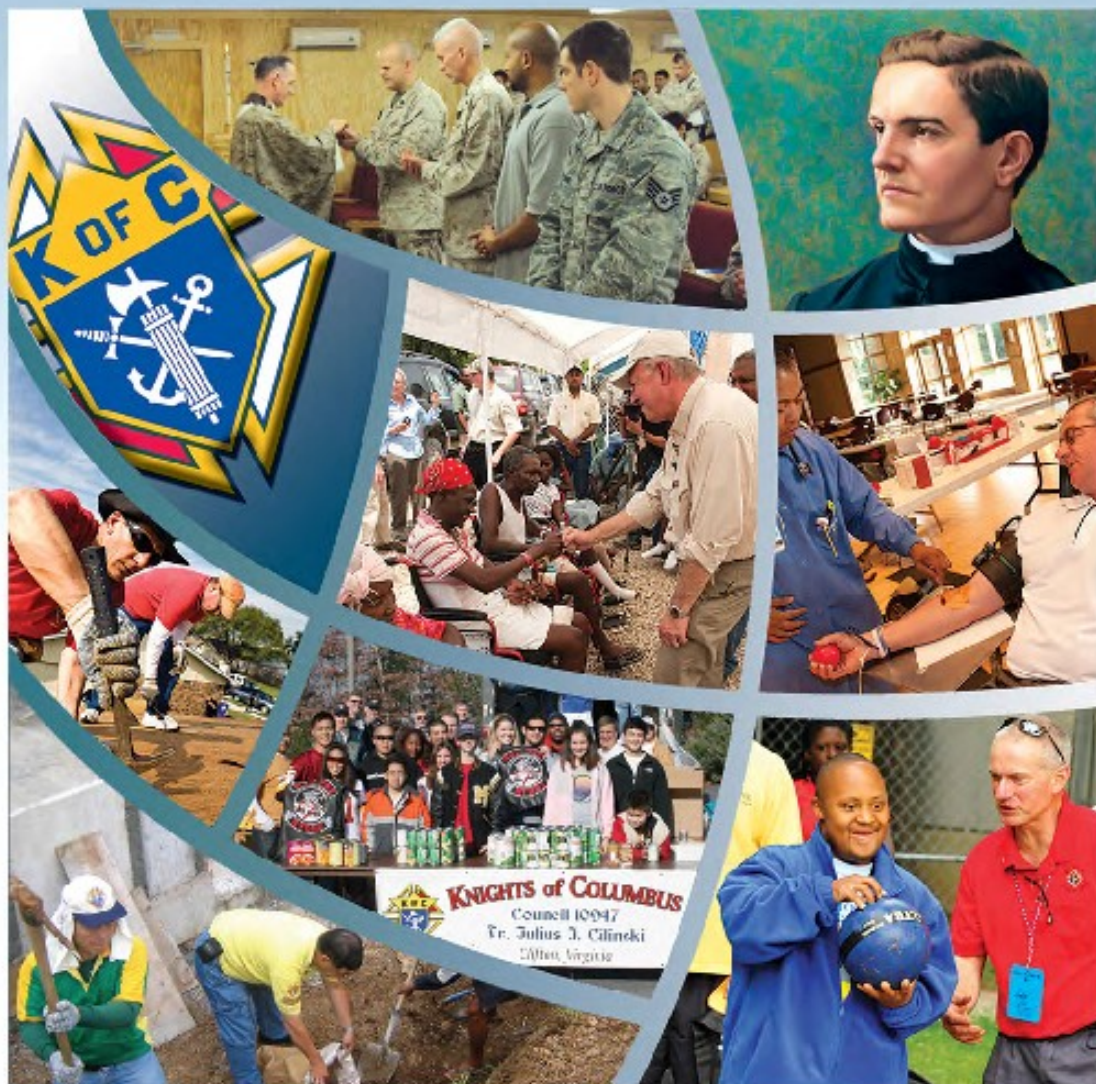
GK 1000 Club participants

Council	City	District	Council	City	District
676	Seattle	1	9637	Buckley	3
766	Walla Walla	7	9664	Snohomish	13
809	Tacoma	22	9833	Sammamish	23
1327	Vancouver	11	9941	Burlington	32
1620	Pasco	7	10532	Port Townsend	24
1643	Olympia	4	10652	Fort Lewis/McCord	35
1674	Hoquiam	31	10653	Kennewick	7
3307	Richland	7	10664	Bellevue	14
3361	Oak Harbor	19	11134	Spokane	28
3598	Auburn	12	11217	Shoreline	26
4196	Spokane	18	11357	Langley	19
4322	Lakewood	35	11762	Lakewood	35
5177	Seattle	26	11780	Covington	27
5495	Burien	34	11789	Bremerton	2
5816	Lynnwood	21	11906	Duvall	23
6686	Bothel	16	12273	Colville	33
6806	Spanaway	3	12591	Edmonds	21
7528	Federal Way	12	12889	Seattle	1
7863	Marysville	13	12983	Vancouver	11
7907	Issaquah	23	13238	Tacoma	22
7908	Federal Way	12	13374	Renton	27
8102	Redmond	23	13395	Silverdale	2
8150	Kent	27	13560	Granite Falls	13
8201	Spokane	18	13606	Seattle	1
8297	Poulsbo	2	13761	Seattle	1
8311	Seattle	1	13794	Seattle	15
8437	Seattle	34	13834	Seattle	1
8455	Sequim	24	14268	Newport	33
8476	Camano-Stanwood	32	14689	Shoreline	26
8672	Sedro Woolley	32	14852	Seattle	26
8872	Colbert	28	15143	Spokane	5
9434	Mill Creek	21	15538	Seattle	15
9605	Mt. Lake Terrace	21	15721	Seattle	23
9617	Everett	16			

Membership Tools (Save it, Copy it, Use it)

Why *you* should become a Knight

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4th Degree Exemplification Seattle

FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

SATURDAY November 30th 2013
St . Edwards Church 4212 S Mead St Seattle Wa 98118

The host assembly is St. Joan of Arc # 3398
District Master Eugene Daly 425-891-5497 email : kodiak98027@yahoo.com
District Marshal Phil Clingan 253-304-9955

The Faithful Navigator is Stephen Schweyen (260-763-0676),
Faithful Comptroller is Renato Sacramento (206-760-1854)
The degree team is the Western Washington Fourth Degree Team

Registration 12:30-1:45pm Admin.
Lunch 12:30 St. Edwards Hall
Exemplification 2:00-4:00 pm Hall,
Ladies Program 2:00-4:00 pm TBA
Public Knighting/picture taking 4:15 pm St. Edwards Hall, Multi-Purpose area
Mass 5:00 pm St. Edwards
Social with Cash Bar and Banquet 6:00pm St. Edwards Hall, Multi-Purpose area
BUFFETT Dinner

FEES

Exemplification fee for each candidate, except priests, is \$70.00 as set by Supreme Board of Directors.
The candidate's or the assembly's check for \$70.00 is to be made payable to the MASTER FUND,
Please make sure to send the form 4's and check's to:

Eugene Daly
3629 s Asotin St
Tacoma WA 98418

Lunch is optional for the Sir, Knights, Candidates and Ladies. Luncheon cost is \$5.00 and the banquet cost is \$25.00. Advance reservation is required. Make Checks for luncheon and banquet tickets payable to Assembly 3398 AND addressed to:

Renato Sacramento
3433 24th Ave S Seattle Wa 98144

DRESS

MEN: Plain Black tuxedo, plain-collared white shirt, black tie, black shoes and socks. Military/Police/Firefighters may wear their dress uniform. Sir Knights are to wear their social baldric and jewel of office (council or assembly).

LADIES: As the men are dressed formally, prefer a dressy dress. Some wear a simple dress or a cocktail dress although, skirt and blouse is acceptable.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The sponsor is to make certain that all information is legibly printed on the Form 4. The applicant, his sponsor, and the financial secretary of the applicants council promptly sign the Form 4. After admission committee action, the faithful navigator and faithful comptroller promptly sign the Form 4. The faithful comptroller will promptly forward the signed Form 4 and the applicants check to the Master. After the degree, the Master will sign and send the Form 4 to Supreme with the copies to the councils and assemblies

4th Degree Exemplification Bremerton

FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

SATURDAY October 19th 2013

KofC Hall Bremerton 2515 Burwell, Bremerton Wa 98312

The host assembly is MSGR. Joseph Camerman Assembly 1540
District Master Eugene Daly 425-891-5497 email : kodiak98027@yahoo.com
District Marshal Phil Clingan 253-304-9955

The Faithful Navigator is William Smith(360-876-4303),
Faithful Comptroller is David Tufts (360-377-6156)
The degree team is the Western Washington Fourth Degree Team

Registration 12:30-1:45pm Admin.
Lunch 12:30 Bremerton KofC Hall
Exemplification 2:00-4:00 pm KofC Hall,
Ladies Program 2:00-4:00 pm TBA
Public Knighting/picture taking 4:15 pm KofC Hall, Multi-Purpose area
Mass 5:00 pm Our Lady Star of the Sea Church
Social with Cash Bar and Banquet 6:00pm Hallen Hall, Multi-Purpose area
BUFFETT Dinner

FEES

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Eugene Daly
3629 s Asotin St
Tacoma WA 98418

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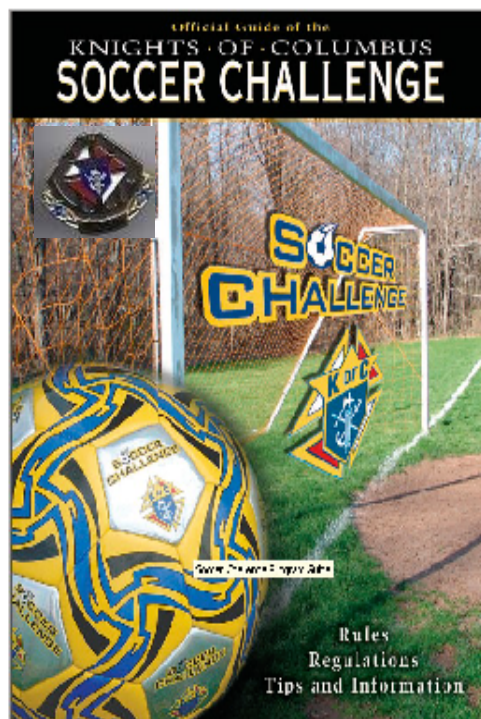
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Soccer Challenge



Grand Knights and District Deputies

It is time to start thinking about the Soccer Challenge. Work with you local CYO or youth soccer association and schedule a date. Soccer coaches will be willing to help you out and get kids to your event

Suggested Schedules:

- Council Competitions—September
- District Competitions—September/October
- Regional Competitions—October
- State Competition—October/November

DDs will work with their councils to schedule District competitions and with other DDs to schedule Regional competitions.
State Youth/Sports chairman will assign districts to create regions.

Online SC-KIT Order

How to get started

Find a Knight to be your council Soccer Challenge focal point

Order the Soccer Challenge kit:

Go on line to <http://kofc.org>

In the search box left of screen enter Forms

Click on the Council Forms link

Click on the online Soccer Challenge Kit Order Form SC-KIT link

Fill out the form and click on Submit. All done, that's how easy it is to get a kit.

Soccer Challenge		Competition Kit Order Form	
<p>All council kits for the upcoming season must be ordered by the Grand Knight or District Deputy. Kits are ordered through the online Soccer Challenge Kit Order Form. Kits will be shipped to the council address. Kits are shipped to the council address. Kits are shipped to the council address.</p>			
<p>Complete the kit to the right and email it to the Department of Youth Sports at sc-kit@kofc.org. Please include your council number and the name of the council. Please include your council number and the name of the council.</p>			
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Announcements

HOLY BOWL IV COMING AT YOU! **DeSales vs. Tri-Cities Prep October 25, 2013**

In Walla Walla this year at the DeSales High football field, game time 7pm.

"It's going to be just another high school football game"

Don't you believe it for a second!

It's going to be loud, noisy, and enthusiastic. This will be a game with rivalries everywhere, from the cheering section to the defensive line, this will be the must win game, the season maker. This will be the game everyone must attend so plan on bringing Grandma and Grandpa or live with the consequences. This will be the football game for everyone, this one will send shivers down your spine from the opening kickoff to the last seconds of the fourth quarter.



This is all being put together by the two Schools with the cooperation of the Councils and Assemblies of District 7 of the Washington State Knights of Columbus, the Knights will sponsor a traveling trophy. This effort is under the direction of **Marcel Bergeron and JP Kent, Co-Chairman** of this event. If you have any questions on any aspect of this event please contact Marcel or JP at the following:

509-627-5664 & 509-629-7370

This game has the potential to easily become one the most important days in the life of any football player and student of either school. This event is part of the Knights of District 7's ongoing efforts to support the youth of our District and to promote family values.

ALL THE MONEY BROUGHT IN BY HOLY BOWL IV

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Saturday, October 12th, 2013

St. George School Hall

Doors open at 4:30 pm with dinner at 6-8 pm

For more information,

contact: Renato at 206-762-7744 • Steve at 206-763-0676

Price of Admission*

Adults \$25 (\$30 at the door)

Children under 10 years old 1/2 price**

*Ticket prices include dinner and one complimentary beverages.

**Children 4 and under are free to enter, but will not be served dinner without purchasing a ticket.

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