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OF CHRIST WE ARE OUR
BROTHERS KEEPER
WE SAVE LIVES AND
CHANGE LIVES

**Message from State Deputy,
Don McBride**

Bear the Light of Christ



The year is off to a running start and I'm thrilled with the participation and enthusiasm we experienced at the Summer Leadership Meeting in Wenatchee, July 15-17! I want to thank the District Deputies, Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Program Chairmen, and guests who traveled from all across the state to get oriented, informed, and hopefully inspired to Bear the Light of Christ throughout this fraternal year. Fittingly, we started each day with a full Rosary, setting the tone for the year. I thought the entire team did a great job of presenting an incredible amount of information while keeping things entertaining. We had a great presentation by Dwane Berens and Art Smalley of Colbert Council 8872 on how they took their council to the next level by engaging their members and using the Surge With Service program. These guys put a lot of hard work into their success last year – despite making it look easy – and anyone who wondered why Art was recognized as our Washington State Council Knight of the Year last year was left with no doubts by the end of the presentation. Any Grand

Knight who wants to see his council thrive, with all of the members participating, should check out their presentation which is posted on the State Council website along with all of the weekend's presentations. With a start like this I'm expecting great things for the entire year!

Speaking of great things, I'm getting ready to head to the Supreme Convention in Denver while writing this message, and I want to express how proud I am of our state's accomplishments as I head to the convention. In addition to the great honors IPSD John Wallace earned in achieving the Circle of Honor for the second year in a row, we are proud to know that one of our councils, Kennewick Council 8179, is the first place winner of the Supreme Council International Service Program Pro-Life Activity Award! Their "Pro-Life Visibility Project", which we recognized at our State Convention as the Herb Liebert Pro-Life Award Winner for the 2010-2011 Fraternal Year, is being recognized this week at the Awards Session on Wednesday afternoon. I hope the session is televised on EWTN so you can share in this moment. Be sure to congratulate Grand Knight Larry Devlin, who also received a free trip to the convention to receive the award. As icing on the cake, I am humbled and honored to be getting the opportunity to Lector at the 8am Mass on Wednesday morning during the convention- of course not the opening Mass but a thrill nonetheless! It is evident that the eyes of the Order are upon the State of Washington- and on each and every one of you.

With all these positive affirmations of our success, I have to say that I feel a great sense of urgency to GET THINGS MOVING. We've had a busy month and a lot of councils have done a lot of good things already, but the clock is ticking fast and the year is going to slip away from us if we don't jump in and start swinging. Believe it or not, as of a few days before the end of the month, we are only 57th out of 72 jurisdictions (and a lowly 68th in net gain!) How is that possible? I know we've brought in some members this month, but apparently we haven't gotten them all sent in to Supreme yet. I'm counting on each of you to make August a true reflection of who we really are- a vibrant, growing community of men dedicated to our Catholic faith and serving the needs of the world around us. To help encourage you to step it up in August, I am continuing an incentive I instituted in July for one more month: any members exemplified in August will be a freebie to your councils for the Exemplification Fund. That requires the members to be credited by Supreme this month so be sure to get the forms sent in! Also continuing from July, any Grand Knight who holds a First Degree exemplification in August earns a Third Degree Member Medallion for himself and for his District Deputy. That's separate from the Pope John Paul II medallion that every proposer of a Knight earns from Supreme for bringing in a new member before September 30. I'm confident we can make August a spectacular success, especially since the attendees at the Summer Leadership Meeting identified more than 70 new member prospects, by name, that they personally committed to ask to join the Order by the end of the month. I'm counting on every officer in every council making a similar effort, and on every council bringing in a new member this month!

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Message from State Secretary

COACHES CORNER

My Dear Brother's in Christ...As we move past the Summer Meeting of only two weeks ago, it is important that we all take stock of where we are; what we are going to do; and, where we are going to go this Fraternal Year of 2011 – 2012. Time is of the essence as the season will continue with or without us so planning now is vitally important.

My roadmap with the "Next Six Month's Letter" is an important step in determining what we may have already missed in the way of team reports due; per capita and insurance payments past due; semi-annual audits due; preparation for the Tootsie Roll program looming fast; and, much, much more! The new season has started, and it will run away from us unless we get on board and join up now.

So let's all make a concerted effort to kick it up a notch this year and not leave anything to chance as failure will surely follow if we fail to plan and take action NOW! The ball on your half of the field, and it is up to you to prepare your team and get it back to the other side if you are going to score well. As a nationally licensed FIFA and USSF soccer coach, I was always working to find the early weaknesses of the other teams, but without offensive plans of our own and a team of players that were better prepared, we surely would have failed.

As a coach in years past, I once entered what I thought was my best youth team ever in a regional select tournament that was for teams two years older. Although smaller in stature by a recognizable margin, my players won each game in turn with precision, speed and finesse, winning the tournament too. You see, our preparation and planning to win is the strategy that works. We won the tournament and to this day I don't believe the other teams knew my team was two years younger except for tournament officials who validated their birth dates; and they may have missed it too as they were just looking for older kids not younger ones.

So just look below at my letter and print it if you do not already have it. Pin it up and keep it as a ready reference too. And always get back to me with your questions as they are all important, and, remember too that your council checks always come to me and not the State Treasurer.

As Knights, Babe Ruth did it and Coach Lombardi did it too...all winners. As your coach and State Secretary, I'll look for you at the end of the season in the winner's circle too.

Vivat Jesus, George

TO: Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries
Washington State Council

RE: Next Six Months Letter, July 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011

Listed below are the important duties and responsibilities of your office for the six months beginning July 1, 2011, and my best hope is that this letter will prove useful to you as a guide this **FRATERNAL YEAR**. I urge you to never hesitate to call your District Deputy, a State Chairman, a State Officer or me personally if you need information or assistance. If you have any questions or need further advice on where to find information, please review the State Website (www.kofc-wa.org), send me an email to StateSecretary@kofc-wa.org or call me at (509) 370-1001. Always leave a message if you can't get me directly.

IMPORTANT NOTES FOR THE FIRST 6 MONTHS

1) **ELECTION OF OFFICERS** - The council must submit the Report of Officers Chosen, Form #185, immediately after the election of council officers in May, and if your Council has not yet done this, please do so immediately. The report form is found in the Council Report Forms Booklet and was due at Supreme by July 1, 2011, with copies provided to the State Deputy, District Deputy, and your council files. As the Grand Knight, it is your duty to verify that the report has been submitted. Alternately, the data can be submitted by your Financial Secretary electronically via Member Maintenance too.

2) **DEATH NOTICES/SICK NOTICES** - State Vice-Chaplain Rev. Jaime L. Chacon, celebrates monthly Masses for our deceased and ill Brothers and Family members of Knights in Washington State. In addition, a get-well card (*in the case of an illness*) or a card of condolence (*in the case of a death*) is sent to the member or next of kin by the State Secretary. The State Secretary also forwards this information to the Bulletin Editor, Ed Broadhurst, for publication. **For this process to be effective, it is imperative that the notification is accurate and timely and that the name and address and relationship of the next of kin is also provided.** Notifications of deaths may be transmitted to me by sending a copy of the Form 100 or any other form of written communication including email which is preferred. Information on Survivor's Assistance and a Survivor's Assistance Checklist can be found in the Grand Knight's Handbook. (Part III, 52-56)

3) STATE DIRECTORY CHANGES - The council should immediately inform **WSC Web Master Tim Philomeno** (via phone (253)661-2296 or e-mail to Webmaster@kofc-wa.org if there are changes that need to be made to the information in the Washington State Directory. All changes must be submitted promptly if our systems are to work effectively. Please find the Change Form in the *Grand Knights Handbook (Part II, 31.2)* or State Web Page. All revisions to directory information will be published in the State Bulletin so that members can update and revise their directories as needed.

4) PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT BILLING - The council per capita assessment will be mailed to the Grand Knight and Financial Secretary during the month of January, 2011. ***The \$9.00 per member assessment is due upon receipt and is payable without council vote.***

The per capita assessment excludes inactive insurance and honorary life members and members who have qualified for special disability as of December 31, 2011. (Each council will be provided a list of its members shown on Supreme Council records as exempt from payment of dues and per capita taxes as of October 1st). **Councils must certify their members for continuing disability and submit the certification to the Supreme Council prior to December 31, 2011.** If the Grand Knight and Financial Secretary fail to certify the continuing disability of any member within the ninety-day period, the waiver of dues and per capita charges will be terminated.) For additional information refer to the Washington State Council Bylaws, Article VII Finances, Section 3, and Disability Exemption Guidelines, (Form #1813G).

5) GROUP LIABILITY INSURANCE - A \$5,000,000.00 per occurrence and \$10,000,000.00 blanket group liability insurance policy may be purchased for those councils wishing to participate. The council's premium will be based on the Supreme membership report of active membership as of May 1, 2011. The cost is \$1.00 per member. A letter, "Group Liability Insurance Offer," was in the delegates' packets at the State Convention and was mailed to the Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries in June, 2011. Additional information can be found in the Grand Knight's Handbook, PART II, State Council Information. (A Reminder: As with all checks, please make checks payable to the Washington State Council, and then please mail them to the State Secretary at P.O. Box 1627, Veradale, WA 99037-1627)

The cut-off date for responses to the State Secretary for the offer was July 1, 2011. However, if your council has not requested insurance and you still wish to participate, contact me for instructions. If you have a requirement for proof of insurance or an additional insured certificate: **See Attached Request Form** or preferably obtain by email from me and the forward the form to Jennifer Hull, Western States Insurance, 390 Bradley Blvd, Richland, WA 99352, Phone: (509) 946-6161 or Fax: (509) 946-0715, E-mail: jhull@wsi-insurance.com.

6) ANNUAL MEETING (STATE CONVENTION) BIDS - The Washington State Council Bylaws as it pertains to the Annual Meeting (State Convention) requires the State Officers to fix the place of the Annual Meeting five years in advance.

At the end of this letter is a listing of the Washington State Conventions scheduled from 2012 through 2015. Guidelines and information for hosting the State Convention are found in the Grand Knight's Handbook, PART II, State Council Information.

Councils desiring to host the Annual Meeting may do so by notifying the State Secretary, in writing, no later than December 31 two years prior to the Annual Meeting. The notice must be on council letterhead signed by the Grand Knight and the Financial Secretary and have the Council Seal affixed.

7) PLANNING ASSISTANCE - The Grand Knight's Handbook provides a twelve-month checklist of all reports that are due. Also, each of the twelve months are separately tabbed with lists summarizing council, district, state, Supreme, and national key dates, reminders and reports. Please use your Grand Knight's Handbook to help in this regard.

8) LONG RANGE MEETING SCHEDULE - The following is a long-range listing of important upcoming meetings of note:

Summer Leadership Meetings <i>(To be held not later than the third week-end in July.)</i>	2011 - July 15 - 16	Red Lion, Wenatchee
	2012 - July 20 - 21	Red Lion, Wenatchee
	2013 - July 18 - 20	Red Lion, Yakima
	2014 - July 17 - 19	Red Lion, Yakima
WA. State Conventions <i>(The date is the first Friday following the second Sunday in May)</i>	2012 - May 18 - 20	Red Lion Inn at the Park, Spokane
	2013 - May 17 - 19	Red Lion Inn, Pasco
	2014 - May 16 - 18	Hilton, Bellevue
	2015 - May 15 - 17	Doubletree, Spokane
Supreme Conventions <i>(The date is the first Tuesday in August)</i>	2011 - Aug 2 - 4	Denver, CO
	2012 - Aug 7 - 9	Anaheim, CA
	2013 - Aug 6 - 8	San Antonio, Tx
	2014 - Aug 5 - 7	Orlando, FL

Remember, you only need to call for advice and it will be given. All questions are important. We are here to serve you. Have a great 2011-2012 Fraternal Year!

Vivat Jesus,

George Czerwonka State Secretary

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Speaking of councils, our 149 councils are about to become 150! The Notice of Institution has been submitted for the new John Peyton Council at St. Paul's in Seattle. What a proud heritage this new council is embracing by taking the name of the late Brother John Peyton, who embodied the true definition of "death with dignity", and eloquently spoke out against euthanasia while in his final months of a degenerative nervous system disease. My congratulations go out to State Warden Pat Kelley who laid the groundwork for this council when he was District Deputy, and to new District Deputy Renato Sacramento and acting Grand Knight Manuel Jaramillo for carrying the ball forward. Our State Membership Team has several other councils nearly ready to pop, so our growth is going to be even more visible in the months ahead. Last but far from least, I want to mention two spiritual events that are finishing or starting this month. The Silver Rose pilgrimage is making its way through the state right now, having started July 24 at the Peace Arch in Bellingham and culminating in celebrations at St. John the Evangelist Church in Vancouver before I hand off the Rose to Oregon State Deputy Pat Rice on August 14. And we are about to receive two beautiful images of Our Lady of Guadalupe, which will be making their way across the state throughout the Fraternal Year. We'll share more detail on the program next month! Vivat Jesus,

Don McBride, State Deputy
Bear the Light of Christ!

Message from State Treasurer



Brother Knights,

WOW! What a meeting! What great presentations! Thanks for your attendance and participation!

For those of you that missed it, you missed something special. But wait you will have a second chance. Some of the presentations are being posted to the Washington State Council website (www.kofc-wa.org). Make sure you check out the "Taking Our Council to a Higher Level" presentation conducted by Colbert Council 8872. GK Dwane Berens and Council 8872 won the top council last fraternal year! DGK Art Smalley of that council won Knight of the Year too! View what they did and implement what you can to get your council to the next level. It can be done – proof shown last year.

Please catch up on your council exemplification fund payments. The list is at the back of the bulletin – remember these figures may be a bit behind as I get information when Supreme publishes the monthly information at the first of the month.....and this article is due before end of month.

May God Bless you and your council's many successes that are coming your way this fraternal year.

Ed Parazoo

State Treasurer

StateTreasurer@kofc-wa.org

Editors Notes

Many thanks to all those who submit their thoughts and program details. It takes a great deal of effort. A special thanks to Brother Ed Hebert for creating this format which made my first efforts much simpler.

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Broadhurst

Bulletin@kofc-wa.org



...from the cluttered desk of your **State Advocate**

Brothers,

Here is some helpful information that I passed on to those that attended the Summer Meeting. If you have questions or need help on any of these, drop me a message at StateAdvocate@kofc-wa.org

By-Laws

Go to www.kofc.org, log in as a Grand Knight and follow instructions on the "By-Laws Online" section. You will need a "User Name" & "Password", but instructions are there for that, too.

EIN (Employer Identification Number) Numbers

Go to www.irs.gov and do an application Form SS-4 online, by phone, by FAX or by mail, to get an EIN number.

Tax Reporting

Submit the appropriate Form 990, yearly. For most that will be the Form 990N e-Postcard, but follow the Form 990 filing requirements below:

- Council gross receipts \$50,000 or less file 990N e-Postcard
- Council gross receipts \$50,001-\$199,999 file Form 990-EZ
- Council gross receipts \$200,000 or greater, or total assets in excess of \$500,000 file the long Form 990

Tax-Exempt Status

If a council fails to report, by not submitting Form 990, Form 990-EZ or Form 990N e-Postcard for three consecutive years, the council loses their tax-exempt status automatically, and it either needs to start paying Federal Income Taxes, or it must reapply to get its tax-exempt status reinstated. To regain tax-exempt status, and to take advantage of **Transitional Relief**, a **council must by December 31, 2011:**

- Apply for reinstatement of tax-exempt status with Form 1024
- Reinstatement of tax-exempt status is retroactive to the date it was revoked. So, no Federal Income Tax is due for the period between when it was revoked and when it is reinstated.
- Also there is a reduced "User Fee" of \$100. Submit payment with Form 8718
- See Internal Revenue Bulletin: 2011-25 at www.irs.gov for more details

Use Tax

Use Tax is tax on all supply purchases that your council did not pay Washington State Sales Tax on. Examples are supplies from Supreme, supplies from Oregon, or anywhere that you buy supplies that doesn't include Washington State Sales Tax. We do not have to pay this tax on periodic fund-raising materials like the KCIC cards or the Tootsie Roll supplies, but those are the exceptions. When in doubt, call the State of Washington Department of Revenue for a ruling. The tax is due on the 15th day of the month after the date of your purchase. Send payment with the "Consumer Use Tax Return" that you can get at www.dor.wa.gov

God Bless You Brothers & May Your Tax Load be Light!

Bob Baemmert-sa



**STATE CHAPLAIN
MOST REVEREND
Carlos A Sevilla**

THE KINGDOM OF GOD IN PARABLES



**STATE VICE-CHAPLAIN
THE REVEREND
Jaime H Chacon**

Jesus used different types of means to teach us the truth about our destiny, life, God and his Kingdom: giving speeches at the top of the mountain in front of a crowd, next to the lake or in the synagogue, in private conversations with the Apostles; with His presence, the same as with his miracles, He was devoted to teaching the path of love and how to return to the Father's House. With these teachings, the parables are emphasized: simple and clear stories taken from everyday life (especially the agricultural life) whose purpose is to convey a lesson that is easy to remember thanks to the descriptions of vivid imagery, real and familiar for whom are listening. Why did Jesus teach in parables? The answer is found in the Gospel of Matthew that cites Psalm 78: "*Jesus spoke to the crowds in parables. He spoke to them only in parables to fulfill what had had been said through the prophet: "I will open my mouth in parables, announcing what has lain hidden from the foundation of the world."*

The Gospel of Matthew tells a series of parables about the Kingdom of God: the parable of the sower, the mustard seed, wheat and grass, and to treasure the pearl and the net (Matthew 13, 1-58). Although the parables are clear and simple stories, for many they are difficult to understand; not because they have the intention of confusing those who listen but because those who listen don't want to hear the message, are distracted, are full of misconceptions that don't allow them to receive the message, or are simply full of prejudices. During the time of Jesus, there was a strong nationalist thinking among the Jewish people. This idea by the preaching of religious leaders and the desire for freedom of the people oppressed by the Roman Empire, took again the old idea of identifying the Kingdom of God with an earthly power. Thus the Kingdom of David would become the model and prototype of power established by the liberating Messiah who would bring the promised land to the people of Abraham and would restore the Kingdom of David. A kingdom of peace, where the enemies of Israel would be subdued and the reign of God would triumph over the kings of the earth.

At many moments in history it has been the thought that the Kingdom of God is a human power backed by God. Even today, many religious groups refer to the Kingdom of God as a place or a nation. In his time, Jesus had to deal with this situation and the Gospel says that on occasion they wanted to make him King, because they thought that he would be the charismatic leader capable of guiding people to the release of oppression and build a nation like the kingdom of David. But Jesus had something else in mind; to show that the Kingdom of God is neither a place nor a nation and is not for some few. The Kingdom of God is the seed planted in the heart of man which grows and gives fruit. The reign of God is not a nation but the men and women who receive the word, which is Jesus and His message, are able to transform countries, cultures and societies with the values of the Gospel, which is good news for freedom, peace, justice, truth and love.

Jesus teaches us that the Kingdom of God will have its definitive fulfillment in eternity; today is the seed set in the heart of the disciple. Today the seed grows together with the weed planted in sin. The good seed and the weed grow together, but if the seed of love grows more than the weed the seed of God will not drown. It is like the mustard seed which provides shade, food and life; like yeast, it can transform the flour into bread and food for all. Seek first the Kingdom of God and the rest will follow. That is, first search the seed of the kingdom that is in your heart, make believe and all blessings will come. We should not lose time complaining about the evil that overwhelms us, thinking that someone will come to impose a change. God is ready to make the change through his disciples who have received the seed and are bearing fruit.

EL REINO DE DIOS EN PARABOLAS

El Señor Jesús se valió de muchos medios para enseñar la verdad sobre nuestro destino, la vida, Dios y su Reino: Usando discursos en la cima de la montaña frente a la multitud, al lado del lago o en la sinagoga, en conversaciones privadas con los apóstoles; con su presencia lo mismo que con sus milagros se dedicó a enseñar el camino del amor y del retorno a la casa del Padre. Entre estos modos de enseñar se destaca la parábola: relatos o historias sencillas y claras tomadas de la vida cotidiana (especialmente la vida agraria) cuya finalidad es transmitir una enseñanza que sea fácil de recordar gracias a las descripciones de imágenes vivas, reales y familiares para quien las escucha. ¿Porque Jesús enseñaba en parábolas?, la respuesta la encontramos en el evangelio de Mateo que cita el salmo 78: *“Jesús expuso todo esto a la gente en parábolas y sin parábolas no les exponía nada. Así se cumplió el oráculo del profeta: “Abriré mi boca diciendo parábolas, anunciaré lo secreto desde la fundación del mundo.”(Mateo 13, 34)*

El evangelio de Mateo narra una serie de parábolas sobre el Reino de Dios: la parábola del sembrador, el grano de mostaza, el trigo y la hierba, el tesoro la perla y la red (*Mateo 13, 1-58*). Aunque las parábolas son narraciones claras y sencillas para muchos resultan difíciles de entender; no porque tengan el propósito de enredar a quien las escucha sino porque quien las escucha no quiere oír, está distraído, lleno de ideas equivocadas que no le dejan recibir el mensaje, o simplemente están llenos de prejuicios. Para el tiempo de Jesús existía un pensamiento marcadamente nacionalista entre el pueblo Judío. Esta idea animada por las predicaciones de líderes religiosos y el deseo de libertad del pueblo oprimido por el imperio romano, tomó de nuevo la antigua idea de identificar el reino de Dios con un poder terrenal. Así el reino de David vendría a ser el modelo y prototipo del poder establecido por el Mesías liberador que daría la tierra prometida al pueblo de Abraham y restablecería el en reino del David. Un reino de paz, donde los enemigos de Israel serían sometidos y el reinado de Dios triunfarían sobre los reyes de la tierra.

En muchos momentos de la historia se ha dado pensar que el reino de Dios es un poder humano avalado por Dios. Aun hoy entre muchos grupos religiosos se entiende el reino de Dios como un lugar o una nación. En su época, el Señor Jesús tuvo que afrontar esta situación, el evangelio dice que en alguna ocasión quisieron hacerlo rey, porque pensaron que él sería el líder carismático capaz de guiar al pueblo a la liberación de la opresión y fundar una nación y un reino como el de David. Pero Jesús tenía otra cosa en mente. Enseña que el Reino de Dios no es un lugar, ni una nación y no es para algunos pocos. El reino de Dios es la semilla plantada en el corazón del hombre que crece y da fruto. El Reinado de Dios no se da en una nación sino en los hombres y mujeres que recibiendo la Palabra, que es Jesús y su Mensaje, son capaces de transformar países, culturas y sociedades con los valores del evangelio, que es la buena noticia de la libertad, la paz, la justicia, la verdad y el amor.

Jesús enseña que el Reino de Dios tendrá su definitivo cumplimiento en la eternidad; hoy es la semilla puesta en el corazón del discípulo. Hoy la semilla crece junto a la mala hierba que planto el pecado. Crecen juntas la buena semilla y la mala hierba, pero si la semilla del amor crece más que la hierba mala esta semilla de Dios no se dejará ahogar. Será como la semilla de mostaza que trae sombra, alimento y vida; podrá transformar la masa en pan y alimento para todos, como la levadura. Busca primero el reino de Dios y todo llegara por añadidura. Esto es, busca primero la semilla del Reino que esta en tu Corazón, hazla creer y todas las demás bendiciones vendrán. No perdamos el tiempo quejándonos por el mal que nos agobia, pensando que alguien vendrá a imponer un cambio. Dios ya está listo para hacer el cambio a través de sus discípulos que han recibido la semilla y están dando frutos.

COMMUNITY CHAIRMAN



My Brother Knights,
It was great to be with you this past month in Wenatchee for the Summer Leadership meeting. Linda and I really enjoyed renewing old friendships and make new ones too. I am pumped and energized and look forward to serving

you in the coming year!!!

As I mentioned on Saturday afternoon of that weekend, I will be promoting the hosting of Blue **Masses** across our great state in the coming year. What a fitting and fantastic thing for us to be doing in our communities on the 10th anniversary year of the tragic attack on the World Trade Center on 9/11.

You may ask, what is a **Blue Mass**? It is a special mass to honor law enforcement officials, firefighters and paramedics and families. It is a service to pay tribute to the men and woman who serve our communities and who often times place their lives in harm's way to protect us.

The Knights of Columbus has a long history of supporting the brave men and women of the emergency services community. Within a few days of the attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, the Knights began distributing nearly \$1.5 million in direct aid to the families of slain police and rescue workers. The Knights of Columbus Supreme Council began the Blue Mass in New Haven in 2002 and has hosted it annually in February or March time frame each year since. Similar Blue Masses have been organized by Knights of Columbus Councils nationwide. **I think it would be a great tradition to hold annually in each and every District within our jurisdiction.**

Here a few tips and suggestions for you to consider in hosting a Blue Mass at your council or within your District:

- Be sure to consult your pastors their chaplains when planning this event
- Use your own **Blue Knights and local officials** to invite all emergency and law enforcement personnel in the area, and their families to attend
- Order Blue Mass Posters from Supreme to help promote your Special Event in Local Police Departments, Fire Stations, and local churches
- Encourage attendance of local police chiefs, fire marshals, mayors, and other political leaders as guest speakers
- Involve and urge all members of councils in your districts and area to attend
- Play spiritual and patriotic music during the service

- Encourage personnel to come in their dress uniforms to paint a picture of the range of first responders who protect your area.
- Have them process in and out with the 4th Degree Color Corps and invited clergy of different faiths
- Honor your Men and Women in Blue with special luncheon or dinner afterward.
- Use this Mass as an opportunity to present your Council's or District's "Firefighter of the Year", "Police Officer of the Year", and "EMT of the Year" honor to deserving individuals

This event is a great opportunity time for fellowship with your Brother "**Blue Knights**". It is great take time to explain the spiritual and material benefits to non-members that come with membership in our Order. **Remember to share that scholarships are provided to children of member-officers slain in the line of duty.**

The policemen, firemen and EMTs of the greater New York City responding heroically with dedication and professionalism on that fateful day and the weeks and months that followed. They unflinchingly placed themselves in harm's way to save and protect the thousands of people affected by this horrible act of senseless terrorism.

While the heroism showed by these brave men and woman was unbelievable, the dedication and professionalism shown by policemen, firemen, and EMT's in our own communities is no less heroic when they respond, comfort, and care for victims in the aftermath of a multiple-car accident in the early morning hours, a house fire in the middle of the night, wildfires that burn for weeks on end and threaten our homes, or intervening on a scene of a family embroiled in domestic violence. They give of themselves tirelessly doing God's work day in and day out. They are an integral and important part of our community life and we need to support them in any way possible.

Consider hosting a **Blue Mass** in your Community this September or in the coming year to commemorate our national tragedy from 10 years ago. Consider not only doing it this year but make it an annual tradition for your councils and districts to look forward to and celebrate for years to come

I wish you all well and great success for the coming fraternal year!!!!

Vivat Jesus,

Marcel

Marcel P. Bergeron, PGK, FDD, PFN
State Community Chairman
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FATHER MICHAEL MCGIVNEY GUILD



The question might well be asked of me: "Why are you so interested in promoting the cause of Fr. Michael J. McGivney to the honors of the altar?"

Perhaps it is because I realize full well that anyone may administer the sacrament of Baptism; the two individuals involved administer the sacrament of Holy Matrimony; in the absence of a priest, we would be deprived of the sacraments of Penance, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick, and Holy Orders. It is perhaps - simply because I am a Catholic gentleman.

In my opinion, everyone who is admitted to Heaven is a saint, whether raised to the honors of the altar or not. Saints are raised to the honors of the altar as an example to us of how to live a Christian life. I believe that - simply because I am a Catholic gentleman.

Almighty God has seen fit to bless me in so many ways, including the gift of faith; indeed, I was baptized into the Church at the age of 14, by my choice upon the exact 100th anniversary of the death of my patron saint, Dominic Savio, whose motto was "Death rather than sin". I have not always lived up to that lofty ideal - and I am grateful for the sacrament of Penance - simply because I am a Catholic gentleman.

Fr. Michael J. McGivney was a holy priest, filled with the spirit of Charity, which he instilled in the Knights of Columbus. There have been priests in my life including the late Fr. Joseph O'Shea who have through a spirit of Charity exhibited in the confessional affected my spiritual life. I am grateful for the ministry of these priests - simply because I am a Catholic gentleman.

"In God's own time", men and women of exceptional faith and spirituality are raised to the honors of the altar. It may happen soon in the case of Blessed John Paul II, whose funeral generated an outburst of "Sainthood now". It may take nearly 500 years, as in the case of Saint Joan of Arc, who was not canonized until 1920. Let us, his Knights of Columbus, pray daily that the Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney may be proclaimed a Saint, that his heroic virtues may be universally recognized for all time by Holy Mother Church - simply because we are Catholic gentlemen.

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

General Program Director Message

As your General Programs Director I sincerely hope that all who attended the Summer Meeting had a great time and feel refreshed and energized with all the new information on each program that was offered by the presenters and from the handouts in your envelope. August is almost here and the start of the 1000 points reporting period will begin 8/5 and end 8/10. Be on top and get your reports started on time. Most councils are having summer events right now so it's even easier to have something to report.

Remember everything counts. Don't forget the misc comments area at the end of each category... they're worth an extra 5 points. Be aware that there is a NEW separate page for July reports, no longer combined with August.

Remember the State Deputy has authorized Double Points for bringing in new members in July, August, & September... Be the first to get in on this, you'll be glad you did.

Fraternally

Pat Kelley, State Warden

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



Colville, WA... The son of Worthy Grand Knight John and Lady Lorie Goldsmith, and brother of sister, Nicole, was laid to rest at Mountain View Park Cemetery on Tuesday, July 26, 2011, after a Mass of Christian Burial at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Colville.

His Mass was concelebrated by Rev. Steve Werner, Pastor, Rev. Kevin Oiland, Parochial Vicar, Rev. Darrin Connell, Vicar General Spokane Diocese, Rev. Robert McNeese and Rev. Victor Blazovich, all former Pastors of Immaculate Conception Parish.

Our Brother, Sir Knight Wyatt Andrew Goldsmith, was a member of Colville Council 12273, and Our Lady of the Unborn Child Assembly 3063. He was an Army Special Forces veteran serving once more in Afghanistan on his third combat tour of duty, one in Iraq and his the last two in Afghanistan, when he died there of wounds suffered in combat. Wyatt was a Special Forces Green Beret serving with the 3rd Battalion, First Special Forces Group (Airborne) doing what he loved best, serving as a front line Combat Medic with his Team. Whether friend or foe, Wyatt was always at the ready "saving lives" from wounds suffered in combat. He was always there around camp too offering his expertise from any aliment; and, when not in combat, he was "changing lives" by tending to the needs of the local Afghan population. A true Knight and Warrior, Wyatt succumbed to his wounds during a valiant effort by others in a Combat Field Hospital to save him too. When mortally wounded himself, Wyatt was aiding a wounded Afghan Commando serving with his Special Forces Team. He was that special breed of warrior servant always putting the needs of others before himself in true Charity as a Knight of Columbus.

A recipient of many military awards including two Bronze Star's with "V" for Valor and three Purple Hearts, Wyatt always believed he was just one of the guys, when in reality, he was bigger than life as attested to by his Team Captain, fellow warriors and community. When coming home to his final rest, his body was flown to the Deer Park Airport located some 50 miles south of Colville. His community came to escort him home with a procession that stretched for more than two miles with Law Enforcement, Border Patrol and Patriot Guard leading the way; and, more than 50 of his teammates came to see him home to the Lord led by Special Forces Commanders', Group Brigadier General Edward Reeder and Battalion Colonel A. Vines.

In a private ceremony before his funeral Mass, Wyatt's family was presented with a "Resolution of Condolence" by State Secretary George H. Czerwonka, Jr. on behalf of State Deputy Donald J. McBride, State Officers and our more than 17,000 Brother Knights and their families; a "Certificate of the 4th Degree with Baldric and Pin" by District Master Karl A. Hadley; and, a "KofC Chalice" by State Treasurer Eddie L. Parazoo. The "KofC Cross" was presented at the grave site by Faithful Controller Edwin Broadhurst of Assembly 3063. May Wyatt and all the faithful departed rest in

Family Members' Deaths

July 2011

Father Ralph J Murphy (Uncle of Dennis Murphy)...Marysville 7863

Virginia Burns (Wife of Roy L. Burns, deceased).....
Spokane Valley 8201

> 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.

July 2011

Includes Knights not previously noted from earlier in the year

Walter Ablang.....Seattle 676
Raymond Michlig.....Lynnwood 5816
Emilio Moure, Supreme Secretary.....Lake Forest (CA)
Council 6332
Donald Thompson.....Gig Harbor 9238
Wyatt A. Goldsmith.....Colville 12273



Sick Notices July 2011

John Schumacher.....	Seattle 676
Betty Therrien.....	Bellingham 829
Danno Herra GK elect.....	Vancouver 1327
Jarrold Roth, GA.....	Bremerton 1379
Wally Dillon, FN.....	Ellensburg 1401
Twila Bailey, FFL.....	Chehalis 1550
Jim Mitchell.....	Longview 2763
Jim Weitzel.....	Ephrata 3153
Jenny Davis.....	Richland 3307
Hector Maffei, PSD.....	Richland 3307
Harold Van Tuyl.....	Richland 3307
Del Swatosh, PGK.....	Oak Harbor 3361
Genevieve Klein, FFL.....	Lakewood 4322
PSD George and FFL Jean Turk.....	Bellevue 4385
Guy Clark.....	Lynnwood 5816
Daniel Hendricksen.....	Lynnwood 5816
Kathie Webster.....	Lynnwood 5816
John Alexy, FDD.....	Edmonds 5816
Jatin Gautam.....	Des Moines 8079
Nadine Gautam.....	Des Moines 8079
Don Rulffees.....	Des Moines 8079
Alex Fernandes.....	Kent 8150
Margaret Fetting.....	Kent 8150
Laura Kapule.....	Kent 8150
Tony Lemar.....	Kent 8150
Kip Hilson.....	Kent 8150
Larry Peters.....	Kent 8150
Kyle Hadley (Wife of DM Karl Hadley).....	Kennewick 8179
Frank Beaudry, PST.....	Kennewick 8179
John Hanson.....	Poulsbo 8297
Barbara Wernke.....	Poulsbo 8297
Marci Fossum.....	Camano-Stanwood 8476
Ginger Lansing.....	Camano-Stanwood 8476
Bob Shay.....	Mountlake Terrace 9605
Katy Williams.....	Mountlake Terrace 9605
Carol Thomas.....	Kennewick 10653
F. Bennett Jones, DD#26.....	Seattle 11085
John Joynt, GK.....	Langley 11357
Dave Parks.....	Covington 11780
Leonard Dufresne.....	Bremerton 11789
Archie Canto.....	Colville 12273
Jim Rabalais.....	Colville 12273
George Czerwonka Sr. (Father of SS Czerwonka).....	Gonzaga 12583
Barbara Czerwonka (Mother of SS Czerwonka).....	Gonzaga 12583
Bill Kerner, FS.....	Vancouver 12983
Patrick Geary.....	Newport 14268
Paula Martinez (Wife of GK Dean Martinez).....	Fairchild 14510

Life in Christ: Grace and Commandments

Do you recall what SANCTIFYING GRACE and the THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES are? A clear and concise review follows below.

SANCTIFYING GRACE is a free gift of God which allows us to become children of God, to share in the divine nature and to inherit eternal life.

B. SANCTIFYING GRACE is the very life of God given to us through Christ in the sacraments.

C. SANCTIFYING GRACE gives us the THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES of faith, hope and charity.

D. The THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES give us the grace to have a supernatural relationship with the Holy Trinity.

E. The THEOLOGICAL VIRTUE of Faith, a gift given by God, enables us to believe in God and believe all that He has said and revealed to us, including all that the Church teaches.

F. The THEOLOGICAL VIRTUE of Hope, a gift given by God, enables us to desire eternal happiness and to trust in Christ and His promises to obtain it.

G. The THEOLOGICAL VIRTUE OF Charity, a gift given by God, enables us to love God above all things for his own sake and our neighbor as ourselves for the love of God.

In review, the THEOLOGICAL VIRTUE of Charity, the first principal of the Order, enables us to be our "BROTHERS KEEPER".

H. In addition to the THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES, SANCTIFYING GRACE strengthens and helps us further develop the human virtues, also called moral virtues.

I. The moral virtues are grouped around four key virtues called CARDINAL VIRTUES: Prudence, Justice, Fortitude and Temperance.

Look for more on the moral virtues and CARDINAL VIRTUES with a further review of our faith next month.

Vivat Jesus!

George Czerwonka



DISTRICT MASTER'S MESSAGE

Enlighten the minds of your servants, guide their councils, and prosper their measures.

Thank you to the members of the Color Corps from around the state who participated in the Summer Leadership Meeting's Mass and Installation of State Officers and District Deputies on Saturday evening at St Joseph Parish in Wenatchee on July 16, 2011.



Future State Events That Require Members of the Color Corps from Multiple Assemblies

October 2, 2011 - The Most Reverend Timothy Broglio, the Archbishop of the Military Diocese, will celebrate Mass at McChord at 10:00 a.m.

November 6, 2011 - St Joseph Parish in Kennewick will be celebrating its 100th anniversary with a Mass at the Tri-Cities Convention Center.

Upcoming Reports and Actions

If you haven't already done so, contact me to **schedule your Installation of Assembly Officers** (jointly with other assemblies), and **conduct your Annual Audit (due by August 1, 2011).**

Revision to the Schedule for Washington District Exemplifications

Due to conflicts with other functions at the various parishes, the following changes were made to the schedule for fourth degree exemplifications in fraternal year 2011 - 2012:

Bothell - November 5, 2011 (revised)

Oak Harbor - February 18, 2012

Kennewick - March 17, 2012

Lakewood - April 14, 2012

Spokane - May 5, 2012

Vancouver - June 2, 2012

To support the above schedule, back-up ceremonialists are needed for both the Western and Eastern Washington Exemplification Teams. **If you would like to join these teams, please let me know.**

Date Set for 2012 Washington District Meeting

The District Meeting will be held March 3, 2012, at Mary Queen of Peace Parish in Sammamish. Please put this date on your calendar.

Patriotic Quotes

"On my arrival in the United States, it was the religious aspects of the country that first struck my eye....among us [Europeans], I had seen the spirit of religion and spirit of freedom almost always move in contrary directions. Here I found them united intimately with one another: they reigned together on the same soil." - Alexis de Tocqueville, *Democracy in America*

President Thomas Jefferson in his second inaugural address in 1805 told the nation he would need "the favor" of the "Being in whose hands we are, who led our forefathers, as Israel of old" to "enlighten the minds of your [public] servants, guide their councils, and prosper their measures, that whatsoever they do, shall result in your good, and shall secure to you the peace, friendship, and approbations of all nations."

Karl A. Hadley, PSD

Master, Washington District

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS (KCIC)

Orders are being taken for Christmas Cards NOW and they will be shipped immediately. What a great opportunity to provide religious Christmas cards to parishioners and at the same time have an easy fund raiser. We need to continue to spread the word to all that Christmas and the sending of religious cards depicts what Christmas is all about - **THE BIRTH OF CHRIST.** *See the link on KCIC for order forms and pictures of the cards. Order early and avoid the last minute rush.*

John Walker, KCIC Chairman

STATE SECRETARY CHANGE OF ADDRESS

The new address is

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHURCH CHAIRMAN

For the past 4 years, the Yakima Diocese has sent one of its Seminarians to our Parish for a 2 month period during the summer. This year, our Parish has been blessed to have a Seminarian by the name of Eduardo Barragán. He actually

goes by the nickname of Lalo. He mentioned that his Mother always called him by Eduardo when he was in trouble as a youth, so perhaps this is the reason he likes his nickname better.

Lalo is currently a student at Mundelein Seminary in Illinois. He previously attended the seminary at Mt. Angel in Oregon. Mundelein is the major Seminary for the Archdiocese of Chicago. He has been asked if he planned to serve in that area when he graduated, but he was quick to respond that he plans to return to the Diocese of Yakima after he is ordained.

Lalo grew up in Cowiche, which is not far from the city of Yakima. While he was there, he acquired an excellent work ethic. He told me that he helped maintain the irrigation system while he was there, and I would guess that he was helpful in many other ways.

This past month, Lalo has helped our Parish revamp our sprinkler system, has refinished the woodwork around the windows in our hall, has cleaned the exteriors of the Rectory and church, helped plant flower beds in front of our church, and helped move furniture that was to be sold in the rummage sale held at our Parish. These are just some of the things that I am aware of his having done. On the spiritual side, he has joined a group of our Council members who meet every Thursday at 5:30 am to pray the Rosary at the local Planned Parenthood clinic. He helps at all weekday and weekend Masses, as a Lector or helps assist the Priest on the altar.

Lalo has 3 years of schooling to complete before his ordination as a Priest. He is being supported by a Council in Yakima, and he is very generous with the funds he receives. He has told me that he often helps some of his fellow Seminarians financially to purchase essential items. Lalo took his 1st degree in June and became a member of our Council. It has been a privilege to have had Lalo at our Parish this summer and to have associated with him. My thanks go out to all the Councils that support our Seminarians. If anyone knows of a Council who has not participated in this program, please encourage them to do so. They may be helping support their future Pastor.

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph Carson, PGK, PFN
State Church Director

**Silver Rose Schedule**

July 24th- Rose transferred from BC at the border. Mass at Sacred Heart in S. Bellingham at 6pm.
July 25th- Mass in Ferndale at 6 pm.
July 26th- Adoration at Bellingham Church of the Assumption, 5:45 pm.
July 27th- Bellingham Church of the Assumption, Mass at 6 pm.
July 28th- Bellingham, Mass at Sacred Heart, 6 pm.
July 29th- Transfer to Mt. Vernon, Immaculate Conception, Mass 7 pm.
July 30th- Deliver to Everett, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Mass 6 pm.
July 31st- Everett, service unscheduled.

August 1st- Deliver to Mike McCloskey, Bothell.
August 2nd- Bothell, service unscheduled.
August 3rd- Mercer Island, St. Monica, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
August 4th- Bothell, service unscheduled.
August 5th- Transfer to Olympia.
August 6th- Olympia, unsure of location and time of service.
August 7th- Olympia, unsure of service.

August 8th- Transfer to Kennewick, St. Josephs.
August 9th- Kennewick, St. Josephs, Mass 7 pm.
August 10th- Transfer to Holy Spirit, Kennewick.
August 11th- Holy Spirit, Rosary 7 pm.
August 12th- Transfer to Richland, Christ the King.
August 13th- Richland, Christ the King.
August 14th- Transfer to Vancouver, St. John the Evangelist. Mass 1 pm.

Transfer to the Oregon jurisdiction after 1 pm Mass.

Fraternally, Joe Carson, State Church Director

District Deputy Director Message

To the new District Deputies and those who were aboard last year:

Welcome to the K of C Washington State Council. We look forward to a productive and successful fraternal year. It was great to spend time with you during the Summer Meeting, covering your role as District Deputy. My hope is the material presented will be helpful. Even though the schedule was tight we did cover most all the requirements.

As a reminder, the following items need your attention during the current month:

- Forms 185 & 365; both past due.
- Audits; due Aug. 15.
- Regional Meeting; Location and Plan.
- Your goals for the year and plans for achieving them; (Send to DDD).
- 1st Degrees in each District; schedule for August and September; (Send to DDD).
- 1st Degree Books accounted for; (Send to Ceremonials Director).
- Install Council Officers.
- Visit and meet with all Grand Knights.
- Enjoy and have fun.

Below is the first slide of the District Deputy Presentation made by PSD Pat Maloney SMPC. Each month we will present a slide of the Presentation for your review.

ROLE OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY

Nominated by State Deputy - appointed by Supreme Knight.	Ensures compliance to Laws and Rules of Order.
Representative of Supreme Knight and SD at Council Meetings.	Promotes/directs Council's Membership efforts.
One year term – maximum of four years.	Guidance for Successful Council Programming.
Oversees Council's assets (\$\$\$ & members).	District size: 3 -6 councils (including home council).

Supreme Knight

State Deputy

District Deputy	District Deputy	District Deputy	District Deputy
Council	Council	Council	Council
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	Council		Council

Brother Knights, thank you for your service, St. Joseph, pray for the DD's

John M. Wallace DDD

Vocations/PFH/RSVP

Congratulations to the Pennies for Heaven Winners

Brothers, let us all congratulate the 2010-11 Pennies for Heaven award winners for their outstanding service and support of our future priests. Let them be an example and an inspiration to all of us as we set goals and plan our programs for the new fraternal year.

Award	Council	Percent	Grand Knight
Highest Percent	13374	712%	D. Thueringer
2nd Highest	3645	485%	G. Stadtmueller
3rd Highest	15136	426%	J. Mergens
		Total	
Highest Amount	3361	\$ 3,361	B. Lorica

What are your goals for the new year? A new year is upon us and with it more opportunities to do God's work. August is a month for setting goals and planning out the programs. What are your goals for Pennies for Heaven? What are your goals for RSVP? How many seminarians will your council support? What will you do to help others in your parish community discover their vocation and help them work toward making it a reality?

Make the Connection!

The theme this year for the PFH, RSVP, and Vocations program is "Make the Connection" Catholics everywhere recognize that there is a shortage of priests. Furthermore, they feel helpless because they do not know what they can do change this situation. But there is something they can do and you can help them do it. You can help them see that the donations they make to PHF helps support future priests. One way to make the connection is to put your Diocese's vocation poster next to your PFH barrel at K of C events along with a placard that briefly explains the PFH program. You can point out to your fellow parishioners which seminarians you are supporting under RSVP. Seeing the faces of the seminarian they are supporting makes it more tangible. Your fellow parishioners will feel good knowing that they are doing something to help support future priests. And who knows, maybe your council will be one of the award winners next year!

Unfinished Business

As we close the books on 2010-11, we have some unfinished business. RSVP Refund and Plaque Application forms were due by June 30th but if you have not done so already, GET YOUR FORMS IN THE MAIL! I need a copy in order to verify the level of support for each individual seminarian. Remember, your council/assembly receives \$100 rebate for \$500 of support.

August Birthdays – the following seminarians are celebrating birthdays this month: Paul Brunet, Brian Thompson.

Vivat Jesus!

John Ehardt Chairman

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MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR

Hola Caballeros and Greeting Fellow Knights,

As chairman of Hispanic Growth, I see opportunities for tremendous growth throughout our great state. God told his people "go with confidence and determination", and we can hear the same today as we pray our daily rosary.

At St. John the Evangelist in Vancouver, word is out that a Hispanic Round Table sponsors the summer soccer season. Over 90 children, ages 7 through 17, turn out each Tuesday and Thursday to participate in practice and to spend time with other children their own age. On Sunday, parents and children alike enjoyed our first games. Best of all, three form 100's were turned in from men who want to join the activities of the Round Table. Hispanics love soccer, bringing opportunities for new membership.

Make plans with your Pastor to show "Rosario de Amor Guadalupe" to the Hispanic faithful of the parish. This is an important time and much can be accomplished. Order and have on hand materials received at the recent leadership meeting. Have your Pastor explain the meaning behind the rosary and the sacraments.

Is there Spanish to English classes in your area? If not, start one with help from the local high school or college. Start calling your city government on projects they have for volunteers. Get both your English speaking and Hispanic families involved in these projects.

Plan a festival for September 10th or 17th, with the Hispanic community having a booth with handouts and form 100's. If possible, create a banner in Spanish reading "Caballeros de Colon", "Serviendo a Uno, Serviendo a Todos".

Make plans for celebrating our Lady of Guadalupe on December 12th with a 4th degree honor guard. As the icon makes its way through the state, apply to have it visit your parish. It's a great honor to have her visit, which will in turn bring many faithful to mass.

Set a goal of at least two new Hispanic members per month. Target bi-lingual leadership and they will become your future recruitment officers.

I am thrilled with the interest shown from the Hispanic community. Keep this interest close to your heart, and pray for its continued growth.

As councils experience success within the Hispanic communities, no matter how small, please pass the story to me in detail about the success. Plan to share these successes in a newsletter with councils that have a Hispanic presence. In this way we all can learn from each other, keeping us closer as Brothers in Christ.

For example, I received notice of a Hispanic Sea Fair event in Seattle. It's a resource fair. Similar ones may be happening in your area. Be alert and place a booth with handout materials as recruitment tools. In most cases booth cost is minor. In Vancouver, it's free.

We are our brother's keepers, bringing them close to Christ by becoming member of the Knights of Columbus.

Servant of Christ,

Ygnacio (Mike) Calderon

TOOTSIE ROLL PROGRAM

Kim Washburn and Jack

Gentlemen,

The Summer Meeting is over and the hard work is about to start. I was able to present the Tootsie Roll Program to the District Deputies and the General Session. The support was overwhelming and now all I need is for the councils to fill out the Council Chairman Report Form found on the columbuscharities.net website. This will indicate your desire to assist those with disabilities in your area and the State Special Olympics Program. Print the manual and follow the directions. Canvas your area for possible locations to solicit funds and get permission to hold your drive October 7th through October 9th.



I am suggesting you order your Aprons (the only upfront cost) and Tootsie Rolls by August 10th to ensure delivery. The most time critical item is the Aprons. They require at least 6-8 weeks for delivery. The Tootsie Roll order may be postponed but allow at least 4 weeks for delivery.

A few questions came up after my presentation that I want to address. After you use the Tootsie Roll Order Form that was available in triplicate, the rest of your orders in the future may be taken off the website. I had a limited supply of triplicate forms from the Tootsie Roll Company to make it easier to order the first time.

On the Tootsie Roll Order Form next to Item No. 9690 it asks about K/C caps and collection cans. Fill in the number of cases you wish to order. There are 12 cases of collection cans per case. There should be no charge, even if you do not order 16 cases of Tootsie Rolls. If you choose to wear the hats, they will be included in the cases of collections cans.

Do not short yourself on orders of Tootsie Rolls. I would suggest a minimum of 7 cases for high volume stores and 3 cases for the lower traffic areas for the whole weekend. You can always use the remaining Tootsie Rolls to sell as Halloween treats, parish members, schools, etc. Any remaining Tootsie Rolls may be used

for the following year's Tootsie Roll Drive. Just to verify, a case of 300 Tootsie Rolls is \$17.25 per case, plus shipping if required. That puts the cost of one Tootsie Roll at 6 cents.

The organizations in your area that will qualify to receive the proceeds you raise during your drive will have to be 501 (c) (3) approved. All organizations must deal with the disabled and no other program will qualify.

I am available for limited appearances, but you will have to let me know in plenty of time. I have a family, am Grand Knight of Olympia Council 1643 and I volunteer for other organizations, so give me some notice.

I am so ready for you to come on board. The experiences I have from the Tootsie Roll Program in Illinois are priceless to me. I rank the Special Olympics Regional Bowling Tournament as the most satisfying and beneficial volunteer activity I have ever participated in. You will have similar stories if you come on board with us.

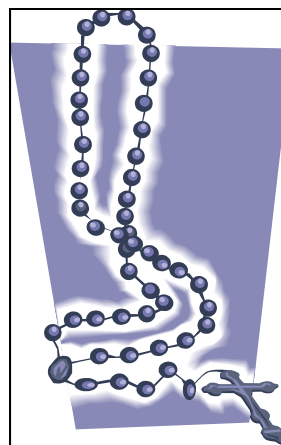
Brother George Czerwonka and I have been emailing each other, in regards to this program, numerous times over the past several months. His literary skills are tremendous and something I could only wish to attain. On one particular email he mentioned "Living Charity" in a phrase. These words have resonated in my mind ever since. I would like to share something similar, with George's permission. "We are Living Charity to the most vulnerable in our society and are determined to do God's work". I believe that is what the Tootsie Roll Program is all about. Is that about right Brother George?

God bless you all and have fun with the Tootsie Roll Drive.

Vivat Jesus!

Kim Washburn

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**Pray the
Rosary Daily**

Family Chairman's Message



FAMILY CHAIRMAN SAYS "LET'S TALK" "FAMILY"

I just returned home from the "Summer Leadership Meeting" in Wenatchee, great gathering of Knights and their wives. The commitment and attendance at the meeting showed that you and your council are committed to having another great and successful fraternal year in our state.

The presentations provided some good thoughts on how to plan and work towards your council's success. There were some outstanding ideas shared during the gathering with many of them coming from the members in attendance. With the spirit and enthusiasm displayed during the meeting, it's looking like we are in for another great year in Washington State.

Okay, now let's talk "**family**," or put another way, I'm going to speak to "the choir for a moment." In my presentation to the Grand Knights and District Deputies at the summer meeting I stressed that the Family of the Month program is your Council's "**Hall of Fame**." I talked about the importance of never forgetting that the family is the strong backbone of our Order. Of equal importance is the real need to recognize your "**All Stars**." If you utilize this program to the max, I think you'll see that it will add to every dimension of this year's agenda: Membership, Retention, Community, Pro-Life, and Youth. One of the most important principals of success that is often overlooked is saying "**Thanks**."

If the public sees the caliber of those that you recognize from your council, if they see your examples of Knight-hood, it can be a powerful statement and in time I think you'll notice that form 100s just get a little easier to fill out. And think of the effect it will have on those you honor and the membership of your council. And don't ignore the fact that you'll feel outstanding for your part in all this. If **you** attach importance to the award and if **you** do it in a public manner, **you** may say good bye to some retention problems. Okay my fellow choir members we'll talk more about this later. You can count on it!

This all brings us to the subject of food or more importantly our;

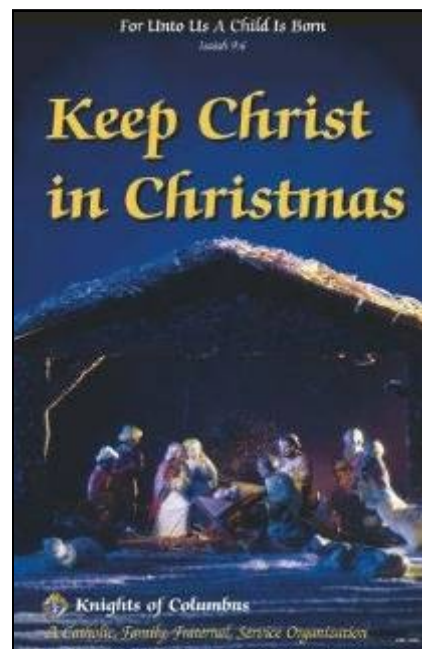
"Food for Families Program"

Not only do those in need receive benefits, but so does your council for doing something that I'll bet 100% of you do already. And get this, you'll be receiving benefits for your council and state, all you must do is fill out **one form, once a year**, and get it to me by March 31, 2012, if you need help with that call me we'll do it together. What are the benefits?

- Supreme allots \$250,000 to distribute between qualifying participating states.
- Washington State needs 35% of our councils (52 councils) to participate to qualify to receive a part of the \$250,000.
- And last but by no means least, is the wonderful act of charity for those in need.

Brothers wouldn't it be grand to report to Supreme that our State had 100% participation in this program? We could do it; it's really very easy since almost everyone is already doing it anyway. It begins with **you**, **you** can start the ripple and **we** can turn it into a tidal wave rolling into New Haven, wouldn't that make this a year to remember? We can all be a part of history, **let's roll Brothers**.

STEVE SNELL, FDD, PFN, PGK
STATE FAMILY CHAIRMAN



Membership Director West

MAKE A "MEMBERSHIP THRUST" IN AUGUST

The Leadership Training is over and you have returned to your respective Districts and Councils. Now is the time to start implementing the things you learned and put them into action, particularly in the area of recruitment, retention and member development.

We have accomplished extraordinary things as Knights during the past Columbian Year.

We have achieved No. 8 in membership growth out of 72 jurisdictions, but we have the potential and the responsibility to do far more. If we are to meet and exceed that potential, we must do everything in our power to bring every eligible Catholic man in our parish into our ranks. Recruitment, Retention and Member Development are absolutely an essential part of our mission.

There are many opportunities for growth that remain untapped. Thousand of Catholics, far from their place of birth come to our State to settle. They are not just from Latin America. There are large Catholic communities in our State that are predominately Filipino, Korean, Vietnamese, Chinese, and Eastern European. Where there is a Catholic Parish, we must strive to establish a Round Table or better still a Council. Where there are Catholics who speak a different language, we must strive to be what the Knights of Columbus organization has always been: a place where immigrants can find faith, hope, friendship and help in adjusting to a new life in a new land.

As for the prospects that each one of you have submitted during SMPC Pat Maloney's speech, we want you to convert them from prospects to members. Take them to a First Degree Exemplification this month. Don't wait!

So once you have a new member, what do you want to do with him? **Keep him! The best way to do this is by assigning him a "Mentor".**

The mentor does not have to be the proposer, although many times that is a good fit. The mentor guides his new member for the first few months. He makes sure that the new member gets to the meetings. He calls his new member and reminds him when the meetings are held and he might offer a ride, if the new member needs one. He introduces the new member to the rest of the members of the council. He answers the questions the new member has and he encourages him to get active in the programs that are described.

I had a great mentor who did all of those things for me when I was a new member, and it made all of the difference in the world. I felt welcome, comfortable, and anxious to get involved, because of his efforts. Try this and you will love the results!

Our very own Membership Director, Bob Baemmert, proposed Kevin Dorow to be a Knight in July and he will be a great addi-

He is a scientist at Battelle, and Kevin wants to make a difference. Bob came up with the "CORN" slogan:

"MAKE A MEMBERSHIP THRUST IN AUGUST" and even though it's "cheesy" it does make the point. Remember, if you get a new guy and would like a shot at naming next months article, submit the phrase and the new member's name and we will publish it. I know that you can do better than this!!!

God Bless Us on Our Membership Quest!
Romy Ablao, Chairman, Member Development, West

The ProLife Couple

It was nice seeing you all at the Summer Leadership Meeting. I thought I would make a comment on the Baby Feet Pins I handed out at the meeting. It is important that you wear them whenever you can. You never know when they may save a life.



Here is a real case about the volunteer from Atlanta, Georgia who visited a pregnant teenager contemplating abortion. The volunteer gave her some material and the Precious Feet pin that she was wearing on her Lapel. She

explained that the baby's feet were that of the exact size of a baby 10 weeks after conception. It just so happens that the girl's roommate was 10 weeks pregnant and was also planning an abortion. In a letter she later received is said, "The Precious Feet did their work. We were able to save not one, but two babies." In another story, Roseann and I were at a Burger King's restaurant recently. As we approached the counter the teenage girl behind the counter noticed Roseann's "Precious Feet" pin on her lapel. She asked what it was and wanted to know all about it. So as you can see, just by wearing the Precious Feet, you are creating the possibility of engaging a person on the actual facts about the unborn and provide an opportunity to actually make a difference in the abortion debate. It also helps to have a few Precious Feet in you pocket or purse to hand out. So please wear the "Precious Feet" pin. The more people wear the Precious Feet, the more we live up to our slogan; **"We change lives and we save lives."**

Vivat Jesus!

**KNIGHTS TO CHRIST DEVOTIONAL BOOKS
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FS Trainers Report

Financial Secretaries from 41 Councils attended the Summer Leadership training in July. Two groups were created from new FS's and experienced FS's to better meet the needs of each Brother. The session for new FS's focused on their duties and responsibilities and included introduction to Supreme's Member Management and Member Billing modules of the online programs.

The initial session for experienced FS group centered on the FS as "the answer man" and his responsibilities to serve as a trainer of the Grand Knight on Member Management and communications software and to provide support to other Council Officers and Program Directors to aid in performance of their duties. In addition, emphasis was placed on the need of all FS's to move into Member and Billing Management (MM/MB) software in procedures in a timely manner.

Many councils are using manual procedures, locally created software and FSPC (software previously provided by Supreme which is being phased out of usage). Supreme and FSPC websites now have notices which strongly encourage prompt movement into the new system. Support of FSPC is being withdrawn and Officer's online reports are being limited in usage.

Only the Grand Knight and the FS have password protected access to Member Management. And as a result, only GK and FS have access to Officer Desktop Reference, a repository of answers to many significant and frequently asked policy questions.

In an effort to assist in training of GK and Officers, each FS was given a CD containing all the power point presentations, scripts and spreadsheets used in this training. In addition, 50 Grand Knights who's FS's were not in attendance, were given the same CD. Next month the remainder of councils not represented will receive a copy of that CD which will be sent to the GK.

To all the Grand Knights, I pose these questions. If your FS was suddenly unable to perform his duties for any reason, do you have candidate for the job and could that candidate step into that position without training or manuals for locally created methods? If there were a catastrophic occurrence causing a loss of data on the FS or Council PC's, do you have that material backed up off site? If the answer to either or both of those questions is "no", you and your council are at risk.

David Konzek and Ed Broadhurst offer their assistance in your training needs. You can contact us at FSConsultant@kofc-wa.org (David) or Bulletin@kofc-wa.org (Ed)

Vivat Jesus!

FS Trainers Tip of the Month

Late Payer or Knight Alert letter

At the Summer Leadership training, the Grand Knights were given a recommended Knight Alert letter for usage. The Member Billing Program provides a similar letter that can be created for mailing. Both letters take the softer, gentler approach to asking the member to pay his dues as opposed to the original knight alert letter (ka - 1) found in the FS Manual. Either of these two letters are acceptable and should be used instead of the sample letter in the manual. Once a Knight, always a Knight.

Vivat Jesus!

2nd & 3rd Degree Reminder

District 24 reminds of the degree to be held August 28, 2011 At St. Mary Star of the Sea Church 1335 Blain Street Port Townsend, WA

The Degree start time is not yet determined, please contact WDD Larry for details

Directions: From Hood Canal Bridge follow Hwy 104 west to right on Hwy 19. Hwy 19 becomes Hwy 20 about 4 miles south of Port Townsend. Follow Hwy 20 into Port Townsend. Turn left on Kearney St. (second stop light). Turn right on Lawrence St. At the top of the hill turn left on Harrison St. Church hall is on the corner of Harrison and Blaine Streets.

Larry Stewart DD24
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COUNCILS MISSING 185's

766 Michael Flohr	Walla Walla
1699 Toppenish	Toppenish
2303 Holy Rosary	Moxee
4385 St. Louise-Overlake	Bellevue
8150 Kent	Kent
8311 Vern Raschko-Magnolia	Seattle
8398 St. Peter	Spokane
10534 Our Lady of Fatima	Spokane
11611 St. Joseph	Otis Orchards
11789 Holy Trinity	Bremerton
12002 Prince of Peace	Belfair
12583 St. Aloysius Gonzaga	Spokane
13597 Leavenworth/Cashmere	Leavenworth
13606 Council of Jesus	Seattle
13761 Assumption of BVM	Seattle
13831 Msgr. John Donnelly	Spokane

One Life, One Rose
Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose Run

Transfer of the Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose at Peace Arch Park on the Washington-BC Border Sunday, July 24, 2011



Blaine, WA, Peace Arch Park... The *"Silver Rose"* honoring Our Lady of Guadalupe, "Patroness of the America's", came into the white gloved hand of Washington State Secretary George H. Czerwonka, Jr. during a prayerful ceremony at the massive Peace Arch astride the United States and Canadian border at Blaine, Washington, on Sunday, July 24th, 2011.

With Immediate Past State Deputy John M. Wallace and State Warden Patrick Kelley observing, and the 4th Degree Honor Guards holding their swords at the ready, a relay team of British Columbia Squires and Squirette's came running into view with the *"Silver Rose"* carefully cradled in the arms of the lead runner. The 4th Degree Honor Guard from the Washington District was led by District Warden and Commander Gene Brown with Faithful Navigator Steven Malpezzi leading the San Juan Assembly Color Corp; and, the British Columbia & Yukon District Color Guard was led by District Master Tony Pimentel.

Master of Ceremonies Kevin Kirkwood introduced British Columbia & Yukon State Deputy Wil Wilmot, who gave an eloquent history of the Running of the Rose, and it's significance in honoring our Patroness with her message of prayer, and our dedication to saving the lives of the unborn, "One Life, One Rose." After receiving the *"Silver Rose"* from State Deputy Wilmot, State Secretary Czerwonka, expressed a profound "Thank You" to State Deputy Wilmot and the British Columbia & Yukon delegation from all the Knights and their families of the United States and the more than 17,000 Brother Knights and families of the Washington State jurisdiction. He spoke further of our long history in unity as common brothers with Our Lady and Patroness dedicated to "Saving Lives and Changing Lives".

The Our Lady of Guadalupe *"Silver Rose"* Program began in 1960 as a project of the Columbian Squires of North America to honor the Blessed Virgin under her title of "Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas". The program has continued since then as a project of Squires Circles, Councils and Fourth Degree Assemblies in several jurisdictions throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico.

In 2001, Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson expanded the program by beginning the "Running of the Rose" from the 119th Annual Meeting of the Supreme Council in Toronto. "The 'Running of the Rose' is a perfect program for the Knights of Columbus," said Supreme Knight Anderson. "Through it we honor not only Our Lady of Guadalupe and express the unity of the Order, but we also reaffirm the Order's dedication to the sanctity of human life. It is to the Blessed Mother that we turn in prayer as we work to end the Culture of Death that grips our society. As we think in terms of 'One Life, One Rose,' it is most appropriate that we turn to Our Lady of Guadalupe who made known her will through Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses."

In recent years, the rose has been run from London, Ontario, Canada through 10 states in the United States and then to Monterrey, Mexico, crossing the International Bridge at Laredo, TX. During the next several weeks, the *"Silver Rose"* will be carried to KofC Council's and parishes throughout the Washington jurisdiction before being passed along to our Brothers in Oregon and southern states before crossing the International Bridge for its final journey to the Basilica of Our Lady in Monterrey, Mexico.

Your prayers to Our Lady and warm wishes for our Squires will insure a safe and prayerful journey again this fraternal year as they bring the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe to our parishes and councils. Vivat Jesus!

WASHINGTON STATE KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS
COATS FOR KIDS ONLY 98 LEFT

Great Winter Coats are available for purchase that can be presented to kids whose families cannot afford to provide them without help.)Please contact : Youth Chairman , Bill Smith (360)876-4303 evenings e-mail: cash01cmh@yahoo.com
 Please make these presentations very public with any/all media coverage that you can scare up. What we do for others is not a secret.

One of the founding principles of the Knights of Columbus, (established in 1882 as a fraternal benefit society) charity has always been an important part of life for Knights. But since joining the global mission of delivering wheelchairs in 2003, Knights are extending their charitable efforts across international borders and changing lives with the gift of mobility.

The Knights of Columbus and The Global Wheelchair Mission have teamed up to help bring wheelchairs to those who lack freedom of mobility. Since 2003, the Knights of Columbus has funded the delivery of tens of thousands of wheelchairs around the world, and right here at home. Thousands of veterans and their families across the United States in need of wheelchairs have received new mobility, and honor the Knights with their thanks and prayers.

Since 2007, Knights across the U.S. have been having “Wheelchair Sunday” parish drives to raise funds for the delivery of wheelchairs. Beginning with Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Pasadena, California where Fr. Gerrard O’Brien coined the phrase “Wheelchair Sunday,” this program has spread to several states and is catching on quickly.

The first 5 parish drives in Southern California raised enough money to sponsor the delivery of 1,000 brand new wheelchairs and added more than 150 new Knights to the local membership.

Knights and their families are getting involved in a hands on life changing mission that allows children, teens and adults around the world to have their prayers answered with the gift of hope, freedom, dignity, independence...a wheelchair! A wheelchair changes the lives of entire families and on average 10 people’s lives are directly impacted in a positive way with the gift of each wheelchair. We have changed millions of lives – but much remains to be done. An estimated 100 million people around the world are in need of a wheelchair. Less than 1 percent own or have access to one.

For every donation of \$150 we send to the Global Wheelchair Mission, it can deliver a brand new wheelchair which would cost over \$500 in a medical supply store. They are shipped by 110 to 280 wheelchair containers directly from the factory to the destination countries at no cost to the recipients. The Global Wheelchair Association purchases wheelchairs in bulk and delivers them by sea containers around the world.

Turn this program over to your COMMUNITY chairman and just imagine what 149 Community Chairman can do! This program is **not** an annual event culminating at the State Convention. As soon as you can make a donation, please do so. Your donations need to be sent to the State Secretary, George Czerwonka. Global Wheelchair Mission is a 501(c) (3) tax-exempt organization. As soon as \$16,500 is raised, we can purchase our first cargo container of 110 wheelchairs. If every council purchased 1 wheelchair to start our program, we would raise \$22,350. That would enable us to purchase our first container and have a balance toward our next container. It has been suggested that our first container come to the State of Washington for our veterans and retired religious.

I want to **challenge** every council to help kick start this program by writing a \$200 check and sending it to our State Secretary. If you accept my challenge, we will raise \$29,800. This will get us our first container of wheelchairs and a balance toward the next. Don’t forget the side effect of this program, increased council membership. When you do the “Wheelchair Sunday” or other fund raisers, please be prepared with form 100’s. For more information, go to

www.amwheelchair.org.

TIME + TALENT = TREASURE

If you have any questions regarding the program, please let me know.

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



COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE	COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE
676	\$196.00	3307	\$49.00	8201	\$21.00	11253	\$7.00	13606	\$28.00
683	\$-	3361	\$42.00	8266	\$28.00	11357	\$21.00	13761	\$14.00
763	\$-	3455	\$14.00	8297	\$7.00	11408	\$-	13794	(\$7.00)
766	\$7.00	3598	\$84.00	8311	\$7.00	11478	\$-	13831	\$-
809	\$49.00	3611	\$-	8398	\$14.00	11611	\$35.00	13834	\$42.00
829	\$70.00	3645	\$-	8437	\$-	11642	\$14.00	14046	\$-
894	\$14.00	4196	\$7.00	8455	\$-	11736	\$42.00	14162	\$21.00
1327	\$-	4322	\$-	8476	\$7.00	11762	\$56.00	14268	\$-
1379	\$77.00	4367	\$35.00	8672	\$14.00	11780	\$7.00	14394	\$-
1401	\$70.00	4385	\$7.00	8768	\$-	11789	\$9.00	14510	\$-
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1488	\$-	5495	\$14.00	9237	\$21.00	12002	\$14.00	14922	\$70.00
1545	\$35.00	5816	\$-	9238	(\$14.00)	12175	\$-	14926	\$63.00
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2126	\$14.00	7908	\$-	10543	\$21.00	13238	\$7.00		
2155	\$21.00	8015	\$7.00	10652	\$-	13364	\$7.00		
2260	\$7.00	8079	\$49.00	10653	\$28.00	13374	\$14.00		
2303	(\$7.00)	8102	\$21.00	10664	\$-	13395	\$21.00		
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3153	\$35.00	8179	\$14.00	11252	\$7.00	13597	\$-		
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