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Know New Hope

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 WE ARE THE HANDS AND FEET
 OF CHRIST WE ARE OUR
 BROTHERS KEEPER
 WE SAVE LIVES AND
 CHANGE LIVES

**Message from State Deputy,
 Don McBride**

One Member...Per Council...Per Month



It is beginning to sink in... the bittersweet reality is that this is my final article to you as State Deputy. I am so very grateful for the opportunity to have served as your State Deputy and enjoyed the many blessings that have accompanied my term. This is truly an incredible experience and one that I will treasure forever.

Setting aside the maudlin aspects of the approaching end of the Fraternal Year, I want to focus on the exciting results of our recent Annual Convention as well as the continuing growth and success of our jurisdiction!

I hope that many of you had the opportunity to join us for the 110th Annual Meeting of the Washington State Council, held May 17-19, 2013 in Pasco, WA. I want to express my deepest appreciation to the Convention Chairman, Marcel Bergeron, Host District Deputy Jeff Kadinger, and all the members of District 7 and Holy Spirit Council who pitched in to make this such a fantastic convention. I can't think of anything the hosts could have done to make it a more welcoming and fraternal experience.

The highlight of the convention for me was the presence of not one...not two...but FIVE of our favorite men... the Bishops of Washington! Archbishop Sartain, Bishop Cupich, Bishop Tyson, Bishop Emeritus Skylstad, and State Chaplain Bishop Emeritus Sevilla graced us with their presence and words of fraternal and spiritual greeting during our deliberations. I can't recall ever having such a visible sign of the support of our hierarchy at one of our Annual Meetings. If I had to choose one thing to be remembered by as State Deputy... that would be a fitting memorial! Not only did our spiritual leaders lend us their presence during the incredibly busy Confirmation season, but they also shared words of appreciation, encouragement, and support for the work of the Knights and our stalwart support as the Right Arm of the Church. It was evident to all that we love our Bishops, and they love us!

Left to right

Bishop Emeritus William S. Skylstad
 Archbishop J. Peter Sartain
 Bishop Joseph F. Tyson
 Bishop Blase J. Cupich
 Bishop Emeritus Carlos A. Sevilla SJ
 State Chaplain



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Message from State Deputy Don McBride (Cont.)

Another great experience was sharing the convention with representatives of our three newest councils, as DD15 Renato Sacramento (representing St. Edward's in Seattle) handed off the Baby Jewel to GK Eugene Boring of Fr. Steve Roman Council 15689 in Ocean Shores and then GK Bob Sutton of Cle Elum/Roslyn Council 15684. I also was graced with the report of the formation of a new council at St. James in Vancouver (still waiting for the final paperwork and council number) and now this week with the news of North American Martyrs Council 15721 in Seattle, led by GK Scott Esary. It is gratifying to watch our jurisdiction grow to 156 councils, thanks to the efforts of NCD Chairman Eugene Daly and DD's Renato Sacramento, Harry Paul, Robert McDonnell, Bob Schwarz, and Eugenio Vila.

The other great news we heard during our convention is one of the most important legacies I can imagine coming from my time as your leader. I'm speaking of the news shared by Bishop Joseph Tyson, Bishop of Yakima, regarding a new initiative by all three dioceses, led by Bishop Tyson, to establish a truly Catholic pro-life program, coordinated through Catholic Charities and working in concert with the Washington State Council, with a goal of supporting women in crisis pregnancies through the first five years of the life of their child in every parish in all three dioceses. This program should work in concert with our existing Ultrasound for Life program, recognizing that a truly effective pro-life program needs more than just an ultrasound machine – but also recognizing that the image of the unborn child can be a conversion moment in the life of the expectant mother in a crisis pregnancy, and can bring women into the broader umbrella of service that we as Catholics are called to provide. Our Mass collections during the convention were donated as a seed of over \$2000 to start this program which should provide an unprecedented Catholic-based initiative...but please be prepared to support future fundraising needs as this program takes shape in the coming months. Remember that the last 40 years have resulted in 55 million lost children. We can and we must step up to this opportunity to save our precious babies.

Of course, no convention would be complete without celebrating the successes of some of the leading councils and individuals in our jurisdiction during the awards banquet. Special congratulations go out to Grand Knight Art Smalley and St. Joseph Council 8872 in Colbert for multiple awards, including the State Deputy's Top Council award, the Council Program Award, the Community Program Award, and the Church Program Award. Their award-winning Council Program was an interactive bulletin board public relations program that provides constantly-updated, eye-grabbing information to the entire parish about the activities of the council. Their Community Program entry was a musical comedy all-male cast production of the Wizard of Oz (complete with flying monkeys!) that raised funds to feed the homeless in Spokane. And their Church Program entry was a parish auction that raised \$25,000 to rebuild and update the kitchen at their parish. Needless to say, this little council sets a high bar for all of us. Equally noteworthy were the other program award winners: Fr. Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643 in Olympia's Youth Program winner was a youth Fishing Derby (always near and dear to my heart!); St. John the Evangelist 12983 in Vancouver won the Family Program category with an outstanding Family Movie Night event; and Fr. Anthony McGirl Council 7907 in Issaquah built a Prayer Garden to the Unborn that earned them the top Pro-Life Program Award.

The Second and Third Place Council Awards went to Fr. Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643 in Olympia and Pope John Paul II Council 13394 in Seattle, with Honorable Mention to St. Theresa Council 7908 in Federal Way. District Deputy of the Year was Gerry Garrison, DD12, and Honorable Mention was given to DD2 Tommy Rosati. State Chairman of the Year was Hispanic Membership Chairman Mike Calderon. Knight of the Year was James Senko of St. John Bosco Council 11762 in Lakewood, and the Family of the Year was GK Dennis and Christeen Cox of Fr. John Francis Laboon Council 13395 in Silverdale. Congratulations to all these worthy recipients!

I was gratified during the final moments of writing this article to learn that our Westside joint 2nd and 3rd Degree exemplification in Seattle on June 1 was a resounding success, with 44 candidates taking their 2nd Degree and 56 taking their 3rd Degree for the largest exemplifications I can recall in recent years! Kudos to Host District Deputy Tom Williams and all those who made this outstanding ceremonial event such a success. Don't forget that we still have an opportunity to bring First Degree members to full membership in the Third Degree during a joint 2nd/3rd Degree in Richland, June 23, 2013. This will be the last opportunity of the fraternal year, and there's still time to quickly exemplify the First Degree for some new prospects to bring them into our Order and get them to the joint degree.

I pray that all councils will take to heart my urgent plea to help grow the Order, so that each Catholic man will have the opportunity to feel the unity and support of the Knights of Columbus as he musters the courage to stand up for religious freedom, speak out for our Faith, and live the gospel as a proud Catholic American Citizen in these times when he might otherwise succumb to society's urging to sit quietly in agony as he watches the decline of the values he holds dear. He needs the Knights of Columbus as much as we need him. Please don't delay.

I want to close by once again thanking you all, on behalf of Julie and me, for the trust you have placed in me during the last two years as your State Deputy. It has truly been the Experience of a Lifetime. I ask that you continue to drive for success during this final month of the Fraternal Year and that we strive to earn for your council and for our jurisdiction the great recognition that we all deserve.

Fraternally,

Don McBride, SD

Message from State Secretary



My Dear Brother Knights and Friends in Christ,

In my official capacity as your State Secretary of the Washington jurisdiction, and in a most humble and contrite way, I offer you my sincere best wishes and thanks for electing me to be your next State Deputy. While you already know that I am finishing 8 years of service as your State Officer, I can assure you that I am well aware of the demands to come as your State Deputy.

The fact that you, my Brother Knights, chose me for this high position, in my 50th year as a Knight of Columbus, indicates a trust, bond and confidence that touches me to my very core. The task you have given me is a most responsible one for I will serve as the chief executive officer representing our jurisdiction within the Order. I also serve with the legacy of all the Past State Deputies who have preceded me for 110 years.

So let me assure you that I have prepared well for the burden. Although I am 8 years older, I am in excellent health with the full faith and support of my dear wife, Sharon, of 49 years. Our four children and eight grandchildren recognize too that there may be days when they will make the trek to visit us in lieu of our coming there. So it is that I will begin again another year to offer you my time, energy and talent.

In return, my expectations will demand much from you with my full faith, trust and confidence too. When I communicate, I expect a timely response; when we select a task, I expect we will put our backs to the load; when the journey becomes labored, I expect others will be there to take their turn at the wheel; and, when we have given our all and gone to our eternal reward, I expect that our sons, grandsons, neighbors and strangers will have become Brothers too, trained and ready, to become servant leaders. I encourage each of you to make every effort to follow in the footsteps of Christ, as a servant leader, in your council, parish and community.

Our Columbian principles and our programs have offered much in support of our Church, Community, Council, Family, Youth, Pro-Life and Vocations. We are called to offer this legacy to all our Catholic brothers in Christ, offering them the benefits of our Order, to continue the growth and prosperity of the Order in the vision and faith mission of the Venerable Fr. Michael J. McGivney. I can only imagine what we, more than 1.85 million Brother Knights today, can conquer by putting forth our combined efforts in charity, unity and fraternity. God Bless You! I remain

Fraternally yours,

George H. Czerwonka, Jr.

2012-2013 Financial Report of the State Secretary

The Financial Report for Fraternal year 2012-2013 was presented at the 110th Annual State Convention. Due to its length, we have chosen to post the report in its entirety on the State Website at www.kofc-wa.org. This is provided for your interest and convenience.

Fraternally,

George H. Czerwonka, Jr.

110th Annual KofC Convention Photos

Photos from the 110th Annual Knights of Columbus Convention can be found at the back of this bulletin. We hope that you enjoy viewing them as we did being in them. Be active, get involved and go to one of these events at your first opportunity!

Message from Membership Chairman



One More Big Push!

My Brother Knights,

Just 291 Members left to make the Circle of Honor. We can make it if we have a big month and I can't think of anyone who deserves it more than our State Deputy. Show him your support by recruiting that man that you have been thinking about asking.

Peace,
Bob Baemmert-ST (elect)
Membership Director

General Program Director



My Brothers,

To all the Winners of the Annual awards... Congratulations. To all the councils that applied for Awards... Congratulations to you as well, for participating in the recognition of your Council members that worked so hard to make those events so special.

I truly appreciate the confidence you have again placed in me by electing me your incoming State Advocate and congratulate my fellow State Officers on their elections as well...

As we approach the new Fraternal Year and the Summer Leadership meeting, I ask each of you to recommit yourselves to the most notable principle of our Order... Charity. It is within Charity that we produce our best work, recognize others efforts, and by our actions, invite others to join us and the Order we Love.

Having been elected to the Honorable position of State Advocate my focus will necessarily move from Awards to the more difficult issues we all deal with from time to time. Our record on EIN numbers is stellar thanks to our outgoing Worthy State Advocate, Bob Baemmert. But it is necessary that we continue the work he has fostered and keep our requirements current and in compliance with applicable laws.

Lastly, I urge all Financial Secretaries to order current copies of the "Constitution, Laws, and Rules" from Supreme and hand them out at Council meetings so that all may be aware of structure and the proper way to deal with issue that arise. I will be available to assist you in any way possible.

Fraternally.

Pat Kelley-SW (SA- elect)

"not try... Do, or Do Not... there is no TRY"

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Message from State Advocate



...from the almost empty desk of the State Advocate

Brothers,

Thank you for participating in the 110th State Convention and a special thanks to Council 9434 Mill Creek, Council 13395 Silverdale, Council 7642 Kirkland, and Council 11762 Lakewood, for investing a lot of time and energy into submitting a Council Resolution. These submittals were thought-provoking and resulted in quite a bit of deliberation on the part of the Resolutions Committee. Thank you again to the Resolution Committee for participating in this unique process. The committee consisted of Jesse Martinez (3307), Jeff Smart (3307), Bret Fleming (6097), Lucas Lusier (763), Daniel Pradera (7863), Kirby Mathews (8179), PSD Karl Hadley and I. Council 7642 was represented by Mark Mauer and Council 11762 was represented by John Forrest.

I would like to thank all of you for supporting me and helping me these last two years. This job was fun and I know that State Advocate (elect) Pat Kelley will do an awesome job as my replacement!

God Bless You All!!!

Bob Baemmert-ST (elect)
Washington State Council

District Master's Message



Brothers,

We are at the end of the fraternal year, and what a year. We saw our District grow by 4 Assemblies, Our membership is through the roof and the overall health and prosperity of the 4th Degree has never been better. We have one more Degree this year and it is being held in

Lacy.

The details are in the bulletin and I hope to see all my Brothers there. It is also that time of year to get the form 186 election of new officers chosen. And it is time for the upcoming year planning, we have had a lot of success because of all the input from all of the brothers in the 4th Degree and I would like it to keep going. So please never hesitate to email or call if you have an idea. Again my contact info is

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Thank You all for the work you do for the order and the 4th Degree.

Eugene Daly
Master 4th Degree
Washington State
KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

FATHER MICHAEL MCGIVNEY GUILD



There is an old story about two ministers standing by the side of the road, one frantically shaking a sign that read "THE END IS NEAR". A young man driving a nifty convertible yelled "*religious fanatics*" at them as he sped past. Shortly after, the two ministers heard the horrific and distinct sounds of a high speed crash. One of the ministers asked the other do you suppose we ought to reword the sign to read "the bridge is out"?

The end is indeed near. By my own choice, this is my final message as the Fr. McGivney Guild chairman. I wish to express my appreciation to State Deputy Don McBride and Past State Deputy John Wallace for giving me the opportunity to research the life of our founder, Fr. Michael J. McGivney and to write about his truly extraordinary life, expressed in spiritual and corporal acts of mercy. Truly, this holy priest has been an influence on my life, along with our former vice state chaplain, the late Fr. Joseph O'Shea.

During these past four years, I have come to a much deeper appreciation and understanding of the priesthood, and hope that my monthly articles in the state bulletin have conveyed some of that to the members. Charity is the watchword of the Knights of Columbus, and certainly Father McGivney lived that love of God to the fullest.

I am grateful for the forty-three years of opportunity that I have been given to exemplify the virtues of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism in so many ways and I have decided that it is time for me to turn my portion of leadership in the KofC over to a new generation.

Vivat Jesu!

Duane L. Vincent FDD PFN PGK
Chairman, Fr. McGivney Guild

State Treasurer Message



Brother Knights,

It was great seeing you at the State Convention! Hope you enjoyed the Fraternity and the events of the annual meeting. Thank you for your continued support over this past year. I look forward to a new year and a new role.....the new fraternal year is just around the corner. Let's end this year with a BANG.

Well, this is it. You have worked the entire year long....and now it is time to get a bit of recognition that your council so deserves. Fill out that Columbian Award Application and get it in to Supreme. It is due by the end of June but please don't wait until the last minute. Don't push of your reporting requirements off to the next set of Council Officers. Let's get them wrapped up and you can breathe easier knowing you did your part and finished the year strong.

Make sure you have filed all your 450-c reports – remember these are required to attain Star Council award status. If you have forgotten to get them in.....let's make sure you get caught up. File them late, I am sure they will be accepted.

Elections have been held - your new slate of Officers have been decided - Please file your 185 as soon as you can. They are due by the end of June. Very important....If you are an outgoing Grand Knight - make sure this gets done for your council, also the State Directory information needs updated - or you will continue to get State mailings instead of your successor!

Remember missing items listed below Supreme has not recorded them.....and I have not gotten a copy of them. So please make sure your council is up to date - awards at the end of the year depend on these!!

MISSING FORM 1295 (Semiannual Audit):

Here are the councils still missing your audit. Protect your council's finances, do your council audit on time! They were due on February 15.

1401	Fr Parodi	Ellensburg	30
1565	Colton	Colton	8
1643	Fr Nicholas Rausch, OSB	Olympia	4
4367	Moses Lake	Moses Lake	30
4385	St. Louise-Overlake	Bellevue	14
7149	Holy Trinity	Goldendale	17
8079	Centennial	Des Moines	12
8150	Kent	Kent	27
9605	St. Pius X	Mountlake Terrace	21
11611	St. Joseph	Otis Orchards	18
11906	Holy Innocents	Duvall	23
12583	St. Aloysius Gonzaga	Spokane	5
14926	St. Joseph	Sunnyside	17

EXEMPLIFICATION FUND:

As mentioned at the summer leadership meeting – this fund is not normally billed to each council, rather the amount due is due when a new first degree member is exemplified. **Please pay promptly.**

As you will see in the accompanying chart – some councils may have overlooked their responsibility toward this fund and need to catch up. Please be a responsible council officer and submit payment as soon as possible and lighten my load. **If you have questions or concerns please let me know and we can talk through them.**

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Parazoo

State Treasurer

StateTreasurer@kofc-wa.org

**Presentation by Bishop Joseph Tyson
Diocese of Yakima**

Brother Knights:

I just have a few comments to make at this 8:30 time slot. In my homily last night I thanked you for your great outreach and concern that touches those who stand in the shadow of society from womb to tomb. Today I just want to make a couple of comments about the directionality the bishops here in Washington State are hoping to make with you about the unborn, the pregnant woman and her family.

First some background - recall that in the bishop's teaching document "Conscience Formation for Faithful Citizenship" there are a wide variety of issues that we need to study in order to form our consciences properly as faith citizens. But - and this is key - beginning and end of life issues are anchor issues. In other words - without the right to life - there are no other rights for any of the poor and marginal.

Second, the bishops in the three dioceses across the state have had very in-depth discussions about a more robust and coordinated approach including pre- and post-natal care when it comes to the unborn and their mothers. In December, I was grateful to meet with the state deputies at their gathering in Issaquah and laid out a proposal regarding a systematic way to better partner our parishes, our Catholic Charities agencies and the Catholics of our state in upholding the life of the unborn and walk the journey with mothers as well as their families facing particular challenges that stem from poverty and a lack of support.

Our metropolitan Archbishop, Peter Sartain along with my brother bishops asked me to serve as a point person for this initiative. Since meeting with the Knight of Columbus state deputies and the members of the Washington State Catholic Conference, I've already met with our Catholic agency directors from our three dioceses along with their key staff skilled and knowledgeable about the challenges women face as they give birth and raise their children.

To that end I want to let all of you know that this robust coordinate plan between our parishes, our Catholic Charity agencies and the Knights of Columbus will include:

1. *Planning a statewide convocation to promote the sacredness of all human life - including the unborn, those who are poor and struggling to live and the dying;*
2. *Working with Catholic Charities in preparing to expand services to pregnant women with the collaboration of our parishes and - we hope - the continued support of the Knight of Columbus that we started with the state deputies this last December; and*
3. *Partnering together to increase advocacy efforts on the public policy priorities established by the bishops here in Washington State. We're going to need your help in the stopping the abortion mandate for employers. We're also going to need your support in the many other partnerships we have with state and other strategic partners that assist women, children and family over the long haul as well.*

Again, we're all grateful for your support. Mark Milosca from the Washington State Catholic Conference is here with me as well as John Young our Yakima agency director. Mark is going to say a few word and then they'll be available for informal conversation here at your convention and through their respective offices.

Finally, my congratulations go to Don McBride for your wonderful personal advice and counsel to me and my own staff as we've worked to bring about this new initiative. My thanks also to your new leader who's already pledged support for this pro-life initiative.

Knights of Columbus 110th Annual Convention Awards**FAMILY OF THE YEAR**

42 years a Knight! From the beginning he became active in the council holding most elected officer positions including Grand Knight several times. His dedication to the Knights is evident in his tireless work on various committees and most as chairman. When it comes to youth you will find him working in some aspect of the activity such as the Free throw or Soccer Challenge.

He and his wife worked many events together especially fundraisers for college scholarships. When one style of fundraiser began to fail their expectations for funding they came up with another style to continue funding the scholarship program. As a civic minded couple they open their home to single sailors and marines who couldn't go home for the holidays. They also convinced the council to become involved with the Benedict House, a shelter for homeless men, by taking a regular turn cooking meals for the men.

He and his wife are very active in parish life. She is a Eucharistic Minister now in her twelfth year and as a team have taught CCD for over 13 years. They began the Chapel's marriage preparation team 10 years ago and are still involved. When the Navy shifted its commitment to serve members at sea the parish was left without a priest. They immediately set about trying to locate a new priest by meeting with the base commander and the Military Chaplain of Navy Region Northwest. In the interim they worked with the Seattle Dioceses for a temporary priest for weekend Masses. They pick him up and brought him back plus provided lodging and meals for him for nearly six months when a priest was assigned to the Chapel. This act alone guaranteed a continued Catholic presences on the Naval Base and saved a parish.

This year's family of the year is:

**Dennis and Christeen Cox family
Prince of Peace Council 13395 - Silverdale**



Knights of Columbus 110th Annual Convention Awards**KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - 2013**

Our Knight was raised in a devoutly Catholic family. He attended Mt. Angel Seminary during his high school freshman year, but transferred to "Columbia Preparatory" in Portland, OR, where he excelled in football and track. He earned an athletic scholarship to the Univ. of Portland, and starred as intercollegiate cross country champion in 1956. Such was his proficiency in track that he qualified to try out for the 1960 Olympics. Meanwhile he managed to graduate with a degree in Engineering, later earning his masters in Computer Science at WSU.

For the next 25 years, our Knight made his way in the world very well. Among his most important achievements was finding his wife, a nursing student whom he met in college. During their marriage of nearly 51 years (she passed away in 2011) they raised four accomplished children. His 21 years as a U.S. Air Force officer, included eleven deployments around the world. During the Vietnam War he flew many sorties as the pilot of transport planes, and in 1969 he was awarded The Distinguished Flying Cross for his service. He is known as the "plant guru" for development of green areas and parks. He has built trails and tended over 10,000 species of plants. One of his projects is the "meditation park" of more than an acre at St. John Bosco Church where he is a member of the Knights of Columbus.

His latest project is to provide support and comfort to Fr. Lee Hightower during the illness which forced his retirement as pastor of St. John's about a year ago. He took it upon himself to insure that Fr. Lee receives daily communion. He visits frequently to assist Fr. Lee, tell him jokes, and make Father's convalescence happier.

He has been a member of the Knights of Columbus since 1955 and in 1997 he was voted Knight of the Year. He exhibits the life of virtue in so many ways, that we are honored to name him Knight of the Year for 2013.

Brother Jim Senko

Knights of Columbus 110th Annual Convention Awards

2013 Council Service Program Award



Do you want to know a secret about keeping your council strong? The secret is to COMMUNICATE! That sounds about as simple as posting a bulletin board in the parish social hall where present and future events can be posted along with pictures of guys having fun being Knights. By doing this everyone in the parish might know what's going on with the Knights. It might even work to get a member or two. Or perhaps two or three consecutive Double Star Awards. Our 2013 Council Service Award winner is:

St. Joseph's Council 8872 in Colbert for it's "brilliant board", lead by GK Art Smalley

2013 Youth Service Program Award

The future of our nation is in our youth. This council has truly answered the call to aid these youth to grow in knowledge and confidence toward becoming future leaders.

This council worked hand in hand with their Squires Circle to host a Fishing Derby. The Fishing Derby was held in conjunction with Amateur Music & Backyard BBQ event that attracted over 250 youth. Other events besides the fishing derby included game booths as well as food booths. Proceeds from this event were donated to the "Wounded Warrior Program". This year's Youth Service Program Award winner is:



Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643 in Olympia. Kim Washburn, Grand Knight

2013 Church Service Program Award



Some of the best relationships that are made in the Knights of Columbus are made in the kitchen, working side by side with your Brother Knights, united for a cause and it is what we are all about. Because the kitchen is such a vital place for our mission, the deep sinks need to be shiny and the kitchen needs to be up to date so that we can succeed. One Council's kitchen this year was outdated and needed a facelift so the guys rolled up their sleeves, put on the "Mother of All Auctions" (\$25,184.00 Raised) and remodeled their churches "Manly Kitchen Cave".

Our 2013 Church Service Award goes to Colbert Council 8872, GK Art Smalley

The Award winning applications for each category will be posted on the State Website WWW.kofc-wa.org later this month. The link will be on the home page for your convenience.

Knights of Columbus 110th Annual Convention Awards

FAMILY SERVICE AWARD

FAMILY DAY AT THE MOVIES. HO! HO! HO! Dashing through the snow and off to the movies the family goes was this council's yuletide cry!

Even before the Thanksgiving turkey's goose was cooked Santa's helper was out arranging the event with the cinema manager. With the date set, movie list in place, tickets printed and publicity out all they needed was participants.

On the day of the event participants did come, 600 strong. So well it was two neighboring councils joined in the fun. The altar servers received accolades for their service. Santa and Mrs. Claus talked with children while handing out gifts of candy and of course the movie. When Santa left you heard him shout; congratulations to a winner:



Saint John Council 12983 Vancouver. Jerome Andre, Grand Knight



2013 Community Service Program Award

It takes heart to feed the poor. It takes courage to risk embarrassment for the sake of a good cause. And it takes a brain to put it all together. Our winning council put on a presentation of "The Wizard of Oz" and raised \$5,800 of the \$6,000 needed to fund the entire year out of pocket expenses of the House of Charity of Spokane.

Come up for your award "my pretty"....

Our 2013 Community Service Award winner is:

St. Joseph's Council 8872 in Colbert, lead by GK Art Smalley

2013 Culture of Life/Herbert Liebert Service Program Award

How does a society excuse killing a million people a year? The simple answer is that it cannot. But for those of us with a conscience we must remember and pray for those souls. This year's winner built a beautiful prayer garden for its parish so that they can pray there and never forget.

Our 2013 Culture of Life Service Award winner is:

**Fr. Anthony McGirl Council 7907 Issaquah.
GK Gregory Mahoney**



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Family Chairman's Message

EAVESDROPPING ON GREATNESS



*Marcus Aurelius, emperor of Rome from A.D. 161-180, was the last of the "five good emperors" whose combined reigns marked the golden age of the Roman Empire. He placed the good of society before his own comfort, he passed laws benefiting slaves, he wrote down in Greek the rules that guided his conduct; these **Meditations** became a book whose popularity has lasted to the present day.*

His "meditations" find their way from his soul to the reader, he does this with a softness and a dignity that remind me in part of Thomas Merton in that they invite you to surrender yourself, to share their journey, their morality, and their inner experience. Both of these men have learned to live and learn within the fortress of solitude and contemplation that we all have inside us.

As with the writings of Merton his words are more words that you overhear rather than read. These are men that are in effect talking to themselves; I sometimes feel that I'm eavesdropping on great men. I can only imagine what it would have been like to have had my ear is at the keyhole of the room while Jesus and his Apostles were having their last Supper.

These past two years as your State Family Chairman I have had the honor of having my ear at the keyhole of the Washington State Council's many doors. I can honestly tell you that it was one of the most educational, humbling and inspiring experiences of my life. What I've seen and heard as your State Family Chairman of the lives, the backgrounds, the achievements, and the personal courage of so many outstanding men and their families was a life changing "human" experience.

Brothers in the last two years being around these men of distinction I've come away with a renewed feeling of brotherhood and fraternity. These men display a candor, a quiet pride, a kindness, a sense of humor, a love of life that translates into a love for their fellow man. **These men**, these Knights, are a rare thing in today's culture: close up, as from afar, **they are my Hero's**. I ask you from the bottom of my heart to continue to display an "**Attitude of Gratitude**" towards these men, your fellow Knights, by including one of them each and every month in your **Hall of Fame** and by recognizing them thru **The Family of the Month Program**.



FOOD FOR FAMILIES PROGRAM

Like Don Quixote in this Picasso sketch

KNIGHTS CHANGE LIVES

Fighting against the windmills.... doing the impossible.... providing a helping hand.... as sentries at the gate....defending the unborn and the weak.

The Knights of Washington State can handle it:

"BRING IT ON!"

**"SUPREME HAS EXTENDED
THE DEADLINE UNTIL JUNE 30TH"**

Brothers, unnecessary misery can be an impediment to salvation. When you don't know where your next meal is coming from, it can be hard to think about the state of your soul! Hunger leads to desperation, Hunger breaks the spirit, and Hunger has no morals.

"LETS MULTIPLY THE LOAVES!"

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

Tootsie Roll



If you haven't started planning your Tootsie Roll Drive and securing locations, time is ticking. Of course, the main push will be at the Summer Meeting in Yakima; however, my council in Olympia has been experiencing heavy bookings. Please get started in securing locations.

A spirited election for the new State Warden position was experienced by all in attendance at our Convention in Pasco. I was honored and humbled to be included as a candidate for this office and after 3 or 4 ballots I was elected as your new State Warden. I am so grateful that you have put your trust in me and I will do my very best to not let you down.

I am finding out the State Warden job and the Program Director job that goes with it, is a very, very busy position and will require my constant attention. Because of this, the need for a co-chairman for the Tootsie Roll Chairman is evident.

I am pleased to announce my selection of Patrick Kerley from Council 15143 Spokane to shadow me, ultimately, taking over the Tootsie Roll Chairmanship. He has a lot of energy, enthusiasm, knowledge of the program and great computer skills. You will be well served. In time, a Westside co-chairman may be necessary.

Nothing will change for now. He will be listed next to me as the co-chairman on the columbuscharities.net website and all paperwork. I will call on him, from time to time, to assist answering questions and to carry out duties. All forms, proof of non-profit status and paperwork will be directed to me, as usual, for this year. He will start giving presentations in January. Please be patient as we work through this process. We all want this program to grow and continue its success.

This program is successful because of you and there are many councils out there that have not experienced the great joy of raising money with Tootsie Rolls. We are "Helping People with Disabilities", in the pursuit of a better life. If you are one of the councils that have not participated, DO IT. You will not regret it.

God Bless you all and let's blow right through the \$150,000 goal this year.

Kim Washburn
Tootsie Roll Chairman
SW-Elect



FS Trainers Tips of the Month

Brother Financial Secretaries,

The Summer Leadership Training in Yakima is just around the corner. We will be conducting training and problem solving sessions on Saturday and Sunday. One session will separated the new FSs from the 'more experienced' FSs. and the other will be a group session for discussion, questions, concerns and use of the online training modules. The general agenda is located in the bulletin for your consideration. We encourage all to attend and hope to see you there in July!

If you order Certificates of insurance for your council's activities, please be aware that we need to give approximately one week lead time in order that the originating company will have time to comply with our needs. Some exceptions can be made, but should be limited.

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Broadhurst
FS Consultant
fsconsultant@kofc-wa.org

**PRIESTS, BROTHERS, NUNS.
THEY NEED US.
WE NEED THEM.**

Vocations Are Everybody's Business

SILVER KNIGHT AWARDS

Congratulations to Silver Knight Awardees for May 2013:

Roger Devaney	Spokane 11134
Stan Hicks	Kennewick 10653

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



Sick Notices April 2013

Viola Brown, wife of Gene Brown FS.....Everett 763
Council Tacoma 809
 Frank Grant PGK, FDD
 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
 Thomas L Weber PSD Colton 1565
 Council Pasco 1620
 Cocot Ratuiste, wife of Morie Ratuiste
 Jerry & Jeannie Whitish
 Joe Garza
 Darryl Foltz
 Rob Rodger
 Angeline Spinler, Mother of the Spinlers
 Fr John Birk , Chaplain
 Council Richland 3307
 Al Davis
 Scott Lewis
 Patrick Stanley
 Andy Patello, son of Mike Patello
Council Renton 3645
 Richard Perfect
 Howard Connelly
 Rich Goodwin
 Charles Seitz
 Dick Combs
 Margaret Midkiff, wife of Dennis Midkiff
 Wanda Bostick, wife of Harry Bostick
Council Spokane 4196
 Virginia Haspert, wife of Arnold Haspert
 Georgia Hughes, wife of Bill Hughes
 Ray Seely
 Del Orthouse
 John Mares,
 Phyllis Lamb, wife of Roy Lamb
 Bill McElroy
 Pansey Marro, mother of Mike & Tony Marro
 Juanita Wood, wife of Orval Wood
 Deacon Dick Malone, Tom Davies, Tom Slagle
 Ed and Ann Gunning
 Richard Diehl, father of Jim Diehl
 Elaine Tai, wife of Bill Tai
 Sue Galles, wife of Ed Galles
 Sue Greany, wife of Bryon Greany
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
CouncilBothell 6686
 Harry Mathewson & wife Julia
 Lenny Treichel, wife of Del Triechel
 Patricia Baumann, wife of Mike Baumann
 Dan Heidrich

Sick Notices April 2013 continued

Council continuedBothell 6686
 Patty Ziebert, wife of Harold Ziebert
 John Flynn
 Jennis Bapst
 Terry Podany, mother of Glenn Podany
 Christen Heye, daughter of Dan Heye
 Frank Dellino
 Steve Dellino
 Leo Sheridan GK Spanaway 6806
 Ed Anderson Redmond 8102
Council Spokane 8137
 Rev Mike Ryan
 Rev Vince Pastro
 Rev Richard Gallagher
 Bob Byrnes, Mel Haus
 Darrell Ehlers and wife Lyndel
 Jim Meucci and wife Marilyn
 Jim Sheffield and wife Joan
CouncilKent 8150
 Ray Mudd & wife Dorothy
 David Blair & wife Anitalane
 Elmer Dalisky & wife Doris
 Malcom Efta & wife Julia
 Robert Hall & wife
 Kip Hilson & wife Lisa
 Paul Maassen
 Jerry Mayer
 Jim Meucci
 Jim Sheffield
 Clyde Schendzielos
 Leon Gutierrez
Council Kennewick 8179
 Kyle Hadley, Wife of Karl Hadley PSD
 Ruth Hadley, Mother of Karl Hadley PSD
 Jim Pantaleo, GK Spokane Valley 8201
 Mary Lee McJimsey, wife of Chris McJimsey PGK .Spokane 8398
 Joseph Jezik Sequim 8455
Council Stanwood 8476
 Todd Belcher
 Gary W Cloninger
 Roger Docken
 Evelyn Jarolimek, Wife of Matt Jarolimek PGK
 Scott Kinsman, Stephen Lutovsky, Jamie A Otto
CouncilColbert 8872
 Del Murray
 Dale Blair
 Jim Bonner
 Jim Sullivan
 Marie Benton, wife of George Benton
 Richard Jacobs Sr
 Mary Bloom, wife of Tom Bloom
 Council Spokane 9237
 Deacon Don Whitney
 Roger Cole

Sick Notices April 2013 continued

Council Deer Park 9721
 Dennis Allard
 Floyd Franklin
 Jim Robasciotti
 Jim Hill
 Fr Al Grasher
 Deacon Dick Skok, Al Siguaw, Tom LaVigne

 Sergio Pineda Prosser 10543
 David Konzek FS Consultant Kennewick 10653
 Tess Kelley, wife of Pat Kelly, State Warden
 Pat Kelly, State Warden Tukwila 11253
Council Langley 11357
 Fr Gerald Moffat
 Dick Bruya, Deacon Larry Jesmer, Lyle Spink
 Don Steward & wife Dorothy
 Paul D'Avanzo and wife Margaret
Council Kirkland 11408
 Bill Davis
 Marcus Dunsmore
 Todd Elliott Mercer Island 11642
Council Lakewood 11762
 John M Wallace IPSD
Council Covington 11780
 Polly Gilyeat & Valarie Turma, sisters in law of Scott Gilyeat
 Kristen Berg, daughter of Peter Berg, Rudy Bien-Arnie & family
 Dorothy Fouquet, Mother-in-Law of Ron Cunningham
 Jennifer Beckie, Wife of Adrian Beckie
 Bassan Gergees, Brother of Laith Jarjees
 Juana Capuli, Mother-In-Law of Doug Patke
 Nancy Arnson, Daughter of Bill Arrigoni
 Lawrence Racicot
 Jim Boespflug
 Ben Dario
 Adrian Beckie
 Malcolm Chang
 William Arrigoni
 Dick Cogswell
 Walter Patke, Brother of Doug Patke
 Sue Webber, Wife of Grant Webber
 Holly Smith, Daughter of Larry Miller
 Bonnie Cacchione, Sister-in-Law of Angelo Battisti
 Joan Elisha, wife of Jerome Elisha
 Steven Palmer, nephew of Scott Gilyeat
 Francisco and Minda Limjoco, in-laws of Felino Singh
 Elinor Battisti, Mother of Angelo Battisti
 Ian Wolhwend, Grandson of Sam Racicot
Council Belfair 12002
 Allan Elder
 Steven LeFabvre
 Pauline Pierre, grandmother of Peter Guthrie, GK . Spokane 12583
 George Czerwonka State Secretary Spokane 12583

Sick Notices April 2013 continued

Council Colville 12273
 Russ Larsen, Michael Huff, Jack Thorpe
 Marvin McLain, father of Chad McLain
 Bill Danekas Sr, father of Bill Danekas Jr
 Richard Hassell, GK Bainbridge Is 12251
 Joseph Reese Lynden 12420
 Mrs Guthrie, grandmother of Peter Guthrie GK Spokane 12583
Council Edmonds 12591
 Walter Davis III
 William Brayer
 Barbara Fanger, wife of Frank Fanger
 John McAlerney
Council Vancouver 12899
 Duane L Vincent PGK
 Sylvia Vincent, wife of Duane L Vincent PGK
Council Enumclaw 13364
 Ed and Genevieve Merrill
 Mike Binetti, Fernand Breault, James McElroy, George Terhaar
 Dale and Judy Faulk
 Marlene Rossman, wife of George Rossman
Council Renton 13374
 Joe Capita & wife Cathy
 Chet Cullers
 Jerry Vosbert
 Pat Kelly, State Warden
 Tess Kelly, wife of Pat Kelly, State Warden
 Tsuchino Forrester, wife of Michael Forrester
 George Staeheli & family
 Wayne Moddison
 Dave Thompson
 Bob Ball
 Gerry Hubbard, wife of Jim Hubbard
Council (continued) Renton 13374
 Tim Hope & wife Kiyomi
 Fr Ed White, Chaplain
 Danny Hodges, Bob Lawler
 Fr Brian Snyder
 Bob Paulson & daughter Nicole
 Ed & Helen Iddings
 Dale Simpson & wife Darlene
 John Kampsen
 Barbara Collins, wife of Ted Collins FS
 John and Joan Swanson
 Debbie Sweeney, wife of Sheldon Sweeny
 John and Eleanor Bertagni
 Danny Wittgens, son of Bernie Wittgens
 Domingo Ongking, wife of Hubbel Ongking
Council Leavenworth Cashmere 13597
 Frank Haubner, Terry McCauley
Council Sumner/Orting 15136
 Virgil and Dee Hedlund
 Lea Raffle

> 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.

May 2013

Edward Brickner	Spokane 683
Laverne Bippes	Spokane 683
Martin Kirlin	Spokane 683
John Ringwood	Spokane 683
John Costello	Spokane 683
Harold Lacey	Vancouver 1327
George Mathewson, Jr.	Renton 3645
Ralph Crawford	Yakima 6097
Edmund Anderson	Redmond 8102
Lawrence Coleman	Spokane Valley 8201
Thomas Petruzzi	Camano Stanwood 8476
Al Capili	Kirkland 11408
Rev Lee Hightower, Former State Chaplain	Lakewood 11762
Don Batcheler	Puyallup 11948

Deaths Prior to 2013

Charles Sells	Spokane 683
Edward Kosmerl	Spokane 683
Patrick Close	Spokane 683
James Solan	Spokane 683
Richard Wieber	Spokane 683
James Haynes	Spokane 683
James Burgen	Spokane 683
Edward Kelly	Spokane 683
Sam Compogno	Spokane 683



*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.

Family Members' Deaths

May 2013

Ted Stocking, Son of Joseph Stocking, Grandson of R. Michael Stocking	Seattle 676
Mary McEnderfer Mother of Peter McEnderfer	Pasco 1620
Marie Scheel, Mother of Henry Scheel	Pasco 1620
Norma Elmido, Mother in Law of Gerry Garrison, District Deputy 12	Auburn 3598
Elizabeth Andrews, Mother of Mike Andrews ...	Edmonds 12591
Jeanne Doran, Mother of Tom Doran	Edmonds 12591

Some family members passed away in previous months or years

Father Oliver Lee Hightower 1935-2013

Former Vice State Chaplain Washington State Knights of Columbus

Father Oliver Lee Hightower, a longtime educator, Army Chaplain and pastor of St John Bosco Parish in Lakewood, died May 7th. He was 77.

Father Hightower was born in Havre, Montana on July 19, 1935 to Oliver and Mary Hightower and grew up in Butte, Montana, where he attended Butte Central High School. He went on to Carroll College in Helena, enrolled in a pre-seminary program and earned a bachelor's degree in philosophy.

He received a master's degree in languages from the University of Louvain in Brussels, Belgium. He studied foreign languages at the Goethe Institute in Munich and the Sorbonne in Paris. He was ordained a priest on June 26, 1961 in Brussels.

Father Hightower returned to Carroll College and taught French and German before heading to Georgetown University in Washington, D.C., where he received a master's degree in linguistics. He then returned again to Carroll College where he taught languages including Greek and Italian. He next traveled to the University of Washington to earn his doctorate in philosophy before once again returning to Carroll College to teach philosophy and theology, eventually becoming the dean of students.

After being asked by ROTC students to celebrate Mass for their unity, Father Hightower joined the Army Reserve. He eventually joined the active duty Army, attended chaplain school at Fort Bliss in Texas and was commissioned as a second lieutenant.

His assignments included Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe in Belgium; Korea, where he remembered celebrating Mass on the hood of a jeep in the field; and Scholfield Barracks in Hawaii, where he celebrated Mass on Waikiki Beach while the congregation sat in lawn chairs.

He attended command and staff school and was promoted to the rank of major. His last assignment was at Fort Lewis, where he served as chaplain for nine years. He was discharged with the rank of lieutenant colonel in 2002 after 15 years as an Army chaplain on active duty and 7 years as a reservist. During his Army career, he received 6 Army Commendation Medals and 4 Meritorious Service Medals.

Father Hightower was incardinated in the Archdiocese of Seattle on July 1, 2002 and served as pastor of St. John Bosco Parish in Lakewood and Immaculate Conception Mission in Steilacoom for the next 10 years. He was the priest moderator for Sacred Heart Parish in Lacey from 2004-2010. He also served the residents of Anderson Island and ministered to the inmates of McNeil Island Corrections Center.

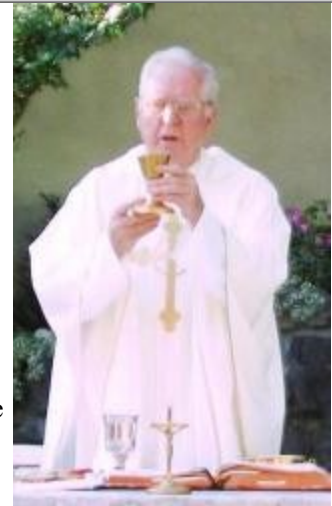
He led several pilgrimages to Italy, Spain, Ireland and France. After celebrating his 50th ordination anniversary in 2011, he retired from his pastorate in July of 2012.

Father Hightower never let his academic degrees or military rank define him, but was always a priest in service to God and his people, his family recalled. He was preceded in death by his great-niece Molly Hightower, who was volunteering at an orphanage when she was killed in the 2010 earthquake in Haiti.

He is revived by his brother, John; nephews Mike, Paul, Jeff and Jesuit Father Craig Hightower; nieces There Hightower and Christina Zimmerman; and great-nephews and nieces Jordan, Zach, Sean, Olivia, Isabel, Broghan and Hailey.

A funeral Mass was celebrated May 13 at St. John Bosco Church. Remembrances may be made to the Pierce County Habitat for Humanity.

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June 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	3	1	33.3%	8437	79	5	0	0.0%
3044	47	3	1	33.3%	8455	90	6	-2	0.0%
7149	42	3	-1	0.0%	8672	78	5	5	100.0%
9605	42	3	5	166.7%	8768	87	6	0	0.0%
11085	43	3	1	33.3%	9145	82	5	3	60.0%
11736	36	3	3	100.0%	9237	51	4	0	0.0%
12002	40	3	2	66.7%	9617	84	6	3	50.0%
12420	41	3	0	0.0%	9637	52	3	0	0.0%
12483	40	3	3	100.0%	9721	58	4	-3	0.0%
12889	47	3	7	233.3%	9910	63	4	0	0.0%
13422	47	3	-1	0.0%	9941	58	4	0	0.0%
13462	41	3	0	0.0%	10532	72	5	1	20.0%
13761	47	3	0	0.0%	10534	64	4	-1	0.0%
13831	34	3	0	0.0%	10652	83	5	7	140.0%
13834	37	3	0	0.0%	10664	59	4	0	0.0%
14268	43	3	2	66.7%	11252	67	5	1	20.0%
14510	41	3	-9	0.0%	11253	81	6	-4	0.0%
15143	49	3	3	100.0%	11357	79	5	-2	0.0%
15338	29	4	0	0.0%	11408	82	6	-2	0.0%
15462	27	6	0	0.0%	11478	96	7	9	128.6%
15558	0	0	2	0.0%	11611	77	5	1	20.0%
Division II - 50-99 members					11906	71	5	11	220.0%
1401	92	6	10	166.7%	12175	52	4	1	25.0%
1449	62	4	0	0.0%	12251	52	4	2	50.0%
1629	81	5	10	200.0%	12273	95	7	0	0.0%
1674	77	5	6	120.0%	12583	98	7	9	128.6%
1758	64	4	4	100.0%	12786	93	6	4	66.7%
1823	52	3	1	33.3%	13186	91	6	-1	0.0%
2155	78	5	1	20.0%	13238	99	7	8	114.3%
2260	90	6	2	33.3%	13364	56	4	2	50.0%
5177	75	5	0	0.0%	13395	68	5	11	220.0%
5495	85	5	1	20.0%	13597	52	4	2	50.0%
6706	87	5	0	0.0%	13606	66	5	5	100.0%
7117	78	5	1	20.0%	13794	99	7	13	185.7%
7360	78	5	1	20.0%	14046	70	5	4	80.0%
8079	81	5	27	540.0%	14162	51	4	-3	0.0%
8102	93	6	0	0.0%	14394	60	4	-2	0.0%
8136	73	5	4	80.0%	14689	88	6	7	116.7%
8150	96	6	4	66.7%	14852	51	4	-1	0.0%
8266	52	4	1	25.0%	14922	61	4	5	125.0%
8297	96	6	2	33.3%	14926	54	4	2	50.0%
8311	88	6	0	0.0%	15136	70	5	4	80.0%
8398	60	4	1	25.0%					

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Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss	Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss
Division III - 100-149 members					Division IV - 150-249 members				
829	126	8	6	75.0%	809	234	15	7	46.7%
894	135	8	1	12.5%	1327	177	11	2	18.2%
1460	127	9	5	55.6%	1379	198	12	21	175.0%
1488	114	8	8	100.0%	1545	151	10	2	20.0%
1550	119	8	-4	0.0%	1620	159	10	-2	0.0%
1565	131	8	1	12.5%	2999	175	12	6	50.0%
1699	100	7	2	28.6%	3361	236	14	9	64.3%
2103	129	8	4	50.0%	3598	217	14	4	28.6%
2126	110	7	1	14.3%	4385	184	12	0	0.0%
2303	103	7	0	0.0%	4782	225	15	-1	0.0%
2763	143	9	2	22.2%	5816	198	13	-9	0.0%
3153	123	9	0	0.0%	6097	225	15	10	66.7%
3455	143	10	0	0.0%	6686	209	14	-2	0.0%
3611	108	7	0	0.0%	7642	216	15	18	120.0%
3645	117	8	6	75.0%	7908	150	10	17	170.0%
4196	148	10	13	130.0%	8201	186	13	-15	0.0%
4322	134	8	2	25.0%	8476	172	12	5	41.7%
4367	133	9	9	100.0%	8872	159	11	21	190.9%
6806	128	8	-5	0.0%	9238	207	14	1	7.1%
7356	102	7	1	14.3%	9434	153	11	3	27.3%
7863	129	9	11	122.2%	10653	170	12	3	25.0%
7907	111	8	8	100.0%	11134	152	10	10	100.0%
8015	102	7	1	14.3%	11217	167	12	2	16.7%
8137	133	9	5	55.6%	12983	162	11	8	72.7%
9664	124	8	5	62.5%	Division V - >250 members				
9833	137	9	-6	0.0%	676	350	18	4	22.2%
10543	100	7	3	42.9%	683	321	21	-3	0.0%
11642	111	8	-3	0.0%	763	353	23	6	26.1%
11762	139	10	-8	0.0%	766	277	18	10	55.6%
11780	129	9	-19	0.0%	1643	349	22	34	154.5%
11789	139	10	-11	0.0%	3307	334	22	9	40.9%
11948	114	7	13	185.7%	7528	314	22	12	54.5%
12591	140	10	-35	0.0%	8179	308	21	-18	0.0%
12899	129	9	6	66.7%					
13374	130	9	12	133.3%					
13560	110	8	-3	0.0%					

Ceremonials

Washington's Newest Certified Second Degree Team
SFC Wyatt Goldsmith Second Degree Team, District 33
Wayne C. Hogan, VSM, PSD
State Ceremonial Chairman

On Thursday, May 30, 2013 District 33's second degree team was certified in Colville. This is our twelfth certified second degree team. With the addition of District 33's second degree team, Washington now has twelve certified teams; in western Washington nine teams, Districts 1, 2, 3, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15 and 21 and eastern Washington three teams, Districts 7, 8 and 33. There remains fourteen districts that have received the second degree books and their teams are not certified; in western Washington eight teams, Districts 4, 16, 19, 22, 24, 25, 29 and 34 and eastern Washington six teams, Districts 5, 6, 10, 17, 18 and 28. Encourage these district deputies and second degree team captains to recruit team members, if they have not already done so; to train team members, if they have not already done so and once their team is ready to request certification.

District 33' second degree team members are: District Deputy: Dean Proszek (District Deputy 33), Grand Knight: Ed Broadhurst (Financial Secretary Council 12273), Financial Secretary: Ed Parazoo (State Secretary-Elect) Chancellor: Dr. Ramon Canto, Warden: Dwane MaKinson and Inside Guard Ron Christian.

The team conducted an outstanding evaluation second degree. My congratulations to all the team members, the knights who participated and assisted in the degree and especially District Deputy 33 Dean Proszek and Team Captain Ed Broadhurst.

The team changed its name from Northeast Second Degree Team to SFC Wyatt Goldsmith Second Degree Team to honor a brother sir knight's ultimate sacrifice to our country.



Wyatt A. Goldsmith was born in Redmond, Washington on September 21, 1982. Wyatt joined the Knights of Columbus on August 20, 2002 and was a member of Colville Council 12273.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army in June 2004 as a Special Forces recruit. In October 2004, upon completion of basic training, advanced individual training and the basic airborne course at Fort Benning, Georgia, Wyatt was assigned to the 1st Special Warfare Training Group (Airborne) at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Wyatt attended Special Forces Assessment and Selection in 2005 and was selected to continue his training as medical sergeant in the Special Forces Qualification Course. After graduating from the Special Forces Qualification Course in 2008, Wyatt was assigned to 3rd Battalion, 1st Special Forces Group (Airborne) Joint Base Lewis-McChord as a Special Forces medical sergeant.

His military education included the Special Forces Medical Sergeant Course, Military Freefall Parachutist Course, Survival, Evasion, Resistance and Escape Course, Basic Airborne Course, Advanced Leaders Course, and the Warrior Leader Course.

Sergeant First Class (SFC) Wyatt Goldsmith was assigned to Company A, 3rd Battalion, 1st Special Forces Group (Airborne), based at Joint Base Lewis-McChord and on his third deployment to Afghanistan. Wyatt was killed in action on July 15, 2011.

His awards included Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device, Purple Heart, Army Commendation Medal (2nd Award), Army Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Afghan Campaign Medal with one campaign star, Iraqi Campaign Medal with two campaign stars, Global War on Terrorism Medal, Non-Commissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, NATO Medal, Parachutist Badge, Military Freefall Parachutist Badge, Special Forces Tab and Combat Infantryman Badge. Wyatt was posthumously awarded the Meritorious Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal and Purple Heart (2nd Award).

Brother Wyatt was a fourth degree sir knight and his father, John, was the Grand Knight of Colville Council 12273, in 2004-2006 and 2011-2012.

Community Message



Wow! Another State Convention has come and gone ... and what a convention it was! This fabulous celebration of fun, awards and leadership was hosted by the six (6) councils of District Seven in (7) Pasco, WA at the Red Lion Hotel during the period May 17-19. The state's convention Chairman for the 110th Convention was Marcel Bergeron and he, as well as the District Deputy; Jeff Kadinger did an outstanding job in this huge and arduous task. Additionally, I wish to add special congratulations to new State Deputy-Elect, George H. Czerwonka and State Warden- Elect, Kim L. Washburn (Elected on the 4th ballot). I would also like to congratulate St. Joseph's Council #8872 and it's Grand Knight, Art Smalley on winning this year's State Community Service Award. Their project provided Catholic Charities of Spokane almost \$5800 and was entitled "The Wizard of Oz." This outstanding council built the stage, set, sold tickets and performed the play that generated this generous sum. Well done brother knights!

Although the winner of this Community Service Award was extremely difficult to choose due to the quality of award submissions, councils need to do a better job of documenting the valuable community events that their council performs on an annual basis. Only 24 Community Service awards were submitted and this state currently has 155 councils. Next year my goal is to get at least 75 award submissions. In order to achieve this, Grand Knights need to select active and accountable Program Directors. Start now by insuring your council's Program Director attends the Summer Leadership Meeting, July 19 - 21, in Yakima at The Red Lion Hotel. I truly believe that a stalwart Program Director and timely submission of service awards and other necessary documents goes a long ways to helping a council grow its membership as well membership retention. Council recognition with viable, vibrant programs attracts parish attention and awareness and causes interest in the Knights of Columbus. Grand Knight's select your committee chairmen and leaders carefully. Yes, these are voluntary positions, but they need to be worked and key leaders need to be mentored. Leadership takes time and effort. Insure your key leadership is willing to expend it. Your council's "health" will thank you! I look forward to seeing you all in Yakima in July.

Lastly, the fraternal year still has 30 days left. This is plenty of time to add several new members and get Star Council for your council. Each Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight and Program Director should encourage all other council officers to recruit a new member. Get all new members before a First Degree prior to the end of June. If all of us do that, this State will meet its membership goal for this year. Let's do our part to close out this great fraternal year for the out-going State Deputy, Don McBride, by helping this state get in "The Circle of Honor". Don has performed his duties superbly, but he needs our help and perseverance in the remaining 30 days to get or surpass the state's membership numbers. Let's "Git 'er done!"

It has been my privilege to be your State Community Chairman this fraternal year. I have met many of you, gained valuable friendships and knowledge and had a blast in service to this state's Knights of Columbus. I have been asked to perform this function again next year and with your support and assistance we will contribute to membership growth and retention by having meaningful and well planned programs. To that end, I hope to see all of you at the Summer Meeting in order for all of us to learn and grow. Begin planning your fraternal year 2013-2014 calendar now. Consider your service program chairman carefully and hold them accountable. Lead and mentor. This state, your council and your membership will thank you. Let's finish strong and look forward to seeing you all real soon. Vivat Jesus!

Ron Girkins
State Community Chairman

Congratulations from Council

I want to congratulate:

Harry J. Tucker Fraternalism Award Winner – District 2 Spokane Council 14394

Project – Paul Whipple Memorial Spaghetti Feed

Council Service Program Award Winner – District 28 Colbert Council 8872

Project – Public Relations

Knight of the Year – District 22 Lakewood Council 11762

James F Senko

I would also like to thank all those councils who submitted applications for this fraternal year. I would also like to thank State Deputy, Don McBride for the opportunity to serve as his State Council Chairman for this fraternal year.

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD
State Council Chairman

Council@kofo-wa.org

Wheelchair Program



The delivery time for a container runs around 120 days from the date the order is placed. There are still councils that have made this program a success that we have not heard from yet. We want to hear from you. I will be in contact with those councils so we can finish the logistics planning and get the wheelchairs into the hands of those that need them.

We can get wheelchairs in five sizes: 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 inches.

Would you like to receive the wheelchair(s) and distribute them?

1. What size of wheelchair(s) would you require?
2. The wheelchairs come individually boxed weighing approximately 35 pounds each.
3. The only assembly is snapping on the footrests.
4. I will need a contact person's information

Would you like the State to handle the distribution of your wheelchair(s) on your behalf?

Could you use any additional wheelchairs?

- The wheelchairs cost \$150 each.
- Is there someone in your community that would like to purchase a wheelchair?
- Does the Council need an additional funding source? This funding source might be able to provide the wheelchairs free of charge depending on the need.

If your parish does not have a wheelchair for emergencies, I would like you to consider purchasing one of ours. It has our name stitched on the back and stickers on the sides. What a great way to promote this program and the Knights of Columbus.

If there are still any councils or assemblies that wish to purchase wheelchairs, please let me know. Your checks need to be sent to the State Secretary, George Czerwonka.

Again I want to thank you on behalf of the Washington State Officers and myself for your contribution(s) and prayers in making the Wheelchair Program a success in the State of Washington.

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

Council Message

COUNCIL ELECTIONS



The fraternal year is coming to a close. Let's not rest on our laurels for the year is not over and there is still work to be done. One of the things to be done is the Election of Officers.

SEC. 128. All officers, except the Financial Secretary, Lecturer and Chaplain, shall be elected annually, by ballot at a regular business meeting held between the fifteenth day of May and including the fifteenth day of June each year, and with the exception of the Trustees who shall serve for terms not to exceed three years as provided by Section 145, said officers shall hold their offices for the term of one year from the first day July following and until their successors are elected and qualified.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Notify the Supreme secretary of the names and addresses of all council officers using Report of Officers Form 185 or electronic equivalent.

Washington State Council Directory Change Form

As soon as the Councils' Election of Officers is held, please fill out the Directory Change Form for the Grand Knight, Financial Secretary and Chaplain. *I would strongly recommend using the online form. It's quick and legible. It will help cut down on errors in the State Directory that will have to be corrected later.* If any of these three Officers are the **same** as last year, **please do NOT say "same as last year"**. The State Directory each year starts with empty pages. Your information is what fills in the pages.

The time frame for putting the State Directory to press is from May 15th to July 1st (estimate). It goes through several reviews. The earlier you can get us this vital information, the easier life will be for those putting together the State Directory.

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

FAMILY OF MONTH

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

Family of:

Stanley & Dee Shimkus Anacortes 3611
Juan & Frances Colon Tacoma 6806
Jorge & Rosa Soledad Federal Way 7908
Brian & Bonnie Savo Renton 13374
George & Julie Daher Seattle 14852

230 Washington Councils participated in this program for April 2013. Thank you for your efforts.

Announcing

Knights of Columbus Summer Leadership Meeting July 19 – 21, 2013

Red Lion Hotel – Yakima
607 E. Yakima Ave., Yakima, WA 98901
Reservations 1-(509) 248-5900 or link at kofc-wa.org

ATTENDEES: Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Council Program Chairmen, Council Membership Directors, District Deputies, State Chairmen, Insurance Agents

WHERE: Red Lion Hotel Yakima, 607 E. Yakima Ave., Yakima, WA
1(509) 248-5900 or link at kofc-wa.org

Room Rates - \$90.00 Single- \$90.00 Double Beds occupancy plus taxes - Cut-off Date for Room Reservations **July 4, 2013**

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE (Times are approximate)

- **Friday – July 19 (State Officers, District Deputies and State Chairman)**
 - 12:00 Noon – State Officers' Meeting
 - 6:00 PM – District Deputy & DD Mentor Training
 - 8:00 PM – Reception for District Deputies and State Chairmen
- **Saturday – July 20 (All Attendees)**
 - 7:00 AM – Registration
 - 9:00 AM – Training Sessions
 - District Deputies & DD Mentors
 - State Chairmen
 - Financial Secretaries
 - Grand Knights
 - Noon – All Attendees Luncheon
 - 12:15 PM – Welcome All Attendees
 - 1:30 PM – Leadership Meeting for All Attendees
 - 5:30 PM – Mass followed by Buffet Dinner & Social
- **Sunday – July 21 (All Attendees)**
 - 8:00 AM – Leadership Meeting for All Attendees
 - 12:00 Noon – Adjourn

FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION
SATURDAY JUNE 8TH 2013
SACRED HEART PARISH 812 BOWKER ST. SE LACEY, WA 98503-1210

The host assembly is St. Francis of Assisi Assembly 1183

District Master Eugene Daly 425-891-5497 email : kodiak98027@yahoo.com
 District Marshal John Rowley 360-718-7988
 District Marshal Phil Clingan 253-304-9955
 District Marshal Joe Schamer 360-829-4366
 The Faithful Navigator is Mike Colosi (360-870-5597),
 Faithful Comptroller is Phil Kelley (360-459-1499)

The degree team is the Western Washington Fourth Degree Team

EXEMPLIFICATION HONOREE

EVENT TIME SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY	TIME	LOCATION-SACRED HEART PARISH
Registration	12:30-1:45pm	Admin. Building, Fellowship Room
Lunch	12:30	Hallen Hall HH1-4
Exemplification	2:00-4:00 pm	Hallen Hall, Multi-Purpose area
Ladies Program	2:00-4:00 pm	Admin. Building Fellowship Room
Public Knighting/picture taking	4:15 pm	Hallen Hall, Multi-Purpose area
Mass	5:00 pm	Church Building
Social with Cash Bar and Banquet	6:00pm	Hallen Hall, Multi-Purpose area

BUFFETT MENU

Classic Caesar Salad, Antipasto Mix, Soft Herbed Breadsticks, Tender Medallions of Beef, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Pasta Tossed with a Creamy Sundried Tomato-Pesto and Mediterranean Vegetables. Desert- Chef's Surprise, Coffee, Decaf, Tea.

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
 To send the form 4's check's to
 Eugene Daly
 4525 S Bell 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 1183.

DRESS

MEN: Plain Black tuxedo, plain-collared white shirt, black tie, black shoes and socks. Military/Policemen/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.

Hispanic Membership Chairman

Continuing actual account of Guadalupe, the Nicon Mopohua, written by Antonio Valeriano in Nahuatl, language spoken in 1531.

St John Diego did what he was instructed to do on this last apparition, he climb the hill on that cold winter morning to pick flowers as the beautiful lady had asked him to do. Juan knew that flowers did not grow in winter, much less on that rocky hill full of thistle, mesquites and cactus. He had faith, he did not question; this same faith should be witnessed when the Guadalupe Silver Rose comes to visit parishes throughout E. Washington, July 21 – August 11, let's make the most of her visit, one Rose, one life.

Juan Diego hurried back down the hill with flowers he had picked wrapped in his Tilma, he took them to the heavenly Maiden. She took them into her precious hands and rearranged them in his times saying,

“My youngest and dearest son, these different kinds of flowers is the proof, the sign that you will take to the Bishop. You will tell him from me that he is to see in them my desire, and therefore he is to carry out my wish, my will. And you, who are my messenger, in you I place my absolute trust. I strictly order you not to unfold your Tilma or reveal its contents until you are in his presence. You will relate to him everything very carefully: how I sent you to the top of the hill to cut and gather flowers, all you saw and marveled at in order to convince the Governing Priest so that he will then do what lies within his responsibility so that my house of God which I requested will be made, will be built.”

As we absorb this message to Juanito, nothing is impossible for her who is the Mother of God. Juanito was on a mission to get a doctor for his uncle who was on his death bed, how could this heavenly Maiden appear to Juanito and his uncle at the same time? Is this magic, no it's faith, we just need to believe that she is our Mother and appeared to a lay person, that today represents all lay persons such as you and me. She placed her trust in him a humble person, widowed that believed in this new faith in this new land, this faith we call Catholic faith. She said she came to bring him who is, who was and will always be, and she carried him to this new world in her womb. The Olin Flower, which means Lion to the Indians, was placed on her mantle near her womb, telling us she carried the Most High to this land. She gave birth as the Old Testament tells us, she gave birth and escaped the red dragon, the red dragon that the old book speaks about is evil, and it is abortion that is seen today.

The stars on her mantle, it has been discovered that truly they were positioned on the mantle just as the stars appeared in the sky that night, but positioned as seen from heaven, not from earth. Her brooch is that of royalty, her tender smile was that of love for the people of this new land.

She tells Juanito that the house she desires to have built if for God, she commands a house for God to be built, something we too can build within ourselves, within our hearts with his love in us. How many do not believe this message she left behind for us to grow stronger in our faith: this unbelief is an opportunity for us to reach out, evangelize the unbelievers, this is part of our ministry as members of the Knights of Columbus, ask all Catholic men, have you ever thought of becoming a member Knight, tell him today more than ever, unity is urgent, the Bishops told us this at the State Convention, we must unite under the banner of Christ against the evils that confront us today, they are dressed in sheep clothing and they wish to devour our Catholic faith, we Knights must be the defenders of our faith and the Christian world.

Mike Calderon

State Hispanic Membership Chairman

Guadalupe Silver Rose Chairman

Guadalupe Silver Rose Chairman

A Pilgrim Journey

Since 1960, the Knights of Columbus have celebrated a devotional tribute to Mary in the form of yearly pilgrimage of a Silver Rose. The Silver Rose honors Our Lady of the America's, and expresses the unity of our Order and its dedication to the sanctity of human life. It provides us an occasion to strengthen the spirituality of our councils and build bridges within our parishes, particularly with the Hispanic community.

In recent years the program has expanded to from three to five silver roses traveling the western, central, and eastern corridors of North America, with Knights of Columbus from Canada to Mexico carrying the Silver Rose from destination to destination, and finally to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico.

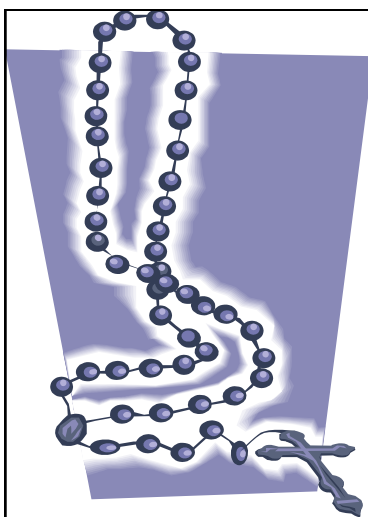
The goal of the Washington State Council this year is to have the Silver Rose visit key Parishes in Eastern Washington from Spokane, to Yakima, Yakima Valley, Tri-Cities and Walla Walla, that will participate by hosting a parish prayer event and providing an escort for transferring the rose from one council to another.

Prayer Focused on the Gift of Life

Every stop along the route of the Silver Rose Pilgrimage is an occasion for prayer and spiritual renewal centered on the rosary. English and Spanish prayer booklets containing recommended prayers, scripture readings and a litany accompany the Silver Rose.

It is a special honor for a council and parish to be chosen to receive the Silver Rose, this happens very rarely. Plan to make the most of it.

The Lord marked his children, especially those that evangelize, he chose, Mother Mary of Guadalupe, to bring him as unborn to the New World, where children were being sacrificed, just as they are being sacrificed today. One can find that mark by looking in the mirror, look at the nose, below is a mouth that is the mark God gave us, preach and if necessary use words.



**Pray the
Rosary Daily**

Guadalupe Silver Rose Chairman



One Life, One Rose
Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose Program
Schedule of locations

Date	City and Jurisdiction	Location (church or Council Home
July 21, 2013	Chewelah WA 99109	St Mary of the Rosary
7-22	Colbert, WA	St Joseph
7-23	Spokane, WA	Assumption Parish
7-24	Spokane, WA	St Charles 4515 Alberta
7-25	Spokane, WA	St Anthony
7-26	Spokane, WA	St Joseph Parish 1503 W Dean Av
7-27	Spokane, WA	St Mary's Parish 304 S Adams Rd
7-28	Otis Orchard, WA	St Joseph 3720 E Colbert Rd
7-29	Transported to Ritzville for transfer to Connell	Chairman Aguilar To meet Chairman
7-29	Connell, WA	St Vincent
7-30	Pasco, WA	St Patrick 1320 W Henry
7-31	Pasco, WA	St Patrick 1320 W Henry
Aug 1, 2013	Prosser, WA	Sacred Heart 608 Ave E
8-2	Granger, WA	Our Lady of Guadalupe
8-3	Grandview, WA	Blessed Sacrament 1201 Mission St
8-4	Yakima, WA	St Joseph 212 N 4 th Ave
8-5	Yakima, WA	Holy Family 5315 Tieton Dr.
8-6	Yakima, WA 99801	Holy Redeemer 17075 3 rd
8-7	Moxie, WA	Holy Rosary 201 N 11 th St
8-8	Benton City, WA 99320	St Francis Xavier Cabrini 1000 Horne Rd
8-9	Walla Walla, WA	St Patrick 415 W Alder
8-10	Kennewick, WA	St Joseph 901 W 4th
8-11	Kennewick, WA	St Joseph 415 W 4th

8-11 to be transferred on or about mid day following Sunday's Spanish mass as has been the custom.

Viva Cristo Rey!

Mike Calderon
 Guadalupe Silver Rose Chairman

Bishop White Seminary

As you may have heard, Bishop White Seminary in Spokane is still carrying a construction debt of ~\$495,000. Obviously the longer BWS carries this debt, the less financial resources they and the Spokane Diocese have to apply toward the education of our future priests.

Recalling that the greatest principle of the Knights of Columbus is Charity, and to that extent, one of our primary roles is to support our clergy, both spiritually and financially, **Colfax Council 1488 and District 8 are issuing a direct challenge to every council in the state to meet or beat their donation of \$1500 to Bishop White Seminary toward the construction debt reduction of Bishop White Seminary.** A flyer is attached that we request be forwarded to all your councils.

Please get the word out quickly to your councils!

Each council should send their funds directly to Bishop White Seminary (see address below) with a note that it's for the reduction of the principle of the loan.

Bishop White Seminary
Attn. Rev. Steven Dublinski
429 E. Sharp Ave.
Spokane, WA 99202

This could be a very successful endeavor, but it will require the identification of champions of this cause in each district that will help push it through by contacting and following up with each council.

The elimination of the BWS construction debt is within reach – LETS MAKE IT HAPPEN!

Vivat Jesus!

Kurt Zimmerman
DD District 8
DD.District8@hotmail.com
509-334-3489

Dick Appel
GK, Colfax Council 1488



Bishop White Seminary Challenge

Colfax Council 1488 challenges EVERY COUNCIL in Washington State to meet or beat their donation of \$1500 toward the elimination of the BWS construction debt.

When we join together, we cannot fail!

Seminarians:
Louis Cunningham - Seattle
Edward Duncan - Seattle
Peter Guthrie - Seattle
Colin Parrish - Seattle
Thomas Tran - Seattle
Benjamin Bray - Seattle
Justin Leedy - Spokane
Matthew Machotka - Spokane
James Powers - Spokane
Richard Grablin - San Francisco

Loan Balance: \$495,000

Put "debt reduction" on the memo line on checks and send them to:
Bishop White Seminary
429 E Sharp Ave.
Spokane, WA 99202

 **Knights of Columbus**
Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism
In support of our Pope, Bishops, and Priests 



**Summer Meeting golf Tournament
Friday July 19th 2013**

**Suntides Golf Course
231 Pence Road
Yakima, WA 98908
(509) 966-9065
suntidesgolf.com**

**Starting time 8 AM
First 20 registrations are in**

For additional information contact

**State Youth/Sports Chairman Ken DeVos
206-248-2543 or youth@kofc-wa.org**

OR

**Terry Wauzynsky
509-452-9513 or dd6@kofc-wa.org**

Prizes for Low Gross, Lot Net, Closest Too, Low Putts just name a few



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

at Cheney Stadium

THURSDAY, JULY 11TH - 7:00PM

Join your fellow Knights of Columbus, Council 1643 members, family and friends for a fun night at Cheney Stadium! The Knights of Columbus will be singing the National Anthem prior to the game. The Rainiers will be taking on the Sacramento River Cats!



YOUR TICKET INCLUDES:

Group Double Play (\$16.50):

- Reserved Seat game ticket
- Ballpark meal (hot dog, Tim's cascade snack & beverage)
- Complimentary game program - The Dirt
- Limited Edition Tacoma Rainiers hat

DON'T FORGET ABOUT THESE GREAT DETAILS:

- Pre-game autographs on the concourse
- Group recognition on the HD videoboard

For more information call Jack Winslow - E-Mail: jwinslow@alsco.com



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