

WASHINGTON STATE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

HAPPY  
THANKSGIVING  
"THE SECOND EDITION"  
NOVEMBER 2018

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**Don't forget to say to your Brothers,**

**"Merry Christmas."**

**TO ALL STATE OFFICERS & CHAIMEN, DDs,  
FAITHFUL NAVIGATORS,GKS, AND PSDs  
(PAST AND PRESENT)**

*"Merry Christmas" is a time honored way of sharing the spirit of peace and joy with your acquaintances, loved ones, and your Brother Knights.*

For the past several years the "Second Edition" has provided an opportunity for all of the leadership in our state to wish our membership a "**Merry Christmas** and a "**Happy New Year**" to their Brother Knights and their Families. This year we plan to carry on the tradition. Please consider sending your greeting to me by **DECEMBER 12TH**. The greeting need only be a simple sentence or a paragraph, it's up to you. **This has been one of our most popular issues over the past few years.**

Please send it in a Word document to: [stevesnell@charter.net](mailto:stevesnell@charter.net)

**Any questions please contact me by email  
or phone -509.386.3462**

**Steve Snell Editor "Second Edition"**



# SUPPER WITH DAD

A son took his 80 year old dad to a restaurant for supper. His dad being very old and weak, while eating, dropped food on his shirt and trousers. Other customers watched him, feeling embarrassed for both of them, while the man's son was calm.

After they finished their supper, his son who was not at all embarrassed, quietly took his dad to the washroom, wiped the food particles, removed the stains, combed his hair and fitted his glasses on firmly. When they came out of the washroom, all the customers were watching them in total silence, not understanding how someone could embarrass themselves in public as they had done over supper this evening. The son paid the bill and was walking out with his father.

When an old man, one of the customers in the restaurant called out to the man's son and asked him, 'You know young man you have left something behind?"

The son replied, "No I don't think so. No sir I don't believe I have".

The old man replied, "*Yes, young man you have!" With tears in his eyes and his voice breaking up slightly he said, "you've left a powerful image for every son and a promise for every father".*

The restaurant went silent.....

**MORAL: WE ALL KNOW, HOW OUR PARENTS CARED FOR US FOR EVERY LITTLE THING. IT'S OUR TURN, LOVE THEM, RESPECT THEM, AND CARE FOR THEM.**



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# BEYOND OUR SYMBOLS

By STEVE SNELL

As Knights we must stand up for and see beyond the symbols of our Order's values to the riches they represent. To those who sit in the back row and do not partake in or try to defend those riches, to those who do not even try to look or fail to see beyond the symbols. I am reminded of a story I once heard of someone "going out to dinner and eating the menu," rather than the meal it describes.

I think in today's culture there may be a good deal of menu eating going on. We must rage against this, we must participate, we must live and protect our values. My brothers, we must grow by inviting our fellow men and their families to join us in defense of our faith and families. Brothers move from the back row to the front row.....

**WE NEED YOU!!**

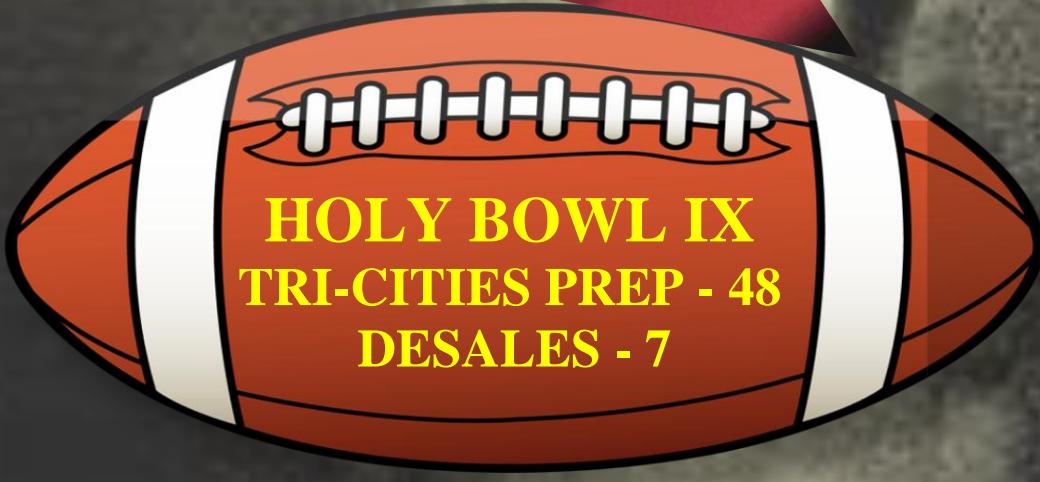
*Don't die with your song still inside of you*

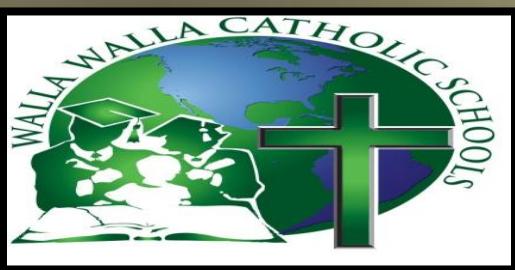




**DESALES DERAILED IN PASCO**

**COURTESY TRI-CITIES PREP**





PASCO - OCTOBER 19, 2018: Tri-Cities Prep was a football tsunami at Chiawana High School, they just kept on rolling Friday, as they easily beat DeSales 48-7. The victory was nothing new for Tri-Cities Prep, they have now won eight in a row.

Tri-Cities Prep's took control in the opening minutes and never let go, they came up with 27 first-half points. On the visitors side of the field, DeSales couldn't get started, leaving the score at 27-0 at half time. Tri-Cities Prep pretty much kicked the door shut in the third quarter with 14 points from the offense and zero points allowed from the defense.

DeSales came out on the short end of the yardage chart 420-91 and committed the game's only two turnovers - an interception and a fumble.

The first turnover was grabbed by Kobe Singleton, who returned the ball 18 yards for a score just 91 seconds after the opening kickoff. Turnover No. 2, which occurred later in the first quarter, ended an Irish threat in the red zone.

Tim Scheel returned a fourth-quarter kickoff 87 yards for a touchdown during Holy Bowl #9's Eastern Washington Athletic Conference football game with the league-leading Tri-Cities Prep at Chiawana High School. It was a rough night for the Irish.

Tri-Cities Prep can now "ride with pride" their 8-0 unbeaten record toward the end of the regular season. DeSales is on a three-game losing streak that has dropped them down to 3-5.

**The Holy Bowl Trophy will call Tri-Cities Prep home for the coming year.**

**Holy Bowl X will take place in Walla Walla next year!**

**"STRONG VISIBLE PROGRAM"**



# COLLEGE COUNCIL SERVICE AWARD

The College Council Service Program awards recognize outstanding council programs in six key areas of outreach — Church, Community, Council, Family, Youth and Culture of Life— during the preceding fraternal year. Whether ongoing or one-time initiatives, these programs embody the spirit of the Order and serve as an inspiration for all Knights of Columbus.

## CHURCH AWARD

**Winning Program:** “Visible Signs of Catholic Identity on Campus” by St. Martin’s University Council 16361 in Lacey, Washington

To be named the winner in the Church service program category, a college council must display a commitment to the faith and a desire to share that devotion with their peers and those on the peripheries. Though our communities are often blessed with great facilities in which to worship and gather as a community of faith, there are often ways to improve our Catholic presence on campus, as the members of St. Martin’s University discovered this past year.

Throughout both the Advent and Christmas seasons, the council obtained an outdoor Nativity scene and displayed it outside the student dining hall throughout the entire Advent and Christmas season outside the student dining hall. This made a difference in the atmosphere of the campus, reminding students through the stress of finals of the serenity of the Holy Family, and of the impending joy of Christmas.

When Mardi Gras came around, the Knights of St. Martin’s University distributed ice cream in the residence halls, and used that time to explain the connection between Mardi Gras and the Lenten season to follow. For the rest of Lent, they filled a need found on campus: a lack of Stations of the Cross.

To remedy this lack, the St. Martin’s council purchased a set of the Stations of the Cross and arranged with the facilities staff to have holders installed on the light poles around the main campus quad. During Fridays in Lent, the Knights placed the stations out at 8 AM and took them down at 5 PM so that students walking from the residence halls to class or to meals would be visibly reminded of the Lenten season and the Passion of Our Lord. Council members also invited their community to pray the Stations of the Cross on the quad, led by their chaplain, every day they were up Friday.

In addition to these seasonal events, the St. Martin’s council supported a weekly Rosary prayer group in the residence halls by distributing rosaries and rosary instructional pamphlets after the student liturgy for several weeks.

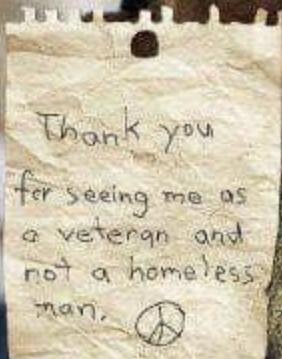
**SUBMITTED BY DAVID OLWELL**

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MARTIN'S  
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THAT LOOK YOU  
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WHEN SOMEONE  
DISRESPECTS OUR TROOPS

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FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS

# VETERANS DAY

Thankful  
for our  
Heroes



Thank you.

TRIBUTE TO OUR SOLDIERS

**ARLINGTON COUNCIL 8015**

# "COATS FOR KIDS, WASHINGTON",

Four members of Stillaguamish Council 8015 delivered 10 cases of coats for the Arlington Kids Closet 10/15/2018. The Kids Closet stated they arrived just in time as their supply of coats was depleted with cold temperatures on the way.



Submitted by Roger Willis  
Washington State Coats for Kids Chairman  
(509) 531 5770

**KNIGHTS IN SERVICE**

# FAMILY MEMORIES



*(It's the wise father who knows that the most important things in life aren't things)*

**By STEVE SNELL**

My Dad, like so many men of his generation, lost the opportunity for a college education because of a conspiracy of circumstances -- first the depression (he joined the CCCs and sent half of his pay home,) then a 6 year stint in the Marines, he served in the Pacific Theater during WW II, Guadalcanal and Tarawa being just a couple hot spots he dropped in on. After marrying mom the old man went through a romantic period in which by his own admission he "**made love well but not wisely,**" soon there were too many kids to feed, too many to do anything but work with mom to keep food on the table.

My Father was a great believer in education, if he read it in a book it was gospel and **a teacher was never wrong!** I learned well before junior high not to knowingly disagree, in front of dad, with a teacher's opinion, especially their opinion as stated in my report card. I carefully avoided the intellectual thicket of disagreeing with any of my teachers, because in Dad's eyes **they were always right.**

There was one time however when he violated his own rule; I was a pitcher on our high school varsity baseball team and one of my teachers was the umpire. Well, in the bottom of the last inning the score was tied, bases were loaded, two outs, the count was 3 balls 2 strikes, I threw a fast ball that went beautifully over the outside corner of the plate, blind Willy called it a ball, the winning run walked home.....

**That evening at supper the old man said to mom, "very seldom have I seen a man of his education make a bad call, but old Willy sure as hell blew one today."**

**Mom and I just stared blankly at each other, I glanced at the window just as a pig flew by, I think mom saw too.**

**THE LORD OFTEN WORKS IN MYSTERIOUS WAYS!**



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Worthy Brothers All,

Below is a timely election-related message from our Archbishop that will lead you to the Catholic Church's position on public policy issues and an invitation to join the Washington Catholic Advocacy Network. The bishops are especially interested in having our members join the Washington Catholic Advocacy Network because they know what leaders within the Church you all are here in Washington. The Catholic Advocacy Network needs more of us as part of its network so that it will be bolstered in advancing the Church's position, so spread the word. There is no financial obligation and they promise not to inundate you with emails. Sign up today and God Bless you all!

Link to Flyer:

[www.kofc-wa.org/FrontPageContent/Misc/WSCCVoterFlyer.pdf](http://www.kofc-wa.org/FrontPageContent/Misc/WSCCVoterFlyer.pdf)



Dear Brother Knights of Washington State,

With election season upon us and the responsibility we all share to participate in the democratic process, now is an important time to learn more about the Catholic Church's position on key matters of public policy. An excellent way to do so is to connect with the Washington State Catholic Conference (the WSCC). The Conference is the public policy voice for myself and my brother bishops in the Archdiocese of Seattle and the Dioceses of Spokane and Yakima. Please see the attached election resources prepared by the staff at the WSCC and please also consider joining the Washington Catholic Advocacy Network, which is easy to do by visiting [www.WACatholics.org](http://www.WACatholics.org). I greatly appreciate your support.

Sincerely in Christ,

Archbishop Peter Sartain  
Archbishop of Seattle



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# MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

DRIVEN BY LARRY DEVLIN, RENATO ENRIQUEZ  
SACRAMENTO, AND DD 15 STEPHEN SCHWEYEN

ACTIVE COUNCIL GROWTH

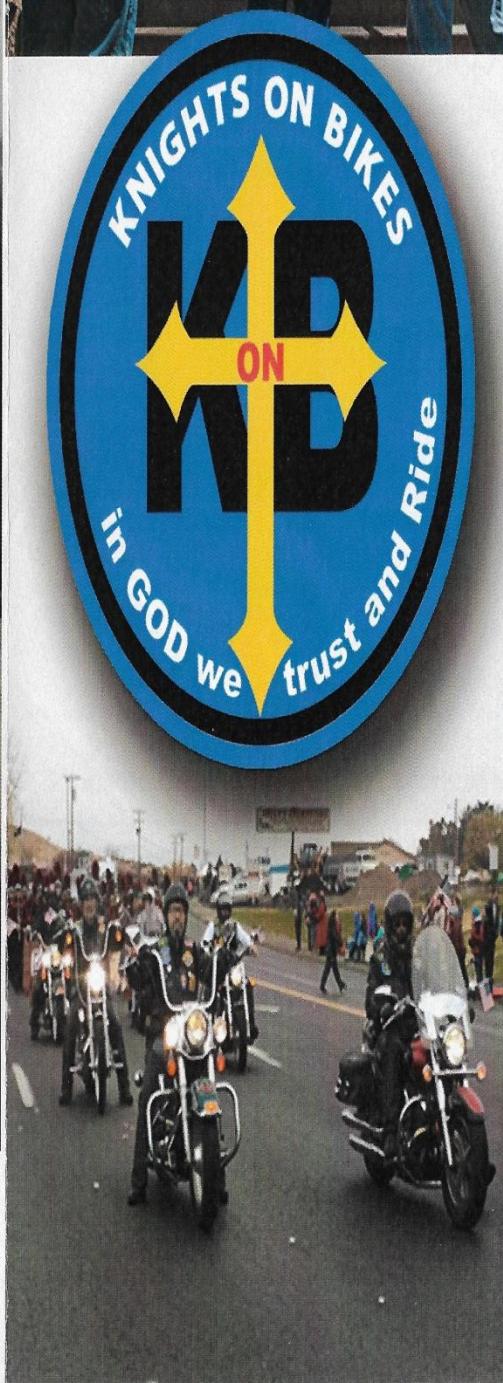


## OUR HISTORY

Upon purchasing my Harley - Davidson Fatboy, I wanted to express my pride as a Knights of Columbus member on my motorcycle. So, I created a metal plate for my bike and affixed my KC decal to it. Since then, brother knights appreciated the uniqueness of it and subsequently ensued. As a result, and without realizing, the "Knights on Bikes" was originated and thereafter was officially established in April 2005.



**Knights on Bikes**  
P.O. Box 60303  
Ft. Worth, TX 76115  
<http://knightsonbikes.net>



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**KNIGHTS  
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IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

# Mission Statement

Evangelization to the Catholic Community.

In the spirit of the Pontifical Council for the Pastoral Care of Migrants and Itinerants

Guidlines for the Pastoral Care of the Road, Knights on Bikes live and witness faith as Catholic Motorcyclist's.

*faith, fun, hope,  
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**Q** Who qualifies?

**A** Any member of any Knights of Columbus Council worldwide.

**Q** Do I have to own a motorcycle?

**A** Yes! Must own a motorcycle of any type; or anticipate owning one within 6 months of joining.

**Q** What are the rewards of being a KonB Member?

**A** Enjoying camaraderie with fellow brothers, spreading the word and faith of the Lord.

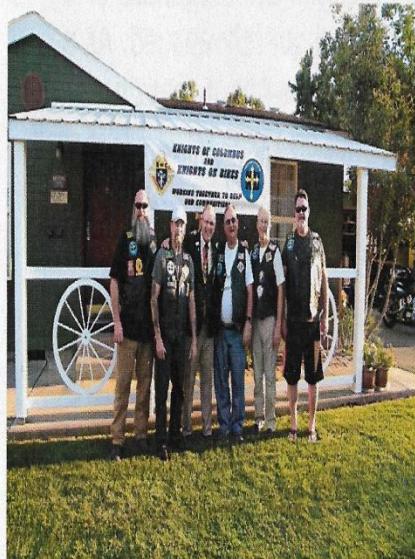
**Q** How can I recognize a Knight on Bike?

**A** We proudly wear our KC Emblem along with a gold cross on the back of our vest, with a patch representing our diocese on the front.

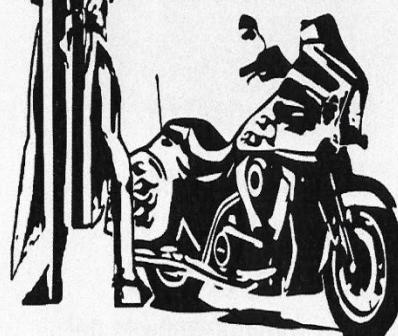
**Q** What are some types of services we provide?

**A** \* Annual escort of the Silver Rose. \* At the service of the Bishops, Priests and Catholic Parishes. \* Community and fundraising rides.

**PRAY LIKE YOU ARE GOING TO LIVE FOREVER... PRAY LIKE YOU ARE GOING TO DIE TOMORROW...**



SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL  
Knights On Bikes



# COATS FOR KIDS



## Our Lady of the Lake Council 16184

- Will have its first distribution on Nov 3, 2018
- at Stevens County, Suncrest Fire Station 8  
5972 State route 291  
Nine Mile Falls, Wa 99026

**FYI:** This is our first time doing the Coats for Kids and anticipate having more coats to distribute after our Nov 3 date.  
so we may end up doing a second date.

**Hal Balzert FS 16184**  
**(509)995-8436**

**Submitted by Roger Willis**  
**Washington State Coats for Kids Chairman**  
**(509) 531 5770**

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## KNIGHTS IN SERVICE

Submitted by Roger Willis

Washington State Coats for Kids Chairman

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# DEGREE SCHEDULE

Worthy State Officers, District Masters, District Deputies, Conferring Officers, PFCs, Wardens, and Formation Degree Staff Coordinators.

Please find attached a pdf and an excel version of the current Knighthood degree schedule, dated November 4, 2018.

All information on the schedule remains the same since the last update on 10/02/2018.

The degrees in Olympia and Lacy areas originally scheduled on Sept. 29 and Nov. 10 have been postponed to dates to be determined in February or March time frame. I will keep you posted on those changes as they develop.

All DDs who are the Host DD for the degrees over the next 60 days, are to post the degree information as soon as possible on the state web-page. It is imperative that the degree information be posted on the state web-page and personally provided to all Co-Host DDs by the Host DD.

The following three degrees are scheduled through the end of December 2018. Please note the ones with asterisks that are not posted on the State Calendar at this time:

11/17/2018**	Spokane	HDD05
<b>12/08/2018</b>	<b>Marysville</b>	<b>HDD13*</b>
12/15/2018	Spanaway	HDD03

\* Degrees not posted to date

\*\* Combined Formation/Knighthood Degree

Information on the degrees should be submitted to the State Web-Master Tim Philomeno at [webmaster@kofc-wa.org](mailto:webmaster@kofc-wa.org) with a copy to me.

My wife and I are Italy at the moment and will return on Nov. 14th.

Ciao

Marcel P. Bergeron, PGK, FDD, PFN  
Ceremonial Director  
Washington State Council



# 2018-2019 EXEMPLIFICATION SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	CO	PFC	DISTRICTS
7/21/2018*	Seattle	Roth	DeVos	1, 13 & 26
8/25/2018*	Seattle	Hogan	Kelley	1, 13, 15, 26 & 33
9/15/2018****	Bothell	Maloney	Roth	13, 14, 16, 21 & 23
9/22/2018****	Yakima	Hadley	Bergeron	6, 7, 10, 17 & 29
9/29/2018****	Oak Harbor	Hogan	Wilson	9, 19 & 31
9/29/2018*	Auburn	Bergeron	Roth	3, 12, 22 & 34
TBD	Olympia	Kelley	Devine	4 & 30
10/20/2018*	Vancouver	Hogan	Ablao	11, 25 & 35
10/24/2018**	Richland	Bergeron	McDonnell	6, 7 & 17
10/27/2018*	Seattle	Roth	Abalo	1, 15, 26 & 33
10/27/2018*	Bremerton	Hogan	Devine	2, 24 & 28
TBD	Olympia or Lacey	Kelley	Devine	4 & 30
11/17/2018*	Spokane	Bergeron	Myles	5, 8, 18, 20 & 32
12/8/2018*	Marysville	Roth	Ablao	13, 16 & 21
12/15/2018*	Spanaway	Bergeron	Devine	3, 12, 22 & 34
1/12/2019*	Port Angeles	Hogan	Ablao	2, 24 & 28
1/12/2019*	Mercer Island	Kelley	DeVos	13, 14, 16, 21 & 23
1/19/2019*	Bothell	Kelley	Ablao	1, 13 & 26
1/19/2019*	Clarkson	Bergeron	Myles	5 & 8
1/26/2019*	Lynden	Hogan	TBD	9, 13 & 31
1/26/2019*	Bremerton	Hadley	Devine	2, 24 & 28
2/20/2019**	Walla Walla	McBride	McDonnell	7 & 17
3/2/2019*	Colbert	Bergeron	Myles	5, 8, 18, 20 & 32
3/9/2019*	Gig Harbor	Bergeron	Devine	2, 24 & 28
3/16/2019*	Longview	Hogan	Roth	11, 25 & 35
4/13/2019*	E. Wenatchee	Hadley	Bergeron	10, 29
4/13/2019*	Bellevue	Kelley	Abalo	13, 14, 16, 21 & 23
4/23/2019***	Kennewick	Hadley	Bergeron	6, 7 & 17
5/4/2019*	Lakewood	Hogan	Devine	3, 12, 22 & 34
6/1/2019*	Covington	Hogan	Ablao	12, 15, 27 & 33
6/1/2019*	Arlington	Roth	TBD	9, 19 & 31

**BOLD** denotes Host District

\* denotes Saturday degrees

\*\* denotes Wednesday degree

\*\*\* denotes Tuesday degree

\*\*\*\*denotes joint 2nd & 3rd degrees

HDDs are in Red

STATE DEPUTY \_\_\_\_\_



# HEARTS ON FIRE CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Gentlemen,

The 2019 Catholic men's conference is scheduled for January 26, 2019. It will be held at the Mirabeau Park Hotel & convention center in Spokane Valley.  
**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!!**

It promises to be one of the best conferences ever. With the theme of "Build Wisely", it features two well-known EWTN speakers: Fr. Wade L.J. Menezes, CPM and Peter Herbeck. In addition, as in the past conferences, it also features time for confessions and the Bishop will say Holy Mass. Lunches will be provided as part of your registration fee.

How to register?? EASY. Log onto dioceseofspokane/men's conference. It will show the link for registering for the conference. After you have filled out all the required info, it will provide an option to either register as an individual or as a group. The group rate for each man is \$30. We only need 10 men to constitute a group. So, **REGISTER AT THE GROUP RATE**. I'm confident we'll get our 10 men this year. It will ask for the name of the group leader. That would be Tom Garrett. We are counting all registered men in Pend Oreille County as our "Group". Go on the site now and register. You'll love the conference.

**NOTE:** I don't have an email address for every P.O. county man, so share this with your fellow male parishioners.

Call if you have questions. 509-671-5064

God Bless,  
Tom G.



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# PLUG IN SOME USEFUL INFORMATION

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**VITAMIN B12 DEFICIENCY:** Do you get tingling in your hands and feet? It's one thing for your feet to fall asleep after you've been sitting in a funny position; it's another to get random, sporadic bouts of pins and needles, which is a classic sign of B12 deficiency. When the body doesn't get enough of this powerhouse vitamin, the protective coating that surrounds nerve cells (the myelin sheath) can become damaged causing symptoms like tingling and numbness. B12 occurs naturally only in animal foods like eggs, meat, seafood, and dairy – so it can be tough for vegans and vegetarians to meet the RDA (2.4 mcg). If a blood test confirms the diagnosis, your MD may prescribe a supplement, which should resolve any weird prickling in your fingers and toes. Here are examples of average micrograms (mcg) in a 3 oz. serving - Cooked clams 84.1, Cooked beef liver 70.7, Wild rainbow trout 5.4, Sockeye salmon 4.8, Farmed trout 3.5, Light tuna fish 2.5, Double-patty cheeseburger 2.1, Haddock 1.8, Broiled beef top-sirloin 1.4, Milk 1 cup low-fat 1.2, Low-fat yogurt 8 oz. with fruit 1.1, Swiss cheese 1 oz. 0.9, Soft beef taco 0.9, Cured roasted ham 0.6, Hard-boiled egg 0.6, Roasted chicken breast meat 0.3. [Health.com October 2018](http://Health.com October 2018) and NIH - National Institutes of Health

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**URGENT:** Not long after Labor Day, you started hearing it.  
“Get your flu shot!” Did you comply?  
**US Center for Disease Control - CDC**

**TEN TOP INVESTMENT BLUNDERS:** (10). Buying an annuity in a tax-deferred account. (9). Losing ground to inflation. (8). Thinking Indexing is a low-risk strategy. (7). Holding over-lapping positions. (6). Taking unnecessary risks. (5). Letting your emotions guide your investment decisions. (4). Chasing performance. (3). Pennywise and pound foolish on fees. (2). Ignoring your fund's manager. (1). Unreasonable expectations. Are you invested within your risk comfort level or do you worry at night?

**Forbes Magazine**

George H. Czerwonka, Jr.  
1018 S. Carnine Lane  
Spokane Valley, WA 99037-5036  
509-370-1001



**LOOKING FOR BETTER IDEAS?  
THIS IS WHAT VANCOUVER COUNCIL 15730 DOES.**

From: Tim Shotwell <[tim.l.shotwell@gmail.com](mailto:tim.l.shotwell@gmail.com)>

Date: Tue, Nov 6, 2018 at 12:21 PM

Subject: Banners

To: Roger Willis <[willis347@gmail.com](mailto:willis347@gmail.com)>

I made 8 banners 1 foot by 10 foot. to go around 2, 10' by 10' Canopies As you can see in the photograph. And we put 500 copies of Coats for kids foundation flyers in our bulletin. If you advertise you will get more money.

Tim Shotwell

DGK

Council 15730



# "COATS FOR KIDS"



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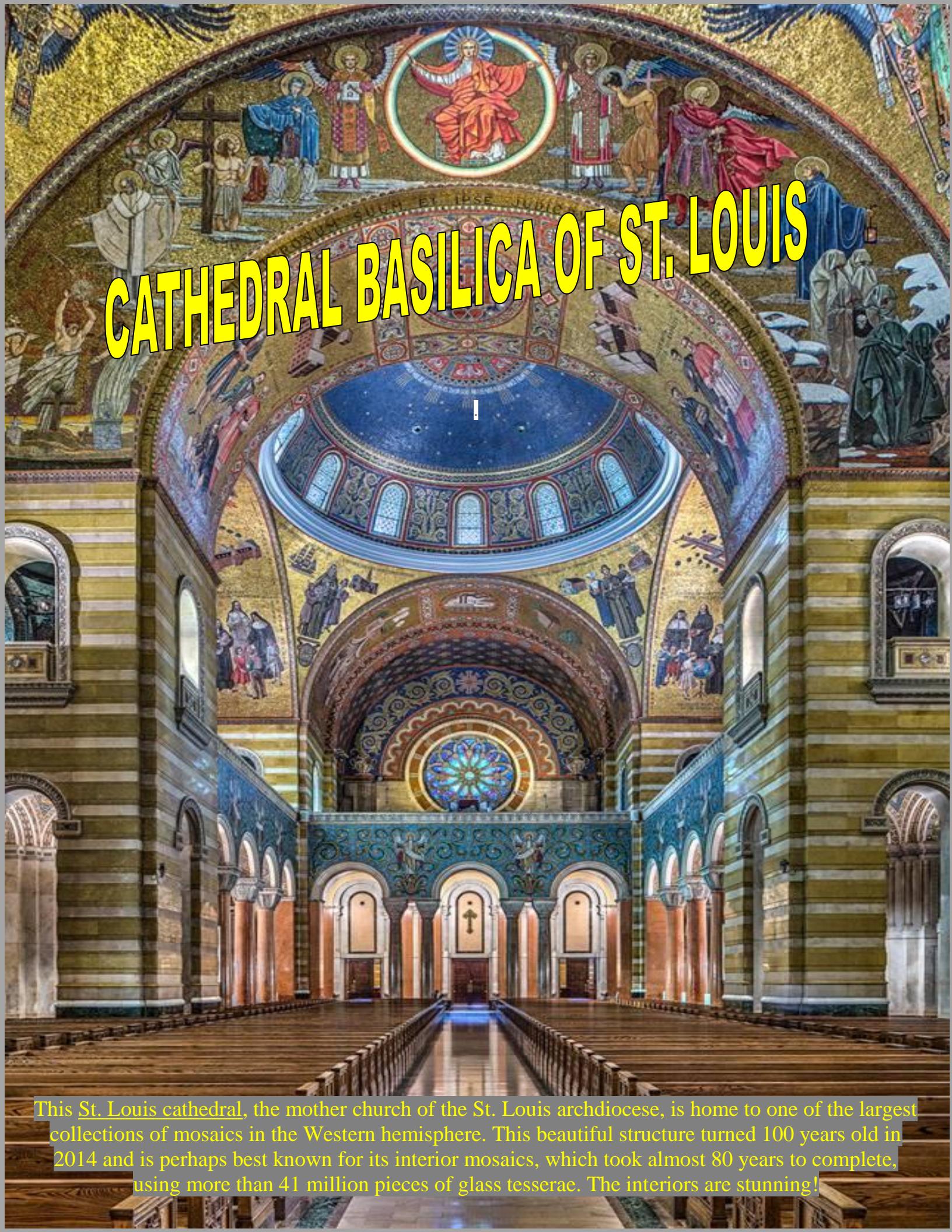
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Knights of Coats for Kids

Special thanks to Ultimaid Apparel

Submitted by  
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Washington State Coats  
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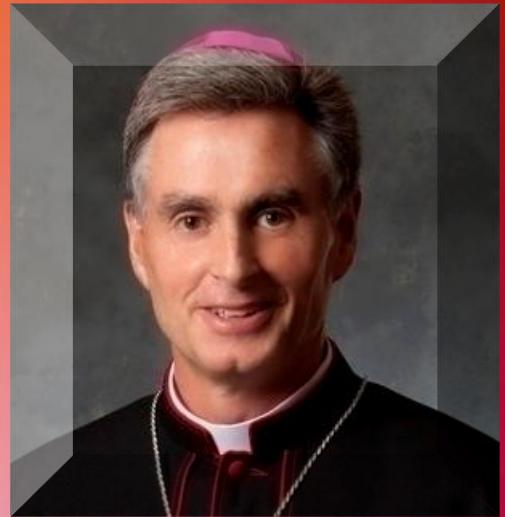
# CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF ST. LOUIS



This St. Louis cathedral, the mother church of the St. Louis archdiocese, is home to one of the largest collections of mosaics in the Western hemisphere. This beautiful structure turned 100 years old in 2014 and is perhaps best known for its interior mosaics, which took almost 80 years to complete, using more than 41 million pieces of glass tesserae. The interiors are stunning!

# LETTER FROM BISHOP DALY

Dear Parishioners,

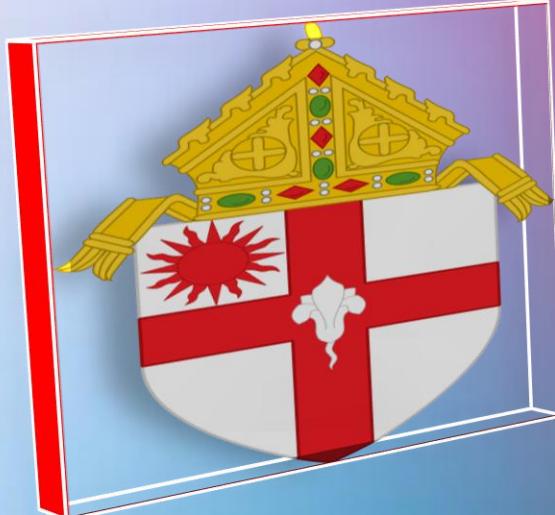


The US Bishops are joining together in a commitment of prayer and reparation as we gather at the Bishops' general assembly, where we will be making critical decisions in response to the clergy sexual abuse crisis. With my brother bishops across the nation, I will be dedicating myself to seven days of intensified prayer and fasting, from Monday, November 12, through Sunday, November 18. The intentions for this period of prayer and sacrifice are three-fold:

- For the healing and support of all victims of clergy sexual abuse
- For the conversion and just punishment of the perpetrators and concealers of sexual abuse
- For the strength of the bishops to be holy shepherds in protecting and leading our sheep from all harm.

If you feel called to do so, you are welcome to join me in praying for these intentions. I would also be grateful for any prayers for me and my brother bishops during our general assembly, that we may follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit in responding to the tragedy of clergy sexual abuse in the Church. Entrusting you to the prayers of Our Lourdes Lady of Lourdes, patroness of our diocese, I remain

In Christ,  
Most Reverend Thomas A. Daly  
Bishop of Spokane



## OFFICIALLY-INSTALLED COUNCIL OFFICERS



*Council officers installed October 9, front row, left to right: Chaplain Fr. Scott Connolly, DGK Preston Knutson, GK Matt Williams, DD Bob Grasher; back row: Rec Charlie Whelan, Tr Harvey Unruh, FS Larry Kerstiens, Treas Eric Wenzel, Adv Chuck Harris, Chan Gordy Wilson, W and Tr Ben Roberts, and Lec Joe St.Hilaire*

### Council officers installed

Those installed were Grand Knight **Matt Williams**, Chaplain **Fr. Scott Connolly**, who also assisted with the ceremony; Deputy Grand Knight **Preston Knutson**, Chancellor **Gordy Wilson**, Advocate **Chuck Harris**, Recorder **Charlie Whelan**, Financial Secretary **Larry Kerstiens**, Treasurer **Eric Wenzel**, Warden and Trustee **Ben Roberts**, Trustee **Harvey Unruh** and Lecturer **Joe St.Hilaire**.

Installed in absentia were Inside Guard **Matt Bense**, Outside Guard **Dave Rasbach**, and Trustee **Tom Bernard**.

### Brother Seth Bobbink enters the third degree

*Brother Seth Bobbink (center) following his Knighthood degree exemplification in Seattle October 27. At left is State Secretary Pat Kelley; at right is third degree Conferring Officer Paul Roth. Behind them is a statue of St. Peter, patron of St. Peter Parish in Seattle, where the exemplification was held.*



# Belligerent Man Charges Altar During EWTN Live Mass, CEO Michael Warsaw Issues Statement



**DURING the live Sunday Morning Mass on EWTN, a belligerent man shouting profanities charged at Fr. Wade Menezes during the consecration.**

**MICHAEL WARSAW, THE CEO OF EWTN,  
LATER ISSUED THIS STATEMENT:**

“On Sunday, November 4th during the 7:00 a.m. live televised Mass on EWTN, an individual caused a disturbance in the chapel and attempted to approach the altar.

“The man was immediately removed from the chapel by EWTN security personnel. He was subsequently detained by the Irondale Police Department and a trespass warning was issued.

“No one was injured and the Mass continued without further incident. We ask that our EWTN family keep this individual in their prayers.”

What's going on in our world?

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## Special Olympics Fall Games Dec. 1st 2018



There is one more chance to help out Special Olympics for 2018 and then fill out your form 4584 and turn it in by Dec. 31st. The Fall Games will be held in Renton on Dec. 1st and Dec. 2nd and your help is needed. We will be making the 750 plus lunches for the athletics on Saturday morning December 1st from 8am -10-30am at St Anthony Parish located at 416 South 4th St in Renton. Please let me know if your able to come and give a hand and remember these events are always family events so bring the wife and kids. If you have any questions, please let me know.

God bless

Darren E. Johnson

Special Olympics State Chairman

Washington State Council

Knights of Columbus

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# Veterans Day Parade

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Before I recap the parade I want to announce and welcome our newest WA Knights on Bikes member... **Joseph Leon-Guerrreru**. Joseph and his wife live in Port Orchard and a member of Council 6706.

(WELCOME BROTHER....)

The weather was cold...in the 20's and early on we had some snow but we bundled up and forged the weather. This year we had five Knights on Bikes, DD Bob Olsen winning the long distance award riding down from Othello in the dark and freezing cold to make the event (KUDOS).. one guest ( Longtime friend Larry Gross from Richland... Vietnam ), 3307 PGN 1174 PFN Tom Pysto... Navy, Adam Kornbau and staff of Cub Scout Troup 249 along with moms and family. After the parade Angie put on a chili and hot dog lunch..... a big hit ...thanks Lady Angie.

Our local equipment rental vendor (**West Richland Rentals**) loaned us the trailer and chairs...Thanks Scott and staff for your generosity.

And thanks again West Richland Chamber, May, Deborah, PD Richland, PD West Richland, and all the volunteers or donate your personal time in supporting our Veterans Past, Present, and Future.....God Bless.

Looking forward to next year.....

Washington State Director/POS  
Knights on Bikes  
*Bruce Hines*



**Holy Redeemer's Donation:** Father Ricardo received a \$10,000.00 Donation from our Council October 21 as a contribution to repair their Heating and Air Conditioning System Members of our Round Table were happy and proud to join us.



**INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS:** At our October Social gathering we had the opportunity to present our officers to Council Members and to Guests.



**Keep Christ in Christmas:**  
Having fun selling Christmas Cards with catholic motives and icons.  
The program promotes the sharing of our faith.



**Also in the Spanish mass:**



**October's Blood Drive:**  
This bloodthirsty team collected 31 units of blood on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>.  
This simply means saving 93 lives.



**SUBMITTED BY FEDERICO G. LOPEZ**

# CHALICE PROGRAM REPORT

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Brother Knights,

I am sharing this report with Washington State Knights on Bikes for two reasons...one they have been a valuable asset in placing our assemblies chalices, and two because this 4<sup>th</sup> degree program needs our support... I have come to the conclusion in my research that not all assemblies even know about the program and many that do don't have the monitory resources to procure a chalice....this is heart breaking to me.

As Washington States Director of Knights on Bikes I believe this program is a great opportunity for KonB to help all assemblies in a network of information sharing of placement and in fund raising efforts state wide for chalice purchasing. This is a great program brothers....look in the face of your brother's wife and family sitting in the front row at his funeral mass....than show them the chalice that is honored with the name of their forever loved spouse, father, grandfather, and friends name on it. The chalice that will be used in the offering of the Most Holy Mass forever..... having seen this many times I can personally share....**God Loves the Knights of Columbus.**

With our yearly 3307/1174 Knights of Columbus November memorial mass now in the books... I thought it appropriate to share a 1174 Chalice Committee report.

Attached is background history and pictures Brother Larry Bast shared from our most recent 1174 Assembly Chalice placement. (Thanks SK Larry for helping place yet another Chalice in memory of our passed brothers.)

Our most recent chalice shares the names of SK Rod Becker, SK James Sisk, and SK Juan Ramos Sr. **Note\*** it was brought to my attention from our engraving vendor that with the addition of our assembly name.... we can only fit three SK names not four on the bottom as I shared earlier. The first name on the next Chalice will be SK William Vincent Baumgartner....

I am also attaching two KofC forms that are (according to program guides) intended to be sent to the widow and family apron passing of a brother Sir Knight. As current chair of the 1174 Chalice program I propose a motion that we make a **new resolution** to pool efforts and information once again implementing the Memoriam and Resolution of Condolence letters. As current chair I gladly accept the task of preparing **and honored in doing so....** but as I said this is a joint effort of data **collecting and sharing....**especially with the **in the moment** situations.

We also need a reader and alternates for Chalice presentation ceremonies at 4<sup>th</sup> deg. masses. In most cases funeral masses seem to be on Saturdays but not always?

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Washington State Director/POS  
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# 2018 ANNUAL HOSPICE COOKIE DRIVE.

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(Editor's Note: Walla Walla Council - Michael Flohr 766 was asked again this year to participate in the Walla Walla Community Hospice annual cookie drive. Thanks to Chairman Paul Gerola it was a great success, good job brother Gerola)

## FYI from Walla Walla Hospice

The 2018 Walla Walla Community Hospice Dr. Cookie campaign was a great success. This project is intended to show appreciation for our community partners who, in some way, participate in the continuum of care of our patients. Volunteer Coordinator, Luci Berg was able to rally volunteers and Hospice employees to bake homemade cookies. In fact, upwards of 70+ individuals baked around 350 dozen cookies. **Our friends at the Knights of Columbus supplied 75 of those dozens.**

Seven smiling volunteers gathered on the morning of November 7<sup>th</sup> and began the process of packing cookies. About 115 glossy white gift boxes were filled with crimson tissue, a thank you card, and between 2 and 3 dozen cookies before being wrapped in a silk crimson ribbon. Boxes were sorted by destination and stacked high. Around 11:30 am more volunteers arrived to help deliver.

Recipients included our 2018 referring physicians and their respective staff, ambulance districts, medical transport companies, medical equipment supplies, regional Specialized Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities, Funeral Homes, Pharmacies, and more. Everyone seemed genuinely appreciative of the gift.

**Brad McMasters Outreach & Events Coordinator**

**Walla Walla Community Hospice**

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# GRACE



**By Manny Aguilar**

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We have all, as Catholics, heard the word ‘Grace’ mentioned many times. However, I wonder if we really understand just what this word means and what significance it has.

I believe it is divided into two distinct meanings: One is secular and the other religious. In the Secular, it is defined as ‘Beauty or harmony of form; as an ease and elegance of speech; an excellent or attractive characteristic; a quality or endowment’.

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In the religious, it means ‘unmerited favor or good will; clemency, kindness, favor or service freely rendered; the unmerited love and favor of God in Christ; the divine influence acting within the heart to regenerate, sanctify and keep it; a state of reconciliation to God through Christ; the POWER or disposition to exercise saving faith and to live the Christian life.

In French= Grace a’ Dieu means ‘Thanks to God’.

It’s FREE and it gives us the POWER over sin and brings us closer to God. It appears we all should seek to find a way to attain this wonderful ‘grace’. But, in reality, we cannot work for it nor merit it. It is simply a GIFT from God, given freely to those who believe and live the Christian life.

Look again at all the religious definitions of this word and see the wonderful and powerful gift that God has for us all.

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Manny Aguilar**

**HAIL MARY FULL OF GRACE**

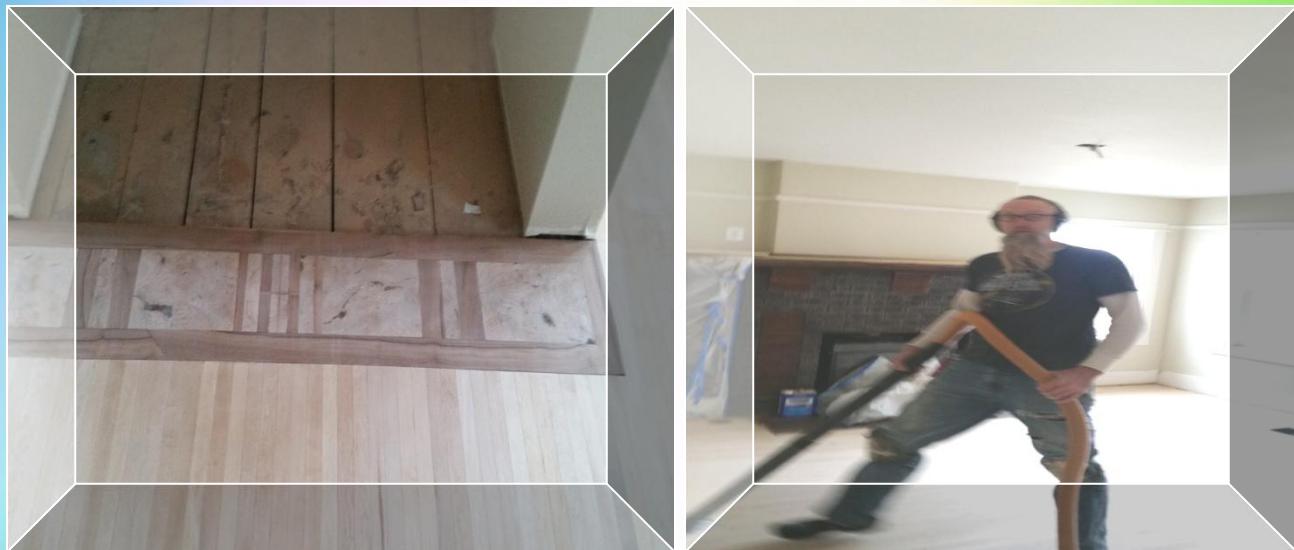


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The several shots above are just a small sampling of the early work put in to remove old cabinets, popcorn ceiling, walls, etc. Pictured are Rowland Busskohl, Jean Hines, Kathy B., and Jim Hines. The shots above show Kathy Busskohl and Bob Kirby cutting baseboard trim and Bob Kirby presenting a check for \$650.00 to Old town food bank.



The hidden hardwood floors were refinished by “Stretch”. He also created a beautiful hardwood transition at the main entryway of the rectory. Notice the cross in the center of the design.

**SUBMITTED BY TOM G.**

# MY THANKSGIVING

## MY GIFT OF GETTING OLDER

By STEVE SNELL

I'm getting older and it doesn't bother me like I thought it would. I find pleasure in not fighting or stressing over the challenges of the younger people.

I love my memories, my old dreams built on values that are out fashion these days, and it doesn't bother me that I'm out of fashion these days.

I enjoy listening to old stories full of memories and mysteries from the past as told by storytellers from when story telling was a highly respected art.

Mom's old recipes. Dad's smile, his hand on my shoulder, my Grand Parents and their hands on my soul. I remember their love.

I listen to old music and read old books that celebrate life and make me feel good about what we've been given by our God.

I love picnics, old clothes, old shoes, and I like a woman who is also a lady and another thing I like is polite. I enjoy good conversations and hugs.

I remember when good manners were expected and not the exception. I remember when people never locked their doors and gentlemen held the door for a lady.

I miss Mom's homemade bread and Grandma's homemade fried potatoes, I miss a man named Windy and a three legged dog named sugar and a team of horses - Duke & Nellie.

I miss holding my babies, rocking them, singing to them, dancing with them, and loving them more than they will ever know.

**THANK YOU GOD FOR GIVING ME  
SO MUCH TO BE THANKFUL FOR.**



## **PRAAYER OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI**

"Lord, make me an instrument of your peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy.

"O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are.

# **SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!**

*You can do  
anything  
but not  
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