



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE

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### Message from State Deputy



My Dear Brothers in Christ:

We are "the Protectors of God's Gifts"! Those were the words Pope Francis used in his message to greet, inspire and bless the delegates to the Supreme 'International' Convention in San Antonio, Texas on August 6 – 8, 2013. The international convention was the largest gathering of Catholic hierarchy in America outside of the annual U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' meetings with more than 90 archbishops and bishops — including 11 cardinals — and scores of clergy joining the more than 2,000 Knights and their family members for the convention. The members and hierarchy came from throughout North and Central America, the Caribbean, Africa, Asia and Europe.

"The nearly 300-year history of San Antonio is a testament to the ways in which evangelization, immigration and the quest for freedom can shape a community," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson, whose annual report was given to us on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 6. He went on to say, "We are pleased to be meeting in so historic a city, where our own roots run so deep." The Texas State Council worked for more than a year to host this very special event.

The meeting, a mixture of business, recognition and fellowship, was highlighted by the annual report of Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. Activities began on Tuesday with a 9:30 a.m. concelebrated Mass at the Marriott Hill Country Resort led by Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, M.Sp.S. of San Antonio. Later that day, the delegates heard the keynote address from Cardinal Sean O'Malley, O.F.M. Cap. of Boston, at the formal States Dinner.

More than 500 delegates participated in the business sessions on Wednesday and Thursday mornings, and many service and achievement awards were presented on Wednesday afternoon too. IPSD Don McBride and his wife, Julie, were honored with awards for their service as State Deputy and First Lady. IPSD Don McBride and I represented you as convention delegates including State Warden Kim Washburn, PSD John Klein, Ex. Dir. John Walker, Membership Dir. Marcel Bergeron, DDM Romy Ablao, Hispanic Chairman Mike Calderon, Retention Chairman Andy Kraemer and Prolife Chairman Frank Tyson. Grand Knight Richard Targorda of Des Moines Council 8079 was a special guest of Supreme Knight Carl Anderson as having been drawn from the list of Grand Knights reaching their council membership goals for the FY. We were very proud to see Grand Knight Richard selected, and he represented our Washington jurisdiction very well indeed!

Our attendance at the masses was very impressive and concelebrated by many cardinals, patriarchs, abbots, archbishops, bishops, priests, and deacons. Our former State Chaplain and Bishop of Yakima, Francis Cardinal George, Archbishop of Chicago, was present and waving the Washington State flag at the States Dinner, as was Bishop Emeritus William Skylstad of Spokane. We, your delegates had an enjoyable time notwithstanding the Texas heat...it never fell below the 102 degree daytime temperature with the high one day at 106 degrees.

Vivat Jesus

*George Czerwotka, SD*

## State Deputy's Membership Message

My Dear Brothers...

As we close in on the first "one hundred days" of the Fraternal Year (FY) and enter the closing month in this First Quarter, I am very proud of the leadership demonstrated by many of you the first 60 days, but concerned too about what a few councils continue to do in the name of retention. It appears the few are more focused on dues and short on charity and brotherly love as we continue to suspend many of our aged members with 25, 35 and more years' service including insurance members and others too with many years of service. How can that be?

We continue to mail dues statements to old addresses only to have them returned, and we carry these members without truly seeking them out using the media and methods heretofore unavailable in years past. To be frank, I can tell you that I have put together a senior core group to work these suspensions in an effort to locate and return these men to active status. However, our cleanup work will never resolve the real issue...mentoring these men to become active Knights in the Order.

While you and I work very hard to educate and inform our Catholic brothers of the spiritual, charitable and insurance benefits of membership in the Order, we've become immune to an open back door where they leave without so much as a thought on the impact on us all. Let's take a moment and put that into perspective! If we were a Fortune 500 company, and we lost more than 500 clients in one year, we would be a company that no longer exists doing irreparable damage to the communities in which we live, work and breathe.

How is it then that we get into the dire predicament of having some of our members become non-dues paying? Have we failed to get to know them and to keep them in our thoughts and prayers? Did we fail to engage and mentor them? They joined the Order for a reason...not to leave us! So how do we get past this dilemma? There must be a way, and we have studied a few ways to begin a remedy.

First, we think it important to find these men. Second, we can't in good conscience bill them for years of past dues. The Washington jurisdiction has had a standing rule for some years now to only bill our members for the past Quarter and current Quarter's dues. What is better? Running a member off with an exorbitant billing or getting him as a productive and current member as the council has already paid his per capita and insurance?

Next, we can write off the past years' uncollected dues as a bad debt and no longer carry it as an asset on your council books. Then we need to begin to engage our trustees and retention committees to get out and make house calls. You will be shocked to see what you will find. Many of these seniors will be in assisted living, and yes, some will be deceased too. The age old adage of sending a bill and a letter does not even begin to stretch to the level of charitable care that we owe our Brothers.

And finally, I learned a little more at mass the past Sunday about the title Vicar as it relates to Parochial Vicar in a parish. In short, the Parochial Vicar in a parish is in common counsel with the Pastor and endeavors to know the Pastor and to speak for him while under the Pastor's authority. In essence, the Parochial Vicar comes to know the Pastor so well that he can speak for him.

Although we as Grand Knights, District Deputies, District Deputy Mentors and State Deputy do not come to know each other so well that we can speak for each other as vicar, we do have a history and the rules and laws of the Order that support who we are and what we do on behalf of our members. So I would like for each of you to know and speak for me in finding our lost brothers and in engaging and mentoring them along with our new and current members.

In closing, we can all agree that one member per council per month is a viable objective. We should all know that we currently have less than 5% of all eligible Catholic men within the Washington jurisdiction in our ranks today. We need to ask more of them to join us in our fight for religious freedom and to become "Protectors of God's Gifts" too!

Vivat Jesus,  
George Czerwonka, State Deputy

## PAST STATE DEPUTY THOMAS L. WEBER



**THOMAS L. WEBER, PSD 1995-1997**

**October 3, 1947 – September 2, 2013**

Please join all of the Washington State Council in prayer for PSD Tom Weber, who succumbed on September 2, 2013 after a sixteen year battle with multiple myeloma.

Tom was born October 3, 1947 in Colfax. He was a graduate of Colton High School (1965); Yakima Valley College (AASc degree); and Washington State University (B.S. Electrical Engineering). He was employed at Washington State University with the Civil and Environmental Engineering Department from 1973 until his retirement. During his employment he participated in ground water research in eastern Washington and administered the department's computers and laboratories.

He joined the Order December 30, 1965; took his major degrees March 20, 1966; and joined the Fourth Degree February 7, 1981. He was elected Warden of Colton Council 1565, 1973-75; DGK 1976-78; GK 1978-80; and was DD#8 1981-83. He served as FS 1984-93. He was elected State Warden 1987-89; State Advocate 1989-91; State Treasurer 1991-1993; State Secretary 1993-1995; and State Deputy 1995-97.

Tom joined the Fr. Cataldo Assembly of Moscow, Idaho in Spokane on February 7, 1982 and served as FC 1982-83; FN 1983-85; and FA 1985-87. In 1987, he became a charter member of Fr. Anton Flour Assembly 2105 in Pullman and served as FP 1987-1992; and FN 1993-95. Tom was active in ceremonial work since 1982 when, while serving as district deputy, he was instrumental in forming First, Second, and Fourth Degree ceremonial teams. He was active as an ADD in the Third degree since 1983 and was certified as a Conferring Officer on November 12, 2000.

During service as a state officer, Tom wrote a variety of programs to computerize the records of the state treasurer and secretary. Programs to print the mileage and per diem checks during the state convention and the annual state Directory were among them. Tom was also instrumental in the incorporation of the Pennies for Heaven Fund in 1991 and in the corporation's receipt of tax-exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service in 1995.

Tom was an avid birdwatcher and belonged to a variety of outdoor and wildlife conservation programs and organizations. Tom also enjoyed trapshooting, fly fishing, and trolling for steelhead. He wrote the 75 year history of Colton Council 1565, the 100 year history of St. Galls Parish in Colton, and the 2007 edition of the Washington State Council History.

Tom is survived by Diane and their many godchildren, nieces and nephews, as well as his parents LeRoy and Trudy and his siblings who were featured in the March 2013 issue of Columbia Magazine (<http://issuu.com/columbia-magazine/docs/columbiamar13en?mode=embed&layout=http%3A%2F%2Fskin.issuu.com%2Fv%2Fflight%2Flayout.xml&showFlipBtn=true>)

Tom was a friend, mentor, advisor, and inspiration to many of the current and past state officers of the Washington State Council. He will be dearly missed by all.

## Message from State Secretary



Brother Knights,

All councils that owed the Washington State Council was invoiced for that amount during this past month. To save on postage, they were emailed to the GK and FS of record. Didn't get one? Please check your email address and/or spam folder!! How are those invoices working for your council? I have only heard a couple comments back, should we continue this process? Is it helpful for your council?

Thank you to all the councils that have responded to our first invoice. It is most appreciated. For those that have not, please check your emails and send in your payment soon.

We may include the KCIC bill if it makes sense to do so on this next version. I will be working with Chairman Ron to see if we can work it in. Currently this is a manual process for ST Bob and I, so please when you get the invoice make sure it gets taken care of so we don't have to repeat the processing again and again.

How is your council progressing this year? Are you getting the assistance you require? Don't be shy, you have District Deputies, State Chairman and State Officers ready to assist when called upon. At least we can provide some guidance or suggestions on how to proceed. Reach out and touch someone!

I haven't heard from anyone on comments about the Summer Leadership Meeting - please provide feedback on your experience at the Summer Leadership Meeting. We want to work toward providing the best opportunity for getting the content you need to you. How do you receive it best? Are you getting what you need? What else might we do to make the experience better? Didn't attend? Why not?

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

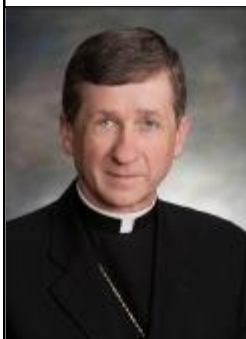
Remember, One New Member, Per Council, Per Month.....how are you doing?

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Parazoo  
State Secretary  
StateSecretary@kofc-wa.org

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**POPE FRANCIS PUTS FOCUS ON FRATERNITY FOR THE  
2014 WORLD DAY OF PEACE**



**STATE CHAPLAIN  
MOST REVEREND  
Blaise Cupich**

**STATE VICE-CHAPLAIN  
VERY REVEREND  
Steve Dublinski**

Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. These are the four core principles of the Knights of Columbus. It is significant that the Holy Father has chosen one of them as the theme for the first World Day of Peace of his pontificate: "Fraternity, the foundation and pathway to peace".

The Holy Father has stressed from the beginning of his Petrine Ministry the need to combat the "throwaway culture" and to promote instead a "culture of encounter", in order to build a more just and peaceful world.

As the Vatican press release noted "Fraternity is a dowry that every man and every woman brings with himself or herself as a human being, as a child of the one Father. In the face of the many tragedies that afflict the family of nations - poverty, hunger, underdevelopment, conflicts, migrations, pollution, inequalities, injustice, organized crime, and fundamentalisms - fraternity is the foundation and the pathway to peace."

What the pope is saying in choosing this is that we need to confront head on a culture that promotes in isolation the value of personal well-being, especially when it leads to a loss of the sense of responsibility and fraternal relationship. This self-centered approach creates an antagonism in society, to the point that others, instead of being like us, become rivals, a burden or even enemies competing for limited resources and goods. Not surprisingly, the poor suffer the most in this "throwaway culture, as Pope Francis calls it. The needy are regarded as a "burden", an obstacle to development, rather than as brothers and sisters, called to share the gifts of God's creation, and the goods of progress and culture. Fraternity reminds us that all need to be included, sharing at the same table of the fullness of life. The Holy Father reminds us that we need to take the initiative and become protagonists of integral and inclusive development.

Fraternity also means promoting solidarity against the kind of inequality and poverty that undermine the social fabric. The task is to take care of every person, especially the weakest and most defenseless, to love him or her as oneself, with the very heart of Jesus Christ.

The press statement says it so well: "In a world that is constantly growing more interdependent, the good of fraternity is one that we cannot do without. It serves to defeat the spread of the globalization of indifference to which Pope Francis has frequently referred. The globalization of indifference must give way to a globalization of fraternity."

We as Knights should be pleased that Pope Francis has highlighted one of our core principles for his first World Day of Peace. He is telling all Christians and, indeed the world, that fraternity is a value that should mark all we do and every aspect of life, including the economy, finance, civil society, politics, research, development, public and cultural institutions.

In a word, Pope Francis is calling us to walk the pathway of fraternity, in order to give the world a more human face.

**~Submitted by Bishop Blase Cupich  
Diocese of Spokane**



## Message from State Treasurer



Greetings Brothers,

I am very proud of our progress on these all important forms. We only need eight more Form 185's and 18 more Form 365's. That is really good!

Thank you! Now if your Council number is still on one of these lists, please catch up with the land of the living and get it done this month.

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

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

**3153, 7149, 8266, 8398, 9910, 13462, 13761, and 13834.**

### FORM 365 SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL REPORT DUE AUG 1, 2013

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

**1379, 1606, 3153, 3455, 4367, 4385, 7149, 8266, 8398, 8437, 11252, 11736, 12483, 13186, 13462, 13761, 13831 and 13834.**

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

This is one of two audits that your trustees need to complete to keep your Councils financial situation in balance and on solid ground. Many have completed this audit, but for some unknown reason Supreme has not published any tracking data on this form yet. As soon as they do, I will include it in my message to you.

### EXEMPLIFICATION FUND

The State Secretary and I sent you your first monthly bill for State expenses last month and as I suspected, you guys are following up great with payments and/or questions about the various charges that we need to keep our records current. We will continue to do that this year so that you can tell monthly where you stand. Most of the feedback on this approach has been positive. FS's remember \$7 for each new member you exemplify with the four R's (Reapplications, Readmissions, Reactivations, Reinstatements) and priests at no charge. I will continue to publish what is owed monthly in the bulletin.

Fraternally

Bob Baemmert State Treasurer

## Message from State Advocate



My Brother Knights,

As of this writing, it appears that only one council has recently been placed on the Tax Status Revoked list by the IRS. That is wonderful; however, remembering my last bulletin article contained a statement by another council who struggled for a long time to get back their Status, I must caution each Council to keep their annual filing current. Please remember those 990 filings must be current or your Council will risk the same fate.

Financial reviews are but one way to keep your finances in order. We often rely only on annual Council Audits but other reviews can be performed at anytime the Grand Knight, or higher authority, requires. It's always a good idea to keep all financial details on every council member's radar by discussing these items openly at Council meetings.

#### A reminder on motions:

Motions can only be passed during meetings at which a proper quorum exists. All amendments to an active motion must be resolved by vote before the original motion can be voted on. Motions that are unresolved at the end of a meeting must be rescinded or deferred to the next meeting at which a quorum exists.

Fraternally,  
Pat Kelley, Advocate

## The Wizard of Washington presents: Questions and Answers



Question 1: Who do I send any or all payments for the State Council to, all-knowing wizard?

Answer: **All payments for the State Council go to the STATE SECRETARY!!!**

Eddie Parazoo, SS  
708 Hoffman Rd #1  
Kettle Falls, WA 99141-9707

Question 2: What happens if my Council meets all of the requirements for Star Council except for getting the SP-7 Columbian Award application in on time, Mister Wizard?

Answer: **Your Council DOES NOT MAKE STAR COUNCIL!!!**

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

## Message from Retention Chairman

This article is being geared toward the Financial Secretaries concerning the Notice of Intent to Suspend whether using the form 1845 or the member management/billing program from Supreme. For illustrative purposes, I will be using the form 1845. One question that has typically arisen is how do I fill out the form 1845 Notice of Intent to Suspend?

The example below is **INCORRECT** due to the fact that the arrearages can only be collected on two quarters worth of dues (previous quarter plus current quarter). When a council let's members fall behind in their dues and does not investigate the reason for the delinquency then they have to assume the responsibility for not taking action sooner

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### NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND

Brother Ima Member : Date July 1, 2013

Our records indicate that on \_\_\_\_\_ you were contacted personally by our council's retention committeeman, \_\_\_\_\_, regarding your Knights of Columbus membership. As of this date, we have not heard from you relative to the matter of your delinquency as itemized below:

PREVIOUS ARREARAGES			BILLING DATE	CURRENT CHARGES			TOTAL AMOUNTS DUE			TOTALS PAID TO
DUES	SPEC.	MISC.		DUES	SPECIAL FUND AMOUNT	MISC.	DUES	SPEC.	MISC.	
150.00			7/1/2013	75.00			225.00			12/31/2013

"Contributions, gifts, membership dues, etc. paid to Knights of Columbus for unrestricted purposes are not deductible as charitable contributions."

Unless payment is received within the next 60 days, our council must proceed to change your "good standing" status to avoid financial loss from Supreme and state assessments. If you are an insurance member, although suspended, you will remain on record in an "inactive" status, as required by insurance regulations. If an associate member, our council will have no other alternative than to suspend you from membership. You currently have \_\_\_\_\_ years of service toward the 25 required for honorary/honorary life status. Suspension would result in a loss of that service as well as forfeiture of your fraternal benefits.

But... it's still not too late to avoid a status change! Timely payment will assure your remaining a member in good standing. If you have any questions or comments, please call the grand knight at 509 555-1212.

I, a Member \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name 206 Farmingham Rd  
 Address Timbuktu, WA 98431-0101  
 1845 10-03 Original Copy

Membership Number 1234567  
 Council Number 12345  
 Member's Telephone No. 36055-1212  
 \_\_\_\_\_ GRAND KNIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ FINANCIAL SECRETARY

By the example of above we show that council # 12345 had not collected dues on Ima Member for three years and they were trying to collect all of the arrearages plus the current years' dues. At this time brother Member has a few options open to him. 1. He can pay the full amount of arrearages (but is not required to do so. If he does, the council will be money ahead). 2. He can take the suspension and come back into the organization as a reinstatement (if he comes back within 3 months). 3. Readmission if he decides to back between 3 months and up to seven (7) years. 4. If Brother Member was an insurance member at the time of his suspension and he kept his policy activated, then he can reactivate his membership with a payment of \$5.00. 5. Should Brother Member returns after seven (7) years, then he can reapply with a payment of \$7.50. 6. He could also tell the council to take a hike (and tell friends/family about the "uncaring, money grubbing Knights of Columbus". From the different options explained above, it would be beneficial to come back under the first five options. **Now for the Correct Example:** It makes it easier for the member to pay his dues or make arrangements.

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### NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND

Brother Ima Member : Date July 1, 2013

Our records indicate that on May 30, 2013 you were contacted personally by our council's retention committeeman, Will Retainer, regarding your Knights of Columbus membership. As of this date, we have not heard from you relative to the matter of your delinquency as itemized below:

PREVIOUS ARREARAGES			BILLING DATE	CURRENT CHARGES			TOTAL AMOUNTS DUE			TOTALS PAID TO
DUES	SPEC.	MISC.		DUES	SPECIAL FUND AMOUNT	MISC.	DUES	SPEC.	MISC.	
				75.00			37.50			Dec 31, 2013

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I, a Member \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address 206 Farmingham Rd Timbuktu WA 98431-0101  
 1845 10-03 Original Copy

Membership Number 123456  
 Council Number 12345  
 Member's Telephone No. 360 555-1212  
 \_\_\_\_\_ **Alec Freeman** \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ GRAND KNIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ FINANCIAL SECRETARY

## Message from General Program Director



Brothers,

I want to thank you for all the prayers, phone calls and messages of encouragement through my eye issues. It has been quite a challenge. For those that do not know, I will give a short explanation. I experienced a macro aneurysm in my right eye slowly filling the eye with blood. By the time I had emergency surgery, I had lost all vision in my right eye. The doctors performed laser surgery and it appears to be holding.

Unfortunate as this is, it happened while I was in San Antonio for the Supreme International Convention, where I was serving as a Delegate. I missed about 60% of the Convention, but what I did attend was fantastic. After surgery, I had to remain in 104 degree temperature San Antonio for another week before I could fly home. I couldn't drive over the pass either. Just getting home was a blessing. My fellow WSC brothers were very helpful and supportive with prayer. I now enjoy 20/40 vision in my right eye and after a couple of weeks, I should be back to normal. For now, I am limited to lifting no more than 8 pounds or bending over. I must limit my computer time, as well, due to the strain.

On a happier note, I have received Monthly Service Reports from 54 councils. This is pleasing to me; however, I would like to see 100 or more councils participate. While this will aid your council in receiving the Grand Knight 1000 Club pin, it is especially important in filling out your end of fraternal year reports (Columbian Award, RSVP Reimbursement, Food for Families Reimbursement and even your Fraternal Survey Report due January 31st). Some councils are even recording the man hours, dollars raised, number that participated, etc. That is not required, but it will benefit their councils.

I truly enjoy reading all the good things that dedicated councils are doing throughout the State each month. I recorded over 200 activities. Here are 13 miscellaneous events submitted in the July Monthly Service Reports. This wide range of events shows that any activities are welcome.

- Provided milk for homeless \$149.70-Free will Breakfast welcoming new priest.
- Our Council sponsored the parish picnic and fireworks event. We BBQ'd over 600 hamburgers and served over 800, Knights manned Whidbey Island "Race Week" booth to raise money for our charity fund.
- Members take part in monthly Sandwich making for shelter.
- Our Council and Assembly participated in a Flag Retirement Ceremony with BSA Troop 555.
- Held BBQ for wives and families.
- Painted a Brother's House complete with pressure washing house, repaired chimney, painted trim and deck.
- Council sponsored a bowling party for our Squires Circle.
- Council members repaired a fence, replacing seven posts at the home of a Knight's Widow.
- Maintain a council website.
- Monthly anniversary card program.
- Clark County Fair Right to Life Booth.
- The council contributed to the cremation of a Parishioner, \$409 was given.

As you see from these examples, some councils get very involved and others stick to the simple things. It all works. Please get involved and file those reports.

Question 1: Why should I fill out the Monthly Service Report every month?

1. Your State Warden needs something to do.
2. Gets the State Warden off my back (Humm...).
3. **Helps me fill out my Columbian Award Application at the end of the year.**

Question 2: Where do I find the form?

1. In the laundry.
2. Write to the State Warden and ask him for directions
3. **Sign in on our WSC website [www.kofc-wa.org](http://www.kofc-wa.org). Go to the yellow menu and hover over forms. Select Grand Knights 1000 Point Club. That is the Monthly Service Report form.**

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## General Program Director (continued)

Question 3: Our council never earned enough points in the past to receive the 1000 point pin, why should I do it now.

1. The report has been changed and program points have been enhanced making it much easier to qualify for the GK 1000 Club.
2. It will greatly assist you in filing your Columbian Award Application, RSVP Reimbursement and Food for Families Reimbursement forms.
3. It will remind you each month why you became a Knight, as you recall the great things your council has accomplished in the name of Christ.
4. **All of the above.**

Don't report things that happened last fraternal year (that is earlier than May 1<sup>st</sup>) or activities that are yet to happen. We only want to deal with the current fraternal year, plus May and June of the previous fraternal year, since these two months go unreported otherwise.

We need councils to get involved in the Tootsie Roll Program. To date, we have only 29 councils signed up. That is dismal, so please get with the program. This is your last chance before next year. As a reference, we had 58 councils last year that participated. We raised over \$128,000 and I was hoping we would improve upon last year.

Thank You to all 59 councils that sent in their Monthly Service Reports. Remember, it is not too late to file your July report; you will just not get credit for a timely submission, worth 5 points. Membership is the quickest way to earn points, so let's get those new members, readmits, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree advancements and Shining Armor/Silver Knights in your council.

Let me know if you need any help.

In His name,

Kim Washburn  
State Warden/Program Director

## District Master's Message (East)



Worthy Faithful Navigators, Faithful Comptrollers, Grand Knights, and Financial Secretaries:  
It is a great honor to be appointed as the Master of the new re-established Eastern Washington District. Master Al Rizzo (may God rest his Soul) was the last Master in Eastern Washington 1986-1988. In 1988 the Eastern and Western Districts were combined into one and Al was named Master of the Washington District and served until 1990.

I would like to thank all my fellow Sir Knights for their support and especially Past Vice Supreme Master Wayne Hogan and current Vice Supreme Master Karl Hadley for their help in establishing the District. The resolution to re-establish the Eastern District was started about seven years ago at the Washington District Meeting with a vote of 50-1. It has been a long hill to climb; however, we have accomplished what we set out to do.

### NOW TO THE FUTURE

We in the Eastern Washington District have sixteen Assemblies composed of 1112 Sir Knights. In the next ten months with your help we need to establish new Assemblies and increase membership. We need JUST ten new Sir Knights per assembly. As leaders of the Knights of Columbus we must work with the Washington State Council in promoting the Order. Remember the word of our Supreme Knight "We have a moral obligation to invite every eligible Catholic man to join the Knights of Columbus." As they go through the First, Second and Third Degree it becomes our responsibility to encourage them to join us in the Fourth Degree and become Sir Knights. I have appointed Sir Knights Darrell Henn, Ron Lawrence and Bob Watkins to the positions of Marshal and Patrick Kerley as Secretary for the Eastern Washington District. The Fourth Degree Team will be acknowledged in the next article. I may be contacted at cell number (509) 993-2903 or e-mail at [thomas@tjsappraisals.com](mailto:thomas@tjsappraisals.com).

One Nation Under God  
Thomas J. Sokol  
Master Eastern Washington District

## Message from Membership Director



Dear Brothers in Christ,

It is an honor to be called upon to be your State Membership director for the coming year. I'd like to offer my best wishes to Brother Tom Sokol in his new role as District Master of Eastern Washington. With the able support from Vice Supreme Master Karl Hadley and District Master Eugene Daly from Western Washington, I know Tom will provide great leadership for the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in our part of the Province.

ONE MEMBER
<i>Per Council, per Month</i>
ONE STAR COUNCIL
<i>per District</i>
ONE NEW COUNCIL
<i>per Diocese, per Jurisdiction, per Year</i>
ONE FIRST DEGREE
<i>Per Council (or per District), per Month</i>

Let me begin by saying that the heart of every successful council is a successful membership program. At this time of year, you need to be planning your Fall Church drive and following and the establishment of the necessary infrastructure, an active Admission Committee and a committed Mentorship Program, to support your recruitment activities.

### YOUR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP DRIVE...

It is time for you to start planning for the Church Membership Drive for this fall. I'm assuming that you have already obtained your parish priest's permission to have the Church Membership Drive on a specific weekend in October or early November. Make sure that you order your Church drive materials from Supreme using order form is at

<http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Membership/2012/ChurchMembershipDriveOrderForm.pdf>

Advertising...The next step in preparation is advertising. Advertising is our opportunity to inform the men in your parish of the Knights of Columbus. Make sure you have an article, however small, in the parish bulletin each week about the Knights of Columbus. As you get closer to drive weekend, expand the parish bulletin article to publicize your upcoming Church Membership Drive. Give consideration to putting an advertisement in the Catholic paper that serves your area. The paper will help you assemble proper copy.

Your Prospect List...Along with advertising is the job of developing a prospect list. With your parish priest's permission, you should be able to obtain a parish roster to develop a prospect list. Obtain a list of the former Council members from your Financial Secretary or Field Agent. If they aren't able to help you, contact the Supreme Council's Department of Fraternal Services.

- Inform active lectors, ushers, Eucharistic ministers and choir members about the Knights. They are active parishioners and excellent prospects.
- Include 18-year olds, high school grads and college students.
- Add fathers, sons, brothers, nephews, cousins, in-laws, grandfathers and grandsons.
- Pass out and encourage all members at Council meetings to complete a prospect card (Form 921).
- Pass these prospect cards to your membership director and admission committee for follow-up

### THE IMPORTANCE OF AN RECRUITMENT COMMITTEE...

Having an active and forward thinking recruitment committee is a key ingredient to your membership success. Make it simple to form one by adding it to the responsibilities of your existing officers to support to Membership Chairman. Consider adding those duties to your Chancellor and the outgoing Grand Knights. Important things for your admission committee include:

- Development of an annual plan for attaining your council's goals for membership.
- Working with council members, field agents, and your pastor to identify and develop a list of perspective new prospects
- Confirming the applicants being Practical Catholics
- Assigning council members to contact each new prospect and then following with them as potential proposers
- Tracking progress with the council annual membership plan and reporting back to your Grand Knight and council on a regular basis at your officer and business meetings

### DO YOU HAVE A MENTORSHIP PROGRAM?

Before you start recruiting new members into your council this year, consider making an upfront investment that will ensure involvement and retention of new members in your councils. You will not be sorry!!! Assigning your experienced knights as mentors to new members can help educate them about our Order and make them active, productive, and valuable members to your councils.

Using the Shining Armor Program, a committed Mentor can help by personally:

- Introducing a new member to council, council officers, program directors and event chairmen
- Teaching new members how to participate in council meetings
- Encouraging advancement in the Order through reception of 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> degrees
- Being available to answer any questions a new member may have
- Introducing new member's wife and family to other council wives and families at social events.

Start your mentorship program this coming month and introduce your mentors to your new members at their first degrees.

You can find more information about the Our State's Shining Armor and Mentorship Programs at: <http://www.kofc-wa.org/Family/Membership/nMembership.aspx>

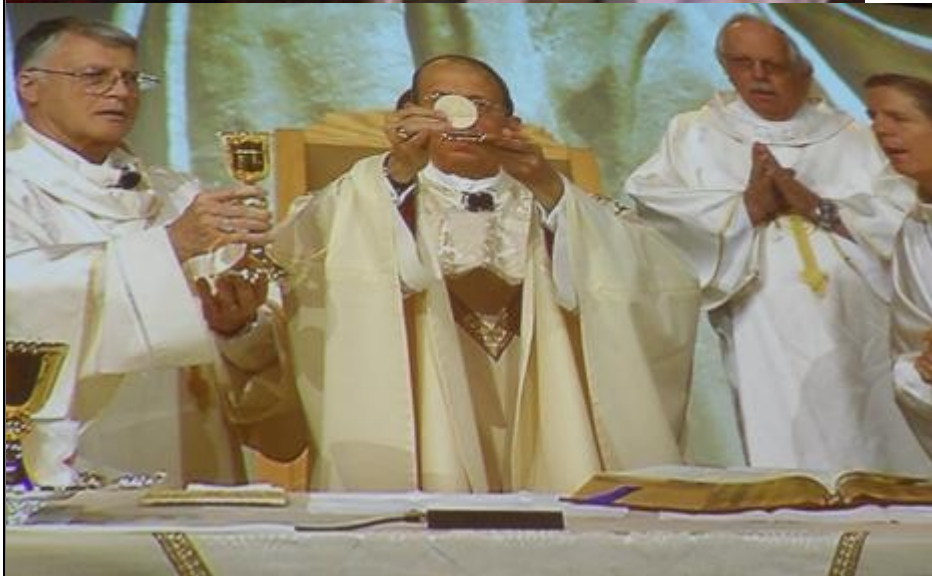
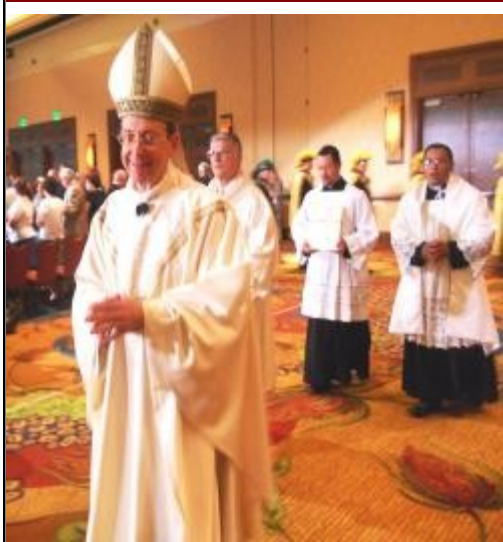
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Marcel Bergeron PGK, FDD, PFN

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## 131st Annual Supreme Convention San Antonio



**District Master East Appointment**

DENNIS J. STODDARD  
Supreme Master

## Knights of Columbus

Fourth Degree

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August 22, 2013

Thomas J. Sokol  
P.O. Box 141376  
Spokane Valley, WA 99214-1376

Worthy Sir Knight and dear Thomas:

I am happy to advise you that after conferring with our Supreme Knight, I am pleased to appoint you Master of the new Eastern Washington District. Accordingly, I extend my congratulations to you and also that of the Supreme Assembly. Your appointment is effective August 5, 2013 and concludes August 31, 2014, or as soon thereafter as your successor is appointed.

Under separate cover, you will receive a Veterans Administration Volunteer Service (VAVS) packet. Also under separate cover, you will receive a Master's jewel and a name badge. It is our wish that you wear the jewel in good health.

Attached is an information form for you to fill out and return to my office as soon as possible so we may update our Fourth Degree Directory (email to [Debbie.morrone@kofo.org](mailto:Debbie.morrone@kofo.org); fax 203-752-4224). Also attached is a CD which will contain the Master's manual. I would direct your special attention to the Laws and Rules Governing the Fourth Degree. Knowledge of and adherence to this book will ensure you a successful term as Master. Also, for your convenience, enclosed is a Lynch & Kelly order form to order your regalia. Please send your order directly to Lynch & Kelly, if you choose to order your regalia from them.

Be assured of my support of your efforts on behalf of the Fourth Degree, and do not hesitate to call if you need assistance. Wishing you a most rewarding experience as you fulfill your duties as Master.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

Dennis J. Stoddard  
Supreme Master

DJS/dm

Enclosures

C: Supreme Knight  
State Deputy  
Vice Supreme Master  
Vice Supreme Master Appointee



## Vice Supreme Master's Message



*"Make good use of it"*

Worthy State Officers, Faithful Navigators, Grand Knights, and Brother Knights:

It is indeed a great honor to have been appointed as the Vice Supreme Master for the Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province to follow Wayne Hogan (there are only 20 VSMs in the Order). This speaks well of the Washington State Council and the Washington District, for it was only through your accomplishments while I was your State Deputy and Master that made me look "good enough" to be appointed.

Since the Archbishop Blanchet Province was established in 1969, the Vice Supreme Masters from Washington were Past State Deputies Harry Tucker (1985 to 1989), George Turk (1989 to 1993), John Klein (1997 to 2001), and Wayne Hogan (2009-2013). These are the giant footsteps that I must follow! I ask you for your continued support as I serve as your Vice Supreme Master.

At the Supreme Assembly Meeting of Vice Supreme Masters, held August 8 – 9, 2013, in San Antonio, Texas (following the Supreme Convention), Supreme Master Dennis Stoddard announced that our request to split Washington State into two Districts was approved. Eugene Daly will continue as District Master of Western Washington with 39 assemblies. The new District Master of Eastern Washington (16 assemblies) is Tom Sokol. Please provide Tom with the same great level of support you provided Eugene and me.

The Archbishop Blanchet Province consists of about 6,000 sir knights in 104 assemblies in Idaho (19 assemblies), Oregon (30 assemblies), and the two Washington Districts (55 assemblies total). Our goals are to support the councils, establish new assemblies, recruit more (and younger) members, increase the visibility of the Color Corps, maximize the donations to the Military Chaplain Scholarship Fund, support our veterans, promote patriotism, and defend Christianity against the forces of secularism and moral relativism.

The Provincial Meeting will be held September 7, 2013, at St. James Parish in Vancouver, Washington (see notice elsewhere in the bulletin).

"Posterity. You will never know how much it cost the present generation to preserve your freedom. Make the most of it." – **John Quincy Adams**

**Karl A. Hadley**, PSD, FMFD  
Vice Supreme Master  
Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province

## District Master's Message (West)



My Worthy Western Washington Sir Knights,

What a great phrase to say! I can say this because we have a 2nd district in Washington! Our District is the strongest in the Province with 39 assemblies.

Last year we grew by 4 assemblies 3 of which were on our side of the state. Being as I can now concentrate solely on Western Washington, this year I know that we will lead the order as the top 4th Degree district again. For our state, to have a 2nd district, is because of the work that Western Washington put in.

Our degree in September has now been moved to October 19th tentatively. We also have big Seattle degree coming up November 16th. So now is the time to start out recruitment brothers! Please make sure to send **ALL** form 4's and checks for \$70.00 made out to THE MASTER'S FUND to:

Eugene Daly  
3629 S Asotin St  
Tacoma, WA 98418

I will talk to y'all real soon. Let's make sure to make this year better than the last!

Eugene Daly  
Master 4th Degree

## Family Chairman's Message



The old man is sitting by the water's edge, in an old wheel chair. He is asleep, but as the sun moves behind the clouds, the old man stirs back to life; he slowly brushes away the cobwebs from his clouded eyes and waits for the feelings to return to his face. After sitting so long in such a deep and restful sleep his movements are slow, his mind slowly almost begrudgingly returns to the present; his shoulders, his arms, and his legs cling to sleep until eventually he is able to prod them to move. He looks into the water and sees the face of an old man; a face he can hardly recognize, the years have stolen the face he remembers. He still has hair but time has made it white. He is alone; his mother and father are no longer here, his family and his fellow Knights have disappeared and his memories have begun to pass on. He lacks company and care. He has made it this far, but he is no longer a young boy dreaming he is a man; he has become an old man who spends his time dreaming he is a boy.



This old man in his chair at the beach holding on to a fishing pole that looked to be as old as he was, returned to my life unexpectedly one afternoon in the early fall of the year. I was walking along this very same beach in the late of the afternoon deep in thought when, "Hey mister", the voice broke up my trance, "could you give me a hand?" There in front of me was this old man in his old chair, I stopped for two reasons, one he had asked for help and secondly he looked familiar.

"Do you think you could bait this darn hook for me, my hands have lost their feeling, old scars still hurt me and my eyes are bad today?" The old man asked. I said, "of course." The old man watched me and seemed to admire the speed with which I was able to get the job done. When I was through I spit on the bait and threw the line in for him. "See you later," I said, "good luck." "Back at you friend," he said in parting. He reminds me of a man I once knew, a brilliant and thoughtful man who had times in his life when he had been angry in the cause of justice. He was a man who could be splendidly angry; with his voice and his passion he could make the thunder roll! He taught that life is incomplete unless it leads to a sympathetic understanding of others, to mercy and to charity. He was always an able and friendly man who believed compassion is necessary to live in unity. The children loved him. He spent so much of his time giving himself away.

As I walk up the beach from somewhere within me came the music and the haunting lyrics of Hallelujah:

*I've heard there was a secret chord  
That David played, and it pleased the Lord  
But you don't really care for music, do you?  
Well it goes like this, the fourth, the fifth  
The minor fall, the major lift  
The baffled King composing **Hallelujah***

Its power and mystery is that it can be for anyone, anytime, yesterday or today. The song and the interpretation are yours: it's the past and yet the future, grab it, mold it, hold it, believe in it and then live the promise that it brings. Hallelujah is a message of thank you, forgiveness and promise in one word. As with life, the presentation and delivery of this music is so critically important, with this very personal and inspirational song as with prayer, it is everything!

I'm on the road almost home; I'm tired and thirsty. I'm still plagued with the idea that my encounter with the old man was more than it seemed and what was it that made me feel that I knew him? Well I need to let that go and proceed on with life; after all he was just another old man living in the past who worked his way into my head somehow. I'll send it back where it came from and move on, "Back at you friend,".....**OMIGOD!!!**

I finally made it back to the beach, I'm running in the sand as fast I can, I'm looking for him in his chair, and there he is all alone looking out over the water, facing the sunset. I fall to my knees in the sand in front of him and lay my head in his lap sobbing, "I'm sorry, please forgive me, I didn't recognize you.... **I did not know.**" The last thing I remember was feeling his hand lying gently on my head.

*As he sits there in his comfortable old chair a shadow moves over the water and seems to wait for him; he smiles and the tears in his eyes mean that he is happy, he knows that a new mission is about to begin and he will be going home to his Father and Mother, home where he will no longer be alone.*

## Tootsie Roll



Brother Knights,

I am still in awe of all that happens in our local councils around this beautiful state. Men of unwavering faith continue to find new ways to make God's work happen right here in Washington. I am seeing some new councils come on board with an enthusiasm that warms my heart. I have DDs calling with questions about getting all their councils involved, even if it is in a small way. Wow!

With the start of September, it is time to double-check your work. Look over your notes. Rev up your volunteers. Send a quick note to your store and thank them in advance for helping your council make a difference in changing lives.

Look ahead in the Tootsie Roll Manual and make sure you understand the deadlines for paying your Tootsie Roll bill, sending your check to Columbus Charities, include your Council Drive Report, and your Request for Distribution. Getting these last items finished on time, means we can get the checks back to you in a timely manner, after the first of the year.

The 20% that goes to Special Olympics Washington State and similar charities has touched / changed the lives of so many people. This program has also allowed each local council to take up to 80% and give it to a local charity of their choosing that helps people with disabilities. That's how Knights of Columbus members have been "Saving Lives and Changing Lives for 131 Years."

Please call or e-mail with any questions and remember to have a cheerful heart, be open to the possibilities, and be thankful to God.

Thank you for your participation. All forms and procedures are in the Tootsie Roll Manual and can be found at [www.columbuscharities.net](http://www.columbuscharities.net).

We are not just knights. We are Knights of Columbus.

He Is Risen,

Patrick Kerley, State Chair, Tootsie Roll Program  
tootsieroller@koc-wa.org

One Sweet Deal!



TOOTSIE ROLL

## SILVER KNIGHT AWARDS

Congratulations to Silver Knight Awardees for August 2013:

Lee Lutovsky ..... Shoreline 11217

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



## FAMILY OF MONTH

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

Family of:

Diego & Kimberly Wendt ..... Tacoma 809  
Eric & Marlene Hyman ..... Colbert 8872  
Joseph (Mike) & Elaine Huff ..... Colville 12273

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

*On the last day, God will not care what kind of car you drove. He will ask how many older brother Knights you picked up and drove to KofC Meetings.*

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

I am assuming that you have read WSD George's article on page 2 addressing the billing for multiple years unpaid dues. We will be issuing more detailed information on how this should be handled within Member Billing. Quarterly billing is not fully supported in Member Billing, but with some limited manual effort, members cards can be made to reflect paid through dates based upon the circumstances you have with, hopefully, a limited number of members in your council. One of the issues addressed by WSD George is missing members. Those with whom we have lost contact, got returned mail, etc.

I recommend that you send at least two mailings a year to your full council with the notation requesting address service. Check your council roster available to you on Member Management monthly for the "\*" that indicates a bad address. If you run a set of labels in MM, it will have the term "bad address" on the label.

When you find out someone is missing, don't overlook the obvious steps. Place a note in your council bulletin that you need a current address on a member. If that doesn't work, contact your parish office for address changes. Ask to run a note in the parish bulletin requesting information. If he moved or died, someone will know something. Is he an insured member? Contact your agent for assistance.

I have had some luck using Face book recently and it was by being somewhat creative. If you want some insight on this and have a missing person, give me a call. The longer someone is missing, the more difficult it is to locate him.

At the Summer Leadership meeting, my handout contained several web addresses to assist you in this type of research. A copy was given to the Grand Knight to give to you. If you do not have it, email me at [bulletin@kofc-wa.org](mailto:bulletin@kofc-wa.org) and I will send it again.

Do something right now that will help you or the next FS in the future. Print off Standard Report 14 in Member Management and mail it to the members to fill out. It is a data sheet, specific to each member, that shows what you have in your data and gives room for additional information. If you get it back from the member, input it into his record. This one is self-explanatory.

Fraternally

Ed Broadhurst

## Recruitment Incentives First Quarter Membership Program

Several tools are available to help you achieve your goals. One is a First Quarter Membership Incentive for which every member may qualify. Here are the details:

1. Recruit 1 new member between July 1-Sept. 30 and receive a Knights of Columbus pen.
2. Recruit 2 new members between July 1-Sept. 30 and receive a Knights of Columbus travel mug.
3. Recruit 3 new members between July 1-Sept. 30 and receive a Knights of Columbus padfolio.
4. Recruit 5 new members between July 1-Sept. 30 and receive all three.
5. You will also continue to receive 500 VIP points for each member recruited.

## Form #100 Belongs in All of These Places

- BRIEFCASE
- IN YOUR POCKET
- NEAR YOUR PHONE
- GLOVE COMPARTMENT
- EVERYWHERE YOU GO!

**SIGN UP A  
NEW MEMBER  
TODAY!**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



## Council Chairman's Message



### Where are they now....

Come every July, there is the annual transfer of priests that takes place in the Archdiocese of Seattle and the Dioceses of Spokane and Yakima. Do you know where your former spiritual leader has been transferred to? Has his address been changed in Member Management? Do you know where your newly assigned spiritual leader came from? Has your council welcomed him with a form 100 to transfer into your council? If he is not a knight, welcome him by asking him to join your council.

We cannot welcome 41 priests and brothers that belong to 27 Washington State councils because we do not know where they are now. Do you know where they are? If you are a member of the council that they belong to please inform your Financial Secretary and let me know. If you are not a member of their council and have any information please let me know directly and I will forward to the proper Financial Secretary. I can be reached at [Council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:Council@kofc-wa.org)

Let's pray to Fr. Michael J. McGivney that we find those listed below. They are but 11.5% of those missing knights in the State of Washington as of 07/01/2013.

Council	Name	City, ST	DOB
676	Bro Kevin J Reilly	Honolulu, HI	11/30/1940
683	Rev Robert A Goebel	Spokane, WA	11/12/1925
	Rev P A Verhalen	Menlo Park, CA	04/01/1934
	Rev Peter A Walsh	Spokane, WA	10/13/1947
763	Rev James A Gay	Yuma, AZ	09/11/1931
	Rev David P Jaeger	Seattle, WA	02/27/1943
	Rev James W Knelleken	Seattle, WA	01/06/1927
	Rev Matthias Rendon	Everett, WA	01/05/1960
1620	Rev Richard L Weeks	Spokane, WA	09/01/1939
1629	Rev Ovbioha C Livinus	Puyallup, WA	06/06/1950
1699	Rev Kevin W Minder	Peoria, AZ	01/01/1961
2103	Rev J Jesus Ramirez	Moses Lake, WA	02/11/1951
2999	Rev Kiza L Justus	Camas, WA	11/18/1968
2763	Rev Thomas P Dunne	New Rochelle, NY	09/18/1932
4322	Rev Alberto V Ampil	Tacoma, WA	04/27/1934
	Rev Thomas L Miller	APO AE	01/09/1933
	Rev Guido Vandaelen	Tacoma, WA	10/01/1924
	Rev James Williams	APO AP	03/26/1936
4782	Rev Robert E Hagan	La Crosse, WI	01/06/1950
	Rev John J Kindall	Portland, OR	02/07/1927
5177	Rev Kieran J Healy	Seattle, WA	03/20/1935
6097	Rev E Dale Calhoun	Edmonds, WA	12/09/1940
	Rev John Gawdy	Toungoo	10/21/1955
6706	Rev John M Stevens	Port Orchard, WA	07/26/1944
	Rev Michael Sullivan	Rome	02/17/1942
7528	Rev Felipe Salazar	San Antonio, TX	04/11/1949
8150	Bro Brice Abel	Lacey, WA	05/20/1955
8179	Rev Joseph J Kenna	Bowie, MD	12/04/0939
	Rev Manuel Mendez	Kennewick, WA	12/03/1966
8297	Rev Phillip A Kanicki	Richmond, VA	11/07/1949
8437	Rev Leo J Racine	Shoreline, WA	06/12/1937
8455	Rev Robert F Rekofke	Sequim, WA	08/06/1925
9637	Rev Dan U Chiezey	Buckley, WA	03/18/1942
	Rev George F Limbani	Buckley, WA	09/09/1967
10652	Rev Adrian L Bowlin	Tacoma, WA	10/01/1938
12483	Rev Thomas G Williams	Tacoma, WA	11/04/1925
13186	Rev Francisco A Diez	Grandview, WA	06/28/1941
13606	Bro Giovanni A Dahl	Oakland, CA	09/03/1964
	Bro Earl Manzano	Missouri City, TX	08/17/1982
13761	Rev Oliver F Duggan	Seattle, WA	10/12/1940

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD  
State Council Chairman  
[Council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:Council@kofc-wa.org)

## Vocations Chairman's Message



### RSVP Program

This is a list of the seminarians in need of financial support through the RSVP Program for Fraternal Year 2013-2014. Those seminarians that are new this year are identified with an \* (asterisk) in front of their name.

If your council is not currently supporting a seminarian or someone in religious formation, you should consider doing so now. If you are supporting a seminarian, but would like to sponsor another seminarian, now is the time. Look at the attached list, and then please contact me at [vocations@kofc-wa.org](mailto:vocations@kofc-wa.org) or call me at (509) 939-3424 to get a seminarian assigned to your council or to get more information on how to get started in this worthy endeavor.

Tim Coyle  
Vocations Chairman

### Seminarians - Seattle Diocese

Grant Boggs Mundelien Seminary	Michael Dion Pont. N. A. College	* Chad Hill Bishop White Seminary	Chris Hoiland Mt. Angel Seminary
* Tyler Johnson Mt. Angel Seminary	Jeff Moore Mundelein Seminary	* Kyle Poje Bishop White Seminary	* Keefe Piper Mt. Angel Seminary
* Justin Ryan Mt. Angel Seminary	Carl Snyder Mt. Angel Seminary	Brian Thompson Catholic University	* John Tomassi Bishop White Seminary
* David Webster Bishop White Seminary			

### Seminarians – Spokane Diocese

\* Peter Fazzari  
Bishop White Seminary

### Seminarians – Yakima Diocese

Freddy Preciado Mt. Angel Seminary	Jesus Clemente Central WA Univ.	* Juan Sebastian	* Louis Fernando Trujio
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### Withdrawals

The below individuals have left the seminary and are no longer eligible for RSVP funding.

Seraphin Bamouni	Chad Green	James Murphy	Armando Ortiz
Alex Wilson	Matthew Machotka	James Powers	Ricardo Ruesga

Justin Leedy – Joined Carmelite Order, no longer seeks support from the Knights

## Hispanic Membership Chairman



Brothers all,

As I return from the 131<sup>st</sup> Knights of Columbus Supreme Convention, I know the principals of the Order are cherished throughout the world. In the basement of St. Mary's Parish in New Haven, CT, dedicated men founded the Order in 1882. Fr Michael J. McGivney remembered the ideals President Lincoln expressed in his post-Civil War speech. "With malice towards none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work, to bind our nation's wounds." President Abraham Lincoln.

In this year of Evangelization, the Knights are asked to be examples of God's love, and spread the word of God all in our parishes; with special emphasis on our youth. Our nation stands at a crossroads, and we must all do our part to ensure God's words are never far from our hearts.

Great men have carried this message through the years; baseball Hall of Famer Connie Mack; the first ever gold medalist James Connolly; and President Ronald Reagan, whose father was a devoted Catholic and fellow Knight. While we may never wear a gold medal, we can all stand tall in the Word of the Lord.

The convention was heavily attended, with clergy from throughout the world; including Canada, Cuba, Lithuania, Poland, Syria, Ukraine, Philippines, Mexico, Iraq and all US states. Then there was the virtual Who's Who of the Catholic faith; including his Excellency Cardinal Dolan of NY, Cardinal Wuerl of WA, Cardinal Francis George of Chicago, Cardinal Sean O'Malley of Boston just to name a few.

Countries formally under communist rule look at the principals of the Knights and seek support from the fraternal order to help build the church after decades of rule under atheist governments.

Pope Francis sent his ambassador with a message specifically for this event, and it was not to be missed. He spoke about the faith and his hope for the world; a film provided an insight to his life and journey to the Papacy. What a blessing it was to hear his words and feel his unwavering devotion to every man, women and child.

The Bishop of Krakow, former Pope John Paul's secretary, presented the Knights a reliquary containing the blood of Blessed John Paul II. Present in the center of the reliquary is a glass ampoule that contains the Holy Father's blood, which remains in liquid state. Surrounding the relic is a nimbus shaped like flames, decorated with 112 red stones representing the Twelve Apostles. The design evokes John Paul's homily dedicating the Divine Mercy Shrine on August 17, 2002.

To be a Knight is an experience of a lifetime. Imagine God's call entrusting His will to us; to bring Catholics closer to Him through works of charity, unity and fraternalism; so that they too can enjoy his love, his graces and be examples not only to our own family, but to all others of our parish, community, nation and the world.

Thanks to all my brother delegates attending the state convention in Pasco, for having placed their trust in my representation as a delegate at the International Supreme Convention at both the 130<sup>th</sup> of 2012 and this year's glorious event.

Viva Cristo Rey,

Miguel Calderón  
State Hispanic  
Silver Rose Chairman

## A Mentoring Suggestion

**ASPIRE TO INSPIRE BEFORE YOU EXPIRE!**

## Hispanic Membership Chairman

Al regresar de la 131 Convención Suprema de Los Caballeros de Colón, me di cuenta que los dirigentes de Nuestra Orden son apreciados en todo el mundo. El Padre Michel McGiveny fundó la orden con hombres dedicados, y recordó los ideales del Presidente Lincoln expresados en su discurso de la post-guerra civil.

“Sin malicia, con caridad hacia todos, con firmeza en lo justo, Como Dios nos hace ver la justicia, esforcemonos en terminar el trabajo, de sanar las heridas de nuestra nacion.” Presidente Abraham Lincoln.

Durante este año de evangelizacion, se les esta pidiendo a los Caballeros de Colón,, de ser el ejemplo del amor de Dios. Y compartir la Palabra de Dios en todas nuestras parroquias; con un especial énfasis en nuestra juventud. Nuestro pais esta en una encrusijada y debemos asegurarnos de que la Palabra de Dios permanezca en nuestros corazones.

Grandes hombres han llevado este mensaje a traves de los años como; el Papa Juan Pablo II, o Connie Mack un besbolista del salon de la fama, El primer medallista de oro olimpico para este pais. James Connolly, y el Presidente Ronald Reagan, ya que su papá fue un católico devoto y un Amigo Caballero de Colon, y aunque no podamos ganar una medalla de oro o ser presidentes de este pais. Podemos permanecer de pie ante la Palabra de Dios.

A la convención tuvo una gran asistencia como sacerdotes de todo el mundo, Incluyendo Canada, Cuba, Lituania, Polonia, Siria, Ucrania, las Filipinas, Mexico, Iraq, y todos los estados unidos. Y tambien fueron personas prominentes en la Fe Catolica, estuvo su Excelencia Cardenal Dolan de Nueva York, Cardenal Wuefl de Washington, Cardenal Francis George de Chicago, Cardenal Sean O'Malley de Boston, solo por nombrar a algunos pocos.

Algunos paises que estan formalmente bajo las reglas comunistas voltean a ver a los dirigentes de los Caballeros de Colon, pidiendo apoyo de nuestra orden fraternal para que les ayuden a construir la Iglesia despues de haber estado bajo gobernantes ateos.

El Papa Francisco envió a su embajador con un mensaje especial para este evento, y este fué: no se pierdan, hablo a cerca de la fe y su esperanza hacia el mundo, vimos un video que nos ayudo a ver su vida y su camino hacia el papado. Fue una bendicion escuchar sus palabras y sentir su indudable devocion hacia cada hombre, mujer y niño.

El Obispo de Cracovia, y antiguo secretario del Papa Juan Pablo II, presento a los Caballeros de Colón un relicario conteniendo la Bendita sangre del Papa Juan Pablo II, En el centro del Relicario una esfera de crystal que contiene la Santa sangre del Papa, la cual se mantiene en forma liquida. Rodeando la reliquia esta una nube en forma de llamas, decorada con 12 piedras rojas representando los Doce Apostoles. El diseño evoca la Homilia de Juan Pablo II, dedicada a la Capilla de la Divina Misericordia en Agosto 17 del 2002.

El ser un Cabllero de Colón es una esperiencia de vida, Imaginemos la llamada de Dios confiandonos su voluntad. Haciendo que los catolicos nos acerquemos a El, a través de obras de caridad, unidad y fraternalismo; para que ellos también puedan disfrutar su amor su gracia y su ejemplo, tanto a nuestras familias como a todas las personas de la parroquia, comunidad este nuestro pais y al mundo entero.

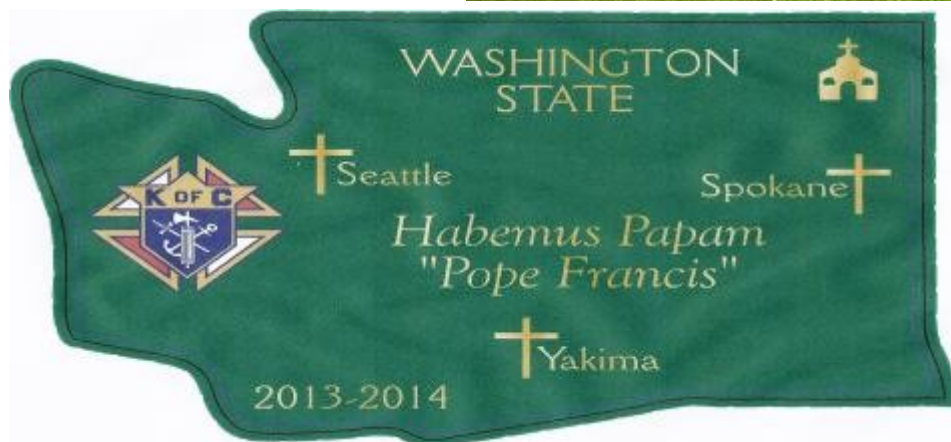
Gracias a mis hermanos delegados que atendieron la convencion estatal en Pasco, WA. Por haber puesto su confianza en mi persona para ser delegado representante en la convencion Internacional suprema no. 130<sup>th</sup> y la convención de este año la 131. Los cuales han sido eventos gloriosos.

Viva Cristo Rey.

Miguel Calderón  
State Hispanic  
Silver Rose Chairman



## The Trail of the Silver Rose



## The continuing story of Guadalupe of 1531 at Tepeyac



The continuing story of Guadalupe;

The Bishop received Juan Diego and fell to his knees as the flowers fell to the floor and the Holy Image was seen for the first time.

The bishop then took the image to his private chapel and he detained Juan Diego, who remained another day at the Bishop's house. The following day he said, "Come; let us go to see the place where the lady from heaven wants her temple to be built." People were immediately invited to build her "sacred little house." As soon as Juan Diego had pointed out where the Lady from heaven wanted her chapel to be built, he asked permission to leave. He wanted to see his uncle who had been gravely ill when he left for Tlatilolco to call the priest to confess him and prepare him for dying.

But they did not let Juan Diego go alone; a number of people went with him to his house. Upon arriving, they saw the uncle was well and happy without ache or pain. He was surprised to see his nephew accompanied by so many people and inquired as to the cause for so much honor and attention. The nephew explained that when he had left to bring the priest to hear his confession and prepare him for dying, the Lord from heaven had appeared to him on Tepeyac, and that she had consoled him greatly by telling him not to worry because his uncle was already restored to health. She then had sent him to Mexico City to ask that a house be erected for her on Tepeyac.

The uncle then revealed that it was indeed at the same moment he was suddenly restored to health, when she appeared in much the same way as she had appeared to his nephew. She related too that she had sent Juan to see the Bishop in Mexico. At the same time, the Lady told Juan Bernardino that as soon as he saw the Bishop he must reveal to him the miraculous manner in which she had effected his cure and that he should convey to him the proper name for her blessed Image, The Perfect Virgin Holy Mary of Guadalupe.

Then they took Juan Bernardino before the bishop so he might speak to him and give his testimony. Both Juan Bernardino and his nephew stayed at the bishop's residence several days, until the chapel of the little Queen of Tepeyac was erected where she revealed herself to Juan Diego. The Reverent Bishop had the Holy Image of the beloved heavenly Maiden transferred from the oratory to the main church, so that all the people could see and admire it.

Absolutely, the whole city came to see and admire her precious Image and pray before it. They marveled at the miraculous way it had appeared, since absolutely no one on earth could have painted her beloved Image.

This is the actual account of Guadalupe by Antonio Valeriano written in Nahuatl, language of the Aztec. It was first translated into Spanish then into English. Her message of Evangelization is as real today as it was in 1531, she asks that we pray for the unborn children and bring an end to the culture of death through the graces of her Divine Son.

## Knights Gear Available online

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





Wayne C Hogan, VSM, PSD  
State Ceremonials Chairman

## Knights of Columbus

WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL

August 1, 2013

# NOTICE

## Ceremonial Meeting

**Saturday, September 21, 2013**

**9:30am gathering with coffee and donuts**

**Meeting 10:00am to 12:00pm**

**Lunch 12:00pm to 12:30pm**

**Meeting 12:30pm to 2:00pm**

**Agenda to follow**

**401 S Willow St**

**St Andrew Activity Center**

**Ellensburg, WA**

**Map of Ellensburg will be provided with flyer**

**The State Council will provide lunch.**

**State Officers, COs, PFCs and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Wardens  
are expected to attend.**

**District Deputies and Second Degree Team Captains  
are encouraged to attend.**

**Please RSVP to Wayne Hogan, by email, at  
[kofchogan@comcast.net](mailto:kofchogan@comcast.net) by Friday, September 13.**

Wayne C Hogan, VSM, PSD, 109 Madrona Park Dr, Steilacoom WA 98388 (253) 581-5261



## State Military Affairs



### USO IS Coming to PDX

When you think of the USO you think of the USO Christmas Shows Bob Hope and others gave up their time during the Korean War, Viet-Nam, and Desert Storm. The KofC Huts during World War I that Knights of Columbus started with the slogan "Everybody Welcome, Everything Free" was a forerunner of USO service centers. After over 60 years the USO is returning to Portland International Airport. United Service Organization (USO) Northwest will open a service center in a space generously provided by the Port of Portland. USO Northwest also operates the SeaTac Service Center.

PDX is one of the international airports in the states without a USO service center serving the needs of local and traveling active-duty military, military families and veterans. The USO currently operates 183 locations in the U.S. and around the world including SeaTac Airport. This is an excellent way for our Brother Knights to get involved by volunteering or donating. Another way to support the USO is to buy products or shop businesses that support the USO. Two Examples are Fred Meyer stores and Full Throttle sports drink sold by Coca-Cola. Fred Meyers has a coin drop at each check stand. As you check out you can drop your spare change in the clear coin drop box marked USO.

When I was on active duty I spent time in between flights at USO service centers, they came in handy for me and my family many times. Now that I am retired I still stop at a service center when I can. I enjoy talking to the young troops passing through. Denver International Airport has an excellent service center with big screen TVs, large recliners with cup holders, and computers for checking E-mail or writing a message. They also provide a "Bunk Room" area so there is time between flights to catch some sleep. As a longtime supporter I get letters (like this) from the management of the Denver Service Center. A weary single parent female soldier traveling with her three children was able to get some much needed rest while her kids had video games to play and other activities to keep them occupied. They were able to make the connecting flight freshened up and ready to go. The SeaTac Service Center is moving to new 7000 square foot facility from a 3400 square foot space to offer more comfort to the 10,000+ service members and their dependents monthly. Helping to fund the new service center two sizes of commemorative bricks are being sold for \$250 and \$450 each. The SeaTac Service Center is the busiest in the USO inventory nationally. USO Service Centers takes the stress out of traveling they are a beacon to the weary troop in transit. For more information on USO Northwest go to [usonw.org](http://usonw.org) other sources used Vets News/Oregon.gov/odva.

SUPPORT THE USO.

"One Nation Under God"  
Greg Georgoff PGK, PFN.  
Chairman Military Affairs

## Sports Chairman's Message

Worthy Grand Knights,

It is time to start planning your council Soccer Challenge program. Councils should be holding their competition in middle to late September. If needed, a district competition will be arranged by the District Deputy depending on the number of councils participating. If you are planning on holding a council Soccer Challenge, let your DD know. There are no Regional competitions scheduled at this time. State finals will be held on Saturday October 26th in Auburn Washington.

If you are planning on holding a council Soccer Challenge please let me know so I can have a count of participating councils. Soccer Challenge kits can be ordered from the Supreme website: [WWW.KOFC.ORG/FORM](http://WWW.KOFC.ORG/FORM)

Scroll down until you see 8/15 Soccer challenge Kit Order Form. Click on the online option. Fill in the information and hit the SUBMIT button when finished. The kit will come with everything you'll need to promote and run your competition.

How do you get the word out? Contact the CYO Athletic Director of your parish or parish school. They will put you in contact with soccer coaches. Find out when they practice and go to their practice session. This would be an evening after school. Coaches are willing to help promote this. Holding a council Soccer Challenge on a Saturday or Sunday will draw few soccer players as they play games on the weekends.

Thanks and God Bless,  
Ken DeVos  
Washington State Youth/Sports Chairman



**Sick Notices August 2013**

Viola Brown, wife of Gene Brown FS.....Everett 763  
**Council** ..... Tacoma 809

Luke Beardemphi, Michael Edmonds  
 Kevin Flike  
 Most Rev Carlos A Sevilla, S.J. State Chaplain ..... Yakima 894  
 Sheila Hebert, wife of Ed Hebert ..... Bremerton 1379

**Council** ..... **Pasco 1620**  
 Jeff Spinler, Angie Spinler, Peter McEnderfer, Russell Ng  
 Fr John Birk  
 Wayne Butler ..... Puyallup 1629

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

Ed Emelia, Thomas Wiese, Mike Kapala  
 Robert & An So Farkas  
 Lori Hogan, wife of Wayne Hogan VSM  
 Bill Jones & wife Sarah  
 Ernie Oliver Sr & wife Dorcus  
 Anna Golebiewski, wife of Joseph Golebiewski PGK  
 Anne Oliver, wife of Ernie Oliver Jr  
 Bernice Navarre, wife of Christopher Navarre  
 Marge Warren, wife of Robert Warren

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

Jose Garcia, Robert Welch, Vince Bookey  
 Mary Beth Mantow, daughter of Mark Mantow

**Council** ..... Spokane 8137

Denis Roble  
 Bob Sherrod  
 Hector Aguilar

**Council** ..... Kennewick 8179

Kyle Hadley, Wife of Karl Hadley PSD  
 Ruth Hadley, Mother of Karl Hadley PSD

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

Joseph Jezik, Floyd Norcott, Dolan Lannan

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

Del Murray  
 George & Marie Benton  
 Jim & Ann Bonner  
 Mike & Kathy DeRosier  
 Tom Dolan  
 Tom Blake

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

Deacon Don Whitney , Roger Cole, Cruz Nacacio

RoseMarie Konzek Mother of David Konzek FS Consultant  
 ..... Kennewick 10653

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

Ashley Cartagena, wife of Guillermo Cartagena  
 Michael Cartagena, son of Guillermo Cartagena  
 Vicki Schmitt, wife of Mike Schmitt

**Council** ..... **Tukwila 11253**

Tess Kelley, wife of Pat Kelly, State Advocate  
 Pat Kelly, State Advocate  
 Larry McWilliams, GK, FFS ..... Mercer Island 11642  
 Dave Moorby ..... Black Diamond 11736

**Sick Notices August 2013 continued**

John M Wallace IPSD ..... Lakewood 11762

**Council** ..... Covington 11780

Polly Gilyeat & Valarie Turma, sisters in law of Scott Gilyeat  
 Dorothy Fouquet, Mother-in-Law of Ron Cunningham  
 Jennifer Beckie, Wife of Adrian Beckie

Juana Capuli, Mother-In-Law of Doug Patke

Jim Boespflug

Ben Dario

Malcolm Chang

William Arrigoni

Dick Cogswell

Bonnie Cacchione, Sister-in-Law of Angelo Battisti

Joan Elisha, wife of Jerome Elisha

Steven Palmer, nephew of Scott Gilyeat

Jerry McMahon

Scott Gilyeat

Fammari LaSharr, wife of Richard LaSharr

Rudy Bien-Aime & family

Thomas LaCour

Michael Beavin

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

Allan & Crista Elder

Steven & Leslie LeFebre

Tony & Alicia Peredo

James Berry

Grace Hochhaus, wife of Don Hochhaus

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

Russ Larsen, Michael Huff, Elaine Huff,

Chris Kubesh, brother of Ted and Justin Kubesh

Alice Broadhurst, wife of Ed Broadhurst

Betty Goodson, wife of Jack Goodson

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

Walter Davis III

William Brayer

Fr Ken Haydock

Thomas McCarthy

Grace Steiner, wife of Bart Steiner

Barbara Fanger, wife of Frank Fanger

John McAlerney

Patricia Collins, wife of James Collins

**Council** .....Vancouver 12899

Duane L Vincent PGK

Sylvia Vincent, wife of Duane L Vincent PGK

### > Prayer List In Memoriam <

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

August 2013

William Pancake .....	Walla Walla 766
Henry Clemen .....	Walla Walla 766
Gerald Mosman .....	Walla Walla 766
Frank Grant, PGK, PFN, FDD .....	Tacoma 809
Dr Gordon Ripple .....	Colfax 1488
Thomas L Weber PSD .....	Colton 1565
Thomas Stanley .....	Kirkland 7642
Jerome Frederichs .....	Bellevue 10664
James R. Donham PGK .....	Leavenworth Cashmere 13597

### Family Members' Deaths

August 2013

Mary Lee, sister of Dan Donohue PDD .....	Seattle 676
Elizabeth Carletti, wife of Charles Carletti .....	Rainier 9637
Judy Porter, widow of Larry Porter .....	Deer Park 9721
Bridget McAlerney, wife of John McAlerney ....	Edmonds 12591



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](mailto:Bulletin@kofc-wa.org) We clear the lists semi-annually (Aug 1 & Feb 1) Please keep us apprized of those in need on a regular basis.

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

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

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

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

## FATHER MICHAEL MCGIVNEY GUILD

### Fr. McGivney Guild

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

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

In this same regard, I feel that our 41 "Lost Priests" whereabouts are known by a council member or a parishioner from his last assignment. A list of the 41 "Lost Priests" can be found in the Council article elsewhere in this bulletin. Let's continue to pray that we can reconnect with them.

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD  
State Council Chairman  
[Council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:Council@kofc-wa.org)

## Wheelchair Program



The wheelchairs are in the final phase of being ordered.

Are there any council's that want to order *a children's wheelchair*? We will be ordering **only** children's wheelchairs that we have orders for.

I want to encourage all councils and assemblies to continue

their fund raising efforts for those in need of mobility. Once we have raised another \$16,500 we can place another order.

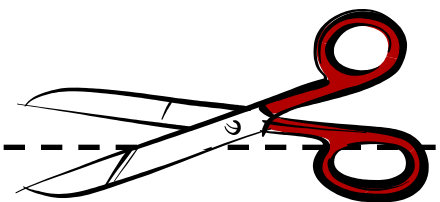
If your parish does not have a wheelchair, please send \$150 immediately to the State Secretary, Eddie Parazoo and reserve one.  
John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD  
State Council Chairman  
[Council@kofc-wa.org](mailto:Council@kofc-wa.org)

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

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

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Home Phone Work Phone E-mail address Signature



## Invitation to Provincial Meeting

*Knights of Columbus*  
**Fourth Degree**  
**Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province**

Karl A. Hadley  
Vice Supreme Master - designate  
Washington District  
386 McNary Ridge Rd  
Burbank, WA 99323  
(509) 531-4898 (cell)  
(509) 542-1338 (H)  
[karlkyle@earthlink.net](mailto:karlkyle@earthlink.net)



August 3, 2013

District Masters, Former Vice Supreme Masters, Former District Masters, Faithful Navigators, and Brother Sir Knights:

**The Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Provincial Meeting will be held in Vancouver, Washington, on Saturday, September 7, 2013, at St. James Parish, 218 W 12th St, Vancouver WA 98660-2902.**

The main purpose of the meeting is for the Vice Supreme Master to meet with the District Masters of Idaho, Oregon, and Washington and the Faithful Navigators of the Districts' assemblies to report on the Supreme Assembly Meeting and the status of the province and districts, to provide goals, and to address membership, new assembly development, exemplifications, reporting, and other topics. **The dress code for the meeting is tuxedo (and social baldric), business suit, or coat and tie. All sir knights are requested to bring their regalia to participate as Honor Guards at Mass.** In the afternoon there will be a demonstration by the Color Corps of the Flag Ceremony conducted at the Washington State Convention Awards Banquet. The demonstration will be led by Marshal John Rowley (those sir knights with regalia in attendance will be requested to participate).

Unfortunately, as you are aware, the Vice Supreme Master is unable to provide financial support for your attendance at this meeting. Nevertheless, I hope you will attend to renew old friendships and to support the District Masters. Each assembly should want to have something to say about the future of the Fourth Degree and to learn first-hand about the Supreme Assembly Meeting. I trust that your assembly will defray the expenses of those representing your assembly at the Provincial Meeting.

Hotel arrangements have been made at the **Comfort Inn, 401 E 13<sup>th</sup> St, Vancouver, WA 98660, 1-360-696-0411** (a two queen bed room will be \$79.99 and a King Suite will be \$84.99. When you call, **mention the Knights of Columbus for the discount**). Hotel features include complimentary wireless or wired high-speed internet access, a pool, and a complimentary hot breakfast buffet (featuring scrambled eggs, sausage/bacon, Belgian waffles, yogurt, cereal, oatmeal, muffins, biscuits & gravy and fruit). **Make your hotel reservations by August 25, 2013** - after that date, reservations will be accepted on a space and rate available basis.

For those arriving on **Friday evening** there will be a **Hospitality Room in the Comfort Inn hosted by the Former Masters Association** (the times and location will be announced later).

**Lunch and dinner will be provided for the Provincial Meeting.** The lunch menu is "make your own sandwich" and the cost is \$5.00. The dinner menu is roast beef with mixed vegetables and the cost is \$20.00. **Meal tickets must be purchased in advance.** Enclosed is the **Attendance and Meal Registration Form** which is **due by August 25, 2013**. Include the form with your check (payable to Knights of Columbus) and **mail both to Phillip Marceau, Provincial Meeting Coordinator, 1213 C St Apt D, Vancouver, WA 98660.**

The **Ladies Program** will be announced later (or will be on their own for shopping and sightseeing). Following the meeting, all attendees are encouraged to **participate in the Honor Guard** at the **5:00 p.m. Mass at St. James Parish.**

I am looking forward to seeing you at the Provincial Meeting.

Faternally,

**Karl A. Hadley**  
Karl A. Hadley, PSD, FMFD  
Vice Supreme Master - designate



## Agenda of Provincial Meeting

***Knights of Columbus***  
**Fourth Degree**  
**Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province**  
**Annual Provincial Meeting**  
**Saturday, September 7, 2013**  
**St James Parish, 218 W 12th St, Vancouver, Washington**

**Friday, September 6, 2013**

6:00-10:00pm Social Gathering at Comfort Inn for those arriving on Friday (Open to all Sir Knights and their Ladies)

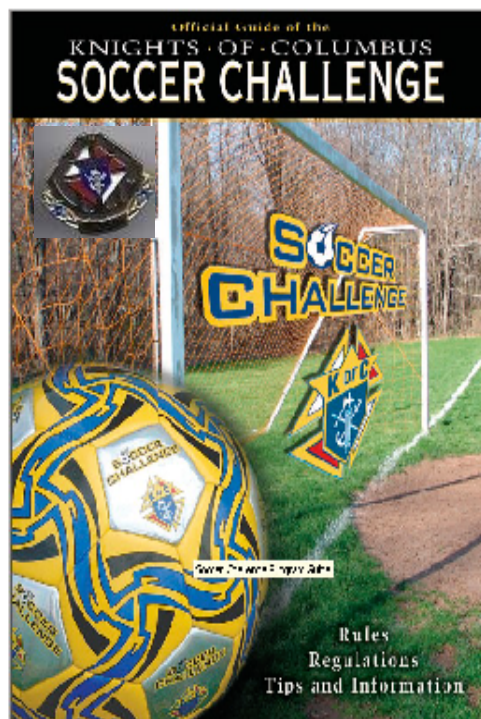
**Saturday, September 7, 2013**

6:30-8:15am	Breakfast on your own. Comfort Inn has free hot breakfast buffet for residents
8:30-10:15am	District Masters' Business Meeting (ID, OR, and WA District Masters only)
8:30-10:15am	Good of the Order Meeting (FVSMs and FMFDs)
8:30-10:15am	Meeting of the Marshals of ID, OR, and WA Districts
9:30-10:15am	Registration for attendees at St James Parish (issue lunch and dinner tickets and receipts)
10:15-10:30am	Meeting preparation
10:30am – Noon	<b>Business Session</b>
	Call to Order
	Appointments
	Confirmation of Fourth Degree Travel Cards ( <b>District Master of Washington</b> )
	Posting of the colors ( <b>District Marshals</b> )
	Pledge of Allegiance ( <b>Marshal of Washington District</b> )
	Opening Prayer ( <b>District Master of Idaho</b> )
	Introductions
	Reading of Minutes of Last Meeting, November 10, 2012 ( <b>Provincial Meeting Secretary</b> )
	Unfinished Business
	Report of Vice Supreme Master, goals
	Review 103rd Supreme Annual Assembly Meeting
	Military Seminarian Scholarship Fund ( <b>District Masters present plans and initiatives</b> )
	Membership quotas, teams, plans, and implementation
	Membership ( <b>District Masters present plans and initiatives</b> )
	Assembly health and growth, New Assembly Development Plans and implementation
	New Assembly Development ( <b>District Masters present plans and initiatives</b> )
Noon - 12:45pm	Lunch - prayer before lunch ( <b>District Master of Washington</b> ) – Ladies invited
1:00-4:00pm	Ladies Program - TBA or on their own for shopping and sightseeing
12:45-4:00pm	<b>Business Session</b>
	Exemplifications - schedules, waivers, fees, requests, reports ( <b>District Masters present schedules</b> )
	Ceremonials, team certifications, team depth, inventory and security of books and equipment ( <b>VAVS</b> ) ( <b>District Masters report status</b> )
	Reports - district and assembly ( <b>District Masters report status</b> )
	Plans for District Meetings in 2014 ( <b>District Masters report plans</b> )
	Membership rosters, email addresses
	Assembly By-Laws
	Awards
	Laws and Rules of the Fourth Degree, Rules of Board of Directors
	Supreme Reports online
	Certifications of Color Corps and Honor Guards
	Color Corps Flag Ceremony Demonstration (1 hour) ( <b>Marshal of Washington District</b> )
	District Caucuses ( <b>District Masters</b> )
	Good of the Order Report
	Addresses by Dignitaries
4:00pm	Closing Prayer ( <b>District Master of Oregon</b> )
4:30pm	Honor Guards assemble for mass
5:00 pm	<b>Mass at St James Parish (with Honor Guard)</b>
6:00-6:30pm	Social with No Host Bar (Wine and Beer)
6:30-8:30pm	<b>Dinner</b>
9:00pm	Depart for home or hotel

**RELIGIOUSLY DEVOTED, PATRIOTICALLY PROUD**



## Soccer Challenge



### Grand Knights and District Deputies

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

#### Suggested Schedules:

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

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

### Online SC-KIT Order

#### How to get started

Find a Knight to be your council Soccer Challenge focal point

#### Order the Soccer Challenge kit:

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

In the search box left of screen enter Forms

Click on the Council Forms link

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

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

Soccer Challenge		Competition Kit Order Form	
<p>All council kits for the upcoming season must be ordered by the deadline of September 1st. Kits for the upcoming season must be ordered by the deadline of September 1st. Kits for the upcoming season must be ordered by the deadline of September 1st.</p>			
<p>Complete the kit to the right and email it to the Department of Youth Sports at <a href="mailto:sc-kit@kofc.org">sc-kit@kofc.org</a>. Please include your council number and the kit number you are ordering. Please include your council number and the kit number you are ordering.</p>			
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## A Team Effort for 4US.org

Dear Worthy State Deputy George,

I would like to thank the Washington State Knights of Columbus for helping, participating and donating to the 4US.org ultrasound fundraising event 'Rally Round for Ultrasound' this past weekend. We manned the equipment donated and managed by Troy Whitehead of Fireside Kitchen LLC.

As always it was a herculean effort starting on Wednesday evening with setup, transportation and help provided by Sam Keller and Rob Silva of Council 809. We were joined on Thursday by Tom Cooney DD#21 who stayed and worked night and day until Saturday afternoon.

On Friday Mark Jensen, Dr. Matondo Wawa, Henry Heritage and Matt Allore from council 809 ran the griddles and BBQ. By Friday night there was a well attended rock concert and LumaGlow fun run and we were very busy cooking until around 23:00 when we had to reset the kitchen for breakfast which took us until around 01:00 Saturday. Matt Tyler of council 809 worked security from 2300 Friday to 0700 on Saturday, as well as working several shifts as assistant kitchen manager.

Mike Prichard, Harold Bucholz, Dr. Bernie Marucci, Chris Constantine and Pat Quinn, his wife and kids from council 809, arrived at 05:30 to serve pancakes to the 200 event volunteers. By 09:30 the breakfast crew was relieved by Charlie Gilfoyle, Carlos Jimenez, Hank Gillette, Van Nguyen and Melony, Jose Luis, Julio Pocon from council 7908, Steve Schweyen GK and Jeff Kleppinger from council 13794, Chad Rambo and his son, Lee Jurgensmeier and Jacob Pyle from council 10652, Dr. Mike Wilson from council 13238, and Steven Scripture PGK from council 8437 to begin setup and serving for lunch. Clean up was assisted by Dr. Mike Wilson from council 13238, Matt Tyler and Shane Pettit, Michael Turco, and Mark Jensen from council 809.

We would especially like to thank Jack Connelly of Council 809 and Connelly Law office for being the presenting sponsor. There were many others who donated transportation, food and fuel.

As there were thousands of participants, many who were Knights and families from councils near and far, I am sure I cannot list all the names and do not intend to offend anyone that I may have missed. Finally I would like to thank my wife Monica for letting me hang out with the guys in the kitchen for three full days.

Sincerely,

Joe Devlin  
DD 22



## Announcements

**"HOLY BOWL IV"**  
October 25, 2013

**GAME TIME 7PM**

**DeSales vs. Tri-Cities Prep**



**The ball always takes a "Catholic Bounce!"**

The 4th annual football game, in Walla Walla this year at the DeSales football field, between two Catholic high schools. Playoff hopes are on the line as well as good old fashion football pride. The Councils and Assemblies of District 7 in coordination with both schools sponsor a traveling game trophy. All funds generated from the Holy Bowl go to Catholic Education.

**THE GAME IS ALWAYS PRECEDED AT 4:30PM, BY A GREAT TAILGATE PARTY. BEFORE THE GAME, EVERYONE GATHERS AROUND FIRE POTS AND SHARE "GLORY DAYS" WITH STORIES, LAUGHTER**

**AND THE BEST CHILI IN THE STATE!!!!**





# Knights of Columbus

## Oktoberfest 2013



Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>  
Hallen Hall, Sacred Heart Church  
Social 6:30pm After 5pm Mass  
Dinner served at 7:00pm



### Menu

- Bratwurst (a true homemade recipe, made fresh for this event) & traditional green cabbage Sauerkraut,
- Rouladen, a traditional roll of thinly sliced beef containing a slice of dill pickle, with herbs and spices.

### Sides

Eierspätzle- *German egg noodles*

Bayerischer Kartoffelsalat- *Bavarian potato salad*

Süß und Sauer Rotkohl- *sweet and sour red cabbage*

Gedünsteter Broccoli- *fresh broccoli*

### Dessert Options

Apfelstrudel – a traditional apple strudel served with a hot rum sauce

Donauwellen – a cake that is layers of chocolate and vanilla cake, layers with cream and cherries (Donauwellen is translated as Danube Waves Cake)

Catered by Bleu Bear Catering

Served cafeteria style by KC Members

Coffee, Tea and water will be provided.

***Authentic German beer, wine and soda pop available for purchase***

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***Smilin Scandinavians playing Real German Polka music***

**\$19 per person, \$12 children 7-15, under 7 free**

**Come Enjoy Thurston Counties best Oktoberfest!**

RSVP to [www.kofc1643@gmail.com](mailto:www.kofc1643@gmail.com) and mail checks to P.O. Box 3511, Lacey, WA 98509 payable to the Knights of Columbus. All tickets are advanced sale, no tickets will be sold at the door. Please respond by September 25<sup>th</sup>.



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JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF  
GREAT FOOD, GREAT BEER AND  
LIVE GERMAN MUSIC!

Presented by

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
POPE JOHN PAUL II COUNCIL

Saturday, October 12th, 2013

St. George School Hall

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

For more information,

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

Price of Admission\*

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

Children under 10 years old 1/2 price\*\*

\*Ticket prices include dinner and one complimentary beverages.

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

**EXEMPLIFICATION FUND REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 2013**

COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE
676	\$ -	3307	CREDIT	8201	\$ 7.00	11253	\$ 7.00	13606	\$ 14.00
683	\$ -	3361	\$ 14.00	8266	\$ 35.00	11357	CREDIT	13761	\$ -
763	\$ 14.00	3455	\$ -	8297	CREDIT	11408	\$ -	13794	CREDIT
766	\$ -	3598	\$ 7.00	8311	\$ -	11478	\$ -	13831	\$ -
809	\$ 21.00	3611	\$ -	8398	\$ 7.00	11611	\$ 7.00	13834	\$ -
829	CREDIT	3645	\$ -	8437	\$ -	11642	\$ 7.00	14046	\$ -
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