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### Message from State Deputy

My Dear Brothers All:

When I accepted your election again as State Deputy for this 2014-2015 Fraternal Year, I did so with several objectives as we are reminded to do by the Supreme Knight.

- 1) Build new councils;
- 2) Assign Roundtable Coordinators to parishes and missions without a Knights of Columbus presence;
- 3) Develop strong visible Programs in all Councils;
- 4) Implement the new “One member per Council per Month” catchphrase to grow membership in the Order;
- 5) Rebuild the Retention program to encourage greater active participation of the Members and to return Inactive insurance members to active status;
- 6) Encourage Star Council level success; and,
- 7) Return the Washington State Jurisdiction to the Circle of Honor!



At first blush, the objectives appear unsurmountable, but then Rome was not built in a day, and we had a year to get it done. Also, when breaking it down in manageable steps, the objectives are easily accomplished. Catholic men desire to become Knights given the opportunity and information it entails. After all, our members comprise less than 5% of Catholic men in our jurisdiction.

**New Council Development:** At the present time, we have three new councils underway to being chartered. Thank you to District Deputies Kim Washburn, Greg Mahoney and Kent Myles.

**Roundtables:** We are well behind in establishing Roundtables, and I believe the reason is simple, we do not understand the process. I am the RT Coordinator for Bishop White Seminary and the Jesuit Chapel at Gonzaga University. I work with the Rector of BWS in fundraising to retire their construction debt, and I attend Mass with Fr. Mike Maher on Thursday nights at the Jesuit House Chapel. Our Gonzaga members take the retired priests to lunch regularly at the COG and offer other personal assistance too.

I believe our senior leaders, District Deputies and Grand Knights, should assign themselves as Roundtable Coordinators as they are best qualified to meet with the priest to determine what help can be offered the parish or mission, and they are best qualified to speak about the Order too. Let's get this done! Every Grand Knight and District Deputy can also become a Roundtable Coordinator, and I ask you to file the form online today.

**Strong Visible Programs:** You all know by now that General Programs Director Art Smalley reinvented our programs this year. He prepared written action steps for all Supreme General Programs so that council members can understand and implement them. He also prepared a “Health Check” survey giving State Officers an opportunity to offer help as needed to local councils. He also revised the Council Monthly Activity Report making it very easy to complete on-line. We're getting there, but we need the buy-in from every council to up our ante in the mission of the Order.

If you are a Grand Knight and you have not completed a “Health Check” form, call me and I'll email you the form...in fact, call me, and we'll fill out the form together as it will only take a few minutes.

**One Member per Council per Month:** Whether you consider this a new mantra, slogan, catchphrase or motto, the intention of the Supreme Knight is to impress upon us that membership growth and recruitment is an everyday activity. It is not something to undertake every other year or during the old annual blitz...you don't see the blitz anymore for a reason. Every day is membership recruitment day. The DVD for the First Degree was also approved to complement our recruiting success and provide a timely ceremonial.

**Rebuild the Retention Program:** The retention of our members has been the most unsatisfactory activity for me personally. Every member came to us with the knowledge that he wanted to become a better Catholic man, husband, father and member of his community, and we see so many easily going away without more than a dues notice and suspension letter. As our former State Chaplain, Bishop Emeritus of Yakima, Carlos A. Sevilla, would say, “How can that be?”

## Message from State Deputy

The fraternal nature of our Order is that of a brother coming from the word *frater*, therefore should be looking at council members as a “brotherly union” of men. Why is it that every council does not have an active retention committee working to visit members that have become inactive and no longer in good standing.

The Deputy Grand Knight along with the three (3) Trustees makes up the Retention Committee...and of course, the Grand Knight is an ex-officio member of the committee too. Would you believe that we have suspended more than 1,000 members (insurance and associate) during the past 5 years? We have a fraternal duty to embrace all brothers so they truly feel needed, wanted and loved.

Look for new updates on our retention efforts. We are not just about dues paying. We have a new software and website to assist you in finding your lost brothers...every Financial Secretary and Grand Knight should be communicating with Financial Secretary Trainer (Bulletin Editor) Ed Broadhurst. He will help you find these brothers!

**Star Council:** In my 52 years as a Knight, I have not seen the level of incentives offered by the Supreme Council as Star Council incentives we have today. VIP points, lapel pins and council plaques plus a just released monetary incentive.

Every Council reaching any level Star Council award will receive a \$4.50 credit (\$3.50 Supreme Per Capita and \$1.00 Catholic Advertising) on their September 2015 Supreme Council statement. The credit will be based on billable members showing on their July 1 Membership Report. Honorary Life and Disability waivers are examples of non-billable members.

I have never seen VIP Points offered like this fraternal year - 10,000 VIP Points for Star, 20,000 for Double Star, 30,000 for Triple Star and 40,000 for exceeding Triple Star! Surely, if you reach Triple Star, you will find at least one more Catholic man to join us? And what about the Officer Challenge? You need only recruit 12 new members and list them on the form provided earning 20,000 additional VIP Points too!

**Circle of Honor:** It is important that we heed the call of the Supreme Knight and join in the Order-wide Church Membership Drive! We have 50 councils at 50% of their membership quota, and I expect many more to join in our “Run to the Finish” for Star Council and a banner fraternal year!

You deserve to be recognized once again in the *Circle of Honor* as a “Top State Council”...and you will make the Supreme Knight proud of his home state too!

Vivat Jesus!

George Czerwonka  
State Deputy

*(Please remember our newest brothers in the Ukraine and offer your prayers for their continued freedom to worship and govern themselves as we do.)*

### SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER

Francis Xavier was born during Holy Week, 1506, firmly ensconced as a member of the Basque nobility. As an impatient and ambitious young man, he went to study at the University of Paris. There he had a momentous encounter with Ignatius of Loyola, a middle-aged Spaniard who limped badly from a battle wound. Ignatius would go on to found the Society of Jesus with Francis Xavier as one of the original companions.

Francis Xavier is generally acknowledged as the greatest missionary of the Church since apostolic times. Like Ignatius and other saints, there was little to portend such an outcome. His life could have easily taken another turn. Francis was a proud and willful man. Indeed, after his long-agonized decision to finally join Ignatius and his companions, Ignatius called him “the lumpiest dough I ever kneaded.” Yet the lumps were finally smoothed out.

In the life of this remarkable saint, one finds a heightened willingness to go wherever and whenever the call of Jesus beckoned, and to put the needs of the Society of Jesus and God’s people always ahead of his own.

Francis Xavier was beatified by Pope Paul V on October 21, 1619, and canonized by Pope Gregory XV on March 12, 1622. His feast is celebrated on December 3. In 1910, he became a patron for the Propagation of the Faith and in 1928, the patron of missions around the world.

### XAVIER’S PRAYER

Eternal God, Creator of all things. You created unbelievers to your image and likeness. Jesus Christ, your only Son, for their salvation suffered a most cruel death. United with the prayers of your saints and of the Church, the most holy spouse of your Son, bring them to know Him, whom you have sent. Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who is our health, life and resurrection, through whom we have been redeemed and saved. To whom be all glory forever. Amen

*(Reprinted from “The Novena of Grace” in honor of St. Francis Xavier, St. Aloysius Church, Spokane, WA. This novena, a nine day period of concentrated prayer to God for one’s most important intentions, apparently had its beginning in the year 1615 in Goa, India, when a boy crippled from birth was cured through the intercession of St. Francis Xavier. Through the years, other intercessory miracles have been attributed to the saint as well. After Francis was canonized along with his dear friend, St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits), the Novena of Grace grew in popularity throughout the world, especially in parishes run by the Jesuits, The Novena of Grace offered each year at St. Aloysius Church in Spokane has been and remains, one of the largest in the United States. )*

## Washington State Council 112th Annual Convention Delegates Letter



### Knights of Columbus Washington State Council

George H. Czerwonska, Jr.  
State Deputy

March 10, 2015

Dear State Convention Delegates and Guests:

The State Officers and I look forward to seeing you and your families at the 112th Annual Meeting of the Washington State Council to be held in Spokane, WA, on May 15<sup>th</sup> through 17<sup>th</sup>! If you haven't already done so, please register soonest at the DoubleTree Hotel by April 14, 2015 at 1-800-222-8733. Tell them you are with the Knights of Columbus under Group Code **KOC**. You may also register on the WSC web-site at [www.kofc-wa.org](http://www.kofc-wa.org). I ask that you also submit the enclosed Registration Form to the Convention Committee as indicated on the form.

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

There are many special events and activities scheduled this year (see attached agenda). Fourth Degree members are requested to bring their regalia if they wish to participate in the Color Corps at the Masses and Banquet.

Please note too that the proper clothing for the regular meetings is a business suit or blazer with slacks. The attire for the Saturday night banquet is formal. Tuxedos or dark suits with ties for men and evening dress for the ladies.

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

St. John Vianney Council 8201 - Convention Chairman Donald Sauvé, Grand Knight Brad Smith, District Deputy 18, Stephen Czerwonska, the entire convention committee, and the staff of the DoubleTree have dedicated themselves to ensuring your visit will be an enjoyable one for all. I am confident too that you will agree they have done well in preparing for your convention at this new venue, the DoubleTree Hilton.

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

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

Fraternally yours,

*George H. Czerwonska, Jr.*

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## Washington State Council 112th Annual Convention Agenda

### Knights of Columbus WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL 112th Annual Convention – Agenda DoubleTree Hotel – Spokane, WA May 15-17, 2015

#### *Thursday, May 14*

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	SO's/Convention Chair - Pre-Con Meeting with Hotel Staff (Suite C&D)
2:30 pm - 4:00 pm	State Officers Meeting (Suite C&D)
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Columbus Charities & Pennies for Heaven BOD Meetings (Suite C&D)
4:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Country Store (Shades Conference Room)
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Attendee Registration (Registration Booth)

#### *Friday, May 15*

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	Attendee Registration (Registration Booth– 1 <sup>st</sup> floor)
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Pennies for Heaven (Shades Conference Room)
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Turn-in Pro-Life Posters (Registration Area)
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Country Store (Shades Conference Room)
8:00 am - 11:00 am	Past State Deputies' & Former First Ladies' Breakfast (Salon I, II, & III)
8:00 am - 11:00 am	State Officers, DDs, State Chairmen, Agents & Wives' Breakfast (Salon I, II & III)
11:00 am - 4:00 am	Good of the Order Meeting (Exec. Board Room)
Noon - 4:00 pm	Ladies' Hospitality Room Open (Suite A)
11:00 am - Noon	Membership Workshop (Suite B)
11:00 am - 3:30 pm	Briefings for All Committees (Suite C&D)
12:30 pm - 3:30 pm	First Business Session (Grand Ballroom)
	Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
	Appointment of Committees
	Roll Call of Delegates by District & Convention Floor Rules
	State Officers' Reports
	State Chairmen's Reports
	Open Caucus - State Officers and Supreme Convention Delegates
	Excused: Resolutions Committee (King County 1 Room)
5:00 pm	Opening Convention Mass – St. John Vianney Church– Spokane Valley
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Council-Hosted Dinner – St. John Vianney Parish Hall – Spokane Valley

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#### *Saturday, May 16*

6:00 am - 9:00 am	Breakfast (Hotel Coffee Shop)
7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Pennies for Heaven Room (Shades Conference Room)
7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Country Store (Shades Conference Room)
7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Attendee Registration (Registration Booth)
8:00 am - 2:00 pm	Turn-in Pro-Life Posters (Registration Booth Area)
8:30 am - 11:30 am	Second Business Session (Grand Ballroom)
	Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
	State Deputy's Address
	Elections of State Officers & Supreme Convention Delegates
	Visiting Dignitaries' Comments
	Resolutions
9:00 am - 4:00 pm	MPD Committee (Executive Board Room)
9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Resolutions Committee (Suite C&D)
Noon - 2:00 pm	Men's Awards Luncheon (Salon I, II, III, & IV)
Noon - 2:00 pm	Ladies' Luncheon (Suite A&B)
2:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Ladies Hospitality Room (Suite A)
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Third Business Session (Grand Ballroom)
	Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
	Resolutions and Visiting Dignitaries' Comments
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Pro-Life Committee Poster Judging (Registration Area)
5:30 pm - 6:45 pm	No Host Convention Social (Ballroom Foyer)
6:30 pm	Doors to Ballroom Open
7:00 pm - 9:30 pm	Awards Banquet (Grand Ballroom)
	Everyone must be seated by 7:00pm for the head table procession to begin
	Flag presentation ceremony by the 4th Degree

#### *Sunday, May 17*

6:00 am - 9:00 am	Breakfast (Hotel Coffee Shop)
7:00 am - 8:30 am	Annual Memorial Mass (Grand Ballroom)
9:00 am - Noon	M&PD Committee (Parkside Room)
9:00 am - Noon	Pennies for Heaven Room (Shades Conference Room)
9:00 am - Noon	Country Store (Shades Conference Room)
9:00 am	Ladies' Program (Suite A&B)
9:45 am - Noon	Final Business Session (Grand Ballroom)
	Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer, Resolutions and
	Reports continued as needed, PFH and Columbus Charities Meetings
Noon	Adjourn
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Supreme Convention Delegates Meeting (SD-Elect Suite)



## Message from Legislative Liaison



Dear Brother Knights:

There are two important bills that require our attention this month. One is to **SUPPORT SB 5289, the "Protect Our Daughters" Bill**, and the second is to **OPPOSE SB 1647, the "Abortion, Contraception, and Sterilization Insurance**

**Mandate"**.

**SB 5289 requires parental notification before a doctor can give a minor an abortion.** It passed out of the Senate Law and Justice Committee on February 19th and was passed to the Rules Committee on the 20th. Please contact your Senators and ask that they move the bill to the floor for a vote so it doesn't die in the Rules Committee. Find your legislators here: <http://app.leg.wa.gov/DistrictFinder/>.

Talking points that support this bill:

- 38 states have laws requiring parental notice or consent before an abortion can be performed on a minor.
- This is a common sense law that protects the rights of parents AND the health and welfare of minority girls.
- Consent or notice is already required for nearly all other kinds of non-emergency medical treatment, bandages, aspirin, etc. Abortion should have the same parental involvement, especially with such a serious procedure.
- In a poll, 65% of Washington voters support requiring parental notice before abortion.

**SB 1647 mandates that all individuals buy and all businesses sell insurance that covers procedures that oppose our conscience or beliefs.** It was passed out of committee on February 26th and referred to the Rules Committee on the 27th. Again, please contact your Senators and urge them to oppose this bill. You can cover both of these with a single email or letter.

Talking points that oppose this bill:

- Unnecessary abortion insurance coverage is already easily accessible
- This is a waste of taxpayer money
- This bill makes choice illegal and mandates decisions of conscience and faith.
- This bill is unconstitutional and removes parent/guardian rights by mandating choice.

**As Archbishop Sartain said, "As Catholics we are called to leadership in building community, advocating for justice, and being part of the ongoing legislative process."** So please contact you legislators on these two important issues.

**Catholic Advocacy Day is Thursday, March 26th in Olympia.** Registration is required by March 7 so sign up today! Register [here](#). This is a great opportunity to be part of the legislative process and support Catholic beliefs at the State Capitol when meeting with your senators and representatives.

You can also support other advocacy issues on the Washington State Catholic Conference website by going here: <https://www.votervoice.net/WSCC/Campaigns/39123/Respond>.

Vivat Jesus,  
Stephen Czerwonka, Legislative Liaison

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**Members and Family in need of Prayer Feb 2015**

Archbishop J. Peter Sartain, Diocese of Seattle

Sister Sharon Park, Exec Director Washington State Catholic Conference

**Council ..... Seattle 676**

Tom Hoagland; Vince Kerkof; Ann Heneghan; daughter of Paul; Paul Heneghan; Jim Kessler; John Costello; PGK Dan & Joan Donohue; Mac Henderson; Leo Costello; Gene Posel; Joe Robinson PGK PFN PDD; Vic Grieco; Edgar Pitre; Walter Brazelton; PGK Emilio Pastrana; Pat D'Ambrosio; Rogelio & Tonie Alejo; Archbishop Emeritus Brunett; & Dawna Williams, wife of DD Tom.

**Council .....Everett 763**

John Reed PGK, Viola Brown, wife of Gene Brown FS  
Judy Whalen, Wife of Brother Tyrone Whalen, Mary Gregoire, Widow of Deceased Brother Herman Gregoire,  
Clifford Spjut, Frank Hearon, Frank Marchi

**Council ..... Walla Walla 766**

Frank Sannar, Larry Meliah, Brent Caulk, Thomas Jones, David Burt, Richard Rime, Deacon James Barrow, Mark, Brown, Matthew Polis, Alice Pontarolo, widow of Albert Pontarolo, Carmy Buttice, wife of Emelio Buttice, Carl Bossini, Chris Grasso

**Council ..... Tacoma 809**

Margaret Prichard, sister of Mike Prichard, Mrs. Jenkins, mother of Scott Jenkins, Sean Salli, Mike Edmonds

Henry Therrien ..... Bellingham 829

**Council ..... Yakima 894**

Most Rev Carlos A Sevilla, S.J. State Chaplain, Jeff Schumacher, John H Schumacher, Philip Weivoda

**Council ..... Bremerton 1379**

Sheila Hebert, wife of Ed Hebert, Kirk Finch

**Council ..... Chehalis 1550**

Mike Delorenzo FS

**Council ..... Raymond 1606**

Jim Neva, Henry Adamek, Lily Johnson, granddaughter of Clarence Williams, GK, Jackie Grimm, wife of Ken Grimm, Terri Coty

**Council ..... Pasco 1620**

Fr John Birk, Chaplain, Daniel Gross, Darryl Foltz, Corky Hutfles, Mike & Linda Hermann, Gabriel Scheel, Grandson of Henry Scheel, Angeline Spinler, Mother of the Spinler's  
Whitney Johnson, daughter of GK Darren Johnson . Olympia 1643

**Council ..... Uniontown 1823**

Bruce Hughes, Albert Richard

Maurice Moneymaker, Ray Heitstuman

**Council ..... Mt Vernon 2126**

Jack Theisen, Joe Furin

**Council ..... Chewelah 2155**

Jim Mach FDD, Ed Kaup GK, Dan Hentges

Joan Butterly, Wife of Eugene Butterly PGK ..... Ephrata 3153

**Council ..... Richland 3307**

Mario Avina, Kent Meline, Willis Rappe

Vincent Polis General Agent East ..... Clarkston 3455

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

Pansey Marro, mother of Anthony & Michael Marro, Phyllis Lamb, wife of Roy Lamb, Sue Galles, wife of Ed Galles, Ken Jansen, Richard Diehl, father of Jim Diehl, Jan Schulhauser, wife of Tony Schulhauser, Harold Zeuschel, Jr, son of Harold Zeuschel Sr, John Klepinger, Wilson Stuckless, Joe Cucinotta,

**Members and Family in need of Prayer Feb 2015**

**Council ..... Lakewood 4322**

Larry Blanchfield, Lori Hogan, wife of Wayne Hogan, Lia Pavone, wife of Bill Pavone, Leo Pavone

Richard Swearingen GK ..... Goldendale 7149

Horace Suinn ..... Federal Way 7528

Sam Fleener ..... Pullman 7370

**Council ..... Marysville 7863**

Vince Bookey, Mark and Pat Mantow, Mary Beth Mantow, Tom Lester, Shirley Dockendorf, wife of Fred Dockendorf, Father of Dan Pradera DD13

David Moorby ..... Issaquah 7907

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

Tom Bennett, Tom & Cathy, Bob & Lois Tomas, Ron & Brenda Wernke, William Gilliam,

Jeff Kadinger DD7 ..... Spokane 8179

John Sprague, FS ..... Poulsbo 8297

Linda Egan, wife of Ray Egan ..... Spokane 8398

**Council ..... Sequim 8455**

Joseph Jezik, Floyd Norcott

**Council ..... Camano 8476**

Mary Jo Chavarrie, Wife of PGK Richard Chavarrie, Don Mulinski; PGK Kenneth Kron; PGK Pat Lyons; Ben Cleaver, Gary Cloninger; PGK, FDD Richard and Rosemary Barson, Mary Schmidt wife of PGK Reinhold Schmidt, Lois Sharpe wife of deceased member Jack Sharpe, Jr, PGK Peter VanWagnen, Fred Steffen, Fr. Tom Marti, PGK Roger Docken, Lydia Buckley, wife of John Buckley, PGK, Charles Adler

**Council ..... Selah 8768**

Deacon Dr. Bill Stilwater, David Ripperger, Jim Lyon, Alan Melton, Tom Kopczynski, Bill White

**Council ..... Colbert 8872**

Del Murray, George and Marie Benton

**Council ..... Spokane 9237**

Deacon Don Whitney, Roger Cole, Cruz and Maria Nacacio

**Council ..... Deer Park 9721**

Dennis Allard, Floyd Franklin, Dick Johnson, Alan Siquaw, Marty Grieshaber, Gail Robiscotti

John Ehardt ..... Sammamish 9833

Linda Bergeron, wife of Marcel Bergeron, State Membership

Monolito Agiuling ..... Port Townsend 10532

Chairman ..... Richland 10653

**Council ..... Spokane 11134**

Ron Lawrence, David Kuttner, Steve Hart, Jack Hausmann, father of John Hausmann, Jr

**Council ..... Shoreline 11217**

Steven Holland, Emmy Pablico, wife of Rodrigo Pablico

**Council ..... Duval 11906**

Fr. Deogratias, Henry Meyerding, Bob Flajole

Most Rev. Monfort Stima ..... Seattle 11085

**Council ..... Woodland 11252**

Dal McKay, PGK, Al Olson, Jerry Ross DD

**Council ..... Langley 11357**

Charlie Neal, Paul D'Avanzo, Lyle Spink, Dr Halligan

Elisio Camique, Larry Poolman, Carol Johnson, wife of Richard Johnson, Gail Johnson-Eldred, Daughter of Richard and Carol Johnson, Marylou Bunney, Wife of Tex Bunney

**Council ..... Kirkland 11408**

Bill Davis, Steve Munchak, Greg Lum, Jonathan Janssen son of Fred Janssen, Del Brown

John M Wallace PSD ..... Lakewood 11762

**Members and Family in need of Prayer Feb 2015****Council ..... Covington 11780**

Polly Gilyeat & Valarie Turma, sisters in law of Scott Gilyeat  
 Dorothy Fouquet, Mother-in-Law of Ron Cunningham  
 Becky Faurot & family, niece of Ron Cunningham, Sandy & Peter  
 Glading, cousins of Larry Miller, Lucille Johnson, aunt of Lyn  
 Johnson, Mary Stevenson, Peter & Ron Cunningham, Jodie  
 Tuchscherer, Jeanie Fouiquet, Alicia Booher & unborn baby,  
 Robert Cunningham, all relatives of Peter Cunningham, Jennifer  
 Beckie, Wife of Adrian Beckie, Juana Capuli, Mother-In-Law of  
 Doug Patke, Jason Berg, son of Peter Berg, Le Habryle, Eileen  
 Murphy daughter of Tom Murphy, Tammari LaSharr, wife of  
 Richard LaSharr, Ben Dario, Malcolm Chang, William Arrigoni  
 Jerry McMahon, Thomas LaCour, Michael Beavin,  
 William Arrigoni, Otto Fink, Bonnie Cacchione, sister-in-Law of  
 Angelo Battisti, Joan Elisha, wife of Jerome Elisha, Kathleen  
 Rogers, Bruce Barnes, Steven Palmer, nephew of Scott Gilyeat  
 Rudy Bien-Aime & family

**Council ..... Belfair 12002**

Richard Helriegel, Dennis Kaptur, Father Victor Cloquet, Father  
 Chuck Schmitz, Alan Elder, Bob Houghtelling, John Quigley,  
 Steve and Leslie (wife) Lefebvre, Grace Hochhaus wife of Don  
 Hochhaus, Cheryl Navarro sister-in-law of Lanny Zwan, Jim  
 Berry, Bob Light, Jennifer Giesert Daughter of Bob Giesert., Dar-  
 nel Bowers, SIL of Mike Andrews,  
 Joe James Special Olympics Chairman ..... Seattle 12175

**Council ..... Colville 12273**

Russ Larsen, Elaine Huff wife of Mike Huff (deceased). Gen  
 Danekas, wife of Bill Danekas GK, Tom Cordrey. Bobbi Eveland,  
 wife of Rich Eveland, Father Charles Klutz

**Council ..... Spokane 12583**

Family of SD George Czerwonka, George Czerwonka Sr, father  
 Robert S Stefanowicz, son in law, Robert Tyner, brother in law  
 Ellen Plantz, Grand Niece, Matthew Formanek, Brother-in-law,  
 Devin Herritz, nephew. Tim Coyle, Vocations State Chairman

**Council ..... Edmonds 12591**

Paul Bailey, Bill Brayer, Kevin Fraley, FS John McAlerney Tom  
 McCarthy Frank Rocco, Jr. Bernarda Chanco (mother of Alfredo  
 Chanco) Bridget English (daughter of Dan Thulin) Barbara  
 Fanger (wife of Frank Fanger) Frank Fanger, Marge Hollcraft  
 (mother-in-law of Larry Taffera) Jim Hughes (brother of Tom  
 Hughes) Ethel Moons (wife of Tom Moons) Tom Moons, PFS,  
 Rita Ritchie (mother of Joe Ritchie) Leo Romero and Dora  
 Romero (parents of Robert Romero) Marc Stenberg (son-in-law of  
 Noah Noaker) Frank Rocco, Sr. and Valerie Rocco (parents of  
 Frank Rocco, Jr.) Joseph Zampardo (son of August Zampardo,  
 PGK [dec.]), Gil Martelino

**Council ..... Vancouver 12983**

Mike Calderon State Chairman Hispanic Membership, Scott Cal-  
 deron, son and Carl Gibbons, SIL of Mike Calderon, Winifred  
 Jensen, mother of Reginald Jensen, Joan Kerner, wife of Bill  
 Kerner, Sister Renita Tadych, aunt of Tom Swokowski, Harry  
 Chaffee, Bob Oser, Craig and Irma Shileika, Allyn Rapcinski, wife  
 of Bob Rapcinski, Becky Lulay, wife of Ken Lulay, Bob Rush,  
 brother of Ed Rush, Frances Moates, aunt of Jim Parks and Kirstyn  
 Parks, daughter of Jim Park  
 Leif Christensen ..... Seattle 15721

**Members and Family in need of Prayer Feb 2015**

Deacon William Dronen ..... Leavenworth 13597  
 Rose Kirby, wife of Robert Kirby FDD ..... Newport 14268  
 Paula Martinez, wife of Dean Martinez FDD .... Fairchild 14510

**Council ..... Sunnyside 14926**

Mike Mendoza, John Rodrigues

**Prayers for the deceased Brothers and family  
 members or those in need of pray be reported to  
 WSS Ed Parazoo and Bulletin@kofc-wa.org. Be  
 sure to mention this bulletin list in your prayers at  
 your council meeting**

**> 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.**

**February 2015**

Edward Shafer ..... Pomeroy 1460  
 Donald J Richter ..... Chehalis 1550  
 Jack Ford ..... Raymond 1606  
 Alan E Boissonnault ..... Oak Harbor 3361  
 Robert Carson ..... Port Orchard 6706  
 Robert Bertocchini, PGK, FFN ..... Spanaway 6806  
 John Welsh ..... Goldendale 7149  
 Luther Rhone ..... Sedro Woolley 8672  
 Michael Robinson ..... Kennewick 10653  
 David Kuttner ..... Spokane 11134  
 Theron Chamberlain ..... Belfair 12002  
 Jesus Bondock ..... Edmonds 12591

**Family Members' Deaths  
 February 2015**

Christopher Kmetz, son of Jerry Kmetz ..Camano Stanwood 8476  
 John Breaver, brother of Bill Breaver, PGK ... Kennewick 10653  
 Lonni Dianne Zwan, dau of Lannie Zwan, PGK .... Belfair 12002  
 Rose Ursino, mother of Dan Ursino ..... Edmonds 12591  
 Lorraine Branigan, mother of Robert Glazewski . Edmonds 12591



## Message from Membership Director



**My Brothers in Christ,**

**Another FANTASTIC INCENTIVE was announced just this past week with achieving STAR Council.**

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**Councils achieving STAR Council (at any level) will be credited \$4.50 per roster member (on record as of July 1).**

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**You heard it right!!!! \$4.50 per billable roster member (on record as of July 1)!!!**

Let's take an example... Say we have a council with 100 billable members as July 1, 2014, and a quota of seven new members for their membership goal for the year. If they can achieve their annual membership and insurance quota and meet all the other requirements for a Star Council for this fraternal year, they would receive \$4.50 per billable roster member as of the end of fraternal year (on record as of July 1, 2015). In this case, they would qualify to receive \$4.50 x 107 members or a total of \$481.50. This has the potential to have a huge financial impact to our Jurisdiction. (Billable members as we know exclude Honorary Life, Disabled and In-Active members.)

So, Grand Knights, look at where you are right now and ask yourself the following question... **Can my council focus our recruiting and insurance promotion efforts through the remainder of the fraternal year and achieve our goals for STAR Council???** I hope that your answer was a resounding YES!!! We have more than 50 councils in a position to do just that!

Use this Special incentive to motivate your Council to accomplish two Great Achievements!!!

**Receive the Exclusive Honors of being named a Star Council and get:**

A very Special Star Council plaque

Special Star Council Pins for the Grand Knight, Membership and Program Directors and Field Agent

Special Bonus VIP Points for use by your Council

10,000 VIP points for Star Council

20,000 VIP points for Double Star Council

30,000 VIP Points for Triple Star Council

40,000 VIP Points for Over Triple Star Council

**Receive the financial benefit of the monetary reward (\$4.50 per billable roster member on record as of July 1, 2015) for use by your council going into the next Fraternal Year.** The credit will be on your September, 2015, Supreme Council statement.

We have 19 councils who have already achieved their membership goal; 8 of these councils have also achieved their insurance goals for the year as well. Another 30 councils have achieved 50 percent or more of their membership goals and are in good positions to reach for the Stars as well. **What a fantastic finish it would be to celebrate 50 councils achieving Star Council by the end of the Fraternal Year! Many of you can do this with a successful Church Membership Drive this month.**

Let us all work together for the remainder of the year and redouble our efforts to focus on some critical steps to achieve our goals for Star Councils and Districts and our State Goals for achieving Circle of Honor....

**All District Deputies and Grand Knights, with support from our District Deputy Mentors, should be working closely to:**

Maintain momentum for continued growth for all councils who have already achieved or are on track to achieve their membership goal!!!

Reinvigorate all councils to be active in this Month's Membership Drive. This is an Order wide effort to stimulate our much needed growth!!! Every council needs to and should participate!!!

Hold at a very minimum, at least one First degree in each District, every month for the remainder of the year!!!

Assist all councils to be Membership Active NOW!!! If not NOW - then WHEN? If not YOU - then WHO? We still have 40 councils that need our help and support to make that initial step to be active.

Focus on achievement of STAR Councils and Districts - encourage all councils to reach for this goal!!! It would great to achieve a goal of at least One Star Council per District

Finish the fraternal year strong. All membership efforts and activities help build the momentum for the next fraternal year. We need to keep it going over the next 4 months right to the end of the fraternal year!!!

As always, be prayerful in all you do and at every gathering with your Brothers offer special prayers for all members of your council both active and inactive, for new potential prospects, and for the success of your council in accomplishing its goals for this fraternal year.

Wishing you and your families my very best wishes,

**Marcel P. Bergeron, Membership Director**

[MEMBERSHIP@kofc-wa.org](mailto:MEMBERSHIP@kofc-wa.org)

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

## Membership Standings (Our Top Councils)

Congratulations to our top Councils at eight months into the fraternal year. They are as follows:

**Councils who have achieved 100 percent or more of Annual Membership Goals (July 1, 2014 through February 28, 2015)\*\***

**Councils who have achieved 50 percent or more of Annual Membership Goals (July 1, 2014 through February 28, 2015)\***

COUNCIL	DISTRICT	LOCATION	Percent Growth	
			Membership	Insurance
12583	005	Spokane*	233.33	133.33
1674	031	Hoquiam	225.00	33.33
14926	017	Sunnyside	200.00	33.33
15689	031	Ocean Shores	200.00	66.67
15136	003	Sumner/Orting	183.33	33.33
15968	020	Spokane	175.00	0.00
7907	023	Issaquah*	150.00	125.00
11736	027	Black Diamond	150.00	0.00
8137	020	Spokane*	144.44	100.00
8136	014	Bellevue*	140.00	100.00
14922	005	Spokane*	133.33	433.33
11780	027	Covington	128.57	33.33
11906	023	Duvall	125.00	0.00
13238	022	Tacoma	125.00	33.33
14394	028	Spokane*	125.00	133.33
15730	036	Vancouver	125.00	66.67
829	009	Bellingham*	100.00	100.00
1758	004	Centralia	100.00	66.67
14852	026	Seattle	100.00	33.33

\* Councils that have already achieved Membership and Insurance goals

\*\* Complete listings of all councils by division are posted at:

[www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Membership/nMembership.aspx](http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Membership/nMembership.aspx)

COUNCIL	DISTRICT	LOCATION	Percent Growth	
			Membership	Insurance
8872	033	Colbert	85.71	80.00
10652	035	Ft Lewis	85.71	0.00
7360	008	Pullman	80.00	0.00
7863	013	Marysville	77.78	66.67
13597	010	Leavenworth	75.00	0.00
15838	037	Seattle	75.00	0.00
12591	021	Edmonds	71.43	0.00
894	006	Yakima	70.00	0.00
2763	025	Longview	66.67	33.33
6686	016	Bothell	66.67	50.00
13794	015	Seattle	66.67	100.00
14689	001	Shoreline	66.67	33.33
3598	012	Auburn	60.00	40.00
5177	026	Seattle	60.00	0.00
10653	007	Kennewick	58.33	50.00
3611	019	Anacortes	57.14	0.00
11948	003	Puyallup	55.56	33.33
7908	012	Federal Way	53.85	150.00
1449	031	Aberdeen	50.00	0.00
1643	004	Olympia	50.00	33.33
7149	011	Goldendale	50.00	33.33
8102	023	Redmond	50.00	33.33
9605	021	Mountlake Terrace	50.00	33.33
9617	013	Everett	50.00	0.00
12483	022	Tacoma	50.00	33.33
13186	010	East Wenatchee	50.00	0.00
13374	027	Renton	50.00	50.00
14046	016	Woodinville	50.00	0.00
15143	005	Spokane	50.00	33.33
15462	022	Tacoma	50.00	0.00

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## Hispanic Membership Chairman



My pastor writes, what does it mean to walk with Jesus? Pope Francis has a simple and beautiful response to this question: "Before all else, the Gospel of Jesus Christ invites us to respond to God's love and see God in others and then go forth to serve them." These words are used in opening of presentations, because of what the Venerable Michael J McGivney must have seen in immigrant faces, he saw Jesus and heard the call: help families in need.



I have worked with many wonderful men of this order over the past three years; love them all, there is no rancor, no jealousy, no one wanting to climb the ladder that leads to fame, no one too busy to give a helping hand, every member and his wife donates time, talent and treasure, even time that is reserved for rest, for the good of others, as servants of Jesus, our Savior.

One Disciple, a brother Knight recently said, "These immigrants are not on my agenda, they are on God's agenda." Archbishop Cupich of Chicago saw Christ in face of others.

The recent Prosser recruitment fiesta, hosted by a servant of God, Rev Aguirre, a kind and Charismatic man that knows the pain of death of many Salvadoran faithful, even his former boss Archbishop Oscar Romero, his homily reflected on the love of God and how during this holy season of Lent we need to empty ourselves so Jesus can fill our hearts.

A letter was received from Brother Knight, Most Reverend Bishop Tyson on the joy he feels about what is taking place in his diocese, of extending welcome hands to Hispanic immigrants, so that they too know the joy that we feel. He wrote of the faith in the Cristeros of yesteryear, how this strong Catholic faith is brought to this country with the Hispanic immigrant culture.

Emeritus most Rev. Bishop Sevilla, a brother Knight, wrote a note that unfortunately he is in California tending to a retreat; He sent blessings and expressed his joy and encouragement for the event. Bishop Sevilla once drove from Prosser to bless candidates in Yakima than drove back to Prosser to finish the event that is love at its best for his brother Knights.

Early on the same weekend I stopped by Our Lady of Guadalupe parish church in Granger and witnessed the many who came to learn about Lenten celebration of mass and mysteries of the church, Apostles, teachers, doctors, prophet. As Reverend Gustavo spoke, I asked myself which one am I. We Knights are Disciples of Christ; the message we bring is works of charity, unity and in fellowship. Our Brothers from Walla Walla to Yakima worked in unity to make the Prosser event happen, their rewards will be on hold.

During this Lenten season, we can fast, give up candy, or give up golf, whatever soon is forgotten, but one thing one should never forget that during these forty days, we should strengthen our Catholic faith with the daily rosary, pray for our nation, witnessing to the world, looking at the Pope, our Catholic faith to remain strong against foes of Christianity, we are the strong example to the Christian world.

No one really wants to say, it's not politically correct, that the devil plans to take over this country and the world. The only thing stopping him is our determination in prayer and unity, for in unity everything is possible.

It's said there are those that make a difference in the world, those that watch, and those that hope and those that do nothing, Knights are ones that makes a difference. Never forget.

Vivat Jesus!  
Mike Calderon  
Hispanic Chairman



## Military Chaplains Scholarship Fund

Supreme Master Dennis Stoddard reports our military chaplains scholarship campaign has been a great success and stands at \$956,226.98 for this most worthy military vocations program.

A balance of \$43,773.02 must be raised by June 30, 2015, to complete the One Million Dollar fund.. If your Council has not yet participated by sending \$100, \$200 or more, as you are able, please get on board with a modest donation.... If you can make another offering, please do so too!

I am also pleased to advise you that Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson has committed an additional Two Hundred Thousand dollar (\$200,000) donation to the program over the next two years, but it will come directly from the Order.

I offer my personal "Thank You" for your contributions to this most rewarding program to build men for the Military Priesthood. Our fighting men and women deserve our help in serving their Catholic faith needs too.

Supreme Master Dennis Stoddard and Vice Supreme Master Karl Hadley, VSM, express their "Thanks". I look forward to closing out our successful campaign this Fraternal Year with your kind and gracious help.

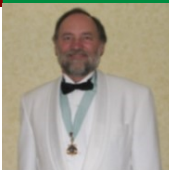
Vivat Jesus!  
George Czerwonka, State Deputy



U.S. Marines receive communion from a Marine chaplain on Iwo Jima, the largest of the Japanese Volcano Islands, on March 3, 1945 during World War II.

**THIS WAS 70 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK!**

## Message from State Secretary



My Brothers All,

**Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries:** State Per Capita billings have been issued. These billings are due upon receipt....please pay them promptly. These must be paid **prior** to State Convention time.

Certificate of Election! Please get these in as soon as possible! Don't let your council get caught without getting the required documents in prior to the State Convention.

Does your council have any resolutions that you wish to put forward for the State delegation to address? If so, those need to be in my hands no later than March 15 - with council seal attached.

No time like the present to get working on your council's summary of accomplishments. Remember those need to be in your District Deputy's hands not later than April 1.

### State Chairmen, District Deputy Mentors and District Deputies:

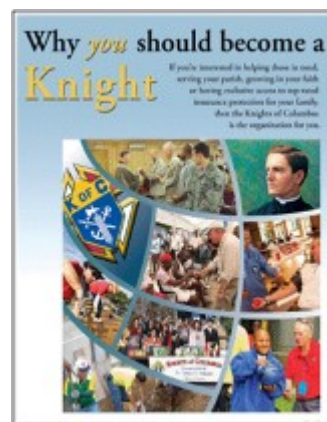
Please get your summary report ready and in to me so they can be published in the Convention Booklet. Remember these reports should be sent to me electronically....so type and send an email or MS Word document. 100% submission is my expectation!! District Deputies - if one of your councils doesn't submit theirs to you....please write something for them.

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

Looking forward to the last portion of this year. Let's make it great!

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Parazoo  
State Secretary  
StateSecretary@kofc-wa.org  
One New Member, Per Council, Per Month





## State Treasurer Message and Forms



Greetings Brothers,

**Here is the latest update on Forms submissions.** We keep whittling away at these outstanding forms. We only need a few more Form 185's and 365's. **THANK YOU BROTHERS FOR YOUR EFFORTS!!! 100% SUBMISSION IS THE**

**MISSION!** I just got back from a vacation in Hawaii. WOW, are there a lot of Packer fans over there! just sayin'.

The second Form 1295 Semi-Annual Audit that was due February 15, 2015 is coming in nicely. As soon as the Supreme council reports on which ones they have received I can report to you.

### **FORM 185 OFFICER CHOSEN FOR THE TERM DUE JUNE 30, 2014**

There are only three Councils left that are late on submitting this most important and first form of the year:

**3455 8311 and 13831.**

### **FORM 365 SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL REPORT DUE AUG 1, 2014**

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

**1699 1758 3153 3455 7149 8266 8311 9910 13761 13831 and 15684.**

### **FORM 1295-AUGUST SEMI-ANNUAL COUNCIL AUDIT DUE AUG 15, 2014**

The following Councils need to submit their August 2014 Audit. This is the first of two audits that your trustees need to complete to keep your Councils financial situation in balance and on solid ground. The star after the eight councils below means that at least two consecutive audits are missing for that council.

**1565 3153 3361\* 3598\* 4367 7149\* 8398 9434 11217 11611\* 13831\* 13834 14926\* 15143\* 15338 15721 15838\* and 15968.**

**FORM 1728 FRATERNAL SURVEY DUE JANUARY 31, 2015.** This Form is a Star Council Requirement, and it allows the Supreme Council to justify our Tax-Exempt Status. This form is starting to trickle in.

**763 1401 1699 2126 3153 3455 3645 4385 8079 8179 8266 8297 8398 8672 9145 9434 9605 9617 9664 9910 10543 11217 11789 12175 12251 12899 13462 13761 13831 14926 15338 15684 15721 15838 15968**

### **EXEMPLIFICATION FUND**

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

God Bless!

Bob-ST

## The Wizard of Washington presents: Q&A



**Question:** Why do we do Church Drives?

**Answer:** Great question! Since the beginning, we as the Knights of Columbus have banded together to fulfill the vision of our founder Fr. Michael J. McGivney- to protect our own with a strong and viable insurance company. To make that possible back then, he needed members...lots of members...and he got them. Insurance still motivates many of our members today, and now we can proudly meet that important need.

The need for many members hasn't changed. We need lots of members to do God's work. The Knights have created an effective organization to do this, and it is only right to afford each Catholic man the opportunity to be a member of our Organization so that he can help too. Additionally, we are building up the Church.

At the Council level, think of how nice it would be to have plenty of men to fill the officer chairs and the committee chairs and to have many hands to complete your projects. This takes a constant stream of willing men as our members get old, move away, and have life changes. This constant influx of new members allows us to stay equipped to do God's work in the dynamic world we live in. "The more fibers in the cable, the stronger it is."

Whatever reason you latch onto to seek out new members, go forward knowing that you are performing one of the most important functions of our Organization...GROWING THE ORDER.

**Question:** Why is it important to submit Council Awards application? Aren't we doing this for the greater good anyway?

**Answer:** Fantastic question! One of the most important leadership functions a Grand Knight has is to recognize the hard work that his council has put forward for the year.

Saint John Paul II in an address to our Order stated that our good works are multiplied by the good works they inspire in others. In sharing your program ideas with other councils, it might inspire them and help them plan for their programs.

Finally, every now and then, one of our programs is judged to be one of the best in the Order. The whole State is proud when one of our councils is recognized for their outstanding works. It shines the light on our great State – something that we can all enjoy!

God Bless! The Wizard!

P.S. If you have a question for the Wizard of Washington, submit it to the State Treasurer at [StateTreasurer@kofc-wa.org](mailto:StateTreasurer@kofc-wa.org)

## Double Your Points Twice Reminder



### Double Twice Your Points!

When you recruit, you become a  
"Very Important Proposer" (VIP)

Double your points when you recruit 1-5 new members between January 1st and June 30, 2015; for each new member you would receive 1,000 VIP points instead of the usual 500 VIP points. So, if you recruit 5 new members, you would receive 5,000 VIP points.



Again, double your points if you recruit 6 or more new members. By reaching this threshold, you will receive 2,000 VIP points for each new member. So, if you recruit 6 new members, you would receive 12,000 VIP points.



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## Family Chairman's Message



### THE LAST DAYS

*Can you picture what will be  
So limitless and free  
Desperately in need...of some...stranger's hand  
In a...desperate land  
.....Morrison*



A great civilization is not conquered from without until it has destroyed itself within. If we look to Rome's fall the essential causes of her decline lay in her people, her morals or lack thereof, the distrust between the classes, her failing economy, her government bureaucracy, her stifling taxes, her draining wars.

The two greatest problems in our country's history is how to learn and benefit from the rise of the United States to a world power and how to safeguard against the decline and fall of our great nation. We can better understand our challenge if we remember that the fall of Rome like her rise, had not one cause but many, and was not an event but a process.

The decay of family moral values was a large contributor to the Roman downfall. The strong character that had been formed by basic simplicities and a strong belief in a value system faded away in the sunshine of wealth and a new freedom of unbelief; men now had in the middle and upper classes, the money to yield to the many temptations.

Brother Knights we must reach out as Jesus did; the gospels tell us of a Jesus who questioned conventional values, who ate with sinners and challenged religious authorities. Jesus held dear what others ignored and dismissed what others treasured – as if convention and truth are not the same. With similes and metaphors as brilliant as any in literature he reached everyone because he taught with the simplicity required by his audiences. The interesting stories he told were nearly all models of brevity, clarity, and force.

As Knights we must realize that the clock is ticking, the wheel is turning, and the last days are closer than they were yesterday. History can teach us, history can warn us. Do you remember a tune called "Look what they've done to my song?" "Read some history of Rome and its decline, (look what they are trying to do to our country) guard your values and your church they are under attack. Our country is under attack; they have the process in place and its moving forward. We cannot as Knights sit on a stump and hope all will be better, its spring, its time to begin again.

*My brothers it is late in the afternoon. We are sitting on a stump warming ourselves in the sun's dying rays, resting, thinking, waiting, and watching. A creek full of melt water roles along to our left, and to our right some aspen trees are clustered together in a small grove. Sparrows kept darting in and out of holes in the aspen trunks. It is another beginning; it is spring a gift that invites gratitude in all living creatures. A gift that reveals to the world that God is a giver not an accountant, he loves life and he loves his children, he is all-powerful but he is caught by his own creation much like a mother or father caught in the need to love their children. As the Russian mystic Berdyaev once said, when the little baby weeps, God cries.*

Some will most certainly ask, how could the force responsible for all of creation, the God who created black holes, billions of stars, the God of power and light, in any way be so vulnerable a God, why would an infinite God want or need our love? Brother Knights, friends and family lean in real close while I tell you my secret....**I don't know!!**

But this is the God I pray to every day, this is the God who sent his only son to earth to save our ungrateful selves. This is the same God that has given us the opportunity to live in our country, to make choices, to become Knights of Columbus and to stand for life, family, church and country. This is the same God who is always standing by us holding out his hand to give us his support, love, understanding and forgiveness.

*Vivat Jesus!*

*Steve Snell*

### BOTHELL KNIGHTS DELIVER 27 TONS OF FOOD TO NEEDY

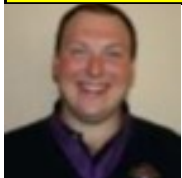
Most Knights do not know that for years a small and very dedicated group of Bothell Knights (Bothell - Fr Justin P Garvey Council 6686) have been picking up and delivering food daily to this real need, feed hungry people - PGK Del Treichel, WGK Dan Treichel, PGK Harry Mathewson, FN Dan O'Brien and WFS Dan Munko to name a few.

In the last eleven months these Knights have volunteered 1,664 Knight Man Hours of their personal time, driven 9,055 miles, delivered \$109,544 in food totaling 54,088 pounds (more than 27 tons) to St Martins de Porres

This dedicated team functions under the radar - it is our council at its best.  
Jim Riddell, DGK



## Council Chairman's Message



This year seems to be going by very fast. I'd like to thank everyone who took the time to fill out and turn in Form 4584, the partnership profile report with Special Olympics. If your council has not submitted that form to supreme, Please do so ASAP. You can find the form here: [http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/olympics\\_ques4584\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/olympics_ques4584_p.pdf). The more information we give supreme, the better they can estimate how well our state does in supporting Special Olympics; which is one of the biggest Organizations that we support on a state & national level.

We are already starting to approach all of the award submission deadlines. Below is a list the award name, a url to get the award electronically, who to send the form to, and when it is due. All award applications are do either April 1<sup>st</sup> or April 15<sup>th</sup>. PLEASE look carefully on what state chairman reviews what award to ensure that your application gets reviewed.

**NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.** You can also get this information from our state website here: <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Officers/nGK.aspx>

### List of Awards

Knight of the Year

<http://www.kofc-wa.org/Forms/PDFS/KOY.pdf> send to: [council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:council@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/1/2015

Family of the Year

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/family\\_year1993\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/family_year1993_p.pdf) send to: [family@kofc-wa.org](mailto:family@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/1/2015

Harry J. Tucker, Jr Memorial Award for Fraternalism

<http://www.kofc-wa.org/Forms/Awards/HarryTuckerAward.pdf> send to: [council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:council@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/1/2015

George C. Turk PSD, VSM Gift of Life Blood Donor Honor Roll

<http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Community/Awards/GeorgeTurkGiftOfLife.pdf> send to: [community@kofc-wa.org](mailto:community@kofc-wa.org)  
Due: 4/1/2015

Wade S Walden, FDD Platelets Heroes Award Honor Roll

<http://www.kofc-wa.org/Forms/Awards/PlateletsHeroesAward.pdf> send to: [community@kofc-wa.org](mailto:community@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/1/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Church

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [church@kofc-wa.org](mailto:church@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Community

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [community@kofc-wa.org](mailto:community@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Council

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:council@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Family

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [family@kofc-wa.org](mailto:family@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Youth

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [youth@kofc-wa.org](mailto:youth@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

State Council Service Program Award: Pro-Life

[http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state\\_serviceaward\\_p.pdf](http://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/council/state_serviceaward_p.pdf) send to: [prolife@kofc-wa.org](mailto:prolife@kofc-wa.org) Due: 4/15/2015

Thank you all so much for all of the hard work you all have put in this fraternal year and I look forward to reading all of your award submissions. It is **CRUCIALLY** important to make sure your council turns these in so we can recognize all of the great work your councils do throughout the fraternal year.

Please let me know if you have any questions on how to turn in award applications, or if you have any questions on what and how to fill it all out. Some of it can be a little confusing so please DO NOT hesitate to contact me via phone or email ANYTIME!

Vivat Jesus,

Joe Wolleat, State Council Chairman  
[council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:council@kofc-wa.org) 253-394-3147



## Culture of Life Chairman Message



### Poster Contest Theme: "A Person's A Person No Matter How Small"

As the student creates their poster, they should demonstrate how much they appreciate the aspects of human life. Below are some suggestions to consider when making their poster. They should be creative and try to expand on the suggestions or develop their own ideas as it relates to the beauty of life, no matter how small. It's all up to them.

- Some ideas can be oriented around babies in the womb (fetus)
- Some ideas can be oriented around small babies
- Some ideas can be oriented around seemingly small jobs people do that are actually very important (i.e.: very big)
- Some ideas can be oriented around the mentally and physically handicapped

### Poster Contest Divisions

Division 1 - Elementary School Grades 1 & 2 Combined

Division 2 - Elementary School Grades 3 & 4 Combined

Division 3 - Elementary School Grades 5 & 6 Combined

- **Poster Contest Rules** (Name **MUST NOT** appear on the front of poster)
- Minimum Poster Size is 11 inches by 14 inches
- Maximum Poster Size is 20 inches by 24 inches
- Councils should supply posters to ensure children meet size requirements
- Acceptable media: crayons, colored pencils, ink, collage
- Media **NOT** acceptable: Charcoal, chalk, glitter, pastels, and black pencils
- Posters **MUST** be clearly identified with five items on the **BACK** of the poster.
  - Student Full Name
  - Phone Number
  - Grade Level
  - Council Number
  - Grand Knight

### When and Where to Submit Posters

- Your councils winning entry for each Division must be handed in at the Poster and Essay Contest Table at the State Convention near the registration table.
- The judges selected for the State Convention Committee will judge the final posters.
- Please contact Andy Kopriva at the State Convention for instruction on judging the posters.
- We will judge the posters after the final session on Saturday afternoon and before Mass. The judging committee will meet outside of the conference meeting room.

### Prizes at State Competition

First place in each division will receives \$100.

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### Essay Contest Theme: "A Person's A Person No Matter How Small"

As the student creates writes their essay, they should demonstrate how much they appreciate the aspects of human life. Below are some suggestions to consider when writing their essay. They should be creative and try to expand on the suggestions or develop their own ideas as it relates to the beauty of life, no matter how small. It's all up to them.

- Some ideas can be oriented around babies in the womb (fetus)
- Some ideas can be oriented around small babies
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- Some ideas can be oriented around the mentally and physically handicapped

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**Culture of Life Chairman Message (continued)**

**Essay Contest Rules** (Name **MUST NOT** appear anywhere on the Essay sheets)

- One division of 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Combined
- Legibly hand printed on college ruled paper, two sheets maximum.
- Typewritten (computer or typewriter) with at least one-inch margins all around
- Smallest font is 10 point. No fancy fonts
- Single or double spaced, one page only
- Essay Entries must be clearly identified with the following five items on a **separate sheet of paper** stapled to the essay.
  - Student Full Name
  - Phone Number
  - Grade Level
  - Council Number
  - Grand Knight

**When and Where to Submit Your Winning Essay**

Please arrange to have essays submitted to the local council so you can judge them. You must mail the winning entry (7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade combined) to us by **April 1, 2014**. Scanning the winning essay and emailing it to the Pro Life Couple is acceptable, but we must receive it by **April 1, 2014**.

Andrew Kopriva, Pro Life Chairman  
3203 S. Newport St.  
Kennewick, WA 99337  
Email: [prolife@kofc-wa.org](mailto:prolife@kofc-wa.org)

**Prizes at State Competition**

First place winner receives \$100.

**Special Announcement**

The end of the fraternal year is drawing to a close and we have an opening for a creative person for the next fraternal year. Our Bulletin Editor for the past 4 years is retiring from the position.

This bulletin is created monthly as a means of informing the members of Washington State Council of the past, current and ongoing efforts of Knights, doing significant good in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

We are seeking someone to take over the responsibility of reviewing, editing and building this bulletin. The bulletin is currently created from an existing format and compiled in Microsoft Publisher 2010. We have an extensive amount of clipart to assist in supplementing the articles provided by 20 or more providers each month. If you are interested in this rewarding type of work, we want to talk to you. Please contact Ed Broadhurst at (509) 675-3549 or email to [edb@centurytel.net](mailto:edb@centurytel.net)

Vivat Jesus!

## FS Tips and Tricks

What is one of the best ways to prevent a member from becoming a missing member? Someone in the council should talk to him on a regular basis. That being said, the next best preventative is to send mail to him on a regular basis and use the appropriate endorsement for first class mail, which is "Forwarding Service Requested" and must be TYPE WRITTEN IN ALL CAPITAL LETTERS. It must be placed in one of four places.



The mail piece is forwarded for one year from the date of the address change. For the next six months the mail piece is returned (not forwarded) with the new address on the return label.

What a great reason to mail a paper membership card to all your Honorary Life Members. Also, at your next opportunity, remind all members that regardless of whether or not they bought insurance with the Knights, they have accidental death insurance with us as long as they are members in good standing. Because of this, it is a good idea to seek information on who their next of kin is for your records and for their family interests.

If you read last month's FS Tips column, you know we are offering assistance in locating missing members. As soon as you get returned mail, drop me an email ([edb@centurytel.net](mailto:edb@centurytel.net)) with a copy of the member's data report from Member Management and we will do our best to help. Be sure to review your member records and rosters for bad address flags, updating same as soon as you get a new address.

Here's a way that you can help retention in your council. The best way to keep a member interested is to help get him all the way to full knighthood. You get the schedule of 3rd degree ceremonials on a regular basis. About 60 days before the next 3rd degree, run standard report # 12 for 1st and 2nd degree members in Member Management. Give both to your Grand Knight and Membership Chairman so they know who to notify of the upcoming degrees. Even if you don't use MM regularly (your loss), it will give you a list of those members. If you are using it, you will get phone numbers, addresses and email addresses to support notification to all. Be part of the solution. Fraternally, Ed Broadhurst FS Consultant

## Military Affairs Chairman Message



### Warriors to Lourdes. A Pilgrimage Like No Other

For fifty-six years wounded warriors from the US Armed forces have joined with wounded military members from countries all over the world at Our Lady's Shrine in Lourdes France. This year the 57<sup>th</sup> pilgrimage will be held May 12th to May 18th.

This past December the PBS Program; *Sacred Journeys* with Bruce Feiler documented the prior year's trip. I caught the last few minutes and from what I saw, those previously wounded troops were having the time of their lives. The Archdiocese for the Military Service, USA (AMS) and the Supreme Council have joined in the undertaking of sending our service men and women on a pilgrimage like no other. All Councils, Assemblies, individuals, and other groups can donate money to help defray the expense through K of C Columbus Charities Inc.

You may donate on-line: [www.warriorstolourdes.com](http://www.warriorstolourdes.com), scroll to the donation page. Mail Checks to Knight of Columbus Charities, One Columbus Plaza P.O. #Box 1966, New Haven Ct. 06509-1966. In the memo insert: Warriors to Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund. Money can be sent any time. The application for warrior candidates is due the last day of this month to Supreme, however, in 2013 the due date was extended 30 days. The application form is also on Warriors to Lourdes web site as well as photo galleries from last year and testimonials.

The local coordinator at Madigan Army at JBLM is Dorothy Perkins, Col. U.S. Army (Ret) - Lourdes Volunteer 253-753-6301. Also, working with Dorothy Perkins is Fr. Tim McKenna Catholic Chaplain at JBLM. He assisted in sending Sgt. Daniel Woodley on his Pilgrimage last year. A recent Email from Dorothy Perkins read they have Interviewed 2 Warrior Candidates for this year (see update below). She seeks funding from the Washington State Knights of Columbus to assist group leaders and companions on the trip. For more Information go to the Warriors to Lourdes web site it.

Update: In a telephone conversation with Col Perkins, eight wounded Warriors and four Pilgrims with twelve escorts/caregivers they will be flying out of SeaTac Airport Direct to France. According to Col Perkins, the Federal Way Council will assist in the transportation and will insure there is smooth transition at SeaTac. Kudos to Council 7528 in Federal Way.

"One Nation Under God"

Greg Georgoff, Military Affairs Chairman

<b>Directory Changes</b>	<b>Directory Changes</b>
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 FRPAUL@GHCATHOLIC.ORG  
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 5WOODYS@FRONTIER.COM  
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 Family Parish, Smith Rm, 505 17th St SE, Auburn 98002

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Chaplain - Rev Joseph P. Mitchell.....(360) 885-7780  
 1920 S Lake Stickney DR, Lynnwood, WA 98087-2044  
 JPMITCH1949@GMAIL.COM  
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 Bainbridge Island

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 MTONIEL@HOTMAIL.COM  
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**BOTHELL - FR JUSTIN P GARVEY COUNCIL 6686 (16)**

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 JOHNHYNDS@GMAIL.COM  
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 NE Oak St, Camas 98607

**FAIRCHILD AFB - HOLY FAMILY COUNCIL 14510 (28)**

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 5872 KAMIAKIN TRL, FAIRCHILD AFB, WA 99011  
 DAVIDJLMURPHYDJM@GMAIL.COM  
 (B) & (O) 3rd Thursday, 5:100pm; Fairchild Air Base Chapel,  
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 N Dale Rd, Moses Lake 98837

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 182 WHISKEY CREEK BEACH RD, PORT ANGELES, WA  
 98363-8792  
 1963EAGLERJCVP69@Q.COM  
 (B)1st Wednesday, 7:00pm; Saint Anne Rm, Queen of Angels,  
 209 W 11th St, Port Angeles

**SILVER KNIGHT AWARDS**

**Congratulations to Silver Knight Awardees February 2015**

**Information not available at press time**

Romy Ablao

Chairman, Member Development West  
 (206) 399-3515



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## Family of the Month Program

## Historian Chairman Message

### DOES YOUR COUNCIL PARTICIPATE IN THE FAMILY OF THE MONTH PROGRAM?

The task is simple: 1) Select a deserving family; 2) Log in to [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org); 3) On the opening screen, Put your cursor over "Publications & Resources"; 4) Select "Forms"; 5) Select "Council" 6) Scroll down and click on "Family of Month – Form 1993A - Online"; 7) Complete the form using the example below; and, 8) Click on "Submit"!

FAMILY OF THE MONTH FOR FEBRUARY 2015  
THE FAMILY OF BROTHER WAYNE C. HOGAN  
ST. FRANCES CABRINI COUNCIL 4322 - LAKEWOOD WA  
MEMBER: WAYNE C. HOGAN  
MEMBERSHIP NUMBER: 12345678  
SPOUSE: LORI  
CHILDREN: JESINA, PATRICK, KATHY, THERESA AND MIKE

BROTHER HOGAN HAS BEEN A CORNERSTONE TO ST. FRANCES CABRINI COUNCIL 4322 FOR OVER 30 YEARS. AT 82 YEARS OF AGE, HIS LEADERSHIP ABILITIES AND DEDICATION TO DETAIL ARE STILL EVIDENT NOT ONLY AT COUNCIL LEVEL BUT ALSO AT STATE LEVEL. FROM COUNCIL ACTIVITIES TO DEGREE AND STATE FUNCTIONS BROTHER HOGAN WILL BE THERE TO PERFORM, ORGANIZE OR ASSIST. BROTHER HOGAN AND HIS WIFE, LORI, ARE EXAMPLES OF WHAT FAMILY LIFE IS ALL ABOUT. AFTER 59 YEARS OF MARRIAGE THEY STILL SHOW LOVE TO THERE FIVE CHILDREN, NINE GRANDCHILDREN AND 2 GREAT GRANDCHILDREN. THEY ARE ACTIVE IN CHURCH AND RESPOND WHEN ASKED TO PARTICIPATE OR HELP WITH NEEDED REFRESHMENTS.

(This example was selected from the St. Frances Cabrini Council 4322 Newsletter – *The Knight Voyager* for March 2015, submitted by Grand Knight and Editor Paul Swortz. – Thank you WGK Paul for allowing us the reprint for the purpose of encouraging all councils to participate in this most worthy Family of the Month Program as it is the precursor for State and Supreme Family of the Year Awards.)

## FAMILY OF MONTH

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

January 2015

Family of:

Rory & Kristy Pitts ..... Puyallup 1629  
Felix & Rose Rifa ..... Yakima 6097  
Bernard & Joyce Kaifer ..... Mreecer Island 11642  
Jeffrey & Elisa Kleppinger ..... Seattle 13794

20 Washington Councils participated. Thank you

### Bring Your Council History Up to Date

This is an appeal to District Deputies, Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, and charter members of councils: Don't get left out!

Brother Knights, do you want your council to go down in history? In fact, if your council is to go down in history—in the state council history, that is—then someone in your council should consider coming up with a brief history that explains the beginning and other highlights of your council.

Of the 157 councils in the state, the following 25 have little or no history submitted—9721, 9833, 9910, 11085, 11217, 11252, 11253, 11611, 11948, 12175, 12483, 12591, 13761, 13834, 14046, 14689, 14852, 14922, 15143, 15338, 15462, 15538, 15684, 15721, and 15838.

But any council can submit an updated version of its history, as many have not been updated since the 1990 history was written by PSD George Turk or in 2002 by PSD Tom Weber.

We don't ask for much. In fact, if your council is listed above and you provide answers to the questions below you will succeed in getting your council history in the book. Send that information or any updated council's history to me at [joesthilaire@hotmail.com](mailto:joesthilaire@hotmail.com) and I will write it for you.

The history of the Knights of Columbus in Washington should be complete, and it cannot be complete without a history of every council. Please help.

### Questions for councils with little or no history submitted

1. Council Name, Number, and City:
2. Date of Charter:
3. List of Charter Members:
4. Who was instrumental in the formation of the council? (District Deputy, Pastor, Charter Grand Knight, etc.)
5. Who were the charter officers? (GK, DGK.....on down to the OG)
6. What programs have been instituted to benefit the parish and community?
7. Does the council have a special mission or program in which it excels?
8. Has the council grown and has it been given awards—Star Council, etc.?

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph St.Hilaire  
Historian



## Directory Changes

### REDMOND - ST. JUDE COUNCIL 8102 (23)

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166th Ave NE, Redmond 98052

### SPOKANE - ST. ALOYSIUS COUNCIL 15143 (5)

FS - Dennis A. Daniel (Julia).....(509) 991-7937  
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DADANIEL@COMCAST.NET  
(B)2nd Tuesday, 6:30pm & (O)4th Saturday, 8:00am; St  
Aloysius Parish, 330 E Boone Ave, Spokane 99202

### TACOMA - ST CHARLES BORROMEO COUNCIL 13238 (22)

Chaplain - Rev Dean W. Mbuzi.....(253) 564-5185  
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DMBUZI@STCHARLESB.ORG  
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Tacoma 98465

### VANCOUVER - COLUMBIA COUNCIL 1327 (36)

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### FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLIES

#### BREMERTON - MSGR. JOSEPH CAMERMAN ASSEMBLY 1540

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CASH01CMH@YAHOO.COM  
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#### CAMAS - ST JOHN PAUL THE GREAT 2926

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(B)3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm; CAMAS

#### LAKEWOOD - ARCHBISHOP THOMAS J MURPHY ASSEMBLY 2685

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STELLACOOMJOHN@AOL.COM  
FC - Charles Dowd.....(360) 723-4237  
8505 48TH CT NE, LACEY, WA 98516  
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(B)4th Thursday, 7:00pm; LAKEWOOD

### SPOKANE - BISHOP C. WHITE ASSEMBLY 1539

FC - Dennis A. Daniel (Julia).....(509) 991-7937  
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DADANIEL@COMCAST.NET  
4th Wednesday, 7:00pm; SPOKANE

## Form 990 Filing Compromised

Many of you have received an email from an organization called the Urban Institute regarding IRS Forms 990, 990-EZ, or 990-N (e-Postcard), which you may have filed on behalf of your council or assembly. The various Forms 990 are Federal informational tax returns that must be filed annually with the IRS by tax exempt organizations. These forms, including the 990-N (e-Postcard), are public documents, which are released by the IRS annually.

The Urban Institute, through its National Center for Charitable Statistics, contracts with the IRS to administer the electronic filing of these forms by numerous tax exempt organizations, including thousands of Knights of Columbus councils and assemblies. The Urban Institute recently reported that a data breach occurred within its information system. Although the information reported by tax exempt organizations on their Forms 990 is not confidential, the breach may also have resulted in the disclosure of other information, such as passwords used to file Forms 990. The data breach does not involve any Knights of Columbus information systems.

It appears that the information that was compromised could enable the hackers to assume the identity of a tax exempt organization in order to submit phony Forms 990. Although filing a Form 990 cannot generate a tax refund, the filing of a false Form 990 could cause confusion and embarrassment for the organization. More importantly, the filer's own personal information may be vulnerable if he or she filed the form from a home computer, used a redundant password, etc.

The Urban Institute has developed a webpage with FAQs informing filers of the breach and providing recommendations for further protective action, including changing your password. Please take a look at your earliest convenience:

<http://faq.form990.org/>

If you have ever used the Form 990 Online or e-Postcard filing systems on behalf of your council or assembly, perhaps you used the same password that you have used for access to your other devices or accounts. If so, you should change all your passwords immediately. Finally, you should beware of Phishing emails asking for additional information about you or your accounts.

Fraternally,

John Marrella  
Supreme Advocate

## Update on Form 990

I filed this with IRS yesterday for my council and was required to change my password.

Ed Broadhurst  
FS Consultant

## Exemplifications

### FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

The first Spokane 4th Degree Exemplification of the year will be held on Saturday, 9 May 2015 at St. Charles Parish, 4515 N. Alberta Street, Spokane, WA 99205.

The Host Assembly is Father Vincent Capodanno Assembly # 3487.

District Master Thomas J. Sokol 509-993-2903 or e-mail [thomas@tjappraisals.com](mailto:thomas@tjappraisals.com)

The Faithful Navigator is Ron Girkins at 509-919-1865 or e-mail at: [rongirkins@msn.com](mailto:rongirkins@msn.com)

The Faithful Comptroller is Ed Lapinski at: 509-325-3548

The Degree Team is the Eastern Washington Fourth Degree Team.

### The EXEMPLIFICATION HONOREE

The honoree for this Fourth Degree Exemplification is Thomas More Kelleher.

### EVENT TIME SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY	TIME	LOCATION
Registration	11:00 AM-1:00 PM	St. Charles Parish School
Lunch	11:00 AM-1:00 PM	Activity Center
Exemplification	1:00 PM-3:00 PM	Gymnasium
Public Knighting/Picture Taking	3:00 PM-4:00 PM	Gymnasium
Mass	4:00 PM-5:00 PM	St. Charles Parish
Social and Banquet	5:30 PM	Gymnasium

### BANQUET MENU (May Change)

Local Chef providing spinach salad, Sirloin Roast or Grilled Salmon, Savory Rice, Fresh, Seasonal Vegetables and fresh Fruit Crumble topped with Vanilla Ice Cream.

### FEES

The exemplification cost for each candidate, except priests is \$70.00 as set by the Supreme Board of Directors. Included in this fee is one banquet ticket, a social baldric and 4th Degree pin. There is no exemplification fee for ordained priests or religious brothers, however, their Assembly will pay \$15.00 for their social baldric, and 4th Degree pins.

The candidates' or assemblies' check is to be made payable to: The Master Fund.

Ladies banquet cost is \$20.00. The lunch for the candidates is \$5.00

Advance reservation and payment is required.

Make checks payable for luncheon and banquet tickets payable to Father Capodanno Assembly #3487.

### DRESS for BANQUET

**MEN:** Plain black tux, white shirt, black tie, black shoes and socks. Military personnel may wear their uniform. Sir

Knights are to wear their social baldric and jewel of office. (Either council or assembly)

**LADIES:** Because the men are dressed formally, most ladies prefer a more dressy dress; some wear a cocktail dress although a skirt and blouse are acceptable.

### ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The candidate's sponsor is to insure that all information is legibly printed on the Form 4. The applicant, sponsor and the Financial Secretary of the applicant's council sign the Form 4. After admission committee action, the Faithful Navigator and Faithful Comptroller will sign the Form 4. The Faithful Comptroller will promptly forward the signed

Form 4 and the applicant's check to the Master. After the degree, the Master will sign and send the Form 4 to

Supreme with copies to the necessary councils and assemblies.

## Advertisement in State Convention Booklet



### Knights of Columbus

St. John Vianney Council 8201  
c/o Mike Heywood  
11007 E. 34<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Spokane Valley, WA 99206

January, 2015

Worthy Grand Knights, State Officers and Brother Knights:

I would like to ask that you purchase an advertisement for the 2015 Washington State Convention program booklet. Proceeds from the advertising help defray the costs that the Host Council incurs for printing, postage, envelopes, badges, packets, etc.

Convention ads have been used in many imaginative ways to:

- Promote your Council or Assembly
- State the Mission of your Council or Assembly
- Congratulate your Brother Knights
- Advertise upcoming Council events
- Welcome visiting Knights to the area
- Thank State Officers for their magnificent work
- Identify and thank Council and Assembly officers
- Proclaim the Councils in your District
- Provide a history of your council
- Show support for our troops
- Surprise us with your creativity.

#### Action:

1. Decide on your ad copy and size
2. Complete the Advertising Agreement form and send with your check to the address shown on the form by April 15, 2015. Thank you for supporting the 112<sup>th</sup> Washington State Convention.

Vivat Jesus!

Don Sauvé  
Convention Chairman

St. John Vianney Council 8201



*Thank you for placing an ad in  
the 112<sup>th</sup> State Convention Booklet.*



## State Convention Booklet Advertisement Agreement



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 112<sup>TH</sup> WASHINGTON STATE CONVENTION MAY 15-17, 2015 Spokane, Washington

#### COUNCIL/ASSEMBLY AGREEMENT

The following fraternal entity agrees to provide a greetings message in the 112<sup>th</sup> Washington State Convention Program Booklet in the size and at the rate designated below:

Name and council/assembly number \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact's preferred phone \_\_\_\_\_

Contact's email address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized signature \_\_\_\_\_

Black and White Ad Size	Rate	Height	Width
<input type="checkbox"/> Full page, outside back	\$500.00	10"	7 ½"
<input type="checkbox"/> Full page, inside covers	\$400.00	10"	7 ½"
<input type="checkbox"/> Full page, inside pages	\$300.00	10"	7 ½"
<input type="checkbox"/> Half page	\$150.00	5"	7 ½"
<input type="checkbox"/> Quarter page	\$ 80.00	5"	3 ¾"
<input type="checkbox"/> Eighth page	\$ 50.00	2 ½"	3 ½"

*(Color full-page rate for inside covers is \$500.00 each and outside back cover is \$600.00.  
Sizes are less 1/8" for space between.)*

Make check payable to: **KC Council 8201**

Mail this form and check to: KC Council 8201  
c/o Mike Heywood  
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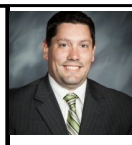

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COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE
676	CREDIT	3307	CREDIT	8201	\$ -	11253	\$ 14.00	13606	\$ 14.00
683	\$ 49.00	3361	\$ -	8266	\$ -	11357	CREDIT	13761	\$ 7.00
763	CREDIT	3455	\$ 14.00	8297	CREDIT	11408	\$ -	13794	CREDIT
766	\$ 21.00	3598	\$ 21.00	8311	\$ 14.00	11478	\$ -	13831	\$ -
809	\$ 77.00	3611	\$ 28.00	8398	\$ -	11611	\$ 14.00	13834	\$ 7.00
829	\$ 28.00	3645	\$ 28.00	8437	\$ -	11642	\$ 21.00	14046	\$ 42.00
894	\$ 35.00	4196	\$ -	8455	\$ 7.00	11736	\$ 7.00	14162	\$ -
1327	\$ 21.00	4322	\$ 7.00	8476	\$ -	11762	\$ 14.00	14268	\$ -
1379	\$ 21.00	4367	\$ 14.00	8672	\$ -	11780	\$ 56.00	14394	\$ -
1401	\$ -	4385	CREDIT	8768	\$ -	11789	\$ 21.00	14510	\$ -
1449	\$ -	4782	CREDIT	8872	\$ 49.00	11906	\$ 21.00	14689	\$ 28.00
1460	\$ -	5177	\$ 35.00	9145	\$ 14.00	11948	\$ 84.00	14852	\$ 28.00
1488	\$ 14.00	5495	\$ -	9237	\$ -	12002	\$ 14.00	14922	\$ -
1545	\$ 7.00	5816	\$ 21.00	9238	\$ 21.00	12175	\$ 14.00	14926	\$ 49.00
1550	\$ -	6097	\$ 28.00	9434	\$ -	12251	\$ -	15136	\$ 49.00
1565	\$ -	6686	\$ -	9605	CREDIT	12273	\$ -	15143	\$ 14.00
1606	\$ 7.00	6706	\$ 7.00	9617	\$ 28.00	12420	\$ -	15338	\$ 21.00
xxx		6806	\$ -	xxx		xxx		15462	\$ 7.00
1620	CREDIT	7117	\$ -	9637	\$ 7.00	12483	\$ -	15538	\$ -
1629	\$ 5.50	7149	\$ 14.00	9664	\$ 7.00	12583	\$ -	15684	\$ -
1643	\$ 21.00	7356	\$ 7.00	9721	\$ -	12591	\$ 14.00	15689	\$ 49.00
1674	\$ 63.00	7360	\$ -	9833	\$ 49.00	12786	\$ 7.00	15721	CREDIT
1699	CREDIT	7528	\$ 14.00	9910	\$ 7.00	12889	\$ 7.00	15730	\$ 28.00
1758	\$ 14.00	7642	\$ 49.00	9941	\$ 7.00	12899	\$ 14.00	15838	\$ 21.00
1823	\$ -	7863	CREDIT	10532	\$ -	12983	\$ 7.00	15968	\$ 56.00
2103	\$ -	7907	\$ 35.00	10534	\$ -	13186	CREDIT		
2126	\$ -	7908	\$ -	10543	CREDIT	13238	\$ 7.00		
2155	\$ -	8015	\$ 21.00	10652	\$ 21.00	13364	\$ -		
2260	CREDIT	8079	\$ 84.00	10653	\$ 5.00	13374	\$ -		
2303	\$ -	8102	\$ 35.00	10664	\$ -	13395	\$ 7.00		
2763	\$ 63.00	8136	\$ 21.00	11085	\$ 7.00	13422	\$ -		
2999	\$ -	8137	\$ -	11134	CREDIT	13462	\$ -		
3044	\$ -	8150	\$ -	11217	\$ 7.00	13560	\$ -		
3153	\$ 21.00	8179	\$ 49.00	11252	CREDIT	13597	\$ 21.00		

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