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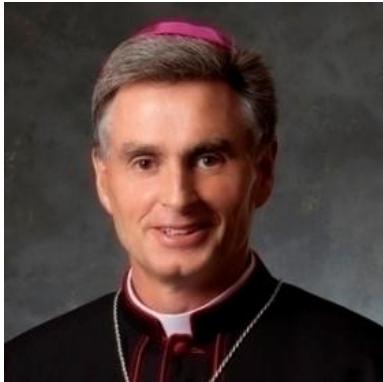
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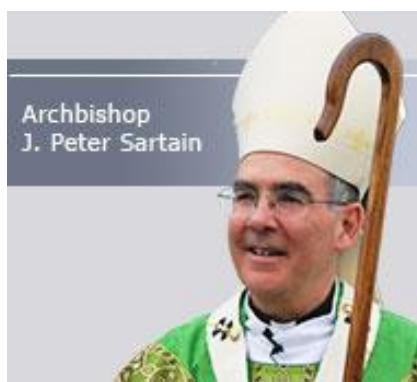
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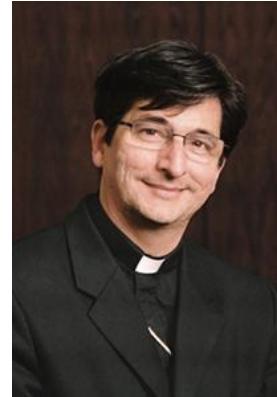
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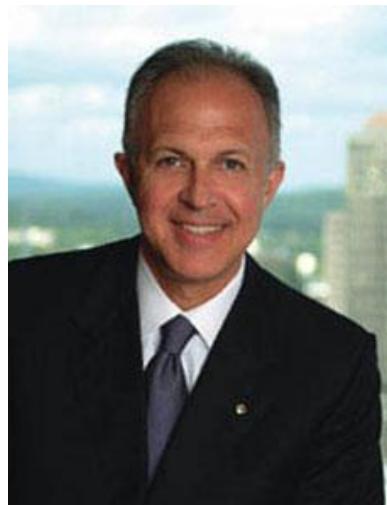


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ROBERT J. BAEMMERT
STATE DEPUTY 2017-2019

Robert Baemmert was born in Wisconsin in 1957. Since then he has been an ardent Green Bay Packers fan and shareholder.

Bob attended the University of Wisconsin for undergraduate study until being accepted to dental school in 1978. He graduated from Marquette University School of Dentistry in 1982. He immediately joined the US Navy Dental Corps out of dental school and he served the country for 10 years on active duty during Desert Shield/Desert Storm. He received a Navy Achievement Medal, National Defense Ribbon, served two tours overseas, and was a member of three meritorious units. He was specialty-trained in prosthodontics (a dental specialty) at the National Naval Dental School at Bethesda, Maryland, and graduated with a 4.0 GPA. He was honorably discharged from the Navy at the rank of Lieutenant Commander, in 1992.

Upon entering the private sector, Bob set up his own practice in the Tri-Cities and served in his own practice for 20 years, and he has served the poor in his community by practicing two days a week at Tri-Cities Community Health, a Migrant Health Clinic. He has done this for 22 years.

Bob also volunteered at the Grace Clinic, a free medical and dental clinic for the 40,000 working poor in his community that do not have medical or dental insurance. As a member of the Dental Advisory Committee, Bob helped develop their Free Dental Clinic.

Bob was also active in the United Way. He has served as Cabinet Chairman for the Professional Division during two of their fund-raising campaigns. He was a “Featured Volunteer” on the Benton-Franklin 2008 United Way’s campaign video. Bob served five years in the Richland Rotary and is a Paul Harris fellow.

Bob joined the Knights of Columbus in 1999. In those eighteen years he has served as Grand Knight, Faithful Navigator, District Deputy, Central Regional District Coordinator, State Family Chairman, State Warden and General Program Director, State Advocate and Membership Director, State Treasurer, State Secretary and is the current State Deputy. He has been awarded his council’s Knight of the Year Award and his Assembly’s Sir Knight of the Year Award twice.

As District Deputy, he earned the Star District Award and he was named the 2005 District Deputy of the Year.

Bob has been married to his wife Valerie for 34 years and they have a son, Al.

FR. KENNETH ST.HILAIRE
STATE CHAPLAIN 2017-2019

Father Kenneth St.Hilaire was born and raised in Pasco, Washington, the youngest of seven children. A graduate of St. Patrick School and Pasco High School, he obtained a BS in Mechanical Engineering Technology from Central Washington University in Ellensburg. In 2002, he entered priestly formation and attended Bishop White Seminary for one year of pre-theology. He then began his theological studies at the Pontifical North American College in Rome, attending the University of St. Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum) for three years and then the Pontifical Institute of Spirituality (Teresianum) for two years to receive his Licentiate in Spiritual Theology.

After being ordained a priest in 2007 and finishing his final year at the PNAC, Father Kenny was assigned as Parochial Vicar at St. Francis Xavier and St. Patrick parishes in Spokane and as the Director of Spiritual Formation at Bishop White. In 2010, he became Pastor at St. Patrick Parish where he served for three years. From 2013 to 2017, he served as Pastor of the parishes in Wilbur, Odessa and Ritzville. In July of 2017, he began his current assignment in the towns of Colville, Kettle Falls and Northport. He serves as Chaplain to the Lay Missionaries of Charity and to the Spokane chapter of EnCourage. He continues to offer spiritual direction at Bishop White and to priests, women religious and laypeople. He has been the State Chaplain for the Washington Knights of Columbus since July of 2016.

In spare moments, Father Kenny enjoys playing the piano, tackling crossword puzzles and word games, and being in the great outdoors.

PATRICK L. KELLEY
STATE SECRETARY 2017-2019
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KIM L. WASHBURN
STATE TREASURER 2017-2019

Kim Washburn was born in Missouri and raised on a farm there. His parents belonged to the First Christian Church, and he recalled that his father was a ceremonialist in the Masonic Order. Kim converted to Catholicism in 1983, much to the chagrin of his family. He attended high school in King City, MO, and then Central Missouri University where he completed a BS in aviation technology.

Kim entered flight school and earned numerous flight certificates and ratings. He flew for 29 years in more than 50 different types of aircraft, doing crop dusting, aerial photography, acrobatics, helicopters, gliders, freight hauling, and instructing. He achieved his dream job, flying 12 with American Airlines out of O'Hare Airport in Chicago. He accumulated more than 17,000 flight hours. However, his flying career ended when it was discovered that he had a benign brain tumor. Surgery was successful but he was put on medical leave.

Kim joined the Knights of Columbus in and Council 753 in Belvidere IL. In 2003. He held three different offices with that council before moving to Hoodspout, WA, in 2008 and shortly after to Olympia, bringing with him the Tootsie Roll Program. He served as Tootsie Roll chairman, 2011-15. He served as Deputy Grand Knight and then Grand Knight for two terms and then as District Deputy of District 31, receiving the Triple Start District Award for that year, 2014-15. He was Membership Director for 2015-17, Program Director for 2013-14, and was elected State Warden in 2013, State Advocate in 2015, and State Treasurer in 2017. He was program director, 2013-14. Kim took his fourth degree with Bishop Muldoon Assembly 190 in 2003.

Kim and his wife Barbara were married in Stanberry, MO, in 1997, and they have two daughters, Jessica and Anna. Kim's hobbies are traveling, cutting and splitting wood, gardening, and rental property management. Currently they live in Leavenworth.

GREGORY S. MAHONEY
STATE ADVOCATE 2017-2019
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THOMAS C. WILLIAMS
STATE WARDEN 2017-2019

Tom Williams was born in Seattle, Washington, in the old Sisters of Providence Hospital. He was raised in what is now Shoreline, Washington, son of Hill and Mary Lou Williams. He has one sister and three brothers. He attended St. Luke Elementary School, O'Dea High School, and graduated from the University of Washington with degrees in journalism and history.

Tom married his wife Dawna in 1996, having met while both worked at King County Medical in Seattle. They have two children – Matthew, a sophomore at Western Washington University, and Brendan, who will start at O'Dea High School in the fall of 2018. Tom has spent most of his career working in the IT field, and currently manages the software development team at the Fred Hutchison Cancer Research Center.

Tom joined the Knights of Columbus in 2009 when St. Luke Council 14689 was formed, and he was elected Charter Deputy Grand Knight at the first meeting in February of that year. He served as Grand Knight, 2009 – 2011, and led the council to achieve the Double Star Award both years.

Tom served as District Deputy from 2012 – 2016 under State Deputies Don McBride, George Czerwonka, Jr. and Eddie L. Parazoo, moving three councils from inactive to active status, and helping to launch a new council. He served as the WSC bulletin editor from 2015 – 2017.

He was elected as State Warden at the 114th Annual Convention in Olympia in 2017, and he also serves as the General Program Direction under State Deputy Bob Baemmert.

Tom is a 4th Degree Knight and is the Charter Faithful Navigator of the George Thomas Corbett Assembly 3757, which was named after his grandfather, a Knight for almost 70 years. Tom is a fifth-generation Knight of Columbus, with roots going back to 1902 in Fond du Lac, WI.

EDDIE L. PARAZOO
IMMEDIATE PAST STATE DEPUTY 2015-2017

Eddie Parazoo was born in his grandmother's home in rural Alaska in 1960, as his father, uncles, and grandfather were out on a hunting trip. Imagine the surprise when the hunting party returned home the next day! He was named after his grandfather.

Eddie grew up mostly in Washington but did spend some time in Oregon and Alaska during his younger years. Eddie was the third of six children in his family.

Eddie graduated high school in Kettle Falls, Washington, and promptly started college classes that fall. He attended Spokane Community College and graduated with an associate in applied science degree in data processing.

Eddie met Dawna Davenport through her brother, who was a college classmate of Eddie's. For Eddie, it was love at first sight. They dated more than a year and then they were married in December 1983. Eddie and Dawna brought seven wonderful children into the world. He converted to Catholicism and was baptized with his eldest daughter in 1984.

Eddie joined the Knights of Columbus in 1989 in Oregon City, Oregon, and became active right away. After a few years, Eddie moved to Salem, Oregon, and was elected to grand knight in Salem in 1994.

Eddie, Dawna and their family moved to the Colville, Washington, area in the fall of 1995. Shortly thereafter he began the process of establishing a council there. In 1998 these efforts came to fruition with the establishment of Colville Council 12273. Eddie served as the charter grand knight, earning Star Council in his first year and narrowly missing a second Star Council the following year.

After his successful two-year term as GK, Eddie went on to serve as district deputy for two years starting in 2000, winning the Star District Award in his second year.

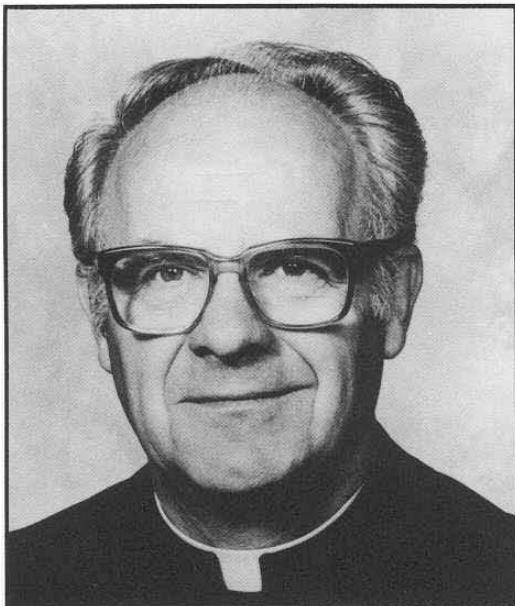
In 2002 Eddie assumed the State Columbian Squires and Youth Chairmanship and ran a very successful program for a number of years. In 2005 he was the driving force in the creation of the Columbian Squires group in Colville, serving as its charter chief counselor.

In 2007 Eddie was elected to serve as State Warden and served the state well in that capacity for two years.

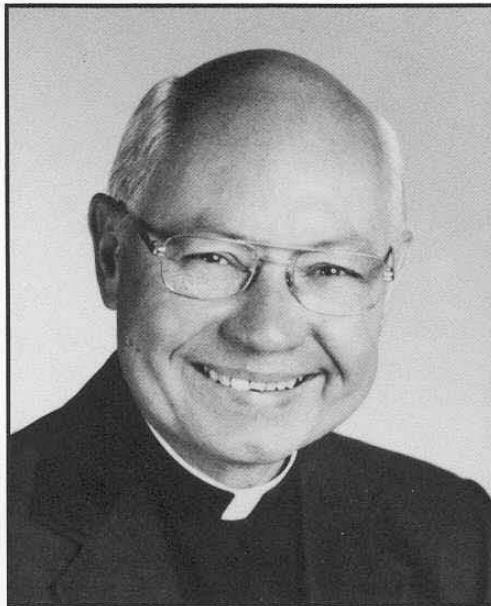
In 2008, Eddie was instrumental in the formation of a new fourth degree assembly, Our Lady of the Unborn Child 3063, and served as the charter Faithful Navigator for that assembly.

In 2009 Eddie was elected State Advocate and served in that role for two years with distinction. In 2011 he was elected State Treasurer and served in that role for two years. In 2013 he was elected State Secretary and served two years in that role, bringing computer, accounting, and tax training to the office.

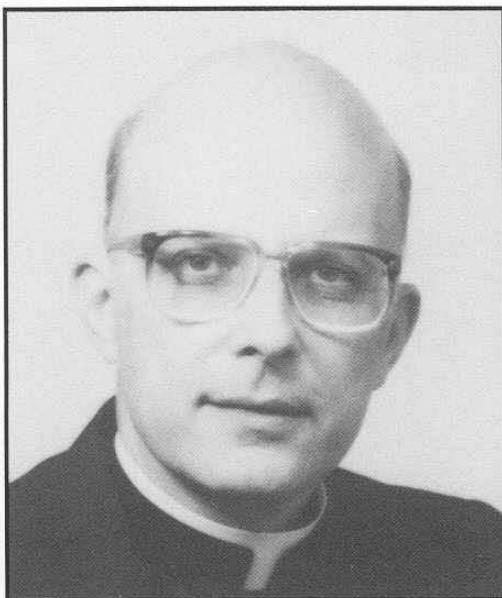
In 2015 Eddie was elected State Deputy of Washington. He brought organization and energy to the office. His professional experience and training is in the information technology arena with a heavy emphasis in accounting. Being well versed in computers and software, Eddie has training and professional experience in tax preparation. He served as State Deputy for two years ending in June 2017. During his years as State Deputy, Eddie's administration saw the retirement of the construction department for the Bishop White Seminary in Spokane. Through his leadership, five ultrasound machines were approved, funded, and placed in care centers around the state during his time as State Deputy.



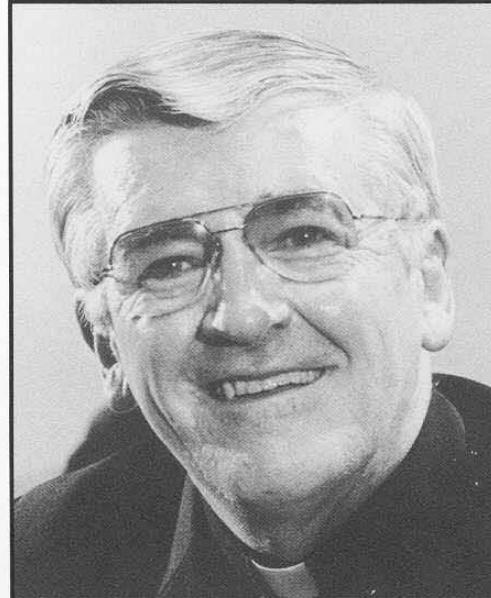
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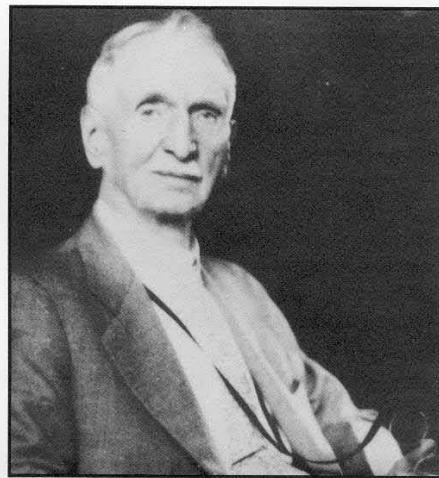


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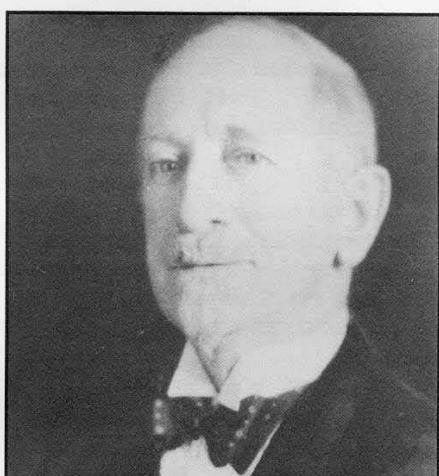
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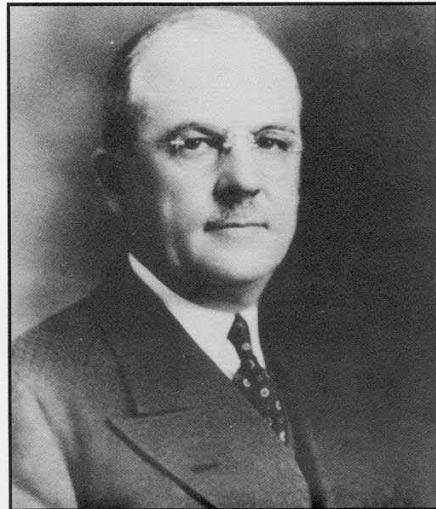


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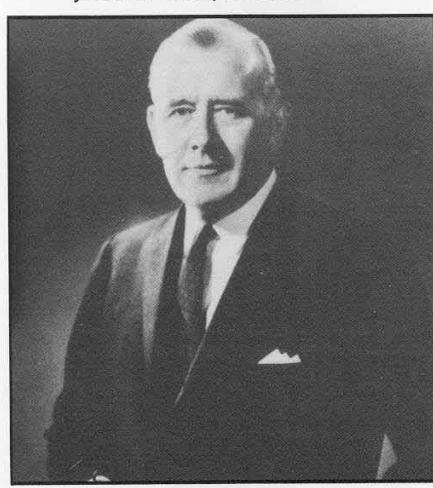
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My Brother Knights,

This history chronicles the events throughout the past eighty-eight years of the Knights of Columbus of Washington State. Its meaning and intent is to pay homage to those pioneers of the Knights of Columbus of this state who planted the seeds of progress, and to recognize the achievements of the contemporaries who carry on the beliefs and customs that were instituted by the early Knights.

The activities of the early councils and their members formed a strong base of experience and inspiration. That our predecessors succeeded is well documented in this history and the flourishing state of the Order in Washington. These activities structured a strong fraternal bond enabling accomplishment of charitable acts and developing devotion to their families, church and one another.

We are now eighty-nine councils strong and can reminisce over the events that have occurred to our councils and our Order. The past accomplishments of each of our local councils and the State council may prove not only a memorial to the great deeds of the past but also a pledge of an equally fruitful Fraternalism in the years to come.

I have the good fortune to express my appreciation to all those who shared in the completion of this book, especially the Editor and Historian, Past State Deputy George Turk. He has dedicated many hours of research and collection of documents that were essential to the creation of this book as well as to its writing. I would also like to thank Immediate Past State Deputy Charles Sohnly, whose past experience in printing, layout and design, for helping in the final stage of production, and all others personally related with the project. All merit sincere recognition and thanks.

Fraternally,

Everett A. Turner

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FATYHER GERALD L. MAYOVSKY
STATE CHAPLAIN

Father Gerald L. Mayovsky was born August 25, 1932 in Seattle. He was educated in Immaculate School, Seattle and in St Edward's and St Thomas Seminaries in Kenmore, Washington. He was ordained in 1959. He was assigned to St Edward's parish in Seattle 1959-66; Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish in Bremerton 1966-70; St Joseph's Parish in Lynden 1970-77 and he has been Pastor of St Madeleine Sophie Parish, Bellevue from 1977 to the present.

He was State Chaplain under State Deputy Bill Witte 1978-79 and was appointed State Chaplain by State Deputy Everett A. Turner for the current term.

EVERETT A. TURNER
STATE DEPUTY

Everett A. Turner was born July 11, 1934 in German-town, Ohio. He graduated with a Business degree from Stivers University in Dayton and served in the Navy 1952-56 but has been active in the Army reserve since 1978. He joined the Order in September, 1961 but took his major degrees in February 1962. He joined the Fourth Degree in April 1967. He was D.D. 1969-71; was elected State Warden 1981-83; State Advocate 1983-85; State Treasurer 1985-87; State Secretary 1987-89 and State Deputy in 1989. He was FN of Fr. Caruana Assembly in Yakima in 1982-83.

He is a real estate salesman with interests in wood-working. He and Donna have 4 sons and 3 daughters who have given them 6 grandchildren.

EDWARD J. MERTENS
STATE SECRETARY

Ed was born January 12, 1930 in Spokane. He joined the Order in 1947 taking his 1st three degrees then. He has belonged to Spokane Councils 683, 4196 and currently, 8201. He was GK of council 4196 in 1960-65 and was D.D.#5 for two years. He was elected State Warden 1983-85; State Advocate 1985-87; State Treasurer 1987-89 and State Secretary in 1989.

Ed and Viola have 4 sons - all Knights - and 4 daughters who have given them 6 grandchildren. Ed owns A & M Quality Heating Co and is active in the Serra Club. His interests are singing in the choir, golf, skiing and in promoting a strong family life.

CHARLES F. McLEAN
STATE TREASURER

Chuck McLean was born June 16, 1934 in Anaconda, Montana and graduated from Anaconda High School. He received his B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Montana State University. He took his 1st degree in May, 1954; his 2nd degree in June; his 3rd degree in July, 1954 and his 4th degree in October, 1976. He became a charter member of Bothell Council 6686 in July 1975 as Recorder; was elected DGK in 1976-77; GK 1977-78; was D.D. #1 in 1979-81; State NCD Chairman 1981-83; State Retention Chairman 1983-85; was elected State Warden 1985-87; State Advocate 1987-89 and State Treasurer 1989-90.

Chuck and Bonnie have 2 sons; 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren. He is in industrial sales with Hydraulic and Instrumentation Supply Co. When not busy with the K of C he is an avid fisherman and hunter.

THOMAS L. WEBER
STATE ADVOCATE

Tom was born October 3, 1947 in Colfax. He graduated from Colton High School; Yakima Valley College with an A.A.Sc degree and Washington State University with a B.S. degree in Electrical Engineering. He works as an Electrical Engineer at W.S.U.

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 D.D.#8 1981-83. He belonged to Fr. Cataldo Assembly from 181-87 being elected FC 1982-83; FN 1983-85; FA 1985-87. He became a Charter Member of Palouse Assembly 2105 in Pullman and has been the F. Purser since then. He has been active in ceremonials in all 4 degrees for a number of years. He was elected State Warden 1987-89 and State Advocate in 1989. When not with his wife Diane he is frequently trapshooting, flyfishing or just plain fishing. He also wrote the 75 year council history of Colton Council.

FRANCIS L. BEAUDRY
STATE WARDEN

Frank was born November 6, 1945 in Yakima and graduated from Grandview High School. He attended Mt St Paul College in Waukesha, Wisconsin. He served in the Air Force from 1965-69 being discharged as a Staff Sergeant. He took his 1st 3 degrees in 1973 in Ahtanum Mission Council 6097 and the 4th degree in 1974 but moved to Lakewood Council 4322 where

he was elected Warden 1975-76 and Recorder 1976-77. Moving to Kennewick, he was elected FP of Rev. Schinner Assembly 1977-78; FN 1978-80; FA 1980-81; FT 1981-84 and 1987-90; DGK council 3307 1980-81; GK 1981-82; Charter GK of Kennewick Council 8179 1982-83; Trustee 1983-86, 87-90.

He was State Council/Church Director 1983-85; State Membership/Retention Director 1985-89 and was elected StateWarden in 1989. He and Janelle have one son. He is a bus driver for Westinghouse Hanford Co. His interests are golf, music, reading and traveling.

**CHARLES A. SOHNLY
IMMEDIATE PAST STATE DEPUTY
STATE DEPUTY 1987-89**

Charles A. Sohnly was born January 31, 1930 in Toledo, Ohio. He attended Catholic elementary school and graduated from Central Catholic High in June 1948.

He served as an apprentice in the printing industry and was elevated to journeyman after his discharge from the Army. He served in the US Army from January 1951 to January 1953 and including 15 months in Korea as a mail clerk.

He married Charlotte in January 1953 at St Alphonsus

Church in Ballard and moved to Toledo, Ohio where he continued working in the printing industry. They moved back to the Pacific Northwest in 1963. They purchased a home in Lynnwood and still reside there.

Chuck joined the Order July, 1966 and became active in the Father Chirouse Council. He was elected DGK in 1972 and GK in 1973. He joined the Fourth Degree in 1976 and became a charter member of the Lynnwood-Bothell Bicentennial Assembly 1707. He served as DD#1 in 1976-78 and was elected State Warden by the State Officers after the death of State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 and served as State Warden until 1981. He was elected State Advocate 1981-83; State Treasurer 1983-85; State Secretary 1985-87; State Deputy 1987-89 and is presently serving as Immediate Past State Deputy.

Charles and Charlotte raised five children - three girls and two boys and have two grandchildren. Chuck worked and retired from the University of Washington Department of Printing after 25 years and a total of 44 years in the printing industry. He couldn't stand retirement and went to work as Membership Director for Mac App Developers Association, a non-profit association of software developers enhancing Apple Computer programs.

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PREFACE

This book is offered to the general public and to the Knights of Columbus in order to publicly recognize the many thousands of dedicated men who, in their lives and their work, have fulfilled the high Christian standards expected of them by the Church, the State and the community.

The publication of the history of the Washington State Council of the Knights of Columbus was authorized by State Deputy Harry J. Tucker Jr in May, 1980. George C. Turk, then State Advocate, was appointed to complete the history. To condense the then 76 years of history of the State Council into one volume would be a monumental task, not only to gather the information, but to avoid over-looking many who had made worthwhile contributions.

In the many articles herein, it is obvious that the strength of the Order has been the zeal of its individual members inspiring others within their councils, in unity with them. This is a chronicle of what our members have accomplished on behalf of the Order. We have attempted to set down the facts as clearly and as succinctly as possible within the restricted talents of the editor. Nothing has been set down with any malice in mind.

The gathering of the events has made us feel most humble, but at the same time, proud of any small contribution that we might have made. The nature of the State Council as an organization of volunteers without any central records depository made collection of information quite difficult. Much information was lost because it was in the possession of a Knight who died and the widow, not knowing its significance and importance, simply discarded it.

We want to acknowledge other sources of information, articles and other documentation. In 1949 the State Council published a booklet "Knights of Columbus, Washington State Council, 1904-1949" compiled by PSD's Stephen A Cain, John B Soule, W George Hoffner and Gerard S. Welch. It was largely a compilation of the Proceedings of the State Council 1904-49 but was definitely of assistance.

We are indebted to Supreme Secretary Charles P. Riesbeck; Supreme Council Membership Director Larry Mitchell; Patrick Brennan and Tim Hickey of the staff of Columbia; Marylou Cummings, Curator of the Supreme Museum and Sue Brosnan, Archivist in the Museum. Without the information and pictures supplied from Supreme Council resources with their cooperation this history would be much leaner.

We are also indebted to Mrs. Georgette Logan, widow of PSD Edward J Logan, for information and documents on the early history of the State Council. Past State Deputy Charles A. Sohnly has been a great help, especially during the final year of preparation. A printer prior to his retirement, his advice and assistance in formatting, composition and production has been invaluable. We would suggest that each local council keep its own history current and know where all of its records are stored. We further suggest that the State Council establish and maintain a permanent repository for all its essential records. Even now there are years for which we have no "Proceedings" of the annual convention.

If the reader has found his knowledge expanded and felt impressed by the quality of the work of the Order of the Knights of Columbus in Washington, we will consider our task a success. We take pleasure in dedicating this book to those Brother Knights who have gone before us. Their diligence and commitment to the Church and to the Community appears self-evident in the contents of this book. May we all do as well.

George C. Turk PSD, Historian (1990)

PERSONAL NOTE FROM THE AUTHOR

I am now completing over ten years of work on this project. Any mistakes or omissions are mine alone. I have tried to be fair and impartial. If I have offended anyone I apologize for it. It was truly unintentional.

I have two major regrets. The first is that there are holes in the fabric of the overall history. I wish that there was indeed a complete history for each council and assembly and that a complete biography and picture were available for each Past State Deputy and Master of the Fourth Degree. Unfortunately many documents are simply lost to us.

The second is more personal - an opportunity lost, not to recur. I wore a hairpiece for nineteen years but decided to put it away after my term as State Deputy ended in 1987. I was sorely tempted to appear before the Summer Meeting in Yakima and tell the whole assembly that they really needed to give their support to new State Deputy Charles A. Sohnly. They had no idea of the pressures involved - they were such as to make you tear your hair out. At the same time I would peel off the hairpiece in front of God and everybody.

I decided that the dignity of the office was such that I should not do it. I have been kicking myself ever since for not having done it.

George C. Turk PSD, Historian (1990)

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Chapter I



ORIGINS OF THE ORDER

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THE ORIGIN OF THE ORDER

The story of the origin of the Order is known in a general way by all Knights of Columbus. The principal facts concerning the founding of the Order are contained in many pamphlets, books and other accounts.

Members have heard parts of the story at their initiation and occasionally at banquets. Considering the vagaries of human memory, especially the flurry of events, facts and impressions at one's 3rd Degree, it might be well to review again the early days of the Order. This would be for the benefit of those entering the Order in increasing numbers; for the benefit of those whose memory might be hazy and for the information of those outside the Order who might be interested.

Father Michael J. McGivney is revered as the founder of the Knights of Columbus. As a young priest attached as a curate to St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Connecticut he displayed outstanding abilities. His pastor saw in him great promise as a man who would do great things for his Church. He was also respected by the parishioners. No one thought, at the time, that his influence would extend far outside his own parish or diocese. They could not foresee that his name and influence would become known in every parish and diocese in this country and several foreign countries as well.

It is clear that Father McGivney was deeply concerned about the conditions of the Irish immigrants who formed a large part of his parish. They had come to the New England states to find the opportunities not available to them in Ireland. Most were uneducated and could take only menial jobs. Those who were long established in the area, some with roots back to the Pilgrims and reared in the traditions of Puritanism, looked upon the Irish as a lower class people, without culture or background and capable of doing only rough manual labor. This resulted in discrimination against the Irish and Father McGivney was determined to do something about it. He sought to institute an organization on behalf of the Irish. This accounts for the fact that, in the beginning, almost all of the Knights of Columbus were of Irish descent.

Father McGivney often spoke to his people informally, talking with them about their economic and social problems and trying to improve these conditions. As a result of all of this, it is recorded that on the evening of January 16, 1882 a number of the principal parishioners met at St. Mary's to organize some means by which the religious, social and economic welfare of the parishioners could be improved. Among those attending were James T. McMullen, Daniel Colwell, John Tracy, Michael Tracy, William M. Geary, Cornelius T. Driscoll, John T. Kerrigan, James T. Mahon and William H. Sellwood. These men of faith and action became closely identified with the work of Father McGivney and some of them figure prominently in the early history of the Order. Indeed, James T. McMullen was the first Supreme Knight.

At this meeting various past and existing organizations that might be suitable for their purposes were investigated. It was decided to propose that the Irish form a Sodality of St. Mary's parish. Father McGivney presented his plan to Bishop Lawrence T. McMahon, also Irish, who rejected it completely. Father McGivney was not to be deterred so additional meetings were held. During these meetings it was recalled that there had been a Catholic society, the Sarsfield Guards - a part of the Connecticut National Guard consisting entirely of Catholic men. Bigots in the state prevailed upon the governor to disband the organization. Other groups were investigated and found to be unsatisfactory. The most promising of these was the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. Father McGivney made a trip to Boston to investigate the feasibility of instituting a branch of this successful Order in New Haven. He had to report back that, while the Order was eager to help, the Catholic Order of Foresters did not want a branch outside of their own state.



Father McGivney's committee then decided to form an entirely new organization since none of the existing ones seemed suitable for their needs. A new Committee to form this organization was appointed. It consisted of Father McGivney, James T. McMullen, John T. Kerrigan and J. T. McMahon. They met a number of times to decide upon the preliminaries. They decided upon the name of the Connecticut Order of Foresters, even after the program of the Foresters and a branch of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters had been rejected. Soon this name was found to be unsuitable and confusing. Another name was needed.

Father McGivney suggested that they be called the "Sons of Columbus." James T. McMullen suggested that the word "Knights" be substituted for "Sons". There was unanimous agreement and from that time to the present the organization became known as the "Knights of Columbus."

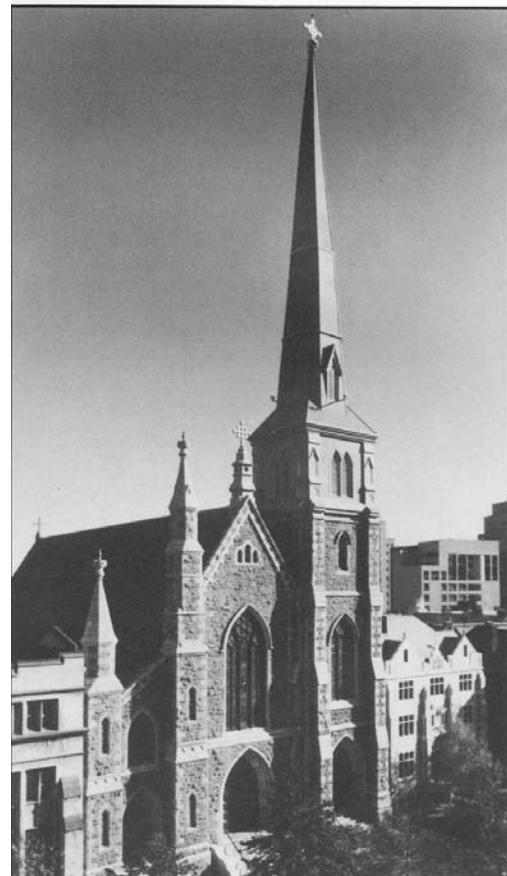
One of the primary aims of the new organization was to formulate a plan of insurance which might meet the needs and the economic status of the parishioners. A special committee was formed for this purpose and the "per capita" method of insurance was adopted. This meant that, at the death of a member, a per capita tax was levied on all surviving members. This sum was then given to the heirs or beneficiaries. From the very beginning, a strict medical examination was required of every applicant for membership in the Order to protect the rights and privileges of the entire membership.

After many conferences, it was decided to incorporate the new organization. Mr. Daniel Colwell - later to be National Secretary - was selected to prepare the petition for charter to the General Assembly of Connecticut. The Honorable C. T. Driscoll, one of the petitioners and representing New Haven in the General Assembly, joined by the Honorable H. P. Hotchkiss in the House of Representatives and the Honorable A. E. Robertson - representing New Haven in the State Senate - presented the petition. This legal action was acted upon promptly and on March 29, 1882 the Knights of Columbus were legally and formally chartered in the State of Connecticut. The original incorporators were: Michael J. McGivney, Matthew C. O'Connor, William M. Geary, Cornelius T. Driscoll, James T. Mullen, John T. Kerrigan, Daniel Colwell and William M Geary.

It is clear that Father McGivney and his small original band of men had great vision and were truly leaders. This organization was originally intended to be only a parish organization but was now legally a State-wide organization. Father McGivney had been giving publicity to this organization even before it had any members. He had published a circular in which he set forth its aims and purposes and, prophetically, said that the organization of the Knights of Columbus was one of the outstanding events in the history of the Catholic Church in America.

The Order passed from the planning stage when, on April 3, 1882, eleven membership applications were reviewed and accepted. They did have a provisional ceremonial written in three sections or degrees. These formed the basis of the first three degrees of the Order as we know them today. The first formal meeting of the Knights of Columbus was held on April 6, 1882 in Smith's Hall on Chapel Street in New Haven. The first election of officers was held and the first officers elected were:

President	James T. Mullen
Vice-President	John T. Kerrigan



St. Mary's Church, New Haven

Corresponding Secretary	Rev Michael J. McGivney
Financial Secretary	James T. McMahon
Treasurer	Michael Curran
Advocate	C. T. Driscoll
Medical Examiner	Dr. M. C. O'Connor
Lecturer	Daniel Colwell
Warden	John F. Moore
Chaplain	Rev. P. P. Lawlor

From the very beginning, the offices and the duties of the offices were so well defined that few changes had to be made. Examination of an 1888 copy of the printed Constitution and Laws of the Order are remarkably close to those of today - the 1888 edition is thinner, the 1989 edition has basically filled in on the skeleton.

Within a few months after the first meeting the Supreme Council was established with its basic framework as we know it today. The elective officers formed a Supreme Committee, now known as the Supreme Board of Directors, in which the executive authority of the Order was vested. It was given the sole authority to grant charters and authorize new councils. The first individual council was, naturally enough, San Salvador Council No. 1 in New Haven. This original council has preserved this honored name throughout the years.

An essential; part of all fraternal organizations of that day was a formal ritual as part of an initiation. Indeed, it is usually a legal requirement for such societies. Father McGivney and his officers therefore undertook to formalize the Order's ritual. This was completed on July 7, 1883 and presented to Bishop McMahon for his approval.

After close examination, Bishop McMahon said: "I have followed the wording and explanation of this ritual closely. I cannot detect anything amiss or improper. You need no further ruling than this. I am of the opinion that it will be a valuable medium for carrying sound moral principles to your members; that it will be the means of attracting many to your organization. I do not see why you should not go on without let or hindrance from anyone."

With the blessing of the Church, through the Ordinary of the diocese, the Knights of Columbus began to spread from one parish to another throughout the State of Connecticut. In fact, Bishop McMahon became a charter member of Green Cross Council when it was formed in Hartford the next year.

Within a short time, there were 48 councils within the state. The interstate growth of the Order was certainly intended as witnessed by the organizational structure set up from the beginning. That this interstate growth began at the precise time that it did was accidental. It had been arranged to institute a new council in Stonington, Connecticut. This city is on the Rhode Island border of Connecticut opposite the city of Westerly, Rhode Island. The arrangements had to be changed when the hall where the initiation was to be held burned to the ground. The ceremonies were then transferred to a hall in Westerly, Rhode Island. It was then that the Catholic men of Westerly asked for a council of their own and this was authorized. In short order there were seventeen councils in Rhode Island. This must have been gratifying to Father McGivney. It is good that he saw this early progress for his days were numbered. He suffered the progressive effects of tuberculosis which was, then, almost incurable. He became weaker and weaker and died on August 14, 1890 - only two days after his thirty-eighth birthday. Since then, the



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Order has grown continuously. It has certainly encountered difficulties and has had to fight for its principles on occasion. The Order is a living monument and lasting tribute to the efforts of one man - an assistant pastor in a parish. By his early death, Father McGivney was spared the arguments of those who made much of the fact that the Knights of Columbus was a secret society, maintaining that, as a Catholic society, nothing should be hidden. Later, in our own state of Washington, there was the episode of the 'Bogus Oath'. These, and others, he was spared by his early death.

To refute spurious charges and to show the world that the Knights of Columbus was truly a Catholic group in Faith, practice and principle, the Order placed the plan of organization; the Constitution and Laws of the Order and the ritual before the Apostolic Delegate to the United States, Archbishop Satolli. Archbishop Satolli, representing the Holy See in the United States, officially and publicly approved the Order of the Knights of Columbus. Throughout the United States Archbishops, Bishops, priests and the people generally, had now obtained a better understanding of the Order. In effect, we had been given a national patent for expansion. The blessing of the Apostolic Delegate, being expressed in writing, was a very valuable credential which could be used wherever a new council was being instituted.

By 1892 the Order had spread to more than sixty towns and cities in Connecticut and Rhode Island. There were more than six thousand members and the Knights of Columbus was an accepted part of American Catholic life. The growth had been slow in a conscious effort to have a solid base on which to grow. A careful program of information was used to present the meaning, Laws and Constitution of the Order and the manner in which a new council could and should be constituted. Not the least of the benefits from this program was insuring that the clergy did understand our principles, objectives and methods of operation. Once a pastor understood that we were truly a Catholic organization and were ever ready to support our Church - not to compete with it - the pastor often became an enthusiastic supporter of Knights of Columbus.

In 1893, Rhode Island became a state jurisdiction. The constitutional requirement was that there be three separate subordinate councils with an aggregate membership of 400 - which is still the requirement today.

THE ADDITION OF ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

By 1893 there was a definite trend among the membership toward increased religious and social activity from second Supreme Knight John. J. Phelan onward. The insurance and then operating sick benefit feature were but parts of the Order's final purposes. As evidence of good faith in the matter of cultural work, Supreme Knight Phelan proposed at the eleventh meeting of the Board of Government in June 1892, the admission of Associate - or non-insurance members. At that time it was intended that associate members should be persons who could not, for one reason or another, qualify for insurance membership. The requirements for associate membership were gradually liberalized. The Board readily approved this change.

In New Haven on October 12, 1892 - the 400th anniversary of Columbus' Discovery of America - there was a massive parade and demonstration by the Knights of Columbus. More than 4,000 Knights - more than two-thirds of the total membership at the time - participated. Mass was celebrated with corporate communion and the Bishop of Hartford participated. A speech was given by the Reverend W. J. Maher, D.D., Chancellor of the Diocese of Hartford. Its theme was the Knights of Columbus and their works. This event received great attention from individuals and the press.

In 1891-1892 the Order had entered the states of New York and Massachusetts. By 1895, Thomas H. Cummings - who had joined the Order as a charter member of the Bunker Hill Council in 1892 - had been elected as National Organizer. He visited New York city, which did not yet have a council. He organized the first New York City council, Number 124. The charter membership of this council included Supreme Court Justices Victor J. Dowling and John J. Delany as well as other prominent names. In 1894 he organized Maine and New Hampshire. In 1895 the Order spread to New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland.

In 1896 the Board of Government was changed to the National Council. The Board of Government had two representatives from each local council and was becoming unwieldy - both from

the standpoint of the number of members and from the logistics of travel from an ever-widening area encompassed by the Order. The Board of Directors changed in that the State Deputies were no longer members. The Directors were to be chosen so as to form a compact group of management talent without reference to geographic distribution. Also in 1896, John J. Phelan was succeeded as Supreme Knight by Mr. James E. Hayes. Mr. Hayes had great managerial skill and the Order had a large increase in membership during the short time before his death in 1897. Deputy Supreme Knight John J. Cone of Jersey City succeeded him.

National Organizer Cummings was sent to Chicago and on July 10, 1896 Chicago Council 182 was instituted. From this base, the Order spread into surrounding territory. He was succeeded as National Organizer by Mr. James J. Gorman of Fall River, Mass. Mr. Gorman did much work in the Middle West. He brought the Order into Missouri in 1899 making it the twenty-first state jurisdiction to be established. By 1900 the Order had reached into every section of the country except the Far West and the Deep South. In 1899 Edward L. Hearn or Framingham, Mass. was elected as Supreme Knight succeeding John J. Cone. He was the Supreme Knight for ten years.

In 1901 the Board voted to expand to California and National Organizer James J. Gorman was sent there. He followed a pattern which was to be repeated in other states - most notably, our own state of Washington.

He first visited the two largest cities of the state - San Francisco and Los Angeles - to meet with local Catholic leaders both clergy and laymen. He explained the aims, the Constitution and Laws, the structure and methods of the Knights of Columbus. It was an open question for some time as to whether San Francisco or Los Angeles would receive the first council. San Francisco was selected and, on January 19, 1902, San Francisco Council 615 was instituted. It was followed one week later by Los Angeles Council 621.

Mr. Gorman was obviously kept busy that year of 1902. He did much traveling the length of California to insure the growth of the two councils in San Francisco and Los Angeles and to insure that the third council needed for a State Council would be realized. In that same year he traveled to Portland, Oregon and to Seattle and Spokane in our own state.

The first council in the state of Washington was Seattle Council 676 instituted on June 22, 1902 and it was followed just one week later by Spokane Council 683 on June 29, 1902.

The growth of these West Coast councils was steady and satisfactory - although not as rapid as councils in the east. This is undoubtedly due both to the smaller population in general and the smaller percentage of Catholics in the population. Added to this consideration is a much greater dispersion of that smaller population over the vast areas of the Far West.

It took fourteen months after the institution of San Francisco Council 615 to bring in Oxnard Council 750 in order to have a sufficient of councils and total membership to qualify as a State Council. In Washington State, it took until May 3, 1904 - almost two years after Seattle Council 676 was instituted. In Oregon, it took almost two years to bring in Council 849 in Baker, Oregon. The pattern in the West was basically the same as in the East. It was to begin in the larger cities and then, as other communities observed the Knights of Columbus in these cities, additional councils would be formed, spreading outward.

THE FORMING OF THE WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL

In Washington State, the growth is illustrated by the institution of local councils:

COUNCIL	LOCATION	DATE OF INSTITUTION
676	Seattle	June 22, 1902
683	Spokane	June 29, 1902
766	Walla Walla	May 13, 1903
763	Everett	October 28, 1903
809	Tacoma	September 6, 1903
829	Bellingham	December 27, 1903
894	Yakima	May 15, 1904

Clearly, the Order was growing in our State. There are almost no written records of the interval from 1902 until 1904, when the State Council was organized. One of the records that is available is the Cash Book of Seattle Council 676. From this, it is seen that the expenses incurred in its institution came to \$498.94. These included the obvious expenses such as hall rental, printing and the like. They also included expenses for street car, steamer on Lake Washington and lunch at Madrona Park \$47.45; Cigars \$46.50 and an excursion on Puget Sound \$139.50. Cigars were obviously more commonly smoked than now.

The penmanship of W. B. Jenkins, the first Financial Secretary of Seattle Council 676 is beautiful. It could have been used as a sample of the Palmer Method of handwriting. His successor in 1904, J. W. Hughes, also had excellent penmanship. By February, 1904 Seattle Council paid an assessment on 39 members.

The initial work to obtain commitments for the institution of six councils took Gorman only six months. It took another year and a half to bring these commitments to realization. A man who helped him in many ways to establish, first Seattle Council 676 in 1902 and then again, in 1907, to help organize Prefontaine Council 1267, was Brother Thomas J. Ivers. Ivers was, in 1902, a member of Salt Lake Council. He later transferred to Seattle Council 676 and was elected its Grand Knight in 1929.

The institution of Seattle 676, Portland 678, Spokane 683 and the Butte, Montana councils was a very special occasion. A special Degree Corps including John J. Reddin, the Supreme Master of the Fourth Degree, traveled to each of these cities to exemplify the major degrees. Portland Council 678 was instituted on June 15, 1902, one week before Seattle 676 was officially chartered on June 22, 1902 with 57 members and Spokane 683 on June 29, 1902 with 29. There were 40 charter members for Michael Flohr Council 766 of Walla Walla. This was the third council instituted although the fourth council, Everett 763, had a lower number. Everett 763 had 38 charter members.

For most of the two years between the institutions of the original councils and the Washington State Council, Brother Gorman was seeing to the growth of these councils as well as following up on the institution of Tacoma 809 and Bellingham 829. He must also have been working on the institution of Yakima Council 894 for it was instituted only twelve days after the institution of the State Council.

Minutes of the First Annual Meeting of the Washington State Council of the Knights of Columbus held in Seattle, Washington on May 3, 1904 with National Organizer James J. Gorman in the Chair. The following delegates were present:

Phil McArdle – Spokane J. T. O'Brien - Spokane

W. H. Dunphy - Walla Walla

J. P. Kent - Walla Walla

E. J. Walsh - Tacoma

E. J. Manion - Tacoma

J. H. Lyons - Seattle

J. C. Ford - Seattle

J. J. Noethe - Bellingham

Robert Kline - Bellingham

James B. Fagan – Everett

Thomas Smith - Everett

After the opening prayer, led by James J. Gorman, E. J. Manion was appointed temporary secretary. Brother Gorman made a short address, stating that the object of this convention was for the purpose of organizing a Stated Council, to elect State Officers for the ensuing year and to transact any business that might be brought before the Council.

COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS: Brother Gorman appointed on this committee the following members: McArdle, Dunphy, Walsh, Lyons, Noethe and Fagan. This committee took up the credentials from the above named delegates representing the councils at Spokane, Walla Walla, Tacoma, Seattle, Bellingham and Everett and found them in order. A motion was made and carried that the report of this committee be accepted.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS: Brother Gorman stated that we had the following state officers to elect: State Deputy, State Secretary, State Treasurer, State Advocate, State Warden and a State Chaplain and granted the delegates a recess of five minutes in order that they might prepare a slate.

Upon the convention being called to order, Brother Gorman said he was ready to receive the nominations, the first of which was that of State Deputy.

Brother O'Brien, of Spokane, made a short address setting forth the name of Brother Gorman for this position, and made a motion that the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot in his favor. This motion was promptly seconded by Brothers Ford, Dunphy, Walsh, Noethe and Smith and was unanimously carried.

STATE SECRETARY: Brother Walsh, of Tacoma, put forth the name of Brother E. J. Manion, of Tacoma, for this position and, upon a motion seconded by Brother Kent, of Walla Walla, it was regularly moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot in his favor - carried.

STATE TREASURER: Brother McArdle nominated Brother J. J. King, of Spokane, for this position, same being seconded by Brother Lyons, of Seattle, and upon motion it was regularly moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot in his favor - carried.

STATE ADVOCATE: Brother Kline, of Bellingham, nominated Brother J. J. Noethe, of Bellingham, for this position, same being seconded by Brother Ford, of Seattle, and upon motion it was regularly moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot in his favor - carried.

STATE WARDEN: Brother Dunphy of Walla Walla nominated Brother Thomas J. Ennis, of Walla Walla, for this position, same being seconded by Brother McArdle, of Spokane, and upon motion it was regularly moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot in his favor - carried.

STATE CHAPLAIN: The nomination for this position was left on the table until after the meeting, when it was arranged that Father Saindan of Everett be selected to fill this position.

State Deputy Gorman here read some telegrams of congratulations and greetings which he had received from the Indiana State Council, Iowa State Council, Supreme Knight Hearne and the editor of the Columbiad.

State Deputy Gorman thanked the brothers for the high honor which they had bestowed upon him in selecting him to fill the position of State Deputy and, in a short address, he touched upon the following matters of interest:

LECTURE BUREAU: Said that he would like to have the Grand Knights of the various councils in the State send the names to the State Secretary of such members in their respective C, who were, in their estimation capable of giving lectures, the subjects they could lecture on, etc. With this information at hand, he would instruct the State Secretary to compile a list giving the names of the members who were capable of delivering lectures, the subjects they could lecture on, etc. This list would then be sent to the Grand Knights of the Councils in the State, who in turn could hand the same to their Lecturers, and when it was desired to have a lecture delivered in their Councils, it would enable them to consult this list and call upon the members whose names appeared for a lecture; matter of defraying the expenses of the visiting brother to be left to the council desiring the lecture.

Insurance Membership: Said it would be a good idea to increase the insurance membership of their councils, that when receiving applications it was an easier matter to have the applicant take out insurance than to try and get him to take out insurance after his initiation.

Assistance Committee: Thought that it would be a good plan for the Grand Knights to inaugurate some plan or scheme for the rendering of assistance to brothers out of employment, etc.

State Headquarters: Stated that some action should be taken for the selection of a room to be used by the State Officers for meetings, keeping their records, and where visiting brothers would be able to secure assistance.

Permanent Halls for Councils: Made a few remarks that he would like to have each Council secure a permanent hall for holding their meetings.

Funds: Called attention of Grand Knights to the fact that their Financial Secretaries should be instructed to keep the records of the monies in the Death Benefit Fund and General Fund separately, and then paying out (death) assessments from the account of the Death Benefit Fund (and) not to draw (these) monies from the General Fund.

Report of Committees: Brother Gorman under this head reported that he had a bill for rent of hall, \$5.00 for holding convention, and also one for \$3.00 for stenographic work done in connection with the forming of the State Council.

New Business: Brother Ford made a motion, seconded by Walsh, that the State Deputy be instructed to make suitable acknowledgements to the telegrams he had received. Carried.

Brother Dunphy made a motion that the State Deputy be instructed to secure suitable desk room in some office for the State Organization. This motion was amended by Brother Lyons that he also secure the necessary paraphernalia in the way of desk, stationery, etc., for carrying on the work of the office. Upon the motion being put before the Council, it was unanimously carried that the State Deputy be instructed to secure suitable desk room in some office, and that he also secure a suitable desk, stationery, etc for carrying on the work of the State Council. Carried.

Brother Walsh made a motion that a committee of three be appointed, to consist of the State Deputy, State Secretary and State Advocate, and that they make a report at the next meeting.

Brother Gorman stated that he would be unable to attend to this matter and that the State Treasurer be appointed in his stead. Brother McArdle stated that owing to the Treasurer being located in Spokane, he was too far away to attend. Brother Smith of Everett was therefore appointed in his stead., A motion was therefore made and carried that a Committee on By-Laws to consist of the State Secretary, State Advocate and Brother Smith of Everett be instructed to draft suitable by-laws and make a report at the next meeting.

Brother Lyons made a motion which was seconded by Brother O'Brien that a committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions levying a per capita tax against members to defray expenses of the State Council. Brother Smith amended the motion which was seconded by Brother Noethe that this committee consist of six members, one member to be selected from each council. Upon the motion being put before the Council, it was unanimously moved that the State Deputy be instructed to appoint six members on this committee, one member to be selected from each Council. Carried. Brother Gorman appointed on this committee McArdle, Walsh, Lyons, Dunphy, Fagan and Noethe and granted the members a recess of five minutes in order that they might make a report. Upon the Council being called to order, Brother Dunphy as Chairman of this committee reported that there were at present 417 members in the State and recommended that a per capita tax of \$1.00 be levied on June 20th, 1904, said assessment to be paid to the State Treasurer on July 1st, 1904. He reported that the cost of transportation of the delegates attending this convention to amount to \$113.40, which sum was made up as follows: Spokane \$50.00, Walla Walla \$50.00, Bellingham \$7.80, Tacoma \$3.00, Everett \$2.60. Upon motion by Brother Dunphy it was regularly moved and seconded that a per capita tax of \$1.00 be levied ion June 20th, 1904 against all of the members whose names appear on the rosters of the various councils in the State, said tax to be paid to the State Treasurer July 1st, 1904. Carried.

City for Holding Next Convention: Brother Kent made a motion that the next convention be held east of the mountains and set forth the nomination of the City of Spokane, to which Brother Ford seconded same. Brother Walsh put forth the City of Tacoma as the city for holding the next convention, his contention being that as most of the councils were located west of the mountains it would be a less expense on the councils in the way of transportation, etc. Brother Smith suggested that the Secretary call the roll of delegates for the purpose of voting on the city for holding the next convention to be held in May, 1905. Brother Dunphy raised some objection to this procedure but the chair ruled that the delegates were at liberty to vote on any city wherein a council was located. Brother Lyons suggested that the delegates vote blanks on the nominations of Tacoma and Spokane, and upon roll call the balloting resulted in a blank vote. Brother Lyons then made a motion that we proceed to the nomination of cities for holding of the next convention. Brother Noethe set forth the City of Bellingham, Brother Walsh set forth the City of Tacoma, Brother O'Brien set forth the City of Spokane, same being seconded by Brother Ford. Brother Kline seconded Walsh's nomination for the City of Tacoma, Kent seconded motion on Brother O'Brien's for nomination of Spokane, Brother Noethe withdrew nomination of Bellingham and seconded motion of Brother Walsh that the City of Tacoma be selected for place of next convention. Brother Gorman declared the nominations closed and asked that the Secretary call the roll of delegates for the purpose of balloting on the cities nominated. Upon roll call, Dunphy, Kent, McArdle, O'Brien, Ford, Lyons and Gorman cast their votes for Spokane, and Noethe, Kline, Fagan, Smith, Walsh and Manion cast their voters for Tacoma, thirteen votes in all being cast, seven for Spokane and six for Tacoma. Upon notion by Brother Kline, seconded by Walsh, it was regularly moved that the selection of Spokane for holding the next convention be declared unanimous. Carried.

Brother Ford made a motion, seconded by McArdle, that the Grand Knight of each council be requested to send to the Secretary the names of members in his Council who in his judgement were competent to deliver lectures before the Councils in the State. Carried.

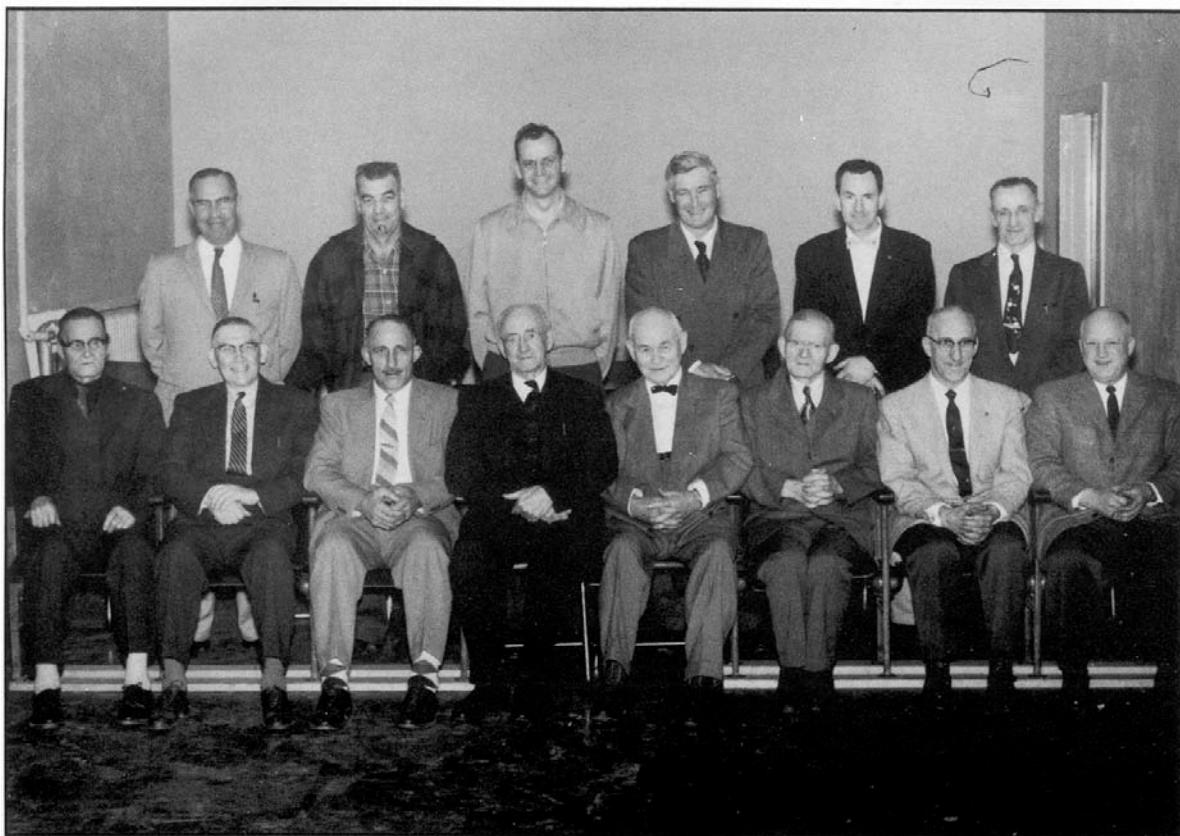
Brother Kent made a motion which was seconded and carried that a vote of thanks be extended to Seattle Council for the courtesy extended by them to the visiting delegates to this convention.

Alternate to the National Convention: Brother Kent nominated Brother Ford for this position, same being seconded by Brothers O'Brien and Walsh, and upon motion it was regularly moved that Brother Ford be selected as an alternate to the National Convention.

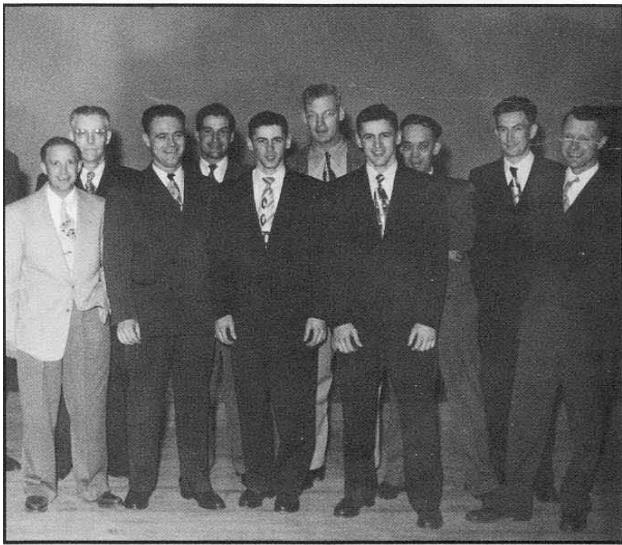
Brother Gorman read a telegram received from the Indiana State Council asking our endorsement to the nomination of John G. Ewing for the Chair in History in the Catholic University in Washington. Brother Ford made a motion which was regularly moved and seconded that the endorsement of this council be given Brother Ewing for the Chair in History in the Catholic University. Carried.

There being no further business to transact, Brother Lyons moved that we adjourn, same being seconded by Brother Ford. Upon motion being put, it was regularly moved that we adjourn after prayer by Father Hylebos.

E. J. Manion, State Secretary



Back row (l to r) Forrest Whittaker, John Phillips, Urban Wolken, Max Koehler, Tom Walsh, Ralph Steiner. Front row (l to r) George Abbott, Tom Cairns, Frank Imhoff, John Padden, J. D. McDonald, Maurice McElliott, Joe Imhoff, Gilbert Marr



Tacoma after 1960 - Back row 4 unidentified, Fran Honveles Front Row
Clyde Boyle, Owen Gallagher, Johnny O'Brien, Eddie O'Brien, Ingwer
Hanson



State Officers 1961 - Ed Logan SD, Clarence George SS, Fred Abraham ST,
Richard Meyer SA, Joseph Klingele SW



(l to r) Bishop Gill, Lyman Fellows, George McCusker, Clarence George



Council 1620 Pasco celebrating Rev. Wm. Schmitz as chaplain for 25 years.
D. L. Gonzales PGK presenting a gift.



*1973 Supreme Regional in San Francisco
(l to r) Virgil C. Dechant, Vern Raschko, Tony Weza, Hal Westby, Fred Pelletier*



*Supreme Convention - Seattle 1973
Tony Weza SD, Harry Tucker SW leading the procession into Mass*



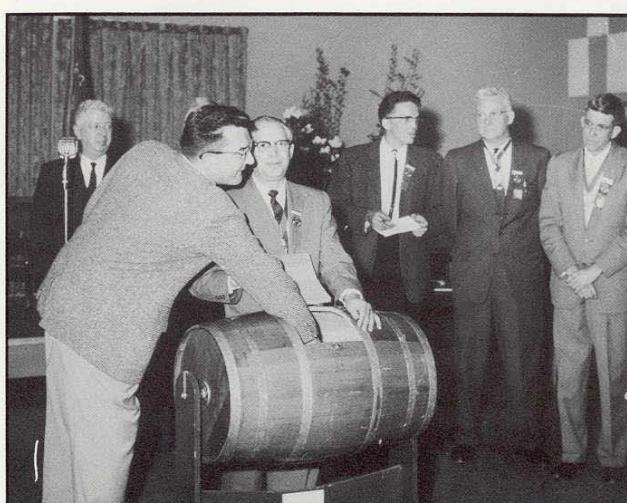
*Supreme Convention - Seattle 1973
SK McDevitt receiving a gift from Hal Westby SW and Tony Weza SD*



*State Officers 1981
Back row (l to r) E. Turner SW, C. Sohnly SA, H. Tucker IPSD, G. Turk ST
Front row (l to r) H. Maffei SS, J. Klein SD, Fr. John Graisey State Chaplain*



*(l to r) John Soule, Bee Welch, Clyde Boyle, Harold Trisch, Justin Maloney,
unknown, Paul Redy, unknown, Walt Kolcz - Longview 1961*



FIRST WORLD WAR

It has been often said that Catholics, and Knights of Columbus, during both World Wars responded in double their numerical proportions in the general population.

After World War I the Order listed in its Knights of Columbus Honor Roll those that it knew had served their country during World War I. This Honor Roll can be found in "Knights of Columbus in Peace and War" Volume II by Egan and Kennedy, published by the Knights of Columbus, copyright 1920.

The membership of the State Council was 3565 in 1915; 3958 as of March 31, 1917 and 4184 on April 1, 1918. On the Honor Roll we find the names of 1071 Knights from this state. On the basis of the 1918 membership of 4184 this represents 25.6 percent of all Knights in the state at that time. This is a phenomenal percentage and proves that the Knights responded in more than "double their numerical proportion".

Comparing the names on the Honor Roll from those on the lists of Charter Members of local councils and those still appearing on our rosters one is struck by the continuity over such an extended period.

Of the councils existing then Seattle council 676 had 189 who served; Spokane council 683 had 127; Everett council 763 had 51; Walla Walla council 766 had 59; Tacoma council 809 had 239; Bellingham council 829 had 44; North Yakima council 894 had 32; Columbia council 1327, Vancouver had 10; Bremerton council 1379 had 103; Father Parodi council 1401, Ellensburg had 16; Aberdeen council 1449 had 19; Colfax council 1488 had 14; Wenatchee council 1545 had 11; Chehalis council 1550 had 8; Colton council 1565 had 38; Willapa Harbor Council 1606, Raymond had 9; Pasco council 1620 had 8; Olympia council 1643 had 45; Hoquiam council 1674 had 18; Toppenish council 1699 had 11; Centralia council 1758 had 8 and Uniontown council 1823 had 12 who served.

Ten last names from the charter of council 676 match those on the honor roll; seven from council 809 (of 40); in Colton council there were 13 names represented. The Colton council is a good example of familiar names over a long period. The Honor Roll included 6 of 43 charter members of the council and a Becker, 2- Buschs, 3- Druffels; a Dahmen; 3- Haupts, 3- Kramers, a Moser, a Niehenke, a Reif, 5- Reisenauers, a Schaaf and a Schultheis. This is more than the average but is illustrative of the trend.

The minutes of the local councils and the Proceedings of the State Council give ample evidence that the Knights supported the war effort at home as well as in the armed forces. The Knights in this state, as in the Order as a whole, have a proud heritage from this period in our history.

Chapter II



PAST STATE DEPUTIES

1902-1925
1975-2000

1925-1950
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1950-1975

**JOHN F. SULLIVAN
TERRITORIAL DEPUTY 1902-04
DECEASED**

John F. Sullivan was a member of Spokane Council 683 and was Territorial Deputy from October 21, 1902 to May 3, 1904.

**JAMES J. GORMAN
STATE DEPUTY 1904-05
DECEASED**

James J Gorman was a native of Fall River, Mass and appointed National Organizer in about 1897. He did much work in the Middle-West, bringing Missouri in as the twenty-first state jurisdiction. In 1901 the Supreme Board voted to expand to California and Gorman was sent there. He brought in California, Oregon and Washington. He liked it well enough in Washington that he moved here. He was a member of Seattle Council 676.

**DR. HENRY B. LUHN
STATE DEPUTY 1905-06
DECEASED**

Dr Henry B. Luhn was a member of Spokane Council 683.

**THOMAS J. GORMAN
STATE DEPUTY 1906-08
DECEASED**



Thomas J Gorman was a member of Seattle Council 676.



**DR. THOMAS TETREAU
STATE DEPUTY 1908-11
DECEASED**

Dr. Thomas Tetreau was a member of Yakima Council 894.

**FRANK J. DORSEY
STATE DEPUTY 1911-13
DECEASED**

Frank J Dorsey was a member of Spokane Council 683.

**JOHN J. CARMODY
STATE DEPUTY 1913-15
DECEASED**

John J Carmody was a member of Seattle Council 676.

**JOHN R. CASSIN
STATE DEPUTY 1915-16
DECEASED**

John R Cassin was a member of Spokane Council 683.

**DR. JAMES A LaGASA
STATE DEPUTY 1916-17
DECEASED**

Dr. James A LaGasa was a member of Tacoma Council 809.

**GEORGE L. NEYER
STATE DEPUTY 1917-18
DECEASED**

George L. Neyer was a member of Aberdeen Council 1449.

**EDWARD J. WALSH
STATE DEPUTY 1918-20
DECEASED**

Edward J. Walsh was a member of Tacoma Council 809.

**M. J. LUBY
STATE DEPUTY 1920-21
DECEASED**

M. J. Luby was a member of Spokane Council 683.

JAMES H. KANE
STATE DEPUTY 1921-23
DECEASED

James H. Kane was a member of Seattle Council 676.



EDWARD P. RYAN
STATE DEPUTY 1923-28
DECEASED

Edward P. Ryan was a member of Spokane Council 683. He was the first Supreme Director from the state of Washington.

THOMAS SMITH
STATE DEPUTY 1928-30
DECEASED

Thomas Smith was a member of Msgr. Boulet Council 2126, Mt. Vernon.



MICHAEL J. HUGHES
STATE DEPUTY 1930-32
DECEASED

Michael J. Hughes was a member of Seattle Council 676.

TERRY T. GRANT
STATE DEPUTY 1932-34
DECEASED

Terry T. Grant was a member of Spokane council 683.

JAMES I. O'PHELAN
STATE DEPUTY 1934-36
DECEASED

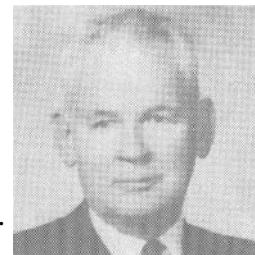
James I. O'Phelan was a member of Willapa Harbor Council 1606, Raymond. He was State Advocate 1915-1920

JAMES P. ENGLISH
STATE DEPUTY 1936-38
DECEASED

James P. English was a member of Seattle Council 676.

JUSTIN C. MALONEY
STATE DEPUTY 1938-40
DECEASED

Justin C. Maloney was a member of Spokane council 683.



JOHN F. OSTERMAN
STATE DEPUTY 1940-42
DECEASED

John F. Osterman was a member of Everett Council 763. He was GK of Everett Council in 1924-25 & completed the term of William J Carr, who had moved to Seattle) was Grand Knight for the third time in 1934-35. He took the reins again, for the fourth time, in 1935-36. He went on to become State Deputy in 1940-42.



STEPHEN A. CAIN
STATE DEPUTY 1942-44
DECEASED

Stephen A. Cain was a member of Seattle Council 676. He was elected to the Supreme Council Board of Directors - the second Director to serve from this state.

JOHN B. SOULE
STATE DEPUTY 1944-46
DECEASED

John B. Soule was a member of Wenatchee Council 1545.

W. GEORGE HOFNER
STATE DEPUTY 1946-48
DECEASED

W. George Hofner was a member of Tacoma Council 809.



ROBERT E. HALL
STATE DEPUTY 1948-49
DECEASED

Robert E. Hall was a member of Spokane Council 683.

ARTHUR P. BOYLE
STATE DEPUTY 1949-51
DECEASED



Arthur P Boyle was a member of Tacoma Council 809. His administration concentrated on The Narberth Program (Religious Advertising) which was then still new.



GERARD B. WELCH
STATE DEPUTY 1951-53
DECEASED

Gerard B. (Bee) Welch was a member of Seattle Council 676. He was State Secretary 1944-50. Bee was active in the R.I.B. Program and spoke passionately promoting it.

EDWARD T. WALSH
STATE DEPUTY 1953-54
DECEASED



Edward T Walsh was born in New Jersey. He worked for DuPont and was working at the Kankakee Ordnance plant when he was transferred to the Manhattan project in Hanford in the early 1940s. As a Knight, he was instrumental in the institution of Richland Council 3307 and became a charter member. He was the second GK of the council 1951-52 and was appointed DD #7 in 1952-53. He was elected State Deputy 1953-54.

In the late 1950s he transferred to Yakima Council 894 and was its FS at the time of his death in 1977. He and his wife Kay had 5 children. Kay died after the move to Yakima.



CARROLL MARTELL
STATE DEPUTY 1954-1956
DECEASED

Carroll Martell was born June 8, 1912 in Stanton, North Dakota. He graduated with a B.S. degree in Architecture from Kansas University.

He joined the Order in 1939, taking his first three degrees in Albuquerque, N.M. He transferred to Spokane Council 683 in 1946 and remained a member of that council until his death. He was elected Chancellor in 1947; DGK in 1948 and GK in 1949. He was appointed DD #5 in 1950-52 and elected State Deputy 1954-56. In the Fourth Degree he held the offices of Faithful Captain, Navigator and

Admiral. He and his wife Anna had 6 children - 3 boys and 3 girls - and 5 grandchildren. Carroll was an architect and died on August 14, 2004.

**NORMAN S. HERRING
STATE DEPUTY 1956-58
DECEASED**

Norman S. Herring was a member of Michael Flohr Council 766, Walla Walla. He was Master of the Fourth Degree from 1957-62.



**CLYDE T. BOYLE
STATE DEPUTY 1958-60
DECEASED**



Clyde T. Boyle was born in Windber, Pennsylvania in 1911. The family moved to Buckley, Washington in 1922 where he graduated from high school in 1928. He attended North Pacific College of Pharmacy - now the University of Oregon - in Portland, graduating in 1931. He joined Tacoma Council 809 in 1935 and was elected Grand Knight in 1952. He served as District Deputy, was elected State Secretary 1956-58 and State Deputy 1958-60.

Clyde initiated the Pennies for Heaven program at the Chehalis Council by asking members to donate pennies from their pocket change. They did and the contribution was less than one dollar. This procedure was started in other councils and Clyde was pleased with the program's overwhelming success and especially its prominent place on convention programs. He believed that "A penny saved is a penny earned".

**EDWARD J. LOGAN
STATE DEPUTY 1960-62
DECEASED**

Edward J. Logan was born in Seattle on July 15, 1912 approximately where the Olympic Hotel garage now stands. He graduated from Seattle Prep and Seattle College. He started almost immediately working for the King County Auditor. He continued working there until his retirement in 1972 as Superintendent of Elections. He was elected GK of Seattle Council 676 1951-52 and again in 1960-61. He was elected State Secretary 1959-60 and State Deputy 1960-62. He was State Deputy and Grand Knight simultaneously for one year.



He and Georgette had three sons and 7 grandchildren. Ed died November 19, 1980 but Georgette is still active. She worked for the Legislature in Olympia.



**CLARENCE M. GEORGE
STATE DEPUTY 1962-1964
DECEASED**

Clarence M. George was born March 13, 1918 in Butte, Montana. He graduated from Gonzaga University with his LLB degree in 1943 and his Law Degree in 1946. He joined the Order taking his 1st three degrees in 1942 and his Fourth Degree in 1947. He was FS in Spokane Council 683 in 1943-44; elected Chancellor in 1946; DGK 1947 and GK in 1948. He was DD #5 in 1948-50; elected State Secretary 1960-62 and State Deputy 1962-64.

In the Fourth Degree he was elected Faithful Captain 1951, Navigator 1952, Admiral 1953 and appointed Master of the Eastern Washington District 1966-68. He and Lillian had two sons, 3 daughters and 6 grandchildren. He was an attorney and enjoyed reading, wood finishing and sports. Clarence died on May 26, 1996.

**WILLIAM M. GERRAUGHTY
STATE DEPUTY 1964-66
DECEASED**



William M. Gerraughty was born Sept 3, 1910 in Spokane. He attended Gonzaga High School and Gonzaga University (2 years); University of Idaho (2 years) receiving a B.S. in Pre-Med. He attended Gonzaga Law School receiving his J.D. degree in 1949. He served in the Navy for five years and was discharged as a Chief Pharmacist's Mate.

He took his first three degrees March 17, 1935 and his Fourth Degree in September 1957. He was elected DGK of Spokane Council 683 in 1954-55, GK 1955-56 and appointed DD #5 1957-58. He was elected FN of the Spokane Assembly 1958-59 and FA 1959-60. He was elected State Secretary 1963-64 and State Deputy 1964-65. He was a widower and enjoyed his work as an attorney. Bill died on February 12, 1996.



**WILLIAM J. (BILL) BAILEY
STATE DEPUTY 1966-68
DECEASED**

Bill was born November 19, 1923 in Winlock, Wash. where he attended high school. He attended Washington State College but didn't graduate there. World War II interfered. He was in the Army from 1943-46. He also attended the University of Alabama while in the Army. He left the Army as a Technician 4th grade (sergeant) after serving in the European

Theater of Operations.

He took his first three degrees in May, 1952 and his fourth degree in 1966. He was elected DGK of Centralia Council 1758 in 1956-57, GK 1957-58 and was D.D.#4 1962-64. He was State Catholic Activities Chairman 1958-62; was elected State Secretary 1964-66 and State Deputy 1966-68. He was FS 1961-76. In 1976 he transferred to Chehalis Council 1550.

Bill was a public accountant by profession and was Vice President/Treasurer of Central Evergreen Savings and Loan Assn when he retired at the end of 1987. He was active in the Red Cross, United Way, food bank, parish council president, as lector and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

Bill passed away on November 8, 2007. He and his wife Twila had 6 children (3 boys and 3 girls) and 8 grandchildren.



**ROBERT M. BOURGETTE
STATE DEPUTY 1968-70
DECEASED**

Robert M. Bourgette was born September 2, 1915 in Seattle. He attended St Joseph grade school and graduated from O'Dea High School.

He joined the Order in Seattle Council 676 in March 1945 and is a Fourth Degree member of James Shields Assembly. He was elected Warden and Chancellor of Seattle Council 676. He served as State Blood Bank Chairman for two years and one year as State Membership Chairman 1965-66; District Deputy #1 1967-68 and was elected State Deputy 1968-70. His experience was quite unusual in that he was appointed District Deputy without having been a Grand Knight and being elected State Deputy without previously holding a State Office.

He was active in ceremonials, serving thirty years on the Seattle 3rd Degree team. He was senior area manager for Hublein before his retirement.

He and Jean had 5 children, 19 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He was chairman of the C.Y.O. Board of Directors and a member of the Catholic School Board. He spent a lot of time on parish work and, when not on C.Y.O. or school board business, golfing or fishing.

**HAROLD G. WESTBY
STATE DEPUTY 1970-72**

Harold G. Westby was born September 8, 1936 in Aberdeen, South Dakota. He attended Central Catholic High School in Portland, Oregon and received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Portland. He received his Ph. D. from the University of Oregon. Hal served in the Marine Corps 1955-58 being discharged as a sergeant. Having finished his military service, Hal took the first three degrees in 1959 becoming a charter member of St Joseph Council 4782 in Vancouver.



He was elected CHAN in 1964-65, DGK 1965-66 and GK in 1966-67. He was elected State Advocate in 1968 and served in that position until October 1st when he became State Treasurer when Ray Kennedy resigned. He was re-elected State Treasurer for 1969-70 and elected State Deputy 1970-72. He was elected Supreme Warden by the Supreme Board for 1972-74.

Hal spent 25 years in Education and was Vice-President and Dean of Students at the University of Portland before forming a management consulting company at the beginning of 1989. He and Jerri have two sons and a daughter and expect to become grandparents in August 1990. He enjoys reading, snow skiing and gardening.

**I.A. (TONY) WEZA
STATE DEPUTY 1972-74
DECEASED**



I.A. (Tony) Weza was born March 22, 1911 in Ontonagon, Michigan where he graduated from high school. He attended Ferris State and Northern Michigan University where he received his B.A. degree. He took his first three degrees in May 1934 and his 4th degree in 1964. He was in the Air Force from 1942-46 attaining the rank of Major. He was FS of the new Clarkston Council 3455 from 1951-57 and elected GK 1957-58; was DD#8 1958-60; elected State Secretary 1970-72 and State Deputy 1972-74. He was F Comptroller 1964-65 and FN 1967-68.

He and his wife Lorraine (deceased) had 1 son, 2 daughters and 8 grandchildren. Tony was a public school teacher and administrator for 8 years. He served in the Legislature for 4 years. After his military service he was the office manager for a mechanical contractor for 22 years and county commissioner for 8 years. He also served on the State Public Disclosure Committee for 5 years after his retirement. Tony passed away on June 29, 1995.



**JOHN P HOLLAND
STATE DEPUTY 1974-76**

John P Holland was born April 5, 1931 in Bovill, Idaho. He attended Gonzaga University in Spokane for three years. He was in the US Army paratroops for one year at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

He took his first three degrees on February 4, 1962 and his Fourth Degree on October 10, 1964. He has always been a member of Spokane Council 683. He was Chancellor 1965-66; DGK 1966-67 and GK 1967-68. He was appointed District Deputy #5 in 1968-70; elected State Warden 1970-72; State Secretary 1972-74; State Deputy 1974-76 and served as Immediate PSD 1976-78. He has been a Director of Columbus Charities and is now serving another three year term.

As Grand Knight he initiated Operation Round Table, a program to have senior citizen groups meet twice weekly in the Spokane Council Hall for relaxation and meals. Over 500 senior citizens are fed weekly. This group enjoys cards, dancing and tours. Most of them are non-Catholic. It was during his years as State Deputy that the PFH Trust Fund was begun. John and his wife Muriel have 1 son and 3 daughters. He is a production foreman for Garceau Steel Corp.

**JAMES G. CALDWELL
STATE DEPUTY 1976-78
DECEASED**



James G Caldwell was born January 11, 1921 in Dryden, Washington. He graduated from Cashmere High School and studied Journalism for two years in Wenatchee. After joining the Marine Corps, he saw four years of service in the South Pacific. He was a platoon sergeant when he was discharged.

He joined the Order in 1948 but didn't take his 3rd Degree until 1954. He joined the Fourth Degree in 1966. Jim was elected Chancellor in 1956; DGK in 1957 and was

Grand Knight 1958-60. He was elected State Advocate 1970-72; State Treasurer 1972-74; State Secretary 1974-76; State Deputy 1976-78 and served as Immediate PSD from 1978-81 and on the Board of Columbus Charities.

Jim held the offices Comptroller, Pilot, Captain and Navigator of Msgr J E Camerman Assembly (Bremerton) and upon institution of Father Alcuin Lawrence Assembly 2018 in Port Angeles in 1985 became a charter member of that assembly and served as Faithful Navigator.

Jim and Ellen had five children - 2 boys and 3 girls - and 11 grandchildren. Jim retired as a sales supervisor and branch manager for ITT Continental Baking Co. He was a Eucharistic Minister.

Jim often noted that he was among the few State Deputies who served under two Supreme Knights - John McDevitt and Virgil Dechant. He appointed the first State Audit Committee and printed the first of the Vocations Prayer cards still in use today. It was during his administration that the Braille Program was begun with a first gift of \$13,751. Jim was responsible for state officers wearing **Forest Green jackets**. Reports are that he instructed Warden John Klein to purchase a green blazer from Men's Warehouse for each of the state officers. Since they were having a clearance sale on that particular blazer, John paid only \$17 for each. John, who worked at the State Capitol, was also able to purchase Washington buttons for the coats. The buttons were previous used on state patrol uniforms. Jim passed away on November 8, 1995 after a valiant battle with lung cancer.

**WILLIAM F. WITTE
STATE DEPUTY 1978
DECEASED**



William F Witte was born June 18, 1920 in Chicago, Illinois. He graduated from high school and Business College with degrees in Business Administration and Accounting. Bill was in the US Army for 6 years in the U.S. and the Pacific, leaving the Army as a Chief Warrant Officer. He then served 14 years in the Active Reserve.

He joined the Order taking his first three degrees on April 14, 1957 and the Fourth Degree on February 24, 1962. He was elected Warden 1959-60; Chancellor 1960-61; DGK 1961-62 and GK 1962-63. In the Fourth Degree he was elected F Pilot 1962-63; F Captain 1963-64; F Navigator 1964-65. He was appointed District Deputy #2 1970-72 and elected State Advocate 1972-74; State Treasurer 1974-76; State Secretary 1976-78 and State Deputy 1978. Bill had great plans for his term as State Deputy and was just getting them under way when he died suddenly in September, 1978.

He and Jo had 2 sons, 1 daughter and 5 grandchildren at the time of his death. He was a retired Freight Traffic and Material Handling Specialist for the Navy. He was very active in the church and community.

He had been a CCD teacher and principal for 8 years; an usher and Eucharistic Minister at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church in Bremerton. He belonged also to the Lions; the American Legion; Little League and Babe Ruth League. He had been a coach in Little League and Babe Ruth leagues for 12 years. He was also heavily involved in the Kitsap County Fair and was its chairman at the time of his death

**HARRY J. TUCKER JR.
STATE DEPUTY 1978-81
DECEASED**



Harry J. Tucker Jr was born January 18, 1927 in Des Moines, Iowa. Harry's family moved to Wichita, Kansas while he was young. He spent 3

years at Wichita State University and then went to work for the Boeing Airplane Co. He joined the Order on Sept 4, 1945 and took his 2nd and 3rd degrees on Sept 9, 1945 from Council 691 in Wichita. He later transferred to Derby, Kansas Council 4458. He took his Fourth Degree on October 10, 1948.

He was elected Chancellor 1959-60; and GK 1960-61 in the Derby Council. He was transferred to the Seattle area by the Boeing Company in 1962 though he and Mary Anna bought their home in Kent. He transferred his membership to Auburn Council 3598; served as Chancellor in 1965-66 and GK in 1966-67. He was District Warden 1968-70 and was appointed District Deputy #12 1970-72. He was elected State Warden 1972-74; State Advocate 1974-76; State Treasurer 1976-78 and State Secretary 1978. Upon the death of new State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Deputy. He served out Bill Witte's unexpired term and was elected State Deputy 1979-81 in his own right. He served as Immediate Past State Deputy 1981-83. He was Trustee 1972-76 in the V Rev Wm J Power Assembly. He was a key figure in the institution of Bishop Gill Assembly in 1983 and a charter member. He served as FA and Trustee for that Assembly before becoming its F Comptroller 1985-90.

While still State Deputy, he was elected Supreme Warden by the Supreme Board of Directors for 1980-82. He was Supreme Warden during the Centennial Year of the Order and participated in all of those activities. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master of the Archbishop Francis N Blanchet Province of the Fourth Degree 1985-89. Harry was active in ceremonial work for many years. He was a Regional Coordinator of Ceremonials for the Order from 1981 until his tragic death on September 18, 1995 when he suffered a heart attack while driving his Lincoln through downtown Seattle with Mary Anna.

He and Mary Anna had no children. Both retired from the Boeing Company. He had been a supervisor in scheduling and Mary Anna had been an office supervisor.

**JOHN R. KLEIN
STATE DEPUTY 1981-83**



John R Klein was born July 7, 1930 in St Paul Minnesota. He served in both the Air Force and Army. He retired as a Chief Warrant Officer in 1970. He is both a Korean War and Vietnam Veteran and has received two Bronze Stars, a Purple Heart and three Commendation Medals. While stationed at Larson AFB at Moses Lake, he joined the Order and became a charter member of Moses Lake Council 4367. He was the first delegate to represent the new council at the 1957 State Convention in Yakima. He served as Grand Knight in 1964. He has been attending State Conventions annually since 1957, except for 4 years when military duties took him overseas. He was elected a Supreme Delegate to the 1964 Supreme Convention in New Orleans and has attended 26 Supreme Conventions.

John became a member of the Fourth Degree in 1958 and belonged to the Father Modeste DeMers Assembly in Wenatchee. He transferred to Lakewood Council 4322 and Bishop McGrath Assembly 1175 in 1967. John served as District Deputy #2 (1972-74) and as State NCD Chairman (1974-76). He was elected State Advocate (1976-78) and State Treasurer in 1978. Upon the untimely death of State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Secretary. He continued as State Secretary until elected State Deputy (1981-83) and Immediate Past State Deputy (1983-85).

John was Faithful Navigator of Bishop McGrath Assembly (1978-79) and Faithful Navigator of Fr Valerian Grubb Assembly (1987-89) - which he founded. In 1990 he was appointed District Master for the State of Washington and served until 1994. In 1997 he was appointed Vice

Supreme Master for the Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province. The province includes the states of Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

John is presently the Grand Knight of St. Frances Cabrini Council. St. Frances Cabrini is observing its 50th anniversary in 2007 along with sister councils, Moses Lake and Overlake. John is a 50 year member of the Order and has long been active in ceremonial work. He has served as a ceremonialist in all four degrees - including several roles in the 3rd degree and Historian and Team Captain of the Fourth Degree for over 25 years.

He was appointed by Gov. Dan Evans to the State Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee to the Governor and served 4 Governors (Dixie Lee Ray, John Spellman and Booth Gardener). He served the committee as Chairman and resigned after 8 years because of job conflicts. John's professional appointments with the State of Washington included: The Department of Corrections as a Business Manager; Department of Licensing as an Examiner; Department of General Administration as Supervisor on the Capitol Buildings and Grounds Staff; and State Purchasing as Chief Buyer for Central Stores. He retired in 2005 at the age of 75.

John and his wife Genevieve have eleven children (5 boys and 6 girls), 30 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren (Jenny is a very busy seamstress). In 1986, the family of John and Jenny Klein were recognized as the *State Family of the Year* and as Supreme Council's *International Family of the Year, First runner up*. John and Jenny have been married since 1954.



**HECTOR P. MAFFEI
STATE DEPUTY 1983-85
DECEASED**

Hector P Maffei was born April 5, 1928 in Portland, Oregon where he graduated from Central Catholic High School. He went to Portland State College and the University of Portland where he got his B.S. degree in Chemistry. After graduation, he was employed at Hanford and so he and Gloria moved to Richland. He joined the Order there on October 8, 1952; took his 2nd and 3rd degrees October 19, 1952. He was elected Warden 1959-60; Chancellor 1960-61; DGK 1970-71 and GK 1971-72. He was appointed DD#7 1974-76.

He was elected State Warden 1976-78 and State Advocate 1978. Upon the death of new State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978, he was elected State Treasurer and served in that office until 1981. He was elected State Secretary 1981-83; State Deputy 1983-85 and served as Immediate State Deputy 1985-87. He also serves on the Board of Columbus Charities. He has been active in ceremonial work for a number of years.

Hec and Gloria have 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren. He is retired from his position as a Senior Scientist at the Westinghouse Hanford Co.



**GEORGE C. TURK
STATE DEPUTY 1985-87**

George C. Turk was born September 18, 1931 in Nashville, Tennessee to Matthew J and Margaret M Turk. He was fourth of ten children - seven boys and three girls.

He entered the Army June 10, 1947, at age 15, and went to the paratroops. He went to Officers Candidate School and then to Okinawa in January 1950. The Korean War began and his tour wound up three years in the Far East instead of the originally scheduled 12 months. He married

Jean on February 18, 1953. He was discharged in February 1954 as a First Lieutenant. He graduated from Catholic High School for Boys in Memphis while still in the Army.

After discharge he worked at a variety of jobs while attending the University of Washington and Seattle University taking Electrical Engineering. Boeing had given him a Junior Associate Engineer's job before he actually had his degree and was a very good employer but he decided that he wanted to be a teacher. He kept right on in school until he had his degree in Math Education and took a job as a teacher in 1959. He got his M.S. from Seattle University in 1969. He retired after 35 years teaching - most as Mathematics Department Head at Seattle's Franklin High School

He joined the Order December 12, 1962 and took his 2nd and 3rd degrees on December 15, 1962. He has belonged to Overlake Council 4385 since joining. He was elected Treasurer 1969-70; Chancellor 1970-71; DGK 1971-72 and GK1972-73. He was State Pennies for Heaven Chairman 1974-78 and set up the PFH Trust Fund - now over \$1,000,000 - in 2007. He reinstated the State Bulletin in 1979 and was its editor until 1981. He joined the Fourth Degree on February 12, 1972.

He was elected Faithful Captain of the new V. Rev. William Power Assembly in 1973-74; FN in 1974-75; FA in 1975-76. He has been active in ceremonials for many years in all four degrees; served several years as State Ceremonials Chairman. He did a number of roles in the 3rd degree – mostly as Conferring Officer. He served as either Historian or Defender of the Faith in the Fourth Degree.

In 1978 he was elected State Warden. Upon the untimely death of State Deputy Bill Witte, he was elected State Advocate and held that office until 1981. He was elected State Treasurer 1981-83, State Secretary 1983-85, State Deputy 1985-87 and served as Immediate PSD 1987-89. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master of the Archbishop Norbert Blanchet Province - Sept 1989 to Sept 1993.

George was appointed State Historian in 1980 with the assignment of publishing a history of the Washington State Council. Following 10 years of effort, the history was published in 1990. George continued to serve as State Historian until 2005, researching and collecting data from new councils, assemblies, officers and programs. Information gathered after publication was used to create an addendum to the history. The addendum was published in 2007. George and Jean have 1 son, 2 daughters; 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.



**CHARLES A. SOHNLY
STATE DEPUTY 1987-89
DECEASED**

Charles A. Sohnly was born January 31, 1930 in Toledo, Ohio. He attended Catholic elementary school and graduated from Central Catholic High in June 1948. He served as an apprentice in the printing industry and was elevated to journeyman after his discharge from the Army. He served in the US Army from January 1951 to January 1953 and including 15 months in Korea as a mail clerk.

He married Charlotte in January 1953 at St Alphonsus Church in Ballard and moved to Toledo, Ohio where he continued working in the printing industry. They moved back to the Pacific Northwest in 1963. They purchased a home in Lynnwood and still reside there.

Chuck joined the Order July, 1966 and became active in the Father Chirouse Council. He was elected DGK in 1972 and GK in 1973. He joined the Fourth Degree in 1976 and became a charter member of the Lynnwood-Bothell Bicentennial Assembly 1707. He served as DD#1 in 1976-78 and was elected State Warden by the State Officers after the death of State Deputy Bill

Witte in September 1978 and served as State Warden until 1981. He was elected State Advocate 1981-83; State Treasurer 1983-85; State Secretary 1985-87; and State Deputy 1987-89.

Charles and Charlotte raised five children - three girls and two boys. Chuck worked and retired from the University of Washington, Department of Printing, after 25 years and a total of 44 years in the printing industry. He couldn't stand retirement and went to work as Membership Director for Mac App Developers Association, a non-profit association of software developers enhancing Apple Computer programs. Chuck died of lung cancer on March 4, 1995.

**EVERETT A. TURNER
STATE DEPUTY 1989-1991
DECEASED**



Everett A. Turner was born July 11, 1934 in Germantown, Ohio. He graduated with a Business degree from Stivers University in Dayton and served in the Navy 1952-56. Beginning in 1978, Ev was active in the Army reserve where he served as a cook.

He joined the Order in September 1961 and took his major degrees in February 1962 and the Fourth Degree in April 1967. Before moving to Yakima, Washington, Ev was active in the Ohio State Council. While in Washington, he served as DD-6 from 1969-71; was elected State Warden 1981-83; State Advocate 1983-85; State Treasurer 1985-87; State Secretary 1987-89 and State Deputy in 1989. He was FN of Fr. Caruana Assembly in Yakima in 1982-83. After moving to Florida, Ev transferred his membership to Port Charlotte Council 11483 where he served as Grand Knight.

Ev was a fun loving individual, always ready with a good joke and much loved by his fellow state officers and district. While living in Yakima, he worked as a real estate salesman and enjoyed woodworking. He and Donna had 4 sons, 3 daughters and 6 grandchildren. Ev died from a blood disease on January 28, 2012

**EDWARD J. MERTENS
STATE DEPUTY 1991-1993**



Ed was born January 12, 1930 in Spokane. He joined the Order in 1947 taking his 1st three degrees then. He has belonged to Spokane Councils 683, 4196 and currently, 8201. He was GK of council 4196 in 1960-65 and was DD #5 for two years. He was elected State Warden 1983-85; State Advocate 1985-87; State Treasurer 1987-89 and State Secretary in 1989. He was Master of the Washington District of the Fourth Degree from 1994-98.

Ed and Viola have 4 sons - all Knights - and 4 daughters who have given them 13 grandchildren. Ed owned A & M Quality Heating Co. He is active in the Serra Club and is fully retired - popping pop corn every week at the Vets Hospital in Spokane (Vi refers to him as "Colonel Pop Corn Ed"). Ed is still active in ceremonials and serves as a Conferring Officer. He is celebrating his 60th year as a member of the Order and serves as Advocate of Council # 8201 and Pilot of John J. Mertens Assembly # 2414. His interests are singing in the choir, golf, skiing and promoting a strong family life.

CHARLES F. McLEAN
STATE DEPUTY 1993-1995
DECEASED

Chuck McLean was born June 16, 1934 in Anaconda, Montana and graduated from Anaconda High School. He received his B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Montana State University. He took his 1st degree in May, 1954; his 2nd degree in June; his 3rd degree in July, 1954 and his 4th degree in October, 1976. He became a charter member of Bothell Council 6686 in July 1975 as Recorder; was elected DGK in 1976-77; GK 1977-78; was D.D. #1 IN 1979-81; State NCD Chairman 1981-83; State Retention Chairman 1983-85; was elected State Warden 1985-87; State Advocate 1987-89 and State Treasurer 1989-90.



Chuck and Bonnie had 2 sons, 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren. Chuck died December 6, 1999 after a relatively short battle with cancer (multiple myeloma). Bonnie died August 7, 2000 after a valiant battle with breast cancer.



THOMAS L. WEBER
STATE DEPUTY 1995-1997

Tom was born October 3, 1947 in Colfax. He is a graduate of Colton High School (1965); Yakima Valley College (AASc degree); and Washington State University (B.S. Electrical Engineering). He has been employed at Washington State University with the Civil and Environmental Engineering Department since 1973. During his employment he has participated in ground water research in eastern Washington and is currently administrator for 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 has been 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 has been 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.

Diane and Tom have no children but enjoy spoiling their many godchildren, nieces and nephews. They are avid birdwatchers and belong to a variety of outdoor and wildlife conservation programs and organizations. Tom also enjoys trapshooting and fly fishing. He has written 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.

EVERETT J. (ROB) ROBERTS
STATE DEPUTY 1997-1999

Everett J. Roberts was born on April 19, 1938 in Schenectady, New York. Rob is a convert and attended St James Grade School, Christian Brothers Academy, Albany Business College and Siena College in Albany, New York. Rob served in the United States Marine Corps and in September 1959 transferred into the United States Air Force. Rob retired on February 28, 1987 from the Air Force having served two tours in Southeast Asia and Vietnam as a Communications Specialist and Intelligence Analyst. During his tours in the service, Rob was awarded 21 medals and awards - the highest being the Meritorious Service award with 2 clusters.



Rob has 3 Associate degrees: Accounting and 2 Applied Sciences - and a Bachelors Degree in Industrial Engineering from Southern Illinois University. Rob retired from Civil Service at Fort Lewis where as GS-11 he was employed as an Intelligence Analyst and Special Security Officer for the 2nd Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, having received the Commanders Award for Civilian Service twice among other awards.

Rob joined the order in 1981 at Council 4239 in O'Fallon, Illinois and the Fourth Degree at Pope John Paul I Assembly 26 in April of 1982. On the same day that he joined the 4th Degree with over 300 Brother Knights, he left for McChord AFB in Washington State with his oldest son, Perry. He immediately joined Tacoma Council 809 and Bishop McGrath Assembly 1845.

Rob served as Grand Knight from 1986-88, Faithful Navigator 1987-88, District Deputy 1988-1991 and State Youth Chairman from 1991-1993. He founded Ft. Lewis/McChord Council 10652 in 1991. Rob was elected a state officer in 1993 at the state convention in Spokane and served as State Treasurer 93-95 and State Secretary 95-97. As State Deputy from 1997-1999 several innovative changes were made in the accounting system. With the help of PSD George Turk the state's accounting system was converted from a dBase program to an off-the-shelf accounting program. The new system was tested for a year before being adopted in 1998. New computer equipment was also purchased to update the antiquated equipment on hand. Other major changes were started in the Pennies for Heaven and mileage/per diem accounts.

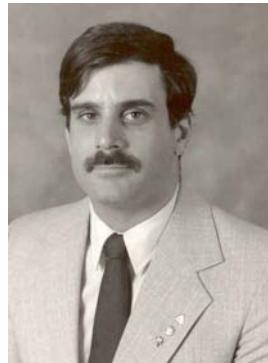
During Rob's second year the Washington State jurisdiction accomplished their finest output in many years and was recognized for: #1 in Division 4 in Net Gain (1054-first time over 1000) and Net Percentage (5.90% - first time over 5.0%), #1 in the following categories; Percentage of Councils receiving Star Councils 43.5 % (50 of 115), Percentage of Star Districts 62.5 % (15 of 24), 100% council activity in membership (115 councils - only 4 jurisdictions had 100%). This resulted in Washington State standing #2 in the 'Circle of Honor' behind only Texas (3 points). Also, Washington State received recognition for placing in the top ten in all 5 of the 'Surge for Service' Awards - a first for the Washington jurisdiction. The above awards were a tribute to the outstanding efforts of council members, grand knights, district deputies and state chairman.

While on his first tour in Germany, Rob met Mira Schmidt in Freising, Germany - a native of Leibnitz, Austria. They were married and have two sons, Perry (born in Munich) and Robin (born in Massachusetts). They have one grandson, Ethan. Rob dedicated his service as State Deputy to the Vocations Program and Special Olympics.

**FRED J. ABRAHAM JR.
STATE DEPUTY 1999-2001**

Fred joined the Order in December, 1986 and became active in St. Joseph Council #4782 in Vancouver. He followed in the footsteps of his father, a 50-year member at the time of his death, who had served the State Council during the 1960s holding the office of State Secretary.

He became DGK, program chairman and council membership chairman for two years, bringing in 50 members from 1986-89. He became the 30th GK in 1987-89. He was Co-State Membership Chairman for State Deputy Everett Turner 1990-91.



He was elected State Warden in 1991-93. He implemented the now infamous (stop watch) concept for presenters at our meetings. Seeds were also sown to change our structure for convention bids at the time he was Warden and would continue to evolve over the next 8 years. He also assisted in starting the new Bishop Junger Assembly in Vancouver. He served three years as Charter Trustee of that Assembly.

As State Advocate he started the General Liability program for councils and was tasked by State Deputy Chuck McLain to look into starting a Grand Knight's Handbook to be finished within the next two years by Wayne Hogan. He also assisted DD# 11 in starting a council at Woodland-Ridgefield for Fr. Joseph O'Shea. John Henry Newman Council #11252 became our 100th council.

He became State Treasurer in 1995-97 and implemented a new system for bookkeeping with State Treasurer Wayne Hogan using the "Quicken" program. He was elected State Deputy in 1998. During his term, we started one new Squires Circle, two new Councils (one being the State Councils first College Council at Gonzaga), bringing the state to 120 total. Council #8079 in Federal Way was resurrected after 8 years of dormancy. The State Council had 31 Star Councils and 8 Star Districts and changed the concept of convention bid process and entered into a long-term agreement shared by two hotel chains. We attained our membership goal from Supreme, tied for twelfth in the Supreme Knights Circle of Honor, membership totals, Star council and District status. We had an International first place winner in Church program and two other councils in the top ten in Youth and family.

He is an owner of a retail Hobby store in Vancouver and has been married to Chris for 23 years. They have three children: Trish 22, Tabitha 21, and Tonisha 18. He is active in his parish as a lector, greeter, usher, a former Chairman of the Vancouver Sausage Fest, and has been an active participant for 27 of the 29 year existence of the three day festival. Fred was elected to the Supreme Council Board of Directors in 2001 - the third to serve from this jurisdiction. Fred served on the Board until 2010.

**WAYNE C. HOGAN
STATE DEPUTY 2001-2003**



Wayne C. Hogan joined the Knights of Columbus in 1951 in Santa Maria, California and after his military stint was reactivated in 1985 and has been an active member for the past 18 years.

Wayne began his service to the Knights of Columbus in 1988 as Grand Knight and has served as District Deputy, Faithful Navigator, State Chairman for Family, Membership and General Program Chairman, State Warden, State Advocate, State Treasurer, State Secretary and State Deputy

During his tenure as State Deputy he wrote and had published the following: Grand Knights' Handbook, the First Degree Competition booklet, the Star Team booklet, the Goals Review And Document Evaluation booklet which evaluates the performance of District Deputies, and the Regional Meeting booklet and procedures. Wayne also wrote the criteria, procedures and report for the George Turk Gift of Life Award and the Harry Tucker Fraternalism Award as well as designing and having the awards made.

In addition to his fraternal work, Wayne is a charter member of the Board and charter Treasurer of a community charity fund that donates over \$20,000 annually to Catholic schools in the greater Tacoma area.

As State Deputy, he established the first Spanish Membership Chairman in the State of Washington as well as formed and supervised the first Spanish First Degree Team. Wayne is very active in ceremonials, serving in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th degrees, where he is able to do seventeen different parts. Wayne planned and supervised the first Squires State Convention, and wrote three 'Family of the Year' submissions to Supreme, two of which were selected as International Families of the Year. Past State Deputy Hogan, wrote the Round Table plan for the State and last year surpassed the Supreme Round Table goal of 27 with 30 Round Tables. Wayne Hogan was selected to the Supreme Knight's Circle of Honor in 2001-2002, having attained 132% of the State's membership goal. Wayne is our present State Ceremonials Chairman and is a Regional Ceremonials Coordinator for the Order. He and Lori live in Steilacoom.

Wayne served as State Deputy during the Centennial of the Washington State Council. He acquired, built and donated several items to the State Council during service as State Deputy, among them: a gavel and strike block engraved with all the names of the Past State Deputies; a fasces; a US flag flown over the capital on our anniversary as well as the Washington State flag flown over the state capital on our anniversary. Additionally convention badges were designed for convention delegates – a practice discontinued decades ago.

**PATRICK M. MALONEY
STATE DEPUTY 2003-2005**

Patrick M. Maloney was born and raised in Minneapolis, Minnesota. At the age of 17, he joined the Navy and served two tours of duty in Vietnam. After his discharge, he stayed in California where he met and married his wife, Vera. He received a degree in Mechanical Engineering from San Diego State University and a Masters in Business from La Verne University.

Pat joined the Knights of Columbus while in California. He became a charter member of the Bishop William R Johnson Council 9487 in El Toro, California. He rose through the chairs but moved just before becoming Grand Knight.



Pat and Family transferred to Washington in 1990. He joined Father Justin Garvey Council 6686 of Bothell where he rose through the chairs and was elected Grand Knight in 1994-1995. He served as District Deputy in 1995-1997 under State Deputy Tom Weber. He was then elected State Warden during the 94th Annual Convention in Kennewick in 1997.

Pat is a Fourth Degree member of the Charles F. McLean Jr Assembly 2621 of Kirkland. Pat works as a Biomedical Engineer. He and his wife Vera have three children. Pat went on to work for the Supreme Council as a Program and Membership Coordinator for the western states.



KARL HADLEY STATE DEPUTY 2005-2007

Karl A. Hadley was born in Bremerton and raised in Seattle, Washington. He and his wife, Kyle, were married in 1971 while they were both attending the University of Washington from which he received Bachelors of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Industrial Engineer. He was the Battalion Commander of the University of Washington NROTC Unit and was commissioned an Ensign in the U.S. Navy in 1972.

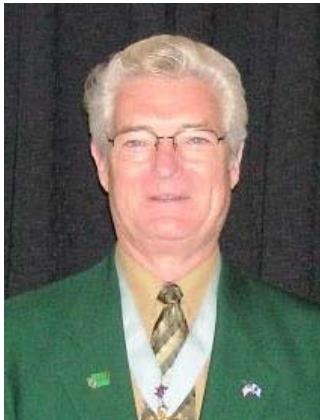
After five years of active duty, during which he served on two nuclear submarines, he returned to Kennewick, Washington, where he has been employed in the nuclear industry. He obtained a Masters in Business Administration and became a licensed professional engineer. He continued to serve in the Naval Reserves, including tours as a Commanding Officer of three units until retiring as a Commander.

Karl completed the RCIA program and joined Church and the Knights of Columbus in 1986. He rose through the ranks of Kennewick Council 8179 and served two terms as Grand Knight in 1994-1996. During his tenure, the council twice received the State Deputy's Award as the top council in the state and twice won the Herbert Liebert Memorial Right to Life Award.

Karl served as District Deputy in 1997-1999 under State Deputy Rob Roberts and was named the District Deputy of the Year in 1999. He was elected State Warden during the 97th Annual Convention in Richland in 2000 and also served as General Program Director under State Deputy Fred Abraham. He later served as State Treasurer and State Secretary before being elected State Deputy in May 2005.

While Karl was State Deputy, the state attained the Supreme Knight's Circle of Honor and three councils, two Squires Circles, and a record 52 Round Tables were established. He created the Round Table, Charity, Wade Walden Platelet Donations, and Silver Knight awards and set up multi-year contracts with hotels for future state conventions and summer meetings. The 2006 State Family of the Year was the Second Runner-up International Family of the Year. Record amounts were raised for Pennies for Heaven, Columbus Charities, Keep Christ in Christmas, and the Refund Support Vocations Program (all seminarians were supported by at least two councils or assemblies). Nearly \$40,000 was contributed to Supreme's Hurricane Katrina Fund. A new and less expensive liability insurance program was negotiated for councils. The Grand Knight's Handbook was extensively revised and updated and placed on a CD. New by-laws were prepared for Columbus Charities and the State Council by-laws were reissued. All first and second degree teams were recertified to the revised ceremonials.

Karl is a Fourth Degree Knight and a member of Father William A. Schmitz Assembly 2258. In his parish, St. Joseph of Kennewick, Karl was President of the Parish Council, a member of then Bishop Francis George's Diocesan Pastoral Council, and chairman of the St. Joseph Parish's annual Mayfest celebration. He and his wife Kyle have two children and two granddaughters.



JOHN L. WALKER STATE DEPUTY 2007-2009

John L. Walker was born in Walla Walla and attended St. Patrick's School. Following high school he moved to Pasco where on October 2, 1955 he and his wife, Tessie were married. He attended Gonzaga

University in Spokane on a basketball scholarship in 1949-1950. While at Gonzaga he joined the ROTC and the Army Reserve. His unit (453rd Engineer Construction Battalion) was activated in 1950 and sent to Korea. After two years in Korea he continued in the USAR, retiring after 25 years of active and inactive service as a Master Sergeant. During his Reserve years he was honored as the Armed Forces Reserve Man of the Year for the Pacific Northwest.

Following service in Korea, John returned to school at Eastern Washington State College where he obtained his BA in Business Administration. He received his Masters Degree from Washington State College. John started his teaching career at Prosser High School where he taught business classes and coached basketball and baseball. He moved to the Kennewick School District as a teacher and coach in 1966 and later served as principal of Kennewick High School (enrollment of 1800 students). He was appointed District Business Manager in 1971 and continued as the Assistant Superintendent for Business until his retirement in 1993.

John joined the Knights of Columbus in 1956 at Pasco Council 1620. He transferred to Kennewick Council 8179 in 1993 where he served as Deputy Grand Knight, Grand Knight and Financial Secretary. John is a Past Faithful Navigator of Fr William A Schmitz Assembly 2258 in Kennewick and currently serves as Comptroller. He is also active in the Hospital Equipment Lending Program (HELP).

John is a past member of the Kiwanis. He has served as treasurer of the Kennewick Citizens Levy & Bond Committee for the past fourteen years. He has also served as chairman of the local chapter of the Association of Government Officials; President of the Washington State Business Officials; and treasurer of the successful Kennewick Citizens Committee for a New Library. John serves St Joseph Parish as a lector, Eucharistic minister and usher. He has also served on the St. Joseph's School Board and on the Parish Council as its first Chairman. John's special ministry is his availability for all funeral masses as a reader, server or where needed. John and Tessie live in Kennewick and celebrated their 51st anniversary this year. They have five lovely children and fifteen grandchildren. John was elected State Deputy at the 2007 State Convention held in Bellevue.



JOHN M. WALLACE STATE DEPUTY 2009 - 2011

John was born April 11, 1932 in Limerick, Maine. After graduating from St. James High, in Haverhill, Massachusetts, he was drafted into the military and spent the next thirty years in the U.S. Air Force. John first joined the Knights of Columbus in Fairfield, CA on April 20, 1965, at Chief Solano Council 3585. He rejoined the Knights in Lakewood, WA on April 3, 1996, at St. John Bosco Council 11762. During his tenure as Grand Knight, the Council received the 1st place State Deputy Award and the Star Award. While he served as Navigator of Assembly 2685, the Assembly was awarded the International Patriot's Award. As District Deputy of District 22, he received the Star District Award. For the past nine years John has served as a Washington State Council Officer.

During his tenure as State Deputy, 2009-2011, the Washington State Council achieved the Circle of Honor and the Pinnacle Award the first year, and the Circle of Honor the second year.

John married Sheila, his high school sweetheart, in October, 1954. John and Sheila have four daughters, two sons, 20 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

In 2002 the Wallace family was honored as Washington State Family of the Year and 2nd Runner Up as International Family of the Year. After retirement from the Air Force, John worked as a

General Contractor, for Boeing and later for his parish, St. John Bosco. He enjoys gardening and volunteering as a Master Gardener.

DONALD J. MCBRIDE
STATE DEPUTY 2011 – 2013

Born in New York and raised from a young age in the Little Belt Mountains of Montana, Don received his education in Great Falls and a BS in Chemistry at Montana Tech in Butte. He and his wife Julie moved to Richland in 1986 where Don has been employed on the Hanford site for the past twenty-five years. They have 4 children – 3 daughters and one son.

Don has many passions – but probably the most dominant is fishing. His reputation as a successful fisherman on the Snake and Columbia Rivers is second to none. Don has been active in Richland Council 3307 since his arrival to the Tri-Cities, serving as GK among other offices. He served as district deputy of District 7 from 1995-97 and served several years as a state chairman for council and community activities before being elected State Warden for the 2004-05 fraternal year. Don then served as State Advocate from 2005-2007; State Treasurer from 2007-2009; State Secretary from 2009-2011; and was elected State Deputy at the 108th annual meeting in Vancouver in 2011. Don has a remarkable memory, talent and passion for the Order's ceremonials, serving as Captain of the Richland 1st Degree Team (in which he has performed all five roles). He is certified as a 2nd Degree District Deputy; as well as both a Conferring Officer and Presenter of the Fraternal Charge in the 3rd Degree. Don, along with Ceremonial Chairman Wayne Hogan, was the first to perform as Conferring Officer in the newly revised 3rd Degree held in Colton on April 30, 2011. Don is also a Past Faithful Navigator of the Msgr. William J. Sweeney Assembly 1174 in Richland.



GEORGE H CZERWONKA JR
STATE DEPUTY 2013-2015



George was born on July 28, 1942 in Chicago, Illinois to SK George Czerwonka and Barbara (Firkus) Czerwonka. He attended St. Adalberts School, Rosholt, Wisconsin; and graduated from Solomon Juneau High School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He enlisted in the US Air Force on July 3, 1960, following high school. He received his 1st, 2nd and 3rd Degrees in September 1963 at Spokane Council 683. He honorably separated from the Air Force on July 3, 1964 and married Sharon Anne Beckvold, daughter of SK Eugene Beckvold and Frances (Habel) Beckvold at St. Joseph Mission parish on July 11, 1964 in Otis Orchards, Washington.

George attended the Milwaukee Institute of Technology, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, graduating in May 1968. During that period, sons SK Michael, SK Stephen and daughter Lisa were born in Milwaukee. They returned to Spokane in June 1968 where George began a career in insurance as an Insurance Adjuster with Continental Insurance Company. Their last child, SK Gregory, was born in 1971, and the family relocated to Fresno, California, in 1974 where George received his first management assignment. He was reassigned after only 18 months to San

Francisco, where he quickly became Assistant Vice President (AVP) of Marketing, and thereafter AVP Administration and AVP Operations. He was reassigned to Spokane in 1981 to start a new Regional Office for the northwest, a territory encompassing all states west of the Dakotas and north of Arizona and California. He joined St. John Vianney Council 8201, Spokane Valley as Charter Financial Secretary.

The family was again called to relocate...this time to the Home Office – New York City. George became Vice President – Marketing and the family settled in Yardley, Pennsylvania...a commute of 72 miles. Sharon's mother became ill in 1993, and George retired from Continental in 1994 so they could return to Spokane and care for her mother.

Upon arrival in Spokane, he was immediately called to be the Grand Knight of St. John Vianney Council, and became a Sir Knight taking his 4th Degree at Bishop C. White Assembly 1539. He soon joined a new venture with the Unitrin Group, Chicago, Illinois, as Claims Manager with a new Regional Office in Spokane. He retired in 2002 after rising to Vice President – Claims and a member of the Board of Directors.

During the later years in Spokane, George founded a new council, St. Joseph's Council 11611, Otis Orchards, where he served as Charter Grand Knight and his Father-in-law served as Charter Financial Secretary...and in 1999, George was co-founder with Fr. William Watson SJ of St. Aloysius Gonzaga Council 12583 where he still functions as Financial Secretary. He was elected State Warden in 2005. George and Sharon enjoy their children, their spouses and five grandchildren. They are active in charitable fund raising at The Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes in Spokane. They travel a great deal and enjoy golf. Sharon is an accomplished quilter.

Chapter III



SUBORDINATE COUNCILS

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WASHINGTON SUBORDINATE COUNCILS

NUMBER	COUNCIL	LOCATION	INSTITUTED	
676	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	6-22-02	
683	SPOKANE	SPOKANE	6-29-02	
763	EVERETT	EVERETT	10-28-03	
766	MICHAEL FLOHR	WALLA WALLA	5-13-03	
809	TACOMA	TACOMA	9-6-03	
829	BELLINGHAM	BELLINGHAM	12-27-03	
894	YAKIMA	YAKIMA	5-15-04	
1267	PREFONTAINE	SEATTLE	10-28-07	MERGED w 676 - 1912
1327	COLUMBIA	VANCOUVER	5-17-08	
1379	BREMERTON	BREMERTON	2-21-09	
1401	FR. PARODI	ELLENSBURG	4-25-09	
1449	ABERDEEN	ABERDEEN	2-11-09	
1460	POMEROY	POMEROY	2-13-10	
1488	COLFAX	COLFAX	5-22-10	
1545	WENATCHEE	WENATCHEE	2-26-11	
1550	ROBT D MEYERS	CHEHALIS	2-26-11	
1565	COLTON	COLTON	4-23-11	
1606	WILLAPA HARBOR	RAYMOND	3-10-12	
1620	PASCO	PASCO	3-24-12	
1629	PUYALLUP	PUYALLUP	12-15-12	DISSOLVED 1918 RE-INSTITUTED 12/28/83
1643	OLYMPIA	OLYMPIA	6-16-12	
1674	JAMES T QUIGG	HOQUIAM	3-9-13	
1699	TOPPENISH	TOPPENISH	6-22-13	
1758	CENTRALIA	CENTRALIA	7-14-14	
1823	UNIONTOWN	UNIONTOWN	12-19-15	
2103	ST JOSEPH'S	GRANDVIEW	2-29-20	
2126	MSGR BOULET	MT VERNON	4-25-20	
2155	CHEWELAH	CHEWELAH	7-11-20	
2260	PT ANGELES	PT ANGELES	5-1-21	
2303	HOLY ROSARY	MOXEE CITY	7-28-21	
2763	COWLITZ	LONGVIEW	10-13-35	
2811	CLARKSTON	CLARKSTON	10-39	DISSOLVED 1942
			5-16-51	RE-INSTITUTED as #3455
2999	FR BLANCHET	CAMAS	9-8-46	
3044	OKANOGAN VALLEY	OMAK	5-12-47	DISSOLVED 3/31/55
3044	OKANOGAN VALLEY	OKANOGAN	3-30-99	REINSTITUTED
3153	COLUMBIA BASIN	EPHRATA	5-9-48	
3307	RICHLAND	RICHLAND	4-16-50	
3361	JOHN E O'BRIEN	OAK HARBOR	11-26-50	
3455	CLARKSTON	CLARKSTON	5-16-51	REINSTITUTED
3598	AUBURN	AUBURN	4-30-53	
3611	FR TREUNET	ANACORTES	3-21-53	DISSOLVED 1960 RE-INSTITUTED 1980
3645	RENTON	RENTON	4-27-53	
4196	JOHN E MERTENS	SPOKANE VALLEY	4-6-56	
4322	ST FRANCES CABRINI	LAKWOOD	1-7-57	

<u>4367</u>	MOSES LAKE	MOSES LAKE	2-17-57	
<u>4385</u>	ST LOUISE-OVERLAKE	BELLEVUE	3-21-57	
<u>4782</u>	ST JOSEPH	VANCOUVER	4-27-57	
<u>5177</u>	N. SEATTLE	N. SEATTLE	8-10-61	
<u>5495</u>	POPE JOHN XXIII	BURIEN	2-13-64	
<u>5816</u>	FR CHIROUSE	LYNNWOOD	3-20-66	
<u>6097</u>	AHTANUM MISSION	YAKIMA	7-8-68	
<u>6686</u>	CARDINAL MINDZENTY	BOTHELL	7-2-75	
<u>6706</u>	ST ELIZABETH SETON	PT ORCHARD	6-27-75	
<u>6806</u>	SPANAWAY	SPANAWAY	5-2-76	
<u>7117</u>	PADRE PIO	BATTLEGROUND	5-4-78	
<u>7149</u>	GOLDDALE	GOLDDALE	7-7-78	
<u>7356</u>	HOLY FAMILY	FERNDALE	6-12-79	
<u>7360</u>	PULLMAN	PULLMAN	6-13-79	
<u>7528</u>	ST JOSEPH	FEDERAL WAY	3-15-80	
<u>7642</u>	OBADIAH	KIRKLAND	8-12-80	
<u>7863</u>	F. HARRINGTON	MARYSVILLE	3-29-82	
<u>7907</u>	FR McGIRL	ISSAQAH	11-22-81	
<u>7908</u>	ST THERESA	FEDERAL WAY	12-3-81	
<u>8015</u>	STILLAGUAMISH	ARLINGTON	3-29-82	
<u>8079</u>	CENTENNIAL	DES MOINES	5-5-82	
<u>8102</u>	ST JUDE	REDMOND	5-14-82	
<u>8136</u>	SACRED HEART	BELLEVUE	6-18-82	
<u>8137</u>	ST CHARLES	SPOKANE	6-14-82	
<u>8150</u>	KENT	KENT	6-24-82	
<u>8179</u>	KENNEWICK	KENNEWICK	9-10-82	
<u>8201</u>	ST JOHN VIANNEY	SPOKANE	10-12-82	
<u>8266</u>	ST PASCHAL	SPOKANE	12-8-82	
<u>8294</u>	LADY OF GUADALUPE	YAKIMA	3-7-83	DISSOLVED 8-5-85
<u>8297</u>	MSGR O'FLAHERTY	POULSBO	3-3-83	
<u>8311</u>	RASCKO/MAGNOLIA	SEATTLE	3-24-83	
<u>8398</u>	ST PETER	SPOKANE	11-30-83	
<u>8437</u>	MSGR McGRATH	SEATTLE	7-11-83	
<u>8455</u>	SEQUIM	SEQUIM	7-24-83	
<u>8476</u>	CAMANO/STANWOOD	CAMANO/STANWOOD	12-15-83	
<u>8672</u>	SEDRO WOOLLEY	SEDRO WOOLLEY	4-5-84	
<u>8768</u>	OUR LADY OF LOURDES	SELAH	8-12-84	
<u>8872</u>	COLBERT	COLBERT	2-10-85	
<u>9145</u>	ST ROSE	CHENEY	12-3-85	
<u>9237</u>	MARY QUEEN	SPOKANE	2-27-86	
<u>9238</u>	ST NICHOLAS	GIG HARBOR	3-3-86	
<u>9434</u>	NORTH CREEK	MILL CREEK	11-18-86	
<u>9605</u>	ST PIUS X	MOUNTLAKE TERRACE	7-7-87	
<u>9617</u>	CASCADE	EVERETT	8-6-87	
<u>9637</u>	RAINIER	BUCKLEY/ENUMCLAW	9-30-87	
<u>9664</u>	ST MICHAEL	SNOHOMISH	12-6-87	
<u>9721</u>	ASSUMPTION BVM	SPOKANE	2-5-88	DISSOLVED 3-1-2005
<u>9721</u>	ST MARY PRESENTATION	DEER PARK	3-1-2005	NUMBER REISSUED
<u>9833</u>	OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE	SAMMAMISH	6-9-88	
<u>9910</u>	ST MARY OF THE VALLEY	MONROE	11-5-88	
<u>9941</u>	FAIRHAVEN	BELLINGHAM	12-13-88	DISSOLVED 6-2003

				NUMBER REISSUED
<u>9941</u>	DAVID BARBER	BURLINGTON	6-2003	
<u>10532</u>	SARGE BRYANT	PT. TOWNSEND	1-2-91	
<u>10534</u>	OUR LADY OF FATIMA	SPOKANE	1-8-91	
<u>10543</u>	SACRED HEART	PROSSER	1-4-91	
<u>10652</u>	THE FOUR CHAPLAINS	FT. LEWIS/McCHORD	6-19-91	
<u>10653</u>	HOLY SPIRIT	KENNEWICK	6-19-91	
<u>10664</u>	ST. MADELEINE SOPHIE	BELLEVUE	4-14-93	
<u>11085</u>	MSGR. F X PREFONTAINE	SEATTLE	4-14-93	
<u>11134</u>	ST THOMAS MORE	SPOKANE	6-17-93	
<u>11217</u>	FR THEODORE P SULLIVAN	SHORELINE	11-18-93	
<u>11252</u>	JOHN HENRY NEWMAN	WOODLAND	1-22-94	
<u>11253</u>	ST THOMAS	TUKWILA	1-25-94	
<u>11357</u>	ST. HUBERT	LANGLEY	6-1-94	
<u>11408</u>	ST. JOHN MARY VIANNEY	KIRKLAND	8-11-94	
<u>11478</u>	BISHOP BERNARD J TOPEL	ELTOPIA/CONNELL	1-15-95	
<u>11611</u>	ST JOSEPH	OTIS ORCHARDS	6-24-95	
<u>11642</u>	FR JOHN A WALSH	MERCER ISLAND	9-26-95	
<u>11736</u>	ST. PIUS X	QUINCY	3-24-96	DISSOLVED 6-1-2010
<u>11736</u>	ST BARBARA	BLACK DIAMOND	6-1-2010	NUMBER REISSUED
<u>11762</u>	ST. JOHN BOSCO	LAKWOOD	4-19-96	
<u>11780</u>	HARRY J TUCKER JR	COVINGTON	5-5-96	
<u>11789</u>	HOLY TRINITY	BREMERTON	5-16-96	
<u>11906</u>	SNOQUALMIE VALLEY	SNOQUALMIE	12-19-96	
<u>11948</u>	HOLY DISCIPLES	PUYALLUP	4-4-97	
<u>12002</u>	PRINCE OF PEACE	BELFAIR	6-16-97	
<u>12175</u>	FR RICHARD STOHR	SEATTLE	3-26-98	
<u>12251</u>	ARCH THOMAS J MURPHY	BAINBRIDGE ISLAND	6-18-98	
<u>12273</u>	COLVILLE	COLVILLE	8-26-98	
<u>12420</u>	ST BENEDICT SCHWIEZER	LYNDEN	6-27-99	
<u>12483</u>	VISITATION COUNCIL	TACOMA	7-24-99	
<u>12583</u>	ST ALOYSIUS GONZAGA	SPOKANE	11-1-99	
<u>12591</u>	MOTHER THERESA	EDMONDS	4-21-00	
<u>12786</u>	ST MICHAEL	KELSO-CASTLE ROCK	9-25-00	
<u>12889</u>	MSGR ACHTERGAEL	SEATTLE	3-15-01	
<u>12899</u>	HOLY REDEEMER	VANCOUVER	4-2-01	
<u>12983</u>	ST JOHN EVANGELIST	VANCOUVER	9-21-01	
<u>13186</u>	HOLY APOSTLES	EAST WENATCHEE	7-1-02	
<u>13238</u>	ST CHARLES BORROMEO	TACOMA	11-23-02	
<u>13364</u>	SACRED HEART	ENUMCLAW	7-18-03	
<u>13374</u>	ST STEPHEN MARTYR	RENTON	7-27-03	
<u>13395</u>	FR JOHN LABOON	SILVERDALE	9-22-03	
<u>13422</u>	BUD DORR	COUPEVILLE	11-26-03	
<u>13462</u>	ST BERNADETTE	BURIEN	2-12-04	
<u>13560</u>	HOLY CROSS	GRANITE FALLS	6-12-04	
<u>13597</u>	OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS	LEAVENWORTH	8-24-04	
<u>13606</u>	COUNCIL OF JESUS	SEATTLE	8-13-04	
<u>13761</u>	ASSUMPTION	SEATTLE	3-28-05	
<u>13794</u>	POPE JOHN PAUL II	SEATTLE	5-9-05	
<u>13831</u>	MSGR JOHN O'DONNELLY	SPOKANE	6-14-05	
<u>13834</u>	ST BRIDGET	SEATTLE	6-14-05	
<u>14046</u>	TERESA OF CALCUTTA	WOODINVILLE	5-29-06	

<u>14162</u>	ST MARTIN OF TOURS	FIFE	8-28-06
<u>14268</u>	PEND OREILLE	NEWPORT	4-16-07
<u>14394</u>	MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL	SPOKANE	10-18-07
<u>14510</u>	HOLY FAMILY	FAIRCHILD AFB	4-23-08
<u>14689</u>	ST LUKE	SHORELINE	2-15-09
<u>14852</u>	ST MATTHEW	SEATTLE	9-28-09
<u>14922</u>	OUR LADY OF LOURDES	SPOKANE	12-22-09
<u>14926</u>	H. A. REINHOLD	SUNNYSIDE	12-22-09
<u>15136</u>	ST JOSEPH THE WORKER	SUMNER-ORTING	10-15-10
<u>15143</u>	ST ALOYSIUS	SPOKANE	10-12-10
<u>15338</u>	JOHN PEYTON	SEATTLE	AUG – 2011
<u>15462</u>	ST ANNE	TACOMA	2-29-12
<u>15538</u>	ST EDWARDS	SEATTLE	7/16/12
<u>15684</u>	CLE ELUM/ROSLYN	CLE ELUM – ROSLYN	4/25/13
<u>15689</u>	FR. STEVE ROMAN	OCEAN SHORES	4/24/13
<u>15730</u>	ST. JAMES	VANCOUVER	5/17/13
<u>15721</u>	N AMERICAN MARTYRS	SEATTLE	5/28/13

SUBORDINATE COUNCILS

In the local histories and biographies that follow, the charter offices have been abbreviated as below. An * indicates the individual later served as grand knight.

Chaplain (Chap)	Grand Knight (GK)	Deputy Grand Knight (DGK)
Chancellor (Chan)	Financial Secretary (FS)	Treasurer (Treas)
Advocate (Adv)	Recorder (Rec)	Warden (W)
Lecturer (Lect)	Inside Guard (IG)	Outside Guard (OG)
Trustees (TR)		

ABERDEEN - Aberdeen Council 1449

Council Historians: Joseph Novak and Rod Jenny

Grays Harbor Council 1449 was instituted on November 21, 1909, with 33 Insurance and 21 Associate members by District Deputy John M. Boyle. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees were conferred by teams from Tacoma Council 809. The charter was signed by Supreme Knight James A Flaherty. The charter members and officers were:

Richard E Allington	John F Baisch Treas	Thomas R Black IG
S Blattner	G W Boyle	William Cain
Joseph N Caron	Edwin S Conway	L C Cournoyer
Thomas D Cummings	E J Damitio Lect	Paul A Delage
Wilfred Delage	Adam V Dimler	W J Egerer GK
C H Fitzgerald	Chris Foelkner	William Foelkner
Wm J Fogarty	Anthony Gorman	John F Hannegan
Fred W Hastert*	Patrick R Hogan TR	Francis M Hourigan
Edward T Kelley	Charles Larkin	Michael J Lawless
Albert V LeClerc	Alex MacDonald	Geo W Makurath TR
Hugh F Maloney Chan	J E McGillicuddy W	Gustave J Meyer
V E Miller	R E Moore	Harry Noonan
A E O'Connor FS	Patrick O'Sullivan	John B Quinn Adv
George B Reid TR *	William L Reid Rec	A F Richard
Claude M Richards	Rev Patrick Ryan	J W Sheridan OG
Charles M Stein	Rev Gustave Treunet	Jerome Walter
Teddy Wolkowicz	J W Young	

The first meeting of record was held on November 29, 1909 to elect officers. This meeting was conducted by acting chairman A E O'Connor. In 1913, with the formation of Hoquiam Council 1674, the Grays Harbor Council 1449 requested, and was granted permission, to be renamed as "Aberdeen Council 1449". Our councils hosted the State Conventions in 1911, 1935 and 1959. With the growth the State Council has experienced, this would be more or less impossible today.

This council has always been the strong right arm of the Church in Aberdeen and always will be. Whenever there is a need in the parish, the council is always there to help. We also strongly support our parish school. Each year the council donates several thousand dollars to help finance Catholic education in Aberdeen along with countless hours of volunteer labor.

This council has many fine members. One such member was Joseph Novak. Joe was an active member for over 60 years. During these years he served as Grand Knight 4 times, District Deputy twice for a total of 6 years (54-57 and 78-81), a delegate to the State Convention 23 times

and a delegate to the Supreme Convention twice. Joe was a dedicated Knight and when involved in the various ceremonials his part was always from memory. Joe was always there when needed and called upon. He was a fine example for our council. This council has been active for the past 98 years and, by the grace of God, will be active for many years to come.

ANACORTES - Father Treunet Council 3611

Council Historian: William L Maris

Father Treunet Council 3611 was instituted on March 19, 1953 in Anacortes by District Deputy John Weckert. In the month of January 1953, Leo Carty, a representative of the New Council Development Department of the Supreme Council; D. D. John Weckert and Field Agent Vern Raschko found themselves in the rectory of St Mary's church at the behest of Father Theodore Sullivan. Father Ted wanted a Knights of Columbus council and they were about to learn that what Father wanted, Father usually got.

The problem became one of time. Vern Raschko returned to Anacortes in February, working with Father each day. At the end of the week Vern had personally interviewed every candidate. At the time there was a requirement for at least 50% insurance membership. Thus it was that Knights of Columbus Council 3611 was instituted with 33 insurance and 30 associate members. The Council Institution Day began with Mass and Father Ted extolled the formation with the words "Starting today, we are going to change the history of Anacortes." The council quickly assumed the role of the parish men's organization. The initial officers are indicated in the list of charter members below:

Dennis Adams	George E Baloga	Frank L Barcott
James L Barth	Paul C Bergner	Arthur M Biehl Treas
Harold E Biehl	William A Brothers	Salvador A Carrabba
Alfred J Chiabai	Kenneth A Christopherson	Robert A Diti
Vincent B Dragovich	George H Everley	Paul R Flint FS
Anthony G Francin	Paul Franulovich	Rudolph Franulovich
James B Funk	Arthur E Ginnett	Bernard A Gresbink
Leonard C Hoehn	Joseph J Kagan	George F Kertis
Ernest J Kidder Lect	Gordon E Kidder	John J Lee
Daniel E LeSage	Leo A Luech	Roy A Maricich
J Bertram McCarron	Cornelius Meenan	Kenneth E Merz
Frank H Miskoski	Thomas M Montague Adv	Alex E Morin
Anthony I Mustacich Rec	Marvin A Nelson	Vernon C Pierce
Leon C Pretti	Theophili A Pumarlo	Earl B Rodgers
Vincent M Ryan	James J Sangaret	Claude F Schoos
Ray A Separaovich	William C Sim	Romaine P Soucy
Wayne J Soucy	Charles T Spink DGK	John T Station Jr
Glenn A Stevens	Rev Theodore P Sullivan Chap	Samuel M Surrett
Gary E Thomas	Matt Troha	Ralph A Weber
L C Weekley GK	Francis B Weekman	John J Wittman
Filip Zuvela		

The first meeting of record was conducted by District Deputy John Weckert and called to order at 8:10 p.m. March 13, 1953. A telegram of congratulations from Bishop Dougherty was read. The first gavel was presented by Everett Council 763. Brother Paul Franulovich made a motion to name the council for Father Gustave Treunet, seconded by Brother Gordon Kidder and carried. Election of Officers was held and their installation scheduled for March 26th. The Constitutional Roll was signed by 45 members in attendance. The council received the Supreme Council Insurance Honor Roll in 1955-56.

Due to differences between the pastor and the council, the council leadership requested assistance and guidance from the State Deputy. The last entry of record was January 11, 1960. In July, 1960 the State Deputy, State Chaplain and Vern Raschko returned to Anacortes. The council's charter was quietly suspended and the members transferred to nearby councils.

In 1980, under the leadership of State Deputy Harry J Tucker Jr; D.D. Henry Therrien; George Baloga; Ralph Eaton and James Beaner work was begun to restore the charter. The record of the minutes of the Board of Directors of the Supreme Council for August 16-21, 1980 stated: "VOTED, that the request of State Deputy Harry J Tucker Jr, Washington, for permission to reinstitute Council 3611, Anacortes be approved and that the indebtedness of \$1,536.36 owed by the council be waived." The council record of the reinstated council shows that their first meeting was conducted



*George Baloga, GK, Henry Therrien, DD, Harry Tucker, SD,
Rev. Ogrodowski,*

September 23, 1980 by newly elected Grand Knight George Baloga - one of the original charter members. He was succeeded by Ralph Eaton (1981-83); James Beaner (1983-84) and William Maris (1984-86).

Since re-chartering, the Council has become very active in the parish and community. The council sponsors an annual dinner-dance as a fund-raiser for the Anacortes Food Bank and holds monthly breakfasts for council operating funds and our scholarship program. We have had a fine series of Family Night programs and we celebrate all national and religious holidays. This includes sponsoring a float in the annual Christmas parade and BRING CHRIST BACK INTO CHRISTMAS posters in the windows of local merchants. Since 1982 we have had joint potluck dinners with the Masonic Lodge.

The council has received a number of awards from Supreme Council including the Star Council Award in 1983 and in 1984. At the request of the Parish Coordinating Council in 1983, the Knights of Columbus now has a voting member of that Council.

ARLINGTON - Stillaguamish Council 8015

Council Historian: Terry W Doiron

The first work in the institution of Stillaguamish Council was done in the latter part of 1981. After the first organizational meetings, there were six 1st Degrees from December 8, 1981 to March 28, 1982. From the very beginning, we worked to have the date of institution as March 29, 1982 - the 100th anniversary of the Order. With the help of District Deputy Harold A Knox, Supreme Council Membership Director Frank Sullivan and the long distance telephone, council 8015 was instituted at 10:30 a.m., March 29, 1982 with 34 members - 26 new, 3 transfers and 5 reinstements.

Terry W Doiron served as Grand Knight for the remainder of the 1981-82 council year and was reelected for 1982-83. Our second Grand Knight was Paul W Nichols (83-84) under whom we achieved 800% of our membership quota. Charles L Shipley was elected Grand Knight for 1984-85. The charter members of our council were:

Larry W Bell

Jay Carey

Terry W Doiron **GK**

Fred T Hillis

Darrell D Bergam*

Bernard M Connolly

Rev Oliver F Duggan **Chap**

Heraclio B Holquin

Timothy L Brockman

Steven T Doiron

Jose P Gonzalez

Ron K Huitger

Edmund S Keough	Lawrence A Kuney	John R Larsen
Robert O Lasher FS*	Joseph F Marsh	Thomas R Meehan
Paul W Nichols*	Louis A Patayon	Edward L Pelanconi
K Al Perrault	Thomas D Purcell	John F Satushek
Charles L Shipley*	Peter A Shipley	Ralph V Shull
Edmund M Thomas	Myron J Thomas	Jack C Underwood
Joseph C Weller	Joseph D Weller	Robert A Weller
Robert M Reis		

During our first year we concentrated on finishing our new church. While it was an all-parish effort, the Knights were prominent in the effort. During our second year we started an excellent council newsletter; achieved 800% of membership quota; participated in the PFH and RTL programs; had a Spoon Taco Fund-raiser in the summer; cooperated with the Parish Council to put on a Baron-of-Beef Dinner to raise \$2,100.00 for the Arlington Food Bank and sponsored Friday night dances for the middle school students. We hold an annual Awards Banquet in March, the anniversary month of our charter. Once a month we serve breakfast after each Mass to promote community togetherness within the parish.

AUBURN - Auburn Council 3598

Auburn Council 3598 was instituted on April 30, 1953 by District Deputy Owen F Gallagher with 88 members - 44 Insurance and 44 Associate. The charter members and charter officers were:

Joseph N Allman Jr	Patrick A Hahn	L A Peterson Treas
Lee B Baerney	Cornelius J Hauge*	Joseph A Pierre
Leopold Baerney	Severen B Hauge	Edward Ploegman
Jerome W Bartro	Napoleon R Hebert	George Prenvost
Robert J Bartro	Marvin T Herard	Thomas F Quinn
Leon T Bastrom*	Ford J Higgins	Robert J Raney
Jacob J Bastrom	Harold T Hughes	Leslie C Roberts GK
Charles E Blacksmith	Thomas F Johns	Norman L Roberts
James Bodine	Leon T Kashmark Adv	Julian R Sauvageau
Clement Boulanger	Chris Klontz	Francis J Schade
Martin J Brannon FS*	Edward Klontz	Raymond A Schumsky
Richard L Brouelette*	George Klontz	Daniel J Sinclair
Dean M Carson	Lawrence E Klontz	Donald D Small Rec*
Dario S Cugini	Thomas P Klontz	Maurice M Smith
Warren W Dingus	Henry S Kostanski	Leo J Smith
Matt Doll	Neil F Lemke	Louie J Spane
Glen N Dragseth	Richard C Lynch	Thomas Thielin
Pious T Eberle	Francis T McGuire	Ernest Thomas
Lawrence E Edgar	Roger F McGuire	Bruno Ungherini
Lawrence J Eixenberger	Neil McLean	Peter T Wagner
Stephen B Fallert*	Rev Michael P Meade Chap	Arthur D Weiher
Joe M Feist	Dean P Miller DGK*	Alfred E Kralowec
John J Frey	Michael Mitchell	Elmer E Sauroil
Leonard J Gantz Jr	Paul Moceri	Charles M Oskers
Leonard J Gantz Sr	John R Moloney	Silas L Grogan
Leonard Garneau*	William N Murphy	Richard J Gius
Harvey L O'Brien	Harold L Grannum	Thomas J O'Connell*
Harvey D Greenwood	Thomas J O'Neill	

Auburn council has a long history of Church, Community and Fraternal involvement. We began Clergy Night, Ladies Night, Memorial Masses and Golf Tournaments almost from the beginning. We have traditionally believed in 'visitations' to other councils and have made many friends in our neighboring councils as a result.

In 1965 we renovated our old meeting place and turned it into a council hall. For 21 years it served as a fine place to have parties and dances. We then sold our hall in 1986 and now meet in the Holy Family Parish Hall. Our annual New Year's Eve Party continues to be an outstanding event. Our annual Salmon Dinner is also very popular. These events allowed us to pay off the hall before its sale in 1986.

We continue to support our church with ushers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers and other volunteers. We participate in the Federal Surplus Food Distribution program each Wednesday, distributing food to 300-400 families weekly. We currently sponsor the Cub Scout Pack for Holy Family Parish. We have provided leadership within our District and in the State Council. In fact, one of our former members - Harry J. Tucker Jr - was elected State Deputy (1978-81) and Supreme Warden as well.

BAINBRIDGE ISLAND - Archbishop Thomas J. Murphy Council 12251

Archbishop Thomas J Murphy Council was instituted at Bainbridge Island on June 18, 1998. The charter members were:

Clem P Aquino	Roger P Belieu	William D Blaske
Gary J Carter	John R Charles	Wallace E Couch
Kenneth R DeWitt	John J Dugan	Joseph W Eberharter
Anthony L Farrell	Richard E Freepons	Phillip A Gilbert
Rev Patrick B Godley	Gary W Hendrickson	Stacy Innerst
Peter J Jancola	Kenyon P Kellogg	Mark E Langley
Donald E Liewer	John W Maher	Raymond G Malonson
Mark P McVay	James D Meacham	Richard C O'Brien
James G O'Donnell	James M Olsen	George R Overacker
Stephen C Plunkett	Neill P Raymond	Robert L Refvem
Rodrigo V Rimando Sr	Charles D Rose	Frederick J Scheffler
Leo C Schilling	Patrick R Vasicek	Thad J Wilcox

BATTLEGROUND - Padre Pio Council 7117

Padre Pio Council 7117 was instituted on May 4, 1978 by District Deputy Robert J Remington with 46 members - 19 new, 10 reinstements and 17 transfers. The Charter Members were:

Carl Anderson	Eldine Foral FS	Kenneth Oslund
Richard Atwell	Rev John Frankovic	Bruce Plamondon
George Baranek	Adam Fritz	Martin Plamondon
Floyd Barrett	Gideon Fry	Don Polen
Robert Blackman	Robert Fry	John Rotchford GK
Lavern Boespflug	Jerry Hadaller	Edward Rubbelke
Rocco Bria	John F Hadaller*	Pete Samwel
Patrick Brown	Glen Hansen	Phil Schaefer
Roger Cossette	Jack Koopman	Rev Richard Stohr
James Dhanens	John Linster	Jerome Studer

Ronald Eason	Tim Linster	Robert Taetz
Gerald Edwards	Robert Mayer	Tom Triplett
Roger Emter	Hubert Mitten Jr	Clayton Weir
James Emter	Ken Nolan	Dennis Weisser
Walter Emter	Jim L Olson*	Dennis O Engel*
William Fleming		

The council has been in Battleground since its beginning but represents and has membership from the four parishes of Sacred Heart (Battleground), St John's (Vancouver), St Mary's (Ridgefield) and St Joseph's (Yacolt). The council started from the efforts of parish members who were Knights from other areas and who desired a local council. With considerable push from State Deputy Harry J Tucker, St Joseph Council in Vancouver and support from Father Richard Stohr they were able to get the council started.

From the beginning it was Padre Pio Council, named after an Italian Capuchin priest (1887-1968), a stigmatic, who lived a tortured, saintly life. Proceedings have recently begun toward his beatification. Because of his exemplary life, it was thought appropriate to have the council as his namesake. In the early days of the council it was difficult to get a quorum for meetings but, by the end of the first year, events were developing. The council's first birthday celebration included a Mass, dinner and dance with a large, lively turnout. This council has concentrated on Family and Church activities. We have supported our own parishes with CCD instructors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, maintenance, equipment and furniture purchases and many other ways. The Eucharistic ministers serve the nursing homes in the area as well as at Mass. We have distributed a booklet "A Treasury of Prayers" to all CCD students in four parishes in response to the complaint that many of the children didn't know the simplest prayers.

Since 1980, we have had monthly Bingo parties at the nearby Larch Mountain Correctional Center. We have a monthly paper drive and a portable food booth which we operate at the nearby fairs. We provide turkeys for St Vincent DePaul food baskets at Thanksgiving; provide continual support to seminarians; and conduct various family social activities including an annual summer picnic and monthly pot lucks. The council operates a fireworks stand over the 4th of July and provides a terrific steak and crab feed to the Battleground community each spring.

Meetings alternate between Scared Heart and St John churches. Of the 46 charter members, 24 are still with the council. The name "Battleground" came about as the result of a misunderstanding. In 1855 a band of Lewis River Indians were being detained and cared for at Vancouver Army Barracks to try to keep them from joining the warring Yakamas. There were several Indian uprisings at the time. The Indians left the Fort one night and Capt. William Strong led Troop A of the Washington State Volunteers out to bring them back. They caught up with the Indians at "Old Burn". They held a parley and the Indians agreed to return.

Several shots were fired to celebrate and Chief Umtuch was given a set of white men's clothing which he promptly donned. The chief then rode out to tell his people of the decision. One of the Indian scouts shot him, thinking him to be an escaping soldier because of the shots that had been fired. Another parley was held. Captain Strong, a judge in civilian life, decided to give the Indians extra time to bury their chief. The soldiers returned without a single Indian. The frightened women of the Fort were outraged that he had been so soft-hearted and so gullible as to believe that the Indians would return promptly. They reacted by raising a red petticoat on the flagpole as the captain's 'standard' for 'bravery and courage.' The Indians did return the next day, however. The negotiation grounds were soon dubbed "Strong's Battleground." This was soon shortened to "Battleground" though no battle occurred there.

BELFAIR - Prince of Peace Council 12002

Prince of Peace Council 12002 was instituted on June 16, 1997 by District Deputy Edward Hebert Sr. Charter members were:

Rev Victor A Cloquel	Rev Dennis C Sivila	John J Amo
Arthur F Anderson	Jim L Berry	Robert L Bikenmann
Antonio V Caligdorg	Arthur L Cecil Jr	Brian C Cecil
Antonio C Champac	Michael P Fitzsimons	Charles R Flynn
George B Fouts	Leonard V Friend	Jon R Gonzalez
Ricky G Gonzales	Gerald T Homel	Francisco Hernandez Jr
Donald L Hockhans	Mark S Lincoln	Bernard V Lum
Jimmie P Manning	Walter F Marocco Jr	Robert C McKinley DGK
Melvin J McPerson	Daniel J Morningred	Antonio G Peredo
Roy Q Santos	Gary L Schellenburger	William J Sutherland FS
Richard W Swearerger	Harry W Tachell GK	Harry W Tachell II
Charles Williams	Donald R Williamson II	Lanny E Zwan

Father Dennis Sivila, District Deputy Ed Hebert, charter Grand Knight Harry Tachell and charter Financial Secretary William Sutherland are singled out for special mention for their work in forming the Council. The council has grown steadily since its formation.

Since our inception the council has been the 'go to' organization for the parish. We provide support for all activities of the parish. Some of our primary support efforts have been for Self Advocates of Washington and Toys for Tots.

BELLEVUE - St. Louise-Overlake Council 4385

Council Historians: George C Turk & Joseph J Rasnack Jr

The process of starting the council began with a first visit by New Council Development (NCD) Chairman Wallace Barnett and Vern Raschko to the pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Bellevue on December 11, 1956. Five weeks were spent in talking to the men that the pastor had recommended. January 22, 1957 marked the first organizational meeting and February 19th was set for the first general meeting. As it happened, February 19th was the heaviest snowfall of the year but we had 40 men present at that meeting. PSD Arthur Boyle, Verne Raschko and assistant pastor Father Foyle spoke to the men. At the end, all but three of those present signed applications for Charter Membership. The framework of building the council was assured - only finishing remained.

On March 11, 1957 the first meeting of record was held. The 1st Degree was exemplified for 22 candidates by the Renton degree team under GK Fred Abraham. Officers were elected at this meeting and the council was officially instituted on March 18, 1957 by District Deputy Wallace Barnett. The Charter Members and Officers were:

L Albrecht	Rev D Foyle	A J Niemic
J S Barger	Clint J Garrod*	T C Nooney
C Baylon	R Gotz	V M Noelke
L D Beck	E Jackson Haasze Adv	T L Otis
G Bertrand	David H Haggerty Treas	F C Pedrizette
Rev S Boyle	W R Halvorsen	Frank Perron
E Brodie	Joe Harrison Sr	Fred Peschel*
T J Callaghan	L Herkenrath	Bruce H Ransom*
Ted R Colgan Rec	F Hoffman	J T Ryan
Donald Conces	H R Jackson	W A Ryba
Hugh Corbett	Neil T Johnson*	R Schmaus
J Cully E Kauf	F K Schuckardt	Michael J Delaney
John Kennedy	Donald Strodel	Phil DeTurk
James F Klansnic	J M Stoner	E E Diller Jr

William H Knight DGK *	C J Sweeney	J R Dishaw
W E Kovall FS	J L Thornton	K Dugan
J J Lein	George Waham	J A Eiser
E Marinig	William A Waham	L J Elser
E McKillop	M R Walter	*Lyman Fellows GK
Rev Gerald T Moore Chap	R E Westerman	Edward M Fitzgerald
L E Mousseau	P E Whittey	Edward Flemming

On March 31, 1957 the Charter 3rd Degree class was held in conjunction with Seattle 676's Diamond Jubilee class. At the Charter Class Banquet in Bellevue the speakers were Supreme Warden Lawrence Cohen; State Deputy Norman S Herring; State Chaplain Msgr Hugo Pautler and the pastor of Sacred Heart Church (and council Chaplain) Father Gerald Moore.

The first Grand Knight was Lyman Fellows who had his own council 1st Degree Team ready for its first exemplification on May 9th. Within the first full year after institution the council had already adopted most of the programs and social events that we have maintained during the first 32 years of our existence. We have subsequently added the PFH; Family of the Month/Year; PGK and RTL programs.

We began a program of 'visitations' to other nearby councils in 1963.

In 1968 we began a program of providing pallbearers; helping the retarded at Fircrest and providing a Christmas party (frequently on a cruise on the Virginia V on Lake Washington); helping the disadvantaged in the Central Area of Seattle through the Francis House for a period of about 17 years. In 1970 the Francis House received 5845 items of clothing, beds, mattresses, refrigerators, heaters and furniture plus 103 large Christmas baskets and 2 dozen cases of food.

In 1970 we began our annual Patio Parties and Ladies Appreciation Night in 1971. In 1972-73 we began our Mixed Bowling league with 8 teams (later increased to 12), started our scholarship program and the Blood Bank reached 200 pints.

In 1972 we hosted the State Convention and again in 1986. We have maintained a very active schedule of programs in several areas. Our council has provided leadership at the District and State levels. The District Deputies were Lyman Fellows; Robert Hungate; Joseph Rasnack; Donald Daoust; Robert McNerney; John Gasser; Richard Cogswell; Frank Traeger and Paul Jeney. Past State Deputy George Turk was elected to all of the State Offices and we have had many State Chairmen (State Bulletin Editors George Vale, Neil Johnson, George Turk & Joe Rasnack; Family - Don Daoust; Public Relations George Ganzkow and George Turk; Ceremonials Bob Hungate & George Turk; Membership Bob Hungate; PFH George Turk and Don Daoust; Fraternal Don Daoust; Gen Program George Turk and Audit Committee -10 years- John Cantrill).

We obtained and moved into our council hall in 1976 although the formal dedication was not until September, 1979. We serve coffee and doughnuts; have 4 or 5 blood drives annually – up to 350 pints a year; hold dinners and potlucks; kids and family Christmas parties; donation of food baskets to needy families at Christmas and Thanksgiving (10-11 each); the Free Throw



(l to r) Russ Youngs, Paul Barlow, Lang Weinberg, unknown, Mike Seimion, Joe Rasnack, Fred Bailey, Jerry Farrell, Paul Jeney

Contest – usually 150+ participants. We support nine seminarians through the RSVP program (\$4,500.00) and \$1000 annually to the State Council PFH program.

We have many social events: dinners, PGK & Knight of Year banquet; Ladies' Appreciation Night dinner; council picnic; steak fries; patio party and the like. We have an annual \$2000 college scholarship and provide honor guards at Holy Week services. The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, on the pastoral council and CCD instructors for all masses and special events.

BELLEVUE - Sacred Heart Council 8136

Council Historian: James E Klansnic

Sacred Heart Council 8136 was instituted on June 18, 1982 by District Deputy John R. Gasser with 30 members. By the time the application for charter was sent in there were 53 members. The Charter Members and the first officers were:

Charles T Barnes	William N Fodor	M E Nourse
Harvey M Beery	Harold J Frost	Eugene B O'Donnell
Michael J Braschayko	Bronislaus J Ginter	Paul M Oscar*
Russell L Brown*	Joseph W Harrison	Edward E Potts
E Joseph Bullock	William D Hart	Francis J Powers Jr
Theodore R Colgan	Charles F Hollenbeck	Rev Harold F Quigg
Hugh W Corbett	Donald E Jordan	Jay P Quinn*
J W Davis MD	Bernard L Kaifer	Walt R Shigley
Charles J DeCaro	Joseph S Kane	D M Starovasnik
F M DeGroot	James E Klansnic*	Anthony J Suk
John R DiJulio	R R Lambert	Jerome P Thielges
Michael D Driver	Ricardo M Linsao	Aldo J Vettori
John J Dugan GK	James B Maher	Frank J Wald
Leo J Elbert Jr	James W Maloney	F C Walkley Sr
Donald V Felling	Hugh A McKevitt	Milton R Walter DDS
Earl J Fessler	John M Meehan	W E Wright
Paul G Firnstuhl	Virgilio G Mendoza	R T Wade
Edward M Fitzgerald*	James C Norman	

From the very beginning, this council has been dedicated to this parish. In its first week of its existence, our members were painting the two portable classrooms for Sacred Heart School. We have spent many hours remodeling the rectory and the Education Center renovation. These and other projects for our parish have been our first priority since our inception. This does not mean that this is our only focus.

We begin our meetings with the rosary. Our members spend many service hours at Overlake Hospital. We have begun a Scholarship program and have contributed 40% of the cost of bleachers for the parish school gym. We have a certified First Degree Team and have won the Division Membership awards for "Most Members Added" and "Highest Percentage of New Members." We have assisted in sponsoring parish dinners. We sponsored a CPR class for the parish in 1983. We are a young council but we are going great.

BELLEVUE - St. Madeleine Sophie Council 10664

St. Madeleine Sophie Council 10664 was instituted in Bellevue on April 14, 1993 by District Deputy William D. White. The charter members were:

Robert L Arnzen	Manning H Barr	Mitchell M Berry*
James Blown	Donald L Carlson	J Stewart Corbett

Joseph E Cosgrove
Lahmer O Dunn
William J Grant
Gary D Hitzel
Thomas J Kraft
Lawrence E McGuire
Ray P Passmore
Edward S Rogers
Richard C Strom
Thomas J Widden

Donald M Daoust
Thomas M Finnelly
Wallace Gri
Cosmas Kleinfelder
Michael E Langston
Richard H Noethuch
David M Rambin
Garrett B Schwartz
Eugene F Styer

Kelly J Daoust
Gerald X Giuntoli
Thomas E Gross
Roy W Koczarski
William L Lindemann
Peter M O'Brien
Rev George O Rink
James R Short
Charles W Swaner

BELLINGHAM - Bellingham Council 829

Council Historian: Henry Therrien

In the fall of 1903, 38 Catholic gentlemen, members of the Knights of Columbus, petitioned the Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus to issue a charter for a new council in Bellingham to serve both the town and Whatcom County. The petition was granted and a charter was issued, dated December 27, 1903. The new council was named Bellingham Council 829. The charter members and officers were:

John J Blake
Thomas Cain
G E Connolly
J J Donovan
Charles W Francis
Nicholas Jerns
S N Kelly
M Koehler
Joseph S Mate
M J McLaughlin
Bernard Montague
W F O'Connor
John B Wahl

Rev J B Boulet
Philip Casey
M M Connor
Joseph Eserer
Percy J Fuller
Patrick Jessup
Joseph Kemphaus
D J Lafferty
W E McCadden
Stephen McNeil
J J Noethe
John V Padden
Charles D White

D J Cain
William Clarke
Joseph M Dermson
D Evans
P J Geraghty
William J Kelleher
R L Kline
M J Marsh
D J McGartney
Bernard Mescher
O E O'Connor
John W Stall

The council became very active and the gentlemen enthusiastically lent their assistance to the Church, the hospital, to the construction of a parochial school and to a Boy Scout Troop. All

of this gave these Catholic men an active fraternal group and an active part in the social life of the area. At the state and national level, the council participated in the Catholic Advertising program, Pennies for Heaven program and also provided Braille signs and directions at Western Washington University and other public buildings. Through our own Columbus Charities program we help to provide needed funds for the hospital, Assumption School and our parishes.

From the ranks of Council 829 came State Chaplain Father James Barrett; State Advocate Francis Block and five District Deputies: Thomas McMahon; Timothy



(l to r) Back row, Henry Therrien GK, Jeff Smith, Frank Cain, Henry Zinder, Fr. Front row Steve McDonald, Kern McDonald, Mark McDonald, Robert Merrit DD.

Healy; John Westford; Nicholas Jerns and Henry Therrien. The council hosted the State Convention on six occasions. At our Golden Anniversary celebration we initiated 35 candidates to the 3rd Degree. We conceived and initiated the International Peace Arch Picnic starting August 2, 1954.

After renting a hall for many years, the council decided to buy a home. Under the leadership of Grand Knight J. P. McMullen, we acquired the North Street Fire Station on March 22, 1949. We moved in on June 12, 1949 after renovating it. The mortgage burning ceremony was held in September, 1955 under the leadership of GK Knight F Whittaker. Our beloved last living Charter Member, J. Padden, was laid to rest in 1963. We have a 60-year member, Frank Imhoff Jr who received his 3rd degree on May 26, 1929 in Seattle. He has held many offices in the council. The council won the Star Council Award two years in succession in 1974-75 and in 1975-76 under GK Henry Therrien. We celebrated our 75th Anniversary on Saturday, November 4, 1978, and our Centennial Mass and Banquet on November 1, 2003. The Centennial History was compiled by Joseph St. Hilaire during October 2003.

BELLINGHAM – Fairhaven Council 9941

Fairhaven Council 9941 was instituted on December 13, 1988 in Bellingham by District Deputy William L. Maris. The charter members and officers were:

James Bagley TR	Craig J Banning	*Richard E Banning GK
Robert Bloch	John Clancy	Thomas Connor Adv
Louis DeMarco	Michael Dean	John Dunnigan
Leslie Farkas Rec	Charles Gable FS	Leonard Gergan
Mike Gougeon	James Humphrey Chan	Carl Johnson TR
Peter Kust W	Salvatore Lazzara	Michael Lee
Rev David Linehan	John Luvera	John McDonald
Kurt McFadden	Michael McMullen DGK	Mike McMullen II TR
Sylvester Moran	Les Nelson	William Schacht
Kenneth Schacht	Eugene Schmidt	David Schmitz
David Schwab	Carl Taylor	Gregory Thomsen
Jamie Twining	Robert Welch	Larry Williamson
Jerome Wilson Treas		

The start of this council began with a meeting between Father David Linehan (pastor of Sacred Heart Parish), then State Deputy George Turk, State Deputy-Elect Charles A. Sohnly and NCD chairman Harold A Knox on June 1, 1987 and another with Father Madigan (pastor of Assumption parish) on Monday, June 8, 1987. These meetings were held to try to revitalize Bellingham Council 829 which had been declining.

It was decided to try to institute a new council in Sacred Heart Parish and to treat Council 829 - one of the oldest councils in the state - as a new council with its allegiance to Assumption Parish. Both Pastors agreed and work commenced immediately. There were a number of meetings. Several were attended by one or more of the three State Officers living on the West Side - State Deputy Charles A. Sohnly, PSD George Turk and State Advocate Chuck McLean. New District Deputy William Maris and NCD Chairman Harold Knox put in much effort on the institution of this council. By the end of the summer of 1988 Former D.D. Henry Therrien, a long-time member of council 829 who lives only a block from Sacred Heart, decided to transfer to the council. He and his wife Betty then helped in the institution of the council.

The first 1st Degree for this council was on September 29, 1987 for 3 candidates. There were five additional 1st degrees by October 16, 1988 which led to the institution of the council on December 12, 1988. The council is now a year old and working.

DURING THE 2002-2003 FRATERNAL YEAR, THIS COUNCIL WAS DISSOLVED AND
THE NUMBER REISSUED TO **BURLINGTON** - St Charles Council 9941

BLACK DIAMOND – St Barbara Council 11736

The council at Black Diamond was established on June 1, 2010, and received the council number of dissolved council, St Pius X in Quincy. The new charter contains the names of both councils.

St Barbara was instituted by District Deputy Greg Vicars of District 12. The Charter Grand Knight and person spearheading the councils institution was Ray Sagiani. The new name of Council 11736 was changed to St. Barbara Council on August 23, 2010, by the Supreme Council.

BOTHELL - Fr Justin P. Garvey Council 6686

This council was instituted on July 2, 1975, drawing its membership from the three parishes St Brendan's in Bothell, Holy Family in Kirkland and St John Vianney in Kenmore. The Charter Members were:

Kenneth R Brush*	Ronald F Lastufka	Howard M Radermacher
John L Campbell	T J May	P E Redmond III
R R Cariveau	F W McGann	R Riccardo
W C Cole W	Charles F McLean Rec*	Ward W Roney Jr
H Y Cook	Berthold Miller*	John A Sawka Sr TR
T C Craig	Eldon J Miller	E J Sims
J C Cunningham	Michael M Miller IG	W F Sullivan FS
M M Evavold Adv	Leo T Moore Treas	Jacobus Vermeulen
Thomas A Gaines	D G Munsell	John M Wallace
Michael C Hanrahan DGK	D R Munsell	Robt J Willingham OG
C J Kreska Chan	R M Murdoch	T A Tax TR
Tom M Lacy GK	John F O'Dore TR	P Griffin

The council holds its business meeting on the 1st Wednesday and a social meeting on the 3rd Wednesday monthly. In Church activities, the members contribute as lectors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, Liturgy Committee, Parish Council members and in church maintenance. In Council activities, our three most notable events are the annual Columbus Day and St Patrick's Day Dances and our Children's Christmas Party. We participate in Family of the Month/Year and Knight of Month/Year. We have an active Ladies Auxiliary which lends its support to all fraternal activities and which meets monthly.

We re-chartered a Boy Scout Troop and present annual citizenship awards to students at St Brendan's and Holy Family parochial schools. It is in Community Activities that the council has made its greatest impact. Our beginning in this area was in repairing a leaky roof for a destitute family. We added two bedrooms in an attic so that a grandmother could raise her six grandchildren and contributed another 2,000 man hours to restoring a relocated historic house as a Senior Center.

Council members also conduct the annual City of Bothell census and donate the proceeds to the PFH program. For these activities, the council has received commendations from the city of Bothell and the Governor or the State. The State Council awarded its First Place Service Program Award in 1976 and 1st Place Community Activities Award in 1977 and 1978. The Supreme Council also awarded Bothell Council its 3rd Place Community Activities Award in 1978. The council received Star Council Awards in 1976, 1977 and 1978. In 1979 the council moved into a home at 10115 NE 185th St in Bothell. Two historic events in the young life of the council occurred in 1980. The council was divided to help create the new Obadiah Council 7642

in Kirkland, reducing our membership to 105 but did not interfere with the long range goals of the council. We also purchased as site north of Bothell for a permanent home.

We moved into our present council hall at 24323 Bothell Way SE in 1983. Two of our members have served as State Deputy: Charles F McLean (1993-95) and Patrick M Maloney (2003-05).

BREMERTON - Bremerton Council 1379

Centennial History

Bremerton Council 1379 was instituted on February 21, 1909 by District Deputy James J Gorman. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Edward P Anderson
Francis J Bauman
William J Benbennick
A G Benbennick
Robert H Brick
Joseph L Brousseau
Thomas A Byrne
William J Byrne
Frank Byrnes
George Cassinat
Charles L Coleman **FS**
Thos J Coughlan **Lect**
Kieran Daly
Charles A Denzer
Thomas Driscoll
Nicholas Earling
Seymour J Egan **Rec**

Dennis E Ford
Thomas Ford
John M Gibboney **Chan**
George P Hahn
Michael Harvey
Timothy Healy **IG**
John P Heck
Donald A Kennedy
Edward F Kennedy
John L Kiernan
Martin F Kintz
Joseph W Knue
Frank X Lambert
Daniel Larch
Frank Leahy
James McElroy

M F McGowan **DGK**
W Patrick McGrath
Frank A McGuire
Luke J McGuire
Daniel J McInnis
Charles V McLaughlin
George L McTague
Nathaniel A Morrow
Rev J A O'Hagan, CH
Edward J Phillips
Thomas Raines **GK**
Joseph B Rainford
Francis T Ryan
C Van Stralen Treas
Peter J Walsh
John Woods

As might be expected, a number of these men were connected with the Navy Yard. Three were clerks in the Navy Yard; one a seaman; two ship-fitters; one ship-joiner; one coppersmith; three machinists; a machinist's helper; a superintending engineer and a 'sub inspector USNY'. Almost half were employed by the Navy Yard. Perhaps more than half - some of the occupations could have been either civilian or at the Navy Yard.

Since the beginning, the Navy has had an influence on the Bremerton council. Many of our members first came to Bremerton with the Navy and have since made Bremerton their permanent home. We have been active in our programs in Church and community but have been strong in our Youth programs. We have sponsored a Boy Scout troop for many years.

One of our members, Francis Knapp, was instrumental in establishing a Perpetual Adoration Program in 1981. In 1982 a 3rd Degree was held in honor of Brother Warren Tufts - a member for 52 years who had been Grand Knight (in McCloud, Calif. and in Bremerton); District Deputy; Faithful Navigator; Financial Secretary and just about any job that needed doing. Present at that degree were five members of the Tufts family covering three generations. In this 94 year old council we have our share of 'old timers' but we also have the younger generation. We are healthy and looking forward to the coming years in Columbianism.

In the 1990s, and to date, we have held monthly parish breakfasts; coffee and donuts; continued our sponsorship of a Boy Scout troop; ran the parish picnics and participated in the annual March for Life. We have worked in the Kitsap County Fair & Rodeo and supported the Peninsula Kidney Center. We have held fund raisers including one for the new school at Star of the Sea Parish.

Our Centennial was celebrated on February 21, 2009. The Centennial History was compiled by Bob Struble.

BREMERTON - Holy Trinity Council 11789

Holy Trinity Council 11789 was convened and formed on May 16, 1996 by District Deputy Edward Hebert Sr. Charter members were:

Gerald A. Alameda	Alexander V Angud	William F. Ballinger
Francisco M. Bautista	Rev. Jack Buckalew	David E. Chisholm *
Roger R. Cloutier	Tim J. Conte	Mike Davis
William E. Dewey	David C. Driscoll	Robert F. Dumont
Math M. Eberle	Laurence E. Estabrook *	Richard E. Fuhrman
Frank L Gabrielli	Benjamin G. Guayan	William E. Gwynn
Thomas R. Jung	Leonardo C. Lanot	Donald T. Lennon, Jr
Alfredo Lujan	Richard L. Mallea	John R Marshall *
John E McGannon *	William C. Michalak	Domingo Monzon Jr
Regidor R. Morales	William J. Noway	Daniel N Olinger
Ray K Paulino	George T. Post *	Eufemiano O Quintania
Virgil E Rimando	Dale W. Roberts	John B. Russ
Wallace L Smith	Robert Timborski	Monte D. Walker

Of these, Brothers Marshall (Charter Grand Knight), Fuhrman, Lennon, Rev. Buckalew, Gwynn, McGannon and Gabrielli are singled out for special mention for their work in forming the Council. Over the intervening years, our Council has grown to 96 members today.

In September, 1997 the Council began its program of a monthly Parish Steak Dinner for ten months of each year. This continues to be an active, well-received parish function and is a major fund-raiser for the Council. For several years, we hosted the parish's annual Saint Joseph's Dinner before returning it to the community. Proceeds were donated to Kitsap County programs for the needy.

It is near impossible to include everything that our members do for the parish, parishioners and each other. We are regularly recognized as a Star Council because of our activity. Our Council has a certified First Degree Team and conducts a First Degree ceremony every other month. Below follows a partial list of our many programs: the formation of a "Green Machine" volunteer grounds keeping coordination program for the parish; designing, constructing and maintaining a Marian shrine on the parish's south lawn as a place of meditation and prayer; providing painting and floor tiling services in the offices, rectory and classrooms; hosting a Flag Retirement ceremony during which 78 flags were incinerated with honors (our parish Boy Scout troop and members of Assembly 1540 ably assisted us and provided the proper solemnity to the occasion - Certificates of Retirement were issued); selling tickets for several years to the Kitsap County Fair as a fund-raising activity; hosting parish breakfasts; providing a parish Art Auction making various significant works of art available to our parishioners as a benefit to them and a fund-raiser for us; active participation by Brother Knights in the parish's annual "Way of the Cross" presentation during Holy Week (many of our Brothers have major roles); active promotion of KCIC and Columbus Charities programs each year;



January 11, 1997 - John Marshall GK and Rev Jack Buckalew

collaboration with Bremerton Council 1376 for their "Spaghetti Fiesta" the proceeds of which benefit the Olympic Peninsula Kidney Center; helping to support two seminarians by quarterly contributions and periodic "care" packages of personal items; monetary support of pro-life programs - notably Project Rachel; providing college scholarship funding to deserving high school seniors each spring; issuing a Council Newsletter to keep our members informed of events; having a "Teddy Bears for Kids" program to provide teddy bears to Bremerton Police to carry in their cars to soothe frightened children; acting as Wardens for the annual Life Chain demonstration along Rte 303 in Bremerton; hosting the Washington State Council's Bowling Tournament two years in a row; active participation in the Order's "Free Throw" program; and starting a Ladies' Auxiliary, the only one currently active in Washington state.

BUCKLEY - Rainier Council 9637

Council Historian: William G. Smith

Rainier Council 9637 was instituted on September 30, 1987 by District Deputy Edward J. Caballero with 31 members. The Charter Members and the first officers were:

Lionel R Atkinson	Mike Binetti	Colin G Brady
Terrall W Brumble	Michael G Burgardt	Chas A Carletti Jr
Perry S Dahlquist	Joe M Delmore	George P Duffy
Bruce R Dupuis	Adam J Fisher	Michael A Forza
C James Gleason	George H Gwerder	Frank R Kladnick
Brett Linbo-Terhaar	Daniel C Mock	Joseph L Norberg GK
George M Potocnik	Norman B Price	Albert H Richter
Donald J Schill	Robert E Shane	Eamonn F Shannon
William G Smith FS*	Gilbert G Starost	George A Terhaar
Karl Tschumpeklin Jr	Rev H Vanasse Chap	Clyde R Vesey
Joseph Volk	Rick L Waldo Jr	Theodore W Weibel
Wichael Wencel	Gerald M Williams	Roger G Williams

In 1984, Asst NCD Chairman Joseph M Clemens tried to organize a council in Enumclaw. After a number of meetings, the effort was abandoned for the time because only about 20 men could be found. The following spring and summer, a group of men in St Aloysius parish in Buckley were talking about starting their own council. A meeting was arranged to bring together pastor Father Hervey Vannasse, NCD Chairman Harold Knox and DD#3 Ernest L Oliver. On August 13, 1984 the first organizational meeting was held. Attendees included Fr. Vannasse; DD Ernest Oliver; Field Agent Richard Caviezel; three interested parishioners - James Devlet, Jerry Paladino and Bruce Dupuis; Bob Bonner and Curley Bender from District 3; Mike Adams and William G Smith from Centennial Council 8079. Jerry Paladino was asked to handle the finances and William Smith was asked to be Chairman. Other meetings were held but, because of Father Vannasse's desire to restrict the membership to the Buckley and Wilkerson parishes we, as in Enumclaw, had too few members to form a council. An initial first degree was held, however for the first two members - Jerry Paladino and Colin Brady.

Sometime after this, in 1985, Jerry Paladino contracted cancer and went back to the east coast for treatment where he died. Bill Smith moved from Buckley to Black Diamond. This put the council formation on hold as no other parishioners were willing to put the effort into starting the council. In February 1987 Field Agent Tom Voiland contacted Bill Smith and informed him that new DD#3 Frank Grant was having meetings in Enumclaw about formation of a council. Out of one of these meetings came an agreement to include the Enumclaw, Buckley and Wilkerson parishes. The combined group of men from the three parishes was sufficient for the institution of Rainier Council 9637.

This council annually conducts a Mother's Day breakfast. We also sponsor the donation of food baskets to needy families at Christmas and/or Thanksgiving. The council is fully committed to the pro-life movement. We conduct breakfasts; spaghetti and steak dinners; potlucks; bible studies; corporate communions; caroling at Christmas; hay rides; a super bowl party; kids and family Christmas parties; and a St Patrick's Day dinner. The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, pastoral council and CCD instructors for all masses and special events.

BURIEN - Pope John XXIII Council 5495

Council Historian: Hugh R Slye

Pope John XXIII Council 5495 was instituted on February 3, 1964 by District Deputy for New Council Development Vern Raschko and District Deputy #1 Hartzell Proffitt with 44 members - 22 Insurance and 22 Associate. Twenty more were added by the time the Charter Application was sent in. The charter 1st Degree was exemplified by the Auburn Council degree team. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Paul Beaudoin	Francis M Gray	Francis A Reissig
Jack Bosson	Tony Greene	Angelo Ricci
George F Boyle DGK*	William D Hale*	Raymond Ricci
Timothy Burke	William D Haley	Antone J Ritchie
Raymond L Buteau	Geo M Henderson W	Robert E Russell
Earl Calvin	Gordon Herr	Ralph Sample
Theodore Chaney	Francis X Hodapp Jr	Pat J Santo Chan
James P Crowley*	Vernon H Hodgson	Richard J Sayre
Robert S Croy	Michael J Hurrell	Jos B Schaller GK
Charles E DeLauro	Harold Johnson	Roger Schulz*
Francis D Denton Rec	J M Jacobs Jr	Hugh R Slye*
Edmund Dick	Arthur Jones	Dennis Sullivan
Theodore Dooley	Kurt L Kromholtz	John Tanaka
Louis A Downing*	R Dewey Lambert Treas	Franstino Tito
Frank Finney	James Lillis	E Philip Titus Jr
Gerald W Fleming	Mark Logan	Robert Tyrrell
Leslie A Fosmire Adv	Hugh P McClean	Anthony Varacalli
Bernard V Friedman	William A Moeller	Dr James Vandenberg
William R Frye FS	Leonard J Mondry	Merle J Van Dyke
Richard D Galligo	Edward E Murphy	Walter M Walz
Roger Godfrey*	John Puz	Joseph L Wildgen
Lawrence Graddon		

Charter Grand Knight Joseph Schaller got things going immediately by appointing program chairmen and establishing a 1st Degree Team. Meetings were held in the Legion Hall on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. Membership was stressed and by the time of our first regular election in June we had 65 - 21 more than the original 44. Most of the programs adopted then are still part of our activities such as the Kickoff Dinner; PGK Dinner; Ladies Appreciation Night; the Awards Dinner and the Christmas Party. Since then, we have been a leader in the PFH and Right to Life programs.

At times we have had scholarship programs to Kennedy High School and sponsored Little League teams. Golf Tournaments are also regular activities four times a year. In 1967 we became active in a program to send packages to Viet Nam and received recognition in the newspapers, Columbia magazine and from the Marine Corps. We pushed membership the next two years and were able to double our membership. We are now a very established council.

Pope John council needed larger quarters and, after a time, took over the Parish Hall which was under the old church. Meetings were changed to the 1st and 3rd Thursdays and remain unchanged. Probably the most notable new programs were the establishment of the "Baby Shower" for Pregnancy Aid and the "Penny Weigh In" for the PFH program. The Baby Shower has annually produced truck loads of cribs, mattresses, layettes, diapers etc as well as money for Pregnancy Aid to assist them in fighting abortion by providing the means for a viable alternative to abortion. The annual Penny Weigh-In program has raised many hundreds of pounds of pennies for the Pennies for Heaven seminarians fund. We also participate in the RSVP program of financing seminarians, helping five last year.

Family of the Year is a priority and we have had a Family of the Month during the last years as a regular program. Brothers Aldo Piovesan, Hugh Slye and Raymond J Sauer have served as State Right to Life Directors. Brother Ray Sauer also served as State Community Activities Director, Hugh Slye as a member of the State Finance Committee and as State Fraternal Activities Director. Hugh Slye and Ray Sauer have served as District Deputy. We celebrated our 43rd anniversary this year and hope to be an active council for many more years to come.

BURIEN – St Bernadette Council 13462

Council Historian, Kiha Kinney

The St. Bernadette Council 13462 was instituted in Seattle on February 12, 2004 by District Deputy Monte Cromwell. The charter members are:

Rev. James Williams	George A. Akers	George Steven Akers
David L. Bacon	George L. Bailey	Frank J. Constantino
Edward F. Dacy	Richard C. Fiol	A1 M. Gapasin
Raymond A. Hautala	Arthur L. Hearron	Patrick R. Heier
Terrence J. Heil	George A. Hoffman	Robert L. Huffman, Sr
Joseph Iannarone	David O Jacobsen	Gary J. Kartes
Kenneth L. Kemp Jr.	Richard L. Kinerk	Kiha W. Kinney
Joseph H. Krempel	Michael R. Lemon	Alexander P. Lukinich
Brian M. Lukincih	Anthony J. Marinich	Richard R. McCabe
Thomas C. Merrill	Paul L. Miller	Joseph P. Moushey
Dale C. Poussier	John D. Poussier	Robert J. Ryan
Michael C. Spengler	George P. Welch	William L. Wetzler
David A. White	James Woehl	

Those most instrumental in forming the council were Rev. James Williams, Monte Cromwell, Kiha Kinney and Edward Dacy. Our council has held parish coffee and doughnut socials after Sunday Mass, breakfast fund raiser to assist in supplementing St. Bernadette's Elementary School financial aid program, provide traffic control during the Easter Mass, City of Burien adopt a park program, co-sponsor girls CYO basketball tournament, provide pall bearers for parish families in need and KCIC program sales.

BURLINGTON - David Barber Council 9941

Submitted by Joe St. Hilaire DD9

David Barber Council 9941 was chartered in June 2003. It was established through the efforts of State Deputy Wayne Hogan and District Deputy Herman Ruhland, after extensive discussions over the rather unusual process. The number 9941 had been formerly assigned to Fairhaven Council, which was chartered in 1988 in Bellingham. That council became inactive in 1992. Since there was little likelihood that Fairhaven Council could be re-activated, the number was reassigned to the new Burlington council.

The original name chosen for the Burlington council was that of the parish in which it is located: St. Charles. The charter grand knight was to be David Barber. However, immediately before the charter was issued, Brother David Barber died tragically in an accident, and the members decided to re-name the council after him. That change still is in process, so the official name at this writing is St. Charles Council. Along with the difficulty of getting the council's name changed has been that of listing the Burlington charter members on the charter. The charter that was issued to the council listed only the 1988 charter members of the old Fairhaven council. There is an effort being made to list the Burlington charter members.

Regardless of all these problems, the council in Burlington was able to immediately establish itself as a viable and active entity in the parish and the community. The charter grand knight was Brother Larry Stanek, who had experience as a grand knight for two councils previously: Msgr. Boulet Council 2126 in Mount Vernon and Bellingham Council 829. Brother Larry also had served briefly as the district deputy of District 9. Charter members include:

Harvey Bell	Michael Boroughs	Gerald Cartwright
Rafael Castro	Kenneth Christianson	Michael Cole
Odilon Flores Jr	Ramon Flores	Charles Gable
Nicholas Governale	Roman Heitzman	Adrian Ibarra
Jon Knechtel	John Koles	Justin Koles
Louis Mikota	Rev Gilberto Mora	Leslie Nelson
Rev John Nwanze	Jose Ortiz	Lyle Ovenell
Glen Prestmo	Pablo Raygoza	William Reinert
William Rhone	Manuel Sanchez	Jeremy Stanek
Larry Stanek GK	Martin Steiner Jr	Stan Sygitowicz
Mark Thomas	Leo Urbick	Jose Villalobos
Silverio Vivanco	Paul Wagner	Russell Yerger FS
Robert Zimmerman.		

Larry Stanek served as grand knight for the 2003-2004, 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 fraternal years. William Rhone has served as grand knight since 2006. David Barber Council became very active in the parish and community from the start, staging several fund-raising activities and providing many services. Those activities included breakfasts and dinners; Easter egg hunts for children; participation in the All Valley Picnic; serving as ushers and greeters at Mass; and providing refreshments at the I-5 rest area. The council has faithfully named a Knight of the Month and Family of the Month since its establishment. The council has united the Catholic men of the parish and increased the practice of the faith among families with its services and example.

CAMANO-STANWOOD - Camano-Stanwood Council 8476

Council Historian: Richard J Barson

Camano-Stanwood council 8476 was instituted on December 15, 1983 by District Deputy Ralph Bushaw at St Cecelia parish in Stanwood. The 39 Charter Members and Officers were:

Charles E Adler	Floyd Erps	Russell A Nunes
John C Anderson	Donald F Hanika	Frank Olsen
Harvey J Bielenberg	Willard E Harrington	David L Price
Louis Bloom Rec	Fred A Hodge	Hartzell Proffitt
Mel Bloom TR	Maurice J Hoffman IG	Gilman A Ronald
Michael A Bloom	Ray Hurlbert	Patrick C Schaar
Rev Phillip A Bloom	Matt F Jarolimek*	J C Schneiderhan GK
Daniel J Casey FS	Robert A Johnston	Donald E Seabury

Victor J Chriest TR	Gregory Johnston	Thomas J Seib
R T Connors Treas	Richard LaFave TR*	H A Simmons Chan
Roger D Docken OG*	Rev Thomas J Marti	Raymond B Stout Adv
Robert M Dorsey	Peter E McDougall	Rev Wm Treacy Chap
Anthony J Eiler	Charles Morrisey W	James H Wall

An organizing committee of Joseph Schneiderhan, Russell Nunes and Peter McDougall were appointed by D.D. Ralph Bushaw. Joe Schneiderhan personally signed up 20 new and reinstated members. The council was up and running. Our council, among the youngest in the state, was fortunate in having some excellent experienced Knights of Columbus as Charter Members. Father Treacy was Moderator of the State Council Religious Information Bureau and was instrumental in forming the council. Hartzell Proffitt was a Former District Deputy and State Chairman for New Council Development. Tony Eiler was an old hand from Overlake council 4385 in Bellevue.

By 1986 we had formed our own Squires Circle. We annually give a scholarship to a graduating senior. We are a very active council. In the last three years we have given \$1,000 to help seminarians. Our council also has two priests from our parish in foreign countries. Father Philip Bloom is in Peru and will be for the next three years. Father Tom Marti is in the Philippines. Matt Jarolimek, one of our members, was District Deputy 1987-89.

We have supported the Stanwood Food Bank - five of our members are its backbone and we have been active in and around St Cecelia's church. Our members have taken charge of a two acre piece of land; removed trees and stumps and turned it into a beautiful piece of land. We have had about a million dollars worth of equipment there at various times. This has been strictly a council project with everything donated by our members. We have made 6 picnic tables and put in two sets of swings so far. We are in the process of putting in teeter-totters, a soccer field, a ball field, etc.

We have just finished building an aluminum can Recycling Center in back of the church. We have many dinners and breakfasts for the parish, most of which have been free to parishioners. In 1989 our pastor, Father William Treacy, retired and our council put on an appreciation dinner. The townspeople, our parish and his friends were there - over 400 people in all. All of this was done by the 56 members of council 8476.

Camano-Stanwood Council held their 25th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, Dec. 13th, 2008 at St. Cecilia Parish Hall with about 100 members and guests attending. DD # 13 Dan Grumbach presented our 25th Anniversary and Supreme Knight's Letter to our Council for our SD John Walker. Below follows a history of the council from 12/15/83 to 12/15/2008 submitted by Financial Secretary Matt Jarolimek:

St. Cecilia Catholic Church in Stanwood, Washington was dedicated with the Ground Breaking and the beginning of the Building Foundation on September 4th, 1908, 100 years ago this year, 2008. The Church was a mission of Arlington Parish until Fr. William Treacy arrived at St. Cecilia in July of 1981 as our New Pastor of the newest Parish in the Archdiocese of Seattle. Fr. Treacy was officially installed as Pastor on July 29th, 1981 and began to set into motion the workings of a new Parish. On November 20th, 1982 we were blessed with our own Deacon, Don Hanika who was a great help to Fr. Treacy and our new Parish. Fr. Treacy needed many volunteers and a great amount of help getting the Parish up and working.

Fr. Treacy had been a Brother Knight since June of 1956 and knew the Organization, dedication, service and value of the Knights of Columbus Order to Parishes throughout our Nation. He suggested that a new Knights of Columbus Council be formed at St. Cecilia. Several Brother Knights existed in the new Parish and an organizing committee of Joseph Schneiderhan, Russell Nunes and Peter McDougall were appointed by

DD # 13, Ralph Bushaw to work on starting a new Council in our St. Cecilia Parish. Joe Schneiderhan personally signed up 20 new and reinstated members and many other existing Brother Knights transferred to help get the new Council up and running with 39 original Charter members.

In the fall of 1983 the election of Officers was recorded and the necessary paperwork was sent in to our Supreme Council Office in New Haven, Conn. the home of our Knights of Columbus Order. The Charter was officially instituted for the new "Stanwood Council # 8476" on December 15th, 1983 during the term of Past State Deputy, Hector P. Maffei of Richland, Washington.

Since a majority of members lived on Camano Island, they felt that they should be recognized in the Council name, so at a Council Meeting, a motion was moved, seconded, discussed at length and voted to accept the new name of "Camano-Stanwood Council # 8476". Our Supreme Council approved and accepted the name revision.

The new Charter Officers were as follows: Charter Grand Knight, Joe Schneiderhan; Deputy Grand Knight, Matt Jarolimek; Financial Secretary, Dan Casey; Chancellor, Howard Simmons; Recorder, Louis Bloom; Treasurer, Richard Connors; Advocate, Raymond Stout; Warden, Charles Morrisey; 1 yr. Trustee, Richard LaFave; 2 yr. Trustee, Victor Christ; and 3rd yr. Trustee, Melvin Bloom; with Fr. William Treacy being our Council Chaplain. These same Officers were again elected in the year 1984-1985. The Council was awarded the Fr. Michael McGivney Award from our Supreme Council for the 1984-1985 Fraternal Year.

Seven existing Brother Knights such as Past Grand Knight and former District Deputy, Hartzell Proffitt, Tony Eiler, Fr. Phil Bloom, Victor Christ, Ray Hurlbert, Deacon Don Hanika, and Matt Jarolimek were very helpful in establishing a good start to the new Council. Breakfasts, fundraisers and several programs, projects and events were soon underway to help the Parish, Families, and youth, also to purchase Council Jewels and other supplies and to raise funds for charitable works.

1985-1986: Matt Jarolimek was elected Grand Knight and Richard LaFave was elected as Deputy Grand Knight. During GK Matt's term a Scholarship was set up for High School Seniors from our Parish, a Council Bulletin with Ray Stout being the first Editor was started, PGK Joe Schneiderhan and GK Matt attended their first Washington State Knights Convention, and St. Cecilia Columbian Squires Circle # 3545 was instituted in 1986 with GK Matt being the Chief Counselor. The Council received the Columbian and Founders Award from our Supreme Council for the 1985-1986 Fraternal Year.

PGK Joe Schneiderhan, GK Matt Jarolimek, DGK Richard LaFave, FS Dan Casey, and Treas. Dennis Lindsay were the first in our new Council to be initiated into the 4th Degree on October 5th, 1985 in John F. Kennedy Assembly # 1530 of Everett, Washington. Matt was the First Council member to be elected Faithful Navigator of John F. Kennedy Assy. # 1530 in 1988-1989. Matt was also appointed as Honor Guard Commander in 1990 under Past Faithful Navigator, Paul Gadbois and serves to the present time. In 1992, Matt became the first in our Council to serve as Faithful Comptroller of John F. Kennedy Assembly # 1530 to present time after the sudden death of John Elliston of Marysville Council.

A new District # 19 was formed out of District # 13 and District # 9 in 1985 which was made up of Arlington, Stanwood, Mt. Vernon and Sedro Woolley with Mike Kerley being the first District Deputy # 19. GK Matt Jarolimek was the first Council Member from 1985-1987 to be made District Warden # 19. PGK Matt was also the first Council member to become a District Deputy, succeeding Mike Kerley as DD # 19 in 1987-1989 under Past State Deputy, Charles P. Sohnly of Lynnwood, Washington. DD # 19 Matt Jarolimek instituted the new Monroe Council # 9910 in November of 1988. Matt has recruited 58 new members at the present time.

1986-1987: Richard LaFave succeeded PGK Matt to become the third Grand Knight with Roger Docken as his Deputy Grand Knight. FS Dan Casey resigned as Financial Secretary

in 1987 and Jim Ihler took over that Office position. The Council was awarded the First “Star Council Award” from our Supreme Council for the Fraternal Year 1986-1987.

1987-1988: Roger Docken succeeded PGK Richard LaFave to become the fourth Grand Knight with Louis Bloom as his Deputy Grand Knight. GK Roger started the Council Picnics and the Wives Appreciation and Award Dinners. His Son Joshua became our Squires Circle’s Chief Squire. The Council was awarded the Columbian and Founders award from our Supreme Council for the 1987-1988 Fraternal Year.

DD # 19 Matt Jarolimek was asked by PGK Terry Doiron of the Arlington Council # 8015 to assist them in parking cars and RV’s and Motor Homes at the Airport for the Arlington Fly-in. It was brought up at a meeting to the membership. GK Roger and his family, PGK Joe Schneiderhan, PGK, DD # 19 Matt and Charles Morrisey volunteered to assist Arlington Council with the Fly-in and brought in a small amount of money for our Council.

The little amount of money earned that year encouraged our membership to start helping out the Arlington Council with the Fly-in as one of our fundraisers. Over the next several years, it grew into a very important event for our Council bringing in over \$72,000.00 total income until it ended in 2007. Our Council worked with the Arlington Council until 1995. In 1996 the Fly-in grew too big for our two Councils to continue under one Chairman, so it was decided that the Arlington Council would just park cars and the Camano-Stanwood Council under Jim Ihler, s leadership would park the RV’s and Motor Homes. Jim held that Chairmanship for 1996-1997 until his death. Richard Barson then took over until 2005 when he resigned and PGK Peter VanWaggen took over until 2007 when our involvement ended.

1988-1990: Richard Barson succeeded PGK Roger Docken to become the fifth Grand Knight and the first to run for two terms with Howard Simmons as his Deputy Grand Knight. The Council was awarded the second “Star Council Award” for the 1988-1989 Fraternal Year. The Council was awarded the third “Star Council Award” for the 1989-1990 Fraternal Year. Financial Secretary, Jim Ihler resigned in 1989 and Matt Jarolimek was appointed by the Supreme Knight to become the third Financial Secretary and has held that Office to the present time. PGK Barson became the second member of our Council to become District Warden in District # 19 in 1989-1991 under DD Terry Doiron of Arlington Council. He became the second member of our Council to become District Deputy # 19 from 1991-1993 and received the State Deputy Award for top District Deputy in Washington State.

1989: Fr. William Treacy retired as our Pastor and our Council held a big Swiss Steak Dinner in appreciation of his Ministry and service to our Parish and for being the Founder of our Camano-Stanwood Council # 8476. It was a very huge success, thanks to all the Brother Knights and our Parishioners at St. Cecilia’s.

Our Parish faced the possibility of being left without a resident Parish Priest in 1989 when two Carmelite priests came to St. Cecilia’s. Fr. James Geoghegan, 1989-1996, served as Pastor and Fr. Colm Stone as Director of the Institute of Spirituality. Both Priests were a blessing to our St. Cecilia Parish and the several Carmelite Priests have served us with dedication and excellence to the present time. The Carmelite Order has purchased two houses just North of the Parish Property and they are used as a base for the House of Spirituality.

1990-1991: Howard Simmons was elected to be our sixth Grand Knight with PGK Joe Schneiderhan serving as his Deputy Grand Knight. The Council received its fourth “Star Council Award” from our Supreme Council for the 1990-1991 Fraternal year having a very active year in recruitment, insurance and program activity.

Richard Barson was instrumental in planning and purchasing a \$4,000.00 playground equipment and swing set for our Parish as a Council Safety Project for the youth. Our Council won a State “Youth Award” at our State K of C Convention for the efforts of our Council to keep our youth from playing in the parking lot.

1991-1993: Maurice Durand was elected to be our seventh Grand Knight with PGK Howard Simmons and Donald Seabury serving as his Deputy Grand Knights. Maury was a great

recruiter and had two very good terms as Grand Knight winning the fifth and sixth "Star Council Award" both years. After his first term in Office, our Supreme Deputy, Virgil Dechant was attending our WA. State Convention and Maury bent his ear for about a half an hour. One complaint that Maury had was that the Star Council Award had only the Council name on it and not the name of the Grand Knight. The next month a new metal plate arrived in the mail with both the Council name and the name of the Grand Knight Maurice Durand on it to replace the original. Every Star Council Award from that time on has the name of the Grand Knight and the Council name and years on it, thanks to Maury Durand, Grand Knight.

1993-1995: Donald Seabury was elected to be our eighth Grand Knight with David Pranghofer and James Ihler as his Deputy Grand Knights. GK Don also was a very good recruiter and had two very successful terms earning our seventh Star Council Award for 1993-1994 and Fr. Michael J. McGivney award for the 1994-1995 Fraternal Year for his service to our Council and the Order. GK Don was our first Grand Knight to receive the 1,000 Point Club Award at our State Convention. GK Don served as Hospital Chaplain in Mt. Vernon and as playground attendant at Immaculate Conception Regional School for many years.

1995-1996: James Ihler was elected as our ninth Grand Knight with William Dangel as his Deputy Grand Knight. On August 10th, 1995 our Council lost our beloved Charter Grand Knight, Joe Schneiderhan. On November 21st, 1995 we lost another very active and beloved Charter member, Mel Bloom. William Cannon died on February 12th of 1996 making it a very trying time for our Council. The Council was awarded the Columbian Award from the Supreme Council for the 1995-1996 Fraternal Year.

1996-1997: PGK Richard Barson was elected a second time as our 10th Grand Knight with Ernest Renaud as his Deputy Grand Knight. PGK Richard and PGK Maurice Durand set in motion a recycle bin for Al cans project that still is in existence to this day. PGK Richard was a very good recruiter of new members and has well over 25 new members to his name. PGK Richard became our Fly-in Chairman in 1998 after the death of our PGK Jim Ihler who had served from 1996-1997. Our Council was returned to our original District # 13 with Hugh Kendall being our District Deputy under State Deputy Thomas L. Weber. The Council was awarded its eight "Star Council Award" from our Supreme Council for the 1996-1997 Fraternal Year.

1997-1998: Ernest Renaud was elected as our 11th Grand Knight with Jack Cartee as his Deputy Grand Knight. GK Ernest proposed a Memorial to the Unborn to be built on the Parish Grounds. The planning time for a new Parish Hall to be built in replacement of the old Basement Parish Hall was in the works since our Parish Family had out grown it. GK Ernest's project was put on hold until after the New Parish Hall was built. A Parish Building fundraiser for the new hall was being planned by Fr. Matthew Williams our Pastor.

Matt Jarolimek was appointed as State Family Director for two years, 1997-1999 under State Deputy, Everett J. Roberts. PGK Bill Zike from the Snohomish Council # 9664 was appointed District Deputy # 13 also under State Deputy, Everett J. Roberts.

PGK Richard Barson was spending the winters in Mazatlan, Mexico and met a Doctor that was head of a small clinic there. Richard saw some of the very old equipment and the lacking of many vital pieces of equipment for a clinic, so when he came back to Stanwood, he went looking for Hospital equipment and found many items that he was able to obtain without cost. He gathered up all these items donated by local hospitals, made shipping crates and worked with the US Navy for shipping to California. He contacted a K of C Council in California and arranged for them to pickup the crates and to deliver them to the Mexico Clinic. For the efforts of Richard, with the Council help, our Council received the WA. State "Community Award" for this Mazatlan Hospital Equipment project. The Council was awarded the ninth "Star Council Award" from our Supreme Council for the 1997-1998 Fraternal Year.

1998-2000: Jack Cartee was elected as our 12th Grand Knight for two terms with Ted Carter as his first Deputy Grand Knight and John Buckley as his second Deputy Grand Knight.

PGK Jack Cartee became our third District Warden 1999-2001, under District Deputy # 13 Paul Nichols of Arlington Council. Jack became the third Council member to become District Deputy # 13 under State Deputy, Wayne C. Hogan, 2001-2003. Jack was appointed in 2007 to the WA. State Audit Committee to succeed Matt Jarolimek just for one year when Supreme required all the State Jurisdictions to go to Professional CPA's for Audit of the State Council Books and the State Audit Committee was disbanded.

The Relics of St. Theresa, The Little Flower were brought to St. Cecilia Parish on January 21-22nd, 2000 for veneration by people from all over the region. Knights parked cars, served as an Honor Guard and assisted in many functions to help make the event very successful.

Matt Jarolimek was appointed as State Squires Director for two years, 1999-2001 under State Deputy, Fred J. Abraham Jr. Matt brought in seven new Columbian Squires Circles, including reinstating our own St. Cecilia Squires Circle # 3545 and brought the Squires membership to 103 in the State. The Washington State Knights of Columbus jurisdiction was eligible to form a Washington State Squires Circle with State Squires Officers and Annual Squires Conventions with membership over 100. Bill Zike was appointed as State District Deputy Director for two years, 1999-2001 under State Deputy Fred J. Abraham Jr. The Council was awarded the 10th "Star Council Award" from our Supreme Council for the 1998-1999 Fraternal Year. The Fr. Michael J. McGivney Award and Columbian Award for Jack's second year term, 1999-2000. Charles Morrisey was our first Council Member named as our Washington State "Knight of the Year" at our 97th Washington State K of C Convention in May, 2000.

2000-2001: Richard Barson was elected as our 13th Grand Knight with Alan Davis as his Deputy Grand Knight who served as Grand Knight while Richard was in Mexico from October to April. The Council was awarded the Columbian Award from our Supreme Council for the 2000-2001 Fraternal Year.

2001-2002: Alan R. Davis was elected as our 14th Grand Knight with Richard Ridgway as his Deputy Grand Knight. Upon the completion of the Parish Hall, the Memorial to the unborn was planned, designed and construction started under the term of GK Davis. Preparation started by selling \$50.00 Bricks with family names on them as a fundraiser to obtain the required funds for purchase of a Statue of our Blessed Mother, Plaques, headstone, fencing, benches, roses and other supplies to complete the project first suggested by PGK Ernest Renaud. Old bricks obtained from the Nisqually Earthquake were used for the base of the Memorial. It took all summer to construct the beautiful Memorial that cost over \$20,000.00 in expenses covered by \$5,000.00 seed money from deceased member Harry Heintz and the donations of Parish Members.

2002-2004: Peter P. VanWagnen was elected for two terms as Grand Knight with John Buckley as his Deputy Grand Knight and Donald Maile as Deputy Grand Knight for the second term. Peter was a PGK of the Lynnwood Council # 5816 and had a very good two years as Grand Knight with our Council. The Memorial to the Unborn was completed and dedicated June 1, 2003 by Seattle Archbishop Alexander J. Brunett under his term and the State Church Award was presented to our Council at the 2003 WA. State Convention. The Council was awarded the eleventh "Star Council Award" from our Supreme Council for the 2002-2003 Fraternal Year. The Council was awarded the "Herbert Liebert" Award by our State Council at the State Convention for the "Blessed Mother Memorial to the Unborn". Matt Jarolimek was selected to be the second Council Member to be named "Knight of the Year" at the WA. State Convention for the 2003-2004 Fraternal Year. Matt was named WA. State Audit Committee Chairman for a 4 year term and WA. State Retention Chairman for a 2 year term, wearing two State Directors hats under State Deputy, Wayne C. Hogan. The Council was awarded the twelfth "Star Council Award" from our Supreme Council for the 2003-2004 Fraternal Year.

2004-2005: John T. Buckley was elected as our 16th Grand Knight with Donald R. Maile as his Deputy Grand Knight. Our Council had a very good year and received our 13th “Star Council Award” from our Supreme Council for the 2004-2005 Fraternal Year.

2005-2007: Donald R. Maile was elected for two terms as Grand Knight of our Council with Chris Konnerup being his Deputy Grand Knight for the first term and Reinhold Schmidt as Deputy Grand Knight for his second term. Matt Jarolimek was offered a Security position in August, 2005 for the Main Grange Gate at the Stanwood-Camano Fair by Fair Board member, Bill Vincent for \$500.00. Matt brought up the fundraiser offer to the Council Membership and it was voted to accept the Offer. In 2006 the offer to take on parking cars in the Flo Family Pasture was given for \$1500.00 more and brought up to the Council members and accepted. For the 2008 Fair, another offer for all the five ticket gates security was given and brought up to the membership and was again accepted. Our Council assisted the Parish with \$8, 000.00 to purchase the Portable Building behind the Church to be used as a Council Hall. The Hall was dedicated and named “The Fr. Michael J. McGivney Hall” by our Council Membership. GK Don is a very good recruiter and our Council was awarded the fourteenth and fifteenth “Star Council Awards” from our Supreme Council for the Fraternal Year 2005-2006 and Fraternal Year 2006-2007.

2007-2008: Reinhold Schmidt was elected as our 18th Grand Knight with his Deputy Grand Knight being Don Allen, Jr. The Council was awarded the Columbian Award by our Supreme Council for the 2007-2008 Fraternal Year. The Council held several fundraisers for our youth so they would be able to travel to Sydney, Australia for “World Youth Day” with Pope Benedict XVI. The 2007 Fly-in was to be our last year parking Campers, RV’s and Motor Homes after 19 years.

2008-2009: Donnas E. Allen Jr. was elected as our 19th Grand Knight with his Deputy Grand Knight being Mark Walsh and serves at the present time. Our Council had to improvise and find new ways to raise funds for all our groups that we support financially within our Stanwood Community. Richard Chavarrie, Gene Hewitson, Jim Hughes and Ed Groze came up with a Scooter, TV and Tool Set Charity Raffle that was very successful. In Summation:

- Our Council was started with 39 Charter Members and has 146 members at the present time.
- Our oldest member is Howard Succo, born 1/12/1921 at 87 years of age.
- Our youngest member is Allen Cloninger born 12/14/1986, tomorrow is his Birthday at 22 years of age.
- Our Council has had two Washington State “Knight of the Year” Awards: Chuck Morrissey and Matt Jarolimek.
- We have had nineteen Grand Knights in our Council and three Financial Secretaries, Dan Casey, Jim Ihler and Matt Jarolimek.
- Our Council has had eight Priests in our Council over the past 25 years.
- Our Council has had three District Deputies serving two year terms: Matt Jarolimek, Richard Barson and Jack Cartee. Bill Zike is a former District Deputy that transferred into our Council but was not a Council member when appointed.
- Three members of our Council have served the Washington State Council as State Chairman: Bill Zike as “District Deputy Chairman”, 2 years; Matt Jarolimek as “State Family Chairman”, 2 years; “State Squires Chairman”, 2 years; “State Retention Chairman”, 2 years; “State Audit Committee Chairman” two years and four years as Audit Committee member; and Jack Cartee as Audit Committee member for one year.
- Our Council has thirty four Sir Knights in the fourth Degree with John F. Kennedy Assembly # 1530.
- Our Council has had five Faithful Navigators of the John F. Kennedy Fourth Degree Assembly # 1530; Matt Jarolimek, Bill Zike, Ted Carter, John Buckley and Jack Cartee

our current Faithful Navigator, also one Faithful Comptroller, Matt Jarolimek currently serving in that position and one Honor Guard Commander, Matt Jarolimek.

- Our Council has been awarded the prestigious “State Youth” Award; “State Church” Award; “State Community” Award; a “State Deputy” Award and the “Herbert Liebert” Award for the Blessed Mother Memorial to the Unborn Statue. Several Grand Knights have received the 1,000 Point award for Service Program Reports.
- Our Council has been awarded fifteen of the highest “Star Council Awards” by our Supreme Council for excellence in Membership recruitment, Insurance promotion, and four program activities in each of the five major areas of Church, Community, Council, Family and Youth.
- Our Council supports St. Cecilia Squires Circle # 3545. Our Circle has had two State Chief Squires and two State Bursars elected to the State Squires Circle in the past four years.
- Our Council has supported Seminarians under the RSVP Program for the past twenty years and has supported ten Seminarians each year for the past six years with \$5,000.00 per year.
- Thirty nine Brother Knights have passed away since our Council was started in December, 1983.
- Fifteen of the Original Charter Members are still alive and with our Council at this 25th Anniversary.

CAMAS-WASHOUGAL - Father Blanchet Council 2999

Father Blanchet council was instituted on September 8, 1946 by District Deputy E. D. Browne with 26 Insurance & 29 Associate members. There were 20 Transfers and 35 new members. The Charter Members and officers were:

Harry J Beauregard	Thomas W Hart Treas	Andrew M Mueller
R J Bolger	Rev Edmond J Hayes Chap	James C Myers
Joseph J Boyle	Joseph E Heimermann	Merle J Myers
Paul L Bourcier	George F Henriksen Adv	O F Myers
Isadore C Chaput	William E Huckins	Edwin F Peshon
Edmond F Donovan	T M Hughes	Jerome Pfeifer
Hiram Eckman	Walter C Jacoby	Henry L Rondeau
Frank E Ellenz	William E Karnath	Howard Rondeau
Clarence G Esser	Keith P Keller	William H Ruettgers
Wlliam K Fritz Lect	Jack J Krank	Mark L Sault
C Clayton Farrell Rec	J A Lambert	Harry E Schechla
Eugene P Farrell	K J Linehan FS	Christian A Schlegel
Glenn M Farrell	Gudell F Mack	M J Schmid Jr
Lester D Fine	Leroy McClain	James C Temple
Francis W Flynn	James J McCuddin	J R Vedder
W C Gigler	Anthony R Michaels	Robert L Warren
William P Godsil Jr	Robert E Moisant GK	Herbert L Westby
William P Godsil Sr	Albert N Mueller	Jerry J Goggins

The meetings were initially held in the Independent Order of Foresters hall but were soon moved to the Crown Willamette Inn in Camas. The activities that first year were a sampling of those to follow. The Knights helped to clear land for a new church; ushered at Masses and drove the nuns from Vancouver to Camas to teach catechism. They had card parties, a chicken dinner,

initiated candidates and attended the State Convention, held that year in Tacoma. Except for the land clearing, completed in the first two years, those activities continue right up to the present.

In later years more activities were added so the listing is now longer. It includes fund-raising; providing collection baskets, phones, tables, movie projector etc for the church and school; Chaplain's Nights; rosaries; Memorial services; communions; anti-abortion drives; blood drives; booths in fairs; floats in parades; dinner-dances; Bingos; picnics and communion breakfasts. We have sponsored a Boy Scout Troop and a Cub Pack; had PGK Dinners and all of the other activities common to a K of C Council.

In summary, while we are a small council, we are strongly dedicated to, and strongly support, our own parish and we feel that our activities are representative of most Knights of Columbus councils. Our support of our church and community is strong and consistent.

CENTRALIA – Centralia Council 1758

Centralia Council 1758 was instituted July 14, 1914. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Henry Bouchard	Sebastian Hennreicher	Adolph McKenna
William Bouchard	James Hogan FS	M W McMahon
Howard P Breen	Oliver Joerger	W T Nugent
James Dillon	Rev Francis Jones	F Perri
M J Dooley	R P Judge	George A Reed
William Duckwitz	W B Kassel	Herman G Robbins
H E Duthie	Benedict Leitner	P R Stahl
P Fayha	T F McDonagh	Alexander Thomas
E M Fessler	John McAvoy Jr	George Vandal
A Fobert	J F McGovern	Charles K Walsh
D F Grace	Miles McGreal	Charles F Walters
Charles E Hackett		

Not much is recorded of the first 50 years. This council is in a small town in a primarily rural area. The first 50 years are probably similar to the last 25. We have had steady progress and achievement being 'the strong right arm of the Church.' We have consistently supported our parish by labor, money and our various activities.

We have long supported the anti-pornographic materials movement; Religious Information Program; PFH and our own Scholarship program. We have always had various dinners, potlucks, steak fries, Bingo, Turkey Shoots and raffles, Crab Feeds, Tom & Jerry parties, etc. We sponsor youth sports teams and are active in the CCD program and in the operation of the K of C Black Lake Park.

CHEHALIS - Robert D Meyers Council 1550

Council Historian: Adrian Schraeder

The charter of Chehalis Council 1550 was granted February 26, 1911. The name of the council was changed to "Robert D Meyers Council 1550" in 1975. The first official meeting of the council was called to order at 9:00 p.m. on March 4, 1911 by DD John M Boyle. The Charter Members and Officers were:

William Berg Chan	I B Linderman FS*	John D Neville, W
Joseph A Dugaw IG	John F Loughran Rec	William H Neville*
Leo W Glodt OG	Alphonse L Mattingly*	Emile Saindon Lect
Ottis E Grenier TR	John McGowan	Jos E Saindon Treas
Waldorf G Grenier	Miles J McGrail	Alfred Saunders

William G Hanf*
Joseph Hillburger **DGK**
Thomas Kennedy

Rev Frank Moens **Chap**
Charles E Neville **TR**

Frank J Twiss **GK**
Frank Yunker **TR**

Advocate H E Donohoe was not listed on the charter and the first minutes do not indicate where he transferred from. The early meetings were held in the American Organization of Union Workers (AOUW) Hall which was rented for one dollar per meeting. The meetings were held on the 2nd and 4th Fridays. On April 14th John Loughran and Isidor B Linderman were appointed to draft bylaws for the council. On May 14, 1911 the first major degree in Chehalis was held in the I.O.O.F. hall with 27 candidates. The Tacoma team exemplified the degree. Our delegates to the 1911 State Convention were GK Francis Twiss and our Chaplain Father Moens.

In 1912 the Knights began a series of projects that were to continue for many years some to the present. They provided ushers and lectors and began working with the State Training School at Green Hill. This included providing rides to Mass; teaching religion classes; taking the boys to breakfast and gifts at Christmas. In the early years they paid a stipend to a priest to have a Mass said at Green Hill.

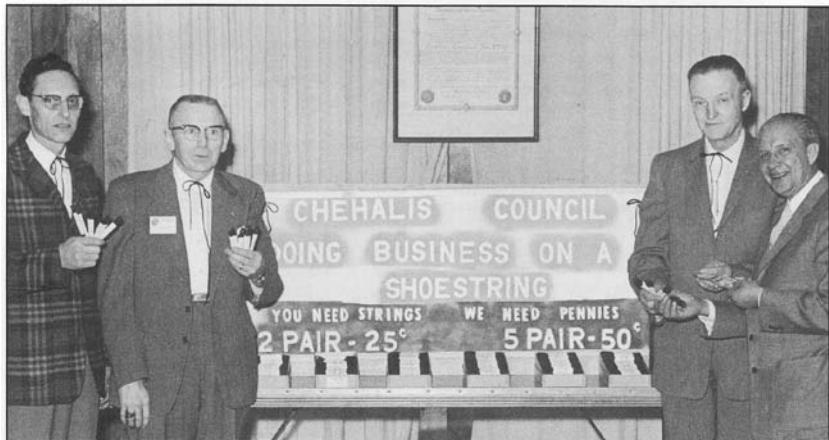
There was a program of rehabilitation to assist the boys upon their release. This program was later adopted by the State Council and was continued until the 1970s when the Green Hill

Chaplain expressed a desire to take care of everything 'on the Hill.' The Knights thereupon dropped the program. In 1981 the Chaplain again requested assistance and a new program is under way. In February 1913 the council voted to place Catholic encyclopedias in the Centralia Public Library and to pay for the Northwest Progress in the Chehalis Public

Library. The meetings were changed to the 2nd and 4th Mondays and a new hall was rented at \$6 per night. In 1914 the per capita tax was \$0.50 and notice was given that a new council was to be formed in Centralia. John Hogan was reelected Grand Knight - the first member to be so reelected.

In February 1915 a committee of Father Moens, Ed Paulson and John Glodt was appointed to check on having the Menace Paper thrown out of the Chehalis Public Library. In 1917 the council was visited by State Deputy J. A. LaGosa. It began work on the \$1,000,000 war fund campaign and voted that dues of all members in the armed services would be waived, whether enlisted or drafted. In May 1918, Chehalis hosted its first State Convention. It did so again in 1926 and in 1958. In 1919 a committee was appointed to help find jobs for discharged servicemen and it was reported that Father Thomas was trying to get a charter for Winlock.

John Glodt became the first member to become District Deputy in 1921. Later Robert D Meyers served several times as D.D. as did Jack Ketchum who served five one year terms. In 1921 the council began purchasing school books for students who could not afford them. In 1924 we began mailing the Sunday Visitor to business leaders in the community and furnished and raised the school flagpole. From 1926-74 we presented a medal or gift to the top scholastic student at St Joseph's. In 1926 an inter-council association was formed. The council donated



1962 PENNIES FOR HEAVEN PROGRAM
(l to r) Adrian Schraeder FS, Harold Parker GK, Robert D. Meyers PCK, Clyde Boyle PSD

\$300 toward the purchase of the Black Lake Park. Black Lake was opened in July 1926 with Chehalis in charge of parking. During this same month we furnished 3 meals for Father Flannigan and his boys.

From 1932 to 1935 there were problems about the availability of the meeting room, it being needed as a classroom. There is a gap in the records from May 1934 to September 11, 1935. This was the first meeting in the present building and it apparently was not fully completed. There is mention of work parties and fund-raising activities for sometime afterward. In 1945, after many years as Financial Secretary, Robert D. Meyers submitted his resignation. The council awarded him lifetime membership in recognition of his contributions. They also passed a resolution recommending that, at his death, the council be named after him. He died in 1975 and the council did submit a request to rename the council. The change to "Robert D Meyers Council 1550" was approved by the Supreme Council in December 1975.

In 1948 John J Smythe became the first council member to be elected to a State Office - State Secretary. Brother Robert Meyers was elected State Warden in 1953 and Brother Jack Ketchum in 1974. In 1971 the council sponsored a Wild West show. In 1972 the annual picnic was begun. The council had always worked on the buildings but from 1973 to the present, every year has had a major project on the buildings whether painting, roofing, applying siding, constructing firewalls, rooms or the like. One of the projects was the construction of a new kitchen for the parish and its hot lunch program.

In 1978 Adrian Schraeder resigned from the Financial Secretary's position after twenty five years in it. Since 1982 the council has been meeting in the Parish Hall after selling our Council Hall. In 1987 the council contributed a check for \$5,000.00 to the St Joseph's School Endowment Fund. It is clear from the records that Robert D Meyers Council 1550 has served the church and community well. We are a proud council.

CHENEY - St. Rose Council 9145

Council Historian: Howard D Ringley

St. Rose Council 9145 was instituted on December 3, 1985 by District Deputy David M. Bailey with 52 members. The Charter Members and the first officers were:

Jerald P. Beha	Philip R. Martin	Richard A. Boyd
Edward D. McIntire	John T. Boyle Rec	P. Michael McKeehan
Fred M. Bozanich	Ronald J. Mindrup Treas*	John P. Cogley Adv
Leo M. Moore	Thomas Coonelly	Les G. Morehouse
Thomas Coonelly Jr DGK*	James W. Mowatt	Alfred J. Court
Michael J. Noder	Roger W. Doak	Rev. John Oosterman
Patrick Domitrovich	Gabriel Pacheco	Harold B. Edgett
Donald O. Rice	John W. Elliott	Howard D. Ringley*
Richard J. Gamble	Gene E. Rockey	Leonard N. Gergen FS
Francis J. Schadegg	Lawrence F. Gildea	Roy A. Schmidt
Thomas C. Goold Chan	Thomas J. Seep	Charles M. Hansen
Chris J. Shears	Al J. Haslebacher	Harold W. Sheeran
James J. Hennessey	Peter E. Sheeran	Ralph L. Hetzel
Mark C. Skeman	Clarence A. Hughes W	Peter J. Smith
Benito C. Juarez	Robert J. Stockton	Joe Labish
Michael B. Stolp	James E. LeFever	James J. Sullivan
James J. Maney	Donald E. Tilque	Jackson P. Martin GK
Emilio D. Zamora		

During its first years of life, this council has attended all District and Regional meetings; sponsored a one-ton food drive for the Cheney Food Bank, a three-phase census project aimed at

aiding fallen away Catholics return to the church; established a chore corps to help the elderly and shut-ins; aided in the cleanup and maintenance of the parish; providing a large lighted sign in front of the church as well as the usual social activities.

We have been very active in many areas: pancake breakfasts; golf and bowling; sponsoring parish activities and Girls Scout troop and Eagle Scout projects; pro-life, anti-drug activities (including a Chili Cook-off fundraiser) and Morality in Media. Our activity has enhanced the brotherhood and friendship of our parish.

CHEWELAH - Chewelah Council 2155

Chewelah Council 2155 was instituted on July 11, 1920 with 41 members - 24 insurance and 17 associate. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees were conferred by the Spokane teams. The charter members and officers were:

John G Bauer FS	Peter A Brady	Frank Dreps
Joseph Doblmeier	John Egger	Fred F Ehorn Treas
Clarence J Hageman	Louis Hageman	John H Hattrup
Roy H Hattrup Rec	Fred J Johnson	Frank Koreis
A I Kulzer Adv	Adolph Mally	Frank Mally
Lucas Mally	Frank E Maron	Timothy R Meagher
Rev Nicolas Mertz GK	Victor Mertz	Peter Nilles
Dr Wilson A Olds	Frank B Puthoff	Frank P Russell
Joseph Schmitt	Bernard J Schoenberg	F J Schoenberg Lect
Dennis M Shea	Hubert S Storms	Jacob F Tirk
Lawrence Tirk	William Tirk	John Van Doren
Peter Van Doren	Adolph Vetsch	Reinhard I Vetsch
Leo F Vogt	Louis Waltner	Henry G Zodrow
Julius Zodrow DGK	Leonard W Zodrow	

Chewelah Council is a small council in a rural area. Since its institution, our council is one of the few that has more insurance than associate members. It is perhaps an indication of our dedication to fundamental values. We principally function to support our parish and community. We hold the Free Throw Contest; support our C.C.D.; the PFH; Right to Life; Food Bank; Pregnancy Aid programs and the other usual social dinners and parties. The council has sponsored youth programs of all sorts, a bowling team and Blood Drives. We periodically clean and maintain the cemetery.

Our council, like many, is characterized by quiet, consistent work exemplifying the principles of the Order in support of our Church and community.

CLARKSTON - Msgr. Hugo Pautler Council 3455

Council Historians: Oliver Rousseau and Joseph A. Schmidt

Msgr. Hugo Pautler (Clarkston) Council 3455 was originally instituted in October 1939 as Clarkston Council 2811. The officers were Grand Knight, Sylvester Fuchs; Deputy Grand Knight, William McCarthy; Chancellor, Ben Bairen; Recorder, N. A. Fox; Financial Secretary, O. E. Kafer; Treasurer, Leo Jesse; Lecturer, Ralph Schotzks; Advocate, George Galles; Warden, Edgar Van Allen; Guards were J. D. Shaw and George Hogan. The Trustees were Dr. D. Putchard, Dennis Costello and J. W. Brannen. The Rev. L. C. Bockm was Chaplain. The rest of the Charter Members for the original council are unknown.

The By-Laws were approved and committees became active for Bingo; the Country Store at the Annual Bazaar and another for Scholarships. The council voted a 25 cent assessment to fund the Scholarship Program. Council 2811 remained active until 1942. Activities included the

Seminary Burse; sponsorship of a Boy Scout Troop; provided ushers; assisted the Neuman Center in Pullman, etc.

In 1941 and 1942 the council had financial problems and in 1942 the council became inactive because so many members were serving in the military forces and defense work. The council remained inactive until 1951 and was reactivated as Council 3455. The charter Members of the new council were:

K Anderson	F Arnzen	L Bashore
H Behler	J R E Berry	H Blythe
F W Burch	C Busch	J Dufour
A Fuchs	F Fuchs	F Funke
R Hauth	G K Hogan	C Janjes
H C Johnson	W E Kramer	L Lemire
M Martin	J A McLeod	W J McGinn
P J Nathe	J C Noyes	Rev Hugo Pautler
R M Peck	G M Reeve	L G Robinson
Oliver Rousseau	F. Ryan	J Scharbach
C L Scharnhorst	J Schmidt	L Schrempp
R Scully	R Schotzko	T J Smith, Jr
C N Staal	J Tuschoff	C Uhlenkott
V G Uhlenkott	G Welle	I A Weza
L C Wilhelm		

There was a good deal of enthusiasm in the new council. There were 34 members at the first meeting on May 16, 1951. Five new applications were accepted at the December meeting and in 1951 activities were capped by the Living Rosary conducted by Fr. Pautler. By May 18, 1952 there were 54 members and prospects who attended the High School Graduation Mass and Breakfast where the guest speaker was State Deputy Robert Hall. During subsequent years the council has had annual Christmas parties; sponsored the Scout Troop and its activities; built a baseball backstop on school grounds; built bike stands and fences at the convent. It repaired desks at school and performed the usual jobs to help out at church and school such as cleaning and sealing the gym floor.

Gradually the council increased its pace, both on the social and service aspects. More dances, and more elaborate ones, were held; Thanksgiving, Christmas, Catholic Daughters Dinner-Dance, Hobo Party; Bingo-Turkey Party and even a Minstrel Show. The council added Cub Scouting and paid \$1000 for a new Communion Rail in Holy Family Church. We sponsored a Blood Bank and essay contest. In 1959 we began our Annual Sausage Feed. In 1962 we hosted the State Convention under Convention Chairman Tony Weza - who was later to become State Deputy. The Sausage Feed became larger each year. So did our periodic donations to supply things for the church and the school. The largest single donation was over \$5000 for the meeting area in the Church in 1974 but it was only one of a series. We also became more active in the Right to Life Program, allocating both money and effort in this important area.

As important as our activities are in the area of Church and School activities, we have not neglected our community. We do cooperate with other groups in community. This includes community advertising for Christmas, Thanksgiving and Easter themes and on the Flag as well as Right to Life advertising. We have worked with the JC's to provide lighting for the hill above Clarkston and donated to the Clarkston Community Center (\$700 in 1978) and have worked with the retarded. In council activities we have had the various parties and dinners previously mentioned but also have our bowling team. Our Annual Sausage Dinner is now our largest fund raiser--netting almost \$3000 with over 2000 pounds of sausage being made. We also had our own 1st and 2nd Degree Teams.

In April 1989 the council petitioned State Deputy Charles Sohnly to approve changing the council name from Clarkston to Msgr, Hugo Pautler Council 3455. This request was approved and forwarded to the Supreme Board of Directors for action. In June 1989 the Supreme Board met and by official action changed the name to Msgr. Hugo Pautler Council 3455.

CLE ELUM – ROSLYN - Cle Elum/Roslyn Council 15684

COLBERT - Colbert Council 8872

St. Joseph Council 8872 was instituted on February 10, 1985 by District Deputy Reuben Streifel with 34 members. The charter members and officers were:

Robert F. Barrett	Kenneth J. Bicha	Leroy J Byrd
Michael C. Carlander	Michael F. Chorvat*	John W. Colliton
Richard A. Hagmann	George H. Hodges	Roger V. Johnson
Gerald W. Jones	Thomas Kassa	John P. Kowzan
Vernon L. Landkammer	James L. Lawrence	John B. Lynch
John M. Magee	Rev. James L. Mangan	Roger J. Mantese
Gaylord L. McCabe	Joseph A. Moisan	Richard D. Moore
William H. Mosher	Del S. Murray	Budd R. Neumann
Langley D. Pankey	Dennis R. Patterson	Edward L. Patterson
Gary R. Purviance*	John A. Riherd	Michael A. Robinson GK
John F. Spilker	Thomas J. Toigo*	Shayne F. Waterby
Richard L. Zilar		

This council is very active in Special Olympics. We have had financial planning seminars for our members. We are proud of the work that we do for our parish. We assist financially (\$1,615 in 1985-1986 alone) and with our labor. One recent project was repairing the roof of the chapel.

The council, originally named Bishop Topel Center Council was changed to St. Joseph Council on August 23, 2010.

COLFAX - Colfax Council 1488

Council Historians: Andrew J Chesnut and Charles Hofer

Colfax Council 1488 was instituted May 26, 1910. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Francis P Cod, OG	Rev Peter Leroux	George Schadegg TR
Leo P Codd Rec	Solomon Maguire	Lou T Schiblin DGK
Nicholas Codd	William J Maguire	M E Schreck TR
Patrick Codd W	Henry Meany Adv	Edw A Stravens IG
Dennis Corcoran	Daniel Neelan	Peter B Stravens TR
F A Correll	Walter O'Neal	John J Tracey
Albert Guske	George Ormby	Geo E Travis Lect
A W Harter	Charles Quinn FS	Wm E Troy Treas
Fred Harter	John R Richards C	F H Vollendorff GK
Frank Hofer	Anthony Rioth	George Weber Chan
Lou Hofer	John Rioth	Thomas R Kelly
Hugo Rossmeissl		

The last of our charter members passed away in 1967. The first meetings were held in the Colfax Odd Fellows Hall - now the Masonic Hall- and then, for several years, in the Knights of Pythias Hall. Since 1954 our meetings have been held in St John's Academy building. In 1972

the Knights remodelled one of the rooms for their meetings and youth activities. The room is panelled, carpeted and has a refrigerator, pool table and sink. Early accounts of St Patrick's Church in Colfax record that the Knights of Columbus proved to be a valuable asset during the time that the three 'hooded Knights' were running amok in Colfax.

In 1913 the council took in 25 new members from Pullman, Tekoa, Lacsrosse and Rosalia. October 1915 marked the end of a long struggle by many Knights and their families to have a Catholic school in Colfax. St John's Academy was completed. It operated as both a day school and a boarding school for grades 1-12. The Knights always assisted with any projects until the school closed in 1966. This included building projects, supplying books and encyclopedias, etc. The Knights also helped support St Ignatius Hospital and St Patrick's parish by work parties; construction of the rectory; rebuilding; supplying the Sunday Visitor during most years; installing a hot air furnace; remodeling the parish hall; furnishing rooms at St Ignatius and buying movie projectors for St John's.

We participate in community and council activities such as laying the cornerstone of a new post office (1932); sponsoring a boxing team for Catholic youth and a Blood Bank; getting a first fraternity house on the W.S.U. campus for Catholic students and supporting Chi-Nu-Chi (later to become Phi-Beta-Theta, a national Catholic fraternity). We donated \$1500 toward the building fund of the Whitman County Hospital and were heavily involved in raising \$150,000 for it. We donated for a new ambulance for Colfax. We have sponsored the Whitman County Swim Meet since 1966 and have the local Masonic Lodge members and their wives as our guests annually at a Potluck dinner.



APPEL KNIGHTS: (L-R) Front: Tony, Steve, Dave, Dick, and Neil. Back: Ron, Pete, Eric, and Travis. Photo published in the Supreme Council's Knightline Newsletter and the Washington State Council Bulletin, November 2010

We have supported the Religious Information program; the Spokane Pregnancy Aid and Right to Life programs with monthly contributions. In our Church activities, the Knights are indeed 'the strong right arm of the Church'. We are a small council in a small parish - our present membership is 124. What needs doing - is done - almost exclusively by Knights. This includes ushers, lectors, traffic control, routine maintenance and periodic remodeling and rebuilding. In 1954 we constructed a grotto near the church dedicated to Our Lady of Lourdes. In 1959-60 we

were heavily involved in financing and building the new Church. We have retreats and Memorial services for our departed Brothers. Father Victor Breznikar expressed deep gratitude to all the volunteer workers who saved the parish thousands of dollars.

We have many activities: Presentation of engraved K of C pen-pencil sets to each graduating senior; our annual PFH Stag Party to benefit the Seminarians fund; the annual Christmas Party and our Annual Sausage project - now our sole fund-raiser. It began with our members making 250 pounds in 1956 to 2500 pounds in 1981 made by 40 members under the leadership of Joe Hinnenkamp. Knights from our council who have held State Office are L T Schiblin (State Warden in 1919 and State Secretary in 1929) and Warren Taufen who was State Treasurer in 1963. District Deputies from our council included Jack Morton, Roy J McDonald and Wesley Nuxoll.

The Financial Secretaries of the council have played a leading role in the success of the council over the years, especially Anthony F Lothspeich and Andrew J Chesnut who have served a total of 82 of the 97 years of this council's existence. Other Financial Secretaries have been C W Quinn; George Traves; George Weber; W D Codd; L T Schiblin; Lewis Hofer and Joe Stravens.

COLTON – Colton Council 1565

100th Anniversary

Council Historian: Norbert Niehenke (1986) and Tom Weber (2011)

Colton Council 1565 was instituted on April 23, 1911 by District Deputy Lester P Ledge with 43 members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Rev James L Frei Chap	Linus Kaiser	Henry Niehenke
John E Becker	Theodore S Kaiser	Fred Reif
Michael Becker	John C Kramer	Emil M Reisenauer
Andrew Blinzler	August Kopf	John M Resienauer
Christopher M Busch	Joseph Kopf	Joseph Reisenauer
George J Esser	Joseph Kramer	Theodore Reisenauer
Frank Fite	John Mager	Simon H Schaaf
Michael E Fitzgerald	Charles Mayer	Mike Schultheis Jr
George Gessinger	Frank McCormick	George A Spils
Lambert F Gibbs GK	Daniel C McKenna	John C Thomassen
Henry S Gransch, Treas	Albert Mertes	Lambert Thommes
Ben Heitstuman FS	J J Meshishnek Rec	Frank Trapp
George Jones	John J Moser	Jacob Wieber DGK
William M Jones	Francis A Mraz Lect	Peter Zenner
J. A. Shonberg Chan		

Lambert F. Gibbs, who was also a charter member of Moscow Council No. 1397, served as the council's first Grand Knight. Ben Heitstuman was appointed Financial Secretary. McKenna Hall, located over Haupt's Store (the site of the present post office), became the official home of the Knights of Columbus. Meetings were held on Saturday nights but before the end of the year, Monday nights became the K of C Meeting night and has continued to be throughout the years. Members spent that first year organizing their council and furnishing it with robes, badges and supplies. ByLaws were adopted January 22, 1912. Beginning a tradition that has prevailed throughout our history, 58 members received Holy Communion as a group on March 16, 1913. The breakfast afterwards cost \$5.05 compared with \$141.90 it took to feed 65 members in 1985. Breakfast attendance began to lag in later years and following the 1999 breakfast when only 26 Knights were in attendance, LeRoy Weber suggested that we open the event to our families as well. The 2000 Communion Breakfast was attended by 33 Knights, 19 wives and two guests. The practice of inviting families to the breakfast continues today.



1920's Knights of Columbus – Possibly a 3rd Degree class – contributed by Greg Druffel, from Bennie Druffel's collection – no description, names or year recorded

By November of 1913, membership had grown to 81. At this time members from Uniontown asked permission to start a new and separate council. The State Deputy and the District Deputy advised against it and permission was denied. Persistence paid off however and on December 19, 1915 Uniontown Council 1823 was instituted. During these early years, Colton was recognized as the only council in the state with over 50% insurance members. In 1918 dues were raised from \$6.00 to \$10.00 but were reduced back to \$6.00 in 1925 when many members were found to be in arrears. During World War I, the Colton council raised \$1,310 as its share of a National Knights of Columbus War Camp Fund. During the 1920s, the Knights volunteered to take the Sisters of St Joseph Orphanage in Spokane through the county to solicit donations for the children in their care.

The Knights have always been active in parish affairs. In 1915 they voted to provide ushers for Masses at St Gall Church. They played a major role in parish bazaars, beginning with



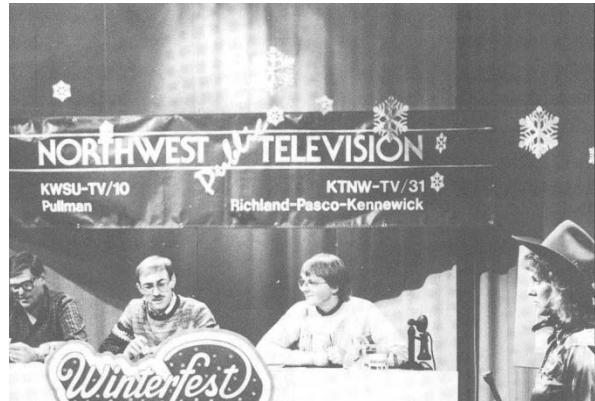
CHARTER MEMBERS – 50TH ANNIVERSARY PHOTO (4/23/61) – L-R: Joseph Reisenauer, J. Peter Zenner, Frank Trapp, John C. Kramer, John Becker, Henry Niehenke, August Kopf, Christopher M. Busch, Emil Reisenauer. John J. Meshishnek was not present.

the operation of the Country Store Booth, the Bingo concession, the Grand Prize Raffle and finally, in 1974, the Cash Bazaar. They were instrumental in changing the custom of men and women segregating during church services. The Knights have always been there to renovate, repair and build new additions to the church, convent and rectory. When problems arose, the Knights took the initiative in solving them. In 1930, Bishop Kelly of the Boise Diocese had ordered the Sisters of St Scholastica Academy to leave Colton. A petition, endorsed with the official seal of the Order, was drawn up and forwarded to Bishop White of the Spokane Diocese urging him to do all he could to keep the Sisters in Colton. During World War II the council gave sewing kits to the enlisted men from St Gall parish and started the Blood Donor program. In the Fifties, the Knights helped provide funds for the community's first resuscitator. The council sponsored CPR classes for the community and has several members serving as EMTs for the Quick Response Medical Team serving the Colton-Uniontown area.

In 1951 delegates from Colton presented a resolution requesting the State Knights of Columbus to sponsor a petition to allow parochial school children to ride public school buses. Following the passage of the Roe vs. Wade decision in 1972, the Knights have been active in many Right to Life programs. Masters at fund-raising, the members have turned to plays, movies, smokers, basketball games, dances, raffles and card parties to raise revenue. They have frequently joined forces with the Catholic Daughters. In 1928 the two organizations presented the play "Go Slow, Mary" to benefit St Scholastica Academy and later raised money for a sound-proof confessional. Joint socials were often held with the Catholic Daughters. Annual dances, beginning with the Pre-Harvest Ball to the Bazaar Dance, the Thanksgiving Dance, the Pre-Lenten Dance and ending with the Easter Dance provided a full social calendar and sore feet for Knights and their guests.

In December 1938, the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Daughters and Colton Grange jointly bought the property known as 'Fraternity Block' from the Pullman Lodge of the Odd Fellows for \$800. Fraternity Hall became the new home of the Knights and the first meeting was held on November 14, 1938 while negotiations for the sale were still in progress. The three organizations sponsored a Hall Party for the upkeep of the hall every year until about 1990. The council's Silver Jubilee was celebrated with the initiation of ten candidates on April 26, 1936. The 50th Anniversary of the council was celebrated on April 23, 1961 with initiation of twelve new members followed by a banquet. The Diamond Jubilee was celebrated on April 27, 1986 with a 2nd and 3rd degree initiation, Memorial Mass and banquet. The 75th Anniversary Certificate was presented by State Deputy George C. Turk and the main speaker was Bishop Lawrence H Welsh.

Many members were present to congratulate Clarkston council on their institution in 1940. Colton council has been host and guest at many inter-council and regional meetings throughout the years. Sixteen Past Grand Knights assumed the offices of the council at a special meeting honoring the PGKs in May 1950. Membership of the council numbered 110 at this point. District 8 was formed by the Colton, Clarkston, Uniontown, Pomeroy and Colfax councils in 1954. The Colton council took charge of the Convention Banquet when the State Convention was held in Clarkston in 1962 and was the first council in the state to earn the Star Council Award in 1974. Members of the council have held State Offices through the years. Tom Weber served two years in each of the state offices including State Deputy from 1995 to 1997. The



KWSU PLEDGE DRIVE (Pullman) – Drew Druffel, Pat Weber and Frank Ankerson, Colton Knights of Columbus, take pledges during a 1980's Pledge Drive.

office of State Warden was held by Ben Heitstuman in 1927; Walt Meyer in 1931; Vic Druffel in 1938-40; and Vince Meyer in 1944-46. The office of State Advocate was held by Dick Meyer in 1960-62. District Deputies were Lambert Gibbs 1916-18; Neil Meyer in 1962-64; Carroll Schultheis in 1972-74; Bob Bauer in 1977-79; Tom Weber in 1981-83 and Jerry Weber in 1985-87 and Marty Weber 1993-95.

In 2010, there are 134 members in the council comprised of 95 insurance, 26 associate and 13 inactive insurance members. Henry Niehenke was the last surviving charter member and had been a member of Colfax Council 1488 since 1916. He had been a Knight of Columbus for over 77 years upon his death in 1988. Over 550 men have joined the Colton Council since its institution and members have been instrumental in establishing two new councils - the first at Uniontown in 1915, and the second at Pullman in 1979. There have been 56 Grand Knights of whom 27 are still living. There have been 17 Financial Secretaries and 15 Chaplains. Nineteen members have joined the Fourth Degree of the Order. The council has 26 Honorary Life members and 10 honorary members. Twenty six members have over 50 years of continuous service. Past Grand Knight Claude Dahmen has been a member for 74 consecutive years. Holdan M. Druffel is our newest member – joining in March of this year. Greg Schultheis served as grand knight from 2006-2009. He joined his great-grandfather (Michael Jr), his grandfather (Jake), his father (Carroll) and his brother (Art) in service as grand knight of the council.

In 2011, during the centennial of the council, Tom Weber updated the history to highlight the past 25 years. This era of the council has been arguably the best period of our existence. With an abundance of new and dedicated new members, the council was transformed from being ‘monetarily poor’ to one that is ‘rich’ - rich not only in activities (and their financial reward) but admired by the parish and community for what we do. Our success is the result of the dedication of a strong group of leaders and followers. The reader will be in awe of all this council has done during these past 25 years – especially in the number of activities now annually sponsored by its members. I will begin with a report on our 75th Anniversary celebration.

Our **75TH ANNIVERSARY** celebration of April 27, 1986, was a huge success. Although only 3 council members were exemplified in the 2nd and 3rd degrees at Guardian Angel/St Boniface school gymnasium that afternoon, the class of 25 candidates made for a memorable ceremony. In attendance were Sam Dambrocia, Supreme Council Director of Ceremonials; George Turk, Washington State Deputy; Everett Turner, State Treasurer; Ed Mertens, State Advocate; Chuck McLean, State Warden; Hector Maffei, Immediate Past State Deputy; and Jerry Weber, District Deputy of District 8. The degree was followed by a Memorial Mass at St Gall Catholic Church and a banquet and social at the Colton Gun Club. Steve Druffel, past grand knight and former financial secretary, served as Master of Ceremonies. Bishop Lawrence Welsh, Bishop of Spokane and George Turk, Washington State Deputy, were guest speakers. The banquet was catered by the Catholic Daughters and the Colton High School Swing Choir provided entertainment. During the banquet, Past Grand Knight pins were awarded to all living past grand knights and the Supreme Council’s 75 Year Council Certificate presented to Grand Knight Gene Bussiere. An anniversary birthday cake (provided by Edna Mae Schultheis) was presented to our last living Charter Member, Henry Niehenke. Henry had transferred his membership to Colfax Council 1488 on April 8, 1916 and was celebrating his 75th anniversary as a Knight of Columbus (Henry passed away on September 25, 1988). Council members also received a Knights of Columbus key-chain from Ron and Gordy Venneri, General Agent and Field Agent respectively for the Washington State Agency Department.

To fund the 75th Anniversary events, members of the council along with many community members provided 25 persons to inventory the Bon Marche' in Moscow during February 1986. For our evening's effort, the council received around \$850. This was a lot of money for a council who regularly relied on breakfasts and card parties for funds. With the money, the council was

able to offset some of the price of the banquet – still requiring a \$10 per person admission. The celebration was a huge success – equaling the activities of our 50th Anniversary celebration. The 50th Anniversary celebration was held on April 23, 1961 and had 11 Colton members receiving their degrees. Many of those organizers, now Honorary Life members, were in attendance at the 75th Anniversary. Twenty- five year certificates were presented to the 1961 anniversary membership class in attendance.

In May 1987, Tom Weber was elected Washington State Warden. As a state officer, Tom became very close friends with Chuck McLean, State Advocate, of Bothell. Their close friendship revolved around a love of fishing, and together they attended several Salmon Derbies sponsored by Seattle Council 676. The Salmon Derbies were always a lot of fun – although Tom and Chuck's fishing prowess left much to be desired. At Chuck's suggestion, Tom discussed the possibility of hosting a

STEELHEAD DERBY with the council. Dave Scharnhorst, council Treasurer, volunteered to help Tom

initiate the first Derby. It was a one day, rainy, Sunday event on November 12, 1989. There were 40 participants vying for the \$175 in prize money. The awards were: \$100 for the largest fish; \$50 for a “mystery weight” fish; and \$25 for the second largest fish. Only one fish was caught - shortly after the derby began at midnight. Dave Cuellar, a barber living in Colton, was awarded a single prize of \$100 for the largest fish. Although the initial derby wasn't a great success, subsequent derbies grew in size and success. By the second derby the framework for all subsequent derbies had been established. The derby was expanded to two days - Saturday and Sunday; the prize money was increased to include more places; a raffle, made up of donated articles from local businesses, was instituted; a free award party to present awards to the derby winners and to draw for the raffle parties was held; and sausage was made for sale and for the award dinner. The second derby netted the council over \$1,000; the third and subsequent derbies, over \$1,500; and by the ninth derby in 1997, the council netted over \$2,000. With these funds the council was able to greatly increase their charitable support to the parish and community.

In 1998, Dave Scharnhorst passed the gavel as co-chairman to Marty Weber. Marty and



11/13/94 – Steelhead Derby, smallest fish: Nathan Weber. Also in photo is Tom Weber, chairman and Chuck McLean, Bothell (with camera)



THE POWER OF THE ROSARY

11/3/07 - The winning steelhead caught during the 19th Annual Steelhead Derby tipped the scales at 18 pounds, 10 ounces and was caught by Trudy Weber. This was the second time that Trudy has won the derby. The fish was hooked immediately after Trudy and the rest of the boat had prayed the rosary.

Jim Horstman met with Stu Waters and Bruce Andrews who ran *The Waters Edge*, a fishing tackle shop on the Snake River in Clarkston, who allowed us to advertise the derby at their shop. Stu became great friends with the council – and actively recruited participants from the Lewiston-Clarkston Valley. This had a tremendous impact on the number of participating anglers and the rewards to the council. The 1998 derby had an increase of 20 anglers over years previous (108

anglers total) and netted over \$3,000. Following our association with Stu, there have been instances where over \$4,500 was netted by the Derby (\$4,594 in 2004, \$4,573 in 2006).

Through the friendships Tom had made as a state officer, knights from the Tri-Cities (Richland, Pasco and Kennewick) have participated in nearly every derby. Past State Deputy, Hector Maffei, Don McBride (now State Secretary) and many of their council officers, members and friends have been annual participants. In the beginning, Tom and Diane had provided dinner for the visiting knights at their home but by the 3rd or 4th Derby, the council began to provide a sausage dinner for them following the Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass. The camaraderie between the Tri-Cities and Colton knights has made life friendships between many in the community.

Steelhead Derby Results

Date	Winner	Weight	Anglers	Fish Caught
1989	Dave Cuellar	12 lbs	40	1
1990	Joe Robinson	17 lbs	66	26
1991	Mark Hoffman	18 lbs	79	51
1992	Trudy Weber	17 lbs	73	27
1993	Justus Taylor	15 lbs	85	34
1994	LeRoy Weber	13 lbs, 13 oz	62	16
1995	Ryan Weber	14 lbs, 2 oz	65	14
1996	Randy Robins	14 lbs, 14 oz	85	37
1997	Dean Daniels	13 lbs, 13 oz	86	36
1998	Justin Erwin	17 lbs, 10 oz	106	45
1999	Doris McFarland	17 lbs, 1 oz	129	52
2000	Doris McFarland	18 lbs, 5 oz	124	36
2001	Greg Matsumoto	17 lbs, 9 oz	133	42
2002	Travis Ledgerwood	18 lbs, 6 oz	133	121
2003	Harold Miller	18 lbs, 3 oz	144	72
2004	Justin McFarland	17 lbs, 13 oz	177	38
2005	Kenneth Hall	19 lbs, 5 oz	162	47
2006	Buck Geiger	22 lbs, 10 oz	165	73
2007	Trudy Weber	18 lbs, 10 oz.	145	71
2008	Colby Kingsbury	17 lbs. 0 oz.	157	47
2009	Robb Bass	16 lbs. 10 oz.	164	51
2010	Don Cadwallader	17 lbs. 2 oz	156	48

Since the initial derby, there have been many members active in the event. Tom and Marty Weber passed the gavel as co-chairmen to Jim Horstman and Gary Riedner following the 1999 derby. Jim and Gary continue to serve as co-chairmen. The following have served as chairmen for many years: Dave Scharnhorst, served as the inspiration and advocate of the event as well as co-chairman for the first 9 derbies; Marty Weber, served as co-chairman and has also solicited area businesses for donations and raffle prizes for two decades; Wes (and Diane) Patterson, along with their friends, have provided the meal for the Award dinner and the Richland Knights Saturday evening dinner; Art Schultheis and Mitch Meyer, have managed the sausage making; Jerry Weber and Jeff Druffel, have manned weigh stations at Nisqually John and Blyton Landings on the Snake River; Gary Riedner and Jim Horstman, who continue to serve as co-chairmen; Frank Ankerson (and before him Kelly Kirpes), have chaired the bar committee during the Awards dinner; and Stu Waters – a non-knight but an honorary member of the council – who has helped to make the Derby a successful regional event. The success of the Steelhead Derby

was recognized with the Washington State Council Activity Award at the 1991 convention. The Awards dinner was moved to the school gymnasium in 2004.

The derby's success has been a 'life changing event' for the council - allowing more visibility within the parish and community by providing funds to support many old and new acts of charity. New programs established as a result of our success were the Steak/Wine Dinner Auction donation, Altar Server Recognition, and Highway Cleanup - all established in 1990.

A raffle item for the **STEAK/WINE DINNER AUCTION**, a fund raising activity to benefit Guardian Angel / St Boniface School, was approved at the February 5, 1990 meeting. Four golf passes to the 9-hole WSU Golf course were obtained by Dave Scharnhorst for \$76.48. The item brought in several hundred dollars during the auction. Subsequent raffle donations have been made – some for local links and some more exotic. The June 4, 1994 trip was to Walla Walla and included transportation, golf fees and dinner. The dinner following the day of golf was held at Field Agent Gordy Venneri's backyard where Gordy barbecued steak. Transportation was provided by Greg Eylar in his mother's motor home. Trips to Walla Walla were repeated for several years with Gordy graciously hosting the dinner, barbecuing steak and furnishing wine from his winery, Walla Walla Vintners. Greg Eylar volunteered the use of his mother's motor home for golf trip donations through the 2002 auction. Golf trips to Sandpoint and Clarkston as well as wine tasting trips to Walla Walla have frequently been donated over the years.

An event to honor Altar Servers was first proposed at the March 12, 1990 meeting. Several car loads of servers and boats travelled to Badger Lake on June 1 for a day of fishing. Thankfully, Harold and Jeep Sims, who had a home on the lake, saved the day. It rained profusely and the Sim's were gracious enough to allow us to entertain and feed the altar servers in their two- car garage. The **ALTAR SERVER RECOGNITION** day was held for the next four years at Badger Lake. Subsequent events have included bowling; monetary gifts; and, since 2003, a baseball game at the school's ball field followed by a picnic at the home of Carroll and Edna Mae Schultheis's. Tom Weber, Art Schultheis, Kipp Meyer and Carroll Schultheis have all served as chairmen of the event. Additional Knights have helped with this function – providing boats and transportation to the fishing and bowling events, as well as assistance for the ball games and picnics. Edna Mae has often baked cookies for the picnic – always a hit with the altar servers.

At the October 14, 1991 meeting Grand Knight Art Schultheis received a vote of approval to apply for an **ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY** section of US 195. The council was subsequently awarded the 2- mile section through Colton – from the concrete bridge south of town to the concrete bridge north of town.

The Adopt-a-Highway program is contracted with an organization for a three year period and requires that the section of highway be cleaned 4 times per year. The first cleanup was held on March 14, 1992 with seven members participating. The council has renewed its contract on each anniversary and is now in its 19th year of participation.

Not all events of the council have continued. Those that were discontinued were most often due to a gradual lack of interest. Dave Scharnhorst organized the first of eight **GOLF FUN DAYS** with an event held at the WSU Golf course in Pullman on June 20, 1992. The event was well attended and provided a lot of fun for Knights and their families. The event was held annually during June with the final event held on June 19,



CENTENNIAL YEAR, MARCH 1982

Back row: Tom Weber DD, LeRoy Weber (father), Bernie Weber OG
Front row: Pat Weber, Jerry Weber DGK, Marty Weber W

1999 at Quail Ridge Golf Course in Clarkston. Dave Scharnhorst, Marty Weber, Kipp Meyer and Bruce Smetana all served as chairmen.

An event that perished after many years of activity were the **PINOCHLE CARD PARTIES**. For decades the Knights and Daughters had offered a series of four card parties during the fall and winter months. A typical evening consisted of 4 games of pinochle followed by 10 games of Bingo. Refreshments were also served. The card parties were very popular with the older members of the community and many younger members learned the game after being 'forced' to sit in when insufficient 4-somes were in attendance. Due to diminishing attendance, the last card parties were held on November 28, December 5, December 12, and December 19, 1993.

Steve Redinger received permission from the council to charter a **CUB SCOUT PACK** on May 24, 1993. The charter cost the council \$20 annually and remained active while council members had boys in the first through fifth grades (7 to 10 years of age). A plaque in recognition of our support was received on 2/28/94. Holly Meyer, wife of Kipp Meyer, also started a **GIRL SCOUT PACK** in 2005. The girls met in the council Hall through 2006 when they disbanded. The Cub Scout Pack also became inactive at that time.

Other youth programs have consisted of council hoop shoot contests sponsored by the Lewiston Tribune and later by the Knights of Columbus. For many years, youth from the area participated in the hoop shoot sponsored by the Lewiston Tribune and organized locally by the Knights. The Lewiston Tribune quit hosting the local annual hoop shoot in January 1997. The council then continued offering the program to the youth through the **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW CONTEST**. Marty Weber, Gary Riedner, Mitch Meyer and others have served as chairman. The competition is divided into four levels – council, district, regional, and state competition. The council competition is generally held at the parochial and public schools during the lunch hour. The District Deputy organizes the district competition which is held at a participating council location; the State Council organizes the regional and state competitions. Regionals are held in Spokane and the state finals at Holy Family Parish in Yakima. Ashley Overstreet won the State Free Throw for 14 yr old girls in 2001 - Josh Straughan won the State Free Throw in 2005. In recent years, the council has also supported youth summer sports teams for the girls and boys of Colton and Uniontown.

From 1974 until the late 1980's, the Hall Committee, made up of representatives from the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Daughters, and Grange, held a crab feed and dance to fund the upkeep of the hall. In January 1990, Tom Weber advocated that the Knights resurrect the **CRAB and SHRIMP FEED** as a fundraiser. The topic was resurrected annually until at the November 28, 1994 meeting, Pat Niehenke volunteered to chair the event. The event was held at the Guardian Angel / St Boniface gymnasium on January 20, 1995. There were 221 tickets sold – netting the council \$979.91 for the event. The next Crab Feed was held on January 20, 1996 with similar results. One thousand dollars of the net profit of \$1,225.08 was donated back to the school. Following the January 25, 1997 crab feed – in which shrimp was served because of the high cost of crab - 100% of the net profits were given to the school. The 1997 profit was \$1,290.42. The practice of giving all of the profits of the crab feed to the school has continued. To date the school has received nearly \$42,000 from the event. By holding the function entirely for the school, participation has increased. The council image has also greatly improved in the eyes of the parish. The success of the activity is due to the efforts of the many volunteers and long serving chairmen –especially that of Pat Niehenke and wife Debbie who came forward to initiate the event. Pat served as chairman from 1994 - 2003 followed by Greg Schultheis and wife Kelly who chaired the event from 2004 - 2009. Kipp Meyer and wife Holly are presently serving as chairs. Gary Riedner and wife Terri have also been active in promoting the feed. The council is very proud of the crab feed event and the great good it has done for the school. The council and Guardian Angel / St Boniface School are greatly appreciative for the dedication of all volunteers and participants that have made the crab feed such a success.

Kipp Meyer and Chris Schultheis suggested that the council award a **HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP** to a graduating catholic, Colton High School student at the September 8, 1997 meeting. Kipp Meyer also volunteered to sell Knights of Columbus Christmas cards to provide the funds. Two cases of *Keep Christ in Christmas* cards were sold to parishioners that fall. Chris and Kipp worked out the criteria for the scholarship and presented it to a favorable vote at the February 9, 1998 meeting. The scholarship was approved as a \$250 grant given to a graduating catholic student during commencement exercises. The initial scholarship was awarded to Chris Dostal by Tom Weber, Immediate Past State Deputy of the Washington State Council. Molly Druffel received the \$250 scholarship in 1999.

Following the success of the Sprague Lake Rest stop project in 1999 (see below), Tom Weber suggested that the council consider setting \$1,500 aside in an investment account to provide continued support for the scholarship. On January 10, 2000 the council voted to establish a scholarship fund of \$1,000 and to increase the amount of future scholarships to \$500. An Investment Committee of Chris Schultheis, Gary Riedner, Marty Weber and Art Schultheis were established on February 14, 2000. On March 3, 2000 the committee reported that they were willing to guarantee our investment in a cell phone telecommunications company at 6% interest. The fund has had its up and downs over the years and on May 28, 2001 the Investment Committee corrected the investment shortfall of \$702 during a committee meeting. Presently, the fund is valued at approximately \$2,000 and has not been accessed to provide a scholarship.

Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each have been awarded to the following: Rich Stout (2000), Teresa Paul (2001), Nathan Weber (2002), Kasey Druffel (2003), Frank Friddle (2004), Casey Riedner (2005), Andy Becker (2006), Nikki Riedner (2007), Corey Horstman (2008), Kirk Riedner (2009) and Katie Becker (2010). Kipp Meyer continued to sell Christmas Cards to the community in support of the scholarship until 2009..

For a number of years the council had discussed serving coffee and cookies at one of the rest stops on I-90 or US-195. Kipp Meyer reported on the procedure for establishing a date with the Department of Transportation during the September 22, 1997 meeting. Reservations for 1999 would be available on January 2, 1998 by calling the Department of Transportation office in Spokane. Members of the council continued to speak to a number of organizations about their experiences at the Rosalia and Sprague Lake rest areas.

On behalf of Kipp Meyer, Tom Weber called the Department of Transportation office at 7:30 am, January 2, 1998 requesting both sides of the **SPRAGUE LAKE REST AREA** for Labor Day weekend 1999. A contract for September 3 – 6, 1999 was received on February 9. The council agreed to have the rest stop open from Noon on September 3 to Noon on September 6. The local Catholic Daughters Court, Joan of Arc No. 493, agreed to co-sponsor the weekend and provide 1,000 dozen cookies – the Knights were responsible for the coffee and all other supplies. Tom Weber, Kipp Meyer and Emma Lou Meyer served as chairpersons. The gross receipts amounting to \$3,519 were split with the Catholic Daughters. The council netted \$1,544 for the event.

On January 10, 2000, Pat Niehenke obtained both sides of the Sprague Lake Rest Area for the weekend of June 1 – 3, 2001. The Catholic Daughters again co-sponsored the event with the Knights and supplied 500 dozen cookies.

Tom Weber, Kipp Meyer and Emma Lou Meyer again served as chairpersons. Gross receipts for the weekend were roughly \$1,667. Four hundred twenty dozen cookies were served. A third rest area weekend was scheduled for May 17 - 19, 2002, which fell on the same weekend as the annual Washington State Council State Convention. The event was chaired by Kipp Meyer FS and Gary Riedner GK and had gross receipts of \$1,728.91. Both sides of the rest area were



9/6/03 – Nick Weber at the
Sprague Lake Rest Area

manned by Knights and Daughters. It was reported that the Daughters had difficulty in obtaining cookies and the Knights had trouble finding help. A fourth rest area weekend was obtained for the weekend following Labor Day, September 6 – 8, 2003. Tom Weber, Kipp Meyer and Emma Lou Meyer served as chairpersons. Council profits for the weekend were \$961.35 and a total of 300 dozen cookies were distributed. Kipp Meyer chaired the fifth and final weekend at the east bound Sprague Lake Rest Area on Labor Day weekend, September 2 – 5, 2005. It was another successful event with gross receipts totaling \$1,962.50 and 350 dozen cookies served.

Grand Knight Pat Niehenke proposed a **MOTHERS DAY BREAKFAST** at the 3/22/99 meeting. The May 9, 1999 event was well attended with 175 breakfasts served and \$678 in donations received. Kipp Meyer suggested that we pass out corsages to Mothers attending the 2000 Mother's Day Mass (Sunday). In 2004 the Mother's Day breakfast was cancelled due to changes in the Mass schedule. Corsages and breakfast continued until 2010 when only corsages were offered to mothers at Sunday's Mass. The breakfast was cancelled due to declining numbers.



2/28/00 – First Degree Class: L-R (front): unknown, Doug Cook, Rich Stout, Guy Pitzer, Ryan Weber (back): Avery Vincent, guard; Tom Weber, deputy grand knight; Tom Schultheis, financial secretary; Stan Bauer, District Deputy 8; Rich Zack, chancellor; Marty Weber, warden; Jerry Weber, grand knight; and Jim Horstman, guard

Our Order was founded in 1882 on the principles of charity, unity and fraternity. These principles are taught to our members through ceremonials. The 1st Degree teaches the lesson of charity; the 2nd unity; and the 3rd fraternity. In 1900, a 4th Degree was added which teaches the lesson of patriotism. The 1st Degree is council based and the team the responsibility of the grand knight. The 2nd degree is district based with the District Deputy responsible for the team. Since 1953, Colton has been a council in District 8 along with Pomeroy 1460, Colfax 1488, Uniontown 1823, Clarkston 3455, and Pullman 7360. The 3rd Degree is state based with the state deputy responsible for the degree teams. The 4th Degree is the responsibility of the District Master. Colton and all of Washington State reside in the Washington District. From the very beginning,

our ceremonials have remained restricted to the membership and their results bind us together as Knights in service of the Church and State.

Following the introduction of new 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees by the Supreme Council during the Orders 1982 Centennial, all new degree teams were formed in Washington at the direction of State Deputy John Klein. A requirement for certification of a team was total memorization. In 1982, Colfax Council 1488 was the first district council to certify a 1st Degree team. Jerry Weber organized the Colton Council **1ST DEGREE TEAM** in 1983. Team members were Jerry Weber, grand knight; Bob Bauer, deputy grand knight; Rich Zack, chancellor; Drew Druffel, financial secretary; and Marty Weber, warden. Tom Weber has served as the team's deputy grand knight since 1985 and Tom Schultheis has served as financial secretary since the death of Drew Druffel in 2001. The Colton team participated in the initial State First Degree Contest held in Bellevue during the 1986 State Convention. The team placed 3rd behind Richland (2nd) and Federal Way (1st). Of note, the Colfax team received the top honor during the 2007 competition. Most of the 1st Degree Team members have now been serving for over 28 years.

The District 8, 2nd Degree Team was formed by District Deputy Tom Weber in 1983. Team members were Tom Weber, district deputy; Bob Bauer, deputy grand knight; and Marty Weber, Warden. Stan Bauer of Pullman Council 7360 served as the team's chancellor. Tom, Marty and Stan continue to serve the district as members of the team. Tom has also assisted 3rd Degree teams as assigned district deputy and conferring officer. At the request of Joe Campbell, Idaho State Master, Tom formed a Fourth Degree Team at Father Cataldo Assembly in Moscow during 1984. The team was made up of members of the Assembly and was one of two teams in Idaho. Following the formation of the Palouse Assembly in 1987, and at the request of Al Rizzo, Washington State Master, Tom formed the Eastern Washington 4th Degree Team. The team is made up of members from various assemblies in eastern Washington. Tom Weber, Rich Zack and Jerry Weber continue to serve on the team as historian, narrator, and music coordinator respectively.

In an effort to celebrate the blessings of the summer harvest (as well as to raise some money), the council sponsored a **HARVEST FEST** on September 16, 2007. It was a gorgeous September Sunday and featured dinner, entertainment, refreshments and games. The event was open to the communities of Colton and Uniontown at large. Admission was \$10 per person or \$25 per family. The dinner featured Bald Butte Roasted Pig (Marty Weber) and fresh Corn-on-the-Cob (Chris Schultheis), LeRoy's Sauerkraut (LeRoy Weber), Von-Patterson Baked Beans and Potato Salad (Wes Patterson), Fresh Garden Salad and Ice Cream. Refreshments were available at the Meyer Bros Beer Garden (Kipp and Mitch Meyer). The Aufghest German Band from Pullman provided the entertainment and atmosphere. The Colton High School Seniors conducted games and activities for the kids. Although attendance was less than hoped, 83 adults and 31 children



Nick Weber, Marty Weber and Mike Becker attack the roasted hog at the 2007 Harvest Fest

were in attendance. The atmosphere was certainly joyful, thanks to the decorations by the Gary Riedner family, the Bavarian music, toddler toys furnished by the Mike Beckers' and the colorful tents and awnings furnished by many brother Knights. It was hoped that the event would become more popular in future years. Certainly everyone in attendance raved at the great food and fun of the afternoon. Unfortunately the event was cut short by the strong wind that developed late in the afternoon.

The second annual Harvest Fest was held on September 21 - a very cold day, which forced the event indoors. The menu

and activities remained the same as last years. For a multiple of reasons, attendance was far less than hoped with only 57 adults and 20 children in attendance. The atmosphere was celebratory and everyone in attendance had a great time but due to a lack of support by the community, coupled with the large committee required to conduct this event—the council decided not to hold the event in 2009. Perhaps the event will be resurrected when conditions are more favorable.

A tradition of the council is to pray for vocations at the close of every meeting. We also participate in several annual projects in support of vocations and the priesthood. The **REFUND SUPPORT FOR VOCATIONS PROGRAM (RSVP)** is a program sponsored by the Supreme Council. They refund the council \$100 for each donation of \$500 to a seminarian. The council's requirements are to 'adopt' a seminarian by providing both financial support and personal encouragement through regular communication. Discussions about council support of a seminarian first occurred at the May 23, 1994 meeting. Upon receiving advice from council Chaplain Fr Richard Root, the council voted on November 14, 1994 to support a seminarian through the program. In the beginning, the council split their contribution between two seminarians –Tim Hayes and John Reding (1994); Tim Hayes and Victor Blazovich (1995 and 1996); and Victor Blazovich and Jose Luiz Millan (1997, 1998 and 1999). At the September 25, 2000 meeting the council received notice that the RSVP program will no longer allow splitting the donation between two seminarians and required each seminarian receive \$500 in order to be eligible for the refund. Alejandro Zepada received \$500 support for 2001 – 2006; David Kuttner 2007 – 2009; and 2010 – 2011.

All but one council supported seminarian has become a priest and in 2011 are serving the following parishes in the Spokane Diocese: Rev Timothy Hayes, serving Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, Walla Walla; Rev Victor Blazovich, serving St. Mary Parish, Spokane Valley; Rev Jose Millan, serving Sacred Heart Parish, Pullman; Rev Alejandro Zepada, serving Sacred Heart Parish, Othello; and Rev David Kuttner, serving Immaculate Conception Parish, Oroville and Holy Rosary Parish, Tonasket. Our current RSVP seminarian is Dale Tuckerman who has started studies at the Pontifical North American College in Rome. Rev Victor Blazovich served as pastor of St. Gall and St. Boniface parishes from 2001 – 2004.

At the urging of Grand Knight Gary Riedner to set an example to the Parish in support of the Spokane Diocese's capital campaign to build a new Bishop White Seminary (**HERE I AM LORD**), the council voted at the October 27, 2003 meeting to pledge \$2,000 in support. Discussion to increase or even double our support continued for nearly two years following the pledge. Ultimately, at the January 24, 2005 meeting, and after receiving reports that the campaign goal had been exceeded, a motion to drop further donation discussion was accepted by the members. It may be of interest to note that following the bankruptcy of the Diocese in 2007 and the eventual building of the seminary in 2009, the campaign was over \$1 million short. The State Deputy of Washington, at the request of all bishops in the State, urged all councils in the jurisdiction to help retire the debt. Colton council elected not to provide additional support.

Still another vocations program of the council is the **PENNIES FOR HEAVEN PARADE**. Originated in 1959 to raise money for the education of priests, the Pennies for Heaven Parade has been fully supported by the council since the mid 1990's. By donating a Penny a Day from each of our members and a Prayer a Day for an increase in vocations, our council donates nearly \$500 a year for the state-wide program. Annually, the program generates in excess of \$60,000 state-wide. The PFH Fund, a managed investment fund controlled by the State Council, is valued at well over \$1.25 million and annually awards over \$30,000 to each diocese for their vocations programs. The original council collection plan called for a penny container to be placed on the salutation table of the council and members attending encouraged dropping in their loose pennies. This practice is still maintained but to augment the collection, a



Dale Tuckerman
2011 RSVP Recipient

Communion Breakfast raffle was enacted by Financial Secretary Kipp Meyer for our 2000 breakfast. The raffle generated \$130 from the members and wives in attendance. Previous raffles had been held but generally for a fifth or two of whiskey for the all male attendance. The new raffle has been extremely successful in helping meet the annual goal. Jerry Weber served as the State Pennies for Heaven Chairman for the 1987-88 and 1988-89 fraternal years. Marty Weber also served as the State Pennies for Heaven Chairman for the 1995-96 and 1996-97 fraternal years. Beginning in 1988 and continuing to the present, the council has annually met their goal of a ‘penny a day’ per member.

In December 1938, Colton Council 1565 - Knights of Columbus, Court Joan of Arc No. 493 - Catholic Daughters of America, and Colton Grange 934, jointly bought the property known as 'Fraternity Block' from the Pullman Lodge of the Odd Fellows for \$800. In early 1993 the Catholic Daughters sold their interest in **FRATERNITY HALL** for 50 cents each to the Knights of Columbus and the Grange. The Daughters also received their share of the principle from the sale of Mraz Hall. In January 2004, the Bank of Pullman gave the lower floor of the building to Colton School District 306. Documents reviewed at the time indicate that the Knights and Grange were renting the stairwell and furnace room from the Bank of Pullman and owned the second floor. The school agreed to maintain the roof but if major repairs are required, the Knights and Grange were responsible for 40% of the costs. In early 2005, Marty Weber, Hall Committee Chairman reported that the Masons had moved out. The Masons and American Legion had bought rented lockers in the Hall for many years. At the October 10, 2005 meeting it was reported that the Grange had disbanded - leaving us as the only occupants of the Hall. Annual expenses to upkeep the Hall run about \$2,000 per year with \$9,000 still in a reserve account. Marty has served as Hall Chairman since Ken Meyer's retirement in October 1997.

In the mid 1970's the Supreme Council began recognizing local councils for their success in membership, insurance and programming. The Father McGivney Award was awarded to a council for attaining a 5% membership growth during the fraternal year (July 1 – June 30). The Founder's Award is awarded to councils who attain a 2.5% insurance membership growth during the year. The Columbian Award is presented to councils for conducting 4 major programs each in Church, Community, Council, Family and Youth categories. Should a council receive all three awards in the same year, they are recognized as a Star Council – the highest council award given by the Supreme Council.

Colton received the very first Washington State Council, **STAR COUNCIL AWARD** in 1974. Ron Druffel had served as grand knight. It has happened 9 times since – 5 times since our 75th Anniversary in 1986. The most difficult award for the council to acquire is the Fr. McGivney Award – a 5% membership growth per year. The council's membership is always near 120 members making a goal of 6 new members per year near impossible. To put the goal in perspective, it has often been remarked that, ‘unless the bus breaks down on the way through town, there aren't enough new men available.’ Some statistics gathered in 2007 by District Deputy Dave Appel accentuates the dilemma. St Gall Parish consisted of 136 families - there are 139 members in the council – the council already has over a 100% Knights to families' ratio. Additionally, 120 of the 139 members were insurance members. The Order's average is roughly 33% - Colton's is over 86%.

Noting the council's unfair circumstances, State Deputy Chuck McLean and State Deputy Karl Hadley intervened for the 1994-95 and 2005-06 fraternal years and petitioned the Supreme Council to award the Star Council Award to Colton. Below is a list of grand knights and the awards received:

Ronald W Druffel, 1973-74 Star Council

Patrick E Reisenauer, 1977-78 Star Council

Thomas L Weber, 1978-79 Star Council, 1979-80 Columbian/Founders Award



Norbert H Niehenke, 1980-81 Columbian Award, 1981-82 Columbian Award
Jerome E Weber, 1982-83 Star Council, 1983-84 Columbian Award
Eugene A Bussiere, 1984-85 Star Council
Richard S. Zack, Jr., 1986-87 Columbian/Founders Award, 1987-88 Columbian/Founders Award
Martin C. Weber, 1989-90 Columbian Award
Arthur J. Schultheis, 1990-91 Columbian Award, 1991-92 Columbian/Founders Award
Wesley R Patterson, 1992-93 Star Council, 1993-94 Columbian Award
Steven D Redinger, 1994-95 Star Council, 1995-96 Columbian/Founders Award
Kipp W Meyer, 1996-97 Star Council, 1997-98 Columbian Award
Patrick J. Niehenke, 1999-2000 Columbian Award
Gary Riedner, 2000-2001 Columbian Award, 2002-2003 Columbian Award
Mitch J Meyer, 2004-2005 Columbian Award, 2005-06 Star Council
Gregory J Schultheis, 2006-07 and 2007-08 Columbian Award, 2008-2009 Star Council

In addition, four special awards have been received:

Kenneth V Meyer 1953-54 Supreme Knight Award
Ronald W Druffel 1973-74 Washington State Council Service Program Award (3rd Place)
Patrick E Reisenauer 1978 State Church Activity Award (St Gall Church handicap ramp)
Arthur J. Schultheis 1991 State Council Activity Award (Steelhead Derby)
Gregory J Schultheis, 2006-07 Council Newsletter Award (Tom Weber - Editor)

Throughout the past 25 years, the council has supported many **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**. Among these have been donations to Christmas, Thanksgiving and Easter baskets, the kids Christmas Party, Right to Life education and support, and community blood drives. Carroll and Art Schultheis have been both religious blood donors and community organizers for decades. Carroll was recognized at the 2006 State Convention for having donated over 100 pints of blood. His name was added to the George Turk Gift of Life Award during ceremonies conducted at the state convention luncheon. The council also supports the State Council Right to Life poster and essay contest. Awards are given to local students for entering the contest and the best entries in each group (1st and 2nd grades, 3rd and 4th grades, 5th and 6th grades, and 7th and 8th grades) are entered in the state contest. Judging and awards take place at the annual State Convention. In 2000, Emily Schultheis won 1st Place in the State Poster Contest for 1st and 2nd grades. She received a \$100 prize from the State Council along with a \$25 award from the Colton Council. Beginning in 1984 by Financial Secretary Tom Weber, the council has displayed Knights of Columbus flags at the graves of all Knights buried at St Gall Catholic Cemetery. The annual show of respect for our deceased Brothers is held over Memorial Day weekend. Council Financial Secretaries have continued the responsibility of recognizing our deceased members each year at Memorial Day.

PERSPECTIVE – PAST AND FUTURE – This past 25 years has been filled with successes. The core leadership and meeting attendees are truly linked in fraternity – love and respect for each other and a firm resolve to function by the example of our founder, Fr Michael J McGivney. A detailed summary of financial data has been included in the Appendix. The bottom line is that since 1991, the council has raised and donated **\$103,367.12** to the church, school, community, and youth. This is a truly remarkable accomplishment – something we all take pride in. We have made a difference. The Crab and Shrimp Feed, which started out as a council fundraiser but immediately became a Guardian Angel / St Boniface School fundraiser, has raised over **\$41,391.68** for the school. The Steelhead Derby continues to remain strong – providing us with an annual operating budget. Financially, all looks secure.

We have however experienced a decline in young men available to join the council. This is also a community issue as school enrollments at both the parochial and public schools is falling. Without new members the council will eventually suffer for a lack of leadership. Many

regular council members have been providing the same services to the council for decades. There will be a time when they may not be willing or can not continue providing those services. We experienced a shortage of leadership twice during the past decade. Both Gary Riedner and Greg Schultheis became only the second and third instance where a grand knight served more than 2 years. Gary Riedner served as grand knight for 4 years; Greg Schultheis for 3 years; and Greg's great-grandfather, Mike Jr. served as grand knight for 3 years – 1916-1919. At this time, our future leadership does not look overly promising. Throughout our history, our grand knight's have been relatively young – usually in their early 30's. The district continues to have some of the youngest grand knights in the jurisdiction. At present, however, there are not many in that age group active in our council. Perhaps all is not as it appears – of the 79 men that have joined the council since 1986, 9 are currently serving as officers. That is actually pretty good – maybe we have been successful. Only the next century will tell.

COLVILLE - Colville Council 12273

Council Historian: Ed Parazoo

Colville council 12273 was instituted August 26, 1998 with 32 members. The charter members and officers were:

Rev Darrin D. Connall Chap	Jerald P. Hirsch IG	George A. Paccerelli Adv
Mark H. Selle Lect	Ramon G. Canto DGK	Joseph M. Huff
Michael Paccerelli	Ralph D. Strand Treas	Brian R. Estelle Chan
Eugene T. Kirpes Jr.	Eddie L. Parazoo GK	Donald R. Stratton OG
Daniel R. Flanigan	Richard W. Kubesh FS	Auton Pfeifer
Gerald A. Stroyan	Patrick T. Graham	Richard T. Kuh TR
Michael T. Phillips	William E. Wilburn	Mark E. Hansen
Russell L. Larsen W	Steven P. Prozek	Oswald E. Wilkinson TR
Wade L. Harrington Rec	James V. Mach	Brian T. Rochon
Olin M. Hart	Dwight M. Morgan	Oscar A. Romo TR
David R. Hewes	August H Nehl	

Organizational meetings were held periodically beginning in the fall of 1997 until we were instituted in August 1998. The two primary organizers were Eddie Parazoo and Richard Kubesh - both Knights of Columbus members new to the area. Eddie had just moved from Salem Oregon being their Council's Grand Knight for one year. Richard moved from the California area where he came from a very active council.

The Spokane 2nd degree team and our State Officer's 3rd degree team traveled to Colville to put on a degree for us. 24 of the 32 members were all new to Knights of Columbus. 7 were transfers from Chewelah - the closest council to Colville (some 20 miles away).

We held our charter ceremony on November 8 at a special mass where Bishop William S. Skylstad presided. Other dignitaries in attendance were: our State Deputy Everett (Rob) Roberts, other State Officers, District Deputy Al Walden, Former District Deputy James Mach, and District Deputy George Czerwonka. After the ceremony we held a social in the hall with all those that wished to attend.

Since our charter, we have steadily gained in membership meeting or exceeding our quota each year. With Eddie Parazoo as our Grand Knight our first year, we attained Star Council status! In the following year, 1999-2000, we fell short by one insurance member in attaining Star again. During this year, we instituted a scholarship program where we award \$500 to a graduating senior from one of our three parishes supported by our Council.

Dr. Ramon Canto was elected Grand Knight for the 2000-2001 year. We attained Star Council status again that year - followed by another year of missing our insurance quota.

Bob McKellar was elected our Grand Knight for the 2002-2003 year. This year we attained our insurance quota but missed our membership quota as we cleaned some delinquent and inactive members from our books.

COUPEVILLE – Bud Dorr Council 13422

Historian - Richard M. Johnson Jr, Grand Knight (1/31/06)

The Bud Dorr Council was chartered on November 26, 2003. The first Council meeting was conducted on December 11, 2003 with Grand Knight Robert Puhr presiding. Charter Night was held on January 18, 2004. The Council headquarters and meeting chamber is in the basement of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Coupeville, WA. The use of the church was donated to the council by St. Mary's. There were thirty-four Charter Members. The charter members and officers were:

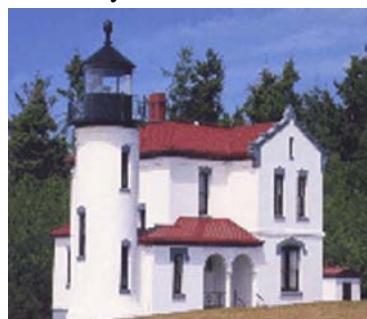
Johnny C. Adkins	Anecito Alcoy Jr	Charles J. Bates FS
Dennis M. Benson	Raymond C. Bouchard	Bertis W. Broxon
Peter J.Caldwell DD19	James B. Cavanaugh	Christopher E. Chan
Thomas H. Chan	William C. Clark	Clint C. Copeland
Michael P. Diedrich	Richard C Dugger W	Roger M. Foley Chan
Ernest P. Gendron	Kelly C. Gustafson	Joel H. Harmon
Michael C. Horvath Rec	Richard M. Johnson Jr DGK	Lawrence L. Labuda
James B. McCarthy	Gene F. McCormick	Leonard G. McGregor
Adolph B. Meisch	Gordon C. Mueller	James R. Puhr GK
Martin G. Robinett Treas	Salvatore Santamaria	Jaime Sheperd
Jay E. Thomas	Joseph J. Tutino	Leshell Vance
Wylie N. Vracin		

By January 31, 2006, membership had grown to forty- five members. Ten Charter Members were instrumental in founding the Council. They were the charter officers listed above, along with members Leonard McGregor, Sam Santamaria and Peter Caldwell, District Deputy 19. The charter Chaplain was Rev Ronald Belisle.

John E. O'Brien Council 3361 of Oak Harbor donated \$1,200.00 to Bud Dorr Council so the new Council would have a treasury until dues and fund-raising efforts provided cash flow. John E. O'Brien Council also sponsored the Round Table that led to the founding of Bud Dorr Council. The Council Officers' Jewels and meeting podium were donated by St. Hubert Council 11357 of Langley and the meeting gavel was donated by John E. O'Brien Council 3361. The Council was awarded the Father McGivney Award for Fraternal Year 2003 - 2004.

In June 2004, Brother Jerry Johnson became the 15,000th member to join the Knights of Columbus in Washington State. Brother Jerry was proposed for membership by then Deputy Grand Knight, Richard M. Johnson, Jr.

The Council currently provides financing for Children's Religious Education programs at St. Mary's and considers this to be its main parish program. Holiday dinner baskets are provided each year at Thanksgiving and Christmas to needy families and the Council provides support to the community food bank. The Council annually provides \$500.00 in financial support to a seminarian in the Seattle Diocese.



An annual St. Patrick's corned beef and cabbage dinner is held as are monthly Saturday Dinner nights, Continental Breakfasts after Sunday Mass, a Mother's Day Brunch and an annual barbecue during May. All parishioners are invited to participate in these activities. The Council displays a 12 x 40 foot "Keep Christ in Christmas" Banner on the rear of a Drive-in

Theater on SR 20 each year during the Christmas season.

Members of the Council participate in the St. Mary's Choir. The Choir Director is also a member of the Council. We also lead the Rosary before Mass on the third Sunday of each month, with a different Knight leading each of the five decades. Council members serve as ushers, Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors at Sunday Mass. The Council sponsors an annual spring grounds maintenance Saturday at St. Mary's and marches in the Coupeville Memorial Day Parade.

COVINGTON - Harry J. Tucker Jr. Council 11780

Council Historian: James R. Martin

Harry J. Tucker Jr. council 11780 was instituted in Covington, Washington May 5, 1996 by District Deputy Virgil Hedlund. The charter members were:

Rev. Jack Walmesley Chap	Kenneth V. Arnts	Paul J. Behrens
Bruce J. Barnes IG	Richard W. Cogswell	William J. G. Cogswell Adv
Michael A. Dory	Joseph F. Eckroth	Carman A.(Tony) Fuoco W
George A. Garcia	James W. Grad TR	John G. Kiefer
Stephen W. Larson	Ben J. Leeden	Richard R. Lund
Richard M. McFadden	Christopher J. McNabb	James R. Martin GK*
John B. Mergens FS	Allen D. Meyers Treas	John D. Michaud
Otto T. Fink	Albert F. Pachl TR	Charles C. Peterson TR
Lawrence D. Racicot	Jude H. Restis Chan	Daren M. Salstrom
Thomas Q. Smith Lect*	Jeffrey E. Torgesen	Michael D. Tulip OG
Gary R. Weber DGK*	Lawrence T. Wicorek	Wayne A. Wilson Rec

Dignitaries present at the institution included State Secretary Everett J. Roberts; State Advocate Wayne C Hogan and DD Virgil Hedlund. The dignitaries present were State Treasurer Everett J Roberts, State Warden Wayne Hogan and District Deputy Virgil D. Hedlund. Those most responsible for the institution and active in it are Gary Weber, Jim Martin, John Mergens and Fr. Jack Walmesley. At our initial meetings with Fr. Walmesley, he challenged us to build on the traditional strengths of the Knights of Columbus while adding an element of men's spirituality. Our primary membership drive involved a Sunday afternoon men's spirituality reflection conducted by Fr. Walmesley. Since our institution the council has worked to establish a balanced service program of church, community, council, family and youth programs - flavored with this element of spirituality.

Our council is located on the East Hill of Covington in St. John the Baptist parish. This is a new parish - the church building was completed less than 5 months prior to our institution. During the formation phase of the parish, all activities were directed by a steering team working closely with Fr. Walmesley. One of the team members was Harry J. Tucker Jr. Harry's service to the Knights of Columbus included the offices of Supreme Warden; State Deputy and Vice Supreme Master as well as countless hours of involvement in local councils. Most recently he was a member of Kent Council 8150.

Harry J Tucker Jr was born January 18, 1927 in Des Moines, Iowa but was raised in Wichita, Kansas. After college there he then went to work for the Boeing Airplane Co. He joined the Order on Sept 4, 1945 in Council 691 in Wichita. He later transferred to Derby, Kansas Council 4458. He held several offices including GK 1960-61 in the Derby Council. He was transferred to the Seattle area by the Boeing Company in 1962. He transferred to Auburn Council 3598, serving as Chancellor in 1965-66 and GK in 1966-67. He was appointed District Deputy #12 1970-72. He was elected State Warden 1972-74 and progressed through all offices to State Secretary 1978., Upon the death of new State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Deputy. He served out Bill Witte's unexpired term and was

elected State Deputy 1979-81 in his own right. He was Trustee 1972-76 in the V Rev Wm J Power Assembly and was a key figure in the institution of Bishop Gill Assembly in 1983 and a charter member. He served as FA and Trustee for that Assembly before becoming its Faithful Comptroller 1985-90.

While still State Deputy, he was elected Supreme Warden by the Supreme Board of Directors for 1980-82. He was Supreme Warden during the Centennial Year of the Order and participated in all of those activities. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master of the Archbishop Francis N Blanchet Province of the Fourth Degree 1985-89. Harry passed away September 18, 1995 - three months prior to the completion of our parish church building. As the building architecture was being developed, Harry looked forward to the establishment of a council here. Although he was taken from us, we are proud to honor Harry's service to our order and our parish by instituting a council in his name.

DEER PARK – St. Mary's Presentation 9721

St Mary's Presentation Council was instituted in Deer Park on March 1, 2005 by District Deputy Del S Murray of Colbert. The council was given the number of disbanded Assumption Council of Spokane. The charter members were:

Dennis P Allard	Raymond N Barthole	John B Bogar
Donald L Boucher	Darrell L Fitzgerald	Rev Albert G Grasher
Charles E Gunning	Keith T Hageney	Robert P Hailey
Robert K Hansen	Harry James Hill	Richard Johnson
Joseph A Kaley	Dean A Koesel	Dennis R Koesel
Joseph A Krizanic	Thomas D Lavigne	Michael Morris
Duane E Morrow	Lawrence W Porter	Richard L Purdy
Joseph Shine	Alan D Siguaw	Bradley Tschida
Peter B Van Doren	Paul Wartenbergh	Charles Watkins
Darrell L Wehr	Vincent J Wetzler	Edward R Ziegman

DES MOINES - Centennial Council 8079

Council Historian: Michael B Adams

Centennial Council 8079 was instituted on May 5, 1982 by District Deputy Joseph M Clemens. The charter members and officers were:

Ken Adair	M Patrick Adams	Michael B Adams*
Bruce J Barnes*	Alvin C Beeman	George L Bloomberg
Timothy J Bonino	Roger G Brownyard	Paul T Cozza
Leon V Czaplinski	Louis J Dedominces	Joseph P Fagan
Frank S Gellish	Dick Gregg	Frank Hekel
Rev Sean C Heneghan	Brian A Kabat	Leo P Ketten
A J Ladner GK	Harry W Lane	John L Levich
Steven C Lewis	Rev T J McKenna	Gabino R Mendez
Gordon C Mueller	Clarence P Perreault	Robert A Pirolo*
Thomas R Platt	Sidney D Rae*	Kenneth F Seifert
Leo J Seibenaler	William G Smith	Edward R Stanley
Peter J Sterk	John J Sullivan	Joseph L Waltner
Vince J Weipert	Richard W Wendler FS	Leon C Wheeler

The council has become active in St Philomena's parish, particularly in youth activities. We have had field trips, a camping trip and school contests. We have participated in, or

supported, the Free Throw Contest; PFH; Right to Life; the Food Bank; Pregnancy Aid and the other usual social dinners and parties. We have monthly coffee and donuts as a parish get-together with the proceeds going to Pennies for Heaven. We are still young but we are active.

The council became inactive during the early 1990's. The few remaining members were administered by PSD's Harry Tucker and Chuck McLean. The council came to life again while Fred J Abraham Jr served as State Deputy (1999-2001).

EAST WENATCHEE – Holy Apostles Council 13186

Submitted by Pat Gray, retiring Financial Secretary, 7/25/05

Holy Apostles Council was instituted on July 1, 2002 by District Deputy Chuck Batt, District 10. The council began with 47 Charter Members, all being transfers from Wenatchee Council 1545. The charter members were:

Emil Adamek	Dan Albrecht	George Aldaya
Robert Anderson	Karl Antonson	Marijan Bosnar
Millard Broaddus	Irvin Chmelir	Ben Couch
Rev Francisco Diez	Michael Doneen	Henry Escalera
Peter Fadich	Melvin Feil	Patrick Gray
William Grentz	Nelson Hall	Robert Higgins
Michael Isensee	David Knappert	David La Vallie
William Loranger	Richard McDonell	John Mullen
Francis McMonigle	Dale Mikkelsen	Bert Navone
Joseph Mullen	Thomas Obregon	John Pappe
Kenneth Paulus	Chris Peterson	Rev Maurice Peterson
John Powers	James Ritch	Darrel Schmidt
Fulgence Schrempp	Jame Scott	Robert Simpson
Kenneth Sinko	Pablo Tellez	Hugh Theiler
Harry Therien	James Tuttle	Theodore Van Well
Wade Walden	Peter Weber	

Deacon Bill Loranger was very instrumental in forming the council and was elected as the council's first grand knight. Most of the charter members had been active in Wenatchee Council and our grand knight called on their past experience to plan for a full agenda of traditional activities. The effort was twofold: active programs and growth in membership. The council's first year results were overwhelming. We grew from 47 members to 74 members - a 57% increase during our first year. In addition we started a Roundtable at Waterville, and began a Squires Circle. These all helped our council to achieve star council during our first year.

Growth continued into our second and third year. Grand Knight Deacon Bill Loranger was selected to be district deputy of District 10 and Wade Walden was elected as grand knight. As Wade completed his second year as grand knight our membership had grown to 85 members and we earned our second star council award.

As the 2005-2006 fraternal year begins, Ken Paulus serves as grand knight and his slate of officers bodes well for the continued success of Holy Apostles Council.

EDMONDS – Mother Teresa of Calcutta Council 12591

Mother Teresa of Calcutta Council was instituted in Edmonds on April 21, 2000 by District Deputy John H Williams of Mountlake Terrace. The charter members were:

Romarico B Ablao	Stephen E Beck Jr	Edwin T Bondoc
Jesus P Bondoc	William Q Borgert	Terrance A Boyd
William L Brayer	Tex K Bunney	Frederick E Chomos

Francis A Fanger	Peter J Fisher	Roy I Funk
Edward T Graves	Matthew M Harmon	Jack M Hartwig
Rev Kenneth W Haydock	Franciscus L Hyatt	Patrick J Kelly
John R Kolstad	Harold O Korbol	John A Kraski
Joseph J Kuchinski	Richard C Leahy	Mark A McAree
James M McGowan	Thomas J Moons	Russell H Olson
Kevin C O'Neill	Charles E Pollock	Christopher M Ramos
Romulo A Ramos Jr	Antonio Q Remoroza	Raymond J Sittauer
William E Swanberg	Stephen C Waite	August Zampardo Jr

ELLENSBURG – Fr. Parodi Council 1401

Father Parodi council 1401 was instituted on April 25, 1909 by District Deputy James J Gorman. There were 50 members - 24 insurance and 26 associate. All three degrees were exemplified by teams from Seattle. The charter members and officers were:

C J Bartholet	Charles Bartholet	Matt Bartholet Adv
H J Block IG	E C Brown	Louis A Butle
James Carmody	Nicholas Clerf	Frank R Coleman
J M Coughlin TR	James Daugherty	P J Fagan
Thomas W Farrell OG	W P Finnegan	Frank Fitterer
Philip G Fitterer W	James P Flynn FS	Thomas L Flynn Rec
Dr C L Hoeffler, DGK	J F Keenan	John Kelleher
J J Kryger	R A McArthur GK	Patrick H McMahon
George W Michels TR	Henry J Michels	J J Michels
John J O'Ban	Jerry Pattenauude TR	Fred J Pera
Anton Pieroth	Frank Pott	Jacob Pott
J P Redmond	George Rollinger	Michael Rollinger
N P Rollinger	Tony Rollinger	Matt Sandmeyer Lect
Joseph Scheier	Matt Scheier	Clyde Suver
George H Suver	Harry Suver	J N Streff Chan
Rev John Sweens	George Watts	Simon P Wippel Treas
Joe Wittman	Thomas Woods	

Much of the earlier council history has been lost. We do know that the council hosted the 1927 and 1931 State Conventions and that Peter J McNamamy was State Warden in 1935-37. William Hayes was elected State Advocate 1946-47 and Norman Schille in 1952-53. J Harold Wales was State Treasurer in 1954-56 and Bernard Mitchell for 1959-60.

During the 1950s the council was very active in ceremonials. It had good 1st and 2nd degree teams and an outstanding 3rd degree team. Harold Wales was manager of the State Liquor Store and Bernie Mitchell ran the hotel. It is remembered that Harold Wales, Bernie Mitchell and George Gross were very active during those years. George Gross moved to California. None of these three formerly active members are now on the council roster. The author does not know, except for George Gross, whether they died, moved or simply became inactive. We do know that there is a William C Wales now on the roster who may be related to a charter member.

During the last 25 years the council has continued to be parish oriented. It has provided the "muscle" for C.C.D.; repairing the old church and working to build the new one; ushering; supporting St Vincent DePaul and Catholic Charities and, in 1970, completed the sprinkler system in St Andrew's school. We have also supported Boy Scout and Cub Scout troops. We celebrated our Diamond Jubilee year in 1984. The average age of our members is rather high but we have brought in a substantial number of new and younger members during the last few years to give us a boost as we soon head into our second century.

ELTOPIA/CONNELL - Bishop Bernard J. Topel Council 11478

Council Historian: PGK Claude Pierret

Eltopia/ Connell council 11478 was instituted January 15, 1995 in Eltopia, by District Deputy John F. St. Hilaire. The charter members were:

Rev Eugene A Tracy Chap Lect	Douglas W. Ehresman	Ignacio R. Escalera OG
Leo C. Fangman	Frank Gimenez	Marv D. Grassl Chan
Earl A. Halverson	Lambert J. Hanses Adv	Todd N. Harris FS
Dennis C. Hayden Rec	David L. Heiman	Douglas E. Heiman
Edward H. Heiman Treas	Kenneth L. Heiman	Robert J. Heiman
Brent J. Heinen	Loran K. Heinen	Maxon V. Hunter
Brian D. Koelzer	Len G. Koelzer	John H. Koelzer TR
Francis C. La Rosee	John C. Mitz	Joseph E. Pauly DGK
Claude J. Pierret GK	Martin J. Pierret IG	David J. Piovesan
Cosmos J. St Hilaire W	Michael L. Sullivan TR	Mike J Vincent
Marty Ward	Donald O Worsham TR	

Dignitaries present for the institution included DD John F. St. Hilaire; FA Gordon Venneri and Gary Soehnlein; GK Bob Kirby Pasco Council 1620; Chet Smith PGK Pasco 1620; Bob Spindler FN Fourth degree Pasco. Those most responsible for the institution of this council and active in it were Claude Pierret; Rev. Eugene A Tracy (since transferred to St. Peter Parish Spokane) and DD John St. Hilaire.

The council holds two Fish Frys and two blood drives each year - 1 in the fall and 1 in the spring. We also have a fall ice cream social and a softball game.

ENUMCLAW – Sacred Heart Council 13364

In 1999, David Heldstab, the Grand Knight of Rainier Council 9637 in Buckley, approached the Parish Administrator of Sacred Heart Parish in Enumclaw, Mathew Weisbeck, about starting a round table. The decision was postponed until the arrival of the new pastor. During May of 2001, District Deputy Bill Rumpza and Field Agent Ron Sholtz talked with the new Pastor, Rev. James Northrop, about starting a council. Respecting Father Jim's wishes to wait until he was more settled in as Pastor, new District Deputy David Heldstab met with Fr Jim later in December. A Round Table was established and on February 3, 2002 Fr. Jim, a Fourth Degree Knight, appointed George Harding as Coordinator.

Following a successful year as a round table, District Deputy David Heldstab and Round Table Coordinator George Harding approached Fr. Jim about starting a council. The 7- week push to form a new council at Sacred Heart Parish in Enumclaw began on March 24, 2003. Sacred Heart Council was instituted on June 19, 2003 by District Deputy David R Heldstab with 30 members. The Council was chartered on July 28, 2003 with 32 members. The Charter members and officers were.

Gary L Behrens	Mike S Binetti TR1	David G Bozlee
Dan W Carpita TR3	Perry S Dahlquist	William B Eberlein DGK
James C Gleason	Douglas J Gonzales	Shawn W Hadaller
George S Harding GK	David R Heldstab Adv	Eric J Heldstab
Justin D Heldstab	Frank R Kladnick	Vincent J LaVoie
James A Libra OG	Michael J Marchione IG	Jan J Molinaro
Rev James W Northrup Chap	Arthur J Ramous	Carl Re
George Roberts W	Michael Rockwell	Paul F Rossman
Thomas N Rust Chan	Donald J Schill	Robert L Sheeley FS

Todd J Stroschein **Treas**
Robert P Traufler **Rec**

George A Terhaar
Joseph Volk

Miguel A Torres **TR2**

EPHRATA - Columbia Council 3153

Council Historian: Samuel M Doran

Columbia Council 3153 was instituted on May 9, 1948 by District Deputy Robert E Hall with 47 members at a local initiation conducted by the Spokane council. The charter members and officers were:

James E Barnard*
Larry Cacchiotti
David E Dahl
Matthew H DeShaw
Joe F Escure
M H Hansen
Dr John F Kearns
Oliver R Kinder
Gerald A Lawrence
Herman P Mayer
B J McLean **Adv**
John G Meyer
L Patrick Nixon
Paul Ragan*
Dr E J Tardif **GK**
Jas F Wickwire **DGK***

Elton C Bishop
Frank W Casey
Arthur W Dazell*
Samuel M Doran*
Fred I Fahey
Marvin M Howlett
Premo O Kelly
Paul A Klasen
Tom Manning
Leo P Mayer
John G McPhee **Lect**
Otis C Moyer
Elmer W Powers
Rev M A Soden **Chap**
Frederick J Tax
Joseph Wojciechowski

Edw J Brannon **Treas**
John D Casey **Rec**
Jean B DeShaw
Harry Drittenbas
Mark E Haney
Carl E Humphrey
Joe J Keller
Joseph M Lampman
Albin J Mattson
Stephen J McDonnell
Herbert Meyer
A Nixon **FS***
Paul R Pugh
Floyd B Swift
George B Walther*

In 1948 the council area included all of Grant County plus portions of Douglas, Adams and Lincoln Counties. Most of the area was in St Rose of Lima parish which had mission churches in Soap Lake and Burke (near George). Sunday masses were also celebrated in rented facilities in Moses Lake.

Since its inception, the council has been an active supporter of activities in the area. In August, 1948 members conducted the parish picnic. That year, they also remodeled the rectory basement to establish a meeting room for parish activities and assisted in organizing and conducting the annual parish bazaar. The old mission church in Ephrata was replaced with the present church in 1950 and the council provided considerable labor and financial support to help convert the new church basement into a meeting facility as well as landscaping the church property and developing a parking lot. The council then converted the old church into a meeting hall for use by the Boy Scout Troop we were sponsoring. They maintained that building until it was donated to the Grant County Historical Society. In 1988 the council repainted the building for the Historical Society.

After the Yakima Diocese was established in 1951, new parishes were instituted in Moses Lake, Quincy, Othello and Royal City. In 1953, council members from the Moses Lake, Warden and Othello areas developed the Moses Lake Knights of Columbus Club. That group became Moses Lake Council 4367 in 1957. When the St Rose of Lima Catholic school was constructed in 1959, the council members built banquet tables for the school, developed the playground and parking lot, landscaped the grounds, installed basketball facilities in the gymnasium, provided basketball coaches, established seating in the gymnasium for 700 and completed construction of four of the classrooms as additional grades were added.

Every year of the school's operation, the council provided considerable physical and financial support. For example, the council paid a \$1600 fuel bill in 1974, renovated the lawn sprinkler system in 1986, and conducted a raffle in 1987 which provided \$700 for the school.

They also help conduct the weekly Bingo sessions and the annual champagne auction, both of which are conducted to help subsidize the school. Although a small council, we conduct many social, religious and fraternal events each year such as sponsoring scout groups, support novitiate and seminary training, support Catholic Charities and Pro-Life activities, distribute flowers to mothers on Mothers' Day, conduct parish breakfasts, Put Christ in Christmas with outdoor nativity scene at church, repair toys for distribution, provide ushers and pall bearers, repair and repaint church and rectory as needed and the like.

EVERETT – Everett Council 763

Council Historian: George Hinton

Everett Council 763 was instituted on October 28, 1903 by National Organizer James J Gorman. The Charter members were:

Edward J Broderick	J B Fogarty	M G Monahan
John J Broderick	John Foley	Timothy Moriarty
Thomas J Broderick	Mathias J Fox	Alex J Morrison
Rev Charles Classens	F J Gallagher	Frank W Morrison
Charles A Cole	M W Gallagher	James D Murphy
John C Costello	F W Garrington	William J Rattigan
W N Costello	Anthony S Heider	Thomas Rice
Edward M Cox	Clarence Keller	Patrick J Russell
Patrick E Cox	Patrick R Leo	Rev G P Saindon
Matthew Duffy	John C Lunch	Thomas G Setright
Frank J Etelian	John B McCann	Thomas F Sheehan
James B Fagan GK	Andrew McDonnell	William G Stafford
George B Fender	Charles F Moise	

Everett Council was one of the first councils organized by National Organizer James J Gorman. It was his original intent to have it be the third council - after Seattle Council 676 and Spokane Council 683 - but Walla Walla Council 766 was actually instituted five months earlier. At this time (October 28, 1903), there were five councils but less than 400 members. A State Council must have at least three councils and 400 members. In May, 1904 Yakima 894 would be instituted, the magic number 400 would be reached and the State Council would be instituted.

Our original meeting place was Redman's Hall where we remained until the council built a new hall in 1920-21. The council lost the building in 1928 for only \$35,000. There were several very troubled years to follow. Meetings were in private homes and the membership dropped from the 1919 high of 529 to only 173. Allen J Baker, a court clerk, was Grand Knight for three years 1930-1933 - the only Grand Knight to serve three consecutive terms. In 1934 the council began several years of meetings at the Riverside School. The Depression was at its peak and the membership continued to drop to a low of 111 in 1935. John F Osterman (GK 1924-25 & completed the term of William J Carr, who had moved to Seattle) was Grand Knight for the third time in 1934-35. He took the reins again, for the fourth time, in 1935-36. The membership started rising again to 124 at the end of the term. John Osterman went on to become State Deputy in 1940-42.

Thomas Smith of Everett was elected State Advocate in 1905; John Foley was elected State Warden in 1909; C J Coleman was elected State Advocate three times 1927-1930 and Ray Kennedy was elected State Warden 1966-67 and State Advocate 1967-68. We hosted the State Convention in 1923, 1937, 1956 and 1977.

The period 1936-37 saw our membership rise to 213 but then declined to only 106 during World War II. In 1942 we moved back to Redman's Hall. After the war, membership started to rise. During the 1949-50 term of GK Henry Beach, over 60 members joined. The meeting place

in 1950-51 was the Perpetual Help Parish Hall; in 1951-53 it was the IOOF Hall. In 1953 we bought a new hall at 2914 Rucker Ave for \$21,000. We were now on the rebound. In 1954-55 we began publishing our bulletin, "The Anchor" and started our Past Grand Knights' Night. Membership hit 300. By 1971 it was 335 and is now 362.

In 1968-69 we bought a large plot of land with rental buildings and a gas station for a new hall site south of Everett for \$65,000. In 1977-78 we sold the old hall for \$60,000 and purchased the Eagles Hall for \$155,000 retaining the site south of Everett as an investment. On December 9, 1978 we celebrated our Diamond Jubilee and on December 29, 2003 we celebrated our centennial. Everett Council is very active and looking forward to the future.

EVERETT - Cascade Council 9617

Council Historian: Richard J Beier

Cascade Council 9617 was instituted on August 6, 1987 by District Deputy Joseph A. Wagner with 35 members. The charter members and officers were:

John J. Allen	Richard J Beier Chan	Paul L. Baerlocher
William A. Bertman Adv	Thaddeus J. Burzynski	Randy E. DeKlyen
Scott E. DeKlyen OG	Donald P. Dixon DGK	Joseph W. Doyle
Wilfred E. Enzman TR	Terry L. Ferguson	Rynold Fleck TR
Phillip B. Hogg Treas	Dan J. Kenny	Calvin L. Kovash Rec
Conrad W. Kovash	Corey W. Kovash	William S. Kovash
Charles E. Krischano GK	Phil M. LaGrandeur	Jeremiah F. Lavell
Thomas O. Malmevik W	Frank W. Marchi	Rev Joseph M. Marquart Chap
Leo H. Martin TR	LeRoy B. Minar FS	Edward Mohs
John E. Murphy	Robert D. Plows	Steven M. Rice
John M. Tolomei Lect	Edward D. Verdugo	Edward C. Widdis IG
Charles T. Williamson	Paul H. Yerger	

In our first year we provided 2000 K of C Rosary cards used as enclosures to the pastor's Christmas letter to each household; prepared the Rice Dinner after evening Mass April 10th; regularly hosts coffee and donuts after Sunday Masses; had a corporate Communion on Sunday November 29th followed by a breakfast at a local restaurant (over 80 came); had a number of 'open' programs for the family and had a family excursion to Leavenworth for the Christmas Lighting ceremony; had a kindling wood sale and hosted the District Hoop Shoot.



Kris Krischano, Joe Wagner DD accepting New Council Plaque from Chuck Sohlny SD

During our second year we added homemade sausage to our breakfasts; added the blood bank program, RSVP seminarians program, senior citizen assistance program; provided ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We held a variety of breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. We also achieved 600% of our membership quota.

Now that the momentum has been established, we can concentrate on developing a wider spectrum of activities that will serve our church, our community and our world.

FAIRCHILD AIR FORCE BASE (Spokane) - Holy Family Council 14510

Council 14510 was instituted at Fairchild Air Force Base near Spokane on April 23, 2008 by district deputy Roger Devaney. Father Peter Nguyen and Field Agent Jonas Hiner were also instrumental in forming the council. The charter Grand Knight was Dean R. Martinez. The charter members and officers were:

Valente Abundez-Ramirez III
 Robert A Caley **DGK**
 George C George
 Clint W Harper **IG**
 Luke A Humphrey Jr
 Nathan D Krivitzky
 Brian D Lavoie
 Michael S Marro **TR**
 Rev Hoang H Nguyen **Chap**
 Steven W Prawdzik **TR**
 Edwin Rosario **Lect**
 Thomas J Sharpy **TR**
 Brandon M Williams **OG**

Steven R Butler **Rec**
 William J Fasser
 Dennis F Gerstenkorn
 Erik N Henderson
 Luke A Humphrey Sr **FS**
 Brian M Knox
 John P Mangon
 Dean R Martinez **GK**
 Andrew S Nicely **Adv**
 Raymond H Reser Jr **Chan**
 Robert J Schmoldt
 Ian M Walden
 Paul R Wood

Timothy J Byrne **W**
 Michael P Gallant **Treas**
 Gary Gonzaiez
 A K Jonas Hiner
 Douglas Jackson **TR**
 Paul W Landreth
 Terry W Marienau
 Jonathan D McGrath
 Frank W Powers
 Jose M Roodettes
 Aaron J Sedlacek
 David A Walden

The Council charter was presented to Holy Family Council 14510 at Fairchild Air Force Base in Airway Heights following Mass on Sunday, July 27. GK Dean Martinez accepted the charter from State Deputy John Walker on behalf of the charter members. Council 14510 was the 143rd Council in the State. In attendance also were State Officers, George Czerwonka and Ed Parazoo, Colonel Charles H. Gallina, USMC/Ret. Colonel Gallina, Assistant for Military and Veterans Affairs to the Supreme Knight, DD Ron Girkins, FDD Roger Devaney, NCD David Olson, and Asst. for Military Affairs, Everett Roberts PSD. The charter Chaplain, Rev. Hoang H. Nguyen (Father Peter), gave the homily at the Mass and spoke highly of the Knights of Columbus and their dedication to helping the Church in its mission. A reception following the presentation was held in the Church annex.

At the time of institution, the council's primary focus was to support the families of deployed members in Iraq and Afghanistan.

FEDERAL WAY - St Joseph Council 7528

St Joseph Council 7528 was instituted at St Vincent de Paul Parish on March 12, 1980 by District Deputy Raymond K Signani with the strong encouragement of Pastor Rev Harold Quigg and Associate Pastor Rev Hervey Vanasse. The 71 Charter Members and the Charter Officers were:

Michael B Adams
 Robert C Anderson
 Francis L Ark
 Glenn B Armstrong
 William C Barry
 William G Barry
 Donald W Bissert
 Kenneth A Boerger
 Raymond H Brown **IG**
 John M Clemens
 Joseph M Clemens **GK**
 Joseph G Conner **TR**
 Charles R Cresien
 Charles R DeBond

Lawrence P Hallahan
 William P Herbert
 Robert A Hitchcock*
 Joseph N Hobson
 Patrick Kelly
 Thomas J Kornell **TR**
 John Kranyk
 Lyle A Lariviere
 Edgar J Leger
 John J Lermusik **Rec**
 Dan F Longpre
 Robert M Lucian
 Arnold J Lutovsky
 John F Magrum

Tony F Novak
 Feliciano Pangan
 Lee R Prenovost
 B F Price **Chan***
 Rev Harold Quigg
 Claude F Rassilyer
 William J Reuter
 Raymundo Salgado
 Chester Sambar
 Thomas F Schulner
 Conrad A Servo
 Jack Sharlock
 Robert E Stevens
 Horace K Suinn*



Jerome E DeGagne Sr	John K Marshbank	Rand L Terwilliger
Gerry L Desrosiers	William Martin	Maurice R Tessier
Steven C Drake OG	William C Martin	Leroy G Thome FS
Daniel P Fitzgerald	Romeo A Mayor Treas	Robert G Toohey
Roger M Gallagher	John J McLaughlin	Rev Hervey A Vanasse
Raymond A Garcia	Mark V Miller	John H Williams Adv
Richmond C Gardner*	James W Monaghan DGK	Boyd A Wilton, TR
Robert G Godfrey	Wayne A Moritz W*	Alfred Wolfskill
William F Goodman	Donald A Moore	Timothy Wolfskill
Gerald A Gordon	William H Murphy	

Under the leadership of GK Joe Clemens, the council became an active and enthusiastic force in the parish. By October the first issue the council bulletin "The Cross and Compass" had been published. As an early project, council members renovated the bathroom of a quadriplegic who had previously been unable to use her shower. The council was successful in petitioning the county to have a paved shoulder built along an arterial where school children walked daily.

The council's First Degree Team was the first to win state honors when the degree competition began. In June 1986, members of the council spent painting St Aloysius church in Buckley and the mission church at Wilkeson. Father Hervey Vanasse was a charter member of our council while associate here but was subsequently assigned as pastor of the Buckley/Wilkeson parish. In October of the same year, the council brought their hammers, saws and varying degrees of carpentry skills to the home of one of their brothers for a barn-raising. This member had been ill and unable to complete a barn to shelter his horses. Two dozen or so Knights spent their Saturday putting up walls and constructing stalls.

In November, St Vincent de Paul Parish celebrated its 25th anniversary. The regular weekend liturgies were consolidated into a single all-parish Mass conducted at Thomas Jefferson High School. St Joseph Council constructed the temporary dais and altar and transported and set up all the necessary furnishings. The 4th Degree members, in full regalia, provided an honor guard for Archbishop Hunthausen. When the celebration concluded, council members transported everything back to church and cleaned the assembly hall. In June 1988, council members spent one weekend at the Palisades Retreat House constructing a stairway and path down to the beach. As 1988 was a Marian Year, the path was named the Marian Path.

The council and its members have been active in supporting the parish and the parish school. Annually at Christmas and at Easter, members provide physical labor to decorate the church and to restore it later. When the church was reconfigured to centralize the altar, the brothers worked to construct the platform, relocate the altar and move all of the pews. For periodic parish events such as the annual picnic and parish volunteer dinners, the Knights set up the tables and do the cleanup afterwards. Members are Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers and lectors, and provide parking control. The council has purchased and donated capital equipment to the church and school and also makes direct financial grants.

The wives of members have organized bake sales and donated proceeds, in the name of the council, to various parish groups and activities. Members have maintained the parish school playfield. The council has sponsored and presented periodic Vocations Awareness programs which were well received. Annually, on Mother's Day, the council presents roses to the residents of local nursing homes. The council sponsors various activities to provide fellowship opportunities and fund raisers in the parish community: Reno Nights, International Food Night, Mother's Day Brunch and weekly coffee and donuts. The council annually honors the parish altar servers with an Appreciation Dinner.

St Theresa Council 7908 was instituted on December 3, 1981 by District Deputy Joseph M Clemens. The 57 Charter Members and the Charter Officers were:

Calvin R Allen	Frank A Haake	Jess I Moreno
Laurie A Barnes Sr	Lawrence P Hallahan TR	Robert Moshier
David L Bench	J Michael Hallock TR	Richard J Olsen
Robert L Boglione Rec	Richard L Hamling OG*	Michael P O'Mara
Jim J Bradberry	Aloysius W Herbers Jr	Thos W Pelletier Chan
Frederick J Bryan	Myron P Jacobs	Glenn S Rasmussen
Anthony J Budinich	Patrick C Kelly W	John D Roper
Richard R Bussa	Timothy L Kennedy	Thomas G Rozwod
Nicholas P Callahan	Rev Joseph A Kramis	Marlon A Runge
David B Corbett	Vincent Lally	Lawrence V Senato
Victor L Cornejo	Lester L Leahy	LeRoy K Skodinsky
John W Croll, FS	Anthony Macchiarella IG	Boyd K Smith
Richard B Cronin	John J Majerle	Wayne E Smith
Joseph R Cruz	Santiago Manalang Treas	R J Spangenberg
Michael A Courtney	John E Mast	Roger D Stiles
Robert W Dahl DGK*	R Michael McGillicuddy	Robert G Toohey
R B Devenuti GK*	Thomas F Messall*	Dominic A Volpe*
Paul M Flannery Adv	William J Michaud	Ray F Wilson
Edmundo R Galvan	Norman Minarsich	Kenneth E Yeager

This council started out with much enthusiasm. The results of the first year were: cleaning parish grounds twice; installed new roof on "Our Father's House"; cooked and served dinner for Ecumenical Bazaar; provided drapes for CCD classrooms; collection for people of Poland; sale of religious articles after Sunday masses and repaired the inoperable truck donated to the parish. For the youth we brought Santa to the children of the parish; held the Hoop Shoot Contest; held an Easter Egg Hunt and provided apple dunking at Halloween. The Spaghetti Dinner netted \$279 for Human Life and the New Year's Eve Party added \$450 to the parish general fund.

During our second year the council received the Star Council Award under the leadership of GK Dick Devenuti. The income for Human Life increased to \$370, the St Vincent DePaul Society got \$300 and the parish general fund \$380. Our 1st degree team was certified. We do all of the usual things done by a K of C council: Ushers, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, CCD teachers, parish council, etc. We are young, growing and enthusiastic.

FERNDALE - Holy Family Council 7356

Council Historian: Daniel J. Fordham

Holy Family Council 7356 was instituted on June 12, 1979 by District Deputy Henry Therrien with 38 members. The Charter Members were:

William Attolini	William E Hatzell Jr	Joseph W Reese
Stanton Barnes	Donald D Howell Sr Adv	Donald D Rieland
Gerald A Bladies	Donald D Howell Jr W	Michael J Reilly
Rev P A Bloom Chap	Richard T Howell	Nick A Senger GK
Lowell D Carlson FS	Chas D Jenkins Jr OG	Terrence J Senger
Thomas L Clutter	Verne A Johnson	Vince F Smetana IG
Charles A Enyeart	William E Keown	Jim Steinert
Lonnie H Enyeart	Lawrence F Levien	Gary Veale
Daniel J Fordham Treas	Tom Lloyd	Joseph F Walz DGK

George L Graveline
Wayne E Harkleroad
Peter F Harksell Jr
Michael J Harrington

John P McGinn Jr **Rec**
James F Metz **Chan**
John Metz
Stephen Purtell

Clifford L Williams
Ed Wyngeart
John A Zaleski **Lect**

The charter was presented to the council by State Deputy Harry J Tucker Jr who was joined by State Deputy Ken Sieben of British Columbia and the Yukon. Our council is very close to the Canadian border and we have a close association with our Canadian friends. Each year we participate in the annual International Peace Arch Picnic. Our main emphasis has been Church, Youth, Family and Community. This includes our Pro-Life activities. Among our church activities we provide Eucharistic ministers, ushers, lectors and we have a brother Knight who is a permanent deacon. We have members active in CCD, Liturgy Committee, Catechist training, on the Parish Council and CCD Teachers Commission. We plan and supervise the Altar Servers appreciation activities which include swim parties, pizza parties, ballgames, etc. Painting the rectory was one of our projects.

Our council has a monthly steak fry to which the community is invited. Each year we have two Reno nights which have been very successful. We also send a monthly donation to Project Outreach and help out the Pro-Life groups in the area with manpower and financial aid. We have a Blood Donors program; a Candidate Forum Night and participate in the community Living Nativity Scene.

The Free Throw Contest is our number one Youth activity. We have had as many as 130 children participate in it. We have a yearly Christmas Party for all children with the youngsters providing a "talent show". Several of our members serve on the Youth Advisory Board for our parish. Our members are always available to provide transportation and chaperone youth activities whenever the need arises. The youth of our parish have participated in the Right-To-Life Poster contest. Our council purchased uniforms for a local baseball team and we award a scholarship to a graduating senior each year.

We try to include the family in almost all of our activities. We are active in the Family of the Month program. We have potluck dinners and other social events. We are up to 92 members now from our original 38 ten years ago. We are going strong.

FIFE - St Martin of Tours Council 14162

St Martin of Tours Council 14162 was formed on August 28, 2006 by Dutch Dolney, a member of St Nicholas Council 9238 and the District Deputy of District 22. The charter members were:

James L Allen
Marc P Bingcang
Raymond R Clairmont
Gregory Davis
Alfred V Franch
Carlito D Hidalgo
Stephen G Kober

Robert Berrens
James K Bruenn
George F Cohee
Rick H Demere
James A Good
Virgil G Hulsey
Todd J Larson

John A Berry
Donald P Campion
Joey J Contreras
Terry D Faherty
Paul G Hibbeln
Nicholas Iacobazzi
Michael L Liljestrom



(l to r) Harry Tucker SD, Germain Fortier Sdir, Nick Senger, GK

Simon P Martin	Alvin K Mazonna	John D McGrath
Patrick J McKenna	Andrew T Miller	James T Murphy
Thomas C Murray	Ray S Ozanich	Jeff Patrick
E Ted Robinson	Feliz M Rocha	David L Rust
Michael Schack	Thomas W Shaw	W Carl Stegman
Michael J Thomas	Fr Gary Weisenberger	John V Zajac

FT. LEWIS-McCHORD - Four Chaplains' Council 10652

Ft. Lewis-McChord Council 10652 was instituted on Fort Lewis on June 19, 1991 by District Deputy Everett J. Roberts. The charter members were:

Jericho D. Allegro	Keith M. Anderson	Richard F. Atkinson
Jeffrey B. Blair Chan	James M. Brown	Robert L Cavey
Edward B. Daly	Ravmond A. Degenhardt	Stephen W. DeLay
James D. Flammio Treas	Thomas M. Flanders GK	Stephen G. Fogarty
John W. Frankly	Jesse D. Galvan Rec	Garv J. Gruber FS
Joseph W. Grande DGK	John P Hazelbaker	Everett D. Knapp TR
Roger J. Langer	Paul Leonard Adv	Kenneth S. Mead II
Michael G. O'Donnell TR	Daniel W Oehmke	Clifford Peete Jr
Ricardo Perez	William A. Quintanilla	Everett J Roberts TR
Perry M. Roberts	Robin P. Roberts	Henry L. Varacchi
Nathaniel J. Windle W	John R. Yingling	

Those who were instrumental in the formation of the council were DD#22 Everett J. Roberts; Father (Capt) Richard Edelin (Senior Catholic Chaplain on McChord AFB) and Father (Lt Col) Lee Hightower. Since institution the council has hosted major degrees; collected clothing for the poor of the Yakima Indians; assisted at the Washington State Special Olympics; had family pot luck dinners and visited the American Lakes VA Hospital.

This council conducts breakfasts and Gregorian Masses monthly; the members visit the sick in private homes, nursing homes and the VA hospital. We support Human Life; Meals on Wheels; the Special Olympics; fundraisers for medical expenses. We provide support for the Spanish speaking population at the McNeil Island prison. Our Spouse Support Program provides support for the families whose husbands are deployed with the military. We support Human Life; Meals on Wheels; our altar servers; the Special Olympics; fundraisers for medical expenses. We provide support for the Spanish speaking population at the McNeil Island prison.

This council annually conducts a spaghetti dinner; kids and family Christmas parties; St Patrick's Day dinner; donates rosaries to Youth & CCD groups (usually 500 but 5000 in 98); The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, on the pastoral council and CCD instructors for all masses and special events. The council was renamed "The Four Chaplains' Council" in 1999.

GIG HARBOR - St. Nicholas Council 9238

Council Historian: David C McConnon

St. Nicholas Council 9238 was instituted on March 6, 1986 by District Deputy Frank J. Grant with 54 members. The charter members and officers were:

Rev. Michael Angelovic	Joseph H. Bushnell	Lee K. Capp TR
W. R. Colborn	Frank W. D'Andrea	Richard L. DesChane
Jerome W. Dolney OG	Christopher J. Dysart	J. A. Escobar
Lawrence W. Faker	James J. Falcocchio	Del D. Garber*
Robert L. Godsey W	Chris N. Goodman	Thomas E. Gross TR

Clarence W. Hedden	Lawrence P. Helegda	Gerald E. Hill
William B. Hunter	John M. Jerkovich	Nick J. Jerkovich
Nick A. Jurlin	William W. Kalogonis	Jerome A. Karella
Peter R. Kesling	Lucien J. Lamoreaux	Gerald R. Lester
Gerald C. Ley TR	Nick L. Markovich Treas	David C. McConnon GK
David T. McConnon	Michael J. McCormick	Robert E. McGilvrey
Richard C. Meyer TR	Kurt J. Nesselrode	R. H. Puryear
Tom R. Rajkovich	Robert J. Ramsey	Marion A. Rogalla Rec
Mark W. Rogalla DGK*	William J. Reuter	Leo A. Schaefer Sr IG
Leo A. Schaefer Jr	Paul A. Schaefer	Dan G. Sorensen
John E. Stafford	Marion N. Stancic	D. M. Sundberg
H. E. Sundberg	Warren J Van Buskirk Chan*	James E. Wainwright Adv
Eric D. Waters	Floyd S. Wright	Rev. Kurt Wuellner

Gig Harbor was named by Lieutenant Charles Wilkes for a very prosaic reason - because it "has sufficient depth of water for small vessels." Our parish started the process of having its own council by requesting members of Tacoma Council 809 to have a recruiting drive in October 1985. Thirteen parishioners indicated a desire to become members. There were also fourteen parishioners with an inactive status from councils all over the U.S. who wished to become active again. By March 6, 1986 we had recruited 27 additional new members and we were chartered with 54 members.

The old St Nicholas Church is now on the official State Historical Register but we are permitted to use the building for our meeting place. The original gold crucifix used on the altar disappeared at the time the newer buildings were completed. It mysteriously reappeared following our charter date and Father Michael Angelovic presented it to us for our first gift. The Star Council award was earned in each of our first two years. We hosted both the District and Regional Hoop Shoot Contests those first two years. Activities such as First Friday services and daily rosary in October were requested by our members and started in our parish.

GOLDENDALE – Holy Trinity Council 7149

Council Historian: George R Wright

Goldendale Council 7149 was instituted July 7, 1978 with 32 members. When the charter was closed on February 20, 1979 there were 40 members including 12 transfers and former members and 28 new members. The Charter Members and officers were:

Richard J Better IG*	Charles M Hoctor*	Ray A Mosbrucker
Richard A Boe	Donald R Hoctor DGK*	Ralph K Nickerson
James F Bonine	M Wayne Hoctor TR*	Richard A Orthmann
William C Bruya	Charles E. Hoctor	Nathaniel N Porter
Vernon G Burghart	Dan J Hoctor	John G Scarola
Homer L Carter FS	Elmer T Howson	Harvey W Shatraw
William P Colgan Rec*	Marvin J Lang	Clayton W Stiff
Dr Carl Conroy W*	Leo C Mahaney	David L Stiff Treas
Paul J DeLande	M Pat Mahlmeister	James I Tuttle Chan
Joseph L Dressel TR*	Rev John S Marasciulo	Edward L Vecker
William J Dressel Lect	John C McKinley III Adv	Thomas J Froelic OG
Leo D McKinley	Terry W Willis	Charles G Ganguish
Gary C Miller	George R Wright GK	Francis A Gilliam*
John A Hassing Jr TR*		

Organizational meetings were held periodically beginning in the fall of 1977 until we were instituted in July, 1978. There is no doubt that the prime organizer was M. Pat Mahlmeister - a newcomer to the community at the time. He had been very active in the Knights of Columbus since 1959. He was a 4th degree Knight and a recent PGK and Former District Deputy in Lake Charles, Louisiana. Pat was also to be the District Deputy of the newly formed District 13 which included Toppenish, Goldendale and Grandview councils. Other men instrumental in the organization of Council 7149 were Rev Father John Marasciulo; James Tuttle; Joe Dressel; Homer Carter; Don and Wayne Hoctor; Richard Better; Marvin Lang; Frank Gilliam; John Hassing; George Wright and Field Agent Ray Trampush.

Our charter 2nd and 3rd degrees were dedicated to Ray Trampush. It was on Sunday, September 14, 1978 and was attended by Deputy Supreme Knight Fred Pelletier and by ALL of our State Officers: new State Deputy Harry J Tucker Jr (State Deputy Bill Witte had just died in office); State Secretary John R Klein; State Treasurer Hector P Maffei; State Advocate George C Turk; State Warden Charles A Sohnly and by PSD Johnny Doubleday of Oregon.

The occasion of our 2nd and 3rd Degrees was combined with the official presentation of the charter of the 50th council in the state of Washington by Deputy Supreme Knight Fred Pelletier to our Charter Grand Knight, George Wright. Since chartering in 1979 we have ups and downs. Our current membership is 52.

GRANDVIEW - St Joseph Council 2103

St Joseph Council 2103 was instituted as simply Grandview Council 2103 on February 29, 1920 - Leap Year Day - by District Deputy B B Horrigan with 45 members, of whom 28 were Insurance Members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Lazare Barbeau	J B Freeman	Leo Pengruber
Joseph R Beutel	Thomas L Freeman	Wilfred P Pengruber
John Bieren	Thomas Gavin	Oscar Roberts
John J Brennan	Frank J Golob	Wilfred Roberts
Joseph J Beutel	John W Golob	Jacob J Rollinger*
Joseph E Campbell GK	Alfred Haberman*	Leo C Rosselot

James P Coyle	M P Haberman	Joseph Rosselot
John P Curran	Howard Judd	H J Schultz
Jerry F Daly	John F Kelly	Michael Slevin
John P Daly	Thomas Lechman	Bessemer J Steele
Charles E Davis	Paul A Mahar	Dexter J Sullivan
John Dawson	Timothy E Mahar	R Thien
J B N Doyle*	Otto Martin	Jacob Thome
Walter J Erwin	J E Millard	Joseph A Wethoff
Joseph J Feil*	Francis Pengruber	Alvin D Wininger*

We are not sure just what year we applied for the official name "St Joseph Council 2103." We do know that Joseph J. Feil was elected State Warden in 1933-35 and Joseph Mosebar in 1964-66. George Mosebar went on to become State Secretary from 1966-1970.

Over the years we have continued our K of C programs. In the last quarter century we have concentrated on the PFH program, Human Life and our Church activities. We have had numerous fund-raisers such as dinners and booths at the Fair to obtain the funds for our charitable works. We have had Ladies' Appreciation Night and Crab Feeds; had floats in parades and the like. We purchased crucifixes for the Sunnyside parish school. Our fund-raisers have been pretty successful. We have gotten as much as \$600 for Pennies for Heaven from our refreshment booth at the Fair. We have bowling teams; Altar Boy and Clergy Banquets; Catholic Charities fund-raisers and the like - all of the activities that are typical of a Knights of Columbus council.

GRANITE FALLS – Holy Cross Council 13560

While cooking breakfast on that 1st Sunday in February at Holy Cross Parish Hall in Granite Falls, Fr. Jay came in & started talking to us about the Knights. He then said "I want a council here by July 1st!"

We had just received word that Archbishop Brunett was going to make our mission a parish. That afternoon we got on the phone to our District Deputy, Ron Forgey and informed him of what Father Jay had told us. We immediately started to gather thirty men willing to form a new council. On June 12th of 2004 our new council was officially formed with the help of Edward Hebert, Sr. and District Deputy Ron Forgey. The charter members were:

Kellogg E. Chambers	Donald C. Coats	Lynell Constantine
Fr. Jay DeFolco	Dennis M. Diggs	James S. Driscoll
Robert R. Driscoll	Anton C. Erne	Aeron D. Fry
Daniel G. Garrison	Hilario A. Gudez	Albert C. Hawkins
Antone J. Lopes	Dennis R. Malsom	Monte A. Marti
Jamey T. Mandsager	Michael C. May	Edward W. Miller *
Joseph R. Miller	John J. Mooney	Dennis J. Morgan
Ceferino Moya Jr.	Paul W. Muma	Craig G. Newton
John J. Schenkel	Darrel W. Shefstad	Joseph L. Shriver
Harold K Small	Gave C. Salgado	Michael W. Parks
Stephen E Plaisance	Nicolas C Polifroni	Derick R. Whitaker
George B. Whitaker	Justin P. Whitaker	Earnest Vigil
Joseph P Vigil	John V Zuanich	

During our first year we were able to support a Seminarian Carlos Enriquez; support two little league teams; Boy Scouts; 4-H and help send a youth group to Mexico. We formed a Round Table on the USS Lincoln. We also became a member of the 365 Club and one of 26 councils to achieve the rank of the 1000 Point Club.

HOQUIAM - James T Quigg Council 1674

Hoquiam Council 1674 was instituted on February 9, 1913 by District Deputy J M Boyle of Tacoma. The 52 Charter Members and Officers were:

Gus Adelsberger	Angus MacDonald	John Olbertz
Samuel H Beaudoin	Dr J F MacDonald	Peter Olbertz
Sebastian Blattner	E D MacDonald	James T Quigg
John B Cotter	Patrick McDonald	Rev Wm Quigley Chap
Leo Cournoyer	James F McDonald	Earl Reuter
Jerome Cyr	Harry J McCabe	A F Richard
Eli A Cyr	Claude F McCabe	Lloyd J Richards
Thomas M Doyle	J H McCabe	Henry A Scharenbroich
Royal B Ebert Rec	John McGuire	Felix Schmaltz
Clement A Felzer	Neil McHugh	Alva J Scott
Leo R Ford	John T Mahan	John A Stein
John F Hannigan	John H Mallany	Joseph S Stein Treas
Daniel W Hanrahan Adv	Gustav J Meyer	Frank J Smith
Michael Hogan	Russell F Miller	Edward P Smith
Carl R Horgan	Vincent Miller	Francis J Tromble GK
Stanley Kaitis	Henry Milhofer	John C Whipple FS
Joseph C Klein	Herman J Nordmann	A V LeClerc
F Meyer DGK		

John H Mallany went on to become State **Advocate** from 1933-37. We hosted the State Convention in 1920 and again in 1954. Over the 76 years of our existence we have had our share of glory and our trials as well. We have had all of the various programs listed in all of the Knights literature at one time or another - many have been continued the whole time. Somewhere before 1957, after the death of James T Quigg - one of our charter members - the council was renamed the "James T Quigg Council 1674".

We have had a number of parties and dinners every year. These included all of the holiday occasions, for Clergy, Altar Boys, Human Life, PGKs, Crab Feeds, etc. We have had breakfasts (communion, father-son, father-daughter, for graduates, PFH, etc) and have sponsored Scout troops, parish picnics and many other events. The council has had problems. In 1970 the council was almost ready to turn in the charter and cease operation. This was after breaks in the continuity in the Grand Knight succession due mainly to moves of the Grand Knights. Fortunately, we had many PGKs who stepped in and got us back on the road to progress and stability.

Since that time we have continued to progress well. Lest it be assumed that we have not paid attention to our Church, we must add that we have always been there for what is needed in our parish. This is not restricted to CCD, ushering, maintenance and the like. When the pastor couldn't get the Holy Name Society going in the parish in 1964, he called upon us and we did the job. We are 'the strong right arm of the church' in our area.

ISSAQUAH – Fr. Anthony McGirl Council 7907

Council Historian: Joseph G McNabb

Foothills Council 7907 was instituted on November 22, 1981 by District Deputy John R (Jack) Gasser in St Joseph Parish. Among the charter members was Pastor Father Anthony McGirl who was well loved by his parishioners. He suggested the name "Foothills Council" as being descriptive of the area and that was the name under which the council was chartered. After his death in 1982, the name was officially changed to "Father McGirl Council 7907". The charter members and officers were:

Donovan A Albright	Larry E Gross	Robert N Parnell
John S Alford	Jack L Haines	Donald E Petroskie
Willis J Barkley	Craig N Hansen*	Thomas A Phillips
Albert J Benz	William L Heilman	Gilbert E Quandt
John A Bonner	Robert M Hopp	Omer E Riggins FS
James P Breznay	Paul D Johnson	Warren P Riggins GK
Steven D Brophy	Robert R Jones	William N Rispoli
James B Canaday	Leo P Laird	Joseph V Ruddy
Jack Clifford	Daniel F McAuliffe	John R Sabourin
Dominic J Colasurdo	Edward A McDonald	Daniel A Sigler
Dann R Cooke	Rev A. McGirl Chap	Ted A Thoma
James V Devany	Joseph G McNabb	James T Timidaiski
James V Dynes*	Leonard H Mattingly	John A. Ulrich
Leo J Endres	Mike M Muilenburg	Frank A. Vidos
Michael S Farmer	Robert S Nersveen	Michael S Wood
Thomas M Finnelly	Vern E Norton	Charles E Woolston
Johnny C Forbes		

The council started off well. Every officer was present at the installation of officers. The first social event in the council's history was our Shamrock Hop. Father McGirl received his Honorary Life Membership Certificate and lapel pin. We had a raffle and, of course, Father was asked to draw the winning ticket. It topped off the evening when Father drew his own ticket. We had CPR classes that first year and continued with Family Picnics, a Salmon Day breakfast, certifying a 1st degree team, exemplifying 1st degrees for ourselves and other councils, a Christmas party, sponsored a parish dinner-dance, had pancake breakfasts and helped move an elderly couple into a new home.

We donated \$100 toward the purchase of an Aid Car for the Issaquah Fire Department; worked on Health projects with the Fire Dept, weatherized and made repairs on the home of a needy family and other similar community activities. In the church, in addition to supplying manpower for the various functions, we took over the job of the Parish Work Committee; replaced the retaining wall on the handicapped walkway; installed the dance floor in the parish hall; remodeled the basement storage area and similar projects. We sponsored a Rosary program and had joint functions with the Legion of Mary.

We are a young council but are making progress toward our goals.

SAMMAMISH - Mary Queen of Peace - Plateau Council 9833

Mary Queen of Peace of the Plateau Council 9833 was instituted on June 9, 1988 by NCD Chairman Harold A. Knox acting for District Deputy Laurence L Waldron. The charter members and officers were:

Donald A Albrecht Adv	John S Alford	Harold T Bantle
Steven R Behrens	Randy Benson	August Blondeau
Blaine Bos	Basil Cascio	Joseph F Chmielewski
Steven T Clines	Brent L Cummins FS	William Cushman
Thomas N Davies	James Devaney	David J Duncan
William P Freer Chan	John R Gasser	Jerry Gentile
Craig N Hansen TR	Paul Heinecke	P J Kraetsch Treas *
Keith B LaCelle W	Ronald G Long	James E Majesky
Joseph G McNabb DGK *	David A Murawski	Jerome B Neumann
Michael Rabe	James M Reid	David L Rose

Frank Salmick
W Lee Swierc
William Wolfe **TR**

Tadruz Skrobecki **GK**
Rev Stephan Szeman

James V Smith
Laurence L Waldron **TR**

KELSO-CASTLE ROCK – St. Michael's Council 12786

Council Historian: Don Phillips PGK

St Michael's Council 12786 was instituted in Castle Rock-Kelso on September 25, 2000 by District Deputy Raymond D. Ayala. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Reynold D Biava **TR3**
James W Brockmoller
Timothy L Caulfield
Peter E Foley **IG**
Jeff R George
Paul D Hadaller
Alvis R Heltemes **Lect**
Richard J Heltemes **GK**
Frederic J Hemenway
Waiter W Kaiser
Michael A Lerner
Christopher T Mahre
James P McGinley
Julio Mendez **OG**
Kevin R Mulcahy **TR2**
James J Palmateer
James A Ralston
Ralph J Roggenback **DGK**
Jeffrey A Schmidt
John A Seidl
Bernard J Stalp **FS**
Gary G Udd **Chan**
Rev Michael A Wright

James P Bobst
John H Brockmoller
Harold R Christian
Charles A Foster **Rec**
Stephen K Gross
Joseph S Haebe
Daniel R Heltemes
Roger W Heltemes
Wayne D Holderby
John N Kivlin
Jerry L Lewis
Donald G Marcotte
Wayne K McPherson Sr
James P Mistic
Gary G Nelson
Dalton C Pfau
Gregory A Rayl
Richard H Sand
Joseph S Schmitz
Jeffrey D Skeie
Bernard M Storm
Alan R Waldman

Richard Q Bohlig **Treas**
Gerald T Caulfield **TR1**
Ross O Cobb
David S Gaze
Jason G Hadaller
Richard R Heater **W**
James J Heltemes
Thomas J Heltemes
Mark A Jungwirth
Robert L LaBarre
Archie L Lomax
Leo C Mayo
Wayne K McPherson Jr
Robert L Moehle
Clifford G Newby
Donald D Phillips
Harold L Rice
James F Schmaltz
Daniel J Schilter
Michael A Skeie
Gary B Troske **Adv**
Max Weaver

Those who were instrumental in the formation of the council were Rev. Michael Wright, Richard Heltemes, Ralph Roggenback, Gerald Caulfield, Michael Marum and Raymond Ayala. Since institution the council has received the Father McGivney award in FY 2000-2001, certified a First Degree team (the only First Degree team in District 25) in March 2001, received the Vocation Sponsor award in FY 2001-2002 and were presented with Star Council by PSD Fred J. Abraham. In FY 2002-2003 we have been recognized in the 365 Club.

KELSO-LONGVIEW – see LONGVIEW

KENNEWICK - Kennewick Council 8179

Council Historian: Darrell R. Henn

Kennewick Council 8179 was instituted on September 10, 1982 by District Deputy Gary R. Soehnlein with 57 members. The charter members and officers were:

Francis L. Beaudry **GK**
D. P. Cantua **OG**
Charles W. DeGooyer
Billy J. Ellerthorpe

Rev Frederick M. Brenner
Larry J. Cleveland
A. T. Doherty
James P. Hauptmann

E. J. Brown
George E. Conatore
Rev. John A. Ecker
Robert R. Hazelbaker

Darrell R. Henn **DGK***
 Charles E. Loosveldt
 Ramon R. Mata
 Rev Ernest J Menard SJ **Chap**
 Frank L. Mitchell III
 T. O. Nash III
 Frank A. Osterwyck
 William T. DeWulf **TR**
 K. M. Qunell
 Thomas J. Reed
 M. R. St. Hilaire
 Boleslaw Skadorwa
 J. S. Stanley
 Loren E. Thurman **TR**
 Bill M. Weber

Daniel J. Hurson
 Jerry J. Malloy
 Joseph E. McGough **Adv**
 Charles S. Miller **TR**
 Thomas F. Muggli
 Albert A. Nelson
 Rev. Ronald J. Patnode
 John E. Powers
 T. R. Ragland
 Charles W. Robinson
 Thomas P. St. Hilaire*
 Gary R. Soehlein **Treas**
 Kenneth E. Thompson
 Michael E. Thurman
 Kenneth H. Wessels

Donald R. Jacobsen **Chan**
 Ken R. Marsh **Rec**
 Michael W. Meagher
 Maynard C. Mineart
 James R. Nacke **W**
 Richard Nicacio
G. Ponce IG
 Dr. Robert R. Privette
 Rod Hanks
 John F. St. Hilaire **FS**
 Larry E. Schwartz
 R. Southworth III
 Larry J. Thurman
 J. B. Weaver
 William B. Zilar



Derrill Henn and Frank Beaudry

truck, ambulance, policeman and a Methodist minister. The wife's expression, seeing a Methodist minister standing over her husband, was priceless. Also two members wound up exchanging the same gift at a Tom and Jerry party.

We are a very active council, doing all of the usual things in council, church and community activities. We are particularly active working with our youth and are proud of our active Squires circle.

KENNEWICK - Holy Spirit Council 10653

Holy Spirit Council 10653 was instituted in Kennewick on June 19, 1991 by District Deputy Darrell R. Henn. The charter members were:

Kenneth S Agen
 Brent L Booth
 Gene L. Cote
 James P Hauptmann
 Greg A Lyckman
 David W Messinger
 John A Mobley
 Rev John G O'Shea
 Ralph Sawyer
 Kenneth E Thompson

Scott R August
 James P Chapados DDS
 Steven J Fazzari
 Donald R Jacobsen
 Dennis A Marks
 Charles S Miller
 Joseph M Nickels
 William A Retterer
 Edward J Smith
 Michael E Thurman

Marcel P Bergeron
 Larry J Cleveland
 Mark H Gehlan
 John Jurgilewicz
 Patrick J McKenna
 Frank L Mitchell
 Mark E O'Brien
 Emmett W Savard
 James R Stephenson
 Theodore N Turpin Jr

Troy J Upah
John R Zilar

Roger A Willis
William B Zitar Sr

Emanuel J Ziegler
William B Zilar Jr

Those most instrumental in forming the council were Darrell Henn, Frank Beaudry, Rev. John O'Shea, Emanuel Ziegler, John Zilar, Bill Zilar Jr and Glenn Whitman. Our council has held parish ice cream socials, totally kosher Seder meals during Lent, has hosted a parish St. Patrick's Day party and has conducted parish cleanup and grounds/parking lot repairs. Our fundraisers have included: a parking lot sale; Casino Nights; Fourth of July celebration parking lot attendants; and freeway rest stop coffee service.

KENT – Kent Council 8150

Council Historian: William R Wilson

The first organizational meeting was held at 7:30 p.m. May 17, 1982 in St Anthony's hall in Kent. District Deputy Joseph M Clemens of District 12 presided. He explained the aims, purposes and programs of the Knights of Columbus and showed a movie on the Knights. There were 18 men and some of their wives in attendance. The next meeting was May 24th with 21 men present. Another film was shown and there was discussion about the K of C at the parish level.

On June 7th there was another meeting, with 21 men present to nominate men for office in the new council who were unanimously elected at the next meeting on June 15th. The council was formally instituted by D.D. Joseph M Clemens on June 24, 1982 with 42 members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Leroy J Benish	John D Feuerborn W*	John B Mergens Jr
Ronald W Bernards	Vern A Fors	J B Mergens Sr TR
Hugh P Boyle	Phil D Fortunato	Grover E Nelson
Raymond O Brown	Merlin J Gagner	Jos Riechlin Rec
Sylvester V Brown	Peter Gomes TR*	Gary F Schaffer
Robert T Byrnes	James W Grad	Frank M Schweiger
Bob Campbell OG	Thomas W Hardy	James Sheffield Adv
Martin C Carlson	Melvin C Haus	Mike Smell IG
Christopher M Courtney	Clarence C Hoefert	C L Treichel
Richard Dettrey Treas	Arthur R Jones	Harry J Tucker Jr
Don Devos TR	John G Kiefer III	Richard D Votava DGK
Rev A F Donohoe Chap	James A Ochal	Wm R Wilson GK
Dean Dunford Chan	Edward J Pawlowski	Kenneth G Devos
Alfred Fettig*	H J Mergens	Bernard Zwick

Supreme Warden Harry J Tucker Jr gave a very inspirational speech about the Knights of Columbus - what it was to him and what it could be for every man in the parish. The council voted that it be named KENT COUNCIL 8150 and that dues be \$30.00 annually with initiation fee of \$15.00 and Readmission fee \$7.50. The council has taken on the usual K of C programs supporting our church and the community.

In the 25 years of our existence we have provided leadership at both the state and district level. Charter Grand Knight William R Wilson went on to become our District Deputy and then two years as State Membership Chairman. We were fortunate to have State Deputy & Supreme Warden Harry J. Tucker as a charter member as we formed at the end of his term. He has subsequently served two years as the Immediate PSD, six years as our FS and four years as Vice Supreme Master of the Fourth Degree.

KIRKLAND - Obadiah Council 7642

Obadiah Council 7642 was instituted on August 6, 1980 at Holy Family Church in Kirkland by District Deputy Charles F McLean. The Charter Members and Officers were:

J P Beattie	Jamie C Eusebio	Victor A Meyers
Charles R Bellings	Al Fallavollita Jr	Paul M Murawski
William E Boblick	William J Ford	Alfred J Niemiec
Gerald E Brandmeier	Cyril F Gau	Leopold E Nollette
Joseph E Bullock	Joseph L Godar	Thomas P O'Donnell
William T Burnell	Stephen A Gray	Charles F Passaro
George J Carr	Ron R Healey	William E Pittman
Joseph A Castelluccio	Bruce R Heron	John J Schoenmaker
Theron R Chamberlain	Bertrand J Hill	Rodger E Settergren
L J Cholewczynski	Frank P Hogenhout	Johanis R Sinon
Joseph R Cucinotta	Walt M Irvine	Robert A Sollitto
Rev Robert M Daly	Thomas C Jaycox	James T Stapleton
Thomas S Danna	Jerome D Johnson	Edward Sullivan
James S Deck	Lowell E Korte	Joe P Swenson
James H DeJarnatt Jr	Philip J Kraman	Larry A Thomas
Quinto DeVitis	Terry M Lynch	Jack T Tuschoff
Maurice A Durand	John M Magee	Joseph G Ward II
Lyle E Durbin	Charles R Martain*	James F Vaque
Robt D Ehrmantrout GK	Robert F McInnes	Victor F Wente
William F Eisiminger	Robert D Merz	Maurice W Winkler

The initial activity began with a meeting on July 20, 1980 and the Charter 1st Degree was on August 6th. This was not a case of nothing happened during the summer. The name of the council, Obadiah, was selected for its meaning - 'servant of the Lord'. We have tried to live up to the name. During our first year we had 7 1st degrees and two 2nd degrees. One of our members performs as a musician for senior citizens at the nursing home. We provide transportation to Mass for the aged and the handicapped. Coffee and donuts after Sunday Mass on a regular basis is another of our projects. We participate in most of the usual K of C programs.

Formation of St Jude Council in Redmond and Sacred Heart Council in Bellevue took many of our Charter Members. At the end of our first year we began meeting in the University Federal Savings and Loan conference room. In retrospect, this was probably not a good move. The enthusiasm and identification with the parish declined along with attendance. In 1983 we decided to move back to Holy Family parish and things have since improved. We help with the Fall Festival at the parish and clean up the grounds afterward. We had a pancake feed that netted \$450.00 for the Church Fund and also donated \$100.00 to St Vincent DePaul. We are functioning.

KIRKLAND - St. John Mary Vianney Council 11408

Council Historian: William C. Davis PGK

St. John Mary Vianney council 11408 was instituted in Kirkland on August 11, 1994 by District Deputy Robert G. Bluhm. The charter members were:

Rev. Jay A. De Folco Chap	Robert G. Beise TR	Ryan R. Beise
C Allen Benedict III	Robert G. Bluhm TR*	Raymond P. Bolanos
Matthew J. Breysse	John J. Bums	Alfred F. Capili OG
Fernando B. Cuanzon	William C. Davis GK	Nolan N. Defiesta

John C. Fenoli	Patrick J. Fitzpatrick	Eugene R. Garrow IG
Robert P. Gerrish	Anthony J. Gomes	Stephen L. Henley Sr
Charles B. Hutchens FS	Dan L. Larson	Greg P. Leptich
James E. Linden	Michael Mc Auliff	William P. Prah DGK*
Roy A. Rogers	Glen T. Rollman Rec*	Chris Ryan
Ronald B. Smith	Randall C Stuckenschneider W	James E. Vaughn Treas
Mark A. Volpe	Anthony M. Zimmerman	

The dignitaries present were State Deputy Charles F McLean, State Warden Wayne Hogan, State Treasurer Everett J. Roberts, State Bulletin Editor John H. Williams and GK Pat Maloney of Bothell 6686. Those most responsible for the institution and active in it are William Prah; William C. Davis; Chuck Hutchens; Bob Bluhm; Al Capili; Jim Vaughn; Glen Rollman; Eugene Garrow and Nolan Defiesta.

The first organizational meeting was on June 1, 1994 when we started up a K of C club. There were four members present. Williams Davis was chosen as president. From this small beginning the club soon grew to the necessary 30 members allowing it to be instituted as a council.

From the very beginning, the council has been closely tied to service in the parish and the community. Our first official function was helping with the parish Fall Festival, a yearly event at which we have wholeheartedly supported. We have had three pancake breakfasts each year to support our charities. We have participated in all K of C programs: Christmas cards, free throw contest, Pennies for Heaven and others. We support our parish Altar servers, the Boy Scouts and the youth group. One of our favorite charities is the parish sack lunch program which feeds the homeless in the inner city. We continue to expand our activities and social functions each year. We support a seminarian. We try to have social events with our own families. We are coming together more each year with our council activities

LAKEWOOD - St Frances Cabrini Council 4322

St Frances Cabrini Council 4322 was instituted on February 14, 1957 in Lakewood (Tacoma) by District Deputy Jack J Riedinger with 84 members of whom 48 were insurance members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Walter W Allen	Wm J Guiterrez	Angelo Maffeo
Ronald J Beckman	Virgil B Hearon	Anthony M Matukonis*
John F Boland	Rev J Heneghan Chap	Hugh B McManus
Alvin L Borgert	Maurice H Hensley	Herbert H Meier
Damian R Borque	John T Higgins	Robert F Merz
Kenneth M Bradshaw	Adam G Hoffman*	Daniel Monaghan
William E Campbell	Harry L Hoffman	Charles F Murphy
John G Carey	James B Hudson Jr	Eugene I Nagel
William H Cloyd	Ralph H Johnson	Bruce C Nobles
Joseph W Clusserath	Wm G Kalenius Jr DGK*	James C Olives
John F Comfort	Louis F Katterhagen	Bernard J Ouellette
David R Countryman	*Ray F Kennedy FS*	Frank Pagano
William P Cuffney	William R Kennedy	Joseph F Pionke
Donald T Dargan	Marvin J Kennedy	Ralph R Robinson
James J DiStefano	John W Kiewik	Robert L Salo
Byron J Evans Rec*	James E A Kinney	Nicholas Sattler
Robert J Evans	Adam R Knoll	Alva G Schadle
Anthony M Falsetta	John F Lanz	Richard H Schneider
Charles Falsetta	Barry W Larrazolo	James W Silva

George Felzer	Ralph R Legacy Treas	Dwight N Smith
Robert E Fromhart	Joseph L Leitzinger	Rev Andrew J Squier
Matthew K Garvey	Rex G Lester	Jerome J Stroh
George F Gaumond	Saverio J Liotta	Douglas J Sullivan
Robert C Gius	Alonzo A Lopez	William S Sullivan
Eric A Gonzalez	Wilbur F Lott	Richard L Tainter
William E Griffin Adv	James R Lowry*	Richard D Turner
Paul W Greiwe	Robert L Madden	William Van Well GK
Frank S Guiner		

Auburn Council 3598 and Tacoma Council 809 1st degree teams put on the initial 1st degrees. The 3rd degree was by the Vancouver 1327 team. The first Grand Knight, William Van Well - who had been GK and DD in Yakima before moving here - was heavily involved in the formation of the council and started it well on its way to its proud record. Unfortunately, he suffered a series of heart attacks which prevented him from completing his term. He died in 1957. He was succeeded by DGK William Kalenius.

Many of our members went on to become District Deputy (William Kalenius, Al Ehli, Nick Varano, Ernie Oliver, Chris Navarre and Wayne Hogan) and elected to state office. Byron



INTERNATIONAL FAMILY OF THE YEAR
1st runner up John and Jenny Klein Family

Evans became State Warden, State Advocate and State Treasurer. Wayne Hogan was elected State Deputy 2001-2003. Ray Kennedy - who with PSD John R Klein as his General Program Chairman - led this council to the State Deputy's 1st Place Award, Star Council Award and Century Award (100+ new members) - went on to hold the same three offices as Byron Evans. Ray was transferred out of state at that time.

John R Klein, who had been a PGK of Moses Lake Council 4367, became District Deputy, was elected State Advocate (76-78), State Treasurer (78), State Secretary (78-81) and State Deputy (81-83). The council won Star Council Awards in 1960 (PGK Adam Hoffman) and in 1964 (PGK Ray Kennedy). Many of our members served as state chairmen, several in more than one such post. These included Chet Chaloupka (4 years as PFH chairman); Al Ehli (Church-Fratal and Squires); Jerry Arroyo (State Membership); Leo Morin (Youth/Squires); Curly Bender (Fratal Activities); Herb Liebert

(Membership/Retention and Public Relations); Ernie Oliver (Youth/Squires and Bowling/Golf) and Bob Bonner (State Bulletin Editor).

Under PGK Chet Chaloupka the council swept all five 1st Place Awards and two 2nd Place Awards and won the State Deputy's 1st Place Award. It was particularly satisfying as we hosted the State Convention for the first time that year - 1965. Dedication was shown other ways too. PGK Byron Evans mortgaged his home to make possible the financing of our council hall. Bob Thompson was GK when we again hosted the State Convention in 1973. Bob Bonner was the only man to be Grand Knight for two one year terms. PGK Nick Varano became the only man from our council to be appointed Master of the Western District of Washington for the Fourth Degree. PGK Curly Bender was a master fund raiser. With only \$68 in the treasury at the beginning of his term, under his leadership (everything from selling tickets for a commission -to a circus) we ended the year with over \$5000.00.

We have had many other leaders besides our PGKs. The chairmen of our various committees have led the council to many achievements of which we are very proud. All of the many awards that we have won do not simply happen by themselves. We have a very active council with many dedicated Knights - particularly in the Pro-Life, Youth/Squires and PFH programs. The PFH program is supported in large measure by regular PFH breakfasts.

In the 1990s, and to date, we have held monthly parish breakfasts; family potlucks, coffee and donuts; continued our sponsorship of a Boy Scout troop; annual picnics, Halloween parties, kids' Christmas parties, Octoberfests, spaghetti dinners, steak dinners, Country & Western Jamboree and participated in many Pro-Life activities including Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission and the annual March for Life. The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and CCD instructors for all masses and special events. We deeded our hall to the Archdiocese for use of our parish. We have made many large financial gifts to church and community activities - \$28,000.00 in the 2001 and 2002 fraternal years. As we continue in the second 100 years of the Order we look with optimism, based on performance, at the challenges ahead.

LAKEWOOD - St. John Bosco Council 11762

Council Historian: Frank McFall

St. John Bosco Council 11762 was instituted on April 19, 1996 in Lakewood by District Deputy Billie Grant. The charter members were:

Cyrus D Barnes	Rev Ralph F Carney	John R Connelly TR
Michael David	Kenneth L Dobson Jr	Andre A Franco FS
Vincent J Gallo	Benito T Leon-Guerrero Chan	Charles J Karl
Andrew J Kraemer	Steve Kuklish	Thomas J Kutz
Denis J Kuwahara IG	Gordon H Lymburn	Charles W McCullough
Frank A McFall GK	Carl F Meske	Richard W Muri
Rev John E Nwanze	Harrison P. Nikolao	Clement J O'Neill
Paul F Pauly	Harold F Phillips	Douglas G Richardson
Philip R Schumock Rec	James F Senko Adv	Gregory Tolbert
Frank E Turnman TR	Robert C Updegraff	Michael V Vensas
John M Wallace OG DGK W TR		

The dignitaries present were State Secretary Everett J. Roberts, State Advocate Wayne Hogan, District Deputy Billie Grant and their wives; GKs Bob Farkas of Lakewood 4322 and Frank Coic of Spanaway 6806; PGK Ernest L. Oliver (4322) and Faithful Captain Jose Veliz and PFN Salomon DeAlba of Fr. Valerian Grubb Assembly. Those most responsible for the institution and active in it are Fr. Carney; DD Billie Grant; GK Frank McFall; James Senko and Charles McCullough.

The council's main activities since institution have been an annual luau in October for up to 250 people, blood drives, a Christmas party; memorial to the unborn, building of the grotto, clearing alongside the church for a meditation park with benches, paths and the stations of the cross. The Meditation Park received 1st place State Church Activity award and 2nd place on the international level and received the Star Council award (1997-98). In 1997-98 the Steve Kuklish family was State Family of the Year.

LANGLEY - St. Hubert Council 11357

Revised 6/1/08; Bob Liess PGK

St. Hubert Council 11357 was instituted in Langley on June 1, 1994 by District Deputy Richard Barson. The charter members were:

Rev. Gerald J. Moffat
Russel A. Bilyeu
Paul A. D'Avanzo
Harold J. Doyle
William D. Good (d)
Gary W. Gwin
Gerald J. Maxwell
Anthony D. Newbauer
Alex J. Puls (d)
Robert J. Schoeler
Jackson Warfield

Louis J. Alfano
William T. Burnell
Paul E. Dieker
James L Duffy (d)
William T. Good Jr
Larry P. Jesmer
James W. Morrow
Edward J. Novack (d)
Sidney B. Richards (d)
Fred J Starkweather

Noel R. Berger
Jerry L. Busby
William J. Donohoe
David S. Dwyer
Robert A. Grant
Donald E. Jordan (d)
Thomas L. Morrow Jr
Donald E. Nowak
Edward C. Schoeler Sr
Donald L. Stewart
(d) - deceased

In 1990 eight Brothers formed a round table. They used their visa cards to buy equipment for their first pancake breakfast. June 1993 they submitted an application for council with 31 members. They received their charter June 1, 1994. They had a \$200 total budget, received from pancake breakfasts and gave it to Outreach, St Hubert Youth and Red Flyer Reading programs. They have grown to 85 members and now support Seminarians and several charities such as scholarships, child abuse prevention, pregnancy aid, safe place for newborn, family resource center etc. Eleven Star Council Awards in 14 years.



1994-1995: Paul Dieker was the first Grand Knight. He was very knowledgeable about K of C having been a Knight for many years. He was very instrumental in getting the council started and keeping it going in formative years. Paul is retired from IBM. He is married to Claudette. They have two children, both in Washington. Paul and Claudette moved to Silverton, Oregon in 1998.



1995-1996: Paul D'Avanzo was the second Grand Knight. He is another long time Knight. He was a dedicated Knight from day one and still is. Paul is from Staten Island, NY. He and his wife, Margaret moved to WA. to be near their daughter, Denise about 1992. Paul is a retired butcher and has a son and daughter in New York.



1996-1997: Gary Gwin was the third Grand Knight. Gary was a Knight in the 60s but took a leave of absence. He was reinstated back into the Knights in 1994. Gary moved up through the chairs before becoming Grand Knight. He worked for Boeing for 35 years as research engineer and retired in 1995. Gary is married to Mary Ann and has 5 children and 6 grandchildren.



1997-1999: Larry Jesmer was the fourth Grand Knight. He was new to the Knights when he joined as a charter member of the council. He is one of our most active members if not the most active member. He quickly moved through the chairs to become GK and later became a state officer. He just recently became Pastoral Minister and is studying to become a Deacon. He is Married to Jeanine and works for Nichols Bros boat builders.



1999-2000: Bill Donohoe was the fifth Grand Knight. He is a retired Seattle Battalion Fire Chief. Bill has brought a tremendous amount of organizational skills to the council. Under his leadership the council has grown and has accomplished many great things. Bill is married to Mary Jane. They have two sons and a daughter.



2000-2002: Lyle Spink the sixth Grand Knight was an overnight sensation. He was in the Knights two years before he became Grand Knight. He was an excellent leader and we were fortunate to have him as GK. He is a retired building contractor and is married to Ann and has several children.



2002-2004: Bob Liess the seventh Grand Knight moved quickly to GK because of retired officers. He joined Nov 2000. He is retired from Pacific Gas and Electric in California and moved here in 1998 to be close to his daughter. He held office for two years and is married to Sandra. He has two daughters and one stepson and one stepdaughter.



2004-2006: Bill Paulson was the eighth Grand Knight. Bill moved from Deputy GK and Program Chairman to GK. He is originally from California. He has his own business in Mukilteo and his wife Suzanne has a B & B in Langley. Between the two of them they keep very busy. Bill proves to be a great Grand Knight because of his business skills. Between them they have several children.



2006-2008: Chuck Errico was the ninth Grand Knight. He was the Program Chair / DGK for 2 years. Under Chuck's leadership council experienced 15% growth, 2 star council awards, and advanced 7 Knights to the 4th degree. Chuck and his wife Kathie are busy with full time employment, volunteering at St. Hubert church, and chasing around their 2 grandchildren.



2008-2010: John Joynt was our tenth Grand Knight. Born in Detroit in a large Catholic family, he worked for IBM & Apple in California. After decades he and his wife Janice moved to the North West. He's now a successful real estate agent. John was our Deputy GK for two years and Program Director. He is very organized and brought with him the talent needed to head our council. He won best newsletter in the state as editor also.

LEAVENWORTH - Our Lady of the Snows Council 13597

Our Lady of the Snows Council was instituted in Leavenworth on August 24, 2004 by District Deputy Deacon William F Loranger of East Wenatchee. The Charter members were:

Luke P Astell	John J Barton	Randall E Betz
Mirrell H Brewer	Duane C Brunner	Francis T Calapristi
Joseph R Champagne	Gerald S Covert	Robert J Cowan
J Thomas Dillhoff	James R Donham	William A Dronen
Gordon L East	Mark B Forsmann	Clayton Gerstenberger
Donald G Griek	Rogelio Gutierrez	James A Haberberger
James C Haire	Frank J Haubner	Anthony F Hillock
Stephen R Keife	Wayne F Klenda	Norman R Morris
Wesley A Potridge	Joseph P Reichlin	John L Reichmann
Stephen E Warman	Michael G Wentink	Rev Ricardo A Villarreal

LONGVIEW - Cowlitz Council 2763

Council Historian: Larry Dore

Cowlitz Council 2763 was instituted on October 13, 1935 by District Deputy Robert D Meyers. The name chosen at that time was Longview Council but was later changed to 'Cowlitz Council'. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Walter J Ball	Dr Richard Hayes	Joseph M Marx
Clarence E Berg	Fernand J Hebert	Otto J Meyer Rec
Rev V C Bucher Chap	Harland R Heuer	William P Mullaley
Edgar L Byrne	John R Heuer	George W Nabbefeld
Thomas J Cooper Treas	Leroy A Kahn	Francis J O'Toole
Thomas F Costello	Mark J Kann	Rev Lucien A Pargett
Edward Costigan	Joseph P Kartes	Raymond C Pepin
John Donahue GK	Robert J Kirtland	Peter J Saueressig
Carl O Fahlstrom Adv	George P Lally	Bernard C Scheurich
John J Fitzgerald	Adam J Laufer	Charles J Scheurich
Dominick T Gallo	Peter A Loos	John W Schuh
Edward J Gilligan	Edward F McGinley	Henry W Speel
James T Gilligan	George H McGregor	Edwin S Umland
Dr F G Gleason Lect	Raymond G McKenzie	Harry R Weedman
David O Gourde FS	John E Manthe	

Not much is known of the history of the council from its institution until 1957. There are pretty complete records thereafter. Since that time an examination of the reports read almost like a listing of the projects recommended by the Supreme Council. We have put on both 1st and 2nd degrees; sponsored the Columbus Day radio broadcasts; held a variety of hamburger feeds, breakfasts, dinners, banquets, barbecues, dances and picnics. We have supported our parish churches; held political information nights; Christmas baskets for the needy and sent cards and gifts to the sick in hospitals.

For years we have had an excellent council bulletin; supported the PFH program and Human Life program. During the last few years we have supported as many as seven seminarians at a time cooperating with the RSVP program. Our annual PFH total has been the highest in the state for each of the last two years. At the 1988 State Convention our total was \$4418.42 (724% of our quota) and this year it was \$5526.90 (891% of quota). We have had programs for the retarded - at Christmas and during the year. In 1969 we decided to forego our annual children's Christmas Party and sent an equivalent amount to an Indian Mission in Arizona. In 1970 and

thereafter the Christmas Party amount, and more, has gone to programs for the retarded and other handicapped children.

We got our own K of C hall in 1967-68 and held many functions in it. It was a positive accomplishment of which we were proud but in 1978, after much debate, we sold the building and moved into St Mary's in Kelso for a meeting place. Since the 1979-80 council year we have met in St Rose's in Longview. We are fortunate to have a couple of our charter members still active in the council. We celebrated our 50th anniversary in 1985 and received our 50 Year Certificate from State Deputy George C Turk.

We have been supporting our seminarians primarily with funds from paper drives. The council has its Family and Knight of the Month/Year programs, Mothers' Day and Fathers' Day Breakfasts and the like. Our members are on all of the various parish committees. In short, we are a council that is much like councils everywhere - active in our determination to serve our church and community.

LYNDEN – Fr Benedict Schwiezer Council 12420

Submitted by Joe St. Hilaire DD9

Fr Benedict Schwiezer Council was instituted in Lynden on June 27, 1999 by district deputy John Lee (the date on the charter reads April 11, 1999). The charter members were:

Alex A Abundis	Mark I Anderson	Robert Archuleta
Douglas A Beach	Andrew D Bender	Bert M Benson
Robert L Bourassa	Richard W Braun	Robert T Burke
Thomas M Burke	Edward K Chase	Lawrence Cronk
Tony Cubellis	Richard E Eddy	Frederick R Farmer
Casper E Galloway	Carlos Hernandez	Rodolfo Hernandez
Charles D Jenkins Jr	Robert A Jensen	Donald R Kurtis
Robert Emmett Kearney	Thomas R Lewis Jr	Thomas R Luther
Rev Richard K McCallister	Jose M Mendosa	Leo A Metz GK
Timothy Metz	Hector H Oliveras	Forrest H Pederson
Arnold T Raaymakers *	Theodore F Rambur	Joseph W Reese *
Paul C Ricci	Julian G Silva	Peter R Vandenoek
Fredrick Vanderveen	Allen L Vanderveen	Larry G Williamson
Joseph C Younger		

Based in St. Joseph Parish, the council was formed from a Round Table of Holy Family Council 7356, Ferndale. Instrumental in establishing the council were Brother Leo Metz, District Deputy John Lee and Fr. Don Perea, pastor of St. Joseph Parish. The organizing began in September 1997 at a St. Joseph Parish ministry fair at which eight Knights expressed an interest in forming a council. An additional ten men indicated interest in joining the Order.

The Round Table was formed in January 1998, after a steak dinner and information event were held at the parish hall. More than 50 knights and interested men and their wives attended the event. Also named in the Round Table were Knights of St. Peter Church, Deming. After operating as a Round Table for a year, sufficient members were recruited to charter the council. Once the council was established, officers were elected - the charter grand knight was Leo Metz. Other grand knights who have served since then have been Arnold Raaymakers, Joseph Reese, and Dale Boudreau.

Lynden Council has been an active force in the parish, holding breakfasts and dinners and other events. The council also has supported the youth, seminarians, family, and community causes. An annual Mexican dinner has been one of the most popular events. Having been a Round Table of Holy Family Council, the council now has its own Round Table at St. Peter Church in Deming.

LYNNWOOD - Fr. Chirouse Council 5816

Council Historian: Charles A Sohnly, PSD

Lynnwood Council 5816 was instituted on March 20, 1966 by District Deputy Ray F Kennedy. At that time we were in District 9. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Joseph Baus
Gerald G Brabant
John J Costa
Robert R Fay
Leo J Gese **Adv**
Donald Haase
Lawrence R Hawk
Oscar E Hoffman
Lee R Kaploski
Harold A Knox*
Joseph M Leahy
Ferdinand R Liss
Thomas C Micek
Joseph T Muldoon Jr
Eugene B Radermacher
Matthew F Thewlis
Dr Jas L Tuura **DGK**
Wendelin J Voight
Howard Wolf

Richard J Beaudry
James T Cain*
Patrick B Cox
Wm E Franklin Rec
Donald J Gibbons Jr
Kenneth L Hardesty
Patrick S Healy
Ralph S Hopfauf
Andrew P Kelly
Harry H Kohl
Mark B Lewis
John K McAlerney
Raymond E Mohs **GK**
Anthony D Orso
Louis N Schenk
Peter F Thomas
Timothy J Tuura
Benedict Wentz

Steve E Beck
Thomas J Chapman
Richard G Farmer
Theodore E Frith
Robert E Guichard
Robert F Haukap
Melvin C Hoffman*
Rev John J Horan Chap
John T Kennelly
Joseph Krisman **Treas**
Benjamin Light
John A McDonnell
Joseph E Miles
James Pinsoneault
E G Swanstrom FS
Eugene F Tuura
Leonard Urlaub
Frank S Wolf

In 1989, 18 of our 55 charter members were still living. In our first year we doubled our membership and participated in 26 major events. We were shifted into District 1 that year and remained until 1982 when we were redistricted into the new District 13. In 1973 we purchased our own K of C Hall where we remained until 1984. This hall was the recipient of untold hours of volunteer effort and much pride in both the building and the many events held there. It was the site of many Bingo nights - the major funding for this spacious building. Unfortunately, the Bingo funds started to decline with the economy. The members voted in July 1984 to sell the building. We found a new and smaller home at 21242 67th West in 1985. In the interim period we met in the old St Vincent DePaul building on the site of the old hall at 15709 Hiway 99 North.

As part of the bicentennial celebration in 1976, Harold Knox led a pilgrimage to Mission, B.C. to find the grave of our name sake Fr. Chirouse. The grave, completely overgrown, was cleaned up and marker restored. Since then there have been several annual trips to the site. The council was instrumental in building a Chapel (Quiet Room) at Stevens Memorial Hospital in Edmonds. Approximately \$4,000.00 was donated for this purpose.

We are very active in all of the usual areas of K of C work. We have had Blood Drives since our beginning. A food booth at the Paine Field Air Fair has been both a good community activity and a money-maker for our charities for the last fifteen years. Our breakfasts and dinner-dances have been unusually successful. We feel that the enthusiasm of our general membership has built us the fine reputation that our council has in this state.

An example of that spirit over an extended period is the amount raised for the Pennies for Heaven (PFH) seminarians program. We supported this program from the very beginning and reached a total of \$1358.16 by 1975. This went to \$3158.16 in 1976; \$3758.16 in 1977; \$5058.16 in 1978 and finally reached our council number \$5816.00 in 1979. While not matching that last amount every year, we are still among the statewide leaders in our annual Penny Parade as well as continuing to support a seminarian in addition. In fact, our first seminarian whom we began sponsoring in 1973 was ordained in 1981 and brought up from Mexico to Lynnwood to

meet the council. We first entered into this particular program at the suggestion of Father John Rengli who was, at that time, assistant pastor at St Pious X.

In 1976 we hosted one of the most successful bowling tournaments in the history of the State Council. All participants, when registering at the hall, were treated to a buffet. During that entire weekend there was free food at the hall at all times. All trophies and awards were presented at the Summer Meeting the following July, just six weeks after the conclusion of the



PGK's C. Sohnly, Harold Knox, Tom Bamgartner, Tom Keene, Jim Cain, Charlie Bailey, Mel Hoffman, Ray Mohs

tournament. During the Centennial year of the Order, 1982, the Lynnwood Council was proud to host the State Convention. Again, one of the most successful State Meetings ever held. Our council has provided leadership at the District and State levels. We have had District Deputies Ray Mohs, Tom Keene, Harold Knox, Chuck Sohnly and Verne Fiechtner. We have had State Chairmen - Chuck Sohnly R.I.B.; Mike Langhauser Youth/Squires; Harold Knox PFH and New Council Development; Daniel Thulin Pro-Life; and Joseph Dunne Church/Vocations.

Charles A (Chuck) Sohnly was elected State Warden by the State Officers upon the death of State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978. He filled the unexpired term caused by Bill Witte's untimely death but was subsequently elected in his own right for two years each as State Warden (79-81); State Advocate (81-83); State Treasurer (83-85); State Secretary (85-87) and State Deputy (87-89). He was New Council Development Chairman while serving as the Immediate Past State Deputy. We have been active and proud of our activity since our inception. We will continue so.

MARYSVILLE - Fred Harrington Council 7863

Work began in the summer of 1981 toward the institution of this council. At that time everyone was talking about the centennial year of the Order and working toward its activities. We, with District Deputy Harold Knox, decided to work toward an institution date of March 29, 1982 - the 100th anniversary of the Order. We worked steadily toward that goal. Our first 1st Degree was July 28, 1981 with 17 candidates. We actually received our number on September 9, 1981 but we had eight more 1st degrees with from 1 to 13 candidates before we were finally instituted. With the help of D.D. Harold A. Knox, the long distance telephone and Supreme Council Membership Director Frank Sullivan, Council 7863 was instituted on the morning of March 29, 1982 as the Frederick Harrington Council. The Charter Members were:

Paul Anderon	Michael A Ardochain	Valentine C Barth
Rev David A Brant	James N Brown	Joseph T Buba
Ernest Carinio	David J Carpentier	Frank Cerny
Juan E Chavez	James L Cohen	Ronald P Cottingham
Leroy F Dahl	Harold W Dalby	Norm H DesRosiers*
Michael R Doleshel	Rev Gordon W Douglas	Michael J Eberle
Larry J Fiorini	Larry R Forbes	Joseph W Gadler
Gabriel Galle	Alexander Gyorog	Patrick J Halpin
Fred D Harrington	John S Holp	Albert M Holthenrichs
Robert E Honerkamp FS	Henry J Huber	Daniel L Hughes*
Lynn D Kane	David A Kadyk	Ted A Keaton
Michael A Lamanna	Marvin D Maine GK	Richard D Maine
Harold G Marshall	Kevin M McGillis	Douglas A Nordstrom*
Robert G Nunley	Robert E O'Callahan	Francis K O'Reilly
Kenneth J Ploeger	Thomas J Rice	Neal E Richard
Valentino Rodriguez	Louie R Rodella	Gordon T Rose
Joseph E Ryder	Everett F Sabie	James V Sands
Timothy J Sands	Clarence J Sauter	Lyle R Schadee
Cliff B Sheets	Ronald E Snook	John F Steiner
Robert J Strickland	Sean E Sullivan	Earl J Thierer
William Toner	Charles T Trickey	James M Watt
David J Weller	Francis J Whalen	Stephen W Wiltse*

Even before our formal institution we jumped right into all of the activities that are typical of the Knights: Bingo, CCD, coffee and doughnuts after Masses, Blood Drive, Insurance Night, Steak Fry, Salmon Bake, Right To Life and the Columbus Charities Raffle. The next year under GK Norman H DesRosiers, we added the Family of the Month, Knight of the Month and the Free Throw programs; presented Altar Boy certificates and had a free dinner for our altar boys; a Reno Night; reroofed the church and held a number of breakfasts, dinners and other youth activities.

In 1983-84 under GK Daniel L Hughes we continued all of the old programs and started supporting the Special Olympics as well. In 1985-86 our 1st Degree Team was certified and has been in action since. In the next several years we maintained all of the activities previously mentioned while also regularly hosting the coffee and donuts at church after Sunday Mass. This council isd now established and working.

MERCER ISLAND – Fr. John A. Walsh Council 11642

Council Historian: Michael J. Gazarek (3/23/09)

Father John A Walsh Council 11642 was instituted on September 26, 1995 in Mercer Island by District Deputy Kiha W. Kinney. The charter members were:

Tim J Arpin	Dayton W Balinbin	Jay H Caley IV
Michael G Burke	Casey S Collins	Hugh W Corbett
Donald E Craig	Scott W Craig	Charles M Czech
Robert M Dec Adv	Mark F DeLaurenti FS	Peter M Dimalanta
Thomas M Donahue OG	Michael O Dorsett	George L Doyle
Anthony B Fletcher	Charles F Gazarek	Michael J Gazarek W *
Robert Geraghty	Jerome Gogulski	James F Heye
Michael P Kelly	Bruce J Kundert TR	Brian S Landes DGK *
Attila Laszlo	Gerard J LeBlanc Treas	James E Mazure
James T McInnis Lect	Albert P McMahan	Lawrence J McWilliams

Michael W Morey
Thomas F Raschko **TR**
Walter C Sorenson **IG**
Leo J. Zipp **GK**

John P Norris
Donald D Rempe **Chan**
Joseph G Spencer **TR**

Arthur J Pieretti
David L Ross
Samual K Stephens **Rec ***

Those most responsible for the successful functioning of the Council are the Grand Knights. These were: Leo J Zipp, 1995-96; Brian S Landes, 1996-98; Michael J Gazarek, 1998-2000; Sam K Stephens, 2000-01; Michael J Gazarek, 2001-02; Thomas J Kenworthy, 2002-04; Michael C Stergios, 2004-06; John P Brondello III, 2006-08; and George L Doyle, 2008-09.

Since its inception, Fr. John A. Walsh Council has concentrated on support of the Pastor, the Parish and the Community. In this vein the Knights have assisted in the annual Parish picnic, Parish auction and a large number of other Parish functions. The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and CCD instructors for all masses and special events. We support the community with Thanksgiving and Christmas food drives, providing holiday comestibles to a large number of the shelters in the local area. The Council hosts two gourmet Italian dinners each year, one to celebrate Columbus Day and the Knights of Columbus and the other, the start of spring; and conducts three to four breakfast buffets to generate funds for charitable use.

As a special recognition each year, holy cards are presented to all of the Parish mothers on Mother's Day; a Knights of Columbus rosary is presented to each of the new communicants; and a \$500 savings bond is presented to those four grade school graduates, who best exemplify the four tenets of the Order.

We fully participate in both the State PFH and the Supreme RSVP Programs in support of seminarians. The Council hosted the 2007 State Convention, and has hosted District Free throw contests, a number of District meetings, and, in its relatively short existence, the Council is a multiple recipient of the Star Council Award, in addition to Columbian, Fr. McGivney and Founders awards.

MILL CREEK - North Creek Council 9434

Council Historian: Richard K Hascall

In July, 1986 we started to pursue forming a council at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish. Our first formal meeting was held September 22, 1986. State NCD Chairman Harold Knox chaired this meeting. There were 13 men present including 6 who were already Knights. Hugh Connolly agreed to serve as temporary chairman to form a new council. Marysville council 7863 conducted a 1st Degree ceremony at our Hall on October 5th to exemplify nine new Knights.

The first slate of officers was elected on October 28, 1986. North Creek Council 9434 was instituted by District Deputy Verne Fiechtner on November 18, 1986 with 13 new members, 1 reinstatement and 17 transfers. The Charter application was submitted in February 1987 with two more members. Our ByLaws were approved May 1, 1987. The charter members were:

Cecil E. Barley
Byron V. Dotson
Thomas L Halter
Rudy L Iannone
James R Jonnet
Michael Langhauser
Jerome F. Ludvik
Eldon J Miller
Larry W Nichols
Charles R Reith
William A Stein

Hubert C. Connolly **GK**
Rev Oliver F. Duggan **Chap**
Richard K. Hascall*
Peter J Jakubisin
Don P Kiser **Treas**
Curtis E Law **FS**
James A. Mallonee
Maurice Mulvahill
Donald E Otava **Adv**
Richard F Runnion
Lawrence J Swayne

Brian J. Corcoran
Arthur W Felton
Steven H Huard
Gordon J Jesmer **DGK***
John P Klein
Allen C. Logan
Dan D McLean
Douglas L Mumaw
Mark T Paterson
David H Smith
Roger W Taylor

At the 1987 State Convention, Charter Grand Knight Hugh Connolly was presented a special "badge of office" as the representative of the newest, the "baby council" - a giant pacifier on a ribbon. This whetted our appetite to bestow a similar honor at the 1988 Convention. We contributed \$100 to the State Pennies for Heaven fund. Since our parish is new, we are short on tradition. We initiated an annual picnic and an annual Christmas party. We helped our pastor host a dinner for 67 priests invited to the dedication of our new church on Oct 11, 1987.

Since our founding we have already lost two dear members - Pat Draper and Don Otava. Both died unexpectedly leaving young children at home. This loss serves to remind us of our mortality, the reasons our Order was founded and furthers our sense of fellowship as Knights. We struggled with the pains of starting up but we face the future with anticipation and optimism.

MONROE - St Mary of the Valley Council 9910

St Mary of the Valley Council 9910 was instituted on November 5, 1988 in Monroe by NCD Chairman Harold A Knox acting for District Deputy Joseph Wagner. The charter members and officers were:

Dwight M Bickler	Robert F Candlen	Alvin A Cook
Larry O Cordova	Donald D Dahl	Lionel T Fox
Rev Jon W Frankovic	James P Garvin	Richard L Gouin
Richard A Heuberger	William E King	Vincent J LaVoie
Paul D Lazowski FS	Everett S LeRoy GK	Terry L Loisel
Terry S Loisel	Pat D Malloy	Steve W McKenzie
Lee Roy Miles	Edward J Mitchell Jr	Howard J Neufang
Wayne F Petrowitz	James Pohle	Mike T Rafter
Timothy K Rich	Lee R Roberts	David M Rollins
Ward M Roney	Thomas J Schoenfelder	Justin P Serley
William J Skorick	David J Somers	Gerald F Tajchman
Charles A Trutter	Brett D Wright	Henry P Zaleski

MOSES LAKE – Moses Lake Council 4367

Council Historian: Donald B Cunningham

Moses Lake Council 4367 was instituted by District Deputy Joseph McGaughey on February 17, 1957 - the 40th council in the state at that time. The 'sparkplugs' of the institution were John M Peters, David Dehl and Father Queen. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Aloys J Bates	W E Key	H Monroe
L Baustain	John R Klein	J E Morrison
H Bickler	G Kryger	U A Notsch
T Calbom	A M Lamphear Jr	John M Peters GK
L J Fitzgerald	A Law	Rev R J Queen Chap
D J Flynn	E H Leahy	R Rashford W
E Gorden	N Lucke	A L Rockwell
F Harthorne	George Massart Jr OG	V Schmid
C Heller	George Massart Sr	F P Shinn, Treas
P Higgins	O Mayer Chan	E M Thomas
L Hites W Medan	R Unker	F Hitzman
W Meloy OG	L VanKeulen	H Johnson
J M Moberg Adv	C C Wilson	D H Kehl FS

The Charter Officers were installed March 18, 1957 starting us on our way. For the first five years we were doing just great, doing all of the things that a council usually does. These

things included various breakfasts and dinners; Ice Cream for the kids in CCD classes; the PFH program; sponsoring retreats, corporate communions, a Boy Scout Troop and a basketball team; maintained the Little League field; crab feeds and the like.

In 1963 the Boeing Flight Center closed and we lost twenty percent of our membership due to transfers. We came back from that, continuing our programs and adding activities such as the Blood Drive, card parties for PFH, Columbus Day dinner-dance and several fund drives. In 1967 we were hit again. This time Larson Air Force Base closed and we lost several of the key officers of the council including the Financial Secretary. Once more we met the challenge. By 1970 we won the Star Council award - the first of five consecutive years during which the council won this award. We also started our booth at the Grant County Fair in 1970.

During the next seven years we continued being the 'strong right arm of the church' in Our Lady of Fatima parish in all of the usual ways. Annually we hold a spring cleanup of the grounds. We paid for the heaters in the main meeting room of the CCD Center and many of the utensils for its kitchen. In 1977 we started the first K of C Boxing Club in this state. We bought and installed a marble statue of Our Lady of Fatima, imported from Italy. We expanded our activities to add donations to the Senior Citizens Club, donated items to the handicapped and paid for a 'Christ in Christmas' billboard. In 1978 we sponsored the Idaho-Washington Junior Golden Gloves Tournament in Moses Lake. We continued our youth work with Little League and Babe Ruth baseball programs and the children's Christmas party.

In 1980, in addition to all of our usual activities, we were host for several days to over 580 stranded Knights and their families caught in the ash cloud from the eruption of Mt St Helen's on May 18th - the last day of the State Convention in Spokane. In 1982 we had a Valentine's Sweetheart potluck preceded by a Mass during which all couples present renewed their marriage vows. This was one of the activities in our Silver Anniversary celebration. We have made, and continue to make, donations to various causes. During 1983-84 alone the food baskets came to over \$2500.00 and over \$250.00 in small items for the migrant workers. We have sponsored a scholarship to Big Bend Community college since 1976. On April 14, 2007 Moses Lake Council 4367 celebrated their 50th Anniversary with a Mass and banquet at Our Lady of Fatima Center. We are very proud of our record over our 50 years of existence and we look forward to the future.

MOUNTLAKE TERRACE - St Pious X Council 9605

St Pious X Council 9605 was instituted by DD Harold A Knox (NCD) for District Deputy Joseph Wagner of Everett on July 6, 1987. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Martin J Banel	Richard Beaudry	Larry D Burke
F L Calacat FS	Edward E Chinlek	Clint Coppernoll
Donald J Demers	Ted DeSantis	Dennis J Doshan
Wilbur J Dulek	Charles A Duncan W	Matt M Eigen
Christopher Fiechtner	V C Fiechtner TR	Rev Sean P Fox
Arthur O Freed	Eugene C Funk	Francis J George
Joseph M Gill	Edward Hannity	Robert F Hautop
Thos G Hawksford GK	Peter M Hebert	Frank Hernandez
James P Higgins	Brian F Jerome	Thomas Jordan
Alan J Kovach Treas	Harold A Knox	John L Miller TR
Jarman R Minar Rec	Teofilo B Mondares	Michael Morrow
Carl D Murphy TR*	Vincent Maraniec	Kevin C O'Neill Chan
Mark G Patneaude DGK	Peter Senger	George G Stoehy
Dean A Tougas	Frank J Valento Adv*	Ben J Wentz
Eugene B Zwaschka		

We are among the youngest councils in the state being only two years old. Perhaps it is the enthusiasm of youth, but we are very active indeed. We increased our membership 15 percent over our first year - which still leaves us quite small and with a lot of room to grow. We now have a certified 1st Degree team.

Our church related activities - our primary focus - include replacing the roof of the convent and school (saving the parish \$6000); the Marian Hour with Our Lady of Pochaiv; helping the parish school in fund-raising and providing lectors, ushers and Eucharistic ministers. We have a Breakfast with Santa; an Easter Egg Hunt; St Patrick's Day celebration; an annual auction; the Free Throw Contest; a parish dance and have held open gym nights for the teens. We are on the move and look forward to a great future.

MOXEE CITY - Holy Rosary Council 2303

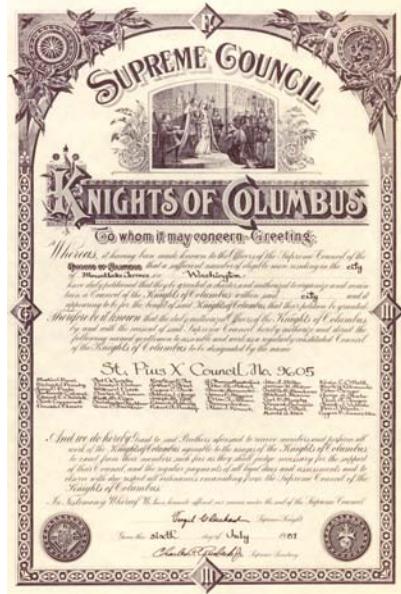
Holy Rosary Council 2303 was instituted in Moxee City on July 17, 1921 by District Deputy Harry J Block of Ellensburg. The Charter Members and Officers were:

William Belair
Leo Brulotte
Ovide Brulotte
J E Brulotte
A E Beaulaurier
L H Beaulaurier
Joseph Beaulaurier
William J Beauchene
Alphonse Brunell
Elie Charon
Louis J Charron
Harvey Champoux
Theodore Champoux
George Cartier
Leo Delorme
Edward Desrosier
George Desmarais
H A Desmarais
Rock Desmarais
L H Desmarais
Henry H Desmarais
Ubale Dessellier
Joseph Dufault
Louis Dufault

Peter N Dufault
E J Dupree*
Franklin A Faucher
Joseph Faucher
Rosario Fortier
Adolphe Fontaine GK
Albert Gamache DGK
George Gamache
Philip Gamache
Joseph Gendron
John P Glesener
F E Kuhn
Eugene Lenseigne
Obert Labree
Joe F La Framboise
Antoine La Framboise
L P La Framboise
Hugh J La Framboise
R Langevin
Julius Labissoniere
Raymond R Lewis
Arthur L Morrier
James A Moreland Lect
Stephen Moreland

Samuel Noel*
Dennis Patnode
Ernest Patnode
Hypolite Patnode
Peter Patnode
Alberic Perrault Treas
Filmore Payment
Louis Quesnell
Joe L Quesnell
Albert Rabie
Uldage Rabie
Edward Regimbal
J A D Regimbal FS
F X Regimbal
A P Regimbal
William Rivard
Adalor Roy
Sinai Simard
Paul Sylvestre
George E Taylor
Arthur J Toupin*
Frank Tompkins Rec*
Simeon Vaudrin
F T Kuhn Adv

On the institution day there were 28 members - 21 insurance and 7 associate. By the charter date there were the 72 listed above. Little is known about the early history of the council. There are State Council records from 1963 forward. From these records it seems that Holy Rosary council has been consistent in its support of the parish, helping to maintain it and staff it with workers - ushers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, etc. We do all of the things that most



councils do. Our main emphasis the last 25 years has been on PFH, church and youth activities and pro-life activities.

The youth activities have included sports for the children; support of altar boys and various parties as well. We do have a list of the Grand Knights and the current roster of the council. It is clear from these lists that the names of many of the charter members have continued to be active in the council over the last 85 years. Our grand knights through 1988 include:

Adolphe Fontaine	1921-23, 25-26, 31-32	Frank L Tompkins	23-24, 29-30
D. J. Regimbal	24-25	Arthur Toupin	26-27
Harvey Beaulaurie	27-28	E J Dupree	28-29
William Gamache	30-31, 32-33	David Champoux	33-34
L H Langevin	34-37	Isadore Sauve	37-38
Clifford Regimbal	38-40	Oliver Beaudry	40-42
Ernest Rivard	42-44	Theodore J Regimbal	44-46
Joseph Durand	46-48, 53-54	Kenneth Duffield	48-50, 54-55
Charles J Massoth	50-51	Samuel Noel	51-52
Robert Beaulaurier	52-53	Hervy Brulotte	55-57
Wallace Tessier	57-59	Stanley Brulotte	59-60
Herbert Derr	1960-61	Marcel Dufault	61-62
Robert Hattrup	62-63	James Rivard	63-64
Gerald Sybouts	64-66	Kasper Sali	66-67
James Maloney	67-68	Bruce Brulotte	68-69
Paul S Lenseigne	69-71	Gary Sybouts	71-73
Lee Gamache	73-74	Ray Desmarais	74-75
Richard Van Horn	75-76	Leonard Roy	76-77
Dale Gamache	77-78	Lynn Sauve	78-79
James P Dreher	79-80	Ernest St George	80-81, 85-86
Richard J Gamach	81-82, 89-90	Scott P Simard	82-83, 86-87
Patrick D Keller	83-85, 88-89	Leslie F Riel	87-88

MT. VERNON – Msgr. Boulet Council 2126

Father Boulet Council 2126 was instituted in Mt. Vernon on April 25, 1920 by District Deputy S. A. Keenan of Seattle. The Charter Members and Officers were:

James T Abel	William Herrele	James O'Laughlin
Conrad E Bertsch	Glen E Jones	John E O'Leary Rec
John C Bessner	John J Kane	Thos E O'Leary
Michael L Brosman	Julius J Kane	John P O'Toole
L A Barrett	John P Keane	Jebert T Payne
Leo L Brown	John Kelleher	Thomas Payne
George W Brinck	Nicholas A Koontz	B R Pigg
Arthur T Cain	Joseph W Lamping	Edward R Pigg
Walter J Cain	L S Lamping	Nicholas R Pisano
James Callahan Treas	Edward J Lemmer	William Rafter
James F Connolly	Paul P Lemmer	Henry Rickaby
John A Dannenmiller	Thomas Lunde	John T Ryan
Leo F Dannenmiller	Thomas J Lyons	Thomas K Sennett
Paul A Dannenmiller	Frank A Majerus	W A Sennett
Thomas A Dennis	Jacob Majerus	Thomas Smith GK
James Dillon	Michael P Majerus	Rev Peter R Smyth
David M Donnelly	T D MacNeil	Thomas Smyth

W J Donnelly	Patrick J McCarthy	Thomas Solon
Joseph D Doucette	James McDermick	Joseph Souliere
Joseph M Fahey	John Meehan Adv	John A Sullivan
Henry P Fox	Thomas I Mills	John J Sullivan
Frank A Fussner	W R Morgan DGK	Joseph Sutter
Michael E Gannon	Dennis Murphy	Clements Thein
W F Gorman FS	Rev M Murtagh Chap	F X Thein
Chester Govan	M J Nally	Alex A Thole
John R Hurley	Rev T W Noonan Lect	John G Waltner
Clarence B Hebert	Antoine Normand	W E Watkins
John F Hebert	James O'Hearne	Charles P Weaverling
Leo Hebert	Maurice J O'Hearne	Charles A Wilber
Charles Harrison	W D O'Hearne	John S Yoeger
Lawrence Herrle	Patrick O'Hearne	

There were only 35 members on April 25th when DD Keenan instituted the council but there were 92 when the charter application was sent in on June 5th. The organizers must have been busy. The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1957 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes.

From 1957 to 1967 the council had a very active Youth program including Boy Scouts, Little League and the like. We also had many cooperative programs with the other councils in our district which included Bellingham, Oak Harbor and Anacortes. The Blood Bank program was active.

From 1968 to 1978 the council continued the old programs and added new ones. In 1971 the council moved from its meeting place at 1668 Peterson Road in Burlington to its present home at 2502 LaVenture Road in Mt Vernon. Brother George Dynes donated a large building, like a barn or granary, to the council in 1968. It was to take much work before the council could occupy its new home. It is a hall of which any council could be proud. The Dedication weekend featured a Dedication Ball and Bishop Gill, State Deputy Hal Westby, DD Bob Hungate, Six Point Chairman Brad Hinchcliff and Membership Chairman Vern Raschko were in attendance.

During this interval our Christmas tree sales were very good and the Youth program remained our primary focus. In 1972 we made our first attempt to bridge the Canadian boundary with a Volleyball and Card Tournament which included dinner and dancing. In 1979 we finally completed our hall building projects and since then we have continued our Youth programs, our hamburger stand and Christmas tree sales as our big fund-raisers. We are still an active council and are looking forward to even better things in the future.

NEWPORT - Pend Oreille Council 14268

Pend Oreille Council was instituted in Newport on April 16, 2007 by District Deputy Pete Caldwell. Bob Kirby and Fr Joe Sullivan, among others, were instrumental in forming the council. The charter class consisted of 33 members - 27 transfers and 6 new members.

Charter Grand Knight Bob Kirby brings a wealth of experience to the new council as he previously served three terms as a grand knight of Pasco Council 1620. The Charter Members were:

Thomas W Barnes IG	Joe G Burrell	Frederick L Davaz
Donald E Dirks TR3	Larry C Eldridge	Russell N Fletcher II
Thomas D Garrett Adv	Patrick M Geary Treas	Eugene L Gosse

Tracy P Goulet	Robert F Graham	Michael W Johnson
Theodore S Kardos	Robert D Kirby GK	Stephen C Kiss
Timothy P Koenig	Daniel J Martin	Gregory S Meyer Rec
Sean G Owens	James D Pasquale W	James A Rainey FS
John E Roach	Joseph S Roach OG	Steven E Roach DGK
Rupert J Sampson	Franklin R Sleeper	Raymond J Springsteen TR2
Noah M Stigall	Rev Joseph M Sullivan	Harry F Tefft TR1
Joseph B Ward	Ronald W Watson	Edward S Zupich Chan

OAK HARBOR - John E O'Brien Council 3361

Council Historian: Wayne MacFarland

The John E O'Brien council really had its start in 1947 when Brothers Louis Valentine, Dave Affleck, Henry Dunham, Tom Moore, Florent Duchene, Joe Maher and Donald Goodwin met to invite the men of Oak Harbor into Boulet Council 2126, Mt Vernon. Within a week there were 35 Oak Harbor men in Boulet Council. In 1949 Tom Moore was G.K. and Don Goodwin was Recording Secretary. In 1949, through the efforts of State Deputy Arthur Boyle, DD Gerard Welch, Father Cornelius Harrington (pastor of St Augustine's), brothers Tom Moore, Robert Farrell, Maurice McNeil and Simon Butrim (the organizing committee) our council was organized and received its charter November 26, 1950.

The new council was launched December 10, 1950 with an Inaugural Banquet held at the Island Athletic Club. The keynote address was by the Very Rev James Brennan, President of St Edward's Seminary. The council is named after Father John E O'Brien, the first resident priest on Whidbey Island. He was assigned here by Bishop Shaughnessy. Father O'Brien resided at St Mary's, Coupeville with mission churches in Langley on South Whidbey Island and at Oak Harbor. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Kenneth A Benson	Joseph Lange	Thomas Moore GK
George S Bleifuss	Daniel E Lesage	Frank Novarra
Alfred J Borges	Albert P Lesperance	Francis J Novarra
Bruno J Bourgeois	Gerald M Ley	Joseph W Patey
Simon P Butrim*	Bernard L Lueck	Elmer P Rawlins
Edward J Cronin	Leo Lueck	Arthur C Roetzler
William J Davis	Ralph J Lutz	Roman H Rolfs
James W Dittoe	Joseph E Maher*	Robert R Roman
Joseph P Doucette	Joseph L Malsom FS	Dr Clarence E Rozgay
Florent J Duchene*	Chester Maxim	R J Schindler
Robert E Farrell*	Maurice M McNeil*	William J Sheehan*
Frederick M Fox	W R Meade	John W Shepard*
Donald J Goodwin*	Eugene G Menalia	C I Wanamaker*
Rev C J Harrington	Robert E Mosman	Joseph L Watts
Myron Kastner	John V Monckton	Virgil V Zubrod
G Lamers		

The council was fortunate to have a nucleus of experienced Knights. Boulet council was a 'big brother' council and no time was lost in developing local programs as well as participating in State activities. In 1951, and for many years thereafter, the council joined with Boulet council in sponsoring a 30 minute Columbus Day radio broadcast. At home the council participated in the dedication of St Augustine's church by Archbishop Thomas A Connolly. We put on the banquet, social and participated in the honor guard. The initial meetings were held in the USO building, the St Augustine church residence and the Odd Fellows hall. In 1952 the council

arranged to have office space and meetings in the Odd Fellows hall. Unfortunately, there was a fire there on November 15, 1955 which completely destroyed the building and all of the council's records, equipment and degree robes.

A number of our members served as District Deputy: Aubrey Aus 56-57, Florent Duchene 58-59, Jack Newman 77-78; Ben Manuel 83-85; Del Swatosh 89-90 and State Chairmen: Charles Aus Fraternal Activities 58-59; Jack Newman PFH 78-79 & Membership 79-81) and Aubrey Aus served as State Advocate 57-58. Until 1963 the council met in the St Augustine's residence and the rebuilt Odd Fellows hall. In 1963 the old Wagon Wheel Tavern became available and was purchased at a delinquent tax sale for \$10,000. There was extensive work involved in major renovation and repair. Our members demonstrated true charity and fraternity in this work and its funding.

The council increased its membership to almost 200 despite the constraints placed on it by its unique status of having over 50% of its membership in the military. Military members are often deployed for long periods of time and are transferred routinely. This caused a necessity for continued emphasis upon securing new members and a nucleus of local members to fill certain positions of leadership. We were fortunate to have an abundance of good leaders. The many awards received by the council attest to this. The council participated in various fund drives; organized a Squires Circle in 1966 and a Civic Action Committee in 1968. This committee completed two major projects that year - establishment of our annual scholarship program (which still continues) and construction of a large brick monument at the city beach which was donated to the city.

In 1969 the monthly council bulletin, "The Navigator", was instituted. We are in our 20th year of that bulletin. The council also conducted an all-city census of religious denominations. We celebrated our Silver Anniversary with a banquet on November 26, 1975. The guests included PSDs Arthur Boyle and Gerard Welch both of whom had been instrumental in the institution of the council. The club mortgage was burned at this banquet. The club facilities, including the additional land purchases for parking and picnic areas, were finally ours! The mortgage was burned by PGK Aubrey Aus, whose individual efforts as Club Manager from 1965-75 were largely responsible for the development of the property from a virtually unusable meeting hall into a modern, well equipped council home. The assets of the club had increased from \$10,000 to over \$100,000 with no outstanding debt. It was also during this Silver Anniversary year that the council received the Star Council award for the first time. In 1978 the council joined with the Oak Harbor Lions Club to prepare and serve Christmas Dinner to local senior citizens. This is an annual event.

In 1979 and again in 1980 the council won the Star Council Award. In 1979 the council also won the State Deputy's Award as the Number One council in the state. In 1982 the council began its support of the Skagit Preschool for the Rehabilitation of Children (SPARC). Our initial help was toys and teaching materials but this expanded steadily. To help relieve some of SPARC's urgent financial needs, in 1983 we designed and built a child's playhouse - a two story miniature replica of a Victorian home. The whole council pitched in and sold raffle tickets. We were able to donate \$7700 to SPARC from this project. It was followed by an Old West Country Store which cleared \$1600. Our support of SPARC is continuing.

In 1983 the John E O'Brien Charitable, Religious and Educational Fund was established after two years of correspondence. This fund provides a means for members and non-members to make living bequests to a charitable organization. The individual retains the rights to earnings from the bequest and realize certain tax benefits during their lifetime. At their death, the bequest and all earnings from it become the property of this fund with all net earnings from it devoted exclusively to religious, charitable and educational activities. Bequests have been made but no funds have been made available yet. These and future bequests will provide us with significant earnings in the future. During the early 1980s Bingo and other revenue fell and in 1985 a resolution was passed to sell the hall due to the financial bind. The property did not sell

immediately and our finances have improved so we no longer need to sell the club. We received the State Deputy's Award in 1981 and the Star Council award in 1983.

OCEAN SHORES – Fr Steve Roman Council 15689

OKANOGAN – Okanagon Valley Council 3044

Okanagan Valley Council was re-instituted in Okanogan on March 30, 1999 by District Deputy Patrick S Gray of East Wenatchee. The charter members were:

Miguel Alvorado	William Bargen	Richard K Benjamin
Robert O Blank	Alfred N Bosco	C Erwood Brown
Rev Kevin A Codd	Glen M Cronk	Benjamin T Descoteaux
Eugene R Descoteaux	Duane A Dezelle	Wayne A Dezelle
Patrick S Gray	James P Green	Delmar H Howe
Gerald E Hubbard	Rev Patrick Kerst	Aristeo V Maldonado
Rene A Maldonado	Earl B Pleasant	Rev Rory K Pitstick
Russel E Pollock	Garfield A Sandoval Jr *	Richard J Schumacher
Anthony D Skirk	Richard J Skirk *	John W Sullivan
Donald F Tito	Rev Robert D Turner	Robert G Ulrich
Wynn A Webster		

OLYMPIA – Olympia Council 1643

75th [Anniversary](#)

Council Historian: Robert W. Engel

Olympia Council 1643 was instituted on June 17, 1912 by District Deputy J. M. Boyle. The charter was presented by State Deputy Frank Dorsey of Spokane. Also present were J.J. Gorman, former National Organizer and 1st State Deputy and J. J. Carmody who was elected State Deputy in 1913. The Charter Members and Officers were:

James E Connolly*	Rev John Mally Chap	Joseph Reder*
George H Deyette	Henry McCaffrey Rec *	George Reynolds
Louis Domecker TR	William P McCaffrey	Joseph Rollman
Ralph M Fuller FS *	Frank G Morrison Chan	Frank G Russell
John F Gilles Adv	P J O'Brien DGK *	Martin J Scully
Francis Hand	Thomas O'Neil TR	J J Smith
James E Henry	Charles A Paine	W H Smith
John E Kelly IG	James Patnode	August Valley OG
Thomas Kinsella TR	P N Plamandon	Frank Wilson W
John A Lyman Treas *	Charles E Reavy	Joseph H Wohleb Lect
John S Lynch GK	Alex Reault	

In 1921 the first meeting was held in Shelton. In 1923 **GK** James Connolly 'bit the bullet' and raised the dues from \$0.50 to \$0.75 per month and Joseph Reder was elected State Warden. In 1925-27 meetings were held in the Eagles Hall and the minutes noted that more spitoons were needed. It was in 1925 that an Intercouncil organization was formed which bought the Black Lake tract of 130 acres for \$31,000. Down payment was \$10,000 and the \$21,000 balance due in 5 years at 7% interest. For many years the organization had some tight financial squeezes but in 1953 it was able to retire the mortgage. The corporation operates Columbus Park on Black Lake for Catholics and non-catholics alike. Much of the success of Columbus Park is due to the efforts of our members for we are the nearest council to it.

In 1930-31 an employment committee was formed to help members find jobs. This council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD

teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes.

Much of our activity has been in Youth activities. We have sponsored Boy Scout and Explorer Scout troops; worked with the CYO and St Martin's High School; sponsored Scholastic Awards for St Michael's School and for CCD students in Olympia, Lacey, Shelton and Yelm and a Christmas Dinner for seminarians. The council has been active in degree work throughout its history but has not had a 2nd or 3rd degree team for the last 10 years. In 1969 the council purchased a hall which we remodelled in 1977. We hosted the State Convention in 1940 and in 1976.

The council has provided leadership at the local, district and State levels. District Deputies were: W F Hahn 1916; John S Lynch 1917-19; Adolph Heye 44-45; George McCusker 62-64; Robert W Engel 68-70; Peter Fleutsch 70-72; Dean Eagan 74-76; John J (Jack) Schmidt 79-81; Daniel J Shea 81-83 and Robert L Evers 87-89. One of our PGKs, Lyman Fellows (1941 and 1955) upon moving to Bellevue became Charter Grand Knight of Overlake Council 4385 and later became District Deputy there. In 1920-22 John S Lynch was elected State Advocate.



*International Family of the Year
Lovele and Janet Briere Family*

Joseph Reder was State Warden in 1916 and in 1923 and State Treasurer 1927-32. Ralph M Fuller was State Treasurer 1936-39. In 1940 Father M. O'Callahan was State Chaplain. Clarence George was elected State Secretary 1960-62 and State Deputy 1962-64. Father Alcuin Lawrence was State Chaplain in 1976.

We celebrated our 75th Anniversary on June 27, 1987. Our Diamond Anniversary Certificate was presented at the banquet that evening by State Deputy George C Turk. He also introduced the State Family of the Year, the Lovele and Janet Briere family, at the banquet and noted that he expected them to become the International Family of the Year. He was right. They were selected as the International Family of the Year and flew to New Orleans for the Supreme Convention. We are proud of them. We continue with our many programs working with the church and community and with our many social events. We are working on our fourth quarter century with renewed vigor.

OMAK - Okanogan Valley Council 3044

Okanogan Valley Council 3044 was instituted May 11, 1947 at Omak by District Deputy Bernard J Lenane (?). The charter class consisted of 37 members - 19 Insurance and 18 Associate - but by the time the charter application was submitted to Supreme there were 53 members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

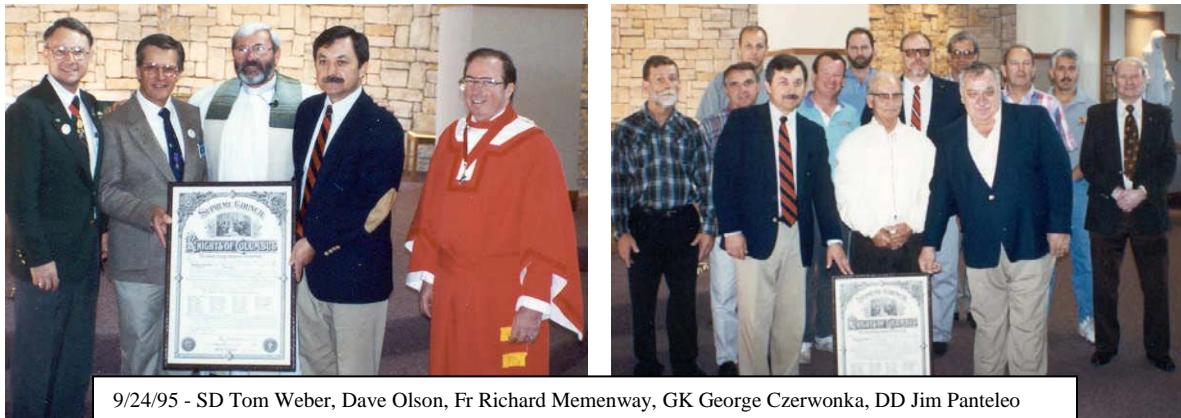
Ben H Baker	Bernard Gallagher	Richard Nolan
Bernie Baker	Boyd Gallagher	Thomas O'Neill
Emerson L Beer	J G Gallagher	Elmer T Rappe'
William Breslin	John Gallagher	Robert T Reeves
Don Conrad	Robert Gallagher	Leo Rhodes
Gus R Conrad	Fr Paul Georgen	Frank Schindler
Jim Conrad	Cecil Hendricks	Harold Schindler
M J Conrad	Bernard Hess	James Schindler
Richard P Delay	William Hill	William Swayze
David W Doheny	Roland Hillyer	Fred Walter
Sam Doran	Delmar Howe	Arlo Warp
Edgar Dorian	Hereld Hussey	Robert Weak
Mickey J Dunn Jr	Leo F Joy	Bruce Webster
Mickey Dunn Sr	Bernard Kaufman	George White
P J Finnegan	Anton Kermel	W W Wittman
E Freimuth	Hubert Link	George B Woods
A J Fox	Thomas Lynch	Chelsea Woodward
Dan Fritsch	Alvin T Moses	

We have no records for this council. We do know that it was dissolved on March 31, 1955. In the Proceedings of the 52nd Annual Convention of 1955 State Deputy Carroll Martell reported "It is with regret that I report that during the last year Omak council ceased to exist as a council." The members of the Omak council were transferred to other councils in the area, principally Wenatchee council.

**THIS COUNCIL WAS DISSOLVED IN 1955. THE COUNCIL WAS REINSTITUTED IN
OKANOGAN – Okanogan Valley Council 3044 on March 30, 1999**

OTIS ORCHARDS - St. Joseph Council 11611

St. Joseph Council 11611 was instituted on June 24, 1995 in Otis Orchards (Spokane) by District Deputy David H. Olson. The charter members were:



9/24/95 - SD Tom Weber, Dave Olson, Fr Richard Memenway, GK George Czerwonka, DD Jim Panteleo

Fr. Richard J. Hemenway
Fred H. Beckman
George H. Czerwonka
Stephen P. Czerwonka
Charles T. Eller Jr.
Joseph A. Klein
Jimmie D. Lloyd
Clayton J. Malinak
William A. Manning
Roy D. Studebaker

Ethan P. Allen
Eugene V. Beckvold
Gregory J. Czerwonka
Thomas K. Dettwiler
Thomas J. Haney
Robert L. LaBarre
Melvin E. Longmire
Kevin C. Malinak
Ronald E. Perry Sr.
Paul L. Tesch

Richard J. Baird
John A. Cooper
Michael J. Czerwonka
Francis A. Donahue
Roger D. Kann
Stephen J. Lawler
James E. Maier
Dave W. Manning
Gary L. Schimmels
Craig L. Warzon

PASCO – Pasco Council 1620

Pasco Council 1620 was instituted April 30, 1912 by District Deputy A. P. Clancy with 48 members - 20 Insurance and 28 Associate. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Charles P Austin
J J Bennet
M J Burns
Frank J Coad
Ed Conlen
J J Crotty
E S Davis
Edward Denison
Phillip Desgnais
C A Dolan
Patrick Donovan
Daniel E Doyle
James Doyle
M L Driscoll
Thomas Fanning
Thomas G Gilmore
Jos Verporten **Treas**

Charles Hastings
R J Hickey
B B Horrigan **Lect***
Daniel Horrigan
Edward Horrigan
Joseph Horrigan **GK**
Rev Francis Jones **Chap**
William Jones
F J Kuschajenski
P F Leonard **FS**
S Leonard
L R Lucas
Vernon McGuire
Charles Meehan
Walter Michelson
Edward C Mills

J Minkiewitz*
T D Mulhern
L P Murphy MD
John G Nolte
Chas M O'Brien **Adv***
J P O'Brien*
P E O'Brien
Thomas O'Connell
William G O'Neil **Rec**
John O'Rorke
Victor H Sanders
Thomas B Saxton
C J Schmitt
James M Shannon **DGK**
S L Stebbins
John Sullivan*

The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1957 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. From 1957-66 showed a definite emphasis upon our church activities but did not omit our social or community activities. We, with the Catholic Daughters of America, held public meetings to arouse public concern about indecent literature which led to the formation in 1965 of a local chapter of "Citizens for Decent Literature." The problem of pornography is still with us in 1989. We had repair/renovation projects on St Paul's church in Eltopia, relocation of Mass signs on the highway, purchased furnishings for the Tri-



Ground Breaking 1973
Robert Kirby GK, Jerry Mallon, Jim Taylor, Don Fleming, Jim Fanning
donator of the land.

City Cerebral Palsy Occupational Training Center in Kennewick and maintained our Blood Bank program.

During the interval 1967-present the council continued all its varied programs but tied them in with increased numbers of social/fraternal events such as the annual "Barn Burner". In 1974 ground was broken for our new council hall. Work proceeded on this during the 1975-1977. On March 12, 1977 the new hall was dedicated. The rest of the state got a chance to see this beautiful new facility the following year at the 1978 State Convention in Pasco. In August 1976 over 500 attended the annual Corn Feed Barn Burner where the corn is picked in the field adjacent and cooked immediately.

In February, 1974 the land for the hall was deeded to the council by Jim Fanning. Architect Dick Birterris charged \$1,200.00 to design the 40'x140' building. In May, Jerry Hanson, George Grant and Jim Hayden donated labor and equipment to dig the basement and clear off the grounds. By the September 25th meeting, it was reported that the building shell was nearing completion. The building was dedicated March 12, 1977 by the Bishop.

Since the opening of our new hall in 1977, the use of the hall and grounds has been donated to many organizations and youth groups. This facility has enabled us to carry on our charitable, fraternal, council and community activity programs much more successfully. We hosted the 1978 State Convention.

POMEROY – Pomeroy Council 1460

Council Historians: John Herres and Francis Waldher

Pomeroy Council 1460 is the 12th oldest active council in the state. According to a report printed in the East Washingtonian, the local paper, on November 27, 1909 District Deputy James Dorsey of Spokane Council 683 came to Pomeroy to help organize a council in Holy Rosary Parish. There were 37 applications received by then.

Rev Father H F Loeffler and Edward McGrath were already Knights. Mr McGrath had joined elsewhere in the state of New York before coming to Pomeroy. Two additional parishioners joined on January 1, 1910 at Walla Walla. These men, R J McKeirnan and Alex McCabe continued to work with the Pomeroy group to get their charter. Pomeroy was instituted February 13, 1910 by District Deputy F J Dorsey. Thirty-one members were initiated into the first three degrees of the Order. Including the previously initiated members there were 35 charter members. They were:

Henry Bockman	Frank Collins	Patrick Donovan
William M. Dorsey	Anthony Feider	S A Feider
Frank A Graaff	Peter Hagan	Joseph M Hammond
John Jasper	Anton Kucklick Sr	Anton Kucklick Jr
Frank Kucklick	Rev H F Loeffler	Daniel Lucy
C Alex McCabe FS	C A McCabe	Edward J McGrath
John J McGrath	Daniel H McGreevy	Daniel McGreevy
James C McKeirnan	Joseph M McKeirnan	Michael McKeirnan
R J McKeirnan GK	Thomas B. McKeirnan	William L Meyers
Anton T Pierre	Charles Reich	Fred Reifenrath
Julius F Schaeffer	Nick Thoma Jr	Nick Thoma Sr
John J Waldher	Herman Wenning	

Of the 35 charter members there were 24 farmers, 5 merchants, 1 priest, 1 ranger, 1 carpenter, 2 students and 1 'bottling works laborer.' This distribution reflects the agricultural area in which this council is situated. Pomeroy is a very small community. The people tend to be close, so our social affairs have always been successful and integrated with the other members of

the community. We are fortunate to live in this small town where the cooperation among the different organizations is outstanding.

These men were initiated by the Michael Flohr council of Walla Walla. The members of the Walla Walla council obtained the services of a special train to bring them to Pomeroy for this occasion. The council has had a total of 44 Grand Knights, 8 Financial Secretaries, 5 District Deputies, 1 State Chaplain and 2 State Officers. Eleven parish priests have served as Chaplain. The State Wardens were August Kucklick 1921-22 and Frank Schuster 1928-29. Thomas Herres was State Church Activities Chairman 1981-83. Our District Deputies were Leonard Herres, James McCabe, Troy Ledgerwood, Francis Waldher and Thomas Herres. Our Financial Secretaries were Alex McCabe, Edward McGrath, John Malone, Michael Herres, Ferd Herres, Richard Malone, Francis Waldher and Thomas Herres. Our Recording Secretaries included John Malone, Edward Hiller, Joe Kavenaugh, Vincent Waldher, Francis Waldher, Joe P McKeirnan and James Herres. Those serving the council for the longest periods were Leonard Herres (7 years as Grand Knight); Francis Waldher (FS for 21 years) and James Herres (Recording Secretary 29 years).

The oldest living member of the council is Francis Feider who joined the council in 1915 - 74 years ago. Other longtime members are Edward Hiller, Edward Landkammer and Joseph Nickels - each with 65 years service; Paul Feider (63 years); John Feider (58 years); Edward Feider and Patrick McCabe (55 years). The 12 members that joined the council in 1936 were known as Father Sondergeld's 12 apostles. Father Sondergeld was pastor of Holy Rosary Parish at that time. Six of these men are still very active members and received their 50 year pins from State Deputy George Turk at the 1986 State Convention. Four of these six members are brothers: Michael Herres, Leonard Herres, John Herres and Herman Herres. The other two are Francis Waldher and Albert Feider.

Ted Feider and Ferd Herres joined in 1939 and complete the roster of those living members with 50 years or more. During the early years of the council a hall was owned at 6th and Main Streets, where all meetings and other activities of the council were held. These activities included card parties, dances, dinners and plays presented by the children of the parish school. During the early 1940's the hall was used by the youth of the community for dances and other social activities.

The building was retained until 1946 when it was decided that the cost of maintaining the structure was greater than the benefits derived and it was sold. The meetings of the council were then held in the basement of the home of Leonard Herres for many years. Since the completion of the present school building, our meetings and other activities have been held there. During the time that we had a parish school the Knights sponsored a youth basketball team which had games with teams from other area councils. A Cub Scout pack was also sponsored as well as the Free Throw competitions. Current activities include a parish picnic, crab feed, fun night and several German sausage breakfasts during the year. The Mother's Day Breakfast is the special breakfast of the year with the mothers of the parish as guests. Special recognition is given to the oldest mother, youngest mother and the mother with the most children attending.

The sausage for the breakfast is made by the members using the facilities of the Herres family ranch and it is the special recipe of the Herres family. During the early years of the CCD program the council gave financial assistance and members of the council were, and still are, teachers for the program. At the present, the CCD members collect items to be transported to the collection center that will pay the most for the items collected. The materials are transported by council member Alvin Landkammer at his expense and without fanfare to Spokane. This activity brings several hundred dollars into the CCD fund and adds greatly to the success of the CCD program.

The regalia of the council was purchased in 1910 and by 1966 was in great disrepair. At that time the wife of the District Deputy Francis Waldher repaired three of the robes and made new robes to complete the set. The council jewels are also of circa 1910. 1979 saw the 100th

anniversary of Holy Family parish in Pomeroy. The complete renovation of the buildings and grounds were supported financially and with many man hours by the Knights.

Since the Knights are the only organized men's group in the parish, men's activities are activities of the council. These include ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, etc. Christmas time brings the activity of getting trees and greenery for the church and erection of the crib. The stable in use today was made by two of the council members. Pomeroy is a small community - people tend to be close - so our social affairs have always been successful and integrated with the community programs. We are fortunate to live in this small community where the cooperation among the different organizations is outstanding.

PORT ANGELES – James G. Caldwell Council 2260

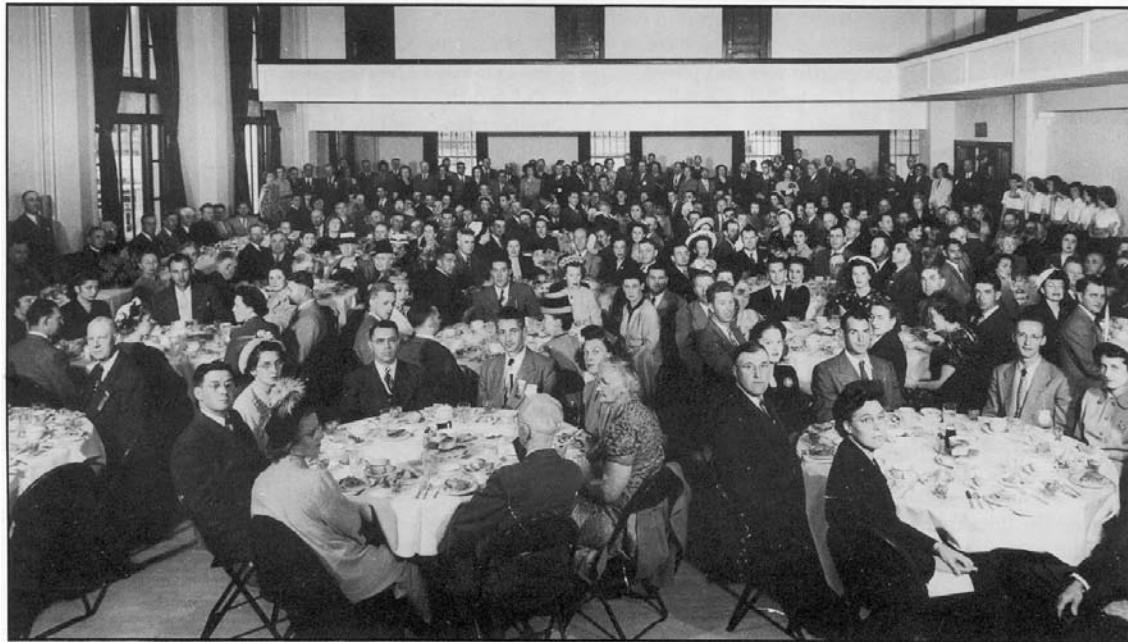
Port Angeles Council 2260 was instituted on May 1, 1921 with 47 members: 20 Insurance, 14 Associate and 13 Transfers (9 of which were insurance). The Charter was issued December 20, 1921 with 54 charter members:

C. E. Bechtel	David E. Blair	Thomas B. Carroll
John V Cox	Levi Daigle Treas	P. H Daigle FS
John Donnahue	Leon Dupuis TR	Rev. Albert Erkens Chap
James Faherty	Luke Faires	Ed Fitzgerald IG
James M. Fitzgerald	John Fitzgerald	J. M. Gangler DGK
J. J. Gavin	William Geoghegan	J. R. Gillis
J.B Glenn	William B Gould Jr	William Gould Sr
Neil Sweeney Lect	Walter Gowan	J. J. Gavin Chan
G. N. Lamoreaux TR	A. D. Henderman	J. A. Lamoreaux
Joseph A. Hoare	Frank P. Holland	Pat Kelley
J. R. Leveillee Rec	S. M. Liddane, G.K.	Thomas J. Maloney
D. A. McDonnell	Francis J. McGern	Harry McMahon
Thomas Murray W	Thomas B. Murray Jr	J. E. Nolet
Ed O'Neil Adv	Lawrence Ott	E. D. Parks
O. A. Petit	P. E. Polanz	Henry Reis
Charles E. Roberts	Edward Ruprecht	Micheal J. Schmitt
Bernard Schwitzer OG	J. F. Schwitzer Sr	John Schwitzer Jr
Arthur Severse	C. H. Tisdale	F. John Webster TR

The State Deputy was M. J. Luby of Spokane and the Supreme Knight was James Flaherty. The District Deputy was Grover E. Desmond of Seattle. This council has hosted two State Conventions - in 1949 and 1969. In 1969 the Grand Knight was Jack Ketchum (Former D.D. & State Warden) and P.S.D. Jim Caldwell was the Convention Chairman. At that convention, the council arranged a boat trip to Victoria, a tour of that city in double decker buses and a tea at the Empress Hotel for the ladies.

Two members have served as district deputies - Mike Schmitt and Jerry Horner (1976-78). One member has served as state Deputy - James G. Caldwell (1976-78). He served during the last year of Supreme Knight John W. McDevitt and the first year of Supreme Knight Virgil C. Dechant. Jerry Horner, former State Membership/Retention Chairman (5 years) & DD in District 6 (Yakima area) is now the State General Program Chairman. In 1983 this council helped form Sequim Council 8455 with Joe Del Judge as Charter Grand Knight.

Some of the council's activities have been to clean 2 1/2 miles of highway 101; backyard logging as a fundraiser; maintaining parish grounds and buildings; donation of funds for youth trips; sponsoring a cub pack; holding pancake breakfasts, Lenten suppers, parish potluck dinners, PGK & Valentine dinners and coffee & donuts. We run the annual parish picnic, provide pizza for altar servers, have food drives for the needy and hold corporate communions. We have bought a new steam table for the parish kitchen, new vestments for our priest and altar servers. We are active in many Pro-Life activities and provide Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers.



Convention Banquet, Port Angeles, May 22, 1949

PORT ORCHARD - St Elizabeth Seton Council 6706

St Elizabeth Seton Council 6706 was instituted on June 27, 1975 by District Deputy Robert J Christenson. The Charter Members were:

Francisco A Almacen	Thomas R Alonso	Joseph M Arrants
Robert W Barney	Leo E Barron	Dan M Bassin
James B Bero	Hobart A Blocher	Ray A Bolinger
Michael R Broskovich	Patrick W Brown	Edward A Burns
Robert D Burns	Lee F Caldwell	Edward J Coscarart
Harold F Danel	Arthur R Ellis*	Clement E Fink
Egbert A Ford	Leo A Gleason	Patrick J Hamel
Marvin R Heuer	Robert W Herzog	Bernard T Hochhaus
Carl M Hochhaus GK	Arthur J Huening	Keith F Ishler
James E Janaszak	Eugene E Kartman	Bernard J Kasparek
Cleo H Kent	Howard G Kidd	Albert C Kleffner
Frank D LaFazia	Willis E Lowery	Edward J Lyons
Pat H McCullough	James S Millard*	Leonard R Murphy
Lester F Nelson*	Rev Donald E Piro	Robert G Ronnie
Narciso C Sandoval	Rev John M Stevens	Jerome D Sabelhaus
Steven B Sanchez	Steve O Schilling	Robert L Schulgen
Delmar D Shoemaker	Rev John M Stevens	Eddie A Tabafunda
Harry W Tachell*	Guy S Vedder	James E Wainwright

Archie Watson
George W Yaeger

Robert L Welsh
J Charles Young

Charles F Wienkers
Stanley T Zukowski

This council was instituted with one of the oldest, if not the oldest, Grand Knights in the state - Carl M Hochhaus. He was 81 years old when we started but his energy and drive for men half his age. Under his leadership, from the beginning, we were closely attuned to the needs and desires of the pastor and parish and determined to do whatever we could to accommodate them. He believed that our alliance with the church is what separates the Knights of Columbus from all other groups. We still believe so.

We have regularly held Crab Feeds, Parish Picnics, Octoberfests, Christmas and New Year's Eve parties, Bingo, Clergy Night Dinners, Blood drives and Right-To-Life poster contests. Our blood drives have brought in over 500 pints in a year. We have supported the PFH and Pro-Life programs; supported seminarians; held CPR classes and have helped the Food Banks and provided Thanksgiving Baskets. In 1988 we began sponsoring a Boy Scout Troop and a Cub Pack. We continue a variety of programs but most are closely allied with our parish. We are 'the strong right arm of the church' in Port Orchard. We continue to sponsor a Cub Scout troop, a Boy Scout troop, a soccer team, a kid's softball team, a girl's basketball team and a youth group. At Christmas we give gifts and do caroling at the two Port Orchard nursing homes. We have quarterly blood drives. We have potlucks, dinners, dances and picnics.

PORT TOWNSEND - Arthur A Sarge Bryant Council 10532

Council Historian: Henry W. Gibson

Council 10532, Port Townsend Washington was instituted January 2, 1991 by District Deputy Harry W. Tachell. The charter members and officers were:

Dennis W. Atkinson	Alan J. Babboni	Luther E. Bland
Eugene F. Brennan	Arthur L Bryant GK	George Capriotti TR
Joseph H. Carpenter Chan	Clifton V. Forward	Henry W. Gibson
Lawrence S. Gibson Rec	Patrick C. Gillen TR	John B. Griffith Sr DGK
John B. Griffith Jr Treas	Vern Hackett	Raymond D. Haapala W
Fr. Raymond J. Heffernan	Aaron E. Logue	Terry W. Logue
John P. McGinn	Paul E. Nollette	Fr. Leonard J. Rafalowski Chap
Joseph E. Rempe	Gerald J. Rodgers Adv	Jim Rondeau
William J. Sabella	Calvin M. Schipper	Douglas W. Spickelmire TR
Larry O. Stewart	Carl W. Swanson	Robert A. White
Robert A. White Jr		

The process of starting a new council began in the early part of 1990. Several members of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish in Port Townsend met informally to discuss the possibility and procedure. After obtaining approval from the pastor, Father Heffernan, a vigorous recruitment program was begun. By midsummer 1990, 32 members have signed up including 6 transfers; 7 readmissions and 19 new members.

Arthur A 'Sarge' Bryant, a Fourth Degree Knight, agreed to spearhead the project. The Supreme Council issued the charter January 2, 1991. Council 10532 was instituted by District Deputy #2 Harry Tachell. The new members receive their first degrees on June 10, 1990 and October 15, 1990 exemplified by the Poulsbo council 8297 first degree team. Their major degrees were exemplified on March 16, 1991. In 1994 the council petitioned the supreme council to designate the name of our council 10532, the Arthur 'Sarge Bryant' Council 10532, in memory of our beloved brother who died on November 1, 1993 and was so instrumental in organizing and leading this council. This petition was approved and the council is so named.

In the same year -1994 - the Joseph Carpentier family were chosen the 'Family of the Year' for the state of Washington and honored at the state convention at Richland Washington. In 1997 the Paul Nolette family was chosen as the 'International Family of the Year' and received this prestigious honor at the state convention in Everett, Washington and at the Supreme Convention in Kansas City, Missouri. This council annually conducts a Mother's Day breakfast had a Father's Day breakfast. Each quarter of the year, the Knights serve coffee and doughnuts in the hall after each mass on Sundays and host a Pancake and Sausage breakfast on the third Sunday of the month. These have been very successful and good fund-raisers for the council. We also sponsor a Parish picnic and the donation of a food basket to a needy family designated by the Parish at Christmas and/or Thanksgiving. The council is fully committed to the pro-life movement in many ways.

The members of the council serve as Ushers, Choir members, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and CCD instructors for all masses and special events. Other awards include the "Founders Award" in 1991-92 and the "Father McGivney Award" in 1991-92. In January 1992 the Council received the replica of the Cross of the new World on attaining the special Discovery 5% membership net gain in 1991. We have since maintained our customary activities and events and are doing well.

POULSBO – Msgr. Hugh O'Flaherty Council 8297

Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty Council 8297 was instituted March 3, 1983 by District Deputy Arthur R Ellis. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Rudy B Aguilar	Charles R Hackett*	Wayne E Redfern
Albert A Arcand	Michael G Haley	William O Reynolds
Vernon C Arntz	Billy R Johnson GK	Leo Robillard
George F Benning	Denny L Lambert	Leland D Snider
Nicholas H Bley	Robert E Lee*	James E Smith
Clary D Carlsen	John A McKeever	Michael S Thatcher
Antonio DeCarlo*	Edward W Marazas	Robert J Tomas
Robert C Dixon	J Robert Mitchell	Francis O Turk
Ygnacio Espinoza	Richard C O'Brien	Philip V Walsh
Rev R J Gallagher	Dante M Perez	Philip M Wilkins
John J Greeley	Maurice V Pierce	

We are involved in many parish functions: the St Patrick's Day party; the choir; providing Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers; assisting in the parish picnic. We are active in most of the usual K of C programs - PFH, Right to Life and Family activities. We have a practice of monthly attending Mass in a body at one of the four churches in our council area. We sponsor a fourth Sunday breakfast at St Olaf's; support the annual St Olaf's dinner; Valentine's dinner, St Patrick's Day dinner, family pizza nights and the Poulsbo Soup Kitchen. We repaired the St Peter's Mission;

Annually we prepare breakfasts for six teen retreats at church; host the parish picnic; go carolling at Christmas; sponsor a Baby Shower to support Pro-Life; host outings to Cheney Stadium and dinner/theater evenings, collect clothing for Mexican Indians and supply firewood to the rectory. Some of the council's activities have been to clean 2 ½ miles of highway 305; maintaining parish grounds and buildings; donation of funds for youth trips; sponsoring a cub pack; holding pancake breakfasts, Lenten suppers, parish potluck dinners, PGK & Valentine dinners and coffee & donuts. We hold corporate communions. Our council has become an integral part of the parish life of St Olaf's and the parishioners support us enthusiastically in our social events.

PROSSER - Sacred Heart Council 10543

Council Historian: Robert E. Smith

Sacred Heart Council 10543, was instituted in Prosser on February 4, 1991 by District Deputy Richard J. Better. The charter members were:

Phillip R Blakney **TR**
Armando Corpus
Conrad Dufault **TR**
Jeffrey D. Hall
Thomas L. Jacobs
Patrick R. Laffey
M. William Letourneau
Craig J. O'Brien
Miguel Pineda Jr **W***
Michael L. Schmitt
Otto R. Snyder
Peter H. Tran

William H Bourn Jr **FS**
David C. Donovan
Leon Dufault **TR**
Leo Heintz **Treas**
Collin L. Karthauser
Kevin D Laurent
Norman D. Manka
Bill E. Owens
Stanley A. Roy **Rec**
Robert E. Smith*
Peter Steinbock Jr
Joseph A. Vagar

John F Brown*
Richard A. Dorsett **DGK**
Eugene R. Finn
William E. Howell
Stephen T. Kenny
Richard A. Legerski **GK**
Ray L. Milne
Mark L. Parsons
Daniel Schmitt
Joseph R. Schneider **Adv**
Fr. John Tholen

Those most responsible for the institution of this council were: Father John Tholen, Richard Legerski, Richard Dorsett, Miguel Pineda Jr., Leo Heintz, John Brown, Robert Smith, Gene Finn, Leon Dufault, Conrad Dufault, Phil Blakney, and Collin Karthauser.

Since institution we have primarily taken care of the maintenance of the parish and Church. We have breakfasts once a month. We have benefit dinners for needy people; adopt-a-highway program; Easter egg hunts; Hospital Equipment Lend Program; blood drives and community bingo. We have Rosaries for special needs one Sunday a month; fund-raiser dinners and raffles and support a seminarian. We have a first degree team. We are proud that the council received the Star Council award in 1997-98.

PULLMAN – Sacred Heart Council 7360

Council Historian: Stanley E Bauer

The process of forming a council in Pullman was rather long. District Deputy Bob Bauer started the process in March 1978 and held several meetings before his term expired in June. DD Tom Herres continued the process and, on May 6, 1979, with 12 transfers, 8 reinstatements and 15 new members Pullman Council 7360 was instituted. At the May 23rd meeting we elected officers and set our meeting nights for the 2nd Wednesdays. The Charter date was October 12, 1979 - Columbus Day - truly a fitting birthday. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Frank P Aravjo
Benedict G Archer
Stanley E Bauer
Mark A Bergeron
Wm R Bernard III
Norman J Busch
Matthew J Carey
Rinehart A Dahmen
Walter D Dahmen
Michael A Davis
Vivencio D Dayot
Robt I Ellsworth **DGK**

James F Evermann **FS**
Leland J Guettinger
James J Hudak
Cy J Jacobs
Albert T Leguis **IG**
James O Maguire
Kenneth A McCarty
Gerald R McFaul **Chan**
Daniel E McGreevy **TR**
J Edgar Monagle **Rec**
William R Paul
John A Pritchett **OG**

Robert J Rehwaldt **W**
Gordon L Rubenthaler
Ray Schaff
Ted D Wagner
Lawrence D Weller
Donald R Welter **TR**
Lewis E Welter
Vern J Welter **GK**
George H Wieber **TR**
Jeffrey L Wieber
Paul J Wieber **Treas**

Our first year was one of getting our feet on the ground and convincing our pastor that we were here to stay and to help him in the parish. On March 22, 1980 forty-one people attended the Mass and dinner at which our charter was officially presented by D.D. Tom Herres. Guests included State Treasurer Hector Maffei and GK Tom Weber and Bob Bauer from Colton Council.

In 1980 all of the officers were reelected. Our delegates to the State Convention in Spokane were GK Vern Welter and Stan Bauer. The convention learned of the eruption of Mt St Helens at about 10:30 a.m. Sunday May 18th. By the time we adjourned at 12:30 the ash cloud made driving a real experience. The sky was dark then but by 3:30 it was as dark as night. By the Summer Meeting, at which we were represented by Stan Bauer, things had pretty much returned to normal. We certainly won't soon forget our first State Convention and Summer Meeting. During the 1980-81 year the council was off and running and was one of the seven councils in the state to earn Star Council. The activities included becoming responsible for providing ushers, lectors and Eucharistic Ministers (all of whom are now Knights and/or their sons) and training the altar boys and girls. Stan Bauer organized a 1st degree team and we conducted five 1st degrees that year.

In the spring of 1981 Vern Welter was promoted to Postmaster of a larger post office at Orofino, Idaho and had to move. In May Stan Bauer was elected Grand Knight. On September 3, 1981 our officers were installed as the first official ceremonial as DD of District 8. In 1981-83 there were many difficulties due to weather and budget cuts at Washington State University which employs most of our members. We lost several members due to layoffs.

In March 1982 GK Stan Bauer and Warden Bob Rehwaldt proposed, and we began, a new program of last Saturday prayer and work. Monthly we would have a 7:30 breakfast followed by prayer and meditation until 9:00 a.m. We would then work at the parish until noon. We had 17 members at the first one and this increased to about 30 members per month. This program has had several benefits. We have come to know our brother Knights better; our spiritual life has grown; our rapport with Father Westbrook has improved and the church building certainly looks better. There are always better times if we just stop and include God in our plans.

In April 1982 we held our Communion Sunday with an Honor Guard of our Fourth Degree members at Father Westerbrook's request. The breakfast was served by the Catholic Daughters. Also in 1982 we began participating in the Family of the Month program. Our first Family of the Month, the Robert Rehwaldt family, was also chosen by Supreme Council in their drawing. It was an auspicious beginning. We also started a weekly rosary on Monday nights in 1982 due to the efforts of Robert Ohnemus.

We have two of our members, Stan Bauer and Gerald McFaul, on the district 2nd Degree team. Our council has gained the respect and good will of our pastor - who was initially cool to the Knights - and of our parish. By our actions we have shown that we are here to serve our church. We have achieved much for a young council and look forward to continued service to our church and community.

PUYALLUP – All Saints Council 1629

Puyallup Council 1629 was instituted December 15, 1912 by District Deputy John M. Boyle. The charter members and officers were:

S H Beall FS	Mose Commoree	H M Connell Rec
R E Dargan W	M Eisserbacher	Richard Elvins
W H Elvins GK	George Hurley	Arthur C Kennedy
Geo E Kennedy Chan	John A Kennedy IG	J L Kough
Adolph Loncke TR	I M Marcoe Jr	James Morash
Marion Morash	Frank Moser	Arthur Neunert TR
Henry Perfield Treas	James Perfield	P J Prescher
Fred Roseli	Rev J Schmidt Chap	Jacob Schuler TR

W D Turnacliff
Donald H Zeck

M J Wahle
Henry Zeck **DGK**

W J Walsh

The group included 9 farmers, a student, 6 merchants, a priest, a schoolteacher, a mill owner and an engineer. The council was dissolved sometime during the 1917-18 fraternal year - prior to March 31, 1918. From the Proceedings of the Washington State Council, Tacoma, May 13, 1918: "FIRST - MEMBERSHIP OF THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1918

We have added no new councils in the state during the past year, but we have lost one. Puyallup Council 1629 has surrendered its charter. This was done on the recommendation of the supreme agent, together with the investigation of the district deputy and with my approval." The council was reinstated December 28, 1983 by District Deputy Christopher P Navarre Sr. The charter members and officers were:

Lawrence C Bakeman	Bernie J Butler*	Richard L Caviezel
Frederick H Clinton	Robert E Dernback	Edward J Dobbs
Leon R Felix	Gary M Flanigan	W G Freeburg
James C Gallagher*	Joseph J Geiger	O A Gosselin
Patrick S Gray	Edward J Hannity	Louis A Johnson
Ronald D Kriese	David D Kurz	Michael J Lee
Lucien A Letourneau	Martin E Letourneau	Leo P G Limoges
Richard C Lynch	John D McGrath	Rev T J McKenna Chap
Robert J Moreland GK	J M Morgan	Eugene P Ney
R J Ortega	George T Petras*	Michael J Sabolek
W L Schable	Henry C Stoker	Michael R Sulkosky*
Erwin M Sutter	P J Vest	D E Wells
Glen G Wickett	Darrel A Wilson	

This council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish.

PUYALLUP – Holy Disciples Council 11948

Holy Disciples Council was instituted in Puyallup on April 4, 1997 by District Deputy Kevin P Gray. The charter members were:

Edward Alicea	Donald Becker	David Boyer
Michael Cappetto	Salomon DeAlba	Vernon Eaglebyrger
Scott Einfalt	Douglas Glaze	Michael Hahn
William Hays	Edward Hoey	Richard Iwanski
Wayne Klenda	Michael Lee	William Lyke
Nelson Martin	Emil McGonigal	Michael McGrath
James Miller	Martin Mulvey	Craig Murphy
Wayne Perrault	Joseph Rempe	Richard Rocks
Rev Gary Southerton	William Stanford	Mark Sweeney
Jesse Tiamson	Angel Vano Jr	Allen Vinup
Glem Wickett	Fred Wilkie	Robert Williams
Chris Weiss		

QUINCY – St. Pius X Council 11736

Council Historian: Chris Gehring

Quincy Council 11736 Quincy, Washington was instituted on March 24, 1996 by Keith M. Niehenke, District Deputy No. 10.

Willis Brunelle
Patrick Escure **Adv**
Chris Gehring **Chan***
Joe Keller
Samuel Krautscheid **Lect**
Ronald Lindemeier
Marvin Mort **FS**
Jack Omlin **DGK**
Clarence Schafer **OG**
Tony Stadelman
Cliff Wrapsir

Joe Bulleri
Bob Escure
Charles Graff
James Krautscheid **GK**
Rev Kenneth Kron **Chap**
Leonard McGaughev
Jacob Nerpel
Albert Ornelas
Cal Sheridan
Jack Tobin **Rec**

Albert Castro
Mike Flinn **TR**
William Judge **Treas**
Donald Krautscheid **IG**
Don L. Lindemeier
Armando Martinez **W**
Dan Neumann **TR**
Esteban Rubio
Herbert Smith **TR**
Clyde Wrapsir



The dignitaries present for the institution included DD Keith Niehenke; PSD Chuck McLean; State Deputy Thomas L. Weber; State Sec. Everett J Roberts; State Advocate Wayne C Hogan and State Warden Darrell R Henn. Richland Council 3307 provided the 1st degree team for a class of 17. Those most responsible for the institution of the council were James, Donald and Samuel Krautscheid; William Judge, Father Kenneth Kron; Armando Martinez; Marvin Mort; Chris Gehring and Clyde Wrapsir. Some others were FDD Jim Weitzel (3153); DD Keith Niehenke; DD Patrick S Gray and Randy Weitzel.

Our main activities have been supporting our church and priests in all of the usual ways; having fundraisers for Human Life, high school scholarships, Quincy Booster Club and repairing cars and living quarters for our priest. We furnish meats at our church summer picnics and holding Easter egg hunts. We also work on a second parking lot for our church.

Due to failing membership, the council was dissolved on June 1, 2010, by State Deputy John Wallace. The Quincy Council Seal, Charter, Roll, and some financial records were removed by the State Deputy. Active members who designated to stay in the Order were transferred into the council at Ephrata – Columbia Council 3153.

RAYMOND - Willapa Harbor Council 1606

Willapa Harbor Council 1606 was instituted on March 16, 1912 by District Deputy #2, J. M. Boyle of Tacoma. That year, the Washington State Council had 2,823 members and 17 councils. This was the year that Prefontaine Council 1267 was merged into Seattle Council 676 and the current Seattle Council Hall built. Thus, while Willapa Harbor Council 1606 was the 18th Washington council instituted, at the time of its institution there were actually only seventeen councils in the jurisdiction.

There were 25 members at the time of institution but by the time of closing the charter, the membership was at 42. The charter members and Officers were:

A. G. Basil
Eugene Capelle

Rev V. C. Couverette
James J. Cox

Louis A. Custer
O. A. Custer

Dr S V Conway Adv	Alphonse J. DeLateur	Timothy H. Donovan
John A. Diem	William P. Ferris	Rexford E. Guilbeault
Michael F. Glenn	C. P. O'Brien	Thomas Raymond Goodman
Theodore F. Gilbert FS	William C. Habersetzer	William W. Hays Rec
Charles F. Hesseldenz	Charles Jobin	Joseph L. Kycek
George C. Kremmel	Edward C. Lawler GK	Edward G. Lawler
R. E. Lawler	W. Lengauer	Frank C. Mero
Peter Ray Mero Treas	Charles Myers	Ray J. Nicola
Rev M.P.M. Nyssen Chap	Charles D. Noonan	William F. Noonan
James H. Patterson	George H. Reizner Lect	A. P. Russell Chan
Vincent Sanphy	Clarence J. Shipley	Freeman J. Shipley
Harry J Thayer DGK	John J. Wallitner	

The Physician was Dr Edward R. Perry a non-Catholic. Remember that most members were insurance members at this time and a physical exam was required. Associate membership was begun in 1892 for those men who could not qualify for insurance coverage. The present Associate status came about much later. Not much is recorded of the early history of the council at the State Council level. During the late 1950s and the 1960s, Willapa Harbor Council 1606 was quite active. The council held numerous 1st and 2nd degrees and occasionally during the 50s, a 3rd degree. The members hosted District Meetings and their Crab Feeds were well recognized as outstanding.

The council was top in the district in 1967. Our last 2nd and 3rd degrees in Raymond occurred in 1977. This council has always been pretty widely dispersed and a small council. It has had difficult times more than once - sometimes when the whole area's economy suffered. Throughout its history, it has always been the strong supporter of its local parish - St. Lawrence Parish. It might be noted that it was a Mission from 1904 until 1913. The Council was instituted in 1912. In 1981, the Knights gave thousands of hours in building the new St Lawrence Church when Father Tom Suss was pastor. Without the Knights, the church would never have been built. There are repeated references to building projects, repair and remodelling, maintenance and fund-raisers for parish projects. Pro-Life activities, Church activities and social activities - like the Crab Feeds - have been the recurring themes. So long as we pride ourselves on being the 'strong right arm of the Church', these are indeed worthy of praise. During 1990, Grand Knight Delbert O Brown, was serving his twelfth term as grand knight. He has subsequently served another 8 years as grand knight (1997-2005). Del's service of 20 terms as a grand knight is likely a record for anyone in WSC history. In 2007, Charles Hoskinson is serving his 6th term as grand knight (1991-1995 and 2005-2007).

REDMOND – Fr. Englebert M. Axer Council 8102

St Jude Council 8102 was instituted on May 14, 1982 in Redmond with 40 members. The charter members and officers were:

David A Abell	Michael E Amos	James D Bator
Charles R Bellings	William E Boblick	Gerald Brandmeier
Michel B Carter	Samuel Castillo	Harvey J Christiansin
Gerald Costello	Joseph R Cucinotta	David J Doring
Duane M Durand	Maurice A Durand	William A Evers
Alfred Fallavollita	Robert E FrieBohle	Carl W Frost
Robert F Gage*	John R Gasser	Jack T Jurgensen
Steven G Karpowicz	Arthur R Kintner	Donald J Kolcz
Michael F Locascio	Rev Gerald F Lovett	Robert F McInnes
Thomas R Murphy	Richard A Naughton	Clarence E Okerlund*

John G Omundson **GK**
David Rose
Albert M Soldate*
L L Waldron **FS***

J B Robinson
Birger T Sather
Robert Sollitto

James L Robinson*
John A Sinkula
Jack T Tuschoff

From the very beginning we have been very closely identified with St Jude's parish. We were given a room with a sink and a refrigerator and one of the members built a storage closet. It is a good meeting facility. We took on a project of a monthly Pancake Breakfast which continues to be popular. We took on most of our programs in our first year: Ladies Appreciation Night, Clergy Night, Christmas programs; PFH; the Free Throw Contest and providing manpower for church needs of all kinds.

Since 1983 Father Englebert Axer, S.J. has been our Chaplain and he adds a great deal to our life and activities. Father is a semi-retired philosophy professor at Seattle University and attends most of our meetings. We have had an active 1st degree team since 1983. In 1984 we started running a fireworks stand as a fund-raiser. We provide ushers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, etc for the parish and we annually put on the Parish Appreciation Dinner for all volunteers in the parish. In 1984-85 we started our program of giving an engraved bible to the widow of a member who dies during the year.

In 1986-87 we reached 75 members, almost doubling our charter membership of 40. We did double our 1985 PFH total by turning in over \$1000. We began more active participation in the Pro-Life program; conducted a Vocations Awareness program and held a video entertainment night for our youth. Our council has provided many district deputies: John R (Jack) Gasser 81-85, John G Omundson 85-87 and Laurence Waldron 87-88. Larry Waldron continued as DD in 1988-89 but, when he instituted Issaquah Council 9833, he transferred into it. He lives in its area. He is a charter member of our council and of 9833. This was not unique. Gerald Brandmeier, Joseph R Cucinotta, Al Fallavollita and Robert Sollitto were also charter members of Obadiah Council 7642 in Kirkland. John Omundson was a PGK of Overlake Council in Bellevue and Jack Gasser was D.D. in the old District 14 before redistricting in 1982.

As of 1990, we had achieved the Star Council Award four out of the seven years of our existence. We celebrated our 25th Anniversary on May 14, 2007.

RENTON – Renton Council 3645

Renton Council 3645 was instituted on April 27, 1953 by District Deputy John Weckert with 61 members - 32 insurance and 29 associate. The charter members and officers were:

Jerry S Abbott
Fred L Allingham
Lewis A Argano **DGK**
L D Billeddeaux **Adv**
Alfred J Burney
Clyde B Cope
Charles J Delaurenti
John E Elliott
William J Flynn
Ray J Kettman **FS**
Rev Thomas Lane **Chap**
Rev James E Malahan
Gerald E Mead
James L Moran
Gerard Mutz
Herman M Nirschl
Edwin F Novak

Patrick E Ahern
Arthur V Arends
James F Barei
Harold M Brown
Paul F Campeau
William A Cullen
James F Devitt
Edward C Flynn
Tony S Hudlicky
Leo J King
George V Lombardi
Fred C Massie Jr
Dave J Mooney
William E Murray
Roman C Mutz
James M Nolan
Frank Novak

Fred J Abraham **Treas**
Carroll M Arends
Ben E Basaraba
Edward H Burke
Hugh F Carney
Michael H Deacy
Richard T Dierst
John P Flynn
Wilfred J Johnston
Frank A Knoll
Wayne Luedeman
Walter J McBane
Harold F Moran
William V Murray
Evert C Nensen
William T Nolan
Earl M Parsley **GK**

Peter J Paulman	Joseph E Plavec	Arthur R Rue
Allen B Schafer	Albert J Schexnayder	Raymond J Schneider
Kirk E Schreiber	Larry Schroeder	Leroy J Schwartz
Andrew J Sedlacek	Harold S Silvernale	Daniel P Sloan
William Stollenmayer	Donald M Sullivan Rec	Michael F Sullivan
Kenneth R Tangen	Julius Wetsch	Thomas J Widden
John P Willenborg	Kenneth B Wiltse	William Zagurski

We find no record of the activities of council 3645 from the date of institution until 1957. In the 1957 report for council 3645 notes that the council was practically "reeling on the ropes" until new Grand Knight Fred Abraham and his officers took over but that they overcame a membership deficit at the beginning of the year to end up 200% over quota. We also added a 1st degree team that year; put out a council directory; sponsored a Catholic Schools basketball tournament; had corporate communions and breakfasts; purchased property for a council home and the bowling team won the league championship.

In 1959 Renton Council was one of the three councils chosen to inaugurate the Pennies for Heaven (PFH) program to raise funds to help educate young men for the priesthood. In 1963 the council started using the "orientation Program" for new members; had the "International Smorgasbord Dinner"; Blood Bank and continued PFH and other programs. By 1969 the PFH program was 10 years old and this council was still supporting it fully. By now we had a very full slate of social events to complement our regular K of C programs. Our golf program and tournaments are also now in progress. By 1974 our fishing trips, baseball and basketball programs are well established. 1975 was a banner year for our PFH program with our total up by 250%.

1989 finds us continuing our many programs: RTL, PFH, Blood Banks; sports participation in bowling, golf, fishing, etc; our many social activities including the picnics and dinner-dances and all of the other programs that distinguish an active K of C Council. Fred Abraham went on to become State Treasurer in 1961-62 and State Secretary in 1962-64; Lewis Argano was District Deputy in 1957-59; Walter J Kolcz in 1959-61 and Fred Abraham in 1965-66. Fred Abraham was State General Program Chairman 1959-63. Walter J Kolcz was also State Community Activities Chairman and Special Activities Chairman.

RENTON – St. Stephen the Martyr Council 13374

St. Stephen the Martyr Council 13374 was instituted on June 27, 2003 through the efforts of charter Grand Knight Kenneth Robinson; Rev. John C. Madigan, the pastor of St. Stephens; and several charter members. The initial formation meeting was held on June 19, 2003 at the home of Ken Robinson. Those in attendance were: State Deputy Wayne C. Hogan, District Deputies Monte E. Cromwell (District 15) and Ben Workman (District 27), Kenneth C. Robinson, Paul A. Feider, Joseph A. Capita, Israel (Roy) Vela and Patrick F. Coluccio. A second meeting was held one week later on June 26, 2003 at St. Stephen the Martyr parish. The meeting purpose was the election of new officers for the charter council.

After an extensive membership campaign, enough men were signed up to qualify for a charter by the Supreme Council. The Charter members and officers were:

Cyril L Albers	Millard T Battles	Wallace J Bucklen
DavLd F Buhr FS	James L Campbell	Joseph A Capita DGK
Carlo Caraccioli	David J Coddington	Pat F Coluccio
Jeffrey J Cormier	Edward J Cullivan	Paul Dabalos
Marshall E Denby	John A Farler	Paul A Feider Jr Rec *
Harry M Gores TR1	Glen L Gould	James F Hagen Treas
Herman A Heye	James P Hogan	Joshua L Hogan

Dale Hollingsworth TR2	Rick W Hollingsworth	Ed J Iddings
Larry J Kelly	Rev John C Madigan	Nilo M Maranan
Wendell T Pang	Robert M Paulsen	Robert J Pitt
Kenneth C Robinson GK	David H Schollmeier	Randy A Srnsky Chan
Thomas F Streeck IG	John A Swanson OG *	William A Swedberg
Denis J Taft	Dennis M Tesch	David W Thompson Sr
Bernie M Thueringer	Dennis R Thueringer	Israel (Roy) Vela TR3
Michael R Warfel	Gene R Williamson	

Our Council is named after our parish, St. Stephen the Martyr, which has been in the Fairwood area of Renton since the 1970s. St. Stephen the Martyr Council works closely with the Knights of St. Anthony's Parish and the Fairwood community in Renton to provide funds for various projects. We are proud to be active participants in the parish community.

During our first fraternal year 2003-2004, Council 13374 earned the "Star Council" award for the highest percentage of membership in the State. We were 765% over quota for membership and insurance sign-ups. Additionally, we earned the 1st place award for the "Pennies for Heaven Program". Lastly we won an award from the Boy Scouts of America for the highest dollar contribution for a 1st year council. Our momentum rolled over into fraternal year 2004-2005 with our Council earning our 2nd "Star Council" award by coming in 1003% over goal for membership and insurance sign-ups and another 1st place "Pennies for Heaven Program" award.

"You Will Know Them by Their Works" - Our Council helps the community by gathering from our parishioners donated sleeping bags, blankets and coats for the homeless. Brother Knights have marched for "men against domestic violence" in the Renton River Days parade. Brother Knights annually prepare and serve breakfast to the senior citizens of Renton at the community center. In addition, Brother Knights of Council 13374 have adopted an orphanage in the Ukraine and have shipped many loads of donated clothes, shoes and basic need items for them. There are many brother knights who are active supporters of the day to day operation of St. Stephen the Martyr Parish.

RICHLAND - Richland Council 3307

Council Historian: Roger B St John

Associated with the Hanford Atomic Project and the residential community of Richland, Council 3307 have a unique history. In the early 1940s a top secret project, the Hanford Project, was undertaken by the U S Government to produce plutonium for "atom bombs". At that time Richland, a small farming town, was taken over and enlarged by the government. Most of the people came to Richland for a 'temporary' period. The national goals were changed and the Hanford Project became a permanent facility. In the late 1950s the city reverted back to private ownership and suddenly this became home.

Richland Council 3307 was instituted April 16, 1950 by D.D. Charles Allessio with 64 members. The charter members and officers were:

L G Ackley	R W Baalman	E J Barrett
C J Baudendistel	R M Brennan	L J Bresina
R J Brouns	D M Brown	H A Brunelle
R W Bryant	V J Byron	Thomas E Carney Adv
J R Cartmell	A B Cembalski	Edmond F Charette GK
B E Clark	R B Crow	R F Cummings
J P Derouin	W J Dowis	M G Dunn
J Durbin Lect	Jas J Firestone DGK	G V Fitzpatrick
W J Flicek	C M Gabrysiak	L B Ghirado
D E Haley	J F Heberer	P A Hesselgrave

O M Hill Rec	C P Hokanson	R T Jaske
F T Keenan	J V Lawler	P E Link
J T Long Jr	W M Mathis	J E Mattingly
F H Meuly	W A Meyer	F J Mollerus
M E Newell	W T Nolan	E W O'Rorke
E T O'Sullivan	J A Paseka	W E Potter
P J Quane Treas	F R Rice	W Ringuet
A V Rhode	C M Salina	R J Schier
P R Sheridan	H J Shirey	J E Sisk
W D Smyth	R J Stallings	R E Toczek
J E Travis	J P Turping	J J Vache
A J Waligura	Edw P Warkois FS	N Woehle

Though not listed as a charter member, Rev W J Sweeney was the Charter Chaplain. For a short time the council met in the basement of Christ the King Church and then for a year in the old American Legion Hall. Its first meeting and club facility was an old farm house with a Quonset hut addition. It was located in the middle of what is now the I-82 and George Washington Way interchange. The council's current home was once the Richland Post Office. It was moved from its downtown location to its present site on Chester Road. Long hours of design and modification of the structure were unselfishly given on a spare time basis by the membership to convert from a post officer to the fine facility it is today.

To raise funds, the council purchased the old Lutheran Church and the brick walls of the Camp Hanford Hospital. The members salvaged the materials which were sold for cash. Our council has always been a strong community and church supporting organization. Donations include the cross on St Patrick's church in Pasco; the flag pole and sign for St Joseph's school in Kennewick; \$10,000 for the construction of Christ the King church; \$1,000 for construction of Holy Spirit church in Kennewick; office equipment for St Francis X Cabrini church in Benton City and annual contributions to the diocesan Catholic Charities. In addition, this council has one of the strongest Right-To-Life programs in the state.

Council 3307 has provided support and many services for the Church, community and the Order including CCD teachers; community Santa Claus; Religious Information Bureau; PFH; ushers; one State Deputy; one State Warden; 7 District Deputies; a meeting place for many organizations ranging from the Moose Lodge to a kennel club; scholarships to over 50 needy students totaling over \$10,000 and a 3rd degree team. Council 3307 currently sponsors, or has sponsored, a Boy Scout troop; a Squires Circle; a Little League baseball team; Boys' State delegates; a Church League Basketball team; CPR training sessions; a Blood Bank with one member giving over 30 gallons of blood (a state record); a Summer Reading Program in cooperation with the City Library which has involved about 20,000 children over the last 30 years.

The council put in the lawn, shrubbery and sprinkler services for Christ the King School and the sprinkler system at the rectory. Painting of the church, school, convent and rectory have been standard, continuing projects. All is not work however, as the council has its own softball and bowling teams. It has twice sponsored the State K of C Bowling Tournament. The council



Harry Tucker SD, Bob Hogan GK

has hosted the State Convention in 1971, 1985, 1994 and 2000. Our council is an example of the old adage that 'When you want something done, call on the Knights.'

SEATTLE - Seattle Council 676

Council Historian: George C. Turk & John D O'Brien

Seattle Council 676, the first council in the state of Washington, was instituted on June 22, 1902. National Organizer James G Gorman of Fall River, Mass., had been sent by the Supreme Council to the Pacific Coast to organize councils in the larger cities. He was highly successful in his work and instituted six councils within six months. This council was one of them. The charter members were:

A J Bookmeyer*	J F Brannigan	Dr Daniel Buckley
J T Casey	P H Casey	M J Connell
T D Connersford	George J Danz	J J Donnellan
George Donworth	J C Ford GK	J E Galbraith
John J Gorman	Thomas J Gorman*	Francis Green
Theodore Habernall	T L Harrington	F E Hartlaub
J T Heffernan	J W Hughes	W B Jenkins
Rev Emil Kauten	Edward Kevin	O H LaFarge
J J Lamont	M D Leehey	Dr James H Lyons*
E D MacDonald	A F Marion	H W Markey
W G McCarthy	T J McDonald	James McGough
E A McGrath	A McKinnon	E F Meisinger
Rev W J Metz	William Michel	Felix Mootz
D J Moreland	T O'Brien	W T O'Brien
G O'Connor	J C Parsons	C M Pessimier
George Phelan	A R Pinkney	J J Power
J T Quigley	James Roe	J M Ryan
Timothy Ryan	A A Schramm	Dr James Shannon
Dr William A Shannon	F J Sullivan	Joseph Weber

J. C. Ford, President of Pacific Coast, was the charter Grand Knight. National Organizer James J. Gorman liked this area so well that he moved here and later became the first State Deputy of Washington. The early days of the council were of conservative progress; taking an active interest in all civic affairs and caring for the social activities of its members. On Sunday,

November 12, 1905 the council turned out in large numbers to participate in the laying of the cornerstone to the new St James Cathedral. Upon the occasion of the San Francisco earthquake a total of \$1851.50 was sent to San Francisco between April 20th and July 20th, 1906 for relief of the victims. It was sent through the San Francisco council.

As time progressed and the council's activities broadened there was a call for another council to take care of the younger men of the city. At first the request was denied but the proposers persisted and resulted in the



institution of Prefontaine Council 1267 on October 20, 1907. It was named for Rev F. X. Prefontaine, pioneer priest of Seattle. Both councils progressed and the membership grew. On Feb 21, 1906 Bishop O'Dea offered a meeting place for the council at Terry and Columbia which, after much debate, was respectfully declined. A need was seen for the establishment of club rooms and a joint headquarters for both councils. On November 20, 1909 the Knights of Columbus Club of Seattle was incorporated with five members from each council forming the Board of Directors. John D. Carmody, later to become the sixth State Deputy, was the first president of the Club.

The top floor of the Silver Building, at First Ave and Cherry Street, was leased by the Club and converted into club rooms consisting of a Council room, a billiard room and a library and reading room. The property upon which our present hall at 722 East Union was built was donated by Mrs Elizabeth Foss. After many proposals and much debate, the two councils merged in 1912 and Prefontaine Council ceased to exist. A \$50,000 bond issue was floated; Ferdinand Bohne was engaged as architect and a contract for the building was awarded to Timothy Ryan. The building was completed and formally opened in November, 1913.

The most historic occasion was in 1915 when Seattle hosted the Supreme Council meeting - the Supreme Convention. The Convention Chairman was PSD James J Gorman, who had just completed his second term, and it was a huge success. The council membership had gained to 1548 members on October 1, 1919 and increased by 217 to a total of 1765 in good standing on October 1, 1920 (Minutes 10/5/20). This occurred while John F. Dore was Grand Knight. The April 26, 1956 issue of the Knight Letter reports that the council initiated Vic Hebert, M.D., bringing it to the level of 2,000 members for the first time.

During its earlier years, besides the usual programs, during the 1920s the council vigorously supported the annual Laymen's Retreats at St Martin's College in Lacey averaging about 150 men on each retreat. In 1923 the Public Speaking classes were begun and continued until at least 1928. The Council Glee Club began in 1926. By 1928 the gym was in operation by the Physical Department. This remained in use for many years by members and visitors. Use of the gym was made available to many Seattle College (later Seattle University) students.

The Depression hit Seattle Council hard. From 1930 to 1936 many members could not pay dues, or at least not the full dues, payments. By 1938 the council was suspended for non-payment of \$8,068.68 in death benefit and per capita assessment. There had been much correspondence and several visits by the Supreme Council Special Agent. From 1934 to 1938 the council did remit payments to the Supreme Council but these were applied to the debts in chronological order - the oldest debts first. The council felt that the responsibility was that of the Supreme Council and its agents in allowing the officers of the Seattle Council to conduct the affairs of Seattle Council in a manner which has brought about its present financial condition" (Report of special committee accepted at meeting of 5/23/38). The committee felt that the Supreme Council should write off the debt.

The Supreme Council insisted upon full payment on the basis of fairness to other members and councils; for legal and moral reasons. William J McGinley, Supreme Secretary, in a letter dated April 27, 1938 said "Moneys that should have come to the Supreme Office were used for the needs of the Seattle Council building association." The financial report for Jan 1-Mar 16, 1938 prepared for the visit of the Special Agent showed \$150 to Supreme Council and \$1408.80 to the Club out of the total of \$2601.40. In 1937, Seattle Council 676 held the first Annual Gridiron Banquet honoring the football teams of Seattle Prep and O'Dea High Schools. These banquets continue today except that Blanchet and Kennedy High Schools came into being and are included. There were 15 charter members of the Gridiron Club, each donating \$5.00 to the program. This is now the '200 Club' and the dues are \$15 a year to underwrite the Banquet which serves over 250 players, coaches and athletic directors.

The Seattle Knights of Columbus Club increased its land holdings in the early 1960s by purchasing the large lot north of the club building from the Archdiocese and the lot in the center

of the block facing on Boylston Avenue from private ownership. In March 1973, during the term of PGK John D. O'Brien, the council began the Annual St Patrick's Luncheon with Nobles of the Nile Temple of the Shriners. In August, the Supreme Convention was held in Seattle for the second time.

Since 1956 the membership has declined and the Club Building grew older with increasing problems and costs of maintenance. The Board of Control studied the question as to the continued existence and operation of the building. A number of proposals were considered but on October 31, 1988 the Club and Harvard Associates signed a Land-Lease agreement. This agreement was not exercised. During the late 1990s the council did renovate the building. The third floor, with its ceremonial chamber and ante-chamber, became rental space. A nice entrance from Harvard Ave was added to the 722 East Union entrance. The first and second floors were remodeled. The first floor was particularly well done and got a lot of favorable notice.

During these years, we hosted youth groups for the Seattle Urban Plunge and the Peace & Justice movement. We continued making sandwiches for the November Special Olympics; conducting the girls CYO Basketball Tournament; continued our annual Shriners meetings, Christmas parties and monthly first degrees.

SEATTLE - Prefontaine Council 1267

Prefontaine Council 1267 was instituted by District Deputy James H Kane on October 28, 1907 at a meeting held in Woodmen's Hall. The officers were elected at the preceding meeting on October 21, 1907. The officers elected were:

Grand Knight	Frank M Egan	Deputy Grand Knight	Charles E McEvoy
Chancellor	F A Brockhaven	Recorder	John J Gorman
Financial Secretary	V L MacAdam	Treasurer	J J Sullivan
Lecturer	S V Carey	Advocate	Fitzpatrick
Warden	F G Hurley	Outside Guard	Fred Dore
Trustee	N Boyle	Trustee	James Shea
Trustee	C J Kelly Jr		

At institutional meeting, notice was given of a 3rd Degree in Tacoma on Sunday, November 3rd. Arrangements were made for all members to meet at the dock of the S.S. Flyer at 10:25 a.m. to take the steamer to be present at the exemplification. In 1907 the transportation was slightly different from today. Meetings were weekly on Monday nights. The next three meetings were primarily concerned with increasing the membership. Care was taken to see that candidates attend the 1st degree in Seattle council 676 on Wednesday November 20th. The first lecturer's program was a talk on China by a Father Garro following the November 18th meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 for this talk.

The hall rental was \$35 per month. Election of officers for 1908 was held on Monday, December 2, 1907. All officers were reelected except F.S. V L MacAdam, who declined to run "for reasons of weight made known to the council by Bro. MacAdam." Brother J J Lawless was elected as FS. The Good of the Order was a regular part of each meeting under the Lecturer. It was music (choral and solo), debates (12/9/07 "Resolved that the mule is a more useful member of society than a schoolteacher", result: Draw), smokers, dancing parties, mock trials, etc. By February 3, 1908 the council had its own 1st degree team exemplify the 1st degree in its own hall. The DGK part was taken by Thomas J Bergland of Tacoma as this council's **DGK**, Charles McEvoy, was sick with typhoid fever. Father Prefontaine was also sick, but not the same illness.

By the February 17th meeting, both were well on the road to recovery. This meeting was publicized as being very important and even had a special mailing to all members. There were two main items on the agenda. The first was a bill of \$107.75 from the Portland Degree team for the instituting of the council. The Trustees were instructed to take up this matter with the State

Deputy who subsequently said that the council should pay the bill. The council then voted to take up the matter directly with the National Board of Directors (3/16/08). The second agenda item was extensive discussion on whether a hall should be purchased immediately or at some later date. Some suggested waiting until 150 members or 300 members were in the council. This meeting lasted over two hours. No decision was reached. The bills read on March 30, 1908 were perhaps an insight on the customs of 81 years ago:

T J Ivers	Cigars	\$25.50
J J Gorman	Postage	\$1.10
F G Hurley	Express Charges on paraphernalia	\$2.50

Cigars again approved \$30.00 on June 15th. Starting in June 1908 and continuing were discussions about joint use of Seattle Council 676's proposed new hall and representation on the hall's executive board. These discussions would continue. They were made more urgent because of the regrade work going on in the area. This made renting from the Woodsmen of the World legally impossible because access to the lower floor, used by the Knights, was difficult. In July the meeting place was changed to the Silver Building. Council ByLaws (more extensive than most current ones) were approved August 17, 1908.

State Deputy T J Gorman was present and spoke at the April 27, 1908 meeting. Father Prefontaine died in March, 1909. The Trustees of councils 676 and 1267 agreed upon \$50/month for July 08 to March 1909 but would be \$60/month in future. May 17, 1909 council approved a joint resolution with Seattle 676 making James J Gorman permanent secretary of the two Seattle Councils with a salary of \$150 per month. Some examples of expenses during 1909 include: degree work on May 20, \$320.10 (Prefontaine council portion \$136.55) and Cigars for August, \$58.25.

At the October 10, 1910 meeting a letter from D.D. John D Carmody (whose address was 407 American Bank Bldg, Seattle) admonishing each council that two degrees could not be exemplified on the same day and that three months must elapse between the 1st and 2nd degrees and another 3 months between the 2nd and 3rd degrees. The last meeting minutes available are for December 12, 1910.

PREFONTAINE COUNCIL MERGED WITH SEATTLE COUNCIL 676 IN 1912.

SEATTLE - North Seattle Council 5177

North Seattle Council 5177 was instituted August 10, 1961 with 54 members. The Charter Members and Officers were:

J J Agopsowicz	D J Hoskins	R L Murphy
J T Backus	R A Hourigan GK	Elmore Oistad
W M Barnett	C Johnson	C H Olander
C Barnum	W Johnston	M J Paar
J A Beckman	R Kallmeyer	C J Poelzer
William H Brewer*	J T Kelly	D H Reubish
H Burkett	Thomas Kobayashi	R J Rice
G F Christman	M Lampman	D Riccardo
D Conzatti	V LaVera	F G Riener
V E Cote	J G Lotta	W S Schindler
R J Duffy	J Mancinell	F P Schreiber
A Ellis	J P Martin Jr	L H Segle
J D Favero	E McLeod	Reed M Skibness*
D M Flanagan	G Merlino	R Staudenraus
Roger J Gill*	P Merlino	Dr Otto A Voegler*
J D Haley	R L Miranda	C P Williams

D G Hamilton
F P Hanna

C Moyes
J Murphy

J E Winskowski
A F Zweber

Shortly after the council was formed, the officers met to consider the purchase of a building. Grand Knight Dick Hourigan sent a letter with the thoughts of the council officers together with a questionnaire asking about the extent of each member's financial participation and asking whether we should proceed. Based on the response, a Building Committee was appointed. After some changes by the Supreme Council, the council bylaws were approved and the Building Committee began to function.

A non-profit corporation was formed to be the property holder. A building was purchased in the spring of 1964. Much work went into the building to make it a good place for meetings and social affairs. The membership continued to grow. The members are active in many community and social functions. One of the chief of these has been the Holiday Invitational Basketball Tournament dedicated to the memory of Roger Gill. Through his efforts, the first of these Basketball Tournaments was held in December 1962. The council has been host to the District and Regional Free Throw Contests.

Harold Sullivan and Don Dixon were Grand Knights for two- one-year terms each. Harold Sullivan was appointed State Youth Director and then District Deputy. Reed Skibness was also District Deputy. Tom Kobayashi was one of the key members of the Religious Information Bureau for over 30 years. In 1980, after several hearings with the city on the new Noise Ordinance, we were forced to sell our building. This caused much disappointment after so much work had gone into it. Since that time we have been meeting at the KofC Center on Greenwood Ave N.

We have continued our family potlucks; fixing sandwiches monthly for the St Martin De Porres Shelter; our annual crab feeds and – for over 30 years – hosting the annual CYO boys basketball tournament. In 1994 we celebrated Jim McDonald's 100th birthday and, only a few months later, his death.

SEATTLE - Vern Raschko-Magnolia Council 8311

The Vern Raschko-Magnolia Council 8311 was instituted on March 24, 1983 by District Deputy Harold J Sullivan. The charter members and officers were:

Chester S Alderman
John A Bossly **IG**
Rev T A Crowe **TR**
John M Deines
Douglas J Engel
Donald J Filipcic
Thos J Guilfoil **Adv**
Harold A Lass **GK**
Richard C Lussy
W G Miller Jr **TR**
Paul A Reh Jr **FS**
James C Simmons
August Traxinger

Richard Bauman
Allen B Codling*
T E Crooks **DGK**
Jeremiah Donohue
Marvin Engquist
Milton J Furness
Ted E Hutton
Harold W Lass
Patrick J McAllister
Edward L Mueller
V Rev M G Ryan **TR**
Leo V Steinberger
Alfred A Werran

Lee L Bolton*
Donald Codling
John Davis
Patrick M Dwyer **OG**
Howard E Fawcett
Owen E Greenough
V Rev William P Lane
F M Latawiec **Chan**
P J McGillicuddy **W**
D R Niehaus **Treas**
F B Schuller **Rec**
George H Taft
Douglass R Yeaman

Instituted on March 24th, we had our Charter 2nd and 3rd degrees at the Seattle Council 676 hall on Sunday April 10th and had our first regular business meeting on Thursday April 14th. In our first full year of operation we refinished the pews, built a ramp for the handicapped, replaced lights in the church and installed an electric garage door opener at the convent. We started our Free Throw Contest, Pro-Life activities.

In the next several years we maintained these activities while also regularly host the coffee and donuts at church after Sunday Mass. We started our Lenten Soup Suppers and have had fund raisers. In 1988-89 we raised \$100 for CYO and \$400 for the parish youth group with pancake breakfasts; a Crab Feed raised \$700 for the parish center supplies and tables. We donated \$100 to the Mater Dei Institute for vocations and \$50 to Morality in Media. Our two blood drives got 250 pints and we sponsored CPR training where 25 parishioners were certified.

In the 1990s, this council has concentrated on Family and Church activities. We have supported our own parishes with CCD instructors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, maintenance, etc. This council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes.

We have annually a Columbus Day Italian Dinner; an annual crab feed (with proceeds to Our Lady of Fatima Parish School); three blood drives; the Free Throw Contest and making sandwiches for the Special Olympics. We co-sponsor Christmas parties and the annual CYO basketball tournament.

SEATTLE - Msgr Ailbe M McGrath Council 8437

Council Historian: Philip E. Moran

Msgr Ailbe M McGrath Council 8437 was instituted on July 12, 1983 by District Deputy Raymond J Sauer. The charter members and officers were:

Dwayne A Blondin
George H Bradley **TR**
Virgilio P Enriquez
Art I Grandbois **OG**
Eugene D Hoglund
Raymond LoCascio **FS**
Calix F Martos
Philip E Moran **GK**
Patricio C Rivera
Edward V Rowe **IG**
James F Sledodnick
Augusto B Subaran
Charles Vaurs
Robt M Youngs **DGK***

Anton J Boehm
Rev Paul H Byrne, **Chap**
Bradford W Erickson
James M Hess
Steven L Holms **Adv**
Victor E Madura
Donald L Marty **Chan***
B A Ngalongalay
Renato C Rivera
R J Schmieder **TR**
Donald L Small **W**
Robert L Swartout
Theodore J Wiese

Daniel J Bradley
Philip A Dick **TR**
Don A Ganchorrre
G Thomas Hoffman
Joseph H Krempel
Paul B Manulat
Dennis T Moran
Paul A Pellini
Micheal J Roberts
J Segerstrom **Treas***
James H Snow
Kevin P Tucker
James R Yantzer

Msgr Ailbe M McGrath, pastor of Holy Family parish in Seattle for 33 years was chosen as patron for this council. Spearheading and instrumental in the establishment of the new council in White Center was D.D. Raymond J Sauer. Since our beginning we have concentrated on Pro-Life and Community activities but have strongly supported the Free Throw Contest with some success. A 13 year old girl from our contest went on to become the State winner in her classification. We have had an excellent monthly newsletter.

Our Pro-Life activities have included purchasing fetal model sets, Pro-Life speakers and the March for Life annually. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. We participate in the Pennies for Heaven program; CPR training; and hold a pancake breakfast with proceeds to Pregnancy Aid and Human Life programs. We also help maintain the parish grounds and facilities and make lunches for the Special Olympics. We also have annual crab dinners.

SEATTLE - Msgr. F. X. Prefontaine Council 11085

Council Historian:

Msgr. F. X. Prefontaine Council 11085 was instituted in Seattle on April 14, 1993 by District Deputy William J. White. The charter members were:

Robert W. Bouse	Thomas J Cook	Denis J Donovan
Martin J Finney	Carl V Forster*	John O Fowble*
Robert T Frank	John J Henry	Joseph V Jainga Jr
Jerome M Jainga	F Bennett Jones*	Frank A Kokowski
Gerald E Minerich	Rafael L Navera	Daniel J O'Donnell
Robert P Oates*	John R Opheim	Martin J Owens
Vatsek Parda	Eugene A Pastro	Rev James D Picton
Joseph J Ripp	John L Rodabaugh	Peter G Schneider
Richard D Sorenson	Joseph T Souther	Joseph A Sterk
Lyle R Stevenson	Duane L Vincent PGK*	Robert N White
Robert A Williams		

SEATTLE – Fr Richard Stohr Council 12175

Fr Richard Stohr Council was instituted in Seattle on March 26, 1998 by District Deputy Brent J Mikkelsen. The charter members were:

Rodger E Clement	James W Farris	Melvin Figuracion
Curtis A Grotting	Fr William Hallahan	Ross Harbeck
David C Hill	Donald M Hill	Thomas A Hutyler
Dan M Kistler Sr	Joseph A Magera Jr	Jon M Marcotte
William J McCambridge	Michael J McGrath	Dominic V Megale
Joseph P Megale	Joseph V Megale	Joseph L Moldovan
Stephen L Morel	Timothy J Morley	Chris J Paulsen
Robert J Percival	Joseph P Quinn	William E Reagor
Patrick H Riedl	Lamberto D Sazon	Francis L Sigman
James C Tague	Thomas J Voiland	Eugene J Vojir
Harry A Watters		

SEATTLE – Msgr. Achtergael Council 12889

Council Historian, Michael Ramos GK, 3/22/06

Fr. James Gandrou, pastor of St. Alphonsus Parish, and parishioner Don Luby, District Deputy 1 were instrumental in the formation of the council. Having begun as a roundtable of Seattle Council 676, we were chartered on March 15, 2001. The charter members were:

Charles F Bentley	Kevin J Broderick	Mark J Brusich
Rev Robert A Camuso	James P Chamberlin	Robert G Cramer III
Michael J Daly DGK	Terrence L Duffield	James A Foskin
Rev James H Gandrau	Greg J Gerarden	Gerard R Guinasso
Paul P Heppner	John J Hoag FS	Mark D Lambert
Jason A Lasko	Rev George F Limbani	Hayman J Look
Luis A Lucero	James E Lynch	Michael P Martin
Steve M Martin	Daniel J McGeough GK	Robert B Nesbit III
Javier R Ortiz-Aponte	Martin J Owens	Michael D Ramos
Mark H Scheibe	Harold H Small	Donn G Troyer
Christopher R Van Hollebeke	James M Waldref	Frank P Wooley Rec

Programs instituted to benefit the parish and community included: an annual Crab Feed, a Quarterly Life Chain, school auction support, an annual Super Bowl party, Day of the Unborn sponsorship, support of 2 seminarians, a quarterly parish ground-cleaning, purchasing hearing aid devices for the parish, providing donuts following summer Masses, annual KCIC card sales, an annual Free-throw competition, annual Pro-life essay and poster contests, and the sponsoring of a blood drive.

The council is proud that, during the past four years, they have raised enough funds at the annual crab feed to donate \$1,000 each toward seminarians and the parish school. Our membership has grown to 48 members and is hoping for more in the future. We achieved Star Council recognition during 2004.

SEATTLE - Council of Jesus 13606

Council Historian, Michael Bordner FS

Council of Jesus 13606 was instituted on August 13, 2004. Charter members included:

Father Daniel Syverstad	Bro. John Bingham	Bro. Augustine Hilander
Walter Ablang	Esteban Ambrad-Chalela	Pablo Amezquita
Domingo J. Andrade	Reynaldo Y. Bemudez	Robin A. Bernhoft
Michael K. Bordner FS	Joseph A. Bruce	Clinton D Cox
Joseph P. Creamer	Luke Ehlis	Alexander J. Faringer
Nicholas Faringer	Juan Garcia	Martin E. Hoyer
Richard G. Hozjaun	Robert J Jamieson	John A. Lindblom
Jose Maia	Earl Manzano	Eurel Manzano
Miguel Marez	Thomas J Moore	Stephen J. Patterson
David J Quinby	William R. Redler	Louis L. Richardson
Kurt Rittenrnyer	James J Schumacher	James T Schurnacher
Jeffrey J. Schumacher GK	John H. Schurnacher	John Michael Schumacher
Valentine Schumacher	Matthew J Small	Gabriel F. Starczewski
Marco Taswin	Jaime Timberlake	Zack C. Wetzel

Jeff Schumacher walked the streets of University of Washington and found that the community was very secular. He wanted to introduce the Knights of Columbus into the community in hopes of upholding Catholic traditions. Father Daniel Syverstad at Blessed Sacrament accepted the request to have a council established. Jeff spent many hours recruiting members from the Blessed Sacrament Parish until Council of Jesus was established on Aug 13th 2004. Immediately, charter Grand Knight Jeff Schumacher established roundtables in Assumption and St.Bridget parishes in the hope that two new councils would be born within a year's time.

The name Council of Jesus came from Jeff Schumacher's near death experience at a young age. Jeff explained to others that he drowned in a swimming pool at home and saw Christ. Jesus was clothed in white with a red band from the shoulder and across the chest to the waist. As Jesus appeared, he told Jeff, "It is not yet time for you to die." Jeff's parents pulled him out of the water and feared for his life. Each day following Jeff's near death experience he has developed a strong desire to support God's will on earth. Throughout Jeff's life, he gladly tells others to rejoice and that Jesus is coming soon.

Jeff Schumacher became one of the top recruiters for Washington State. He became the charter Grand Knight of Council of Jesus and served as greeter, lecturer, reader, and alter server for the Blessed Sacrament parish. Jeff achieved the Washington State Knight of the Year award for the 2004-2005 fraternal year. He is also a Field Agent in Western Washington. The Council of Jesus has written Jeff Schumacher in its history as "Schumacher the Great."

During the first year, charter members of Council of Jesus have achieved several tasks. They have supported Sunday parish masses, the Columbus Charities raffle, parish medieval fair, Christmas celebrations, St.Patrick's party, free throw competition, blood drives, Sunday school education, community evangelization, and the parish auction. In addition, the Council has assisted with parish cleaning, painting projects, parish adoration, and etc.

SEATTLE - Council of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 13761

Council of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary was instituted in Seattle on March 28, 2005 by District Deputy Daniel G Donohue. The charter members were:

Gordon K Balbin	Ferdinand P Baricevic	Russell D Bauder
John F Briggs	John P Carvalho	John J Davies
Rev Oliver F Duggan	Matthew V Eusterman	Jeffrey E Flohr
Paul M Flora	Adam Gavin	Spencer Gibbs
Saikat K Guhal	John A Hall	Bart A LaGuardia
James A Landay	John A Lindblom	Fernando Martinez
Owen S McKannay	James Michael	Stuart B Miner
Brian G O'Fallon	Michael L Olver	William P Pastewait
Christopher J Penkala	Joseph T Riordan	Daniel Santillan
Daniel J Say	Thomas W Scherer	Scott Streuli

SEATTLE – Pope John Paul II Council 13794

Pope John Paul II Council 13794 was instituted during early May of 2005. Charter Grand Knight Renato Sacramento represented the council at the 102nd Annual Washington State Convention held in Tukwila later that month. Council organizers included Monte Cromwell DD15 and New Council Chairman Rick Wessling. The council serves the parish of St Edward in Seattle. Charter members and officers include:

Peter Aulaumca	Tavita J Aulaumea	Leovigildo N Baclay
Joselito R Balmaceda	Melanio P Bulatao	Anthony B Cruz Adv
Daniel M Donovan Chan	Joel R Fadul TR3	Rizelito L Fadul
Tracy J Fagan IG	Jason C Fredette TR1	John L Fredette Rec
Daniel F Healy Treas	Joseph J Jacquemart FS	Paul E Jacquemart
Rev Fausto K Kaverenge	John T Laufasa	Brian E Leonato
Malomaua T Leonato OG	Russell A Lessard	Paul D Liam
Alejandro L Macalma Jr DGK	Wes J McKechnie TR2	Archie T Palfallatoc
Rev Felino S Paulino Vice-Chap	Sagato R Pele	Anthony R Peters
Frank A Peters	Renato A Sacramento	Renato E Sacramento GK
Reynaldo A Sacramento	Bobby M Samson	Nicholas J Schweyen
Stephen G Schweyen Jr	Stephen G Schweyen Sr W	Tunwa M Toia
Alexander B Tonel	Rev Joseph J Tyson Chap	Guy W Valencia Lect

SEATTLE – Council of St Bridget 13834

Council of St Bridget was instituted in Seattle on June 14, 2005 by District Deputy Daniel G Donohue. The charter members were:

Mark A Acarregui	Gaylan J Adair	Robert J Barry
Stephen D Cory	Nicola V DiMartino III	Brian J Driscoll
Deacon Dennis T Duffell	Keith A Dung	Douglas V Ernest
John E Ernest	Fritz H Field	Garrett S Fitzgerald
William D Garcia	Thomas M Gehrig	Brian S Henling

Gerald P Jandacka	Matthew R Little	Anthony T Lovrovich
Terrance M Mahony	Joseph G Marra	James K Marshall
Phillip R Martin	Richard T Morse	Robert S McCambridge
Robert J Orlando	J Martin Padilla	Joseph C Rinaldi
Anthony J Rodriguez	James M Schnitzius	William A Shannon
Peter M Thein	Robert J Weis	Donald J West
Stephen West		

SEATTLE – St. Mathew Council 14852

Council Historian: Romerico D Ablao II (7/16/11)

St. Matthew Council was instituted on September 28, 2009 by District Deputy Keith Klaus. Romulo A. Ramus was elected as the charter Grand Knight. . The State Deputy was John M. Wallace of St. John Bosco Council 11762 in Lakewood.

The charter members were as follows:

Luis P Abad Jr	Romerico D Ablao II	Samir B Abulail
Samuel D Anulacion	Rogelio B Barcelona	Albert L Brosas
Cipriano T Brosas	Lawrence R Brown	Cassidy M Bueb
Nick Buono	Gregory R Crooks	George A Daher Sr
James A Darcy	Kenneth E Darcy	Francisco S De Asis
Victor A Dela Merced	Paul Dorn	Roland B Espiritu
Nicholas Fletcher	Alfred A Frates	Adrian X Garcia
Rogelio F Garcia	Jose S Gardon	John W Green
Keith R Klaus	Thomas T Kobayashi	Aproniano D Labonite
Daniel Melendez	Edsel B Moraleja	Jun M Morales
Robert M O'Neil	Edgar C Ordiz	Jose S Portacio
Howard M Radermacher	Romulo A Ramos Jr GK	Christopher M Ramos
Jose M Ramos	Mario M Ramos	Paul M Ramos
James F Robertson	Christopher L Rolph	Phillipe F Savereux
Bryan M Sloane	Patrick J Sloane	Rolando G Suarez
John J Sweeney	Benigno L Vergara	John W Wennberg
Arnie J Williams		

SEATTLE – John Peyton Council 15338

Manuel E. Jaramillo, Charter Grand Knight – instituted in August 2011 at St Paul Parish, Seattle.

SEATTLE – St Edwards Council 15538

Special thanks to District Deputy Renato Sacramento, District 15, and Eugene Daly, New Council Development and Round Table West. The Charter Grand Knight is Nelson C. Pesigan and the Charter Financial Secretary is Manuel H Valdez.

SEATTLE - North American Martyrs Council 15721

SEDRO-WOOLLEY - North Cross Council 8672

North Cross Council 8672 was instituted on April 5, 1984 in Sedro-Woolley by District Deputy Buenaventura P. Manuel with 37 members and now has 61. The real push for this council came from members of Msgr. Boulet council 2126 in Mt. Vernon who resided in Sedro-Woolley's Immaculate Heart of Mary Church. They wanted their own council and were assisted by NCD Assistant Chairman Henry Therrien.

On April 27, 1984 the package of membership applications was rushed to the Supreme Council and the Council Number was issued. By the time the Charter was issued on November 20th, there were 46 members. The Charter Members were:

Jeffrey A. Adler	Robert J. Brester*	Dr. David A. Brewer
Marty R. Brown	George H. Bullett	Charles L. Cimoch
Raymond G. Clemens	David J. Dickson	J P Doucette
Raymond E. Eaton*	Wayne L. Faber	Leo T. Garcia Jr
Leopold C. Garcia	Patrick M. Hayden	Gordon R. Herr
Walter J Janicki	Stanley Janicki Jr	Edmund J. Jason
Paul Jay	Kristinn D. Kinney	William F. Kinney Jr
Jon B. Knechtel	Kenneth A. LaBounty	Joseph J. Lawlor
Nicholas A. Martich	Jeff D. Menter	James F. Metz*
Michael J. Moran	Harry F. Myers	George J. O'Brien
Chester L. Obertacz	Paul F. Peasley	James F. Pizzuto
Richard M Raymond Jr	Charles F. Roetker	James M. Sakshaug Jr
Arthur E. Sandon	John G. Scerbik	John R. Scerbik
Frank J. Schmitz	Julius C. Schulze*	Clifford D. Sears
Leo P. Urbick GK	William E. Wetzel	Craig Wilburn
William E. Wilburn		

The Charter Grand Knight, Leo P. Urbick, attended the State Convention in Bremerton and the council was recognized as the 'baby council' of the state. Leo was presented with an appropriate 'jewel' - a giant pacifier on a ribbon. He got to present it to the next 'baby council' GK at the following year's convention in Richland to the Grand Knight of Colbert Council 8872. The Order had increased by 200 council numbers between these two councils in less than a year. We have become a very active council and will be heard from in the future.

SELAH - Our Lady of Lourdes Council 8768

Council Historian: Raymond I Trampush

Our Lady of Lourdes Council 8768 was instituted in Selah on August 12, 1984 by District Deputy Gerald P Horner. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Melvin Allen*	Nicholas R Axtman	Gerard R Brule
Maurice A Coleman	Ruben R Dabalos	Lawrende F D'Honot
Don Geck	Gary D Gooler	Bill R Guyette
Carl G Halterman	Bobbie L Irby	Casey Kanalos
Jerry L Kappenman	R D Kenoyer Treas	M A Klingele Rec
Arnold J Korynta	Vincent M Lorrain	James T Maloney
G L Masterman W *	John M Medrano	Clarence A Meldrom
Alan L Melton Chan	Scott A Melton Adv	Robt L Mozingo DGK *
Dean F Munns	Arthur J Newman	Tony S Ott FS
R H Overby Lect	Rev R J Queen Chap	Rick P Qunell
Thomas A Render	Donald P Rice	Raymond L Rossignol
Raymond C Rust	William J Rust	Nick V Sitter
Walter Sybouts	William H Shuel	Kerry L Snodgrass
Stanley P Tabak	Adolph J Trampush	Brian J Trampush
David M Trampush	Ray I Trampush GK *	Louis E Tyrrell
Rene Vogel OG	Leonard L Walker TR	Nahum T Wilson
Adam J Wurtz TR *	John R Wysock	

The council had its origins in a meeting on July 9, 1984 with DD Gerald P Horner, Brothers Raymond I Trampush, Tony Ott, Adam J Wurtz, Royce Royer and Father Richard J Queen - pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church. The topic of the meeting was a new council for the parish. DD Horner appointed Ray Trampush as chairman of the organizing committee. By July 23rd we had a 1st degree with 5 candidates. At this meeting Ray Trampush was elected Grand Knight and Tony Ott's name was submitted to Supreme Council as Financial Secretary. 21 Form 100s were mailed in at this time.

On August 27th the election of Officers was held, with the results noted above. We had 31 members at this time but had 50 when the charter was closed in September. During our first year we began our Pennies for Heaven monthly "Paper & Aluminum Can Drive" where 10% of the proceeds gave us a recurring source of funds for this activity. Bud Wilson was Chairman. We had the kitchen duties for the parish Annual Bazaar where we served over 500 barbecued chicken dinners. It was a big success.

We also had a Memorial Service; a bowling team; sponsored the scouting activities and the Free Throw Contest (where one of our girls tied at the State finals) and, on New Year's Eve after the 5:00 p.m. Mass (which Bishop Skylstad concelebrated), there was a "Mortgage Burning" of the parish mortgage. The Knights then served a free barbecued sirloin dinner to over 500 people. We climaxed the first year with our Charter Night Dinner for 83 people. The head table included State Chaplain Bishop Skylstad; State Deputy Hector P Maffei and his wife Gloria; State Secretary George C. Turk and his wife Jean; State Advocate Everett A Turner and his wife Donna; District Deputy Gerald Horner and his wife Eileen; MC John Wysock (our Field Agent) and his wife Jan; Grand Knight Raymond I Trampush and his wife Aurora. Charter Member Certificates were presented to all charter members present by State Deputy Maffei. He also presented the Council Charter to GK Ray Trampush. The Father Joseph Caruana 4th Degree Assembly, through its Faithful Navigator Everett A. Turner, presented an American flag to our council. Everyone present sang "Happy Birthday" to Bishop Skylstad and presented him with a Birthday cake which was shared by all.

We have continued to be active. We kept all of the original programs but have since added the Pro-Life program; working with the Selah Food Bank; the blood donor program; Family/Knight of Month/Year program and have a full schedule of social events. We continue to supply ushers, lectors and Eucharistic ministers. We are healthy and enthusiastic.

SEQUIM – Sequim Council 8455

Sequim Council 8455 was instituted on July 24, 1983 by District Deputy Edmund S Pietras. The charter members and officers were:

Robert S Adams
Joseph Boisselle
Michael Carpenter
J G Del Judge **GK**
Louis Gales

James W Amos
Michael Bostick
Marvin H Cherf
James P Dinan
John Gavin

D G Behrenfeld
Frank Burckhardt
Oliver L Coutu
Raymond V Faure
Francis F Gray



Indian John Hill Reststop (l to r) Jean Rossignol, Mel Allen GK, Virginia Allen, Tony Ott, Sandy Collins, Lucy Fromhertz, Donna Cyr, Ray Rossignol

Paul N Higgins	W J Johnston	Ralph Klein
John N Laurie	George M Leadon	Andrew Loehr
James H Luke	Jack L Mauck*	Rene C Marceau
Joseph J Miska	James Nolan Jr	Thomas O'Laughlin
Millard A Olson	John N Pfeffer*	Rev Dennis Robb
B K Saulsbury*	Thomas L Skillman*	Richard T Smith
Nelson Topper Jr	Adrian C Van Son	

Instituted in July, 1983 we had an Octoberfest - our first function - raising \$1100 for the church. This was followed by a spaghetti dinner, working with the Ladies Altar Society, to raise \$1177 toward the purchase of a new organ. PSD John R Klein actually presented our charter at a dinner on March 4, 1984. We have an excellent youth program. In 1984-85 we adopted navy blue blazers and gray slacks as a dress uniform for the council and the practice of all members wearing their K of C name badges at Mass and all other functions at church to increase our visibility.

The average age of our council is rather high as many people retire to Sequim. Many of our members are retired. This does not slow us down. We conducted the annual parish picnic; 3-4 blood drives annually; pancake breakfasts; the Pro Life, Blood Bank and Clergy Night programs and the annual PGK Night and Christmas party. We hold steak fries, a Spaghetti dinner, Clergy night, and an Octoberfest. We are quite strong in the Pro-Life area and regularly hold corporate communions.

We received the Star Council award in 1988 and our membership has increased to 96 - more than doubled. We are active and growing.

SHORELINE – Fr. Theodore P. Sullivan Council 11217

Father Theodore P. Sullivan Council 11217 was instituted in Seattle on November 18, 1993 by District Deputy William J. White. The charter members were:

Cecilio L Abad	Romarico B Ablao	Napoleon Arcala
David C Brewer	Eugene Y W Chen	Gumersindo M Cupat
Lawrence P Darbin	Celedonio H Ebilane	Raymond Egan
Charles C Gazarek	Rufino G Isip	Lloyd V Laplante
Henry M Lopez	Thomas P Magpoc	Dennis S Mahar
Oscar A Mazon	Brent Mikkelsen	Robert F Noe
Rev Edward J Norris	Dan R O'Connor	Rodrigo O Publico
Jose Paguia	Francisco C Rendorio	Victor B Reyes
Ricardo L Rumeral	Eugene E Sovar	John F Thorne
Romeo A Torres	Noli C Vencilao	Santiago A Vencilao
Michael Vreeburg	John J White Jr	Robert J Wolf
Pedro Yabarra		

SHORELINE – St. Luke Council 14689

After several year of trying, a new council has been established at St. Luke Parish in Shoreline. The official name recorded with the Supreme Council is St. Luke Council 14689. The new council was spearheaded and development through the joint efforts of Romy Ablao (District Deputy 21), Keith Klaus (District Deputy 27), and Father Bob Camuso. Insurance Field Agent Carl Gerling also provided assistance in the formation of the council. When Romy Ablao initially mentioned the idea of forming a new council during his pulpit talk on November 15, sixteen parishioners signed membership applications and 14 current members signed transfer documents. In succeeding First Degree Exemplifications, 5 new members were initiated. Currently, the total membership stands at 34. The Charter will stay open for 60 days to enable the exemplification of

new members. The first organizational meeting will be held on Sunday, February 15 to elected officers and appoint chairmen of the different program activities of the council.

SILVERDALE – Fr. John Francis Laboon Council 13395

On 22 September, 2003, the Father John Francis “Jake” Laboon Council was formally instituted in Silverdale, WA, on Navy Submarine Base Bangor. The chartering ceremony followed three weeks later during Columbus Day celebrations on 12 October when the Worthy State Deputy, Brother Patrick M. Maloney, presented the 31 members of the new council the charter during Mass. The Chartering District Deputy was Brother Richard K. Wessling, of Council 11789. The council was formally given the name of the Father John Francis “Jake” Laboon Council 13395 by the Supreme Council and was instituted in District 2 of the Washington State jurisdiction. Over 40 Knights and their families, Prince of Peace Parish community members, Knights and their families from the other six councils in the district, local Navy Chaplains from the base and ships assigned to the Pacific Northwest Region, and 25 members of the Kitsap Fourth Degree Color Corps attended the celebration.

The council was established to provide support to the Navy Roman Catholic community at Naval Base Kitsap – Bangor, Bremerton, and Keyport, and to administer to the special needs of military families and to assist military Chaplains. Although the council originated as a Round Table of the Msgr. Hugh O’Flaherty Council 8297 in Poulsbo, WA, the chartering Knights were from the Msgr. Hugh O’Flaherty Council, the Holy Trinity Council 11789 in Bremerton, WA, as well as newly initiated First Degree Knights.



Since October 2003, the Father Jake Laboon Council has established itself as an integral part of the military and Prince of Peace parish community, and became the catalyst for a renewed spirit within the Catholic population at Submarine Base Bangor, at Naval Station Bremerton, and aboard Navy submarines and ships. Since its chartering, the council has: Held pro-life weekends; Provided support to two seminarians; Sponsored local community theater shows; Organized blood drives; Qualified and volunteered as track officials supporting the youth of two local high schools; Held Superbowl Parties for the sailors and marines stationed on the base as well as council members; Hosted Information Nights to community members on the Knights of Columbus and its programs; Held a Scholarship Weekend providing information to community teenagers on scholarships available through the Knights of Columbus and other agencies; Awarded scholarships to Catholic college students; Sponsored a Fraternal Benefits Night; Held art auction fund raisers with another local council promoting fraternity between councils, Hosted Boy Scouts from two troops to a breakfast following their semi-annual Honor Council; Restarted the Chapel social hour after Mass services promoting community and fellowship; Started a new Pennies for Heaven fundraiser; Started the “Adopt-a-Sailor/Marine” program in which sailors and marines are matched with council members and their families to provide active duty service members with Catholic homes and home environments to visit, activities to keep them involved with the Church and active in our Faith community; Started the “Care for Deployed Families” program in which council members monitor and visit with the families of deployed service members to address family needs such as maintenance around their homes, emotional support, and ensuring the families remain active and participating members of the Naval Submarine Base Bangor Catholic community and are not lost as “deployment widows and children.”

The council took the name of Father John Francis “Jake” Laboon, a priest who devoted his life to service to God, country and the Navy. Father Jake was commissioned as a Naval Officer and assigned to the submarine USS PETO (SS 265), on which he won the Silver Star for bravery for diving from his moving submarine to rescue a downed aviator under heavy enemy fire in a mine field during World War II. At the close of the war, Lieutenant Laboon left the

Navy to become a Jesuit priest and returned in 1958 as a member of the Chaplain Corps. He served God and country throughout the Pacific theatre and eventually earned the Legion of Merit medal with Combat "V" for his service with the Marines in Vietnam. Father Jake concluded his career as a Navy Priest after serving as the first chaplain for the Polaris Submarine Program and later the senior Catholic Chaplain at the Naval Academy, following which the Naval Academy honored him by renaming the Chaplain's Centre in his honor. When he retired in 1979, Captain Laboon was the Fleet Chaplain, Atlantic Fleet. When he retired from military service, Father Jake served as the house manager of the Jesuit retreat facility, Manresa-on-Severn, and his final tour of duty was as pastor of St. Alphonsus Rodriguez Church in Woodstock, Maryland. Seven years after his death, the Navy commemorated Father Jake's memory and commissioned the USS LABOON (DDG 58) on 18 March 1995 in his honor.

Today this small but proud council has grown to over 60 members and is working closely with the Priests and Protestant Chaplains assigned to the military installations and ships to promote Father McGivney's vision, the principles of the Knights of Columbus, pro-life and family values, encourage men and women to pursue religious vocations, and activities, while the council remains aligned to supporting our active duty service members and their families, and the Archdiocese of Military Services, within the Pacific Northwest Region.

Chartering members and officers included:

Johnny G. Agoot	Roger D. Aydt	James R. Collier TR1
George E. Cook Adv	Dennis George D. Cronin TR3	Rolando C. Cruz
Vincent M Cruz	David R. Dumpert IG	William J. Emery
Christopher V. O. Floro	Laurence T. Furey	Michael E. Haynes DGK
Toby B. Hoxie	Joseph W. Huber W	Thomas D. Jarvis Chan
Richard A. Knapp	Theodore F. Kunges Rec	Joseph I. Laguana
Stephan A. Matta	William E. Miller	David B. Mortimore GK
Larry G. Neville	Edward W. Rohmberg	Norman B. Sanders TR2
Christian J. Schultz	Michael L. Shurts	Donald G. Smith Treas
Timothy J. Sullivan	Kevin P. Sumner	Gregory E. Supancheck OG
Tracy W. Zuehls		

SNOHOMISH - St Michael's of Snohomish Council 9664

St Michael's of Snohomish Council 9664 was instituted on December 6, 1987 by District Deputy Joseph A. Wagner. The charter members and officers were:

Mel F Atherton	Cyril A Billerbeck	Cleo O Boser
Paul A Brand	Rev Dennis Champagne	Richard L Cook
Frank F Costa	Douglas C Dewald TR	Michael J. Dodge GK
Silas Flores Chan	Thomas J Freeburg	Thomas J Fuchs
Sydney J Hall	John R Herrera TR	Robert L Herring FS
Robert A Houck W	William A Jack	Buddy D Kammer
Hugh W Kendall TR	Kenneth A LaFantasie	Ward L Lyttle
Donato Malgesini	Carl Munding	Ronald M Nolan TR
John O Olmstead	Jerome H Schaffee	Steven O Schilling
Steven A Stolle Adv	Jeff R Telgenhoff	Norman R Urbick
Steven P Warner DGK*	Todd Whipple	Randall W Yates Rec

The process of starting a K of C Council in Snohomish began with a visit to the parish priest, Father Dennis Champagne, by NCD Chairman Harold A Knox and the then District

Deputy Ralph Bushaw in 1984. The usual subsequent meetings were held to inform the Catholic gentlemen in the area as to what was happening.

Recruitment started but we couldn't quite get 30 applications. After many subsequent meetings and recruitment efforts a council was finally instituted about two years later on December 6, 1987 through the dedicated efforts of NCD Chairman Harold A Knox, Former D.D. Ralph Bushaw and District Deputy Joseph A. Wagner. The council chose the name St Michael's of Snohomish. We are now started and on our way.

SNOQUALMIE - Snoqualmie Valley Council 11906

Snoqualmie Valley Council 11906 was instituted on December 19, 1996 in Snoqualmie by District Deputy Dwight K. Fujikawa. The charter members were:

Robert J Bender **TR**
Theron R Chamberlain
Francis P Gallagher
Donald J Kern **OG**
Gerald Lake
Edward J Majerle
Gerald D Nikolaisen **DGK**
Joseph J Rees
Donald W Simmons
James S Sullivan Jr **TR**

Robert J. Bourgeois
James F Duclos
Richard E Hansen
Daniel A Kirby
Ronald P Leavell
Robert M Nelson
Harry L Oestreich
G Robert Rohrbach **TR**
Robert I Simpson **GK**
Eugenio R Vila **W**

Andrew J Boyd
Randy S Freburg **Rec**
Roger F Huber **IG**
Ryan A Kolodejchuk **Chan**
William L Losleben
Vincent T Neunuebel **Treas**
Robert F Pomada **FS**
Ken J Sharp
William E Stevens
Donald J Whitney **Adv**



and George Buck of the Fourth Degree assembly presented a beautiful new US standard (flag).

The formal presentation of the Charter was in Holy Innocents Church, Duvall. D. D. Dwight Fujikawa presented the charter to G.K. Robert Simpson. There were 23 in attendance including Everett I Roberts State Secretary; Charles F. McLean, George C. Turk PSD & FVSM; William Schoentrup, Former DD; Carl A Anderson, FN. of the Very Rev William Power Assembly of the Fourth Degree and Chaplain Dave Warmuth. Carl A Anderson

SPANAWAY – Our Lady Queen of Heaven Council 6806

Spanaway Council 6806 was instituted on May 2, 1976 by District Deputy Dean Egan. The charter members were:

Edward B Amundsen
C Ayuso-Martinez*
Michael Blaskovic
Chriss J Dardis
Edward R Dardis
Robert R Dardis
William L. Desjardins
Alfred O Didio
George E Eagen Jr
Robert K Etteldorf
August A Etteldorf*
Robert R Fox

Herman B Glastetter
Robert B Hagen **GK**
Marvin F Hanson
Harvey A Hemond
Richard W Johnson*
Rev Edmund J Kearney
Francis J Kiehlmeier
Robert R Kondrat
Michael P Kucala
Thomas A Mason
Thomas L Morgan
Eugene R Oboy

Lawrence M Petroski*
William J Rich
Alexander J Ryncarz
Harold M Smithlin
Leonard H Soucek
James L Sparks
Robert E Stefani
Elijah Tinsley Jr
James J Tomaro
Paul Tomcho
Kenneth M Tucker*

The council started with 15 new members, 11 reinstatements and 9 transfers and much enthusiasm. We had a running start with emphasis on helping our parish with Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, lectors and work in CCD and CYO. In 1978 we added Corporate Communions, Marriage Encounters and had a joint installation with Centralia council. We also sponsored the Columbus Day radio address. In November we hosted our first Annual Salmon Bake at which State Deputy Jim Caldwell presented the Star Council Award.

We sponsored a bowling team, a Boy Scout Troop and started a Squires Circle on April 11, 1978. We won the Star Council Award again in 1979. We have maintained our many activities including the PFH, RTL, Blood Bank, Family of The Month/Year and the Knight of the Month/Year programs. A number of our members are active in ceremonial work in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees. We have our own 1st Degree team and presently supply the District 2nd Degree team. We look to the future with anticipation and confidence.

SPOKANE - Spokane Council 683

Spokane Council 683 was instituted on June 29, 1902 by National Organizer Thomas J Gorman with 29 members. The ground work for this began at the turn of the century with a group of business men who met regularly to play cards to while away the time on long winter nights. As the group became larger, the idea of forming a men's club was discussed and they decided to join a national organization. The majority being Irish, it was suggested that they affiliate with the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Dan J Sweeney objected because only Irish could belong to the Hibernians. Many in the group were of different nationalities - but all were Catholic. Mr Sweeney told them that when living in the East he belonged to an organization of Catholic men called the Knights of Columbus and suggested they ask for permission from the Supreme Council to form a council in Spokane. They were informed that a Degree Team was to make a tour to the Northwest and would stop on their way from Seattle to Butte to help establish a council. The men worked to meet the date and this culminated with the institution on June 29, 1902 by National Organizer Thomas J Gorman. The Charter Members and Officers were:

PJ Bachman	Luis X Juneau	Anthony O'Kelly
Raymond F Bigelow	P B Keaney	W R Orndorff
Louis C Brown	James J King	John Oud
James D Buchanan	James Liston	Leo M Patton
Patrick S Byrnes	Henry B Luhn MD	N W Proulx
Thomas F Conlan	Phillip McArdie	William P Rafter
John J DeKanter	John R McCabe FS	Michael T Ready
W C Drury	R E McGinty	Edgar E K Schmitt
Michael C Dunne	James McGurk	Frank B Slavin
James H Folz	John McVeigh	Gus Slavin
Frank M Fortune	John M Maloney	James Smith
James M Geraghty	George W Manning	J Anthony Smith
M F Goldene	James H Meyers	James J Stewart
Martin J Guiry	James J Monaghan	John F Sullivan GK
J A Gutsch	James E Moran Rec	Dan J Sweeney
Kennedy J Hanley	E W Morton	D L Toner
A J Harvey	Joseph F Morton	Rev A A Verhagen Chap
Maurice S Hurley	James B Munley	James A Wilson
William H Johnson	George Murphy	S E Johnston
John T O'Brien		

Patrick S Byrnes was mayor of Spokane. Our last charter member, Maurice S Hurley, died in 1957 just after we broke ground for our current K of C hall at E 302 Boone Ave. We had doubled from 29 members on June 29th by the time the charter was closed. The council used to meet in various members' homes until they rented the Redman's Hall, which is now part of Lincoln First Federal. Subsequently, they rented the upper story of the Kroll Building at First and Howard until the early 30s when they moved to W 718 1/2 Sprague, now occupied by the Executive Club.

Even from the first, it was their dream to have a home of their own. Finally, in March 1955 upon the insistence and drive of PGK Harold J Triesch and a dynamic Building Committee a site was approved by the membership. Through the help of PGK Charles E Hennessey Sr and Father Prange (at that time pastor of St Aloysius) the site was purchased and Maurice S Hurley, the last living Charter Member, turned the first spade of dirt in August 1957. The day before Thanksgiving of the same year all council possessions were moved into our new present modern quarters at E 302 Boone Ave. By careful financing, the mortgage that we received from PGK Frank McWilliams (president of Fidelity Mutual Savings Bank) was burned at a Gala Party nine years to the day after the membership approval. Space does not permit a listing of all who labored so diligently to make this fine council home a reality.

The membership has grown from the original 29 members to a peak of over 900 and is presently 726. Each Grand Knight, together with many members, led the council to many accomplishments. We have hosted the State Convention in 1905, 1916, 1932, 1939, 1946, 1955, 1960, 1974, 1980, and 1989. The 1980 convention was truly memorable - it was climaxed on Sunday morning May 18th by the eruption of Mt St Helens. The cloud of ash from the eruption caused many of our members to be stranded in Spokane for several days.

State Deputies that have come from our council include Dr Henry B Luhn 1905-06; Frank J Dorsey 1911-13; John R Cassin 1915-16; M J Luby 1920-21; Edward P Ryan 1923-28; Terry T Grant 1932-34; Justin C Maloney 1938-40; Robert E Hall 1948-49; Carroll Martell 1954-56; William M Gerraughty 1964-66 and John Holland 1974-76. These eleven State Deputies accounted for 21 of the 86 years of the leadership of the Washington State Council. We also supplied two State Secretaries; three State Treasurers; one State Advocate and four State Wardens.

The council has long been a leader in church, community and youth activities. Our Round Table program for dinners and social activities serving hundreds of senior citizens is one example. Our sponsorship of athletic teams and leagues of all kinds for our youth is another. From the start we have had Perpetual Adoration, rosaries, corporate communions and support of Right to Life. We have had untold numbers of social events of all kinds. We have had lectures; voting campaigns; Blood Drives and the like. For over eighty years we have been an active and dedicated council of the Knights of Columbus and are just getting our second wind.

SPOKANE – St. Marys Council 4196

This council was instituted April 6, 1956 by District Deputy Don E Loader as "Spokane Valley Council 4196". The Notice of Institution notes 32 Insurance and 74 associate members for a total of 106 but the list of Charter Members lists only 56. The charter members and officers were:

W L Alexander
C T Brunelle
Clem Christman
Paul Derr
Donald Erickson
Joseph Fischer
Alfred J Inama

Henry W Bauer
Guy Cappuccio
Frank M Cosgriff
A J Dhoenen
Joseph Falco
Adam E Gribnau
Andrew J Kinzer

John C Boyer
Don G Carpenter
Ace E Creighton
Matt J Engel **GK**
Frank Fiorito
Paul Griffith
Sylvester P Kinzer

Richard Kula	Richard Lewis	Leonard A Malloy
Robert W Malloy	Jack Manning	W E Marcille
Robert J McKenna Adv	Joseph McKinnon	Harold D Mertens
James F Mertens	John B Mertens	John J Mertens
Robt F Mertens Treas	Theodore J Mertens*	Clarence A Monaco
T J Nowak	Harry Peters	Kenneth Peters
George Pickolick	S C Reisenauer	Joseph F Retzel
Roy E Reynolds	John J Ripple	Julius Romain
Calvin M Rother	Donald Ryder	Charles Schimmels Jr
Charles F Schimmels	E D Schimmels Rec*	Lee M Schoenecker
Joseph F Sikorski	Dr R C Stewart DGK	Charles J Tonani FS
Louis J Tonani	Peter B Weisbeck	J Alan Wilson
Tony Yonko		

The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1957 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. In 1967 the activities seem to have expanded to include sponsoring a Spelling Bee; a basketball tournament and a Memorial Mass in all four Spokane Valley parishes. In the 1970s a dinner for 25 year members and a Ladies' Night were added. In 1976-77 John J Mertens was Grand Knight and we noted in our report that year he was "without a doubt the senior Grand Knight" in the State."

In 1978 the council purchased our first council home and our activities took a spurt - in Human Life, youth activities, fund raising and we did a better job in all of the old programs. In the 1980s we have concentrated more on Church and youth activities. We gave Halloween parties, sponsored a Girl Scout troop in addition to two Boy Scout troops, conducted a Bike-A-Thon for the Guatemala missions; we provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, eucharistic ministers to help the parish and coordinate the coffee and donuts after Sunday Masses. We have donated kitchen equipment and cabinets to the parish.

We maintain our annual picnics and other events and have begun our annual "Octoberfest". In 1983 we changed the name of the council to "JOHN J MERTENS COUNCIL 4196" in honor of our PGK and longtime member who died on the lanes while bowling in the State Bowling Tournament in Tacoma. He was bowling well, somewhat over his average. His wife, Rose, was there and watching. He had a heart attack, Medic 1 responded and he was taken to the hospital but didn't make it. As his son Ed said, "He was doing what he loved to do". John J Mertens brought four sons in as Charter Members when he came. His belief was that every Knight had a duty to bring his sons into the Order and that was a proper way to perpetuate the Order. Following the sale of the council hall in the 1990's, the council was moved to St Marys Parish. The name of the council was subsequently changed to "ST MARYS COUNCIL 4196".

SPOKANE - St Charles Council 8137

Council Historian: F. Richard Bruya

St Charles Council 8137 was instituted on Flag Day, June 14, 1982 with 57 charter members by District Deputy Reuben Streifel. The charter members and officers were:

G J Baumgartner	L H Bayley	G Baxter
F R Bruya GK	J D Duncan	J M Durgan
J Gavras	Donald E Henkle TR	Fred C Heyen IG
R W Hoenig	R B Hopp	S R Jones
Wm A Kerley FS	G P Kirchner Treas	Edward F Lapinski W*

A R Leath	B R Logan	J J Lyons
S N MacDonald	G A Martell*	J R McBride
P V McNabb	Rev T E Mele	W E Miller
J Munch	J Nappi	John L O'Connor Adv
G A Pacheco	James M Parkins Chan*	A J Perera Rec
E M Pulvermacher TR*	W Reimers	D M Robel
Rev J C Rompa	F C Russell	L Schmidt
D F Shea	E J Shearer DGK*	K Shearer
P G Shearer	R Sherrodd	H Siria
C M Skrobrak	H J Springer	J Stafinbil
H J Swoboda	I E Thomas	J Thibault
M E Traynor	W V Trump	E J Votava
Cal Warner TR	J H Watts Jr	F J Weller
Edward R Wells OG	T D Whitehall	J A Wootress

The first council meeting occurred on July 13, 1982 and the first 2nd and 3rd degree exemplifications were held September 13, 1982 at which time we were declared a 3rd degree council. This council became the first parish oriented council in Spokane. During our first year we began most of our current programs including Family of the Month and Year; Knight of the Month and Year; our Beer Garden at the annual Parish Bazaar; sending anniversary cards to Knights and their wives; a free Christmas dinner for the homeless, needy and lonely people of Spokane (which has varied from 200 to 700 served) and the Right to Life Poster Contest.

In 1983-84 we added a scholarship program for St Charles' 8th graders - one boy and one girl - to attend Gonzaga Prep. The next year our 1st Degree Team was certified and has worked steadily since. In 1985-86 we added four parish breakfasts to benefit vocations, school tuition and other projects. We also started a coupon program as a fund raiser; the Free Throw contest and our council bowling team. In 1986-87 our council became part of the new District 20 and charter PGK Dick Bruya was appointed its District Deputy. In 1986-87 we continued our many programs but increased the parish breakfasts to five and hosted the State Golf Tournament. We also began our Wilderness Living Course for 7th and 8th grade students.

In 1988-89 we sponsored a seminarian through the RSVP program and, after less than seven years of existence, hosted the 1989 State Convention. We have supported various projects financially every year - \$2300 in our first year. We have supported our own parishes with CCD instructors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, maintenance, etc. We built a rock wall along the north side of the parish property - a two year project. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. We have had all of the usual K of C programs but basically we are always there when needed by the pastor or the community. Objective evidence is the three Star Council Awards received during our first seven years of existance - in 1982-83, 1986-87 and in 1987-88. We continue to serve.

SPOKANE - St John Vianney Council 8201

Compiled by Donald J Sauve'

St John Vianney Council 8201 was instituted on October 12, 1982 by District Deputy Reuben Streifel as one of the early parish oriented councils in the Spokane area. The charter members and officers were:

Lino P Asuncion	David M Bailey GK	R G Batchelder
Nick Blazevich	Edward J Brannan	Derwood T Braungardt
George D Castillo	George H Czerwonka	Wayne L Faulkner
William C Greene	Thomas E Groce	Rev G J Haspedis
Donald A Hoback	Ervin J Hooper OG	James Hughes

Warren E Jackson TR	Glen W Kivett	Chester J Kreska
Allen N LaCombe	William G Logan	R H Melzer Treas
Edward J Mertens TR	Timothy J Mertens	William J Meyer
Etter J Milla	William P Minnerly	John A Muzatko
Kent W Myles Rec*	Elmer B Niehenke	Jim L Nolan
David H Olson IG	James W Pantaleo FS*	A N Redinger TR
Robert A Reis	Sylvester Reisenauer	Robert T Riske
Billy R Roberts	Donald J Sauve' Chan	Gerald W Sauve' Lect
Edward A Schaff	James P Schaub	R D Schoenberger W
F A Schumacher Adv	Johnny B Skierka	Donald W Spragg
John M Sullivan	Timothy P Tibbals	Maurice A Vogel DGK
Daniel M Watson	Chester A Wells	James M White
Melvin O Wilson	Daryl D Zanck	

Our council was instituted on October 12th - Columbus Day and we started right out in the spirit of Columbianism. Recognizing the importance of our parish youth early on, the council began supporting the Scouting program financially and with up to seven members active in the Tiger Scouts, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts. We also began providing money for retreat scholarships to the parish youth group. Since, we began an annual donation to our parish elementary school and have volunteered many hours to school maintenance, remodeling, painting and working in CCD classes. The PFH program has always been an important part of our efforts. We established an annual PFH Benefit Breakfast and a 365 Honor Roll. We have participated in the RSVP program for several years. In 1988, our council was thrilled to witness the ordination of Ed Marier, a seminarian from our parish.

The Pro-Life program has continued to progress. We have coordinated a Pro-Life educational booth at the Spokane Interstate Fair each fall for several years and supported a drive to collect signatures for a Pro-Life Ad in the Spokane newspapers each January. We note the Supreme Court's 1973 Roe vs Wade decision with some of our members braving the cold and joining in a Pro-Life March through downtown Spokane each January. We instituted an attendance award, an annual memorial mass and a monthly cake raffle. A 1st degree team was certified in 1984 allowing us to bring in new members promptly. Our council bulletin, the "Knight Watch" has been published since 1984. One of the high points in our history was hosting the 1988 State Convention with the coordinated assistance of John J Mertens council 4196.

We host several family oriented functions each year: Wives' Knight Out; numerous dances; potluck dinners and monthly K C Family Communion. We began a Home Blessing program in which our chaplain blesses our homes. This is accompanied by a round-robin pot luck dinner. We labor long and hard in support of our parish, assisting in the general repair and upkeep of the parish buildings and grounds. We were instrumental in the success of the recent parish Building and Construction Fund Drives. We support a parish ham bingo and turkey bingo each year and host a parish golf tournament. The council organizes the annual parish Two-Pitch Tournament and the Parish Picnic. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, eucharistic ministers to help the parish.

Each fall we participate in a Spokane Food Drive and take up collections each December to sponsor one or more families at Christmas. We also have an annual Christmas Caroling party to bring cheer to the elderly in several area nursing homes. Thus our council has been very active in each area of KC activity. We have come far in the past 25 years and eagerly look forward to our 25th Anniversary in October.

SPOKANE - St Paschal Council 8266

St Paschal's Council 8266 was instituted on December 8, 1982 by District Deputy Reuben W Streifel with 33 members. The charter members and officers were:

John J Bailly*	Leon J Bailly*	Cornelius A Bird
Gregory J Boyer	Jeffery T Boyer	John C Boyer
John M Boyer	Roscoe G Brittain*	Robert D Brown
Ralph Ciasullo	David S Daly	James P Dinnen
Francis A Donahue*	Frank J Dorsh Jr	Peter J Ficalora
Kenneth M Fuchs	Charles L Gordon	Alfred L Greenwood
James A Heggie	George A Hills*	Norman Hoffman
Frederick H Klubben	Alfred L Langan	John J Madden GK
Daniel G Melero	Marion McCay	Rev James J O'Malley
Jerome A Peltier	James C Peters	Harvey W. Shaw
Joseph V Sherick	Richard J Standiford	Dennis D Vermillion

A few members of St Paschal's parish met and got this council going. We had a 1st degree in November and by December 8th we had 32 members and were instituted. On March 13, 1983 we had our first parish breakfast serving over 500. We soon added in the Columbus Charities raffle; Turkey Bingo; Blood Bank; Canned Food Drives; all-parish picnic; Free Throw Contest; bought baseball uniforms for the girls and football helmets for the boys and a number of social events.

We installed the Christmas Crib; recovered kneelers and installed a Public Address system in church and playground equipment for the school. We remodeled the old convent into a Day Center and poured a new sidewalk in front of it. We donated almost \$1100 in one year toward parish projects. We have become 'the strong right arm of the church' in St Paschal's parish.

SPOKANE - St Peter Council 8398

St Peter's Council 8398 was instituted in Spokane on November 30, 1983 with 30 members by District Deputy Reuben W Streifel. The charter members and officers were:

Rev John G Birk	Charles W Codd	John A Crandall
Darrell A Duchene	Terry J Dunne FS	Al M Finch
Donald V Goligoski	Robt J Grandinetti*	M/Sgt Michael Hahn*
William D Hudson	Robert E Kehoe	Robert M Kenyon
Arthur K Keolker	Terry M LaFrance	Carey L Learn
Nicanor Z Lopez	John D Mallory	Edgar M Minas
Michael A Mollahan*	Geno Orsi	Nathaniel T Pace
George H Peel	Thomas M Retzel	David L Sellers
Jake N Stickelmeyer	Ron J Stowe	Roger J Veseth
James J Walsh	Donald R Wolfe GK	Eugene D Zanck

This council participates in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. We have been active and proud of our activity since our inception. We will continue so.

SPOKANE - Mary Queen Council 9237

Council Historian: Michael J Anselmo

Mary Queen Council 9237 was instituted February 27, 1986 by District Deputy Charles Leinen. The charter members and officers were:

Frank A Anselmo FS	Mike J Anselmo GK	David J Birge
Thomas F Corcoran	Cyril J Deitering	Charles G Fishburn

Robert W Fishburn	Leno V Fontana	Paul W Harms
Thomas R Heafey	James C Kestell	Carl L Knapp
Thomas Lee	Charles L Leinen*	Paul J McKissock
Dennis Moen	Sam A Mutch	Cruz Nicacio Jr
Cruz Nicacio Sr	Rev John O'Dea	Dan R Ouren
Joseph Rangan	Frank M Rotondo	Mario Saccomanno
Daniel L Sanders	Kenneth C Schultz	Paul Shollenberger
Edward J Stewart	Tom J Thompson	Thomas B Thompson
John G Titchenal	Delbert C Tomson	Michael F Vercille
Cecil N West		

Our council has kept the same Grand Knight from chartering until June 1989 - almost three and a half years. Then Charter Grand Knight Mike Anselmo became our District Deputy and the District Deputy who instituted our council, Charles Leinen, became our new Grand Knight. This must be rather unusual.

This council has concentrated on Family and Church activities. We have supported our own parishes with CCD instructors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, maintenance, etc. We sponsored our parish picnic; a chicken dinner; Bingo; a Spaghetti dinner etc. Our youth program has been increasing each year. We have done a good deal of maintenance and cleanup work around the parish throughout our existence. Our activities are quiet and solid.

SPOKANE - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Council 9721

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Council 9721 was instituted in Spokane on February 25, 1988 by District Deputy F. Richard Bruya. The Charter members and officers were:

Don Alfonso	Charles Bombino	Wesley T Buck TR
E E Buckmaster W	Peter J Budig DGK*	William Burke
Michael J Byrne Rec	Robert H Clemens TR	Rev Sean Donnelly
Ernest Fullmer Jr	Al F Gracio Adv	Gary Jones
Donald Kamp	John Kiernan	Edward Korst
David R Lucke Treas	Jeffrey Lunzer	Ken Marsh
Charles McCormick	Michael Morris	Ardel M Olson TR
William Reynolds	Rev Tyrone Schaff	Donald Schenach
Albert L Schlosser GK	Joseph Shine	Charles M. Turner FS
Dwight Weigelt	John Winkler	Raphael P Wolf Chan



Peter Budig accepts New Council Jewel from Hugh Connolly

IN 2005, THIS COUNCIL WAS DISSOLVED
AND THE NUMBER REISSUED TO
DEER PARK - St. Marys Presentation 9721

SPOKANE - Our Lady of Fatima Council 10534

Council 10534, Spokane, Washington was instituted January 8, 1991 by District Deputy Robert J. Grandinetti. The charter members were:

Donald L. Agost	John E. Ahern	Lawrence D. Beck TR
Philip A. Brennan W	Marvin C. Chase	John D. Clark
Robert L. Fahnlander Lect	Fdmund D. Fenton Jr.	David W. Fisher Chan
Fr. Robert Gately Chap	Alfred H. Gilmore	Neil J. Goodman
Wayne O. Goodwin	James A. Harwood	Greg Hasenoehri
Willis P. Johnson	Richard M. Kjose Treas	Conrad W. Kovash
James B. Krebsbach	Bertram H. Lipsker	Justin W. Maloney
George Matthews IG	Alfred W. McCann	John T. Miller
Kevin C. Mukhar FS	Allan R. Odenthal	Howard L. Platter
Robert. P. Plough TR	Stephan T. Rekior TR	Dennis S. Ryan
David E. Sullivan	George B. Tiesse DGK	David W. Tuinzing
Malcolm T. Watson GK	Walter W. Weid	Stephen I. Wilkins
Stanley G. Witter Jr		

The dignitaries present at the institution included State Secretary Edward Mertens and District Deputy Robert Grandinetti. Those most responsible for the institution of this council and active in it are Richard Kjose, Phil Brennan, GK Dennis Anderson, John Clark and Al Watson. Our main are an annual Italian dinner in November in memory George Matthews who passed away in 1994. Profits go to charities around the city. We do hold breakfasts for high school seniors in the spring. Money makers are the entertainment book sales and the Schrag rest stop near Moses Lake, which we manned for two days in August.

SPOKANE – St. Thomas More Council 11134

Our Lady of Fatima Council 11134 was instituted in Spokane on June 17, 1993 by District Deputy Edward J Burns. The charter members were:

Robert E Anderson	Michael J Arte	Douglas P Banks
H Grant Becherini	James E Bell Jr	Richard J Bolka
Cliff J Buck	Wesley T. Buck	Daniel J Byrne
Joseph H Byrne	Michael Cannon	Arden Chapple
Rev Darrin D Connall	John Cooper	Steven R Cox
Michael R Craigen	Thomas J De Shazo	W. Timothy Donovan
James J Flynn	Paul V Gallagher	Marvin J Griffith
Peter J Hastrup	William M Hibbard	James P Kennedy
Mark A Kennedy	Don L Krahulik	Dean M Loberg
Gregory G. Loberg	Dan Loewen	Jack G Louie Ill
Jack G Louie Jr	Michael C Martin	Ronald E Mcclung
Dennis G McElveen	John D Michels	Patrick J Michels
Thomas E Millersmith	James A Mullen	John D Nourse
Eugene J~ Pleft	Gregory K Robinson	Michael A Robinson
William P Robinson	Donald L Sagendorf	John WSchultz
John F Sicilia	Manuel Soto	Michael J Sprute
Rev John M Steiner	Brian L Taylor	George S Vasil
AnthonyJ Viola	Guy Volpe	Richard N Volpe
Dennis F Wolf	Francis J Wolf	

SPOKANE – St. Aloysius Gonzaga Council 12583

Gonzaga Council 12583 was instituted on November 1, 1999 and continues to be the only college council within the state of Washington. The charter class included:

Dayrl J Anderson	Stephen J Bibbens	R Thomas Blake
Mark B Busby	Felix K Canete	Brian D Cestnik
Jeff M Cooper	George H Czerwonka Jr	Gregory J Czerwonka
Michael J Czerwonka	Stephen P Czerwonka	Bernard F Gerding Jr GK
Thomas P Harmon	David A Holt	Justin D Hufnagel
Douglas F Jones	Ryan T Krane	Rev Tony J Lehmann
Robert M Longo	Nathan L Macklin	Hector P Maldonado
Ulises Maldonado	Michael J Martinez	Jacob S Milligan
Jason S Pankow	Joseph G Paulino	Chris L Picanco
Brian C Shea	Nicholas J Taylor	Walter R Teets
Eric R Thomason	Armand A Walls	Dale A Walls
Rev George H Watson	Rev William A Watson	

The following is an excerpt published in the State Newsletter by George Czerwonka FS (2/20/06). Benjamin Julian Ponce is the Grand Knight for the 2005-2006 fraternal year and is doing a great job in providing direction and guidance to the 77 Brother Knights that make up the council. Ben attended the 2005 College Conference at New Haven this past fall. There were 134 other grand knights from colleges in the US. The meeting consisted of informative seminars including a Pro-life Seminar presented by the Sisters of Life. The three day conference also included Mass at St. Mary's; a tour of the K of C Museum; accommodations at the Omni New Haven; and photos and conversations with the Supreme Officers. Every grand knight in attendance brought an exchange gift to share with another grand knight at the "Get Acquainted" social affair. They also brought their school flag to fly proudly at the Awards Banquet. Ben admitted that this truly was an experience of a lifetime.

Ben and his band of Brothers have already met their membership goal with David Dawson, Paul Foster, David Gaines, Michael Healy and Curtis Seidel joining the Order. They meet actively on campus each Sunday afternoon. Their last fund raiser was a dinner for the Gonzaga Gregorian Mass group with the proceeds going to St. Vincent de Paul. Spokane Council 683 provided their hall for the occasion. Brother Mike Czerwonka served as the Executive Chef and the line for 2nd and 3rd helpings of 'spaghetti de jure' was endless. "The best spaghetti sauce we have ever had" was the typical remark. The council works closely with the Catholic Daughters on campus. An Irish dance class is in the works.

The US college councils are vitally important to developing future Catholic leaders in our communities as many students are falling away from their Catholic roots. The college council brings a new dimension to their academic life. The council was fortunate to have Father Bill Watson, SJ spear-heading the formation of the council. Father had just arrived from Georgetown University and was anxious to have a council at Gonzaga University. He was the catalyst that made it a reality. George Czerwonka serves as financial secretary - a non-student position. At the time of formation, he also transferred his three sons into the new council to help meet the required 30 members. George and his three sons still belong to the council.

SPOKANE – Monsignor John O'Donnelly Council 13831

Through the efforts of Fr Joachim L Q Hien and District Deputy Larry E McKeever, Monsignor John O'Donnelly Council was instituted in Spokane on June 14, 2005. The charter members and officers were:

Luke H Anderson Rec	Sean C Anderson W	Joseph M Boileau
Anthony L Cook	Thomas E Dawson OG	Frank A DeCaro
Phillip C Delich	Mark J Hanley	Rene V Heidt Adv
Fr Joachim L Q Hien Chap	Brian J Hoerner	Don C Kaufmann Lect
James T Kerns	James B Lanet TR	Michael Lavoie FS

John B Lynch	Larry E McKeever	Larry J Mellon
Jim P Meloche Treas	James D Moneymaker	Paul Tien Nguyen
Matthew P Perez	Allen L Peterson	James A Schwarzer GK
Carl B Shaw	Daniel V Shier Chan	Duane E Simmons
Robert J Stauffer DGK	Peter A Wallander	Walter N Wieber IG

Several parish programs have been instituted: we sponsor turkey and ham Bingo parties; we participate in the basketball free throw contest; and breakfasts are being held to provide support for the youth group and a seminarian. Since our formation, the council has received both the Founders and Columbian Awards from Supreme. We have also recruited three new members to aid in our service to the parish.

SPOKANE – St. Michael the Archangel Council 14394

Council 14394 was instituted in Spokane on October 18, 2007 by district deputy Pete Caldwell. Serving the parishes of St. Patrick and St. Francis Xavier, the charter membership consisted of 42 transfers and 2 reactivations. Robert Fabien is the charter Grand Knight. The charter members were:

George Baertlein IG	Stephen Baker Chan	Fr. Daniel Barnett
Richard Barrett Adv	Michael Basta	Fr. Victor Blazovich
Jerry Bluett DGK	Peter Brickner	Dennis Briscoe Jr
Thomas Buck	H Roy Buck	Carl Burrell
Steve Carnell	Jon Concie	John Cummings
Larry Domrese	Fred Donges	James Ehli
Augusto Evidente	Robert Fabien GK	Wilvereth Figueroa
Brian Gomolski	Keith Holowecky	Fr. Michael Ishida
Leslie Kilgore	William Kromer	Timothy Lakey
Charles Lovett	John Lynch OG	Antonio Madrigal
James Manson	William McMahon	Adam Membrey
Archie Messer	Evariste Mulindanewe	Ronald Provinisal
Daniel Rice TR3	Fr. Miguel Ruiz-Juarez	Raphael Seraquiel
Deacon Gary Veale	Jeffrey Wagner	John Weingarten
Joseph Weinclaw W	Michael Williams	

Other charter officers included: Maurice Prater **Rec**; Kurt Wasen **Treas**; Bill Cromer **TR2**; and Jim Mansfield **TR1**

SPOKANE – Our Lady of Lourdes Council 14922

Our Lady of Lourdes Council was instated on December 22, 2009 at the cathedral of the Diocese of Spokane by District Deputy Tom Sokol. The Charter Grand Knight is James M. Gardner. The State Deputy was John M. Wallace of St. John Bosco Council 11762 of Lakewood.

SPOKANE – St Aloysius Parish Council 15143

St Aloysius Parish Council was established on October 12, 2010. Tom Sokol, District Deputy 18, was instrumental in the formation.

SUMNER-ORTING – St Joseph the Worker Council 15136

Council Historian: John B Mergens Sr (6/8/11)

Father Jack Shrum, Eugene E Daly DD #3 and John B Mergens Sr were instrumental in the formation of the Council. The new council serves the combined parishes of St. Andrew in Sumner and SS. Cosmas & Damian in Orting. The Charter members were:

Marco A Alvarez	Marvin K Arruda	John S Aumell
Gerald W Boardway	Terry L Bowie	Bobby M Bran
Charles A Braunschweig	Dean E Carmichael Jr	James P Covell
Eugene E Daly	Thomas A Dorsey Jr	John E Dresel
Chad P Druffel	Randy A Forcier	Joseph C Goulart
Kevin P Gray	Virgil D Hedlund	David R Heldstab
Eric J Heldstab	Justin D Heldstab	Ronald T Hurst
Michael E Johnson	Joseph A Mcquade	John B Mergens Sr
Theodore Nichols	Joseph B Noll	Joseph P Ostle
Brent K Pedersen	Joseph E Rempe	Thomas C Reutter
Jason P Rocks	Steven L Rossignol	Christopher J Ryan
Joseph D Shaughnessy	Bryan R Siler	Jason M Sullivan
Joseph C Wilson	Joseph R Wilson	William R Wilson

In July 2010, we received permission from Father Jack Shrum to reach out to the men of the Parish about starting a Knights of Columbus council. Fliers were inserted in the Church bulletin advertising an "Information Night" on August 12 at St. Andrew Church. Eleven men and 2 wives attended along with 5 Knights from neighboring Councils. In September, we had our first membership meeting and chose the name *St. Joseph the Worker* for our council.

The Charter Officers were: John B Mergens Sr, Grand Knight; Gerald W Broadway, DGK; Jason M Sullivan, Chancellor; Bryan R Siler, Recorder; Joseph P Ostle, Treasurer; Michael E Johnson, Warden, Steven I Rossignol, 3 yr Trustee; Virgil D Hedlund, 2 yr Trustee; Joseph E Rempe, 1 yr Trustee; Ronald T Hurst; Inside Guard; Christopher J Ryan, Outside Guard; David R Heldstab, Advocate; Joseph D Shaughnessy, Lecturer; and John S Aumell, Financial Secretary. At the October meeting committee chairmen were appointed for Church, Community, Family, Youth and Council.

Our Council has participated in several church functions: St. John Vianney production; National Night of Prayer for Life; PFH drive; RSVP support; "40 Days for Life" prayer in front of a Planned Parenthood facility; and the March for Life at the Capitol in Olympia. We purchased and donated a chair dolly for SS. Cosmas & Damian Church, and an American Flag and staff for St. Andrew's hall.

In February 2011 we formed a 1st Degree team and have conducted 2 degree ceremonies thus far. Our Council also hosted Washington State Deputy John Wallace and Supreme Program & Membership Director Pat Maloney's "Road Show". We have put on 2 breakfasts – one for Mother's Day where flowers were distributed to mothers.

Our Council Chairman has set up a web-page at: <http://www.kofc15136.org>. Since our formation, 17 members have joined the 2nd and 3rd Degree, and 5 have joined the 4th Degree. On Sunday, June 5, 2011, State Deputy John Wallace presented the Official Charter to our Council. There were 54 people attending the event which was followed by a luncheon. The charter class was comprised of 39 members – today our membership is 57.



SUNNYSIDE - H.A. Reinhold Council 14926

The H. A. Reinhold Council was instituted on December 22, 2009 by District Deputy Edward Perez. Lupe Resendez is the Charter Grand Knight. The State Deputy was John M. Wallace of St. John Bosco Council 11762 in Lakewood.

TACOMA - Tacoma Council 809

Tacoma Council 809 was instituted on September 6, 1903. The charter members were:

R E Armstrong	Thomas J Beglin	H J Bessemier
John M Boyle*	C M Cavanaugh	John J Coyne
Harry L Crosby	E P Donegan	Frank J Dunn
W H Elvins	Joseph C Gallagher	A E Garceau
Robert S Garnett	James Garvey	Ade Y Green
Henry P Healy	Anthony Jurich	F L LaFarge
James A LaGasa	J R Lancaster	Rev Anthony LeBlanc
James W Lynch	E J M Manion	James A Manion
William J Manion	John E Manley	R S Marmion
John McCormick	J H McMeniman	John B McNerthney
M J McNerthney	Rene Medus	Thomas H Monroe
James F O'Brien*	Jere O'Connor	C A Pelletier
John B Termes*	Edward J Walsh*	William Welsh
Henry A Young		

It might be noted that charter member Harry L Crosby was Bing Crosby's father. State Deputies from this council have been Dr James A LaGassa 1916-1917; E J Walsh 1918-20; Arthur P Boyle 1949-51 and his brother Clyde Boyle 1958-60. E J Manion was elected the first State Secretary and continued in that office for 11 years (1904-1914). Clyde Boyle was also State Secretary 1956-58. Our State Advocates included James Garvey 1913-15 and Hugh C McGavick 1931-33.

No history has been made available but, from State Council records from 1963, we know that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help our parishes. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes.

We are very active in all of the usual areas of K of C work. We have had Blood Drives since our beginning. Our Knights of Columbus Bowling League is very active and we have had as many as 20 teams in 1967-70. In 1976 we spent \$70,000 in renovating our hall.

TACOMA – Visitation Council 12483

The Church of the Visitation Council was instituted in Tacoma on July 24, 1999 by District Deputy A Donald Nelson of Gig Harbor. The charter members were:

Frank C Albers	Alberto A Avina	Richard N Berntsen
John A Bossly	Robert J Bower	Roy S Bowles
Raymond L Bucenski	Patrick J Campbell	Fortunato J Deocampo Jr
Joseph C Douglas	Timothy E Faker	Santiago P Federico
Rev David Gese	Christopher J Hagman	Cornelius P Handran
J D Harvison	Raymond P Haselman	Sergio A Hernandez
Joseph Herrmann	Duncan K Huey	Michael J Lee
Joseph R Leister	James A Malesky	'Tom' Tamato Matautia
Stephen C Medalla	Gabriel F Mendoza	Pedro C Mendoza
Robert S Overfield	Christopher R Pascual	Phillip W Rychner
Francisco Arturo Solis	Clarence E Stevens	Daniel R Sutherland
John J Swortz	Michael A Teskey	Douglas L Tibbitts
Peter W Van Rosendael	Richard W Vargo Sr	

TACOMA – St. Charles Borromeo Council 13238

St. Charles Borromeo Council was instituted in Tacoma on November 23, 2002, by District Deputy John L Oldham of Gig Harbor. The charter members were:

Michael F Albers	Hugh K Birgenheier	Ryan C Brown
John F Campbell	Edward L Constantine Jr	Bernard F Carlson
John M Deines	Ruben Doria	Patrick J Feist
Dan F Feldhaus	Keith A Finnegan	Daniel J Ganje
John E Gaul	Richarl L Hines	Brian G Jenkins
Rev John F Kenny	Peter J Kesling	James B Konek
Rex G Lester	Richard A Lovelace	Patrick T Manza
Gary J Maruska	J Richard McEntee GK	Gabriel F Mendoza
Luke J Milasich	Michael Milasich	James R Mitchell
Thomas V Murphy	Andrew D Nelson	Seamus M O'Brien
John O'Sullivan	Michael K Pavek	Stanton S Schack
Jose Veliz Jr	Saluatore D Vitale	Stephen B Ward
David L Warren	Daniel F Wynne	Thomas J Zagorski

St. Charles Borromeo Knights of Columbus council as grown since it began in 2003 from its 39 charter members to 99 in 2013. It is currently the largest men's organization within the parish. During the 2012-2013 fraternal year the council has: conducted a food drive for homeless veterans, donated \$4,320 to the St. Charles Food Bank, provided funds for the 4US ProLife program, funded a bus to the January 22nd Olympia ProLife rally, donated \$500 for shoes for needy children, conducted a clothing drive for the homeless, provided funds for meals at Nativity House for the homeless, and provided funds to support our seminarians.

The council conducted a St. Charles Borromeo school tuition fundraiser breakfast to help families afford a Catholic education. During Lent, the knights conduct Lenten fish fries prior the Stations of the Cross – increasing attendance at the stations. During the holidays the knights assist the parish in packaging and distributing food baskets to the needy. The council's service programs include: supporting food and beverage events during the year, school facilities repair and maintenance, and youth programs (including the annual Free-Throw contest). This year Dave Warren became only the 2nd member of the council to be re-elected Grand Knight since Dick McEntee, the Charter Grand Knight.

This year the council members formed a 4th degree Assembly, St. Charles Borromeo Assembly 3381.

TACOMA – St Anne Council 15462

Congratulations to DD22 Frank Hyke and NCD Chairman Eugene Daly! After a lot of effort on both of their parts, we have a number for the new council at St. Annes in Tacoma! This required a unique combination of both finesse and brute force, and these guys managed it beautifully. DD22 Frank Hyke, Westside NCD Chairman Eugene Daly, Charter GK Don Wells, and Chaplain Fr. Tuan Nguyen are commended for their efforts to bring this council to fruition. Don McBride SD, 2/29/12

TOPPENISH - Toppenish Council 1699

Toppenish Council 1699 was instituted on June 22, 1913 by District Deputy M L Driscoll of Pasco. The charter members and officers were:

Edward J Carvo	James A Casey	John J Charles
E L Doran FS	W B Doran	Otto Elbert Rec
William German	Simon P Kuhn	Frank LeDue
W F Lindekugel DGK	Rev T J Madigan Chap	John Mauch

George Mayhew	James McCormich	Robt McCormick Treas
William B Meyers	Balsor Mostel	J E Murray
F S Reinhart	John Remmes	Lewis Roberts
Wm H Shea Jr Lect	Peter J Walshe Adv	Kosma Wingetner
F M Witte GK	Aloysius Wunsch	

Toppenish derives its name from the Indian word 'qapuishlema' meaning "people from the foot of the hills." The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1963 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. Our council covers four different towns with four different parishes - Toppenish, Zillah, Wapato and White Swan. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. Sometimes we are spread a little thin. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. These are usually quite successful. The Catholic Charities Dinner usually raises \$400 to \$700; the spaghetti feeds up to \$300 for Right To Life with varying amounts for our other charities.

The council received special recognition in 1963 when it presented an antique cross and Host Press to the Old Mission. The cross was made from the original apple tree that was brought to Washington. We also support the Mount Adams Boy Scout Division and our own blue ribbon Boy Scout Troop. We have annual picnics, PGK nights, Catholic Charities dinners and Memorial Masses. We have consistently supported our church and our community. In a small community people tend to be close so our social affairs have always been successful and integrated with our programs. We have had all of the usual K of C programs but basically we are always there when needed our pastors or the communities we serve.

TUKWILA - St. Thomas Council 11253

St. Thomas Council 11253 was instituted in Tukwila on January 25, 1994 by District Deputy Wayne Miller. The charter members were:

Alfred K. Anderson	Larry R. Bell	Felix A. Brodigan
Thomas Conway	Marsilio Di Giovanni	Michael E. Dix
James R. Duffy	Willard C. Fox	Virgil D. Hedlund
Frank N. Huber	Larry Jacoby	Michael A. Kelly
John C. Kirk	Arthur M. Krause	George E. Lane
Roberto L Lim	Fr. Gerald L Mayovsky	Jess S. Medina
Joe E. Medina	William J. Muir	Joseph N. Salle
Dean T. Schlegel	Dennis M. Schlegel	Guy K. Schlegel
Joseph F. Schlegel	William L. Thurston	James Ventura
Stephen T. Voiland	Paul D. Weis	Jerry T. Wheeler
Ben S. Workman		

UNIONTOWN - Uniontown Council 1823

Council Historian: Ray Heitstuman

Uniontown Council 1823 was instituted on January 3, 1916 with 66 members by District Deputy James E Royce. The charter members and officers were:

August Braun	Dr Walter A Burg	Edward Caltaux
Edward J Dahm*	Joseph J Dahm Rec	Ferdinand Dahmen
Frank X Dahmen	Joseph H Dahmen	Nicholas Dahmen*
Henry H Esser	Frank Fuchs	George Fuchs
George J Fuchs	Paul Fuchs	Joseph J Gans*
Carl A Greif	Peter M Greif	Joseph M Guerrettaz*

John Hennenkamp	George Herboth	Harry A Herboth
George Jacobs	Joseph L Jutte	Samuel Jutte
Peter M Kaufmann	John Kinzer*	Philip Kinzer
John C Konen	Rev H Loeffler Chap	Albert J Meyer
Henry Mueller	Herman M Mueller	Frank Mullen
A J Primus GK	Carl Ricard	Henry Schlader
John W Schnettler	Peter W Schnettler	J A Schoenberg DGK
Mathias Schumacker	Henry J Schwenne	Louis F Schwenne FS
Otto H Schwenne	Danial Sullivan	Lambert Taufen
Otto Taufen*	Emil J Thill	Andrew A Trautman
Barthol A Triesch	Peter Triesch*	Conrad Tuschoff
John R Warnecke	George B Weber Adv	John G Weber*
Conrad Welle	John J Welle	Carl H Wieber
Edward G Wieber	George B Wieber	Geo L Wieber Treas
William H Wieber*	George T Wissink	George Wittman
Joseph N Wittman	William N Wittman	J N Jacobs

There were 32 Insurance and 34 associate members. The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1957 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. This council has concentrated on Family and Church activities. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, card parties, dinner-dances, crab feeds, banquets, Bingo, the Bazaar and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes. We haul all the coal for the parish and transfer it to the church basement - usually 75-80 tons.

We do maintenance work around the church and school. This includes painting and remodelling. The council has donated and installed office equipment, mercury vapor lighting outside church. We participate in the blood bank, and Pro-Life programs. We sponsor youth athletic teams including basketball. We put on Christmas parties for the children of the parish.

We have corporate communions and Memorial Masses. For almost twenty years we have annually taken up a collection for the Guatemala missions. Nicholas Dahmen was elected State Warden 1929-30. Harold Jacobs was elected State Treasurer 1940-44 and Joseph Oenning was elected State Advocate 1965-67. About 1970 we started our big fund raiser - making and selling German sausage. In 1970 some 2,000 pounds were sold. The profits from this have gone to PFH.

In 1976 three Charter Members were honored for a combined 186 years of service. In 1980 we celebrated the 100th anniversary of St Boniface church. On January 13, 1986 George Weber, our last living charter member, died. We have nine sons of Charter Members who are still active members in our council 73 years after the charter was issued.

VANCOUVER - Columbia Council 1327

Council Historian - Joseph Klobucnik

Columbia Council 1327 was instituted May 17, 1908. Charter members insist that Columbia Council 1327 should be Council 677 because the Supreme Council representative, Thomas Gorman, misread his travel orders and went to British Columbia after leaving Seattle 676 and before going to Portland to form council 678. All of the early records were lost when the home of Recording Secretary James Clancy was destroyed by fire in 1922. The Charter Members were:

L. J. Breslin	H. L. Funk	John Rausch
Joseph J. Burke	James P Geoghegan	C. W. Rechner
J. J. Cairns*	John J. Liaple	E. J. Rederich
J. P. Clancy	Charles A Kirch*	William E Rederich

P Coyle	Charles T McCarty	John P Redmond	Rev J Delannoy
William H McCavet		C G Rausch	D F Doherty
John E McCullough		E N Scanlon	Timothy Donegan*
James McSparron*		J D Scanlon	Joseph J Donovan*
P R Madden		Roy D Thompson	John P DuPuis
P J Maloney		Rev F Verwilghen	F G Eichenlaub
James J O'Keane		Thomas A Walsh	L G Fuller
J J Padden Charter GK		James J Winters	Peter Flynn*
W H McCavet		Otto F Zumsteg*	

Mr James J Padden served as GK only from May 17, 1908 until June 30, 1908. This council supported a Catholic Boy Scout Troop from 1923 to 1966 and supplied sports equipment to students at Providence Academy until it was closed in 1966. We sponsored the Annual Altar Boys Picnic from 1908 through 1966. We resumed support of a Boy Scout Troop in 1986.

Council members cleared land, built tables, toilets and stoves to operate a 30 acre picnic ground on land donated by Sir Knight Al Lechtenberg. This private picnic ground was open to all members of local parishes and continued in operation until 1960 when insurance costs became prohibitive. Columbia Council sponsored a 3rd Degree Team from 1938 through 1955 that travelled throughout the Pacific Northwest. During the 1943-44 fraternal year, the team was on the road conducting initiations for 50 of the 52 weeks. The council has assisted in the education of seminarians in South America through the efforts of individual members and through council action.

We maintain a Volunteer Pall Bearer Program of retired Brother Knights who assist at funerals whenever asked or needed. In 1939, over 100 Knights, with the cooperation of the Seattle W.P.A. Theater, presented a tableau representing the 100th anniversary of the first Catholic missionaries to Vancouver. From 1958 to 1979 the council had its own hall at 27th and K Streets. The council then moved to the basement of Our Lady of Lourdes Rectory after extensive remodeling.

In 1985 the council donated \$5,000.00 and over 5,000 hours in remodeling a house as Share House, a short term home for the homeless. Beginning in 1985 the council has assisted in the education of a seminarian at Cardinal Muench Seminary in Fargo, N. Dakota and also of a Brother Knight seminarian at the Redemptorist Seminary, Berkeley, California.

VANCOUVER - St Joseph Council 4782

Council Historian: Herbert L Westby

St Joseph Council 4782 was instituted on April 27, 1959 by District Deputy Joseph J Kelleher. The charter members and officers were:

Jacob E Andresen	John C Bakker	John Billington
Robert M Bisenius	Al Blank Rec	James O Borin
Joseph A Butsch Jr	Floyd I Cheney	Thomas C Craig
Wm E Farrell Adv	James D Gallagher*	James B Gorman
Herbert M Gross	Robert V Hibbard	John R Hostetler
John H Hutchinson FS	E A Hutmacher	Joseph Ingenthron
Ernest L Joynes	Eugene A Kemper	Lynn R King
E E Kinnunen DGK*	Robert M Klanke	Robert A Lambrecht
Robert G Lattanzi	William A Macht	Ivan L Mahan
Roger F McGuire GK	Wm M McLoughlin	Elphage A Mercil
Ronald E Onslow	Dr James F Park	Calvin B Perry
David O Price*	Fred E Prissell	Robert J Remington*
Cyril M Schile*	Thomas F Theis	Lowery J Washburn

Harold G Westby*

Herbert L Westby*

Frank A Yonek

Early in 1958, Father Thomas Pitsch, pastor of St Joseph Church in East Vancouver, decided that he needed a stronger organization of manpower to meet the needs of the five year old parish. It then had 700 families and was growing. After discussion with the men's group, it was decided that the Knights of Columbus should be contacted. The District Deputy from Longview was assigned to organize the new council. It was a slow struggle, with only 3 or 4 men at first, to sign up enough men to form a council. St Joseph Council 4782 received its charter April 27, 1959 and immediately elected a single, non-voting, delegate to the 1959 Aberdeen State Convention.



(l to r) Tom Shaw, Mary Lee, Hal Goff, John Baum, Joe McCrow, Wayne Weible, Ted McCrow, Ron Marchonni, Gene Munson, Kyle Christensen, Ed Squire, Jerry Cossette, Ed Squire

In 1959-60 the council came on-line in its first full year with an impressive performance. It took full advantage of the direction afforded by the State Council program which gave the council a firm track to run on - and run it did as attested by the many awards it has won and recognition received over the course of the following years. In 1959-60 under G.K. Roger McGuire the council placed 1st in the State Car Raffle and 1st place in the PFH program. A blood donor program and an usher program were established and our monthly bulletin was begun. The following year, under GK Roy Kinnunen, we began furnishing lectors and CCD teachers, sponsored scout troops and cub packs, built an incinerator on the church grounds and scheduled a "Style Show" for the ladies during Ladies Week. There was some thing very unusual about the models displaying the latest in fashion to background music and professional commentary by the M.C. - they were all brother knights! The ladies loved it.

In 1961-62, under GK Herb Westby, a 1st Degree Team was trained and certified; the PGKs Night was begun; the council got its first Star Council award and placed in the State Deputy's award. In 1962 the Archbishop commissioned the three local councils to assist in funding a Catholic Children's Services Office in Vancouver for its first two years of operation. It would then qualify for other funding. The councils did raise the necessary funds by staging a Summer Festival (1 day mini fair) in a private park in 1962 and again in 1963. District 11 was formed in November 1962 comprising councils Columbia 1327, Camas 2999 and St Joseph 4782.

During the next five years a bowling team was organized; the first Easter Egg Hunt was held for parish children; the Books for Seminarians program was begun; the 1st Columbus Day Ball was held at the Quay; 1st Place in Catholic Activities was won in 1965; in 1966 it won 1st Place in the State 6 Point Program and had increased its membership to 126 by July 1, 1966 under GK Cy Schile.

In 1967, under GK Hal Westby, the council hosted the State Convention. In 1967-68 under GK Ken Wainwright the council started the Deaf Program. We furnished bus transportation for students of the State Deaf School to Sunday Mass and CCD classes at St Joseph's. The \$500 cost was funded by monthly breakfasts following four Masses. The council assisted in the Fred Kellum Fund. \$15,000 was raised to cover the cost of a home kidney machine and a room added on to the family home to house the equipment. The council did the labor on the building addition. The cost of treatment for the brother knight of \$200 per week was reduced to \$200 per month and the costly, tiring twice weekly bus trips to Seattle were eliminated.

By 1969 the membership had grown to 140. We continued our work with the Deaf. In 1971 we started an annual crab feed to support our scouting activities. In 1972 we hosted the State Winter Meeting. This meeting will be remembered by all who attended for the extremely icy conditions. Cars and roads were coated with ice but our council showed extra warm hospitality. In 1973 we helped initiate the 1st St Joseph Parish Sausage Fest. We built, set up and dismantled booths and ran the beer booth which netted \$2,000 that year. All profits go to the parish. The Sausage Fest has since grown into a really major regional event.

In 1973-74 the council took over the parish Bingo operation and ran it for the next ten years. We received the State Ceremonials Award and the Star Council award. 1974-75 saw a spurt in growth with 8- 1st degrees and two 2nd degrees. Our net growth was 30. The red vests appeared for the first time at the Sausage Fest Beer Garden. The council won the State Church Activity Award.

In 1976 the transportation of the Deaf students ended. The need was eliminated because the school decided to bus the young people to their homes on Friday afternoons. Support in other areas at the Deaf School would continue. The program had exceeded the fondest hopes of those responsible for its institution in 1968. It had contributed to keeping the Fraternalism of the membership viable and had also given the council a sense of mission. The council received the Supreme Council Award for the Deaf Program. The council furnished the labor in the remodeling of the church.

In 1977-78 this council played a major role in the formation of Padre Pio Council 7117 in Battleground. 51 members were recruited and initiated in a 3 month period. The 1st and 2nd degrees were exemplified by teams from St Joseph Council. The Star Council award was received by GK Les Sheppard for the council. In 1980-81 we started our Aluminum Can Recycling Project; earned the Star Council award again under GK Bob Dewey. The Sausage Fest, now in its 10th year of operation, with some 100,000 persons in attendance required a commitment of almost 100% of our membership. In 1981-82 under GK Martin LaViolette, the recycling program added glass and newsprint and netted the council about \$3,000 in its 1st 18 months. The sausage booth at the Clark County Fair netted the council \$1,500. A Drug and Alcohol Seminar was held. The council won the 1st Place State Deputy's Award.

In 1983-84 a Ladies Auxiliary was formed with 25 charter members and the council gave \$1,800 to the Birthright Program. The Recycling Program netted the council \$4,200 in 1984. It is notable that money gained from salvaging throw-away material was being used to prevent throw-away human life. This program would provide the main source of funds over the next five years. Membership on July 1, 1984 was 203. On October 13, 1984 the council celebrated its 25th anniversary with a banquet at the Portland Red Lion with many friends from all over the state, including 8 Past State Deputies, in attendance. Chairman was PGK Elmer Kraft. 17 new members, initiated that day, provided the "icing on the cake".

In 1985-86 \$750 earned by the spaghetti feed was donated to the Mexican Earthquake Relief and, under GK Mike Ginsberg, the Supreme Council 1st Place Award for Church Activities was received. In 1986-87, under GK Rob Zetlmaier, the council again received this award. In 1988-89, under GK Fred Abraham, the council received the Supreme Council 1st Place Award for Council Activities and the 1st Place State Deputy's Award.

St Joseph Council has been closely aligned with the State Council, and in particular the State Program, since its beginning. As a result of this, a number of our members have become leaders in Columbianism and the Church. The Council is particularly proud of Harold G Westby who was elected State Treasurer 1969-70 and State Deputy 1970-72 and then Supreme Warden 1972-74. His father, Herbert L Westby, was State Catholic Activities Chairman 1962-64, State General Program Chairman 1966-68 and State Ceremonials Chairman 1972-74. Cy Schile was State Membership & Insurance Chairman 1968-69. Fred J Abraham Jr has been appointed State Membership Chairman (West) for 1989-90.

In conclusion we emphasize that a monthly bulletin has been published for thirty years with but few interruptions. This has served to keep the membership informed. The monthly breakfast program helped both the parish and the council for the past 25 years by providing a social setting after Sunday Mass and provided the council with a steady source of income used to fund worthy projects such as the Deaf Program.

The council has been very active in ceremonials from the beginning. This has served to keep the spirit of fraternalism alive and well. Our leadership has shown a willingness to adapt to change and come up with new ideas. One is reminded of an old adage "Unless an organization remains experimental and innovative, it is quietly going to seed." It would appear that St Joseph council, after some 30 years on the 'front lines', is alive and well and in no immediate danger of going to seed.

VANCOUVER – Holy Redeemer Council 12899

In September of 2000 Holy Redeemer Parish was formed. Pastor Joseph Mitchell established the parish at a former video store on the corner of Mill Plain Blvd and NE 148th Ave. At that time there was much to be done and no formidable group to foster tasks. The required remodeling exceeded the scope of the landlord's responsibilities. It was the Knights of Columbus from St. Joseph Council 4782 who fostered these efforts. Grand Knight Jerry Herrera led the way. When all was completed the idea of forming a new council was broached with Fr. Mitchell. He agreed to allow it to be formed as the first official organization at Holy Redeemer Parish. The effort to establish the council was led by District Deputy Ray Ayala, insurance field agent Tom Bradley and Grand Knight Herrera. They promoted the formation of a new council at Sunday Masses beginning in early January 2001. The council was formed and chartered on April 2, 2001 by District Deputy Ray Ayala. We were the 123rd council in the State and the last under State Deputy Fred J. Abraham Jr. The charter membership of 35 new and transferred individuals consisted of:

Rev. Joseph P. Mitchell Chap	Robert J. Dehler	Frederick J. Abraham Jr
George H. Delgado	John G. Basich	James K. Dunn TR1
Keith B. Bassett Chan	Merlin J. Fischer	Steven J. Beachner
Gregory Georgoff	George E. Beight	Jeffrey K. Goertzen
Frederick L. Benoit Treas	David W. Griffin	Charles J. Bernat II
Joseph C. Heck	Robert D. Bolton	Cecil G. Jasso Adv
Edward P. Brands	Henry F. Bulder	Salvador Carbajal
Kenneth V. Carter	Cesar Y. Catibayan	Leon G. Champagne IG
William J. Chaney	Michael G. Cruz	Ronald G. Cushman
Brent L. Johnson	James P. Jubert Rec	David B. Lamm
Michael C. Lanes W	Loren J. Lawer	Vito A. Magistrale

John C. McKinley III	Kevin J. Mercer	Mark D. Meyer
Michael J. Nazarchyk	Frederick A. Newman	Robert K. Oser TR3
Robert C. Tacke	Rodney G. Tadlock	Arturo L. Villanueva
Russell J. Pachl GK	John N. Watt	Gregory T. Patton
Charles Williamson OG	Joseph C. Pinzone	Jose J. Zamora
J. Robert Rapcinski	Geraldo J. Rego TR2	Robert F. Remillard
John B. Rowley FS	William E. Sarles	Ronald E. Schaffner
Arthur W. Schallberger	John J. Schwinghamer	Bruce A. Siggins
Paul A. Stone DGK	Lawrence L. Sutter	Manuel Swampillai

During the initial year, council efforts were directed toward the new parish. Projects included: power washing the rectory, cleaning the property of the future church, building a sign advertising the future home of Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, finishing the kneelers built for the church, decorating the church for Christmas, hosting the church hospitality after Mass and sponsoring parish blood drives. They also sold religious Christmas cards, served a meal at a homeless shelter, made rosaries for a sister parish in Thailand, served hamburgers and hot dogs at the Youth group's year- end celebration, sponsored an Altar Servers appreciation pizza party, provided prayer books to the parish at Lent and Easter and instituted a support program for members who are in need. In addition they formed a First Degree Ceremonial team and purchased council jewels. In 2005, only its 5th year since formation, Holy Redeemer council boasts a membership of 80 and is an active and integral part of parish life.

VANCOUVER - St. John the Evangelist Council 12983

During July 2001, Father Fitzsimons asked Insurance Agent Tom Bradley about starting a new council at St. Johns Parish. Many of the Knights in the parish were members of Padre Pio Council 7117 in Battleground. St. John the Evangelist Council 12983 was instituted on September 21, 2001 by district Deputy Donald L. Mattes. Those instrumental in forming the council were Father Fitzsimons, Field Agent Tom Bradley, District Deputy Don Mattes, James Campbell, Sheryl Kerner and John O'Hardy of Padre Pio Council 7117, Battleground. The charter members and officers were:

Kenneth L. Anderson	Richard E. Baker TR2	Lavern L. Boespflug
John J. Boos	William R. Bosshart	James R. Campbell Chan
David A. Clark	Ronald J Deibert	Paul D. Donahue
Mike A Dorthalina	Doan Van Doung	David W. Emter
Rev Philip A Fitzsimons	Gary T. Forayter	Michael I. Ginsberg DGK
Donald R. Grothe	Raymond M. Hausinger TR3	Christopher T. Hunt
David A. Hunt	Reginald T. Jensen TR1	Sheryl W. Kerner GK
Christopher F. Kinney	William M. McKnight	Carlos G. Martinez
Kevin G. Millar	Ruben C. Navarro	Kenneth M. Nolan
Monte J. Pachl Treas	Edgar O. Palacios	Omar E. Peters
Christopher P. Peppers	Joseph W. Pierce Jr.	Edward A. Rush
John Savoy	David W. Tanner Sr	David W. Tanner Jr
Travis J. Tanner	Thomas W. Tegtmeyer	Robert M. Torrens
Michael L. Touchtrop	Robert F. Wachsmuth	Roy E. Wall FS

Our main program is a monthly breakfast for the Parish. We also work at the Rose Garden to raise money for our charities - these include: seminarian support; St. Vincent de Paul; Pro-Life; Birth Right; Boy & Girl Scouts; and various parish needs. We also visit 3 homeless shelters and do pictures with Santa - giving each child a Christmas stocking and stuffed toy. We also sponsor the Parish Easter Egg hunt.

Our membership in 2007 is now at 98 members. We have received the Star Council Award 2003-2004 and 2005-2006. We have also received the Fr McGivney and Columbian Awards 2002-2003, 2004-2005.

VANCOUVER – St James Council 15730

WALLA WALLA - Michael Flohr Council 766 Council Historians: Robert Baumgart & Vance Orchard

Centennial History

Michael Flohr council 766 was organized May 3, 1903 dedicated to the memory of the Very Rev Michael Flohr, the first pastor of St Patrick's Church in Walla Walla. His pastorate, from 1884 to 1906, endeared him to all. In April, 1903 National Organizer Thomas J Gorman came to Walla Walla to organize a council of the Knights of Columbus. The May 5, 1903 issue of the Walla Walla Union reported:

The lodge will be instituted with a charter membership of 40; the limit fixed by the constitution of the Order is 40 members. The Walla Walla council will be the third in the state. Seattle and Spokane were organized in the spring of 1902. A party of 45 Knights from Seattle, Portland and Spokane were in the city to assist in the exemplification of the degree work. State Deputy John F Sullivan of Seattle and State Deputy Benjamin L Norden of Portland had charge of the degree work.

"The Knights of Columbus," said Mr. Gorman, "is practically a new order on the coast. It is less than a year old in the State of Washington, the only council west of the Mississippi. There are now 100,000 Knights in the United States and I estimate that a third are in the West." There were a number of inaccuracies in the article but we did have publicity. James J Gorman was the National Organizer (we had no State Deputy yet) and 40 was the minimum limit aimed for. The council was actually founded with 35 charter members. William Dunphy was the first Grand Knight and served for four years. The Charter Members and Officers were:

W P Clancy	J R Kent	J P Morrissey
H J Collins	Henry L King	P C O'Conner
John S Conners	J J Lavin	William S Ryan
L W Cullen	F X Laney	T S ????
William Dunphy GK	Nicholas Lux	P S ???ally
Chris Ennis	John R Lyons	Al G Schott
F G Ennis	Joseph R Lyons	Alex Shannon
T J Ennis	J H Mackin	T D Sheehan
Jerry Farrell	T E Martin	F W Tierney
P J Garvey	T E Mason	E J Walsh
L Geaney	Daniel McQuade	Joseph X Weber
D P Hayes	Patrick Mooney	William H Weber

Members of the council have served at State and District levels of the Order. Norman S Herring was State Deputy from 1956-58 and Al G Schott was State Secretary for 24 years. The council has been host for several; State Conventions and numerous State Meetings. The council has sponsored a bowling league for more than 30 years and a Boy Scout troop since 1925. In 1945 the council assisted in the re-activation of the Fourth Degree with a class of 22 candidates.

"Century Club" status was attained in 1944. Our Centennial was celebrated on May 3, 2003. A Centennial Souvenir Program was published and contained various historical documents.

WENATCHEE – Wenatchee Council 1545

Wenatchee Council 1545 was instituted February 26, 1911 by District Deputy Charles A Cole with 47 members - 26 insurance and 21 associate. The charter members and officers were:

Arthur T Babst	Frank J Bauer	P F Connelly
L H Cossman	Fred M Crollard Lect	Louis J Crollard Adv
L I Cysewski	Michael DeWitt	John J Dwyer
E Pat Fisher Rec	P J Freaney	Henry A Freeman
John M Fritz	Joseph M Gangler	F M Gosa
William W Gorden	H E Hardesty GK	Daniel A Hawley
P R Hester	Henry O Hinde	Thomas W Hinde
John Holten	Fred Hoffman	William J Hughes
Raymond J Huff	Max W Lebeck	William J Malloy
John P Maguire	Daniel F Mahoney	Walter McHugh
J J McNerney DGK	Michael McNulty	Frank A Mechtel
Leon I Milot	James V Monroe	J P Mulloy
Stephen G Novits	H J Richards	Frank Ryan
J A Snider	M M Sweeney FS	Lee M Tighe
George R Tyrrell	James H Tyrrell	Rev J Vandewalle Chap
John Walsh	John R Walsh	

The early history of the council is sketchy. There are State Council records from 1957 to date. From these records it seems that this council participated in the programs that most K of C councils adopt. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for fund-raisers and social purposes.

We have consistently supported our church and our community. In a small community people tend to be close so our social affairs have always been successful and integrated with our programs. We have had all of the usual K of C programs but basically we are always there when needed by the pastor or the community. The council's most consistent efforts have been in support of Catholic Charities, PFH and Scouting.

WOODINVILLE - Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Council 14046

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta was instituted in Woodinville on May 29, 2006 by district deputy Michael J Bohm of Redmond. The charter members were:

Chris P Ahlers	Jeffrey B Bannick	Ronald G Bollinger
Robert L Buendia Jr	Rev K Scott Connolly	Len B Davis
Thomas E Duncan	Gary W Dunn	Scott A Elmenhurst
Kenneth F Fabrizlo	Christopher D Haas	Todd M Kinsfather
Brian T Lampe	Al Larpenauer	James E Linden
Michael M Mazur	Paul J Mazzoncini	Mike J Monda
Thomas J O'Brien	Diogenos F Oropessi	Leo W Plude
Jeff A Rickard	Gregory G Schmidt	Jim E Scurlock
Alexander Seamen	George D Smeby	Sean F Smith
Greg S Taylor	James J Tracy III	Peter J Zuccaro

WOODLAND - John Henry Newman Council 11252

John Henry Newman Council 11252 was instituted in Woodland on January 22, 1994 by District Deputy Lonnie S Buck. The charter members were:

Rev Joseph T O'Shea	Carl O Anderson	John C Barnes
John E Bean	David J. Bryant	Robert L. Campbell
Jerry P Hadaller	Marvin G Hadaller	Patrick A Hadaller
Loma Hammons	Scott Handcock	Steven G Harms
James J Heidland	Michael G Johnson	Thomas P Johnson
Leonard Kutch	Harold C Lacy	Michael J Lambrecht
Walter D Mckay	Wayne K McPherson Sr	Wayne K McPherson Jr
Walter M Novak	Alston Olson	Keith A Procknow
John K Quintrell	Jerrold W Ross	Eugene Simpson
Xavier Soto	Frank Teipel	James T Tone
Dominic N Traabochia	Leo E Vasouez	Ralph I Welch

YAKIMA - Yakima Council 894

75th Anniversary

Yakima Council 894 was instituted on May 15, 1904 as North Yakima Council 894. It was the first council instituted after the formation of the Washington State Council. The Washington State Council was instituted on May 3, 1904 - just twelve days earlier. There were 38 charter members. Among them was Dr Thomas Tetreau, who was to become State Deputy from 1908 to 1910. The charter members and officers were:

Frank Bartholet	Iildege Beaudry	John J Callahan
John M Curry	F M DeLagasse	Rev A Diomedi
John Ditter	Joseph E Ditter	Philip A Ditter
C R Donovan	B F Eschbach	Joseph E Eschbach
Edward F Furlong	Joseph Garrecht	Patrick F Jordan
Henry C Kohls	Anthony Krober	A G Laughlin
C J Lynch	John H Lynch GK	John J Lynch
Patrick J Lynch	Timothy L Lynch	Iildege Mailoux
Thomas G Maloney	Joseph J Malloy	Alfred C Mayer
J A McArthur	R A McArthur	Fred Mailoux
J J Michels	J D F Morrissey	Frank X Nagler
M Schorn	Henry H Schott	Dr Thomas Tetreau
A J Villaume	Francis M Witt	

Yakima was incorporated December 1, 1883 and grew to 400 a year later. The Northern Pacific Railroad platted North Yakima four miles north and offered residents an equal amount of property and to move their buildings without charge if they would transfer to the new town. Most citizens agreed and, in 90 days during the winter and spring of 1884-85, over 100 buildings were moved by wagon, skids and rollers to the new community. These included a bank, hotels and stores. On January 12, 1886 the city was chartered and named the county seat. The legislature passed an act dropping the word "North" from the city's name and changed the name of the older town (Yakima City) to Union Gap.

Very little is known about the early activities of this council from 1904 until 1963 when the printing of the annual reports of the councils was begun. From the State Council records we know that John H Lynch, one of the charter members, was elected State Advocate from 1906-1908. State Deputies from this council include Dr Thomas Tetreau 1908-1911 and Everett A Turner 1989-90. John Merchant was elected State Secretary 1958-59 and John H Lynch, our charter Grand Knight was elected as State Advocate 1906-1908. Joseph Klingele was elected State Warden 1960-1964. Everett Turner held each of the State Offices: State Warden 1981-83, State Advocate 1983-85, State Treasurer 1985-87 and State Secretary 1987-89.

In 1961 the annual Casino Night was begun and continued through 1970. In 1969 we started our annual Tara Ball for the benefit of Catholic Charities. The theme was 'Tara Na Ri',

"the place of the kings." This was a success, bringing in \$1100 in 1971. In 1972 both Yakima councils participated and we netted \$2400. It has been bringing in over \$2,000 annually for Catholic Charities. Yakima is in the heart of the Yakima valley and is the center of an agricultural region. Many of the men are of German, French or Hispanic origin. Over the years, many of our social functions have had a German influence - our annual German dinners and sausage affairs and some of the dances. There have been many other dinners, dances, barbershop singing groups and the like.

Our council has always supported our church, our youth and our community. There have been numerous vigils, rosaries, memorial services, communion Sundays and Clergy Nights. We have supported our youth with Children's Christmas parties, dinners for the graduates of Carroll High School, our local Catholic High School, basketball tournaments and dances. Our community support has been through donations of food to the poor of the valley; support of the Pro-Life program and the Catholic Charities program; Columbus Day activities; supporting marching groups and others.

In 1975 Yakima Council began hosting the Annual Summer Meetings almost every year and working to be good hosts for other State Council functions including the Bowling and Golf Tournaments and State Conventions. We assisted the Father Joseph Caruana Assembly to host the 10th Annual Three State Convention of the Fourth Degree. We hosted the State Convention in 1912, 1924, 1936, 1951, 1957, 1964 and 1983. We moved into our present hall in 1985. We celebrated our 75th Anniversary on October 13, 1979.

YAKIMA - Ahtanum Mission Council 6097

Ahtanum Mission Council 6097 was instituted July 9, 1968 by District Deputy John C Huck with 56 members. The charter members and officers were:

A Alegría	J R Arralde	G P Beam
E F Beaulaurier	Wade L Brumley FS*	R A Buchanan
R M Chandler	R D Clark*	A H Cote
J A Danhauer	L E Deluca	E C Doll*
D L Erickson	H J Fischer	W G Gellerson Rec
Dr R W Haight*	H Hazel Adv	Rev R P Himes
J T Hoffman	Bro. J Huck S.J.	J L Huck
Ralph Huck GK	R L Huck	T J Huck
V Huck	J P Koch	R E Melton
M C Mertens	W M Mertens	P F Messer
A J Miller	R E Molitor	E L Nevue
A S Ott	J J Peitz	H Renneberg
B L Robillard	J M Roche	W D Rose
R F Roy	D F Rullman	J A Schmitt
H R Schott	Rev R J Shields Chap	C V Smith Jr
R L Steavens	H J Stillwater	W J Stohr
S P Tabak	H S Vanderwood	R J Vorenkamp MD DGK
R T Watson	F O Webb DDS Treas	J A Welle
P L Wolf	T P Wolf	

Ahtanum Mission derives from the St Joseph's Catholic Mission - the first structure where this community stands. "Ahtanum" is derived from the Indian word 'Ahtanumlema', the name of an Indian band that once lived on Ahtanum Creek. The term literally translates to "people of the water by the long hill." We began with our first installation of officers. The honored guests included Bishop Joseph P Dougherty of Yakima, PSD William Bailey, State Secretary George Mosebar and many others. On April 19, 1969 we received our charter from the

new State Secretary, Harold G Westby. From our institution until the charter was closed we had increased from 43 to 56 members.

Our first year saw us involved in a host of activities - many of which still continue. We have been involved heavily in sports from the start. In fact, by March 1969 we had won first place in the District 6 Basketball and Bowling Tournaments. This council has concentrated on Youth and PFH activities. We sponsor both a Cub Pack and a Boy Scout Troop. We have been in all of the golf tournaments. We have had card parties, sponsored a 14 mile raft and canoe race down the Yakima River, Father-Son Camp-outs and conducted Father-Son Breakfasts. We received the Star Council Award in 1970.

Council projects require funds so we have been fund-raising since our first year when we raised \$800. Since then we have done better. Our Reno Nights raised \$5000 for the Boy Scouts (1980) and \$3000 for the CYO (1981). We really got into recycling paper, cans and glass in 1980 as a means of supporting the Seminarian program. By 1981-82 we raised \$1600 and kept increasing it to \$2500 in 1985-86. In 1986-87 we supported three seminarians with \$500 each plus \$700 to the Penny Parade. In each of the last two years we have supported seven seminarians with \$250 each. We also have Barbecues to meet with the seminarians. We strongly support the Pro-Life program in a number of ways. We provide ushers, CCD teachers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers to help the parish and do maintenance chores. We have various breakfasts, dinner-dances, banquets and potlucks for social purposes.

YAKIMA - Our Lady of Guadalupe Council 8294

Our Lady of Guadalupe Council 8294 was instituted on February 27, 1983 by District Deputy Eugene L Doll as the first bilingual council in this state. The charter members and officers were:

Rev A Beezer SJ Chap	Rev Ernest Bertin SJ	R J Bonlender FS
Albert R Coleman	William D Coleman	David C Contreras
Jesus Cisneros	Donald R Courtier	Juan G Covarrubias
Felipe R Espinosa	Philip G Espinosa	William E Fearon
Salvador M Godinez	Juan G Gonzalez	Dennis E Hunt
Eleuterio Jiminez	John A Kinzig	Jesus Lemos
Fidel G Lopez	Francisco Pintor	Jose M Prado
Jose Prado	Gary Prescott	Jose R Ramirez
Michael F Rowland GK	Peter J Rowland	Arthur H Salais
Gary C Shirey*	Frank R Thomas	Federico Vasquez
Francisco O Vega	Ramon Velasquez	Reyes V Villarreal
Paul A Wilson		

This council never did really get started. Few members would show up for meetings or activities. Different stories are heard as to the reason for the demise of this council but none are authenticated. We do know that the council had difficulty in paying its per capita to both the Supreme Council and the State.

THE COUNCIL WAS DISSOLVED ON AUGUST 5, 1985

Chapter IV



THE FOURTH DEGREE

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THE ORIGIN OF THE FOURTH DEGREE

In the 1890s there were requests for a new degree or degrees. The National Board of Directors declined until early 1899 when they appointed a committee to investigate and make recommendations for a Fourth Degree. The Board accepted the report of the committee, a ceremonial was adopted and the Fourth Degree became a reality. The primary purpose of the new degree was to promote a love of our country and impress the duties of citizenship. Its principle was to be Patriotism.

The Fourth Degree of the Order was formally begun in 1900 with the first grand exemplification of the Fourth Degree being held in New York on February 22, 1900. At its inception it was necessary to make an arbitrary selection of the candidates from those applying. About fourteen hundred members were selected for the first exemplification. This was followed by similar exemplifications in other cities. The members so receiving this degree returned to their councils to form scattered council assemblies of the Fourth Degree, with the right thereafter to choose other members. These members reported to the National Board. There was no attempt to combine them. There was no cohesion.

On October 8, 1906, The National Board of Directors created the joint District of Washington, Oregon and Montana. This led to the announcement in the October 9, 1906 issue of the Columbiad in the OFFICIAL column that the Supreme Board intended to appoint a Master of the Fourth Degree for the states of Washington, Oregon and Montana. Subsequently in the March 1907 issue it was reported that James T. Lawler of Seattle had been appointed as Master for a District comprising the three states of Washington, Oregon and Montana.

In both the July 1909 issue of Columbiad and in the minutes of the defunct Prefontaine Council 1267 (6/28/09) are found announcements of a Fourth Degree Exemplification to be held on August 16, 1909 and (7/26/09) that Charter Members of Prefontaine council had received a dispensation and would be eligible for this exemplification. The applications had to include a photograph. The site of the exemplification is not specified but seems to have been Seattle.

The National Board had directed its Ceremonial Committee to study the matter of lack of cohesion and organization and make recommendations. It made its formal report on January 11, 1910 and the Board approved it. The changes were to become effective July 1, 1910. Apparently the report was publicized prior to its official presentation.

On October 11-12, 1909 the Columbiad reported that a new Constitution and Laws for the Fourth Degree to become effective July 1, 1910. It provided for a National Assembly with a Supreme Master, National Secretary, and 6- Vice Supreme Masters. The Supreme Board was to appoint the Supreme Master and Vice-Supreme Masters. The VSM's were to initially be appointed for staggered terms (2, 4 and 6 years) but their successors were to be appointed for terms of six years. It was also provided that fourth degree exemplifications should not occur more than once a year in each district.

This major restructuring took place and the offices of Supreme Master and Vice Supreme-Master was created as were Fourth Degree Assemblies in essentially their present form. No record is to be found - prior to 1911- of Assemblies, Provinces or the Fourth Degree offices as we know them today.

With the erection of a new administrative organization for the Fourth Degree, on July 12, 1910 the National Board of Directors placed the state of Washington in the LaSalle (later the Junipero Serra) Province. When the first Vice-Supreme Master for the Province, T. J. Gorman, districeted this province he created the joint District of Washington and Oregon in the LaSalle (later the Junipero Serra) Province. This action was ratified by the National Board of Directors on October 17-18, 1910.

On June 26-27, 1920, the Supreme Board of Directors created the separate District of Washington in what was by then known as the Junipero Serra Province. John H. Reddin, of Denver, was appointed Supreme Master by the Supreme Board effective July 11, 1910. He continued in that office until December 30, 1940. Brother Reddin was deeply involved with the expansion of the Order to the Pacific Coast states. He was succeeded by Timothy P Galvin (Jan 11, 1941- Jan 31, 1945). The third Supreme Master was William J. Mulligan who held office from February 1, 1945 to October 20, 1966. Former Supreme Knight, Virgil C Dechant, was Supreme Master from October 21, 1966 to October 6, 1967 when he was succeeded by Frank E. McGillen (October 6, 1967-December 31, 1969). Daniel L. McCormick

was Supreme Master from January 1, 1970 to June 20, 1983. Upon his death, Alfred N Nicolas succeeded him. His term of office was from July 30, 1983 to January 1987. Brother Nicolas died while in New Haven conducting the work of the office. Hillary F Schmittzehe, Charles Riesbeck, Charles Foos, Darrell Beck, Nestor Barber and Joseph P. Schultz served in succession as Supreme Master between 1987 and 2007. Our present Supreme Master is Joseph P. Schultz.

PROVINCES, VICE-SUPREME MASTERS AND MASTERS:

DATES	PROVINCE	VICE-SUPREME MASTER	MASTER
3/1907-10/14/10		James T Lawler, Seattle	
10/14/10-10/1917	LaSalle	T. J. Gorman, Seattle	Maurice D Leehey, Seattle
10/1917-6/30/18	Junipero Serra	Joseph Scott, Los Angeles	John M Boyle, Tacoma
6/1918-6/30/20	Junipero Serra	Robert E Morrison, Prescott, AZ	John M Boyle, Tacoma
6/1920-	Junipero Serra	Robert E Morrison	Harry L LaBerge, Yakima (WA only)
6/30/23-24	Junipero Serra	Jere E Shea, Butte, MT	Michael J Luby, Spokane (WA only)
1924-28	Junipero Serra	Jere E Shea	Thomas B Hill, Seattle
1928-31	Junipero Serra	Jere E Shea	Edward P Ryan, Spokane
1931	Junipero Serra	Hugh N Marron, Wolf Point, MT	Edward Connor, Seattle (died 3/29/34)
4/13/34-8/31/34	Junipero Serra	Hugh N Marron	A. E. Prickett, Seattle
9/1/34-8/31/38	Junipero Serra	Hugh N Marron	Frank M Baller, Spokane
9/38-8/44	Junipero Serra	J L D Prud'Homme, Los Angeles	Dr M T Dalton, Spokane
9/1/44-8/31/45	Junipero Serra	J L D Prud'Homme	Dan J Kenney, Seattle
9/1/45-6/23/47	Junipero Serra	Thomas F Duffy, San Francisco	Dan J Kenney (Died)
9/19/47-8/31/48	Junipero Serra	Thomas F Duffy	M Pete Shrauger, Seattle
9/1/48-8/31/51	Junipero Serra	Thomas F Duffy	Robert Waddick, Seattle
9/51-8/53	Junipero Serra	Miner B Adams, Palo Alto, CA	Robert Waddick, Seattle
1953-57	Junipero Serra	Michael W Kehr, Portland, OR	Robert Waddick, Seattle
1957-62	Junipero Serra	Michael W Kehr	Norman S Herring, Walla Walla
1962-63	Junipero Serra	Michael W Kehr	Edward Walsh, Yakima
1963-65	Junipero Serra	Michael W Kehr	Edmund F Charette, Richland

WASHINGTON SPLIT INTO EAST & WEST DISTRICTS IN 1965

DATES	PROVINCE	VICE-SUPREME MASTER	MASTER (East)	MASTER (West)
1965-66	Junipero Serra	Otto L Smith, Klamath Falls	E F Charette, Richland	Donald Young, Seattle
1966-68	Junipero Serra	Otto L Smith	Clarence George, Spokane	Arthur Boyle, Tacoma
1968-69	Junipero Serra	Otto L Smith	Wm J Dolle, Spokane	Robt Caldwell, Seattle

ARCHBISHOP NORBERT BLANCHET PROVINCE ESTABLISHED IN 1969

DATES	VICE-SUPREME MASTER	MASTER (East)	MASTER (West)
1969-70	Robert E Welch, Salem OR	William J Dolle, Spokane	Robert F Caldwell, Seattle
1970-72	Robert E Welch	William J Dolle	Jos J Rasnack Jr, Bellevue
1972-74	Robert E Welch	William J Dolle	Theodore A Burns, Bremerton
1974-77	Robert E Welch	William J Dolle	Nicholas M Varano, Tacoma
1977-78	Robert E Welch	Michael A Herres, Walla Walla	Nicholas M Varano, Tacoma
1978-80	Robert E Welch	Michael A Herres	Jack Newman Jr, Oak Harbor
1980-81	Robert E Welch	Joseph P Bozo, Spokane	Charles M Bailey, Lynnwood
1981-82	Robert C Herbage, Roseburg OR	Joseph P Bozo, Spokane	Charles M Bailey, Lynnwood
1982-84	Robert C Herbage	William J Dolle	Charles M Bailey, Lynnwood
1984-85	Robert C Herbage	William J Dolle	Henry G Therrien, Bellingham
1985-86	Harry J. Tucker Jr, Kent WA	William J Dolle	Henry G Therrien
1986-88	Harry J. Tucker Jr	Alfred J Rizzo, Richland	Henry G Therrien

WASHINGTON EAST & WEST DISTRICTS WERE CONSOLIDATED IN 1988

DATES	VICE SUPREME MASTER	MASTER - DIST OF WASHINGTON
1988-89	Harry J Tucker, Kent, WA	Alfred J Rizzo, Richland
1989-90	George C Turk, Bellevue, WA	Alfred J Rizzo
1990-93	George C Turk	John R Klein, Tacoma
1993-94	Paul H Bousquet, Corvallis, OR	John R Klein
1994-1997	Paul H Bousquet	Edward J Mertens, Spokane
1997-1998	John R Klein, Tacoma, WA	Edward J Mertens
1998-2001	John R Klein	Phillip R Fitzsimons, Pt Orchard
2001-2002	Rudolph Wilson, Boise, ID	Phillip R Fitzsimons
2002-2004	Rudolph Wilson	Everett J Roberts, Tacoma
2004-2005	Rudolph Wilson	Storm Smole, Poulsbo
2005-2006	James P. Gay, Eugene, OR	Storm Smole
2006-	James P. Gay	Wayne C Hogan, Steilacoom

By 1914 Washington had seven Assemblies - in Seattle, Spokane, Walla Walla, Tacoma, Bellingham, Aberdeen and North Yakima. By 1945 we had only ten. Bremerton, Ellensburg and Vancouver had been added. We added the J F Kennedy Assembly (Lynnwood-Bothell) in 1976 and 1980 saw Fr Mulligan (Chehalis-Centralia), Archbishop Sheen (Spanaway) and Fr Valerian Grubb (Lakewood) Assemblies added. Bishop Gill Assembly (South King County) was added in 1983. We remained at 19 until 1985 when we added two - Fr Alcuin Lawrence 2018 (Pt Angeles) and Fr O'Callahan 2027 (Pt Orchard). Our last assembly – Fr Michael J McGivney Assembly 3006 in Vancouver – was added in 2006. The district now has 38 assemblies.

THE BOGUS OATH

It is ironic that the Fourth Degree in the state of Washington would so soon be called upon to defend both their faith and their patriotism. In the era 1895 to 1920 religious bigotry was common.

On September 1, 1912 the bogus oath surfaced in Seattle. The Seattle Times, page 1, Sunday November 3, 1912 and the Seattle Post Intelligencer of the same date included a complete chronology of the events from start to finish. It was also reported in the Catholic Northwest Progress of November 8, 1912. The following is a quote from the Seattle Times article:

Reading from his pulpit in the First Methodist Church September 1st last, A.W. Leonard, pastor of the church, quoted from what he said was an obligation of the Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, a secret, patriotic, fraternal and insurance order. Thereafter and on the same evening, copies of the alleged oath were distributed to persons leaving the church after the services. Both the utterances and the printed copy of the alleged oath circulated under his direction at the entrance of the church have been denounced by members of the Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, and by others as untrue, malicious and libelous, as well as slanderous.

Present during Leonard's sermon were several prominent business men who are members of the Knights of Columbus. These sought - then and later - to inform Leonard of the false and libelous character of his utterances. Leonard was asked to arrange a conference, but this request did not bring results.

Ask Right to Reply -

In order to make certain that the whole matter would be treated fairly, the Knights of Columbus, through a committee, presented the whole matter first through Will P. Fisher, chairman of the board of trustees of the church, and later to Leonard himself, at the same time merely asking that an opportunity be given to prove the falsity of the alleged copy of the oath which Leonard had read from the pulpit.

In order to preserve a complete record and at the same time to give Leonard and the trustees of his church every opportunity to become informed as to the facts and thereby right the

wrong already done, the Knights of Columbus committee entered into correspondence with Mr. Fisher and afterward with Leonard. Every chance was given the Methodist church officials and their pastor to meet the committee half way in the matter, but these efforts were unproductive. Finally the Knights of Columbus committee, including T. J. Gorman, John D. Carmody, and J.C. Ford, - finding that there was no other means of obtaining justice than to publish the facts in full - submitted the following to the Editor of the Times:

Ask Full Publication, -

Editor The Times

Dear Sir,

For some months past there has appeared in the "Menace", a scurrilous sheet printed in Missouri, matter intended and maliciously calculated to destroy the good-will existing in this country between Catholics and non-Catholics, and in this city various circulars have been handed around and distributed through the mails, having the same end in view.

Although grieved that expression should be given in any way to sentiments so prejudicial to good will between men, we did not deem it expedient to take notice of such attacks until they culminated in a sermon delivered Sunday, September 1, 1912 by Rev. Adna Wright Leonard in the First Methodist Church of Seattle, of which church he is pastor.

In that sermon, the reverend Mr. Leonard read what he stated to be the oath taken by the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, a Catholic fraternal and insurance society of which the undersigned are members.

If true, this alleged oath is a pact not only blood-curdling and atrocious in its terms, but criminal in its purpose and such should justly expose all of us to public abhorrence. If untrue, then the one who was the means of circulating such a slander against peace-loving fellow citizens should himself be held up as an object of public scorn and contempt.

Slander of Ignorance –

Believing that this slander was uttered by the Rev. Mr. Leonard in ignorance of the truth, we sought conference with the Board of Trustees of the Rev. Mr. Leonard's church, and finally, at the suggestion of Mr. Will P. Fisher, chairman of that board, with the Rev. Mr. Leonard himself. We believed that is such conference could be had, we could convince them and him that the charges the Rev. Mr. Leonard had made against our organization were absolutely false.

The effort to secure such conference, as will be seen by the correspondence published herewith, was fruitless. We, therefore, have felt it a duty we owe to the public and to ourselves to publish these letters and this statement so that fair-minded men may have an opportunity to pass judgment on the matter. The correspondence is as follows:

There followed eight letters which did not result in a meeting between the parties. The article continues with the Knights Committee narrative:

Our failure to obtain a fair hearing at the hands of the Rev. Mr. Leonard convinced us that he either had no desire to learn the truth concerning our organization, or knowing the falsity of his statements, intended to persist in his malicious attacks upon us. We, therefore, concluded to submit to others the same proof we had offered to present to Rev Mr. Leonard,

namely the printed ritual containing the actual obligation taken by Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus. The gentlemen to whom this obligation was submitted are:

H. C. Henry, railroad contractor and president of the Metropolitan Bank.

J. D. Lowman, president of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce.

J. E. Chilberg, vice-president of the Scandinavian American Bank of this city.

Denounced as Blasphemous - The signed statement of these gentlemen follows:

Honorable Catholic gentlemen of this city have placed for examination in the hands of the undersigned two papers. One, the actual fourth degree obligation taken by each person upon becoming a member of the Catholic organization known as the Knights of Columbus; the other a printed circular purporting to be the above mentioned obligation. The latter is a blasphemous and horrible travesty upon the real oath, and as fair-minded citizens of this city, we cannot allow an atrocious libel upon the large body of our public spirited Catholic fellow citizens to stand undisputed. We declare further that the obligation taken by the fourth degree Knights of Columbus is one of loyalty and patriotism to our flag and nation and the said obligation binds those who assume it to the exercise of the highest type of American citizenship.

Signed at Seattle, Washington, this 31st day of October, 1912

H.C. HENRY, J.D. LOWMAN, J.E. CHILBERG

We beg to submit all of the above as evidence of the fact that we have been the object of a malicious slander at the hands of a disturber of the public peace.

T.J. GORMAN, JOHN D. CARMODY, J.C. FORD

A letter to Mr. John D Carmody was sent:

Dear Sir,

The following resolution was passed by the Olympia Clericus, an organization composed of all Episcopal clergymen in the state of Washington, west of the Cascades:

"Our attention has been called to a circular which has been rather widely distributed, purporting to be a copy of the oath taken by the members of a certain religious order or society. We desire on behalf of ourselves to express our deep regret that such an attack should have been made on the members of a religious body. We disclaim any desire to judge others, but feel most deeply that the interests of true religion can never be served in such a way."

SIDNEY T. JAMES Secretary, All Saints Rectory, Seattle

The bogus oath circulated throughout the country during the next six to ten years. Supreme Knight James A Flaherty testified in 1913 in two cases brought by the Order in Pennsylvania. On July 29, 1914 two Supreme Officers - Supreme Physician E W Buckley and Supreme Secretary William J McGinley - testified in Waterville, Minnesota in an "oath case. Supreme Secretary McGinley had the actual pledge inserted as a State Exhibit. It read:

"I swear to support the Constitution of the United States. I pledge myself, as a Catholic citizen and a Knight of Columbus, to enlighten myself fully upon my duties as a citizen and to conscientiously perform such duties entirely in the interest of my country and regardless of all personal consequences. I pledge myself to do all in my power to preserve the integrity and purity of the ballot, and to promote reverence and respect for law and order. I promise to practice my religion openly and consistently, but without ostentation, and to so conduct myself in public affairs, and in the exercise of public virtue as to reflect nothing but credit upon our Holy Church, to the end that she may flourish and our country prosper to the greater honor and glory of God."

Because the oath surfaced first in our state, and because the method used by the Seattle Committee became the fundamental method used elsewhere - including in California two years later - we have treated it in some detail. It was obviously false to those who knew the Knights of Columbus. Good taste must now defer to the historical necessity of a complete presentation. The true pledge is printed above and the contrast is indeed pronounced.

THE BOGUS OATH

I,....., now in the presence of Almighty God, the Blessed Virgin Mary, the blessed St. John the Baptist, the Holy Apostles, St Peter and St Paul, and all the saints, scared host of Heaven, and to you, my ghostly father, the Superior General of the Society of Jesus, founded by St Ignatius Loyola, in the pontification of Paul III, and continued to the present, do by the womb of the Virgin, the matrix of God, and the rod of Jesus Christ, declare and swear that His Holiness, the Pope, is Christ's vice-regent and is the true and only head of the Catholic or Universal Church throughout the earth; and that , by virtue of the keys of binding and loosing given His Holiness by my Savior, Jesus Christ, he hath power to depose heretical kings, princes, states, commonwealths and governments and they may be safely destroyed. Therefore, to the utmost of my power, I will defend this doctrine and His Holiness' right and custom against all usurpers of the heretical or Protestant authority whatever, especially the Lutheran Church of Germany, Holland, Denmark, Sweden and Norway, any the now pretended authority and Churches of England and Scotland, and the branches of same now established in Ireland and on the continent of North America and elsewhere, and all adherents, in regard that they may be usurped and heretical, opposing the sacred Mother Church of Rome.

I do now denounce and disown any allegiance due to any heretical king, prince or state, named Protestant or Liberals, or obedience to any of their laws, magistrates or officers.

I do further declare that the doctrine of the Churches of England and Scotland, of the Calvinists, Huguenots and others of the name of Protestants or Masons, to be damnable, and they themselves to be damned who will not forsake the same.

I do further declare that I will help, assist and advise all or any of His Holiness' agents, in any place where I should be, in Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Ireland or America, or in any other kingdom or territory I shall come to, and do my utmost to extirpate the heretical Protestant or Masonic doctrines, and to destroy all their pretended powers, legal or otherwise.

I do further promise and declare that, notwithstanding I am dispensed with to assume any religion heretical for the propagation of the Mother Church's interest, to keep secret and private all her agents' counsels from time to time, as they entrust me, and not divulge, directly or indirectly, by word, writing or circumstances whatever, but to execute all that should be proposed, given in charge, or discovered unto me, by you my Ghostly Father, or any of this sacred order.

*I further promise and declare that I will have no opinion or will of my own or any mental reservation whatsoever, even as a corpse or cadaver (*perinde ac cadaver*), but will unhesitatingly obey each and every command that I may receive from my superiors in the militia of the Pope and of Jesus Christ.*

That I will go to any part of the world whithersoever I may be sent, to the frozen regions of the north, jungles of India, to the centers of civilization of Europe, or to the wild haunts of the barbarous savages of America without murmuring or repining, and will be submissive in all things whatsoever is commanded of me.

I do further promise and declare that I will, when opportunity presents, make and wage relentless war, secretly and openly, against all heretics, Protestants and Masons, as

I am directed to do, to extirpate them from the face of the whole earth; and that I will spare neither age, sex or condition, and that I will hang, burn, waste, boil, flay, strangle and bury alive those infamous heretics; rip up the stomachs and wombs of their women, and crush their infants heads against the walls, in order to annihilate their execrable race. That when the same cannot be done openly, I will secretly use the poison cup, the strangulation cord, the steel of the poniard, or the leaden bullet, regardless of the honor, rank, dignity or authority of the persons, whatever may be their condition in life, either public or private, as I at any time may be directed to do, by any agents of the Pope, or Superior of the Brotherhood of the Holy Father of the Society of Jesus.

In confirmation of which I hereby dedicate my life, soul and all corporal powers, and with the dagger which I now receive I will subscribe my name, written in my blood, in testimony thereof, and should I prove false or weaken in my determination, may my brethren and fellow soldiers of the militia of the Pope cut off my hands and feet and my throat from ear to ear, my belly opened and sulphur burned therein with all the punishment that can be inflicted upon me on earth and may my soul be tortured by demons in eternal hell forever.

That I will in voting always vote for a K. of C. in preference to a Protestant, especially a Mason, and that I will leave my party to do so; that if two Catholics are on the ticket I will satisfy myself which is the better supporter of Mother Church and vote accordingly.

That I will not deal with or employ a Protestant if in my power to deal with or employ a Catholic; that I will place Catholic girls in Protestant families that a weekly report may be made of the inner movements of the heretics.

That I will provide myself with arms and ammunition that I may be in readiness when the word is passed or I am commanded to defend the Church, either as an individual or with the militia of the Pope.

ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS NORBERT BLANCHET PROVINCE

The Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province was established in 1969. Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet was born September 3, 1795 near St Pierre du Sud, Province of Quebec, the son of Pierre and Rosalie Blanchet. He and his brother Augustin Magliore, later the first Bishop of Nisqually, were educated in the Sulpician Seminary of Quebec and ordained July 19, 1819 by Bishop Bernard Claude Panet, titular Bishop of Saldae and Auxiliary Bishop of Quebec.

He was engaged in missionary work among the Mimac Indians and the Canadians of New Brunswick from 1819-26; was in pastoral work in Montreal 1826-37; was named Vicar General of the Oregon Missions by Archbishop Signay in 1837. This was a vast territory never visited by a priest, including the entire area from California to Alaska. He set out on May 3, 1838 accompanied by the Rev Modeste Demers with the annual express of the Hudson Bay Company. The journey from Lachine to Fort Vancouver, a distance of about 5,000 miles, was made in canoes, by portages, by barges, on horseback and in light boats. It took them nine days to cross the Rocky Mountains, on the summit of which - at three o'clock in the morning of October 16, Father Blanchet celebrated Mass. They arrived at Fort Vancouver on November 24th. The territory assigned the two priests embraced about 375,000 square miles.

For four years they labored alone, going from settlement to settlement, facing every peril of a wild country, recalling the faithful to the practice of religion and instructing the Indians. Then two other priests from Canada, the Revs A. Langlois and Z Bolduc, came to their assistance. In 1844 they were reinforced by the great missionary, Father DeSmet, with four other Jesuit priests, three lay Brothers and six Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur.

Father Blanchet was elected titular Bishop of Philadelphia and appointed Vicar Apostolic of the Oregon Territory on December 1, 1843. The letters from Rome arrived in August 1844. To receive episcopal consecration he started for Canada on December 5th on a steamer on the Columbia River, touched at Honolulu, doubled Cape Horn, landed at Dover, went by rail to Liverpool, took a ship to Boston and then by rail to Montreal - a journey of 22,000 miles. He was consecrated by Bishop Bourget in the Cathedral of Montreal July 25, 1845. He returned to Europe visiting Rome, France, Belgium, Germany and Austria gathering together six secular priests, four Jesuit priests, three lay brothers and seven sisters of Notre Dame. They sailed from Brest February 22, 1847 and reached the Columbia River on August 12th.

He arrived back in Oregon with his missionaries on August 19, 1847 and ordained the first priest in the Oregon Territory, Father J F Joyal, on September 19, 1847.

The Bishop was translated to the See of Draza by the letters of August, 1844 to avoid confusion of his former title with that of Philadelphia, U.S.A. The Vicariate was erected into a Province July 24, 1846. Bishop Blanchet was made Archbishop of Oregon City, his brother Magliore became Bishop of Walla Walla and on November 30, 1847 he consecrated Father Demers as Bishop of Vancouver Island.

The Archbishop was indefatigable. He summoned his first provincial council in 1848; attended the first Plenary Council in Baltimore in 1852; went in 1855 to South America and collected for two years in Chile, Peru and Bolivia; returned to Canada in 1859 and returned with 31 priests, sisters and servants. He attended the Second Plenary Council in Baltimore in 1866; celebrated the golden jubilee of his ordination July 19, 1869 and in the following October set out for Rome to assist at the Vatican Council where he voted for the dogma of Papal Infallibility. He was still in the city when the temporal power of the papacy was overthrown.

December 21, 1848 Archbishop Blanchet transferred his residence from St Paul to Oregon City and on August 16, 1862 moved to Portland and St Mary's Cathedral became his Pro-Cathedral.

When Bishop Seghers was made his coadjutor in 1879 he retired to the hospital of the Sisters of Providence in Portland. He resigned in 1880 and February 27, 1881 published his farewell Pastoral Letter announcing the acceptance of his resignation by the Holy Father and his appointment as titular Archbishop of Amida. After months of intense suffering he died on June 18, 1883 and was buried at St Paul, Oregon.

VICE-SUPREME MASTERS

Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province



ROBERT E WELCH
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1969-1981
Salem, OR

ROBERT C. HERBAGE
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1981-1985
Roseburg, OR

Robert C. Herbage was born June 6, 1923 in Portland Oregon. He entered the Navy in 1942 and was discharged as a Machinist Mate 1st Class in 1946. He attended Oregon State University for a year and then left to go into business with two others. He is still active in the business - Con-Bay Keystone Company, a sawmill equipment manufacturing company.

He took his first three degrees in June 1947 in Council 2939 in Roseburg, still his only council. He held all council offices and was District Deputy for 4 years. He held several State Chairmanships and was elected to all state offices. He was State Secretary for 4 years and State Deputy 1979-81. He joined the 4th Degree in 1958 and was elected F.C., F.N. and F.A. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master 1981-85.

He and Maggie have 8 children and 10 grandchildren. He likes woodworking and has been active in the Boy Scouts since 1947 and is now on their Board in his area.



HARRY J. TUCKER JR
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1985-1989

Harry J. Tucker Jr was born January 18, 1927 in Des Moines, Iowa. Harry's family moved to Wichita, Kansas while he was young. He spent 3 years at Wichita State University and then went to work for the Boeing Airplane Co. He joined the Order on Sept 4, 1945 and took his 2nd and 3rd degrees on Sept 9, 1945 from Council 691 in Wichita. He later transferred to Derby, Kansas Council 4458. He took his Fourth Degree on October 10, 1948. He was elected Chancellor 1959-60; and GK 1960-61 in the Derby Council. He was transferred to the Seattle area by the Boeing Company in 1962 though he and Mary Anna bought their home in Kent. He transferred his membership to Auburn Council 3598; served as Chancellor in 1965-66 and GK in 1966-67. He was District Warden 1968-70 and was appointed District Deputy #12 1970-72. He was elected State Warden 1972-74; State Advocate 1974-76; State Treasurer 1976-78 and State Secretary 1978. Upon the death of new State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Deputy. He served out Bill Witte's unexpired term and was elected State Deputy 1979-81 in his own right. He served as Immediate Past State Deputy 1981-83. He was Trustee 1972-76 in the V Rev

Wm J Power Assembly. He was a key figure in the institution of Bishop Gill Assembly in 1983 and a charter member. He served as FA and Trustee for that Assembly before becoming its F Comptroller 1985-90.

While still State Deputy, he was elected Supreme Warden by the Supreme Board of Directors for 1980-82. He was Supreme Warden during the Centennial Year of the Order and participated in all of those activities. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master of the Archbishop Francis N Blanchet Province of the Fourth Degree 1985-89. Harry was active in ceremonial work for many years. He was a Regional Coordinator of Ceremonials for the Order from 1981 until his tragic death on September 18, 1995 when he suffered a heart attack while driving his Lincoln through downtown Seattle with Mary Anna.

He and Mary Anna had no children. Both retired from the Boeing Company. He had been a supervisor in scheduling and Mary Anna had been an office supervisor.

GEORGE C. TURK
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1989-93

George C. Turk was born September 18, 1931 in Nashville, Tennessee to Matthew J and Margaret M Turk. He was fourth of ten children - seven boys and three girls.

He entered the Army June 10, 1947, at age 15, and went to the paratroops. He went to Officers Candidate School and then to Okinawa in January 1950. The Korean War began and his tour wound up three years in the Far East instead of the originally scheduled 12 months. He married Jean on February 18, 1953. He was discharged in February 1954 as a First Lieutenant. He graduated from Catholic High School for Boys in Memphis while still in the Army.

After discharge he worked at a variety of jobs while attending the University of Washington and Seattle University taking Electrical Engineering. Boeing had given him a Junior Associate Engineer's job before he actually had his degree and was a very good employer but he decided that he wanted to be a teacher. He kept right on in school until he had his degree in Math Education and took a job as a teacher in 1959. He got his M.S. from Seattle University in 1969. He retired after 35 years teaching - most as Mathematics Department Head at Seattle's Franklin High School

He joined the Order December 12, 1962 and took his 2nd and 3rd degrees on December 15, 1962. He has belonged to Overlake Council 4385 since joining. He was elected Treasurer 1969-70; Chancellor 1970-71; DGK 1971-72 and GK1972-73. He was State Pennies for Heaven Chairman 1974-78 and set up the PFH Trust Fund - now over \$1,000,000 - in 2007. He reinstated the State Bulletin in 1979 and was its editor until 1981. He joined the Fourth Degree on February 12, 1972.

He was elected Faithful Captain of the new V. Rev. William Power Assembly in 1973-74; FN in 1974-75; FA in 1975-76. He has been active in ceremonials for many years in all four degrees; served several years as State Ceremonials Chairman. He did a number of roles in the 3rd degree – mostly as Conferring Officer. He served as either Historian or Defender of the Faith in the Fourth Degree.

In 1978 he was elected State Warden. Upon the untimely death of State Deputy Bill Witte, he was elected State Advocate and held that office until 1981. He was elected State Treasurer 1981-83, State Secretary 1983-85, State Deputy 1985-87 and served as Immediate PSD 1987-89. He was appointed Vice-Supreme Master of the Archbishop Norbert Blanchet Province - Sept 1989 to Sept 1993.

George was appointed State Historian in 1980 with the assignment of publishing a history of the Washington State Council. Following 10 years of effort, the history was published in 1990. George continued to serve as State Historian until 2005, researching and collecting data from new councils, assemblies, officers and programs. Information gathered after publication was used to create an addendum to the history. The addendum was published in 2007. George and Jean have 1 son, 2 daughters; 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.



PAUL BOUSQUET
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1993-1997
Corvallis, OR

JOHN R. KLEIN
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 1997-2001

John R Klein was born July 7, 1930 in St Paul Minnesota. He served in both the Air Force and Army. He retired as a Chief Warrant Officer in 1970. He is both a Korean War and Vietnam Veteran and has received two Bronze Stars, a Purple Heart and three Commendation Medals. While stationed at Larson AFB at Moses Lake, he joined the Order and became a charter member of Moses Lake Council 4367. He was the first delegate to represent the new council at the 1957 State Convention in Yakima. He served as Grand Knight in 1964. He has been attending State Conventions annually since 1957, except for 4 years when military duties took him overseas. He was elected a Supreme Delegate to the 1964 Supreme Convention in New Orleans and has attended 26 Supreme Conventions.



John became a member of the Fourth Degree in 1958 and belonged to the Father Modeste DeMers Assembly in Wenatchee. He transferred to Lakewood Council 4322 and Bishop McGrath Assembly 1175 in 1967. John served as District Deputy #2 (1972-74) and as State NCD Chairman (1974-76). He was elected State Advocate (1976-78) and State Treasurer in 1978. Upon the untimely death of State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Secretary. He continued as State Secretary until elected State Deputy (1981-83) and Immediate Past State Deputy (1983-85).

John was Faithful Navigator of Bishop McGrath Assembly (1978-79) and Faithful Navigator of Fr Valerian Grubb Assembly (1987-89) - which he founded. In 1990 he was appointed District Master for the State of Washington and served until 1994. In 1997 he was appointed Vice Supreme Master for the Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province. The province includes the states of Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

John is presently the Grand Knight of St. Frances Cabrini Council. St. Frances Cabrini is observing its 50th anniversary in 2007 along with sister councils, Moses Lake and Overlake. John is a 50 year member of the Order and has long been active in ceremonial work. He has served as a ceremonialist in all four degrees - including several roles in the 3rd degree and Historian and Team Captain of the Fourth Degree for over 25 years.

He was appointed by Gov. Dan Evans to the State Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee to the Governor and served 4 Governors (Dixie Lee Ray, John Spellman and Booth Gardener). He served the committee as Chairman and resigned after 8 years because of job conflicts. John's professional appointments with the State of Washington included: The Department of Corrections as a Business Manager; Department of Licensing as an Examiner; Department of General Administration as Supervisor on the Capitol Buildings and Grounds Staff; and State Purchasing as Chief Buyer for Central Stores. He retired in 2005 at the age of 75.

John and his wife Genevieve have eleven children (5 boys and 6 girls), 30 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren (Jenny is a very busy seamstress). In 1986, the family of John and Jenny Klein were recognized as the *State Family of the Year* and as Supreme Council's *International Family of the Year, First runner up*. John and Jenny have been married since 1954.

RUDOLPH WILSON
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 2001-2005
Boise, ID

JAMES P. GAY
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 2005-2009 (OR)
Eugene, OR

WAYNE C. HOGAN
VICE-SUPREME MASTER 2009-



Wayne C. Hogan joined the Knights of Columbus in 1951 in Santa Maria, California and after his military stint was reactivated in 1985 and has been an active member for the past 18 years.

Wayne began his service to the Knights of Columbus in 1988 as Grand Knight and has served as District Deputy, Faithful Navigator, State Chairman for Family, Membership and General Program Chairman, State Warden, State Advocate, State Treasurer, State Secretary and State Deputy. During his tenure as State Deputy he wrote and had published the following: Grand Knights' Handbook, the First Degree Competition booklet, the Star Team booklet, the Goals Review And Document Evaluation booklet which evaluates the performance of District Deputies, and the Regional Meeting booklet and procedures. Wayne also wrote the criteria, procedures and report for the George Turk Gift of Life Award and the Harry Tucker Fraternalism Award as well as designing and having the awards made.

In addition to his fraternal work, Wayne is a charter member of the Board and charter Treasurer of a community charity fund that donates over \$20,000 annually to Catholic schools in the greater Tacoma area.

As State Deputy, he established the first Spanish Membership Chairman in the State of Washington as well as formed and supervised the first Spanish First Degree Team. Wayne is very active in ceremonials, serving in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th degrees, where he is able to do seventeen different parts. Wayne planned and supervised the first Squires State Convention, and wrote three 'Family of the Year' submissions to Supreme, two of which were selected as International Families of the Year. Past State Deputy Hogan, wrote the Round Table plan for the State and last year surpassed the Supreme Round Table goal of 27 with 30 Round Tables. Wayne Hogan was selected to the Supreme Knight's Circle of Honor in 2001-2002, having attained 132% of the State's membership goal. Wayne is our present State Ceremonials Chairman and is a Regional Ceremonials Coordinator for the Order. He and Lori live in Steilacoom. Wayne served as Master of the Washington Jurisdiction from 2006-2009.

MASTERS –Washington Jurisdiction

JAMES T LAWLER
1908-1910
Seattle 676

MAURICE D LEEHEY
1910-1917
Seattle 676

JOHN M. BOYLE
1917-1920
Tacoma 809

HARRY LaBARGE
1920-1922
Yakima 894

MICHAEL J. LUBY
1922-1924
Spokane 683
State Deputy 1920-1921

THOMAS B. HILL
1924-1928
Seattle 676
(Minnesota State Deputy 1907-08)

EDWARD P. RYAN
1928-1930
Spokane 683
State Deputy 1923-28
Supreme Director 1929-41

EDWARD CONNOR
1930-1934
Seattle 676
DIED IN OFFICE

A.E. PRICKETT
4/13/1934-8/31/1934
Seattle 676

FRANK M. BALLER
1934-1938
Spokane 683

DR. M.T. DALTON
1938-1944
Spokane 683

DAN J. KENNEY
9/1/1944-6/23/1947
Seattle 676
DIED IN OFFICE

M. PETE SCHRAUGER
9/19/1947-8/31/1948
Seattle 676

ROBERT WADDICK
1948-1957
Seattle 676

NORMAN S HERRING
1957-1962
Walla Walla 766
State Deputy 1956-1958



EDWARD WALSH
1962-1963
Yakima 894
State Deputy 1953-1954

EDWARD F. CHARETTE
1963-1965
EASTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1965-66
Richland 3307



DONALD S. YOUNG WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1965-1966

Don was born April 30, 1913 in Vancouver, B.C. After high school, he attended Sucass Business College. He served in the Washington National Guard 1930-33 being discharged as a corporal. He joined the Order, taking his 1st three degrees on November 29, 1953 and his 4th degree in 1958. He was a member of Seattle 676 since joining, being elected Warden 1957, Chancellor 1958, DGK 1966 and GK 1967. He was elected FN of James Shields Assembly 1959-61, FA 1961-62 and was appointed Master 1965-66. He was State Program Chairman 1968-69.

Don retired from his car sales business (owner Central Pontiac and Accurate Auto Sales). He and Julianne had 3 sons, 2 daughters and 34 grandchildren. During retirement he enjoyed golf, bowling and cruising.



CLARENCE M. GEORGE EASTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1966-1968

Clarence M George was born March 13, 1918 in Butte, Montana. He graduated from Gonzaga University with his LLB degree in 1943 and his Law Degree in 1946. He joined the Order taking his 1st three degrees in 1942 and his Fourth Degree in 1947. He was FS in Spokane Council 683 in 1943-44; elected Chancellor in 1946; DGK 1947 and GK in 1948. He was DD #5 in 1948-50; elected State Secretary 1960-62 and State Deputy 1962-64.

In the Fourth Degree he was elected Faithful Captain 1951, Navigator 1952, Admiral 1953 and appointed Master of the Eastern Washington District 1966-68. He and Lillian had two sons, 3 daughters and 6 grandchildren. He was an attorney and enjoyed reading, wood finishing and sports. Clarence died on May 26, 1996.

ARTHUR P. BOYLE WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1966-1968

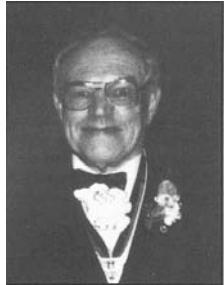
Arthur P Boyle was a member of Tacoma Council 809. He served as State Deputy 1949-51. His administration while State Deputy concentrated on The Narberth Program (Religious Advertising) which was then still new.



ROBERT F. CALDWELL WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1968-1970

Robert was a member from the Seattle area and is thought to have been the brother of Jim Caldwell PSD.

JOSEPH P. BOZO
EASTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1980-1982



WILLIAM J. DOLLE
EASTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT
1968-1974 and 1982-1985

William J. Dolle was born September 21, 1921 in Spokane. He attended Gonzaga High School and St Edward's Seminary and received his B.A. and M.A. degrees there. He took his first three degrees February 15, 1942. He served in the Army and Air Force from December, 1942 until December, 1945.

He was elected Warden 1962-63, Chancellor 1963-65, Deputy Grand Knight 1965-66 and Grand Knight of Council 683 in 1966-67. He was appointed Master of the Eastern Washington District in February 1968 and held that office until September 1976. He was reappointed Master 1982-86. He also held offices in the Spokane Assembly - Comptroller 1976-77, Pilot 1977-78, Captain 1978-79, Navigator 1979-80 and Admiral 1980-81. Bill was a personnel manager before his retirement and is still doing some P.R. work mixed with golf, bowling and music. Bill passed away on April 21, 2010.

JOSEPH J RASNACK JR
WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1970-1972



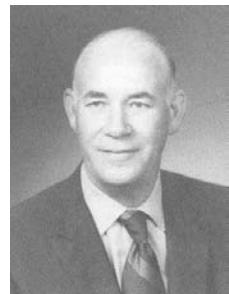
Joseph J. Rasnack Jr was born November 9, 1918 in Cleveland, Ohio and graduated from East Technical High School. He joined the Knights in Council 2898 in Columbus, Ohio. He took his first three degrees on May 23, 1948. He received his 4th degree February 24, 1962. He was elected Warden of Overlake Council 4385 in 1961; Chancellor later in 1961; DGK in 1962; GK in 1963 and was appointed DD#12 in 1972-74. He served as FS of Council 4385 and State Bulletin Editor 1985-92.

He joined the 4th degree in James Shields Assembly 1168. He was elected F Comptroller in 1965, FP in 1966, FC in 1967, FN in 1968, and FA in 1969. He was appointed Master of the Western Washington district from 1970-72. He was involved with the formation of V Rev William Power Assembly 1630 in 1973 and became a charter member of that assembly. He was an electrical engineer for the Boeing Company until his retirement in 1984.

THEODORE A. BURNS
WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1972-1974

Ted was born February 10, 1910 in Oakesdale, Washington and attended college for two years. He joined the Order, taking his 1st 3 degrees December 13, 1942 and his 4th degree May 13, 1947. He was a member of Bremerton 1379 since joining, being elected Warden 1948; Chancellor 1949; DGK 1968; GK 1969; FC of Msgr Camerman Assembly 1949; FN 1950-51; FA 1951 and was appointed Master 1972-74. In 1974 he was elected as a delegate to the Supreme Convention.

He and Bernice Margaret had 1 son; 1 daughter and 11 grandchildren. He



retired as an Electrical Engineering Technician at the Bremerton Navy Shipyard. His primary interests were woodworking, golf and fishing.

MICHAEL A. HERRES
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 1974-1980

Michael A. Herres was born November 9, 1912 in Peola, Washington - a town that no longer exists. He moved to Pomeroy when he entered high school there. He was in the Army from 1942-45 and was a Technical Sergeant at his discharge. He took his 1st Degree in February 1936 and his 2nd and 3rd degrees in May of that year. He joined the 4th Degree in the February 1958 Seattle class under Master Robert Waddick. He was Warden and Chancellor in Pomeroy Council 1460. He moved to Walla Walla in 1963 and was Chancellor there (1964-65) and GK 1967-68. He was FP of Father Brouillet 1169 in 1967-68, FC in 1968-69, FN in 1969-70, FA in 1970-71 and FM 1976-80.



Mike retired as a farmer and enjoyed woodworking. He and Beryl had 1 son, 4 daughters and 14 grandchildren. Their family was selected the 1991 Washington State Knights of Columbus Family of the Year.

NICHOLAS M. VARANO
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 1974-1977

Nicholas M Varano was a member of Lakewood Council 4322 but is no longer active in the Order. He was elected FN of Bishop McGrath Assembly 1175, Tacoma in 1972-73 and was appointed Master in 1974-78. Nick had a dry sense of humor and was known as the 'little old winemaker'.



JACK NEWMAN JR.
WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1977-1980



Jack was born August 29, 1929 in Seattle, joined the Navy after graduation from high school and served 22 years, retiring in 1970 as a Chief Petty Officer. He joined the Order taking his first 3 degrees October 22, 1967 and his 4th degree February 17, 1973. He was elected Warden of council 3361 in 1968; Chancellor in 1968-69; DGK 1969-70; GK 1970-71 and was D.D. #9 1976-78; elected FN 1974-75; FA 1975-76 and appointed Master 1978-80. He also served as State PFH Chairman 1978-79; State Membership Chairman 1979-81; as a member of the Audit Committee 1975-76 and is the current State Council Activities Chairman.

Jack and Lee have 3 sons and 4 daughters who have given them 8 grandchildren. After retiring from the Navy Jack had a cabinet/doors and millwork business from which he retired in 1989. His main hobby now is stamp collecting.

CHARLES M. BAILEY
WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1980-1985

Charles M Bailey was born November 3, 1936 in New Britain, Conn. He joined the Order in 1961 and took his first three degrees in that year in Plainville Court Council 1270. He moved to the Northwest and transferred to Lynnwood council 5816. He was elected Warden 1966-67; DGK 1967-68; GK 1968-69 and was Financial Secretary 1974-76. He joined the Fourth Degree in 1968, was elected FC 1976-77; FN 1977-78 and was Master of the Western District of Washington 1980-84.



Charles was a Senior Territory Manager for the Columbus McKinnon Corporation. When not working, he enjoyed the outdoor life - fishing, hunting and camping. Charles passed away peacefully on October 7, 2007. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patty, and survived by his former wife, Eleanor, and their children, Charles, Cathleen and Michael.

HENRY G. THERRIEN
WESTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1985-1988

Henry was born August 29, 1932 in Ponteix, Saskatchewan. He graduated from high school in Saskatchewan. He joined the Order, taking his first 3 degrees March 8, 1970 in Bellingham Council 829 and his 4th degree February 21, 1976. He was elected Chancellor 1972-73; DGK 1973-74; GK 1974-76; was D.D.#9 1978-81; Assistant State NCD Chairman 1981-85; was elected FC 1980-81; FN 1981-82; FA 1982-83 and was appointed Master of the Western District of Washington 1984-88.



Henry retired from Puget Sound Power where he was employed as an inspector. He and Betty go everywhere and do just about everything together.

ALFRED J. RIZZO
EASTERN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1985-1988
WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1988-1990



Al was born in Brooklyn, New York May 29, 1929. He received a B.M.E. degree from College of City of New York and a M.S. degree in Engineering from Catholic University. He recently retired from his job as Assistant Manager of Operations for the Richland Operations Office of the U.S. Dept. of Energy. He took his 1st degree in Idaho Falls in 1958; his 2nd and 3rd degrees in Windsor, Connecticut in 1959 and his 4th degree there in 1961. In 1960 he was Lecturer in Windsor. He was elected FC of the Rev Schinner Assembly in 1984-85; FN 1985-86; FA 1986-87 and was appointed Master of the Eastern Washington District in 1986-88. In 1988 the Eastern and Western Districts were combined into a single district encompassing the entire state. Al was appointed Master of the Washington District 1988-90.

Al and Dolores have 7 sons and 9 grandchildren. On April 22, 1989 Al was ordained a permanent deacon and is busy in that capacity. In his other free time, he does volunteer work and likes to read. Al died in 2011.

JOHN R. KLEIN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1990-1994

John R Klein was born July 7, 1930 in St Paul Minnesota. He served in both the Air Force and Army. He retired as a Chief Warrant Officer in 1970. He is both a Korean War and Vietnam Veteran and has received two Bronze Stars, a Purple Heart and three Commendation Medals. While stationed at Larson AFB at Moses Lake, he joined the Order and became a charter member of Moses Lake Council 4367. He was the first delegate to represent the new council at the 1957 State Convention in Yakima. He served as Grand Knight in 1964. He has been attending State Conventions annually since 1957, except for 4 years when military duties took him overseas. He was elected a Supreme Delegate to the 1964 Supreme Convention in New Orleans and has attended 26 Supreme Conventions.



John became a member of the Fourth Degree in 1958 and belonged to the Father Modeste DeMers Assembly in Wenatchee. He transferred to Lakewood Council 4322 and Bishop McGrath Assembly 1175 in 1967. John served as District Deputy #2 (1972-74) and as State NCD Chairman (1974-76). He was elected State Advocate (1976-78) and State Treasurer in 1978. Upon the untimely death of State Deputy Bill Witte in September 1978 he was elected by the State Officers as State Secretary. He continued as State Secretary until elected State Deputy (1981-83) and Immediate Past State Deputy (1983-85).

John was Faithful Navigator of Bishop McGrath Assembly (1978-79) and Faithful Navigator of Fr Valerian Grubb Assembly (1987-89) - which he founded. In 1990 he was appointed District Master for the State of Washington and served until 1994. In 1997 he was appointed Vice Supreme Master for the Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province. The province includes the states of Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

John is presently the Grand Knight of St. Frances Cabrini Council. St. Frances Cabrini is observing its 50th anniversary in 2007 along with sister councils, Moses Lake and Overlake. John is a 50 year member of the Order and has long been active in ceremonial work. He has served as a ceremonialist in all four degrees - including several roles in the 3rd degree and Historian and Team Captain of the Fourth Degree for over 25 years.

He was appointed by Gov. Dan Evans to the State Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee to the Governor and served 4 Governors (Dixie Lee Ray, John Spellman and Booth Gardener). He served the committee as Chairman and resigned after 8 years because of job conflicts. John's professional appointments with the State of Washington included: The Department of Corrections as a Business Manager; Department of Licensing as an Examiner; Department of General Administration as Supervisor on the Capitol Buildings and Grounds Staff; and State Purchasing as Chief Buyer for Central Stores. He retired in 2005 at the age of 75.

John and his wife Genevieve have eleven children (5 boys and 6 girls), 30 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren (Jenny is a very busy seamstress). In 1986, the family of John and Jenny Klein were recognized as the *State Family of the Year* and as Supreme Council's *International Family of the Year, First runner up*. John and Jenny have been married since 1954.

EDWARD J. MERTENS WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1994-1998



Ed was born January 12, 1930 in Spokane. He joined the Order in 1947 taking his 1st three degrees then. He has belonged to Spokane Councils 683, 4196 and currently, 8201. He was GK of council 4196 in 1960-65 and was DD #5 for two years. He was elected State Warden 1983-85; State Advocate 1985-87; State Treasurer 1987-89 and State Secretary in 1989. He was Master of the Washington District of the Fourth Degree from 1994-98.

Ed and Viola have 4 sons - all Knights - and 4 daughters who have given them 13 grandchildren. Ed owned A & M Quality Heating Co. He is active in the Serra Club and is fully retired - popping pop corn every week at the Vets Hospital in Spokane (Vi refers to him as "Colonel Pop Corn Ed"). Ed is still active in ceremonials and serves as a Conferring Officer. He is celebrating his 60th year as a member of the Order and serves as Advocate of Council # 8201 and Pilot of John J. Mertens Assembly # 2414. His interests are singing in the choir, golf, skiing and promoting a strong family life.

PHILIP R. (RON) FITZSIMONS WASHINGTON DISTRICT 1998-2002

Ron FitzSimons is a Past Grand Knight and member of St Elizabeth Seton Council 6706 in Port Orchard. He served as district deputy of District 2 during 1985-87 under State Deputy George C. Turk. He is a Past Faithful Navigator of Fr Joseph T. O'Callahan Assembly 2027. As Master, Ron established new assemblies at Kirkland (Charles McLean 2621), Wenatchee (Fr Demers 2648), Lakewood (Archbishop Murphy 2685) and Prosser (Millenium 2717). Ron and his wife, Dixie, live in Port Orchard.



EVERETT J (ROB) ROBERTS WASHINGTON DISTRICT 2002-2004



Rob served as a State Deputy from 1997 to 1999. Rob has been a member of the Western Washington Fourth Degree Team since 1988, serving in different capacities. He served as Marshall during a couple of different Master terms and upon being appointed as Master in 2002, took over as Team Captain of the Western Washington Degree Team. The team currently has complete back ups for all positions and every member is proficient in several exemplifier areas.

As Master, the Washington District was the only back to back recipient of the Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree Award "To Be A Patriot". During the year 2003 and 2004, Washington District was the only District to be named the winner of the prestigious award in the United States. Three awards are given each year, and the other recipients were in the Philippines and Canada. The 2003 winner was Archbishop Thomas J. Murphy Assembly 2685, FN John Wallace, for the program "Lakewood Veterans Memorial". The year 2004 winner was the Rev. Wm J. Power Assembly 1630, FN Douglas E. Withers, for "Operation Knight Flight". Membership quotas were met for both years and Civic Awards were awarded to several assemblies each year.

Rob has produced new power point slide programs replacing the old 35mm slides for the Fourth Degree Exemplification Degree which the current Supreme Ceremonials Director is reviewing. Also, the Feathers program developed by Former Master Jack Newman is being updated and is currently being reviewed for power point production and review by Supreme Ceremonials Director.

During Rob's second year, Supreme Master Nestor Barber under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus started a new program "Veterans Administration Voluntary Service" honoring those that served. This program is active in the Washington State District with PSD FMFD Edward Mertens and Sir Knight Frank Hyke being among the leaders of the programs as initially appointed Deputy Representative for Seattle and Spokane. Rob is currently serving as Lakewood VA Hospital representative and also as current Master Wayne C. Hogan, new Assembly Development Chairman and VAVS District Chairman.

STORM SMOLE WASHINGTON DISTRICT 2004-06

Storm joined the Knights of Columbus in 1996 becoming a member of Poulsbo Council 8297. He served two years as Grand Knight. He joined the Fourth Degree in 1997 becoming a member of St Olaf Assembly 2433 and served two years as faithful navigator. Storm has served as Color Corps Commander, District Marshal and Marshal of the Western 4th Degree Ceremonial Team. Storm was instrumental in forming a county-wide Honor Guard and in promoting the American Flag ceremony which has been performed at Veterans of Foreign Wars, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Daughters of America and local government functions.



WAYNE C. HOGAN WASHINGTON DISTRICT 2006-2009



Wayne C. Hogan joined the Knights of Columbus in 1951 in Santa Maria, California and after his military stint was reactivated in 1985 and has been an active member for the past 18 years.

Wayne began his service to the Knights of Columbus in 1988 as Grand Knight and has served as District Deputy, Faithful Navigator, State Chairman for Family, Membership and General Program Chairman, State Warden, State Advocate, State Treasurer, State Secretary and State Deputy. During his tenure as State Deputy he wrote and had published the following: Grand Knights' Handbook, the First Degree Competition booklet, the Star Team booklet, the Goals Review And Document Evaluation booklet which evaluates the performance of District Deputies, and the Regional Meeting booklet and procedures. Wayne also wrote the criteria, procedures and report for the

George Turk Gift of Life Award and the Harry Tucker Fraternalism Award as well as designing and having the awards made.

In addition to his fraternal work, Wayne is a charter member of the Board and charter Treasurer of a community charity fund that donates over \$20,000 annually to Catholic schools in the greater Tacoma area.

As State Deputy, he established the first Spanish Membership Chairman in the State of Washington as well as formed and supervised the first Spanish First Degree Team. Wayne is very active in ceremonials, serving in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th degrees, where he is able to do seventeen different parts. Wayne planned and supervised the first Squires State Convention, and wrote three 'Family of the Year' submissions to Supreme, two of which were selected as International Families of the Year. Past

State Deputy Hogan, wrote the Round Table plan for the State and last year surpassed the Supreme Round Table goal of 27 with 30 Round Tables. Wayne Hogan was selected to the Supreme Knight's Circle of Honor in 2001-2002, having attained 132% of the State's membership goal. Wayne is our present State Ceremonials Chairman and is a Regional Ceremonials Coordinator for the Order. He and Lori live in Steilacoom.



4/28/07, Spokane Valley Exemplification: Class of 58 new Sir Knights - 10 candidates, District of Idaho, Dan Anthony Master; 48 candidates, District of Washington, Wayne Hogan Master.

A NOTE FROM MASTER WAYNE C HOGAN:

The Washington District has been blessed with dedicated Sir Knights eager to form assemblies in their area and to promote patriotism throughout Washington. In fraternal year 2006-2007, we established three new assemblies (Vancouver 3006, Ellensburg 3041 and Chewelah 3063). In fraternal year 2007-2008, we established five new assemblies (Granite Falls 3095, Bremerton 3097, Buckley-Enumclaw 3106, Colbert 3111 and Bothell 3123). In fraternal year 2008-2009, we have established three assemblies (Chehalis 3144, Arlington 3183 and Issaquah 3187). I extend my deepest thanks and congratulations to all the sir knights who made these new assemblies possible. Without your enthusiastic desire to promote the Fourth Degree in our areas, we never would have been able to achieve this remarkable accomplishment during my service as Master.

Wayne C. Hogan PSD



KARL HADLEY WASHINGTON DISTRICT 2009 - 2012

Karl A. Hadley was born in Bremerton and raised in Seattle, Washington. He and his wife, Kyle, were married in 1971 while they were both attending the University of Washington from which he received Bachelors of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Industrial Engineer. He was the Battalion Commander of the University of Washington NROTC Unit and was commissioned an Ensign in the U.S. Navy in 1972.

After five years of active duty, during which he served on two nuclear submarines, he returned to Kennewick, Washington, where he has been employed in the nuclear industry. He obtained a Masters in Business Administration and became a licensed professional engineer. He continued to serve in the Naval Reserves, including tours as a Commanding Officer of three units until retiring as a Commander.

Karl completed the RCIA program and joined Church and the Knights of Columbus in 1986. He rose through the ranks of Kennewick Council 8179 and served two terms as Grand Knight in 1994-1996. During his tenure, the council twice received the State Deputy's Award as the top council in the state and twice won the Herbert Liebert Memorial Right to Life Award.

Karl served as District Deputy in 1997-1999 under State Deputy Rob Roberts and was named the District Deputy of the Year in 1999. He was elected State Warden during the 97th Annual Convention in

Richland in 2000 and also served as General Program Director under State Deputy Fred Abraham. He later served as State Treasurer and State Secretary before being elected State Deputy in May 2005.

While Karl was State Deputy, the state attained the Supreme Knight's Circle of Honor and three councils, two Squires Circles, and a record 52 Round Tables were established. He created the Round Table, Charity, Wade Walden Platelet Donations, and Silver Knight awards and set up multi-year contracts with hotels for future state conventions and summer meetings. The 2006 State Family of the Year was the Second Runner-up International Family of the Year. Record amounts were raised for Pennies for Heaven, Columbus Charities, Keep Christ in Christmas, and the Refund Support Vocations Program (all seminarians were supported by at least two councils or assemblies). Nearly \$40,000 was contributed to Supreme's Hurricane Katrina Fund. A new and less expensive liability insurance program was negotiated for councils. The Grand Knight's Handbook was extensively revised and updated and placed on a CD. New by-laws were prepared for Columbus Charities and the State Council by-laws were reissued. All first and second degree teams were recertified to the revised ceremonials.

Karl is a Fourth Degree Knight and a member of Father William A. Schmitz Assembly 2258. In his parish, St. Joseph of Kennewick, Karl was President of the Parish Council, a member of then Bishop Francis George's Diocesan Pastoral Council, and chairman of the St. Joseph Parish's annual Mayfest celebration. He and his wife Kyle have two children and two granddaughters.

**EUGENE (BIG LOVE) DALY
WASHINGTON DISTRICT 2012 –**



Chapter V



ASSEMBLIES

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Faithful Master (**Mstr**)

Faithful Purser (**Purs**)

Faithful Outer Sentinel (**OS**)

WASHINGTON FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLIES

NUMBER	ASSEMBLY	LOCATION	INSTITUTED
01168	JAMES SHIELDS	SEATTLE	4-24-11
01169	FR. BROUILLET	WALLA WALLA	7-6-14
01170	BISHOP O'DEA	ABERDEEN	4-15-39
01171	FR. JOSEPH CARUANA	YAKIMA	8-20-51
01174	MSGR. WILLIAM J. SWEENEY	RICHLAND	8-20-51
01175	BISHOP McGRATH	TACOMA	4-58
01176	SAN JUAN	BELLINGHAM	6-27-59
01177	LUKE E. HART	CLARKSTON	1965
01178	MOTHER JOSEPH	VANCOUVER	2-27-44
01183	ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI	OLYMPIA	1974
01530	JOHN F. KENNEDY	EVERETT	1914
01539	BISHOP C. WHITE	SPOKANE	7-5-09
01540	MSGR JOSEPH CAMERMAN	BREMERTON	12-20-19
01630	REV. WILLIAM. J. POWER	BELLEVUE	6-30-73
01707	ARCHBISHOP TOM CONNOLLY	LYNNWOOD	7-4-76
01802	FR. MULLIGAN	LONGVIEW	4-9-80
01844	FR VALERIAN GRUBB OSB	LAKEWOOD	10-25-80
01845	ARCHBISHOP FULTON SHEEN	SPANAWAY	10-25-80
01955	BISHOP THOMAS E. GILL	FEDERAL WAY	7-30-83
02018	FR. ALCUIN LAWRENCE	PORT ANGELES	3-16-85
02027	FR JOSEPH T. O'CALLAHAN	PORT ORCHARD	4-85
02105	FR ANTON FLOUR	WHITMAN COUNTY	3-28-87
02258	FR. WILLIAM A. SCHMITZ	KENNEWICK	8-91
02259	BISHOP AEGIDIUS JUNGER	VANCOUVER	8-27-91
02276	WHIDBEY-FIDALO	OAK HARBOR	2-22-92
02376	FR. JOHN A. WALSH	TUKWILA	1-11-95
02414	JOHN J. MERTENS	SPOKANE VALLEY	2-17-96
02433	ST. OLAF'S	POULSBO	5-15-96
02440	BISHOP JOSEPH DOUGHERTY	EPHRATA	6-12-96
02501	OUR LADY OF THE HARBOR	GIG HARBOR	8-23-97
02621	CHARLES F McLEAN	KIRKLAND	1-31-00
02648	FR MODESTE DEMERS	WENATCHEE	4-18-49
			6-2000
			DISSOLVED 1950s
			REINSTITUTED
02685	ARCHBISHOP THOMAS J MURPHY	LAKewood	4-1-2001
02717	MILLENNIUM	PROSSER	9-4-2001
02926	POPE JOHN PAUL II	CAMAS	6-20-2005
02959	ST MARK	SHORELINE	12-3-2005
02960	FR JOHN J DALY	KENT	3-27-2006
03006	FR MICHAEL J McGIVNEY	VANCOUVER	11-11-2006
03041	MONSIGNOR JOSEPH LUYTEN	ELLENSBURG	4-30-2007
03063	OUR LADY OF THE UNBORN	CHEWELAH	6-29-2007
03095	JOSEPH R MILLER ASSEMBLY	GRANITE FALLS	2-7-2008
03097	HOLY TRINITY ASSEMBLY	BREMERTON	2-11-2008
03106	REV HERVEY A VANASSE	BUCKLEY	4-2008

<u>03111</u>	KAROL JOZEF WOJTYLA	COLBERT	5-6-2008
<u>03123</u>	OUR LADY OF THE AMERICAS	BOTHELL	6-19-2008
<u>03144</u>	HOLY FAMILY ASSEMBLY	CHEHALIS	9-16-2008
<u>03183</u>	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION	ARLINGTON	6-18-2009
<u>03187</u>	OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY	ISSAQAH	6-25-2009
<u>03223</u>	ST. CECELIA ASSEMBLY	STANWOOD	4-18-2010
<u>03283</u>	ST THOMAS MORE ASSEMBLY	SPOKANE	3-30-2011
<u>03351</u>	PUYALLUP ASSEMBLY	PUYALLUP	5-10-2012
<u>03381</u>	ST CHARLES BORROMEY	TACOMA	12-28-2012
<u>03385</u>	HOLY SPIRIT ASSEMBLY	KENNEWICK	1-17-2013
<u>03398</u>	ST JOAN OF ARC	SEATTLE	4-4-2013

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JAMES SHIELDS ASSEMBLY 1168

SEATTLE

Assembly Historian: Frank A Savereux

James Shields Assembly 1168 was instituted on April 24, 1911 by Master James T. Lawler, the first Master of the Fourth Degree in this State. His jurisdiction included Oregon and Montana as well as Washington. We were the first assembly in the state and were known as "Seattle Assembly 676". Assemblies weren't even authorized by the National Board of Directors until July 1, 1910. Subsequently, in keeping with policy changes decreed by the Supreme Assembly and the Supreme Board of Directors, we took the name "James Shields General Assembly" and, in 1977, "James Shields Assembly 1168" when the distinction between general and local assemblies was abolished.

Our patron, James Shields, set a record for serving as a U.S. Senator from three different states and as "the man who dueled Lincoln". James Shields was an Irish immigrant born in 1806. In 1823, at age 17, he arrived in the U.S. He had planned to live with an uncle but the uncle had died by the time he arrived in this country. He had a good education but no friends and no money. He joined the Army. For a few years he fought the Seminoles in Florida, got out of the Army, migrated to Kaskaskia, then the



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capitol of Illinois. His knowledge of French got him a job teaching school. He studied law while teaching and soon set up a legal practice.

He was elected to the Illinois General Assembly and served with Abraham Lincoln and Stephen Douglas. He and Douglas - the most important friend in his life - built the Illinois Democratic Party. As Douglas advanced in politics, Shields did too serving on the state auditor. Shields succeeded in keeping the state solvent but Lincoln's criticism of Shields in 4 letters to the editor so angered him that he challenged Lincoln to a duel. Lincoln accepted, chose huge cavalry sabers as the weapon and they

traveled to Missouri where dueling was legal. The 6'4" Lincoln tried to intimidate the 5'9" Shields with a gesture of slashing a limb from an oak with a single stroke. Shields didn't back off but, after hours of bickering, the seconds declared that honor was satisfied. No one except Shields wanted a fight and his seconds left him alone on the field. He and Lincoln later became personal friends.

Subsequently he served two years on the state Supreme Court; a year as Commissioner of Public Lands in Washington, D.C.; became a brigadier general in the Mexican War. He was promoted to major general, returned a hero to Washington and Illinois and was elected U.S. Senator over the incumbent who challenged his election on the grounds that Shields lacked the nine years of citizenship required. The Senate refused to seat him. He returned to Illinois, waited the few months needed to complete the citizenship requirement; ran again for the office and won. He was still closely associated with Douglas and lost election after the Kansas-Nebraska Act was passed because of its provision that the new states had a right to vote whether or not to have slaves. He moved to Minnesota and was appointed U.S. Senator but was not reelected. He moved to California and later served as a brigadier general for Lincoln in the Civil War. He moved back to California and then to Missouri where he was appointed U.S. Senator, giving him the distinction of representing three different states in the U.S. Senate. He died in poverty while on a lecture tour in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Each year this Assembly donates a truckload of food plus a whole king salmon to the Carmelite Sisters. We have other regular charitable contributions including a Hamburger feast to Cerebral Palsy.

FATHER BROUILLET ASSEMBLY 1169

WALLA WALLA

Father Brouillet Assembly was instituted on July 6, 1914. It was named for the Very Reverend J B A Brouillet, V.G., the first Administrator Pastor of St Patrick's Church from 1847 to 1867. He became the first official pastor of St Patrick's church of Walla Walla. Also the diocese was the first diocese for the Oregon Territory. The charter members of Fr. Brouillet Assembly were:

W P Clancy, Architect	H J Collins, Real Estate	Wm P Dumphy, Lawyer
Matt G Ennis, Farmer	Leo Ferghson, Merchant	E A Garrecht, Merchant
D P Hayes, Merchant	E S Hennesse, Mortician	P B Keaney, Advertising
G P Kent, Real Estate	Al Schott, Accountant	William Walters

The Masters of the Fourth Degree that have served the Eastern Washington District from 1965 to 1988 were:

1965-66	Edward Charette, Richland
1966-76	William F Dolle, Spokane
1976-80	Michael A Herres, Walla Walla
1980-82	Joseph Bozo, Spokane
1982-86	William F Dolle, Spokane
1986-88	Alfred J Rizzo, Richland

Before 1965, the state had only one Master. In 1965 it was divided into the Eastern and Western Districts of Washington. Edward Charette became Master of the Eastern District. In 1988 it was changed back to a single District. Alfred J Rizzo was appointed as Master for the entire state. Father Brouillet Assembly hosted the first Provincial Meeting of the Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet Province. It was held by Vice Supreme Master Robert E Welch in June 1972 for the members of Assemblies from Washington, Idaho and Oregon. There were members present from Canada. The Province was the first to hold such meetings. They have been well attended and enjoyed by the members and their families. This Assembly has taken its responsibilities seriously as patriots of our country and members of our Church.

We have an Honor Guard and a Color Corps to provide our services to the Bishop at such functions as confirmations, ordinations, dedications, funerals etc if requested. In addition, we have been

marching in parades in Walla Walla and have helped in charitable fund raising such as St Vincent DePaul and scholarships at DeSales High School.

**BISHOP O'DEA ASSEMBLY 1170
ABERDEEN, HOQUIAM, RAYMOND**

Bishop O'Dea Assembly 1170 was instituted April 15, 1939.



Charter Class 1938

**FATHER JOSEPH CARUANA ASSEMBLY 1171
YAKIMA, GOLDENDALE, WENATCHEE**

Father Joseph Caruana Assembly 1171 was instituted August 20, 1951.

**MSGR. WILLIAM J. SWEENEY ASSEMBLY 1174
RICHLAND**

Assembly Historian: John F St Hilaire & V J Byron

The Most Reverend Augustine F Schinner General Assembly 1174 was chartered on August 20, 1951. Most Rev Augustine F Schinner was the first Bishop of Spokane. He was born May 1, 1863 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He was educated at St Mary's parochial school and St Francis College. He was ordained by Archbishop Heiss of Milwaukee on March 7, 1886. He was assigned to the mission at Richfield where he remained for 16 months. Because of failing health he was reassigned to professional duties at St Francis Seminary, Milwaukee.

In 1892 Archbishop Katzer, successor to Archbishop Heiss, assigned Father Schinner as Secretary and Chancellor of the Archdiocese. In 1899 he became Vicar General. Upon the death of Archbishop Katzer, he resigned this position. New Archbishop Messmer retained him in this position however. May 10, 1905 the new diocese of Superior was established and Father Schinner was consecrated its Bishop on July 25, 1905. After seven years of service he had to seek a change because of his poor health. He was granted a year of complete rest before he was appointed Bishop of the new Diocese of Spokane. His installation ceremonies took place in Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral June 19, 1914. He resigned this See December 17, 1925 and was made titular Bishop of Sala. When made bishop of the new Spokane Diocese there were 30 priests in the diocese with 16 parishes in the city and 22 outside the city.

Bishop Schinner was a very humble man, without affectation. He died in Milwaukee February 7, 1937. The Charter Officers were:

Edmund F Charette N
E T Walsh **Capt**
V J Byron **Comp**

Most Rev Joseph P Dougherty, 1st Bishop of Yakima **Friar**
J J Wilson **Plt** J E Sisk **Adm**
E W O'Rorke **IS** P J Quane **OS**

Installation of Officers was in January of 1952. The Installing Officer was Master Bob Waddick of Seattle. In the 1950s we participated in Richland Day festivities with a float in the parade. In June 1952 we provided an honor guard at the Confirmation services in Kennewick for Bishop Dougherty, and on November 1, 1952 we provided an honor guard at the dedication of the Benton City new church along with F.F. Fr William Sweeney.

We have provided classroom furniture for Christ the King parish school (1954); a flagpole to St Joseph parish school in Kennewick; copies of the Declaration of Independence to Junior and Senior High Schools in the Tri-Cities area. We have continued to strive for the greatest possible exposure in our work to promote patriotism. We are proud that our first Faithful Navigator Edmund Charette was the first Master of the Eastern District of Washington 1965-66 when the state was divided into two districts. Fellow Sir Knight and Deacon Alfred J Rizzo (1986-90), was also the last Master of the Eastern District before the state was placed back into a single district.

BISHOP McGRATH ASSEMBLY 1175

TACOMA

Bishop Joseph F. McGrath Assembly 1175 was originally chartered on April 12, 1917 as "Tacoma Local Assembly 809". The first Faithful Navigator was August von Boecklin Sr. who served in that office for six years. The first Faithful Friar was Father Joseph Francis McGrath, pastor of St Patrick's Church. In 1957 a second K of C council was formed, St Frances Cabrini Council 4322 in Lakewood. Because there were now two councils in Tacoma, according to the Laws and Rules of the Fourth Degree the Assembly had to become a General Assembly and change its name accordingly. In April 1958 the assembly was renamed "Bishop McGrath General Assembly" after its first Faithful Friar, for his work as Chaplain for Tacoma Council 809 and because he had been elevated to Bishop.

Bishop McGrath was born March 1, 1871 in Kilmacow, County of Kilkenny, Ireland - one of seven children, six boys and one girl. Of these, the girl and three of the boys died young. Patrick, one of the surviving brothers, also became a priest of the Order of Mary Immaculate. He and his brother entered a college that had just been established in the district. After completing their classical studies, they entered the Diocesan College, St Kieran's in Kilkenny where they studied philosophy. Having been adopted by the diocese of Springfield, Mass. by Rt Rev Patrick Thomas O'Reilly, both he and Patrick entered the Grand Seminaire at Montreal, Canada. There he completed his philosophical and theological studies, distinguishing himself as a brilliant student.

He was ordained December 21, 1895 but, there being no vacancy in the Springfield Diocese at that time, Father McGrath was assigned temporary duties at St James Church, Boston. He had later assignments at Adams, Mass; Bath, Maine; Pittston, Pa; Chicopee, Mass and San Antonio, Texas. The latter assignment was because he had been in ill health since ordination and a warmer climate was deemed necessary. After only three months in San Antonio he was greatly improved and was going to return to Chicopee. He started his journey via the West Coast with the view of visiting friends among the clergy and finally reached Seattle. He was welcomed by Bishop O'Dea, Bishop of Nisqually. Because Bishop O'Dea had only a few English speaking priests in the diocese, he arranged to have Father McGrath remain in Seattle and appointed him Assistant at the Pro-Cathedral in Seattle.

In 1906 Fr McGrath was transferred to St Patrick's Church, Tacoma as pastor. The church had burned down just before this. In his term, Fr McGrath built a beautiful new church, purchased the house and grounds that are now the rectory and property for the parochial school. On December 21, 1918 - on the 23rd anniversary of his ordination - he was appointed Bishop of Baker City, Oregon. He was Bishop of Baker for 31 years. In his Ad Limina visit to Rome in May 1934 Pope Pius XI put him the question "Tell me, what do you do about the religious education of the children not attending Catholic schools who live in isolated and rural districts?" Bishop McGrath admitted that their religious education left much to be desired. The Pope then suggested "Go back and establish the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in every parish. Enlist the aid of lay people to assist the priests." Bishop McGrath took this to heart and did so upon his return. Because of recurring illnesses, in 1948 he asked for and got a Coadjutor Bishop to assist him. He turned over the diocese to his successor in August 1948 and died April 12, 1950.

SAN JUAN ASEMBLY 1176 FERNDALE TO OAK HARBOR

San Juan Assembly 1176 was instituted June 27, 1959 by Master Norman S Herring of Walla Walla.

LUKE HART ASSEMBLY 1177 CLARKSTON

Assembly Historian: Gilbert R Jones

The 4th degree members of Clarkston, Pomeroy, Uniontown and Colfax at one time belonged to Spokane Assembly 1539. In 1964, Donald J Rainville took the initiative toward starting an Assembly here in Clarkston. The charter members and officers were:

Domain Bricco	Tom Busch Scrib	Joseph Cassetto Comp
Raymond Dahm	Augustine Fuchs	Jack Guettinger IS
Joseph Miltonbeger OS	Gary Moser Plt	Adam Mowdj
Donald J Rainville N	Ralph Schotza	Joseph Tuschoff Adm
Andrew Vasser	Francis Waldher	Isadore A Weza Capt

In August 1965, on the recommendation of the Supreme Master, the Supreme Board of Directors voted that the name of Past Supreme Knight Luke E Hart be approved as the name of the new General Assembly in Clarkston, Washington. In 1980, approval was given to transfer the members living in Colton and Colfax to the Moscow, Idaho Assembly because of the great distances they had to travel and, at the same time, the Moscow Assembly members that lived in Lewiston and Orofino, Idaho be transferred to the Clarkston Assembly.



(l to r) Tony Weza, Ralph Schotza, Gus Fuchs, George Weber, Don Rainville, Joe Tuschoff, Ed Agnew, Domain Bricco, Joe Cassetto

Although our assembly is small (49 members), we have had an honor guard and color guard since our inception. Most of our members are senior citizens and I am proud to say that they do quite well to provide an honor guard for confirmations, Palm Sunday, funerals and other appropriate occasions. We have an honor guard in the Clarkston parade.

MOTHER JOSEPH ASSEMBLY 1178 VANCOUVER

Assembly Historian: William Fera

Mother Joseph Assembly 1178 was instituted February 27, 1944 in Vancouver, Washington as Columbia Assembly. An exemplification was held at St James Church at which 15 candidates were exemplified for the new assembly. These 15 along with 5 transfers from the Portland, Oregon Assembly became the charter members. The charter members were:

Paul R Barnett	E Denby Browne	James P Clancy
Dominic J Colarco	Clement J Downey	Fr John Egan
Peter J Flynn	Charles H Grothe	Raymund R Grothe
M John Herb	John Intlekofer	Dr T R Morgan
Christopher B Mork	James J Padden	John A Raab
Robert W Schulz	Jos P Shaughnessy	Howard F Smith
Frank E Taylor	John T Urquhart	

James P Clancy was appointed by the Master to serve as FN until June 30, 1944. At the first regular election, Howard F Smith was elected to serve for the ensuing year. Meetings were held the first Wednesday of each month following the Columbia Council meeting. The council met weekly at that time. In 1945 Paul Mylan, Denby Browne and Howard Smith started a Chalice Fund to present a Chalice to a priest in the memory of a deceased Sir Knight. This practice still continues.



Charter Class - February 27, 1944

On February 12, 1966 Columbia Assembly and Cowlitz Assembly were merged to form Mother Joseph Assembly. In the first 4th Degree exemplification held in Vancouver since February 1944, over 100 candidates were exemplified with Mother Joseph Assembly having 50 candidates. Following the exemplification, members marched down Vancouver's main street in an impressive ceremony. In 1973 after Ambrose J Finn took office as FN, the Assembly persuaded Columbia Council to change their meetings to the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, thereby letting the Assembly meet on the first Wednesday. In February 1974, the Assembly hosted an exemplification at St James Church which 66 candidates were exemplified. This was followed by Mass, a banquet at the Inn at the Quay and a dance at the K of C Hall at 27th and K streets.

In 1982 those members living in the Longview-Kelso area formed the Father Mulligan Assembly. This did result in a loss of some of our members through transfer. On February 19, 1983 the ranks of Mother Joseph Assembly were increased by 21 members as another class of 66 was exemplified. The last Vancouver exemplification was June 29, 1985 at St James Hall and the banquet at the American Legion Hall.

Over the years the Assembly has held Crab Feeds, Steak Dinners and an annual Christmas Party. Assembly members also provide Honor Guards as requested and have participated in May Day events at St Thomas Church in Camas. Assembly members have also participated, with Portland's Archbishop Segers Assembly, in pre-game activities at the annual High School Shrine Football Game in Portland, Oregon.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI ASSEMBLY 1183

OLYMPIA

No history submitted. The Supreme Master's office has no institution date on file but does note that it merged with Blanchet Assembly in 1974. It is known from State Council records that there had been a Bishop Blanchet General Assembly in Chehalis and Centralia in 1972-73. In 1974 it was merged with Olympia General Assembly 1643. In 1979-80 its listing in the State Directory was changed from Olympia General Assembly 1643 to Olympia Assembly 1183. In 1980-81 it was listed as St Francis of Assisi Assembly 1183.

JOHN F KENNEDY ASSEMBLY 1530

EVERETT

The Everett Knights formed an assembly prior to 1914 but no records are available - not even its original name. There was a strong correlation between the Assembly and Everett Council 763. From Supreme Council records we know that the Faithful Navigators were:

1914-15	James A Ganno
1915-16	Rene Bergeron
1916-17	John H Healy - 763 GK, 1909-10 - Owned an auto parts store.
1921-22	Peter J Leonard - 763 GK 1913-14. Everett wholesale dairy business
1922-23	Cornelius J Kelleher - GK in Pocatello, ID where he was born in 1881 - He served twice as GK of 763 and as DD 1 in 1935. He had auto dealership in Snohomish.
1923-24	William J Carr is believed to have been FN but it is unconfirmed.
1924-25	John F Osterman. Born in Finland 1887, sailor for many years, joined the KCs in 1917, owned an Everett garage, GK of 763 - 4 times, followed Kelleher as DD for two terms 1936-39 and elected State Deputy in 1940-42. He died in 1946.
1931-34	John F Osterman
1934-35	Alan J Baker - The only GK of 763 to serve 3 consecutive terms. He was a court clerk.
1938-39	John F Osterman
2/2/55	John A Imholz reorganized the Everett Assembly and elected FN.
1956-57	Henry W Beach. Owned Beach Lumber Company but his main love and home was the Knights until age 65 when he fell in love and married a lovely lady. He is now retired and travels.
1957-58	Frank B Hart. - GK763 1948-49.
1958-59	Wally Barnett - GK763 1953-54. He was a carpenter by trade.
1959-60	Charles W Bloomfield. GK763 1957-58. He was a department manager at Sears.
1960-61	George F Shuh. He owned Shuh's Market. GK763 1956-57
1961-62	George B Weber. GK763 1939-40. He has served as FS763 for more years than anyone. Postman by day - served the Knights at night.
1962-63	Frank J Konechny - GK763 same year as FN
1963-64	Lewis B Mueller. GK763 1967-68. Born in South Dakota
1964-66	Matthew J Zuanich. - GK763 1961. Manager at General Telephone
1966-68	Leonard Rochon. GK763 1959, 1st to win new Star Council Award
1968-69	Charles Buennagel, pharmacist and manager of Providence Hospital Pharmacy. A PGK, during his tenure the council bought a large plot of land with rental buildings. The Knights still own it.
1969-70	Robert LaGrandeur
1970-71	Cleo Hoffman, a railroad man.
1971-72	Fred Johnson. Owns Johnson's Printing.
1972-73	Louis Geiger. He died in office, March 1973.

1973-74	Edward J Husarik - GK763, 1969, administrator in Edmonds School District
1974-75	Albert C Goneau
1975-76	Maurice Hardy. - GK763, 1971, owned Hardy Oil Co
1976-77	Stanley P Josefczyk - GK763 at the same time
1977-78	Edward J Weber - GK763, 1959, received the Star Council Award
1978-79	Albert Greso - GK763, 1973, barber at the Everett Elks
1979-80	Andrew C Zuanich - GK763, 1974. Andy was born in Komiza, Yugoslavia. He is a fisherman - received the Star Council award.
1980-81	Joseph J Trzesniowski - GK763, 1977 and won the Star Council award. He is known as the "little old winemaker".
1981-82	George W Hinton. Born in Mississippi, 1929, he served in the Air Force for 20 years - A computer engineer at Boeing, GK763, 1972. He received the Star Council and State Deputy's 1st Place Awards.
1982-83	Ralph Bushaw
1983-84	Robert Modrell
1984-85	Ron Rochon
1985-86	Joseph Wagner
1986-87	Charles E Krischano
1987-88	Matt Jarolimek
1988-89	Ed Simek
1989-90	Lawrence Swayne

SPOKANE ASSEMBLY 1539

SPOKANE

Assembly Historian: Robert Grandinetti

Spokane Assembly 1539 was organized on July 5, 1909. More than a year earlier, on May 30, 1908, 59 members of Spokane Council 683 were exemplified by the Master of the Fourth Degree, James T Lawler of Seattle. W.R. Orndorff was elected Faithful Navigator and J.T. Skerett as Faithful Comptroller. Throughout the early formative years, many directions were taken by the Assembly in its goals. Early on, a committee actively worked for the welfare of young people brought before the Juvenile Court. On June 14, 1912 a public parade was held in honor of Flag Day. The council took part and a large delegation of Fourth Degree members wearing frock coats, silk hats, baldrics and swords took part. A heavy rain dampened the regalia but not the spirits of the participants.

In April of 1920, the choir of Mount St. Michael's gave a public Sacred Music concert in St Aloysius Church under the Auspices of the Assembly that was a notable success. For many years regular dinner meetings were held and an Easter Monday Ball was held to honor the immediate Past Faithful Navigator. This is now known as the Admiral's Ball. On April 6, 1945 the Assembly was named Spokane Local Assembly 683. This was later changed to Spokane General Assembly 1539. The word "General" was later dropped.

In December of 1965, Luke E Hart Assembly 1177 was established in Clarkston and 25 or more members of Spokane Assembly transferred. In 1986, Palouse Assembly 2105 was established in Pullman but our loss was not great. The establishment of a chalice program took place in the 1940s. It was later changed to a Scholarship Fund for Catholic High School students in the 1960s and in 1986 was changed to the Crucifix Fund. In this program the family of each deceased member (3rd and 4th degree) receives a crucifix engraved with the member's name and council or assembly number. Spokane Assembly 1539 now encompasses Spokane, Spokane Valley, Cheney, Chewelah and the area between Spokane and Ephrata. Current membership is 196 with most of the members residing in the greater Spokane area.

The Faithful Navigators of this assembly have been: W R Orndorff (1909); Joseph McCarthy; J F McGinnis; J R Cassin; F V Brown; John H O'Shea; W J Kimmers; J W Bradley; J P McGoldrick; F S Duggan; Ed P Ryan; E S Hennessey; F A Garrecht; F S McWilliams; T T Grant; J L Maloney; Thomas Manning; J J Schiffner; F M Baller; Peter M Brady; M J Luby; Justin Maloney; Sheral A Wylie; Robert H

Graham; Dan J Hennessey; Charles F Hamlin; E K Miller; Joseph E Hurley; Norb E Shields; G F Luger; Bernard J Gallagher; Charles Scanlon; R J O'Neill; Clarence M George; John J Albi; William Gerraughty; George Bailey; Charles Hoy; Carroll Martell; Oliver Spies; Charles E Hennessey Sr; Frank M Spinelli; Otto Taufen; Don T Doherty; Phil Holgren; John Redinger; Dallas Stroschein; Ed Morin; J Pat Tully; Ken Stroh; Joe Bozo; Jim Ryser; Bob Maniskowski; William J Dolle; Jack P Cooney; Paul Northart; Douglas Jones; Robert P Dolle; Charles Leinen; Joseph Boyle; Al McFarlain; Michael Anselmo and Robert Grandinetti.

We are proud that of these John R Cassin; M J Luby; Edward P Ryan; Terry T Grant; Justin C Maloney; Carroll Martell; Clarence M George and William M Gerraughty were also Past State Deputies. Michael J Luby was appointed Master of Washington in 1923-24, two years after being State Deputy. Edward P Ryan was appointed Master 1928-33, just after finishing five years as State Deputy. Other Masters appointed from our Assembly were Frank M Baller (1934-38); Dr M T Dalton (1938-44); Clarence M George (1966-68); William J Dolle (1968-76 and 1982-86) and Joseph P Bozo (1980-82).

MONSIGNOR JOSEPH CAMERMAN ASSEMBLY 1540

BREMERTON

Assembly Historian: Ralph Bailey

Msgr Joseph Camerman Assembly 1540 was instituted December 20, 1919 as a Forth Degree Assembly in Bremerton Council 1379. The presiding officer was Master John M. Boyle of Tacoma and he guided the new assembly through its first critical meeting. The charter members and officers were:

C E Baltzo	Rev J E Camerman Friar	C H Coleman
J H Coughlin	D E Ford Adm	J M Gibonney Capt
F Leahy	W F Lindekugel	M F Mc Gowan N
C V McLaughlin	C O'Brien OS	A Ossenger
A J Parolik Plt	R Parolini	A A Riff IS

On October 28, 1970 approval was granted by the Supreme Board of Directors to change the name of the assembly to "Monsignor Joseph E Camerman General Assembly 1540."

PAST FAITHFUL NAVIGATORS

1919-20	M F McGowan	1920-21	J M Gibonney
1921-27	A J Nolan	1927-28	C V McLaughlin
1928-30	J A McCormick	1930-32	A M Donnell
1932-33	A A Riff	1933-34	D E Ford
1934-38	R Nachman	1938-40	A J Nolan
1940-41	H Shairer	1941-42	N A Morrow
1942-43	T Forhan	1943-44	F Lynam
1944-45	A P LeTourneau	1945-48	P J Kelly
1948-49	G Van Stralin	1949-50	L Westhoff
1950-51	T A Burns Sr	1951-52	A J DeBaer
1952-54	M Walloch	1954-55	J Reinert
1955-56	H Courtesy	1956-57	W Tufts Sr
1957-59	L Spadaccini	1959-60	C J Fagan
1960-61	S M Rogan	1961-62	F C Shepard
1962-63	J Gormley	1963-64	A Sesko
1964-65	W F Witte Sr	1965-66	S Napora
1966-67	P Washington	1967-68	A Auger
1968-69	H Kortman	1969-70	G Drebick
1970-71	H Berteaux	1971-72	D Tufts
1972-73	R Rasmussen	1973-74	J G Caldwell

1974-75	D H Benzinger	1975-76	P R Stemen
1976-77	G E Spreier	1977-78	Ralph E Koch
1978-79	V E Goodheart	1979-80	W E Gwynn
1980-81	E S Pietras	1981-82	G L Augustyn
1982-83	Kirk E Finch	1983-84	P R Fitzsimons
1984-85	J S Millard	1985-86	E P Hebert Sr
1986-87	W J LaFrance	1987-88	Fred Olson
1988-89	Fred J Patton	1989-90	Paul J Boileau

Born in Doel, East Flanders, Belgium August 17, 1882, Monsignor Joseph E Camerman studied for the priesthood at the American College of the Catholic University of Louvain, near Brussels. He was ordained after his final year of training at St Mary's Seminary, Baltimore on June 21, 1907. Msgr Camerman was a "Circuit Rider" for outlying missions covering all of Cowlitz, Skamania and Klickitat counties plus rural parts of Clark county until 1910. He was then named pastor of St Anthony's Parish in Renton where he remained for one year. He was then transferred to Star of the Sea parish in Bremerton being installed as pastor November 17, 1911.

During Msgr Camerman's 58 years in Bremerton he twice served as a chaplain in the armed forces - in 1918-1919 in the Army and 1942-1945 with the Navy at the Shipyard. It was during the tenure of Msgr Camerman that all of the buildings - church, rectory and school - were built and many parish organizations formed. Msgr Camerman died May 20, 1969 at the age of 86. In 1970 we received permission to change the assembly's name to "Msgr Joseph E Camerman General Assembly 1540". We were blessed in having had his counsel, his inspiration, his friendliness and, now, his memory.

VERY REVEREND WILLIAM J POWER ASSEMBLY 1630

BELLEVUE

Assembly Historian: George C Turk

The Very Reverend William J Power General Assembly was instituted as the "District 12 Assembly" on June 30, 1973. At the time, the James Shields Assembly covered the entire Seattle metropolitan area between Everett and Tacoma. The meetings were usually being held in North Seattle and involved drives of up to 35 miles one way by Eastside and South King County members.

A group of 20 of these members signed a petition dated May 24, 1973 to Master Theodore A Burns requesting the creation of a new Fourth Degree Assembly in the then 12th District of the state encompassing councils Auburn 3598, Renton 3645, Overlake 4385 and Burien 5495. Those most involved were William O Reynolds, George C Turk (later elected 1st and 2nd Faithful Navigators of the Assembly), Joseph J Rasnack (Former Master) and Harry J Tucker Jr (later to become Vice Supreme Master (1985-89).

Jay Blackburn	Baziel Blondeel Scrib	John Bowman
Cecil Browder	Alfred Burney	J S Cantrill Comp
Hugh Carney	John Cartwright	Donald Crew
D M Daoust OS*	Dr J W Davis	Louis Downing Plt
Edward Fitzgerald	J P Frank	Leonard Gantz
George Ganzkow	Roger Godfrey*	Stanley Golka
Peter Gomes	W D Hale TR	Curtis Hauge
Leo E Heye	Robert Hungate	Bernard Kaifer
William Knight	Eugene Knowles	R J McNerney*
Dean Miller	N L Nelson	H M Nirschl
Thomas O'Connell	Fred Peschel	Ray Ramseth TR
Jos J Rasnack Jr Adm	W O Reynolds N	L C Roberts
Kirk Schrieber	Daniel Sloan	Michael Stilnovich
Wm Stollenmayer IS	Harry J Tucker TR	George C Turk Capt*

Oree C Weller

Lawrence Zuchowski

Within a few months our assembly took the Very Rev William J Power who was born in Seattle in 1915 as our patron and we became the "Very Rev William J Power General Assembly". Father went to school at Beacon Hill Elementary, St Mary's elementary schools and O'Dea High School. He entered St Edward's Seminary, Kenmore in 1937 and was ordained May 22, 1941 by Bishop Gerald Shaugnessy, SM. His assignments were at St John's, Seattle; Chaplain at Holy Names Academy; Administrator at St Francis of Assisi, Seahurst; two terms at St James Cathedral (1943-46); Administrator at Holy Family, Auburn 1946-49; appointed pastor at Immaculate Conception, Raymond 1949-54; pastor of the new St Matthew's parish, Seattle 1954-62; pastor Holy Rosary, West Seattle Oct 1972 until his death May 14, 1973. At the time of his death Father Power had been Dean of the South Central Deanery for four years and had served in a wide variety of Archdiocesan posts of responsibility. He was Faithful Friar of the Fourth Degree and had served on the 4th Degree Exemplification team from 1957-70. Two of his three sisters were nuns and his brother is retired Archbishop Cornelius M Power of Portland.

Our leaving James Shields General Assembly was for the very practical reasons of distance and was amicable. James Shields Assembly gave us \$237.50, approximately half of the year's dues for the 32 men we had at the time. Our first meeting was September 20, 1973 in the Renton Sheraton Inn. We had the meeting room free, in consideration of meals and beverages, until our April 11, 1974 meeting when we had to pay \$50 for the room. Shortly thereafter we started our rotation of meetings between Bellevue, Renton, Burien, Auburn and, lately, Redmond which has continued until the present. There is still a 30 mile drive between Burien and Redmond. Since our institution, this assembly has taken its responsibilities seriously. We developed an honor guard and color corps almost immediately. We have a tradition of providing an honor guard at any occasion when one of our bishops is present at a church function (confirmations, ordinations, dedications, etc) in our area and at funerals when requested.

Since 1974 we have provided the formal U.S. colors with stand and flagpole to each council in our area and to those parishes that did not have one and wanted one. We started our annual Past Faithful Navigators' Night in 1975 and the annual Charity Ball in 1976. The Charity Ball proceeds are donated annual to the Archbishop for his charitable works. In 1976 there was considerable activity regarding the Bicentennial celebration including distributing framed copies of the Declaration of Independence to each parish and school, placing posters and participating in parades. On February 21, 1976 there was a Provincial Exemplification at Mt Angel, Oregon. We have had from 10 to 14 candidates for each Exemplification for the past nine years.

In the fall of 1977 the word "General" was dropped from the names of all "General Assemblies" and we took our present name. We have grown from our original 44 to 194. We were at 96 members in 1977, 100 in 1978, 159 in 1982 and now 194. We did lose members in 1983 when the new South King County Assembly, later to become Bishop Gill Assembly, split off and was formed. This was only a temporary setback however. We have continued to grow and ours is the largest assembly in the state.

BICENTENNIAL ASSEMBLY 1707

LYNNWOOD/BOTHELL

Assembly Historian: Harold A Knox

The Lynnwood/Bothell Bicentennial Assembly 1707 was instituted on the Bicentennial of the United States, July 4, 1976. The real beginning of the assembly was in a meeting of Vice-Supreme Master Robert E Welch with Harold A Knox and Charles M Bailey while at the State Convention in Olympia on May 16, 1976. An agreement was reached that the new assembly would be known as the Bicentennial General Assembly until such time as the name "Archbishop Thomas A Connolly General Assembly" could be used and that a special Exemplification Degree would be



held at the Lynnwood Council Hall on October 9, 1976 at no cost to the new General Assembly. This was to occur during the Provincial Workshop scheduled for October 9, 1976 in Seattle. An informal steak dinner was to be offered to all members of the Province at the Lynnwood Hall. All details were ironed out and a schedule established.

The organizational meeting of the new Assembly was on May 27, 1976 with Mel Hoffman appointed Chairman. He explained written and verbal information from VSM Robert Welch and Master Nicholas Varano. Charles Bailey was called on to elaborate. Thomas Chapman moved that the Lynnwood-Bothell Bicentennial General Assembly be established as described. The motion was seconded by Leo Martin and carried unanimously on a voice vote. Chairman Hoffman then explained that we needed to do this more formally and asked each man to sign the letter requesting establishment of the Assembly. All members present did sign the letter. Elections of officers for the 1976-77 year were held. The charter members and officers were:

Modesto M Abellera*	Chas M Bailey Capt *	Paul C Buehler
Charles A Buretta TR	James T Cain*	Thomas S Chapman Adm
James Curran	John J De Santis TR	Raymond F Deck
Robert V Dixon	Verne Fiechtner OS	Leo G Gese
Robert G Giesinger	Michael C Hanrahan*	Melvin Hoffman N *
Rev John Horan Friar	Harold A Knox Comp *	Chester J Konopinski
Peter A Langhauser TR	Harold G Marshall	Leo H Martin
Joseph F Mathieu	Charles F McLean Jr*	Theodore J Mertens*
Berthold Miller	Raymond E Mohs	Leo T Moore*
Bernard Mossett	James H Murphy	John A Sawka Sr
Charles A Sohnly	Matthew Thewlis Plt *	Daniel R Thulin
Dr James L Tuura	Carl G Van Wagnen*	John L Vincler
Steven L Voight	Wendy J Voight IS	Ronald F Volk
Herman Wewer Scrib	Robert J Willingham	Robert J Wolf
Eugene V Ziegler	Walter W Zimmerman	

The first regular meeting was June 21, 1976. At this meeting our Chalice Fund was established and a Put-Put Golf Tournament was planned to finance it. We also made plans to participate in the Bothell July 4th parade and the July 10th Lynnwood Parade. The new Assembly officially came into being on July 4, 1976. This was preceded by a meeting with the VSM and Master in Seattle on July 2nd with FN Mel Hoffman and FC Harold Knox to finalize details of Exemplification and the steak dinner. Our officers were installed on August 13th

The Exemplification was held on Friday October 8th and was followed by the Steak Dinner on October 9th. The Exemplification team was from Oregon, brought up with VSM Robert Welch for the Provincial Workshop, except for the Faithful Friar. Father John Horan, pastor of St Pious Church, was used for this role. In 1978 we changed the Assembly name to "BICENTENNIAL ASSEMBLY 1707." Since our institution we have maintained the Chalice Fund, participated regularly in parades and have used our Honor Guard and Color Guard at every opportunity. We are now well established and continue to promote patriotism. We are proud that Archbishop Thomas J Murphy, Coadjutor Archbishop of Seattle and former State Chaplain of the Knights is a member of our assembly.

FATHER MULLIGAN ASSEMBLY 1802

LONGVIEW

Assembly Historian: Fred Hemenway

Nearly every worthwhile project begins with the vision and drive of one individual. The man who conceived the idea of forming a 4th degree Assembly in Longview and gently prodded several other Knights into action was Joe Coxan. Joe began his career as a barber at the age of 15 and continued in the trade for over 60 years. In the spring of 1949 he got a group of Knights of Cowlitz Council 2763

together. They agreed to form a 4th degree assembly and applied for a charter that year. The charter was granted and Joe Coxan became the first FN of Cowlitz Assembly. Other charter members were:

Dan Conroy	Gail Hazen	Joe Hill
Leroy Kann	Henry Leonard	Bernard LeTourneau
Phil Schwartz	Bernard Scheurich	Tom Simard
Joe Slobojan	Sam Steiner	John Wastradowski

This list may not be complete because many of our records have been lost. A few years later, the exact date is uncertain, Cowlitz Assembly merged with Mother Joseph Assembly in Vancouver. This arrangement continued until July of 1979 when local members decided that Longview and the nearby cities in Cowlitz County should once again have a local assembly.

Again a charter was applied for and presented on April 9, 1980. The new name, Father Mulligan Assembly, was adopted at that time. Charter Officers were: Richard Heltemes N; Joseph W Larivee F Comp; Fr Leonard Rafalowski Friar; John J Verage Capt; William Schmidt Adm; Albert T Renaud Purs; Bernard J LeTourneau Plt; George G Steig Scr; Roy Kann, Joe Walliser and Al Heltemes TRs.

The Rev Patrick Mulligan was born April 24, 1903 in Crott Township, County Longford, Ireland and was educated in Ireland. He attended St Mary's Apostolic Seminary in Dromard Parish and in his home parish, St Kierns College in Kilkenny during his major seminary studies. He was ordained in Ireland in 1929 and came to the U.S. that year to serve in the diocese of Seattle. After serving 12 years as assistant pastor in Seattle, Bellingham, Everett and Sunnyside he came to Longview on June 25, 1941 to become pastor of St Rose. Father Mulligan's pastorate here was one of the longest in the history of the Seattle Archdiocese. He served as archdiocesan consultor; dean of the South Deanery; Chaplain of the Cowlitz Council; Southern Deanery Trustee and on the Archdiocesan Clergy Medical Plan Board. Father Mulligan was associated with St John's Hospital building progress over the years and is credited with helping select and buy the site for St Mary's Church in Castle Rock. The Reverend Patrick Mulligan, pastor emeritus of St Rose Catholic Church died on June 6, 1977 and was buried at Calvary Cemetery in Seattle.

Our honor guard has been active since the early 1950s. In the past decade or more it has been under the capable leadership of John Wastradowski. It serves at all appropriate events. An important function of our assembly is our chalice program. When a member dies, a chalice, engraved with the name of the deceased member, is presented to the widow or a family member as a memorial. This is then presented to a priest of their choice. Newly ordained priests are the usual recipients of these chalices.

Donations are made to St Vincent de Paul and to Cottonwood Lodge (a home for retarded children). Several hundred dollars were recently donated to buy equipment and access ramps for people with multiple sclerosis. Donations were also made to the Kiwanis Club to help in the purchase and maintenance of a bus for handicapped and disabled people. Several members donated their time and talents to refurbish a hotel in Longview which is now a very busy shelter for the homeless. Each year we have dinners for members and their wives at Christmas, Valentine's Day and Mothers Day. We now have about 60 members and are still growing.

FATHER VALERIAN GRUBB ASSEMBLY 1844 LAKEWOOD

Assembly Historian: Wayne C. Hogan

Father Valerian Grubb Assembly 1844 was instituted October 25, 1980 by Jack Newman Jr, Master of the Western District of Washington. The beginnings lay in a remark made by PGK Ernest L Oliver of Lakewood Council 4322 when asked by FN Ken Tucker of the new Archbishop Fulton Sheen Assembly if Ernie wanted to join the new assembly. Ernie jokingly replied that Lakewood should start their own assembly. The word spread and soon the passing remark became a reality and our assembly became a reality. Both assemblies were instituted the same day - Father Valerian Grubb Assembly receiving number 1844 and Archbishop Sheen Assembly 1845.

Our bylaws were approved by Supreme Council on March 17, 1981. By a unanimous decision, the assembly selected a local priest, Father Valerian Grubb OSB as patron. Father Grubb was born June 5, 1932 in Tacoma and attended Visitation Parish and school. He graduated from Bellarmine High School in 1950; professed at St Martin Abbey in Lacy, Washington September 8, 1954 and ordained May 21, 1960.

Father Val, as he was known, was Aux Chaplain at the Madigan Army Hospital and also chaplain at American Lakes Veterans Hospital in Lakes, and at Western Washington State Hospital in Tacoma when he died. He served as Chaplain of Tacoma 809 and Olympia Council 1643. He joined Bishop McGrath Assembly 1175 on February 3, 1979. He was an active member of the Assembly until his death later in 1979. The charter members and officers were:

Richard Alejandro OS	Joseph M Anaya	Eddie J Arceneaux
Jeronimo Arroy Comp*	Ambrose Bender	Lawrence W Blanchfield N
Robert J Bonner	Joel M Brown	James V Cammarano Jr IS
Marvin E Carroll	Walter F Cavalier Scrib	Chester C Chaloupka
Robert N Crouse	Rev Joseph J Cusma	Ralph W Deering
Calvert J Devere	Pedro J Flores	Joseph Golebiewski
Rev John J Graisy SJ Friar	Leonard Harberson	Alvin J Haye Plt*
Phillip E Heck TR	Ronald P Hennessy TR	Francisco V Fernandez
Gregory F Hollewinski	Daniel J Kenny	John R Klein Adm*
George C Klopf	Andrew J Kraemer	Wendell J Kraemer*
Leo G Krasinski	James H Locke	David E Martin
Bernard F McCormick	Richard D McCormick	Frank N McDaneld
Matthew P Merkle	Daniel R Monaghan	Filipe A Morales
Nicholas P Mosch	Christopher P Navarre Sr C*	Ernest L Oliver Jr
Ernest L Oliver Sr*	Joseph C Olivier	John J Orr
Rev Thomas J Phelan	Raymond C Plagens Purs	Nicklos M Ripplinger
Clarence Schreiner	Merlin C Simpson	Raymond A Simpson
William Stephens III	Wayne M Swimme	Howard E Tweddle
Leslie R Warner*	Vance H West	Napoleon Williams Sr

The assembly has been active in all facets of the Fourth Degree. We co-hosted the 1986 Exemplification in the Lakewood 4322 council hall. Three members (John R Klein, Ernest L Oliver and Wayne C Hogan) have served on the Fourth Degree Team. Father Valerian Grubb Assembly looks to the future with the same confidence that was the genesis of the Assembly.

ARCHBISHOP FULTON J SHEEN ASSEMBLY 1845 SPANAWAY

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen Assembly 1845 was instituted on October 25, 1980 by Jack Newman Jr, Master of the Western District of Washington. The charter members included:

Salomon Alba	Carlos Ayuso-Martinez	Robert Bertocchini
James Bissen	Dwight Booth	Patrick Burke
Edward Camancho	Eugene Camancho	Allen Cole
Richard Collins	Robert Condrat	Cha Crosse III
Robert Dardis	Earl Davis	Cameron Duckworth
Frank Espanto	Frank Espanto Jr	August Etteldorf
James Evans	Edward Faker	Stanley Fijol
Thomas Flanders	Frederick Glenister	John Gohrick
Gary Green	Michael Guffey	Robert Hagen
Leonard Harbeson	Gerald Harmon	Joselito Ignacio

Richard Iwanski
Thomas Morgan
Bernardo Queja
Emile Rivard
Allen Slayter
Peter Thomas
Chris Weiss

George Jackson
Raymond Nelson
Charles Quinata
Alex Silva
Benjamin Smith
Micha Tucker

Frank McFall
Kirby Pitman
Rev. John Renggli
Franklin Silva
Gary Strub
David Walton

We encourage membership to third degree members; visit the sick and shut-ins from our assembly; and assist in community activities. We assist in the Ft. Lewis Annual Flag Salute; volunteer for the monthly blood drive at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish; host the Joseph Martin Thanksgiving Dinner at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish; volunteer monthly at several I-5 rest stops - serving refreshments; participate in Rosary and retreats; work in the community for the homeless and poor; and conduct special family projects.

In the future we will continue to encourage applicants of the third degree and our parish to join us in our quest to help those in needs. We hope to continue the traditions of the assembly and recruit the next generation to learn from those who have enjoyed giving the community our love and assistance. Earl J. Davis PFN, Historian (4/5/07)

BISHOP THOMAS A. GILL ASSEMBLY 1955 SOUTH KING COUNTY

Bishop Thomas A. Gill Assembly 1955 was instituted July 30, 1983 by Charles M. Bailey, Master of the Western District of Washington. The charter members were:

Michael B Adams*
Joseph M Clemens N
Robert J Faulk
Robert Hitchcock*
John F Magrum
Romeo A Mayor **Comp**
Wayne A Moritz*
William J Reuter
Rev Joseph Stocking SJ
William R Wilson

John P Bowman
Bradley W Constantine
Peter J Fleck
Robert L Heunisch
Emil A Marx*
John J McLaughlin
Bernard F Price
Conrad A Servo
Harry J Tucker Jr

Raymond H Brown
Shields J Coppo
Richmond Gardner
Edgar J R Leger
Richard L Mayer*
James W Monaghan
Claude Rassilyer
Raymond K Signani
Pedro Vivit



Joe Clemens and Master Charlie Bailey

FATHER ALCUIN LAWRENCE ASSEMBLY 2018

PORT ANGELES

Assembly Historian: James G Caldwell PSD

Father Alcuin Lawrence Assembly 2018 was instituted March 16, 1985 with 21 members. Three of these were priests. Eleven transferred from Monsignor Cammerman Assembly in Bremerton and ten were new members. Distance was a major factor in this institution. For many years Monsignor Cammerman Assembly in Bremerton served the Fourth Degree for the Kitsap Peninsula. Port Angeles is 80 miles from Bremerton along twisting coastal roads. A two hour drive was needed for members in Port Angeles and Sequim to attend meetings and functions.

Through the efforts of Jim Caldwell P.S.D. (a PFN of Msgr Cammerman Assy), PGKs Roy Ellefson, Ray Perron and Joe Del Judge with the help of Master Henry Therrien the Father Alcuin Lawrence Assembly was instituted. The charter members and officers were:

Walter A. Bain#	Donald G Bettger	James Bilsborrow
James G Caldwell PSD*#	Salvatore L D'Amico	Joseph G Del Judge*#
Roy V Ellefson*#	William T Elwood*	Gerald P Horner FDD*#
Layton W Lund	John Magner#	Robert M McCrorie
Gregory W Newgard#	Rev Clement H Pangratz	Raymond J Perron*#
Terrance L Petersen	John N Pfeffer	Don Phillips
B. Keith Saulsbury	Rev Mark A Stehly	Howard Thompson

indicates PGK

The Assembly is named after a former pastor of Queen of Angels Parish in Port Angeles. Father Alcuin J. Lawrence OSB was born in Eau Claire, WI. July 31, 1906. His elementary education was in Eau Claire but he entered St Martin's High School, Olympia, WA as a senior in 1923. He graduated and continued on in St Martin's College for two years, went on to complete his seminary training and was ordained June 3, 1933 in St Paul, MN. He returned to the Northwest and received a M. Sc. degree from the University of Washington in 1937 and his teaching certificate in the same year. He taught at St Martin's High School and College through the 1945.

He was pastor at the Church of the Assumption, Seattle 1945-60; Queen of Angels Church, Pt Angeles 1960-68; Church of the Visitation, Tacoma 1968-77. Until the time of his death on May 1, 1984 he was pastor emeritus at the Church of the Visitation and assisted at Holy Rosary Church. He had been a priest for 58 years. Father Alcuin dearly loved the Knights and was as helpful as he could be. He had been council Chaplain of Council 2260 in Port Angeles, a Faithful Friar of Bishop McGrath Assembly in Tacoma and State Chaplain during the term of office of Past State Deputy James G. Caldwell 1976-78 and wrote the prayers on the State PFH Prayer Card.

FATHER JOSEPH T. O'CALLAHAN ASSEMBLY 2027

PT ORCHARD

The Father Joseph T O'Callahan Assembly was instituted in April 1985 in Port Orchard Washington by Henry Therrien, Master of the Western District of Washington. The Charter Members and Officers were:

John B Allan Plt	Thomas R Alonso Purs	Dwight C Ballou Adm
David B Blair	Hobart A Blocher	Ray A Bollinger TR
Lee F Caldwell	Arthur Ellis Comp *	Michael P Fitzsimons
P R FitzSimons N	Leslie Gallipo	Leo A Gleason TR
John Greele TR	Charles R Hackett*	Harley A Harrington
Marvin R Heuer	Robert E Lee	James S Millard
Freddy L Parker	Jewel O Phillips IS	William O Reynolds

Theo J Sirotzki **Capt***
Robert J Vargo

E A Tabafunda **OS**
James S Young

Harry W Tachell

Father Joseph Timothy O'Callahan was born May 14, 1904 in Boston. What information we have on him is a Navy citation for gallantry and bravery while serving as chaplain aboard the U.S.S. Franklin near Kobe, Japan on March 19, 1945. When the ship was severely damaged, Fr O'Callahan groped through the flames, smoke and debris to minister to the wounded and dying amid exploding bombs, shells, rockets, etc. He organized and led fire fighting crews into the flaming inferno on the flight deck to direct the flooding of the magazine and jettisoning of the live ammunition. He then manned a hose to cool the hot, armed bombs rolling on the listing deck. His courage and deep spiritual strength inspired the officers and men of the Franklin and led him to become the first Chaplain ever to receive the Congressional Medal of Honor. He was a Lt Commander at the time though he was later promoted to Commander. After the war he returned to Holy Cross College in Worcester, Massachusetts where he died in 1964.

We have an Honor Guard and a Color Corps to provide our services to the Bishop at such functions as confirmations, ordinations, dedications, funerals etc if requested. In addition, we have been marching in parades and have helped in charitable fund raising.

PALOUSE ASSEMBLY 2105

WHITMAN COUNTY

Assembly Historian: Jerry E Weber

The Palouse Assembly was started by Stan Bauer and Tom Weber in 1984. Their plan was to attend the 3rd degree meeting of the Colton, Uniontown, Pullman and Colfax councils and to address the membership on the need for a new 4th degree Assembly.

After the address, transfer forms were handed out as well as applications for new members. After three years of work, on March 28, 1987 the Eastern Washington District Exemplification was held in Pullman in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall. At that time six new members were exemplified. Alfred J Rizzo, Master of the Eastern Washington District, instituted Palouse Assembly 2105, appointing Stan Bauer as the temporary Faithful Navigator. The charter members were:

COLTON

Robert G Bauer **Capt**
Thomas McCaulley
Carroll A Schultheis **Adm**
Jerry E Weber **TR**
LeRoy B Weber **Plt**
Thomas L Weber
Richard S Zack Jr **IS**

UNIONTOWN

Tom Busch **TR**
Msgr Anton M Flour
Joseph T Oenning

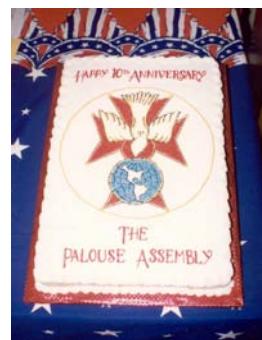
COLFAX
Andrew J Chesnut **Comp**
Rene F Guidi
Dennis M McDonald
Roy J McDonald **TR**

PULLMAN

Dale R Bauer **OS**
E Stanley Bauer **N**
Sam R Fleener
Vern J Welter
George H Wieber **Serb**

On April 26, 1987 we held our first meeting at the Mr Steak Restaurant in Pullman. Dues were set at \$20.00 per year and the election of officers was held. On June 14, 1987 we received our charter. Since that time we have had various meetings and dinners in all of the towns of the Assembly and have started a Chalice Fund. Three of our members are very active in the area Fourth Degree Exemplification Team - Tom Weber, Stan Bauer and Richard Zack Jr. Our future plans are to get the Fourth Degree and our Honor Guard more active in our area churches.

On November 1, 1997 the Assembly celebrated its 10th Anniversary. Vice-Supreme Master John Klein and Master Ed Mertens were on hand for the



exemplification and banquet held at Sacred Heart Parish in Pullman. Past State Deputy Tom Weber was the degree honoree. Edna Mae Schultheis, wife of Sir Knight Carroll, baked a special cake for the occasion. In 2006, due to health issues, Andy Chesnut resigned as Comptroller of the Assembly. He has been succeeded by Greg Johnson of Pullman who was a member of the 10th Anniversary exemplification class.

REV. WILLIAM A. SCHMITZ ASSEMBLY 2258 KENNEWICK

The Rev. William A. Schmitz Assembly was instituted in August 1991 in Kennewick by Henry Therrien, Master of the Western District of Washington. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Scott A August Plt	Joseph G. Balthazor	Francis L. Beaudry TR
Charles W. Beo	Daniel G. Bickford	Francis T. Calapristi
James E. Colvin	Jeremiah J. Coughlan	John H. Curran
Daniel A. Danch	James P. Derouin Sr	William T. Dewulf Scrib
Rev. Desmond P. Dillon	Donald F. Edwards	Billy J. Ellerthorpe
Otto A. Erdman	Leo C. Fangman	Francis Forester
Lawrence L. Fortier	David A. Gallant	Karl A. Hadley
Ralph J. Heck	Edward H. Heiman Jr	Darrell R. Henn Comp
John E Hornstein	Rev. Michael J. Ibach Friar	Thom N. Johnson
Arthur L. Killian	Thomas E. Lynch TR	Ramon R. Mata
John W. McDonald	Stuart K. McDowell	Charles F. Orthmann
James D. Perko	John_F. St. Hilaire N	Thomas P. St. Hilaire Purs
Ralph Sawyer	Gerald W. Shepherd	Charles R. Smith IS
Michael R. Spinler	Robert V. Spinler	Michael W. Stricker TR
Edward L. Suhadolnik	Jimmy D. Taylor	Michael E. Thurman
Ralph A. Wasche	Glenn K. Whitman Capt	Roger A. Willis
Kenneth L. Wood OS	Adam A. Zacher	Emanuel J. Ziegler
John A. Zilar	William B. Zilar	William B. Zilar Sr

The assembly was named after father William Schmitz, pastor of St. Patrick Parish, Pasco from 1942 until his death in 1970. Father Schmitz was born in Belgium, Wisconsin April 10, 1911; was ordained June 1, 1938. He had various assignments until he was assigned to St. Patrick parish in Pasco April 29, 1942.

BISHOP AEGIDIUS JUNGER ASSEMBLY 2259 VANCOUVER

Bishop Aegidius Junger assembly was instituted August 27, 1991 in Vancouver by Master of the Washington District John R. Klein. The charter members and officers were:

Ray D. Ayala N	Fred J. Abraham	Richard B. Buffum
Ed Burdick	Wilbert E. Covey	Kyle O.Christianson
Timothy D. Crouch	Raymond T. Doering	Michael W. Gruenberg
Stanley R. Gruenberg IS	Lewis B. Hildebrand Purs	Richard G. Horne
Leonard G. Lagoy Comp	George R. Jungel	Leonard Klinger
Martin M. LaViollette	Robert D. Marsden	John J. McCrow Scrib
Don Messer	Eugene M. Munson Plt	Michael E. Nelsen
Hershall G. Odle OS	James V. Olichwier	Robert K. Oser
George F. Pachl Capt	Mike Patterson	Charles E. Ronan
John B. Rowley Adm	David L. Sanks	Richard A. Schile

WHIDBEY-FIDALGO ASSEMBLY 2276

OAK HARBOR

The Whidbey-Fidalgo Assembly was instituted in February 22, 1992 in Oak Harbor by John R. Klein, Master of the District of Washington. The Charter Members and Officers were:

Rev. Paul A. Auer **Friar**
George E. Baloga **Adm**
Donald C. Brouillard
Paul E. Dieker
Edward F. Farley **Plt**
Andrew F. Hiblar
John C. Ireton **TR**
Joseph H. Lacroix
Edward A. Mc Laughlin
Buenaventura P. Manuel
Joseph P. Meehan **TR**
Jack Newman Jr **Comp**
William F Reeves **N**
Franklin A. Tralle
George L. Wood
Thomas J. Connerton

Charles A. Aus
James M. Beaner
Edwin H. Cabrian
Leo D. Doyle
Donald J. Goodwin
Thomas C. Hiestand **Purs**
E. Duane Kemp
Arthur N. Langston
John P. Mc Stay **IS**
William L. Maris **OS**
William C. Morningred **TR**
Reynaldo L. Parungao
Howard J. Steiner **Scrib**
Edward Virsack
Virgil V. Zubrod

Malcolm R. Bailey **Capt**
William J. Blake
S.A. John Carabba
Vincent L. Dragovich
Michael J Henessey
John F. Hoffelt
George J. Konetchy
Ambrose J. Mc Keon
Wayne F. Mac Farland
Kenneth C. Matuizek
William T. Morrissey
Robert G. Pierson
Deibert W. Swatosh
Myles E. Walsh
Renato E. Sacramento

The Whidbey-Fidalgo Assembly takes its name from the two northernmost islands in the Northwest Puget Sound: Whidbey Island, the largest island within the continental U.S., and to the north, Fidalgo Island. The two islands connect each other by the Deception Pass Bridge, considered to be one of the most picturesque bridges in the United States.

The Whidbey-Fidalgo Assembly membership is composed almost totally from the two councils and the two round tables which are located on the two islands.... On Whidbey Island the parishes of St. Augustine's and St. Joseph's (U.S. Naval Air Station) in Oak Harbor and St. Mary's in Coupeville support the John E. O'Brien Council #3361 chartered in November 1950. St. Hubert's in Langley supports a Round Table which was instituted in 1988. On Fidalgo Island the parish of St. Mary's supports the Father Treunet Council 3611, which was originally chartered in March 1953. St. Francis of Friday Harbor, San Juan Island supports a Round Table which was instituted in 1988.

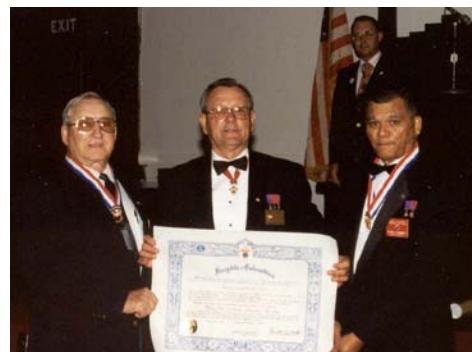
The Charter Members chose to name the assembly "Whidbey-Fidalgo" to maintain the historic service to the Catholic Church of the early missions of Father Eugene Chirouse who was sent to the Puget Sound Missions after the signing of the Indian Treaties of 1858, and of Father F.X. Prefontaine who, in 1864, was sent to serve the white settlers in all the islands of the Puget Sound.

FATHER JOHN A. WALSH ASSEMBLY 2376

TUKWILA

The Father John A. Walsh Assembly 2376 was instituted on January 11, 1995 in Tukwila by Edward J. Mertens, Master of the District of Washington.

The assembly was named for Father John A. Walsh. Father Walsh was born in Carrane, Tourlestrane County, Sligo, Ireland. He studied for the priesthood at St John's College, Waterford, Ireland was ordained in the cathedral there on June 20, 1946. He was appointed assistant pastor at Immaculate Conception, Everett from 1957-63. He was appointed Pastor, Star of the Sea, Pt. Townsend 1953-58 when he was named founding pastor at St. Monica's on Mercer Island. He was



Charter Presentation - unknown, Master Ed Mertens, FN Kiha Kinney, SD Tom Weber (background)

transferred to St. Thomas parish in Riverton in February 1977. He died of a heart attack there July 3, 1977.

The Charter Members and Officers were:

Lee Arellano Plt	Kevin G Beder	Larry R Bell
Harry C Bostick Comp	Michael S Bostick	Wallace J Bucklen
Walter Chmielowski	Richard E Combs	Charles J DeLaurenti II
Charles J DeLaurenti	Donald Dorres	James R Duffy
Richard A Goodwin	Roger H Godfrey Scrib	Wayne H Gores
Roger Hamel	Rev Richard K Hayatsu Friar	David E Hayes
Virgil O Hedlund TR	John M Jacobs	Kiha W Kinney N
Victor M LaFranchi	Kenneth Marguert Capt	Donald L Marty
Rev Gerald L Mayovsky	John J McLaughlin	Joe E Medina
Keith J Mooney OS	Richard O Perfect Adm	John E Peyton
Bertrand Phillips	Richard F Riddell Purs	Patrick R Sauer
Raymond J Sauer TR	Roger B Schulz	Edward B Slebodnick TR
George L Staeheli	Robert J Taylor	William L Thurston
Steven T Voiland	Felix J Wisniewski	Ben S Workman
David J Yadock	John P Young IS	

JOHN J. MERTENS ASSEMBLY 2414

SPOKANE

John J. Mertens Assembly 2414 was instituted by Master Edward J. Mertens on February 17, 1996. The charter members and officers were:

David M. Bailey	Eugene V. Beckvold	Mark E. Brodeur
George H. Czerwonka Jr. N	Gregory J. Czerwonka	Stephen P. Czerwonka
Gene Daspit Comp	Mark Daspit	Francis A. Donahue
William R. Fautch	Dennis J. Fitzgerald TR	Johnny Gonzalez Purs
Thomas J. Haney	Rev. Richard Hemenway	Thomas J. Hempel
Dan Kennedy TR	Conrad W. Kovash	Robert L. Labarre
Rayman N. Leblanc Capt	Gonzalo Martinez TR	Dennis McMullen IS
David J. Mertens	Edward J. Mertens Adm	Edward P. Mertens
John B. Mertens	Peter A. Mertens	Timothy J. Mertens
Kent Myles	Mark R. Newman	Myron Newman Plt
Dave Olson OS	James C. Osman	James H. Rosenthal
Nelson B. Ruby	Michael B. Stolp	Paul Tesch
Aloysius Tomko	Robert L. Tyner Scrib	

The assembly was named for John J. Mertens, an exemplary Catholic, family man and Knight of Columbus. He was a charter member of council for 4196 in 1950. He had 62 years as a Knight of Columbus.

ST. OLAF'S ASSEMBLY 2433

POULSBO

St. Olaf's Assembly 2433 was instituted by Edward J. Mertens, Master of the Washington District on May 15, 1996 in Poulsbo. The charter members and officers were:

Robert L Bailey	Calvin J Buyserie	Leslie A Colaco
Antonio DeCarlo Purs	Lawrence E Devlin	Verlyn O Grange
Charles R Hackett Comp	Michael E Haynes	Joseph W Huber Plt

Francis X Ingallina	Andrew L Kupser Capt	Dennis L Lambert Scrib
Patrick E MacLean	John J McGowan	John A McKeever
David L Meier	Jerry E Merryfield	William E Miller
William O Reynolds N	Michael S Thatcher	Kenneth J Vanacker
Charles F Weinkers	Thad J Wilcox	James S Young

ST. OLAF OF NORWAY, Martyr (AD-1030) - Olaf was the son of Harold Grenske, a Lord in Norway, and after eight years of piracy and fighting, succeeded his father at the age of 20, when most of Norway was in the hands of the Danes and Swedes. These parts he conquered and then set about the subjection of the realm to Christ, for he himself had already been baptized at Rouen. The work had been begun, but had not made much real progress, by Haaken the Good and by Olaf Tryggvason, whose methods of "evangelization" seem to have been preposterous and wicked.

In 1013 Olaf Haraldsson had sailed to England and assisted King Ethelred against the Danes, and he now turned to that country for help in his more peaceable task. He brought over from England a number of priests and monks, one of whom, Grimkel, was chosen Bishop of Nidaros, his capital. Olaf relied much on the advice of this prelate, and by his counsel published many good enactments and abolished ancient laws and customs contrary to the gospel. Unfortunately, like other princes who sought to convert their people, he was not content with exhortation. His zeal was often more than his prudence, and he used force without compunction. To his enemies he was merciless, added to which some of his legislation and political objects were not everywhere approved. Therefore many rose in arms and, with the assistance of Canute, King of England and Denmark, defeated and expelled him.

St. Olaf fled, but returned with a few Swedish troops to recover his kingdom. He was slain by his rebellious and infidel subjects in a battle fought at Stiklestad on July 29, 1030. The king's body was buried in a steep sand bank by the River Nid, where he had fallen. Here a spring gushed out whose waters became credited with healing power and the bishop, Grimkel, in the following year ordered that he was to be there venerated as a martyr and a chapel was built over the place. Miracles were reported at the shrine and on the return of his son, Magnus, to power the veneration of St. Olaf became widespread.

In 1075, the chapel was replaced by a bishop's church, dedicated to Christ and St. Olaf, which in time became the metropolitan cathedral of Nidaros which was, both as a building and a shrine, to Scandinavia what Canterbury was to England; and just as pilgrims to the one dismounted on Harbledown Hill to greet the first sight of England's greatest shrine, so pilgrims to the other did the like on what is still known as Feginnsbrekka, the "Hill of Joy". During the middle ages, the cultus of "the perpetual King of Norway" spread to Sweden, Denmark, the British Isles and beyond, and St. Olaf is still regarded by Norwegians as the patron and national hero of his country. The name Tooley of a London street is a corruption of St. Olaf's and marks the former Scandinavian and Danish colony in Southwark; and the churches of St. Olave in Hart Street and St. Olave in Old Jewry were named after him.

BISHOP JOSEPH P. DOUGHERTY ASSEMBLY 2440

EPHRATA

The Bishop Joseph P. Dougherty Assembly 2440 was instituted by Edward J. Mertens, Master of the Washington District on June 12, 1996 in Ephrata. The charter members and officers were:

Augustinne J. Bennin	Gerald A. Boyle	Dr. Raymond J. Bunker
Eugene B. Butterly	Gregory P. Doiron TR	Patrick S. Gray N
James P. Green	Richard K. Greedy	Raymond A. Harrison TR
David N. Heilman Comp	Rev Fr Richard M House	William J. Judge
Rev Fr Seamus Kerr Friar	Charles M. Kirkey	David A. Knappert
Kenneth P. Knappert Purs	James E. Krautscheid	Robert E. McDonnell
Thomas G. Moncrief Capt	Joseph J. Mullen Adm	Keith M. Niehenke
Thomas C. Potter TR	John R. Schoultz OS	George R. Shae Plt
Alan L. Smith IS	Philip H. Trepanier Scrib	James E. Weitzel

Randy M. Weitzel

Mst Rev Joseph P. Dougherty - Churchmen and churchwomen have provided significant leadership since the days of Washington Territory and since its admission to the Union in 1889. The Indian tribes, the French-Canadian trappers, and the early settlers all shared responsibility in seeking and obtaining establishment of churches, schools, hospitals, orphanages and homes for the elderly. Proof of this is to be found in the selection of Dr. Marcus Whitman, a Methodist missionary to the Indians, and Mother Joseph of the Sacred Heart, a Catholic Sister, as this state's representatives in Statuary Hall at Washington, D.C.

Worthy of consideration far the Washington Hall of Honor is The Most Reverend Joseph F. Dougherty, DD, LLD, First Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Yakima. In 1905 he arrived in Seattle at the age of 8 months with his parents, Patrick and Grace (Meehan) Dougherty. He spent his entire life in the service of the Catholic Church in the State of Washington, with the exception of his last year when he lived and worked in Los Angeles.

After serving as assistant pastor, seminary professor, chancellor (administrative assistant to the bishop) and pastor in Seattle for 21 years, in 1951 Bishop Dougherty was selected by Pope Pius XII to become the first Bishop of the newly formed Diocese of Yakima. This gave him the ultimate responsibility of providing for the spiritual needs of 35,000 Catholics in 7 counties of Central Washington. The diocese was established in response to the actual and projected growth brought on by the Grand Coulee project - 17,787 square miles with more than 1,200,000 acres of arid land to be cultivated and populated.

His was the task of providing for Catholics in Central Washington in what every Catholic bishop must provide: priests, sisters, lay teachers, schools, hospitals, social service and child-caring agencies. Beginning with 35 priests in 40 parishes in 1951, he spent himself in administrative and organizational tasks, as well as pastoral visitations of parishes and institutions. Probably the most significant contributions he made were in the promotion of priestly vocations and in the establishment of new parishes, schools and missions to care for a Catholic population which grew from 35,000 in 1951 to a conservative estimate of 50,000 at the time of his retirement in 1969. Despite severe heart attacks and complicated health problems he journeyed throughout the country raising funds to support a rapidly growing diocese. In Central Washington itself he devoted himself to pastoral visitations, administration of religious rites and participation in public areas of service. He was a fearless advocate of justice for the workingman, and a staunch protector of human rights for minorities. Heavy as were these duties they did not prevent him from active participation in the sessions of the Second Vatican Council of the Catholic Church 1962-1965.

Severe ill health forced him to retire in 1969 and to leave Yakima to serve as an Auxiliary Bishop (assistant bishop) in Los Angeles as well as pastor of a Mexican-American parish. He died suddenly while on a vacation here in observation of the 40th anniversary of his ordination as priest. He was buried in Yakima after funeral services in Seattle, Los Angeles and Yakima. His death was on July 10, 1970.

OUR LADY OF THE HARBOR ASSEMBLY 2501 GIG HARBOR

This assembly was instituted on August 23, 1997 by Master Edward J. Mertens. The charter members and officers were;

Ed Barbon	James Begin	James Burcar TR
Tony Bushnell	Joe Bushnell	John Cox
Jerome Dolney Capt	James Douglas	Ric Evans
Larry Faker	Christian Goodman N	Tom Gross
Clarence Hedden	Jim Herman OS	Clark Hernandez
Gerald Ley Purs	Dave McConnon TR	James Morgeli Scrib
Norb Okoniewski Plt	John Oldham	Jerry Redler IS
Mark Rogala	Leo Schaefer Adm	Paul Schaefer

Al Tokin
Al Wisniewski

Warren Van Buskirk **TR**
Rev Gary Weisenberger **Friar**

Jim Wainwright **Comp**

The dignitaries present included Vice Supreme Master Paul Bousquet; Former Vice Supreme Master George C Turk; State Deputy Everett J (Rob) Roberts, Master Edward J Mertens; State Secretary Fred Abraham; State Treasurer Wayne Hogan; Former Master John R Klein; District Deputy Donald Nelson, Former District Deputies Ron Fitzsimons, Billie Grant, Frank Grant and Frank McFall; Faithful Navigators Jose Veliz Jr of Fr Valerian Grubb Assembly 1844, B. T. Leon Guerrero of NB Fulton Sheen Assembly 1845 and Arthur Ellis of Fr O'Callahan Assembly 2027; GK Salomon de Alba of Puyallup Council 1629. All brought their wives. There were 111 present at the Institution and Installation of Officers in St. Nicholas church hall.

John Cox and Jerome Dolney were the two most responsible for the institution of this assembly.

CHARLES F. McLEAN ASSEMBLY 2621

KIRKLAND

Charles F McLean Assembly was instituted in Kirkland on January 31, 2000 by Master Phillip R. FitzSimons. The charter members were:

Jonathon T Babbitt
Michael J Bohm
Dennis U Brunnelle
John P Culver
Rury S Diligencia
Bertrand J Hill
Donald G Jury
Gary J Morelli
Dennis P Obermeir

Eugene R Barrow
Mark J Borselli
Joseph B Byrne Jr
William C Davis
Eugene R Garrow
Charles B Hutchens
Patrick J Lyons
Clement B Neil
Daniel J Poirier

Robert G Bluhm
Gerald E Brandmeir
Michael B Carter
Vincent Digeulio
K A Geisel
James V Johncox
Patrick M Maloney
Jerry D Nikoloisen
William P Prah

FATHER MODESTE DEMERS ASSEMBLY 2648

WENATCHEE / EAST WENATCHEE

Assembly Historian: Patrick Gray

On April 18, 1949, Father Modeste Demers General Assembly was instituted at Wenatchee, Washington. The assembly failed to grow and in the mid 1950's was deactivated. Listed here are the charter members of the original Father Demers Assembly:

B. K. Burke
Dr. M. W. Nugent
Geo B. Gallaher
Delmar H. Howe
G. W. McAllister
S. Y. Dauenhauer
H. Schoenmaker

John Duffy
John B. Soule
O. K. Latta
F. F. Dauenhauer
Melville Y. Smith
Robert J. Gallaher

Francis R. Kelly
Wm F. Crotty
E.J. Scott
Jos. Gallaher
Carl Van Wagnen
Jos. F. Monda

In the meantime membership continued to grow in the 4 councils at Wenatchee, Ellensburg, Quincy and Ephrata during the 1980's and the time was ripe to re-introduce the Fourth Degree for those members. In 1996 Bishop Joseph P Dougherty Assembly # 2440 was established with Jim Weitzel of Ephrata as the first Faithful Navigator. Bishop Dougherty Assembly experienced rapid growth and, in just a couple of years the knights in the Wenatchee area decided to reactivate their old Fr. Demers Assembly. In June of 2000 the Father Modeste Demers Assembly # 2648 was re-instituted by Master Phillip R. FitzSimons. Deacon Bill Loranger served as the first Faithful Navigator. Listed below are the charter members of the new Fr. Demers Assembly:

Robert J. Anderson	Richard K. Greedy	Rev. Thomas Kuykendall
Donald F. Tito	Dennis Schumacher	Morris P. Anslow
Henry Escalera	Joseph J. Mullen,Jr	Alan L. Smith
Joseph Schumacher	Charles E. Batt	Edward J. Hogan
Wade S. Walden	Frank E. Piepel	Roland Tiedemann
Frank T. Calipristi	Daniel J. Jursnik	D. Michael McGlone
George R. Shae	Fulgence J. Schrempp	Irvin C Chmelir
Rev. Seamus Kerr	Dominick Nerone	Anthony Skirko
Gale Vradenburg	Wayne A. Dezelle	David A. Knappert
Kenneth P. Knappert	George Lauve, Sr	Patrick S. Gray
Deacon William F. Loranger		

The name Father Modeste Demers is not as famous or well known as that of Father Francis Blanchet, yet these 2 priests were the first permanent priests in the Northwest and both became Bishops. Members of the Father Demers Assembly were proud to honor the name of Demers as a priest even though he later became a bishop. Modeste Demers was born in Saint-Nicholas, Canada on October 11, 1809. He attended the seminary in Quebec and was ordained on February 7, 1836 by Archbishop Signay. He was assigned for only 4 months to Trois-Pistoles, when he was called to the Oregon mission. He first was sent to residence to St. Boniface at Red River, a frontier location now Manitoba, Canada.

The following year, Father Francis Norbert Blanchet joined Father Demers at Red River. These two priests were then appointed as missionaries for that part of the Diocese of Quebec, which was situated between the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Ocean. They would become the very first resident priests in the Pacific Northwest. The distance traveled by these two priests, from Red River to Ft. Vancouver was 3,225 miles and it required 4 months and 2 weeks to complete the journey. They departed on July 10, 1838 and arrived at Ft. Vancouver on November 24 of the same year.

During the journey Father Demers celebrated the first Mass in this Oregon Territory at "Big Bend" in what is now Central British Columbia on October 14, 1838. From there they proceeded down the Columbia River, stopping at Ft. Colville where the first Latin Mass was celebrated in what is now Washington State on November 6, 1838. Stops were also recorded at Ft. Okanogan and at Ft. Walla Walla prior to arriving at Ft. Vancouver on November 24.

Father Demers passed the location where the city of Wenatchee is now located on or about November 15. Almost 111 years and 5 months after that date, a new Knights of Columbus Assembly was instituted at Wenatchee and they chose the name "Father Modeste Demers Assembly" in honor of the first priest to this area.

Father was a tireless missionary and immensely successful. He was appointed Bishop of Vancouver Island on July 24, 1846 but not consecrated until November 30, 1847. Bishop Demers died on July 28, 1871. An uncommonly kind and understanding bishop, he had won the respect, even the affection, of his priests who rightly regarded his passing as the end of a heroic era. His burial three days later, attended with liturgical splendor reserved for prelates, left his brother bishops in the limbo of their own fleeting mortality, a status not overlooked by any one of them.

Today Fr. Demers Assembly is an active and vibrant assembly with an honor guard and color corps always available to add color and splendor to special events. Wade Walden, Chuck Smith and our current Faithful Navigator, Ron Myles has succeeded our first Faithful Navigator, Deacon Bill Loranger.

ARCHBISHOP THOMAS J. MURPHY ASSEMBLY 2685

LAKewood

Philip Sheridan FN, Historian

The Charter officers and a partial list of charter members include:

Joe Agpaoa **IS**
Adam Diego **Purs**
Wayne C Hogan
Charles W McCollough **Comp**
Dick Muri **N**
Jim Senko **TR**

Rev Ralph F Carney
Joseph Herrmann
Steve Kuklish **TR**
Gabriel F Mendoza
Win Podzsus **Plt**
Frank Turman **TR**

Rev Dennis V Champagne **Friar**
Arthur Hill **OS**
Benito T Leon-Guerrero **Adm**
Charlie Morrow **Scrb**
Everett J Roberts
John M Wallace **Capt**

The Archbishop Thomas J. Murphy Assembly was instituted by Master Phillip R. FitzSimons. The first meeting of the Assembly was held on April 1, 2001. Named for the former Archbishop of Seattle, the assembly took as its focus the issue of stewardship which was so dear to the heart of Archbishop Murphy. This pride in stewardship was a driving factor in the Veteran's Memorial project for which the Assembly received the 2002-2003 "To Be a Patriot" award.

Archbishop Murphy was born on October 3, 1932 in Chicago's Westside neighborhood. Known for his indomitable Irish-Catholic spirit, he was an advocate for the poor and needy of the archdiocese, publicly protesting euthanasia and pro-choice initiatives at the state level, and vigorously defending the rights of workers, including disenfranchised timber communities.

Thomas J. Murphy was appointed Coadjutor Archbishop of Seattle on May 26, 1987, and succeeded to the See on August 21, 1991. Arriving in the midst of turmoil, Archbishop Murphy came to be loved by the people of Western Washington for his charismatic personality, his dedication to justice, and his deep care for the people of archdiocese. Under his direction, Catholic schools continued to flourish, including the opening of new schools such as Archbishop Thomas J. Murphy High School (Everett) and Eastside Catholic High School (Bellevue).

As Chairman of United States Catholic Conference of Bishops Ad Hoc Committee on stewardship he was an ardent supporter of educational efforts in teaching stewardship as a way of life. On December 1, 1996, Archbishop Thomas Murphy was diagnosed with leukemia. This was complicated by a kidney problem. Archbishop Murphy died on the morning of June 26, 1997.

MILLENNIUM ASSEMBLY 2717

PROSSER

Millennium Assembly was instituted in Prosser on September 4, 2001 by Master Phillip R. FitzSimons. The charter members were:

Harvey V Abbott
John Brown
William J Dressel
Rev Francisco Higiera
James Hudak
Richard A Legerski
John F Scarola
Timothy J Scorola
Jarrod A Swearingen
Lawrence A Weyer

Richard J Better
David S Diaz
Leon DuFault
Charles M Hoctor
Collin Karthauser
Bruce A Myra
John G Scarola
Robert Smith
Pablo L Villarreal
David Y Youmans

Richard A Boe
Joseph L Dressel
Francisco J Hernandez
Wayne Hoctor
Martin J Koreski
Phillip B Robillard
Ken F Scorola
Charles M Stegeman
Rev John C Vogl

POPE JOHN PAUL II ASSEMBLY 2926

CAMAS

Pope John Paul II Assembly was instituted in Camas on June 24, 2005 by Master Storm Smole. Master Smole and Everett J. Roberts PSD, FMFD were instrumental in the formation of the Assembly. The charter members and officers were:

John B Aguon	Paul J Bettasso Plt	Jose S Borja
Earl E (Bud) Brown TR3	Jose S. (Joe) Boda TR2	Gary F Chesnutis N
James W. Cosgrove	George H Delgado Sr IS	George M Delgado Jr
William A Fielding	Gerhard A Galle	David E Greenwood
James F Greenwood Adm	Thomas W Hart	Darin L. Henry
John P. Hynd	Richard C Johnson TR1	Brian J Knotts OS
Rev Derek J Lappe	Robert J Mazzacavallo	Mathew J. McBride
Edward Meany	Felix M Mueller Purs	Dr. Paul J. Phillips
Arthur J Roggenkamp	Aloysius E Schmid	Mark L Smith
Irving R St Germain Comp	Fred W. VanKuren	John T Watts
Robert A Williams	George T Zeleznik Scrb	David F Zepponi

Since our institution the assembly's Color Corps has participated in: the investiture of a newly formed Squires Circle; May Crowning Festivals; First Communicants and Confirmation Masses; and Corpus Christi Processions. We have established a Chalice Presentation Fund and assist disabled American veterans in the Hospitalized Veterans Project. We have also formed a committee which provides support to soldiers in Iraq.

The assembly conducts fireworks sales to fund charitable distributions. Our membership has increased 151% in two years and in 2007 is currently at 266% of membership quota.

ST MARK ASSEMBLY 2959

SHORELINE

St Marks Assembly was instituted in Shoreline on December 3, 2005 by Master Storm Smole (the date on the Charter is March 23, 2006). SK Romy B. Ablao was the moving force and instrumental in the formation of the Assembly. The charter officers were:

Luis P Abad Jr Purs	Modesto M Abellera Jr	Jose M Abes
Romarico B Ablao TR	Napoleon Q Arcala Sr	Edwin T Bondoc
Monte C Burnham TR	Valerio C Canda	John J Casapiedra
David A Coffman Scrib	Michael J Connell Capt	Alfredo D Daco OS
Rev Laurence P Darbin	Caledonio H Ebilane Comp	Roberto V Garcia Jr
Philip Grandaw	Murphy Green	Joe B Haussermann
Rufino G Isip Plt	Kurt R Johnson	Cesar L Kalaw IS
Keith R Klaus Adm	Rev Otto Koltzenburg Friar	Juanito B Lantoria
Moses Lacson	Lloyd V LaPlante	Leon R Lutovsky TR
Dennis S Mahar	Julian P Nicholas	Rodrigo O Publico
Christopher M Ramos	Romulo A Ramos Jr	Danilo A Reboja
Francisco C Rendorio	Thomas V Rigor	Robert M Romero
Ricardo L Rumeral	Roberto P Sanchez N	Neil Sather
Nolito C Vencilao	Federico B Versoza III	John A Zambrano

The assembly purchased 2 flag poles for St. Marks School - one pole for the U.S. Flag and the other for the State or Papal Flag. Currently we are working to establish the Chalice Program in the Assembly.

Our mission is to open membership to all Catholic Immigrants having received their U.S. Citizenship, and to work closely with councils within the area - promoting the principle of the 4th Degree, Patriotism. We are a newly chartered assembly, and as such, have not achieved any awards thus far.

FR JOHN J. DALY ASSEMBLY 2960

KENT - COVINGTON

Assembly Historian: John B Mergens Sr.

Father John J. Daly Assembly 2960 was instituted by Master Storm Smole on March 27, 2006. The assembly is composed of members from Kent Council 8150 (Holy Spirit Parish) and Harry J Tucker Jr Council 11780 (St John the Baptist Parish) in Covington. An organizational meeting was held on January 18, 2006. Master Storm Smole, Former Master Everett Roberts, District Deputy Ben Workman and Father Richard Gallagher were instrumental in the assembly's formation. The principle organizers were Jim Sheffield, John Mergens and John Feuerborn. The assembly charter was presented in April 2007.

The assembly was named after Father John J Daly who served as pastor of St. Anthony Parish for 36 years. Father Daly was born in Tipperary, Ireland and came to Seattle in October 1916. He was appointed Pastor of St. Anthony Parish in Kent during May of 1918. He remained at St Anthony until his death on November 1, 1954. Some of the assembly members remember serving as altar boys with Father Daly. The charter members and officers were:

Norman K Bailey	Bruce J Barnes	Willie L Blue
Robert T Byrnes	John C Campion TR	Richard Cogswell
Roderick L Cosgriff	Donald A Devos	Malcolm A Efta
Darrell L Ehlers TR	Alfred Fettig TR	John D Feuerborn Adm
Rev Richard Gallagher	George A Garcia	Peter A Gomes Jr
James M Grad	Leon H Gutierrez Capt	Melvin C Haus
Mark A Hedington	Kirkley W Igou Plt	Chester J Johnson Jr
Lyn A Johnson	Rodney D Kapule IS	John G Kiefer
Dan J Lee	Anthony J Lemar	Mark E Linehan
James M Martz	Jerry P Mayer	John C McCormack
James P McSherry	John B Mergens Sr Capt	Francis R Mudd
Carlos Najera	Jason E Napier	Khahn D Nguyen
Robert J O'Brien	Thomas J O'Connell	Lloyd J Qually Purs
James A Sheffield N	Edward J Stamm	Henry J Turowski Jr Scrib
Robert Ugarte	Gary R Weber OS	John L Werner
William R Wilson		

The Assembly's special mission is to promote Patriotism by displaying the Flag of our country and thus having it honored on a daily basis. You may have already noticed the new flagpole and flag that has been completed at Holy Spirit Parish. The parish flag pole had not been used for many years. The pole itself was in bad condition due to rust and corrosion. Members of the Father John J Daly Assembly dismantled the pole and removed the rust and corrosion. The pole was repainted and re-installed on its base. The Assembly purchased a new flag and on April 28, 2006, *Old Glory* once again flew over Holy Spirit Parish. A light was installed to illuminate the flag at night. Eleven members participated in this project with over 44 man hours expended.

The members of the John J Daly Assembly look forward to serving Holy Spirit and St John the Baptist parishes.

FR MICHAEL J MCGIVNEY ASSEMBLY 3006 VANCOUVER

An informational meeting for a new assembly in Vancouver was held at 10:00am on Saturday, September 23, 2006 in Vogel Hall at St. Johns Church. The following 4th Degree Knights were in attendance: Dick Baker, Harry Chaffee, Tom Cain, Steven Beachner, Nick Horsky, Bob Wachsmuth, Stephen Holcomb, David Tanner Sr, Greg Georgoff, Eric Haralson, Tom Haralson Jr. and Bill Kerner. Frank Orozco, a future 4th degree member, was also in attendance. The name of the Assembly was chosen as Father Michael J. McGivney and meetings are to be held bi-monthly on the 4th Thursday of the Month at 7:00pm in the Fireside Room at St Johns Church. Steven Beachner was appointed as Color Corps Commander.

Fr. Michael J. McGivney Assembly #3006 was instituted by Master Wayne C Hogan on November 11, 2006 at an exemplification held at St. Joseph Parish in Vancouver. Mr. Hal Westby was the honoree of the exemplification. Mr. Westby has been a long time member of Mother Joseph Assembly and is a past State Deputy and former Supreme Officer. The Assembly was started with 27 transfers and 7 new candidates. The Charter members and officers were as follows:

Clarence Philo Ames Purs	Harold R Chaffee Scrb	Steven J Beachner TR1
James R Bierman	Lavern L Boespflug	Patrick S Bourcier
Thomas W Cain	Ygnacio M Calderon	James R Campbell
Russell J Carpio	Gerald W Cossette	Ronald J Deibert
Alan P Gaudet	Gregory Georgoff Capt	Eric T Haralson IS
Thomas J Haralson Jr OS	John O Hardy	Stephen D Holcomb TR3
Nicholis W Horsky TR2	Sheryl W Kerner Comp	Michael J Lambrecht
Kevin G Millar	Richard J Nicola	Frank Xavier Orozco
Robert K Oser Adm	Father Joseph O'Shea	Rev Armando S Perez Friar
Edward A Rush	Laverne A Saboe	David W Tanner Sr N
Jeremy MW Tanner	Gordon A Tipp	Robert F Wachsmuth Plt
Richard A White	Gerald M Zsenyuk	

MONSIGNOR JOSEPH LUYTEN ASSEMBLY 03041 ELLENSBURG

Monsignor Joseph Luyten Assembly was established on April 30, 2007 by Master Wayne C. Hogan. The council affiliated with the assembly is Fr Parodi Council 1401 in Ellensburg. The charter Navigator and Comptroller were Wally Dillon and Edward Tierney. Sir Knight Dillon worked to establish the assembly in Ellensburg for about five months and personally recruited 14 new members. He and Sir Knight Tierney drove six of the candidates to the Kennewick exemplification on January 20 and three of the candidates to the Burien exemplification on March 31. The remaining five candidates are scheduled to attend the Lakewood exemplification on June 2. These five candidates, along with the 18 listed below will form the charter class:

Kevin L. Berger	Gerald E Bramstedt	David J Camarata
Wallace O. Dillon N	Matthew M Fromherz	Brad W Haberman
William E Haberman	Phillip E Haga	Donald J Jacobs
Eric R Jensvold	James J Johnson	Donald C McPherson
Mark R Nitchman	Rev Maurice F Peterson	Rev Robert M Siler
Michael A Snyder	Robert J Snyder	Edward F Tierney Comp

OUR LADY OF THE UNBORN CHILD ASSEMBLY 03063 CHEWELAH, COLVILLE, DEER PARK, NEWPORT

Our Lady of the Unborn Child Assembly 3063 was instituted on June 29, 2007. The affiliated councils are Chewelah 2155, Deer Park 9721, Colville 12273 and Newport 14268. The assembly was initiated by Steven Roach GK 9721 of Deer Park. He was elected the assembly's Charter Three Year Trustee. The Charter Navigator was Ed Parazoo and the Charter Comptroller, Russ Fletcher.

The closeout date for charter membership was August 1, 2007. The following were the charter members:

Peter Caldwell	Archimedes R Canto	Ramon Canto
Ronald Christian	Patrick P Davidson	Russell N Fletcher Comp
Patrick Geary	Daniel T Hentges	Gerald E Hill
Jonas Hiner	Terry W Hughs	Edward A Kaup
Robert D Kirby	Thomas La Vigne	Dr Paul R Larsen
James V Mach	Robert N Mc Kellar	John J Oien
Hugh P Osborne Jr.	Eddie L Parazoo N	James A Rainey
Joseph Roach TR3	Steven E Roach	Harold E Rothwell
Rupert J Sampson	Rev. Joseph Sullivan	Darrell Lee Wehr
Edward R Ziegman	Edward S Zupich	

JOSEPH R MILLER ASSEMBLY 03095

GRANITE FALLS

Holy Cross Council 13560, located in the small isolated community of Granite Falls is very active and involved in a vibrant parish. The council membership of 67 members boasts 16 fourth degree members. In order to attend assembly meetings and functions in Everett, these Sir Knights had to drive a secondary road that was often dangerous during the late fall and winter. Due to travel hardships, an assembly in Granite Falls was proposed and spear-headed by Past Grand Knight Ed Miller. The assembly was instituted on February 7, 2008 with 19 members. By the end of March, the membership had jumped to 32 members. The Order's fourth degree membership to the total membership is approximately 17% - the fourth degree assembly in Granite Falls represents 48% of the council membership. The charter members and officers are:

James J. Athan	Steven J. Burguer	Bill Clough
Thomas R. Detchemendy	Terry W. Doiron	Robert R Driscoll Plt
Anton C. Erne	Edwin A. Fitch Purs	Judd C. Garner
Paul H. Gassmann TR1	William J. Higgins Adm	William J. Higgins II
Douglas E. Hutter	Antone J. Lopes	Monte H. Marti
Edward W. Miller N	John J. Mooney	Dennis J. Morgan Capt
Paul W. Muma TR3	Rev. John E. Nwanze Friar	Stephan E. Plaisance IS
Thomas M. Quinn	Ignacio A. Saladino	John J. Schenkel
Darrel W. Shefstad OS	Deacon Joseph L. Shriver	Douglas M. Skagen
Harold K. Small Scrib	Anthony M. Van Ginneken	Ernest D. Vigil
Joseph P. Vigil Comp	George B. Whitaker TR2	

Joseph R. Miller was born in Seattle on July 25, 1981 to Edward and Vicki Miller. Joe grew up in Granite Falls where he attended elementary, middle school and high school. Following in his father's footsteps, Joe joined the Knights of Columbus and received his first degree on September 15, 1999 less than two months after his eighteenth birthday. He received his second and third degrees on November 14. Joe was a charter member of Holy Cross Council 13560 in Granite Falls and served as the charter treasurer. He held the office until his death. He received his fourth degree on January 27, 2001 and was a proud member of John F. Kennedy Assembly 1530 in Everett.

Joe was an Eagle Scout and continued to be active in scouting in his adult life. His interest was in law enforcement. He loved to help people. He would always be stopping along the side of the road to help someone change a tire, give them a ride to the gas station for fuel, or help pull their car out of a ditch. He would do these things without wanting any recognition. Many times the people Joe had helped would tell his family what charitable and helpful deeds Joe had done for them and others.

Joe was an active member of Holy Cross Parish in Granite Falls. He loved to greet people at the front of the church - not just his church, but any church he would happen to go to. One observer recalled an occasion when Joe attended mass at St. Pius X Church in Mountlake Terrace. Joe was greeting parishioners when the pastor arrived. The pastor asked Joe, "Do I know you"? Joe said, "No Father, I'm Joe Miller, I live in Granite Falls, Merry Christmas"

Joe's untimely and tragic death on July 1, 2006 was a few weeks before his 25th birthday. His family lost a beloved son, his friends and neighbors lost a caring friend, the Knights of Columbus lost a dedicated fraternal brother and the members of Holy Cross Parish lost a parishioner to welcome them into the house of God.

HOLY TRINITY ASSEMBLY 03097

BREMERTON

The Charter Faithful Navigator is Ivan Weich.

REV HERVEY A VANASSE ASSEMBLY 03106

BUCKLEY

David R. Heldstab, 5/17/10

Reverend Hervey A. Vanasse Assembly 3106 was established on April 2nd, 2008.

This assembly was formed on the advice of Master Wayne C. Hogan due to both Buckley Council 9637 and Enumclaw Council 13364 driving an hour to the nearest Assembly.

On December 15th, 2007 a formation meeting was held at St. Aloysius Church hall and called to order by David Heldstab. Discussed at that first meeting were officers, dues and the name of the Assembly. It was voted and approved by unanimous decision to name the Assembly after long time pastor, father and grandfather, Hervey A. Vanasse.

Fr. Vanasse was ordained in 1977 at the age of 58 after his wife of 35 years of marriage had passed away. As a pastor in Buckley for almost 20 years, Fr. Vanasse was instrumental in forming the Buckley/Enumclaw Council 9637. Before there was a local council, he united Knights throughout the Puget Sound area when work on the church grounds was needed. Much of the work was done by Brother Knights of the Federal Way area where he had served as a priest. Fr. Vanasse was featured in the Columbia magazine where they told the story of how he had asked the Blessed Virgin Mary for a sign and direction in his life. Three days later he was kidnapped, shot, robbed and left for dead in a California desert. They wrote how he forgave the man who shot him and how he helped out that man's family. The article also noted that just 40 days after he became a Deacon, his wife passed away - thus confirming his decision to become a priest. Fr. Vanasse is also known for moving the Buckley Church and while the church was going down the road, was asking permission from the Diocese to move it. Fr. Vanasse is known most for calling Brother Knights to charity, unity, fraternalism and patriotism and was loved by Sir Knights all over the State.

The charter member and officers were as follows:

Rev Ambroise Friar Dan W Carpita

Stuart (James) Devlet OS



**Rev. Hervey Vanasse
Assembly #3106**

Barton Dinwiddie IS	William B Eberlein Purs	Robert J Fetch TR2
David R Heldstab N	Victor J Giglio	Kevin M Jenn'e Comp
Urs E Kesting	James A Libra TR1	John M Magee TR3
Steven G Rodacker	William R Rumpza Capt	Cornelio C Sanchez
Joseph J Schamer Plt	Leroy J Schueller Adm	George A Terhaar Scib

KAROL JOZEF WOJTYLA ASSEMBLY 03111

COLBERT

Pete Caldwell, 4/17/09

The Karol Jozef Wojtyla Assembly is located in Colbert and holds their meeting at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Founded in 2008, membership in April 2009 consists of 40 members. Meetings are held on the first Thursday of the month. Business meetings are held every other month with a social meeting in the intervening months. Socials are held on the second Thursday of the month.

Faithful Color Corps Commander Bob Watkins and his team of Color Corps members received accolades from our Worthy Marshall-West for their display of professionalism at the 4th Degree Exemplification held on March 14th at St. Charles in Spokane. The team had only two hours of training to learn all of the parts it played in the degree. Jason Malone, Del Murray, Roger Devaney, Greg Loberg and Pete Caldwell participated as members of the Degree Color Corps.

The Charter members and officers are:

Mark A. Annis	George E. Baertlein IS	Stephen M. Baker Purs
Richard H. Barrett	Dwane Berens	Dale Blair
Russell Thomas Blake	James L. Bonner	Dean T. Bryans Plt
H. Roy Buck Comp	Peter T. Caldwell FN	Michael F. Chorvat TR
James A. Cox	William M. Cushman	Victor M. Dietz
Thomas J. Dolan	Glen F. Ellsworth	Laudie L. Faiman
Peter D. Griego	John S. Herbison	Richard Jacobs
Charles E. Killian	William H. Kromer	Gregory G. Loberg TR
Charles S. Lovett	Jason C. Malone	Robert A. Marrazzo
Ronald E. Mc Clung	Stephen P. Mc Donald	James A. Mullen C
Delbert S. Murray TR	Donald J. Patchett	John H. Roecker
James Sullivan	Robert K. Watkins	John A. Weidinger
Joseph G. Wienclaw Scrib	Robert A. Williams	Kenneth L. Wise OS

OUR LADY OF THE AMERICAS ASSEMBLY 3123

BOTHELL

Daniel O'Brien FN, 3/1/13

The assembly was instituted by Sir Knight Richard Foudray on June 19, 2008. The councils affiliated with the new assembly are Bothell Council 6686 and Woodinville Council 14046. The charter members were:

Robert Buendia	Kevin Kinsey	Robert Miller
Dennis Copeland	Peter LaDow	Norman Michel
Eugene Daly	Raymond Larpenteur	Christopher Mitchell
Raymond Deck	Gregory Lum	Rev James Northrup Friar
Frank Delino TR3	Patrick Maloney PSD	Daniel O'Brien
Edwin Eugenio	Harry Mathewson TR1	Leo O'Dore TR2
Sanjay Fernandes	Paul Mazzoncini	Robert O'Neal
Richard Foudray FN	Michael McCloskey Purs	William Paulson Capt
Daniel Heidrich Plt	Sidney Mills	Jose Pinedo

Michael Rohr **IS**
Gregory Schmidt **Scrib**
Rev Frank Schuster

Sean Smith
Gregory Steiert **Adm**
Delbert Treichel **Comp**

Ronald Yolk **OS**
Robert Willingham

Our meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month. We serve a free dinner at 6:00 pm – meetings begin at 7:00 pm. All of our programs are directed toward Patriotism.

One of our current programs is to support *Heartbeat for Wounded Warriors*. There is a collection basket in the church for essentials that our wounded men and women could use at Madigan Hospital (Joint Base Lewis McChord) during their recovery. At Christmas, this effort filled 900 stockings. Our Assembly also has a collection basket in church that supports the *Coats for Vets Program*. These coats are delivered to St Martin de Pores Center in Seattle where there are many residents that are homeless veterans and need a warm place to sleep each night.

We proudly issue *Patriotic Service Awards* to veterans from Washington State that received significant recognition for acts of bravery. Two such men are: Thomas James Kinsman – Congressional Medal of Honor – Vietnam War and Leroy Arthur Petry – Congressional Medal of Honor – Afghanistan.

The assembly has a *Sir Knight Sponsor/Mentor Program* to facilitate and welcome new members into activities and programs of the Assembly. Recruiters commit to sponsor or mentor new members for 6 months by providing the following:

- 1) Provide a yearly calendar of events and meetings
- 2) Call to invite them to Assembly Meetings and events
- 3) Provide transportation to events and meetings if needed
- 4) Determine the new Sir Knight's interests and biography information
- 5) Ask the new Sir Knight to help with an upcoming event
- 6) Ensure that new Sir Knight is on the mailing/Calling Post list
- 7) Make new Sir Knights aware of websites for the State and Supreme Councils, and the Knights of Columbus Hall – and to share their email addresses
- 8) Inform new Sir Knight on procedures about:
 - a) How do I volunteer for an event?
 - b) How do I track & report volunteer hours?
 - c) What is the JCM Corporation?
 - d) How do I rent the Knight's Hall?
 - e) If new Sir Knight knows of a prospective new member, help him with The Form 4
 - f) Make sure new Sir Knight gets name to Faithful Comptroller for his Assembly badge.
 - g) What is Heartbeat for Wounded Warriors?
 - h) What is our Memorial Program for Deceased Sir Knights?
 - i) When do we issue Patriotic Service Awards?

The assembly has established a *Memorial Program* to recognize deceased 4th Degree Knights. After much discussion and review of the by-laws established by Knights of Columbus Supreme Council, it was decided that our Assembly would issue a *Memorial Travel Mass Kit* each year in which a member or members of our Assembly has died.

The Travel Mass Kits include: a chalice with cup, paten, host box, sprinkler, oil stock, cruets, crucifix, candles, stole, and altar, hand and finger cloths all contained in a hard sided, durable plastic case with combination lock. The case is engraved with: *Our Lady of the Americas*,

Knights of Columbus Assembly 3123, Bothell, Washington, USA and includes the name(s) of Sir Knights who have passed away during the year. The Kit is presented to a priest, either here or abroad, to be used in his service to Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Priest candidate names are submitted at each January meeting and voted on during February.



HOLY FAMILY ASSEMBLY 3144

CHEHALIS

The assembly was instituted on September 16, 2008 by Sir Knight and Charter Faithful Navigator John Maniccia. The councils affiliated with the new assembly are Chehalis Council 1550 and Centralia Council 1758. Father David Mulholland and many others from both Chehalis and Centralia worked to form the assembly. The charter members are:

C Ivar Anderson	Col Ronald Aubrill	Gary Calkins
Melvin Canfield	Michael DeRenzo	Thomas Healy
Jeffrey Herrin	Stanley Krajewski	John Maniccia
John McKinley III	Rev David Mulholland	Albert Rose
Edward Stanton	Maj Gen William Steinmetz	William Wooton

Sir Knights Averill, Calkins, Canfield, DeRenzo, Healy, Herrin, Krajewski, Maniccia, Fr. Mullholland, Rose, Stanton, Steinmetz and Wooton served as charter officers. The assembly added four new members during its first year of existence and organized an active Color Corp. This was the first new assembly for the 2008-2009 fraternal year under the leadership of Master Wayne C Hogan of Steilacoom.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ASSEMBLY 03183

ARLINGTON

It is both an honor and a pleasure to announce the establishment of our newest assembly, **Immaculate Conception Assembly 3183 in Arlington** on June 18, 2009. I received the great news in a letter from Supreme Master Lawrence Costanzo. The assembly was instituted by Sir Knight William Higgins. The council affiliated with the new assembly is Stillaguamish Council 8015 in Arlington.

District Master Wayne Hogan extends his congratulations to all the sir knights who worked hard to form their own assembly. He offers a special thanks to Sir William Higgins who is a Past Grand Knight of Stillaguamish Council 8015. Four knights from his council received their fourth degree at the exemplification on June 6, 2009 in White Center.

OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY 03187

ISSAQUAH

Our Lady of the Valley Assembly was instituted on June 25, 2009. The councils affiliated with the assembly are Father Anthony McGirl Council 7907 in Issaquah and Mary Queen of Peace Council 9833 in Sammamish. The Charter Faithful Navigator is Sir Knight Eugene Daly. Brother Daly also serves as District Deputy of District 23.

ST CECELIA ASSEMBLY 03223

STANWOOD

Matt F Jarolimek, 7/22/10

Thirty-three members of Camano-Stanwood Council 8476 and St Cecilia Parish in Stanwood were members of John F Kennedy Assembly 1530 in Everett. Because members had to commute over 35 miles to attend assembly meetings, activity in the assembly was difficult.

At one of the Camano-Stanwood Council meetings, PGK and Sir Knight Donald R Maile suggested that we look into starting our own 4th Degree Assembly at St. Cecilia Parish. Permission to poll area members for an interest in starting a new Assembly was granted by council Grand Knight Larry M Shaw. Don contacted the local 4th Degree membership by phone and received a very favorable response. He followed the telephone survey with a letter containing a Form 4. The return was phenomenal - all but 3 completed applications for entry into a new local assembly were received.

At the following meeting an election of Officers was held. During the exemplification of four new candidates in Bellingham on February 27, 2010, Matt F Jarolimek presented the '*Intent to Establish a 4th Degree Assembly*' application to Master, Karl A Hadley and Vice Supreme Master Wayne C Hogan.

On March 18, 2010, Vice Supreme Master, Wayne C Hogan received notice that approval for the establishment of St. Cecilia Assembly 3223 in Stanwood, had been granted by the Supreme Council Committee on Charters. With the establishment of the new assembly, members from Camano-Stanwood Council 8476 were detached from the assembly in Everett. Charter Faithful Navigator, Peter Van Wagnen and Charter Faithful Comptroller, Matt F Jarolimek received the Charter from Master Karl A Hadley at the Washington State District meeting in Sammamish on April 17, 2010.

St Cecelia Assembly was started with a total of 34 members. Below is a list of the charter members and officers:

Adler, Charles E OS	Donohue, John F	Mulinski, Don M IS
Allen, Dennis E Jr. Purs	Fossum, Raymond O	Parker, Bernard W
Barson, Richard J	Groze, Edward H III Plt	Poncini, Fr Laurence J Friar
Bloom, Alexander	<i>Hewitson, Gene T TR3</i>	Schmidt, Reinhold
Buckley, John T TR1	Higgins, Dennis A	Shaw, Larry M Capt
Cartee, Jack L Adm	Huber, Robert J	Thomas, William (Brick) W
Chavarrie, Richard C Serb	Jarolimek, Matthias F Comp	Van Wagnen, Peter P N
Cloninger, Allen W	Jomoc, Florito F Sr.	Vogel, Herman A
Cloninger, Gary W	Konnerup, Christopher N	White, Daniel J
Davis, Alan R	Lindsay, Dennis M	Williams, Fr Matthew OCD
DeArman, Michael D	Loftus, Patrick J	
Devine, James P	Maile, Donald R TR2	

Charter member Alexander Bloom died on March 30, 2010 – the Assembly's first death. Recently, the assembly held its first Spaghetti Dinner - netting over \$500.00 towards the purchase of Assembly jewels.

On March 18, 2010, FN Peter Van Wagnen appointed Matt Jarolimek Honor Guard Commander. Matt had served the Everett Assembly as Commander since 1990 and as Faithful Comptroller since 1992. Assembly Meetings are held at Fr. Michael J McGivney Hall, 26900 - 78th Ave NW in Stanwood on the third Tuesday of each month. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.

ST THOMAS MORE ASSEMBLY 03283 SPOKANE

St Thomas More Assembly was instituted on March 30, 2011 by charter Faithful Navigator Gene Coffey. The charter Faithful Comptroller is Larry Annis. Members of St Thomas More Council 11134 are associated with the new assembly.

PUYALLUP ASSEMBLY 03351 PUYALLUP

Puyallup Assembly 3351 was instituted on May 10, 2012 by Eugene Daly and charter Faithful Navigator Philip Clingan. The charter members include:

Gerald Boardway	Gregory D Gallagher	Timothy L Murray
Mark J Busch	Philip J Heinzman	Rev Matthew L O'Leary
Rev Francisco J Cancino	Virgil G Hulsey	Joseph Rempe
Dean Carmichael	Nathan M Kane	Brian J Ricard
Russell W Clary	Jerry L Keller Sr	Steven L Rossignol
Philip D Clingan	Ronald D Kriese	Matthew J Wanchena
Eugene E Daly	Andrew A LaBrecque	Donald P Wells
Edward J Dobbs	Louis A Matej	Joseph Wilson
Kevin M Foster	Leroy J Mudd	
Anthony Freel	Martin F Mulvey	

ST CHARLES BORROMEEO ASSEMBLY 03381**TACOMA**

On December 28, 2012, the Committee on Charters (Supreme Council) approved the establishment of St. Charles Borromeo Assembly 3381, Tacoma, Washington.

The council affiliated with this assembly is St. Charles Borromeo Council 13238, Tacoma. With the establishment of this new assembly, the above-mentioned council will be detached from Archbishop Thomas J. Murphy Assembly 2685, Lakewood.

The institution date will be ratified at the next Supreme Board of Directors meeting.

HOLY SPIRIT ASSEMBLY 03385**KENNEWICK**

On January 17, 2013, the Committee on Charters approved the establishment of Holy Spirit Assembly No. 3385, Kennewick, Washington.

The council affiliated with this assembly is Holy Spirit Council No. 10653, Kennewick. With the establishment of this new assembly, the above-mentioned council will be detached from Father William A. Schmitz Assembly No. 2258.

The institution date will be ratified at the next Board of Directors meeting.

ST JOAN OF ARC ASSEMBLY 03398**SOUTH SEATTLE**

Instituted on April 4, 2013, at St George Parish by Master Eugene Daly

EXEMPLIFICATION HONOREES

October 28, 2006; Bellevue - Sacred Heart School, 9450 NE 14th St, Bellevue 98004

Host- Rev William J Power Assembly 1630

Honorees - Jay Quinn PGK and Carl Anderson, Sr. PGK, PFN, FDD

November 11, 2006; Vancouver- St Joseph Parish, 400 S Andresen Rd, Vancouver 98661

Host - Vancouver-Bishop Aegidius Junger Assembly 2259

Honoree - Harold 'Hal' Westby PSD, FSW

January 20, 2007; Kennewick - St Joseph Parish, 520 S Garfield, Kennewick 99336

Host- Fr William A Schmitz Assembly 2258,

Honoree - John St Hilaire PGK, PFN, FDD

February 17, 2007; Bellingham - Church of the Assumption Parish, 2116 Cornwall Ave, Bellingham 98225

Host-San Juan Assembly 1176

Honoree - William L Maris PGK, PFN, FDD

March 31, 2007; Burien - St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 15226 21st Ave SW, Burien 98166

Host-Fr John A Walsh Assembly 2376

Honoree - George C Turk PSD, FVSM

April 28, 2007; Spokane Valley - St John Vianney, 503 N Walnut Rd, Spokane Valley 99206

Host-John J Mertens Assembly 2414

Honoree - Thomas L Weber PSD

June 2, 2007; Lakewood - St John Bosco Parish, 10508 112th St SW, Lakewood, 98498

Host-Archbishop Thomas J Murphy Assemby 2685

Honoree - Horace Suinn PGK, PFN, FDD

October 20, 2007; Bremerton - Holy Trinity Parish, 4215 Pine Road NE, Bremerton

Host - Monsignor Joseph Camerman Assemby 1540

Honoree - David C Tufts FS, Former Columbus Charities Chairman

November 17, 2007; Bothell - St Brendan School, 10100 NE 192nd St, Bothell

Host - Archbishop Ton Connolly Assembly 1707

Honoree - Edward Caballero FSA, FDD, PGK, PFN, St Special Olympics Ch

March 1, 2008; Everett - Everett Naval Station, 2000 West Marine View Drive, Everett

Host - John F Kennedy Assembly 1530

Honoree - Matt F Jarolimek PGK, FC, FS

March 29, 2008; Walla Walla - Knights of Columbus Hall, 124 S 7th St, Walla Walla

Host - Father Brouillet Assembly 1169

Honoree - Gary Soehnlein FDD, PGK, PFN

April 26, 2008; Spokane – Spokane Council 683 Hall, 302 E Boone Ave, Spokane

Host - Bishop C. White Assembly 1539

Honoree - Douglas Jones FDD, PGK, PFN

May 3, 2008; Vancouver – St John the Evangelist, 8701 NE 119th St, Vancouver
Host – Fr Michael J McGivney Assembly 3006
Honoree – Sheryl (Bill) Kerner PGK, PFN, Charter FC

May 31, 2008; Ellensburg - St Andrew Church, 401 S Willow St, Ellensburg
Host -Monsignor Joseph Luyten Assembly 3041
Honoree - Wallace Dillon Charter FN

June 21, 2008; Federal Way - St Vincent De Paul, 30525 Ave S, Federal Way
Host - Bishop Thomas E Gill Assembly 1955
Honoree - Bob Dahl FDD, PGK, PFN

November 22, 2008; Bothell, St Brendan School, 10100 NE 192nd St, Bothell
Host - Our Lady of the Americas Assembly 3123
Honoree - Eugene J. Brown FDD, PGK, FS, Faithful Captain

February 21, 2009; Oak Harbor, St. Augustine Church 185 N Oak Harbor St, Oak Harbor
Host - Whidbey-Fidalgo Assembly 2276
Honoree - Jack Newman FMFD, FDD, PGK, PFN

March 14, 2009; Spokane, St. Charles Parish Center, 4515 N Alberta, Spokane
Host - Karol Jozef Wojtyla Assembly 3111
Honoree - Robert Grandinetti FDD, PGK, PFN

Mar 28, 2009; Vancouver, Our Lady of Lourdes, 4723 NW Franklin St, Vancouver
Host - Mother Joseph Assembly 1178
Honoree - John Rowley FDD, PGK, PFN

April 18, 2009; Kennewick, Holy Spirit Church, 7409 W Clearwater Ave, Kennewick
Host - Fr. William A. Schmitz Assembly 2258
Honorees - Bob Spinler PGK, PFN; Mike Spinler PGK, PFN; and Jeff Spinler, Treasurer

June 6, 2009; White Center (Seattle), Holy Family Church, 9615 20th Ave SW, White Center
Host - Fr. John A. Walsh Assembly 2376
Honoree – Ernie Oliver FDD, PGK, PFN, Washington Family of the Year, Washington Knight of the Year

November 14, 2009; St Brendan School, Bothell; Honoree – Fr James Northup

February 27, 2010; Assumption Parish, Bellingham; Honoree – Fr K. Scott Connolly

March 6, 2010; Knights of Columbus Hall, Richland; Honoree – Fr John Birk

May 8, 2010; St Joseph Parish, Vancouver; Honoree – Fr Joseph O’Shea, Former State Chaplain

June 5, 2010; Seattle Council 676, Seattle; Honoree – Archbishop Alexander Brunett

June 26, 2010; Spokane Council 683, Spokane; Honoree – Bishop William Skylstad

November 13, 2010; Holy Family Parish, Kirkland; Honoree – Glen Rollman

February 26, 2011; Naval Station, Everett; Honoree – Archbishop J. Peter Sartain

March 19, 2011; Holy Family Parish, Yakima; Honoree – Bishop Carlos Sevilla

April 9, 2011; Sacred Heart Parish, Lacey; Honoree – Ed Sauley

May 21, 2011; Holy Family Parish, Auburn; Honoree – Tony Robinson

June 11, 2011; St John Vianney Parish, Spokane; Honoree – Tom Sokol

November 5, 2011; Bothell; Honoree – PSD Patrick Maloney

February 18, 2012; Oak Harbor; Honoree – FMFD Henry Therrien

March 17, 2012; Kennewick; Honoree – PSD John Walker

April 14, 2012; Lakewood; Honoree – IPSD John Wallace

May 5, 2012; Spokane; Honoree – FMFD/PSD Ed Mertens

June 2, 2012; Vancouver; Honoree – Duane Vincent

June 24, 2012; Lakewood; Honoree – VSM Wayne Hogan

(special for Fr DeoGratias Malewa of Tanzania, plus 7 others, so should probably honor Wayne at a regular exemplification later)

June 2013; Colbert; Honoree – E. Stanley Bauer

Chapter VI



THE COLUMBIAN SQUIRES

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THE COLUMBIAN SQUIRES

In the 1922 and 1923 Supreme Council Meetings the idea of a junior Order that "will serve to unite, entertain, and safeguard the Catholic boys in America" was first recorded. Bishop Thomas J. Walsh of Trenton, New Jersey addressed the convention urging them to emulate the Trenton Knights and others that contributed to the development of Catholic recreation centers in his diocese. "If the Knights of Columbus will take care of the growing boy...then the boy grown into manhood will take care not only of the Knights of Columbus, but of the Church and the nation as well."

Six state councils had submitted resolutions calling for a junior branch of the K. of C. This resulted in a Supreme Council resolution endorsing the proposal. The Supreme Board appointed a Committee on Boy Movement, chaired by Deputy Supreme Knight Carmody.

The committee sent questionnaires to each council; tabulated the results; met with Knights and others involved with youth work and met with Brother Barnabas McDonald, a Christian Brother who had gained a national reputation for his pioneering efforts with delinquents, orphans and other youths. The result of this meeting on June 11, 1923 was the recommendation that the Order establish within its structure a junior organization of boys between the ages of 14 and 18, that each council decide on the sponsorship of this youth organization and that the approval of the ordinary be secured before introducing it into any diocese. This was approved by the Supreme Council meeting in Montreal.

Brother Barnabas established a leadership training program but was concerned about the lack of professionally trained leaders in the field. At his urging the Order awarded graduate scholarships for pursuit of M.A. degrees in child guidance. After two years of preliminary planning the first Squires Circle was instituted in Duluth, Minnesota. By 1940 there were about 250 circles within the Order. As of June 30, 1989 there were 20,894 young men active in 915 active circles.

There have been a total of 17 circles in this state but only three remain active. The common theme seems to have been that the circles remain active as long as the adult Knights of Columbus counsellors are active and enthused. Inevitably, the counsellors become weary and the circle withers. It is essential that new adult counsellors be recruited and trained while the current counsellors are still fresh and enthused. This is one lesson that can be learned from history. See below for a listing of all Circle numbers assigned with dates of institution and council numbers.

WASHINGTON COLUMBIAN SQUIRES STATE CIRCLE

In 2001, near the end of his second term as state deputy, State Deputy Fred Abraham submitted a request for the formation of a State Circle. The State Chairman spearheading the establishment of a State Circle was Matt Jarolimek from Camano-Stanwood Council 8476. The first State Squires Convention was held on April 20, 2002 at Seattle Council 676. Wayne Hogan was State Deputy and was in attendance. The newly elected and charter State Chief Squire, Nicholas Scholz attended the 99th State Convention later that year.

Attending the first Columbian Squires Convention were: Wayne C. Hogan, State Deputy; his wife, Lori; Father Derek Lappe, State Father Prior; Karl Hadley, State Treasurer; John Walker, State Advocate, and his wife Tess; Andrew Kraemer, State Warden; Fred J. Abraham, Immediate Past State Deputy and his wife Chris; Everett J. Roberts, PSD; William O'Brien, Supreme Program Consultant for Squires; F. Raymond Egan, District Deputy, District 1; Jim Miles, District Deputy, District 12; Jack Cartee, District Deputy, District 13; Eddie Parazoo, District Deputy, District 20; Wayne D. Miller, Squires and Youth Chairman and Squires Convention Chairman; Don Heins, Publicity Chairman; John Williams, State Webmaster; Wes Duffield, Grand Knight, Seattle Council 676 and Convention Host; Eugene Brown, Grand Knight Everett Council 763; David Baqui, Grand Knight Marysville Council 7863; Ralph Hyneman,

Faithful Navigator of James Shields Assembly 1168 and the Commander of the Color Corps; Joe Ferlong, Former District Deputy; Ron Schulz, Field Agent; Mathew Drake, State Chief Squire from British Columbia; Larry Sabroski, Oregon Squires Chairman along with Squires Counselors and Squires from Oregon; plus knights, Squires, and family members from around the state. There were over 75 attending this historic convention.

Ralph Hyneman, Faithful Navigator was the Color Corps Commander for the presentation of the colors. The Knights of Auburn Council 3598 provided the lunch and the Knights of Federal Way Council 7528 provided the dinner. The convention Mass was held at St. James Cathedral. The newly elected State Squires Officers were the gift bearers at the Mass. The elected Charter Columbian Squires State Officers were: Nicholas Scholz, State Chief Squire from Auburn/Federal Way; Cameron Soran, State Deputy Chief Squire from Gig Harbor; Robert McKellar, State Notary from Chewelah/Colville; Jacob Ferong, State Bursar from Auburn/Federal Way; Dillon Thorpe, State Marshall from Chewelah/Colville; and Josh Markwith, State Sentry from Auburn/Federal Way

On April 12, 2003, the 2nd annual meeting of the Washington State Columbian Squires Circle was held at St Vincent de Paul Parish in Federal Way. Federal Way Council #7528 hosted the event. The State Father Prior is Rev. Derek Lappe from St. Thomas in Camas. The State Squires Officers chosen for the year were: State Chief Squire Josh Markwith from Federal Way/Auburn; State Deputy Chef Squire Thomas McLaughlin from Lynnwood; State Bursar Justin Willis from Federal Way/Auburn; State Notary Gregory Nakata from Federal Way/Auburn; State Sentry Kevin Parazoo from Colville/Chewelah; and State Marshall Jordan Dodge from Lynnwood.

The 3rd State Squires Convention was held Saturday, April 24, 2004 at St. Thomas More Parish in Lynnwood.



Chief Squire – Thomas McLaughlin; Deputy Chief Squire – Jordon Dodge; Marshall – Sean McLaughlin; Notary – Matt Leen; Bursar – Brett Renville; Pole Captain – James Oliver; and Arm Captain – Evan Dodge. Following the investiture, State Chief Squire, Josh Markwith of the Auburn/Federal Way Circle #5411 opened the convention.

Six circles were present, Everett/Marysville #2353, Lynnwood, #2666, Camino-Stanwood, #3545, Auburn/Federal Way #4571, Colville and the state's newest circle, Shoreline. Ed Parazoo, State Youth and Squires Chairman, was the advisor for the State Council. The first order of new business was election of the 2004-2005 officers. The balloting was spirited, going to six ballots for some offices. Your new State Squire Officers are: State Chief Squire Allan Cloninger Camino-Stanwood; State Deputy Chief Squire Zach Markwith Auburn/Federal Way; State Bursar Nathan Keiffer Shoreline; State Notary Matt Leen Lynnwood; State Marshal Thomas McLaughlin Lynnwood; State Sentry Jordan Dodge Lynnwood

The 4th annual Squires convention convened on Saturday April 24, 2005 in Lynnwood at St. Thomas More Parish. The Convention started first with an investiture of 10 new Squires. The Investiture Team from St John Newman Circle #2666 conducted the ceremony. Following the investiture, the meeting was called to order by State Chief Squire Allan Cloninger from Camano Stanwood. Two new circles for the State of Washington were introduced – a Circle from Colville and a Circle from Edmonds. These circles are still so new that they do not as of yet have a number assigned to them. They were welcomed to the convention by all in attendance.

Lynnwood Council 5816 hosted the convention. Prior to the opening of the convention, an investiture for 11 new Squires was conducted. The investiture team was from the St. John Neuman Circle #2666.

The team members were: Chief

Elections for the new State Squires Officers were held. The following Squires were elected to serve as State officers for the next fraternal year: Chief Squire - Nick Montanari (from Lynnwood Circle #2666); Deputy Chief Squire - Mike Potter (from Federal Way Circle #4571); Notary - Nate Markwith (from Federal Way Circle #4571); Bursar - Zach Markwith (from Federal Way Circle #4571); Marshal - Evan Dodge (from Lynnwood Circle #2666); and Sentry - Sean McLaughlin (from Lynnwood Circle #2666).



Other business conducted included voting on modification to the State Squires By-laws, and the selection for the next year's Convention. The delegation voted to accept the bid from the new Circle at Holy Rosary in Edmonds as host for the 2006 5th Annual Convention. Installation of the new State Squires Officers was held in the evening following Mass and a Convention Banquet. State Treasurer John Walker and State Advocate John Wallace were there to help Squires Chairmen Ed Parazoo and Keith Klaus in the installation ceremony. During the day, the Squires keep themselves quite busy by playing basketball, football and eating the fine fair that was put out by the Host Council Lynnwood Knights 5816.

On April 22, 2006 the 5th annual Squires Convention was held in Edmonds. Brother

Keith Klaus, State Squires Chairman (West) and Mother Teresa Council #12591 in Edmonds hosted the convention. William O'Brien, Supreme Columbian Squires Program Coordinator, was again in attendance. He commented on how much the organization has grown from our initial State



meeting only 5 years ago. An investiture to initiate new Squires into the program was held.

One third of the State Squire membership was in attendance. Ed Parazoo, State Squires Chairman (East), many of the counselors, host and visiting knights and the State Officers were in attendance. The Bremerton - John McGannon Circle is expected to be instituted in the near future - one of their members was invested at the meeting. Federal Way was selected as the location of the 2007 State Squires Convention to be held on April 27. The new State Squire Officers are: State Chief Squire, Nate Markwith from Auburn/Federal Way; State Deputy Chief Squire, Nick Montanari from Lynnwood ; State Bursar, Curtis Maile from Camano-Stanwood; State Notary, James Lezcano from Auburn/Federal Way; State Marshall, Andrew Potter from Auburn/Federal Way; and State Sentry, Zack Markwith from Auburn/Federal Way.

The 6th Annual Meeting was held in Federal Way on April 21, 2007. Grand Knight



Michael Fay and the Knights from St. Joseph's Council #7528 Federal Way hosted a fine event! The food was wonderful! An Investiture ceremony was held at the beginning of the meeting. Congratulations and welcome to the new Squires. Five circles participated in the meeting with nearly 1/3 of the State Squire membership in attendance - along with all Counselors. In addition, many of our Brother Knights, and State Officers attended. The newly elected officers are: Chief Squire Nate Markwith, Deputy Chief Squire Chris Powell, Bursar Gavin Voelckers, Notary James Lezcano, Marshall Danny Vogt and Sentry Ryan Bagnell. A new circle in Issaquah is expected to be formed later this summer.

CIRCLE HISTORIES

In the local histories and biographies that follow, the charter offices are abbreviated as below:

Chief Squire (CS)	Deputy Chief Squire (DCS)	Notary (N)
Bursar (B)	Sentry (Sentry)	Marshall (M)
Arm Captain (AC)	Pole Captain (PC)	

MID COLUMBIA SQUIRES CIRCLE 3335

TRI CITIES

Mid Columbia Squires Circle 3335 was invested on November 17, 1984 by Guardian Angel Squires Circle 3164 of Renton. Rod Hanks was the first Chief Counsellor. The charter members and officers were:

David Beaudry CS	Michael Baldwin	James Cheney
Erick Duchene B	Mark Garner	Robert Hanks
Darrell Henn Jr	Lance Holman	Mike Littleton
Sean Meagher	Jeff Nelson	John Perez
Robert Peters	Gary Petersen	Shawn Powers
Richard Soehnlein	Ben St Hilaire DCS	John E St Hilaire
James Sullivan	John Sullivan	Scott Whitman N

This circle has been quite active in a number of areas. They have attended and served as runners at the State Convention. They travelled approximately 300 miles to invest St Cecelia Circle 3545 at Camano-Stanwood on April 4, 1987. Several members have 'graduated' from the squires into the Knights. These include David Beaudry and Ben St Hilaire.

ST. CECELIA SQUIRES CIRCLE 3545

CAMANO-STANWOOD

This circle was invested on April 4, 1987 by the Mid-Columbia Squires Circle. It was organized by Matt Jarolimek. State Deputy George C Turk was present at the investiture. The charter members and officers were:

Mike Aliaga	Shane Ceib	John Clay CS
Harry A Emerson	Mark Herrgesell	Matthew Hodge
Charles Hubbard	Greg Johnston	Konan Luce
Sean Whitcomb DCS		

FATHER ADRIAN VAN DER HAYDEN SQUIRES CIRCLE 3754

WALLA WALLA

This circle was invested on January 18, 1990 by the Mid Columbia Squires Circle 3335. It was organized by Rick Magnaghi, the first Chief Counselor. In attendance were Washington State Officers, Chuck McLean and Tom Weber. The charter members and officers were:

Andrew Baffney	Donny Biggi M	Tony Chaney
Bill Chase AC	Ryan Dickey B	Patrick Graham CS
Greg Heinzman	Randy Herman	Michael Hooker PC
Anthony Lapke	Jesse Lopez	Kevin Magnaghi DCS
Cameron Pearson	Jason Richard	Joe Toppano
Travis Williams		

HOLY APOSTLES SQUIRES CIRCLE 4808

EAST WENATCHEE

In March 2003, a new Squires Circle was formed in East Wenatchee with the investiture of ten boys. The investiture team consisted of Squires from the Circles in Stanwood and Federal Way.

Accompanying the investiture team were State Youth and Squires Chairman Wayne Miller, Squires Counselor Matt Jarolimek and State Chief Squire Nicholas Schulz. East Wenatchee Council's Grand Knight Deacon Bill Loranger was instrumental in forming Washington's newest Squires Circle.



CAMAS SQUIRES CIRCLE 5122

CAMAS

On Sunday, January 21, 2007 the State Squires Officers conducted an investiture for 23 new Columbian Squires. The investiture was conducted at Fr. Blanchet Council 2999 Camas/Washougal and was one of the largest classes in State history. The class became the charter members of a new Circle in Camas sponsored by Fr Blanchet Council 2999. Circle 5122 was formally chartered during March of 2007. The Chief Counselor was Daniel Chase. Below lists the charter members:

Jared T. Borja	Timothy R. Branson	Jimmy E. Connell
Ricardo E. Diaz Perez	John Doyle	Noah D. Enke
John G. Hyder	Mark N. Hyder	Joseph Kashas
Anthony Kern	Brandon L. King	Keith C. Kuzis
Henry L. Midles	Robert J. Nelson	Nathaniel B. Paugeluan
Christopher P. Powell	Scott J. Powell	Sean Powell
Luke J. Sonderen	John M. Steinke	Andrew D. Wareham
Tino G. Waters	Davis K. Zepponi	

VINCE LOMBARDI CIRCLE 5421

OLYMPIA

On Saturday, March 12, 2011, St. Cecilia Squires Circle 3545 of Stanwood held an Investiture of 11 young boys from St. Michael's Parish in Olympia and for Fr. Nicholas Rausch, OSB Council 1643 of Olympia. We welcome the new Squires and Counselors to the Columbian Squires Family of Washington. We wish them great success for many years to come.

Thanks are extended to Matt F. Jarolimek, State Squires Chairman, GK Ronald D. DeGroot and especially Chief Counselor, Jered Boyd and three other Counselors for the outstanding effort in recruiting and instituting this new Circle.

ST CHARLES CIRCLE 5649

SPOKANE

Supreme Council confirmed a new Columbian Squires Circle # 5649 in Spokane sponsored by St. Charles Council # 8137. Grand Knight: Manuel R. Agullar and Chief Counsellor, John M. Hoffman.

TIMELINE OF CIRCLES ESTABLISHED

CIRCLE NUMBER	CIRCLE NAME	LOCATION COUNCIL	Investiture DATE	INACTIVE
42	Edward Connor	Seattle 676		1-1-39
122	Stella Maris	Bremerton 1379		6-6-74
214	None	Hoquiam 1674		Inactive
228	Shamrock	Olympia 1643		3-24-41
271	Olympian	Pt Angeles 2260		3-20-41
778	St Pius X	Richland 3307		2-11-63
1654	St Dismas	Spokane 683		6-28-85
1910	John E O'Brien	Oak Harbor 3361		3-31-69
2019	St George	Vancouver 1327		2-3-70
2352	Jasper W Kennedy	Lakewood 4322		4-9-86
2353	Robert F Kennedy	Everett 763		6-30-79
2390	Poulsbo	Poulsbo 8297		Inactive
2666	Bishop John Neuman	Lynnwood 5816		6-30-84
2777	Our Lady Queen of Heaven	Spanaway 6806		4-27-87
3097	St Joseph	Ephrata 3153		6-30-86
3164	Guardian Angel	Renton 3645		4-9-86
3335	Mid Columbian	Kennewick 8179	11/17/84	Inactive
3545	St Cecelia	Camano-Stanwood 8476	4/4/87	
3754	Fr Adrian Van Der Hayden	Walla Walla 766	1/18/90	Inactive
4196	St Gabriel	Port Orchard 6706		Inactive
4526	St Joseph	Vancouver 4782		Inactive
4571	Apostle	Auburn/Fed Way 3598/7528		
4612	Anacortes	Anacortes 3611		
4750	St Nicholas	Gig Harbor 9238		
4808	Holy Apostles	East Wenatchee 13186	3/2003	
4855	Crusaders for Christ	Shoreline 11217		
4956	Immaculate Conception	Colville 12273		
5032	St John of the Cross	Edmonds 12591		
5122	Camas	Camas 2999	1/21/07	
5321	Eastside	Issaquah 7907		
5369	Holy Family	Auburn 3598		
5421	Olympia	Olympia 1643	3/12/11	
5649	St Charles	St Charles 8137	4/5/13	

"ACTIVE" SQUIRES CIRCLES AND MEMBERSHIP - 4/1/07:

2353	Everett	9	4808	East Wenatchee	5
2666	Lynnwood	23	4855	Shoreline	7
3545	Stanwood	11	4956	Colville	12
4526	Vancouver	0	5032	Edmonds	9
4571	Federal Way	4	5122	Camas	23
4750	Gig Harbor	14			

WASHINGTON STATE COLUMBIAN SQUIRES - CONVENTIONS & OFFICERS

YEAR	CONVENTION	CHIEF SQUIRE	DEPUTY CHIEF SQUIRE	BURSAR	NOTARY	MARSHALL	SENTRY
2002	Seattle 676	Nicholas Scholz	Cameron Soran	Jacob Ferong	Robert McKellar	Dillon Thorpe	Josh Markwith
2003	Federal Way	Josh Markwith	Tom McLaughlin	Justin Willis	Gregory Nakata	Jordan Dodge	Kevin Parazoo
2004	Lynnwood	Allan Cloninger	Zach Markwith	Nathan Keiffer	Matt Leen	Tom McLaughlin	Jordan Dodge
2005	Lynnwood	Nick Montanari	Mike Potter	Zach Markwith	Nate Markwith	Evan Dodge	Sean McLaughlin
2006	Edmonds	Nate Markwith	Nick Montanari	Curtis Mail	James Lezcano	Andrew Potter	Zack Markwith
2007	Federal Way	Nate Markwith	Chris Powell	Gavin Voelckers	James Lezcano	Danny Vogt	Ryan Bagnell
2008	Federal Way	Nate Markwith	Chris Powell	Gavin Voelckers	James Lezcano	Danny Vogt	P. J. D'Angelo
2009	Stanwood	Gavin Voelckers	Curtis Maile		Matthew Murphy		Gabriel Luna
2010	Stanwood	Kyle A. Discher	Cullen Steele	J. J. Ortega	Patrick Hodgins	Curtis Maile	Gabriel Luna
2011	Auburn	Kyle A. Discher	Matthew Murphy	J. J. Ortega	Patrick Hodgins	Sergio Velasco	Dillon P Walsh
2012	Auburn	Kyle A. Discher	Matthew Murphy	Brendon Malloy	Aidan Steele	Mark A. Zietz	Cullen Steele
2013	Auburn	Jonah Markwith	John Czaplewski	Brendon Malloy	Ryan Angelot	Paul Czaplewski	Noah Werner

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THE RELIGIOUS INFORMATION BUREAU

The Religious Information Bureau began at the instigation of Bishop Shaughnessy of Seattle and Bishop White of Spokane in 1944. The concept was to produce ads conveying truths of our religion and offering further information and instruction by mail. This was known at the time as the Narberth Program. After much groundwork, the plan was presented to the Grand Knights at a meeting in Wenatchee on September 17, 1944. At the following State Convention held at Aberdeen on May 29, 1945, a resolution was passed in which the State Council endorsed and approved the Narberth Program and instructed State Deputy John Soule to take the necessary steps to formulate a plan to be submitted to individual councils for their consideration. At another meeting of the Grand Knights called by State Deputy Soule a definite program to publish the Narberth articles with the State Deputy to secure the approval of the individual councils.

During succeeding months 22 councils approved the plan and a committee consisting of Supreme Director Stephen A. Cain and the six District Deputies was appointed to raise the funds and to promote the program. Funds on a voluntary basis were raised and enough money received to start the publication on March 17, 1946 in the papers of Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Aberdeen, Vancouver, Yakima, Wenatchee and Walla Walla. At the Walla Walla Convention on May 31, 1948 a resolution was passed setting up the program in the form that it maintained until it was ended in 1984. A resolution each year from 1948 through 1958 was passed setting a 'voluntary' assessment of \$1.50/member per year for RIB. This voluntary assessment continued at \$1.50/year until 1971 when Resolution 5 added it to the bylaws as section (d) of Article X.

By 1954, \$87,803.76 and an estimated 2600 volunteer hours per year had been expended by the program. The figures quoted in the 1954 report were that 2500 letters had been received and nearly 1,000 enrolled in a program of religious instruction. Total cash expenditures over the life of the program were \$567,573.23.

In 1969 a Good of the Order Committee (now all PSD's for the first time) met October 12, 1968 and had an extensive report (pages 5-8 of the Proceedings). At the State Deputy's request, they reviewed the RIB to determine whether 1) The program should continue at its present level or, 2) Should the program be discontinued and the funds diverted to another program of equal importance or; 3) should the level or purposes of the program be modified to present day demands?

Upon checking with the Bishops the status was that Bishops Topel and Daugherty had heard of the RIB but felt insufficiently informed to judge. Archbishop Connolly stated that the program should be continued. Statistics were 100-150 replies per month from the Seattle Replies Committee; 15-20 from Spokane and no statistics from the Richland Committee. Another committee was recommended to the State Deputy to compare our program with Supreme's and updating our articles. At the Pt Angeles Convention on May 17, 1969 they met again finding that the Bishops were now all in favor of continuing the RIB program and that the articles had been updated. They recommended continuing the program in its then present form.

In 1970, Resolution 3 was passed to suspend RIB for one year and to divert its funds for that period to combat the Abortion bill in the Legislature subject to the approval of the Bishops.

In 1972 Article X was further modified by Resolution 13 which placed the RIB funds back under the State Officers control for disbursements. Previously RIB had its own financial statement.

In 1974, the State Council adopted Substitute Resolution #2 which directed the State RIB to divert half of their advertising budget to Pro-Life advertising in Washington newspapers.

In 1975-77 there is no mention by resolution or either the State RIB or RTL chairmen or in the State Officers reports of this in any way.

In the 1978 report of the RIB Chairman there is note that on May 8, 1977 the first Ad for the 77-78 year was "If we Legalize the Killing of the Unborn, Will Any of Us be Safe?" followed by "Is Man Only a Naked Ape".

In the 1979 Proceedings neither the State Deputy, RIB or RTL chairmen referred to the Pro-Life Ads but Resolution 6 refers to duplication of ads and lack of human life information being disseminated and Resolution 7 recommended the RIB Program being made voluntary. Both resolutions were defeated.

It should be noted that during the years since the program was begun, the Supreme Council had been publishing similar ads and that the state RIB program by now was using ads prepared by the Supreme Council program. Sometimes, ads identical except for the return mailing address (State vs Supreme Council) would appear in the same issue of a paper. This explains the reference to 'duplication of ads' in this resolution.

In 1982, the Resolutions Committee brought up Resolution 8 with a recommendation for NO ACTION. This resolution recommended suspension of RIB and the establishment of a study committee to make recommendations to the 1983 Convention.

In 1983, as in 1982, mention is made by the State Deputy of K of C visibility and participation in the March for Life in Olympia. State Deputy John Klein noted in his report that he had suspended RIB activities in August 1982 after conferring with the hierarchy; had appointed a Committee of Tom Herres, PSD Tony Weza and Msgr Pautler and their report was to be presented at that convention. It was on a motion by a delegate and approved by the vote of the State Council that the Research Committee was continued with instructions to report at the Summer Meeting and that the State Council maintain its suspension until a consensus was agreed upon.

At the Summer Meeting, which is not a Legislative Meeting, the Committee did report and recommended that the printed advertising program be discontinued in favor of TV advertising. State Chaplain Bishop Skylstad spoke in favor of this. Those in attendance, in response to State Deputy Hector Maffei's query as to whether they approved of this course of action, were overwhelmingly in favor. This session was not binding. The 1984 State Convention ratified the switch from print advertising to television ads.

In 1983 there were expenses (\$7,489.98) incurred before the suspension. After the suspension was lifted, \$13,615.00 was spent on the publication of the Bishops' Pastoral plus the payments to the three Bishops making a larger than usual total of \$23,051.03.

In 1987 Bishop Skylstad stopped the 30 second spots due to the cost escalation. No payments were made from RIB during 1987-88. Resolution 2 passed at the 1989 State Convention deleted Article X of the State ByLaws in its entirety, making the Religious Information Bureau extinct. This project did much good, especially in its early years. The fact that the Supreme Council's Religious Information Program came to do the same thing more effectively was the real cause of the demise of the printed advertising program. The cost of television advertising caused the ending of that phase of the program.

Over the more than forty years of the program many knights and some ladies were very dedicated to this program. Some of these were PSD George Hoffner who was Chairman for 1948-50 and Secretary-Treasurer for twenty years (1951-70); J.J. Riedinger of Tacoma Chairman 1950-51; B. J. Lenoue Chairman 1952-53; PSD Gerard (Bee) Welch who was chairman 1955-74; Jim Rider Chairman 1975-82; Thomas Herres Chairman 1982-83; PSD Charles A Sohnly Chairman 1983-87 and State Treasurer Charles F McLean, Chairman 1987-89. Tom Kobayashi of the Seattle Committee spent many years of devoted work on the program.

ACTIVITY HISTORY OF THE RELIGIOUS INFORMATION BUREAU

George C. Turk, PSD – July 1, 1988

YEAR	PAPERS/ARTICLES	COST
1948	13	\$9,000.00
1949	13 (3 rd year)	\$10,063.81
	(RES #20 - Notes that the 'Narberth Movement' was adopted statewide in 1945)	
	(RES #17 - \$1.50/member assessment for RIB. Passed)	
1950	14	\$11,294.94
	(RES #5 - \$1.50/member for 1950-1951 - Passed, No Contracts w/o SD & SS approval)	
1951	14	\$10,436.27
1952	14 (500+ Enrolled in Corr Crse, still \$1.50/member)	\$13,508.35
1953	14 (755 Enrolled in Corr Crs)	\$11,262.93
1954	14 (See Narberth Report for History)	\$12,936.99
1955	14	\$12,708.83
1956	14	\$13,493.27
1957	16	\$14,185.40
	(CUM \$128,191.26 for 11 years - 23,844 Inquiries (I) - 7683 Enrollments (E) to 1/1/57)	
1958	16 (CUM \$143,572.34 - 27,603 I / 8,987 E to 1/1/58)	\$15,381.08
1959	16	\$14,608.72
1960	16 (CUM 36,967 I / 11,426 E to 1/1/60)	\$15,615.40
1961	16	\$16,289.75
1962	16	\$15,800.27
	(CUM \$205,886.48 - 2,205 I / 897 E in Supreme Council course [July Smr Mtg, Yakima])	
1963	16 (CUM \$221,865.62 - approx 1,700 I / 600 E)	\$15,979.14
1964	16 (1,887 I / 819 E - CUM Enrollment 15,119)	\$16,889.61
1965	16 (CUM \$254,808.05 - 1,972 I / about 40% E)	\$16,053.45
1966	16 (CUM \$271,495.06 - 1,600 I / 600 E)	\$16,687.01
1967	16	\$15,679.50
1968	15 (CUM \$303,847.62)	\$16,673.06
1969	14 (CUM \$320,225.63 - 2,000 I / 756 E)	\$16,378.01

The Good of the Order Committee, at the state deputy's request, reviewed RIB to determine: 1) should program continue at present level; 2) should program be discontinued & funds diverted to another program of equal importance; or 3) should level or purposes of the program be modified to present day demands? They checked with Bishops Topel & Daugherty who had each heard of RIB but felt insufficiently informed to judge whether the program should be continued. A/B Connelly stated program should be continued. Statistics were 100-150 replies/month Seattle; 15-20 Spokane; no stats from Richland committee. Another study was proposed to determine whether the program should be continued notwithstanding Supreme Council's program; our program vs Supreme's; updating our articles. It was recommended that SD. appoint a committee to work with Seattle replies committee who has the responsibility for the articles. A subsequent meeting 5/17/69 at Pt Angeles convention found that articles had been updated and all bishops were in favor of RIB and continuance in its present form. This was recommended to the State Deputy.

1970	15 (CUM \$337,631.58 - approx 2,000 I / 700 E)	\$17,405.95
	(RES #3 - To suspend RIB & use money for anti-abortion, subject to approval of Bishops - Passed.)	

1971	14 (CUM \$353,316.47)	\$15,684.89
1972	13 (CUM \$365,674.36 - approx 1,800 I / 600 E)	\$14,584.76
	(RES #13 - Eliminates Sec-Treas of RIB and places funds in Gen Fund, Separate Acct - essentially present language of Article XI (RIB))	
1973	13 (CUM > \$375,000 - estimate 1,200 I / 500 E)	\$12,579.55
	(Ads cut to every 3 weeks. Suspended during July-August (half local ads, half from Supreme))	
	(Res #5 - Increase RIB Assessment to \$3.00 of which 75 cents to RTL - Defeated)	
	(Res #6 - Suspend RIB & divert the \$1.50 to RTL - Rejected)	
	(Res #7 - Increase RIB from \$1.50 to \$2.00 - Adopted)	
1974	13 (CUM ~ \$400,000 - Nearly all ads now from Supreme)	\$11,031.96
	(RES #2 - Terminate RIB. Amended to divert half RIB advertising budget to RTL - Passed)	
1975	14 (612 I / 440 E)	\$11,078.49
	(RES #10 - Per Capita increase from \$2.00 to \$3.00 & RIB reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.00 for 1 year only. Appoint a Finance Committee to study finances & make recommendations - Passed)	
1976	13 (Ads once a month, Approx 1,900 I / 20% E)	\$2615.40
	(Finance Committee recommended permanent Audit Committee & several bookkeeping changes)	
	(RES #5, #6, #7 all passed to incorporate}	
	(RES #12 - Continue \$3.00 per capita & RIB increase from \$1 to \$2.00 - Passed)	
1977	13 - 11 Ads	\$11,843.71
1978	13 1st Ad - "If We Legalize Killing Of The Unborn, Will Any Of Us Be Safe?" 2nd Ad - "Is Man Only a Naked Ape?"	\$12,410.23
1979	(est 1,000 I / 300 E)	\$11,515.53
1980	(No RIB report in proceedings - 553 I / 225 E per 1981 proceedings)	\$10,367.22
1981	(1,157 I / 368 E)	\$14,041.00
1982	(RES #8 - To suspend RIB for a year & appt investigating committee to report for next year - No Action)	

RIB suspended by SD Klein in August 1982 due to skyrocketing costs. He appointed a committee (Tom Herres, Msgr Pautler and PSD Tony Weza) to investigate and report to convention on direction for RIB. RIB Investigating Committee (See Pp 12-13 of Proceedings) recommended (1) 30 sec. TV Spots; (2) Recruitment of Seminarians; (3) Flexibility. RIB was put on 'hold' because 81-82 expenses were \$19,972.44 & RIB balance sheet (4/30/82) showed expenses at \$22,609.85 - Article X (G) was being violated. A Floor Motion was made, seconded and passed to have the Committee continue research and make further specific recommendations at the Summer Meeting and that the suspension be continued until further clarification is agreed upon.

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In the 1984 Proceedings, State Deputy Hector Maffei referred, in his report, to the "mandate" of the Summer Meeting in this regard. He also referred to the Pro-Life program in the next paragraph. By accepting his report at the 1984 State Convention, the State Convention ratified this action thus superseding the printed advertising program and the associated 1974 Pro-Life Advertising resolution.

1985	78 - 18 - 82 - RICHLAND	Published Bishops Pastoral Letter
1986		\$19,286.70
1987		\$15,875.00
1988	(CUM - \$567,573.23 at programs termination)	\$0.00

**RELIGIOUS INFORMATION BUREAU EXPENDITURES
(ADVERTISING) 1947-88**

YEAR	EXPENDED	YEAR	EXPENDED
1947	\$9,300.47	1968	\$16,673.06
1948	\$9,000.00	1969	\$16,378.01
1949	\$10,063.81	1970	\$17,405.95
1950	\$11,294.94	1971	\$15,684.89
1951	\$10,436.27	1972	\$14,584.76
1952	\$13,508.35	1973	\$12,579.55
1953	\$11,262.93	1974	\$11,031.96
1954	\$12,936.99	1975	\$11,078.49
1955	\$12,708.83	1976	\$2,615.40
1956	\$13,493.27	1977	\$11,843.71
1957	\$14,185.40	1978	\$14,178.75
1958	\$15,381.08	1979	\$11,515.53
1959	\$14,608.72	1980	\$10,367.22
1960	\$15,615.40	1981	\$14,041.00
1961	\$16,289.75	1982	\$19,481.05
1962	\$15,800.27	1983	\$7,489.98
1963	\$15,979.14	1984	\$23,051.03
1964	\$16,889.61	1985	\$15,236.00
1965	\$16,053.45	1986	\$19,286.70
1966	\$16,687.01	1987	\$15,875.00
1967	\$15,679.50	1988	\$0.00
		TOTAL	\$567,573.23

PENNIES FOR HEAVEN

Knights of Columbus in Washington proudly bear the title of PENNY PINCHER! Once a penny falls into the grasp of a conscientious member it goes out of circulation until he deposits it in his Council's Pennies for Heaven Barrel.

In November 1958, State Deputy Clyde T Boyle talked with the Illinois State Deputy and learned of a Catholic organization that saved pennies to help support a South Chicago orphanage. Being aware of a need to increase the Seminary Burse, Brother Boyle worked out the details of a program and presented it to the State Officers and District Deputies at the Winter Meeting in January 1959. Realizing the potential of the program, it was agreed that a pilot program, a trial run, be instituted in the Seattle 676, Renton 3645, Everett 763 and Longview 2763 councils beginning March 1st and ending May 15th at the Aberdeen State Convention.

The original plan called for a penny container placed on the salutation table of the trial councils and the members attending were encouraged to drop in their loose pennies which were earmarked for vocations. councils donated \$52.40. The results were encouraging. As a consequence, the Pennies for Heaven Program was officially adopted by the passage of Resolution 7 at that convention making the program state-wide on a voluntary basis.

In the year 1959-60, 39 of the 41 councils adopted the program. During the year the Grand Knights were requested to bring their collected pennies to the Spokane State Convention in May 1960. The State Deputy appointed a committee headed by Tom O'Brien of Seattle and time was allotted for presentation of the accumulation of all of the pennies from all over the state. A large canvas was placed on the floor and each Grand Knight was called to empty his penny container on the floor. As the mound of coppers grew, the delegates in attendance were convinced that a successful program was under way. When finally tabulated the count was 151,735 pennies and represented an additional \$505.00 to each of our Bishops for vocations.

The next year all councils in the state participated and Brother Sweeney of the Seattle Council donated a Penny Barrel to each council. Ideas and gimmicks were originated by various councils to increase the fund and by the May 1961 Seattle Convention the total was 285,603 pennies and each bishop received \$952.02.

With the realization that this program had no limits, more committees were appointed at the council level and even more novel fund raising ideas were tried. By the time of the Clarkston Convention in May 1962 the total soared to \$6,178.10 - an increase of 115% over the previous year. During this interval, the State Activity Fund (raffle) was under way with 25% of the net designated for vocations. This gave each of the Bishops an additional \$2840.95.

At the next midyear meeting a goal of one million pennies was thrown out as a challenge -- and accepted even though some thought it impossible. At the half-way mark, the count was far below half the goal but every council added extra effort and the Penny Parade at the Bellingham



1960 Pennies Parade, Spokane (Moose Hall) - Ed Logan SS, Clyde Boyle SD, Tom O'Brien GK676

In the two and a half months of the trial the four councils were proud and pleased. As a consequence, the Pennies for Heaven Program was officially adopted by the passage of Resolution 7 at that convention making the program state-wide on a voluntary basis.

State Convention in May 1963 netted 1,067,203 bright Lincoln Heads. The slogan of "**A Penny-A-Day and a Prayer-A-Day**" for vocations was adopted.

From its beginning in 1959 through 1976 the money collected totaled over \$300,000. This money was divided annually between the Bishops of Washington for their seminary burse fund.

In 1976, State Deputy John Holland and State PFH Chairman George Turk decided that the need for financing seminarian training was an increasing and long term need. In consultation with the Bishops, it was decided that half of the money be deposited in long term investments. The other half would be given to the Bishops. At that time the income from the program was about \$25,000 and this meant that each Bishop would receive about \$4,000-\$5,000 instead of \$8,000-\$9,000. The prediction was that in 13 years - in 1989 - each



1962 Pennies Parade, Clarkston (Lewis-Clark Hotel, Lewiston)

bishop would be able to receive \$8,000 from the interest alone with the trust fund containing approximately \$274,249.

In 1990, the trust fund exceeded \$420,000 and the Bishops receive the interest of approximately \$33,000. In 1989 the Bishops each received \$22,000. The total of \$66,000 represented the interest plus almost all of the cash received at the 1989 State Convention Penny Parade.

In 1975 Lynnwood Council 5816 started trying to include its council number as part of its PFH total for the year \$1358.16. In 1977 it was \$3758.16 (\$15.99 per man) and Richland did match its council number with \$3307.00. 1977 saw a new all-time high of \$29,272.69. Lynnwood continued to excel with \$5058.16 in 1978 and \$5816.00 in 1979. The State totals were new highs in each of those years - \$32,090.09 in 1978 and \$34,510.00 in 1979.

The totals have continued to increase. In 1980 the contributions to PFH were greater than the required per capita assessments, another indication of the dedication of our members to increasing both vocations and our financial support for them. The total was \$39,278.07 in 1986 and \$43,179.95 in 1987. In 1987 an additional \$6250.00 in direct aid to seminarians via the RSVP program was also recognized for a grand total of \$49,429.95. In 1988 the totals were \$44,923.57 cash and \$17,516 direct aid for a grand total of \$62,439.57. In 1989 they were \$36,034.88 cash and \$14,885 direct aid for a grand total of \$50,919.88.

Prayer has always been the main component of the program. The Prayer for Vocations is recited at every council meeting and by large numbers of our members daily. Tens of thousands of the wallet size Vocations Prayer Cards have been printed and distributed. This program is strong and vigorous. The need for more vocations is clear and our members are responding.

BIKE-A-THON

In 1987, Mike Prindiville and Andy Anderson of Richland Council 3307 inaugurated the Pennies for Heaven Bike-a-thon. They received pledges from donors for their ride from Richland to Vancouver. Subsequent bike-a-thons were rides from the site of the previous convention to the site of the current convention.

The bike-a-thon was organized by members of the Richland Council and enjoyed early success when riders from councils throughout the state participated. Organizers included: Mike Prindiville, Andy Anderson, Don McBride and Loris Heller. Local councils on the route also provided meals and shelter for the two (or three) day ride.

Seventeen riders participated in the 1997 ride from Spokane to Kennewick. The ride was organized by Loris Heller. Larry Lazzari (2126) was specifically recognized for biking from Mt. Vernon to Kennewick at the age of 74 (following the ceremony he rode back to Mt. Vernon). Other riders included: Chris Goodman (9238), Mike O'Mara (7908), Mark Vanderzanden (1620), Mark O'Brian (10653), Jerry McHenry (10653), Dennis Obermeir (8102), Andy Anderson (3307 - Andy was legally blind and rode the back of a tandem), Larry Bast (3307), Keith Niehenke (3153), Florian Herda (8201), Phil Tripanier (3153), Mark DiSanto (7360), Mario Ledesma (3307), Dennis McMullen (8201) and Tony Pfau. The last bike-a-thon was held at the 1999 Convention in Mountlake Terrace.

There were many knights from throughout the state who participated during those 11 rides. A complete list of participants was never kept but - aside from the organizers and those listed above - the following participated at least once: Ron Fitzsimons (6706), John Barrone (2126), Larry Linson (9664) and Ken VanAcker (8297).

INCORPORATION

At the 85th Annual Meeting in 1988, Resolution #8 was passed instructing the State Officers to establish a legal entity for the PFH Program and to present it to the 1989 meeting of the State Council. At the 1989 Convention in Spokane the Washington State Council submitted Resolution #1 which added Article XII - Pennies for Heaven (PFH) Program to the bylaws. The resolution was rejected. Resolution #5, proposed by Boulet Council 2126, to cap the Pennies for Heaven fund at \$450,000 and to direct all future interest and contributions be donated to the three dioceses, was also rejected.

Well in advance of the 1990 Convention, Lynnwood Council 5816 submitted to the state officers a second draft resolution to incorporate the Pennies for Heaven Fund into the bylaws. In an effort to gain acceptance of the proposed bylaw change, the state officers held open discussions with the grand knights during the winter meetings. A questionnaire was also distributed asking for input on the resolution. Three questions were asked: 'How should the disbursements be distributed?'; 'Who should make recommendations for the disbursement of PFH funds?' and 'What should be the annual limits of disbursements from the fund?' This led to the following bylaw amendment - Resolution #1, proposed by Fr. Chirouse Council 5816 - which was approved as amended at the 1990 Convention in Tacoma.



1987 Bike-a-thon, Vancouver - Don Daoust (PFH Chairman), Mike Prindiville (3307), SD George Turk and Andy Anderson (3307)

ARTICLE XII
PENNIES FOR HEAVEN (PFH) PROGRAM

Section 1 - PRINCIPLE: *The principle of this program is to assist in the education of individuals that are studying to be priests.*

Section 2 - PURPOSE: *The purpose of this article is to promote the PRINCIPLE of the PENNIES FOR HEAVEN program by establishing a Fund administered through a set of rules, regulations and procedures.*

Section 3 - AUTHORIZATION: *The State Officers are hereby authorized to do all that is necessary to accomplish the principle and purposes; and are further authorized to promulgate rules, regulations and procedures consistent with this Article.*

Section 4 - STATE COUNCIL PENNIES FOR HEAVEN FUND:

a. Each subordinate council can collect funds for the PENNIES FOR HEAVEN Fund

b. With the funds collected in a fraternal year each subordinate council can donate funds to individuals or institutions (consistent with the principle of this article).

c. All remaining PENNIES FOR HEAVEN Funds will be turned over to the State PENNIES FOR HEAVEN Fund.

d. Until the PENNIES FOR HEAVEN Fund has reached the goal of \$1,000,000 (one million dollars), annual withdrawals shall not exceed the PFH interest plus 25% of the Funds collected during the current year. After the PFH Fund has reached the \$1,000,000 (one million dollar) level, the total annual income of the PFH Fund may be withdrawn.

e. The annual monies of the State PENNIES FOR HEAVEN program may be withdrawn and disbursed in four parts. THREE PARTS going to the bishops of the three WASHINGTON STATE DIOCESES (one part to each diocese). The fourth part will be disbursed to qualified recipients with the approval of the majority of the Washington State Officers.

f. The State Council's PENNIES FOR HEAVEN Fund, including all principle and interest, shall not be subject to other uses inconsistent with the principle and purpose of this Article.

Section 5 - REPORTS: *The Washington State Council shall report to the subordinate councils on an annual basis.*

Rejected by the Supreme Council

Following the convention, the above bylaw amendment was submitted to the Supreme Council for approval. In November 1990, the State Council received notice from the Supreme Council that the amendment had been rejected for the following reasons:

"...the Board disapproved the provisions that you added to your Bylaws creating the corpus for the Pennies for Heaven (PFH) program... The provision was disapproved because it creates a substantial corpus that requires management by the State Council officers on an annual basis, and could be subject to claims of potential creditors of the Washington State Council. For instance, if the State Council were to be sued on some claim by an individual... the funds of the PFH corpus, if a State Council fund, could be subject to the claim of that lawsuit. It

would substantially raise the potentiality of probable settlement claims in any lawsuit. To protect that corpus it was the opinion of the Board, on recommendation of the State Council Bylaws Committee, that the State Council be encouraged to organize a corporate structure and transfer the funds to the corporation. It is our recommendation that the corporation be a membership corporation consisting of the Grand Knights of the Subordinate Councils located in Washington, and that the annual meeting of the corporation be held in conjunction with the State Council annual meeting. It would be our further recommendation that the state officers together with a certain number of other individuals... be elected as Directors of the corporation and that the corporation have its separate officers. It is further our opinion that you should attempt to qualify the corporation as exempt from Federal Income Taxes as a charitable entity. This not only would protect the corporation from potential liability claims if they were made against the State Council, but also any tax claims..."

SEE THE PENNIES FOR HEAVEN FUND INC (below)

THE CHRISTOPHER FUND

At the 1992 Supreme Council Meeting, Resolution No. 134 was adopted which provided for a Matching Fund Program, known as the Christopher Fund, for participating state councils. A state council's investment must originate from 'new' money (funds raised during the year) and is limited to \$5.00 per state council member. Contributions to the program can only be received and credited as of June 30 and December 31 of each year. The investment is held in the name of the state council, matched by the Supreme Council and interest paid annually on the matched investment to the beneficiary so designated by the state council. The beneficiary may be changed by a State Council resolution.

At the 1995 State Convention in Bothell, a resolution was passed to participate in the Christopher Fund by contributing \$12,000 from the Pennies Parade. The Pennies for Heaven Fund Inc. was listed as the beneficiary. Similar resolutions to contribute \$12,000 from the Pennies Parade were adopted at the 1996, 1997, 1998 and 1999 conventions. Annual resolutions to maximize the State Council's participation at \$5.00 per member have been approved at every annual meeting since. Below follows a list of contributions by the Washington State Council to the Christopher Fund and the interest received for Pennies For Heaven Fund Inc.

CHRISTOPHER FUND

YEAR	CONTRIBUTIONS	INTEREST	PRINCIPLE
1995-96	\$12,000	\$0.00	
1996-97	\$12,000	\$827.69	
1997-98	\$12,000	\$2,647.92	
1998-99	\$12,000	\$3,707.81	
1999-2000	\$12,000	\$5,013.00	
2000-01	\$6,375	\$6,422.31	
2001-02	\$3,140	\$8,209.01	\$69,515
2002-03	\$1,720	\$7,621.88	
2003-04	\$1,660	\$8,754.78	
2004-05	\$1,950	\$17,515.66	\$74,845
2005-06	\$2,515	\$9,289.14	
2006-07	\$970	\$5,954.12	
2007-08	\$1,375	\$6,540.45	\$79,705
2008-09	\$1,390	\$5,498.55	\$81,095
2009-10	\$1,415	\$7,485.87	\$82,510
2010-11	\$1,845	\$14,128.69	
2011-12			
TOTALS	\$84,355	\$109,616.88	

PENNIES FOR HEAVEN SUMMARY

CONVENTION YEAR	PENNIES PARADE	STATE ACTIVITY FUND	OTHER SOURCES	DIRECT SUPPORT RSVP	ANNUAL INTEREST	TOTAL
1959	52.40					52.40
1960	1,517.35					1,517.35
1961	2,866.03	2,388.50				5,254.53
1962	6,178.85	2,344.00				8,522.85
1963	10,697.03	2,314.25	4,489.78			17,501.06
1964	11,211.16	2,301.50	5,295.91			18,808.57
1965	10,274.10	2,319.75	12,002.54			24,596.39
1966	12,873.17	2,224.50	7,421.16			22,518.83
1967	11,589.11	2,233.57	6,097.32			19,920.00
1968	11,967.69	2,225.00	5,800.00			19,992.69
1969	13,141.05	2,218.50	5,604.74			20,964.29
1970	16,598.32	2,187.75	10,953.30			29,739.37
1971	16,305.71	2,163.25				18,468.96
1972	20,204.56	9.75				20,214.31
1973	26,062.37					26,062.37
1974	24,742.56					24,742.56
1975	24,602.80					24,602.80
1976	25,612.67					25,612.67
1977	29,272.69					29,272.69
1978	32,090.09			1,861.04		33,951.13
1979	34,510.00			2,620.18		37,130.18
1980	36,009.64			4,632.34		40,641.98
1981	35,536.47			8,764.23		44,300.70
1982	34,096.00			8,535.51		42,631.51
1983	32,036.09			23,647.09		55,683.18
1984	32,536.09			21,345.53		53,881.62
1985	32,969.93			22,762.52		55,732.45
1986	39,278.07			25,082.13		64,360.20
1987	43,179.95		6,250.00	29,271.00		78,700.95
1988	44,923.57		17,516.00	37,288.74		99,728.31
1989	36,034.88		14,885.00	49,965.00		100,884.88
1990	36,180.33		20,546.00			
1991	33,742.06		23,104.00			
1992	38,735.10					
1993	35,082.21					
1994	34,629.45					
1995	45,559.00			*50,000.00		* estimated
1996	45,000.00			54,350.00		
1997	40,173.00			50,648.00		
1998	*49,000.00			55,350.00		
1999	51,545.00			62,538.00		
2000	51,213.00			60,336.00		
2001	57,867.00			55,175.00		
2002	52,646.00			56,950.00		
2003	54,726.00			81,500.00		
2004	53,286.00			80,300.00		
2005	57,942.00			88,100.00		
2006	63,522.00			106,500.00		
2007	60,559.00			*115,000.00		
2008	64,296.46			*115,000.00		
2009						

2010		73,300.00
2011	60,346.79	88,678.00
TOTALS	1,634,674.01	24,930.32
		57,664.75 1,276,026.00 235,775.31 3,140,392.00

THE PENNIES FOR HEAVEN FUND INC

Following the recommendations of the Supreme Council, State Deputy Everett Turner asked Field Agent William Lindemann to begin drawing up Articles of Incorporation for the Pennies for Heaven Program. On March 9, 1991 Articles of Incorporation for the **PENNIES FOR HEAVEN FUND, INC.** were signed at a meeting of the state officers in Yakima. A draft of the bylaws was also presented. The Articles were filed with the State of Washington and application made with the Internal Revenue Service for tax-exempt status as a non-profit, charitable organization. The incorporators were Everett A Turner, Edward Mertens, Charles McLean, Thomas Weber and Frank Beaudry. The Pennies for Heaven Fund received incorporation on June 24, 1991.

An advanced probationary ruling as a tax-exempt organization by the Internal Revenue Service was received on November 4, 1991. After application for a permanent ruling during the Fall of 1995, a permanent exemption was received on December 7, 1995, under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3). Bylaws for the new corporation were submitted at the 1991 Convention in Yakima. They were rejected. At the 1992 Convention in Pasco, revised bylaws were submitted and adopted.

On January 1, 1992 the Pennies for Heaven Fund received a gift from the Washington State Council Knights of Columbus in the amount of \$456,478.24. The donation was transferred to an investment account managed by Lexington Capital Management of Gold River, California and was held by the brokerage firm of Dean Witter, Reynolds of Spokane. The initial investment strategy was very conservative (70% bonds, 30% low-growth stocks). Following the advice of the 1992 Audit Committee, the investment strategy was changed to provide for more stock investment.

The adopted Bylaws were very exact about goals, investment and disbursement. A two-step formula limiting disbursement of contributions and interest from the fund was directed towards the principal's valuation - with the primary goal to grow the fund above \$1,000,000. Under the directive, until the Fund grew to \$1,000,000: 75% of all local council contributions would be deposited as principal and the remainder, along with the interest generated by the Fund, subjected to distribution by the Board of Directors. At such a time that the principal reached \$1,000,000: All local council contributions, along with the interest generated by the Fund, may be subjected to distribution by the Board of Directors.

The annual distribution amount was further divided as follows: 75% would be divided equally between the existing catholic dioceses' of the State of Washington and the remaining 25% disbursed to qualified charitable, educational or religious institutions for the advancement of the purposes of the corporation. With few exceptions however, the remaining 25% left to the discretion of the Board of Directors was further divided among the dioceses.

The following lists the value of the investment portfolio at the time of the annual meeting and the donations awarded to each diocese:

DATE	PFH FUND Value	DATE	DIOCESEAN GIFTS (ea)
1/2/1992 (initial)	\$456,478.24	1992-93	\$11,000
4/30/1992	\$439,661.51	1993-94	\$11,000
4/30/1993	\$497,297.00	1994-95	\$11,000
4/30/1994	\$497,570.89	1995-96	\$11,000
4/30/1995	\$519,137.88	1996-97	\$12,500
4/30/1996	\$568,761.88	1997-98	\$13,500
4/30/1997	\$636,784.76	1998-99	\$14,500
4/30/1998	\$771,031.25	1999-2000	\$15,000
4/30/1999	\$833,940.44	2000-01	\$16,000
3/31/2000	\$856,757.38	2001-02 ¹	\$17,000
4/30/2001	\$913,285.64	2002-03 ²	\$18,000
4/30/2002	\$891,217.64	2003-04	\$19,000
4/30/2003	\$912,071.11	2004-05	\$20,000
4/30/2004	\$980,777.60	2005-06	\$21,000
4/30/2005	\$1,035,799.61	2006-07	\$23,000
4/30/2006	\$1,151,291.81	2007-08	\$25,000
4/30/2007		2008-09 ³	\$30,000
4/30/2008	\$1,294,548.94	2009-10	\$31,000
4/30/2009	\$1,107,073.00	2010-11	\$31,000
4/01/2010	\$1,287,278.45	2011-12 ⁴	\$25,000
7/31/2011	\$1,294,303.12		
7/31/2012	\$1,253,932.22		
4/30/2013	\$1,317,277.80		
		TOTAL COMBINED	\$1,168,000

¹\$6,500 was awarded to the Neuman Center at the University of Washington

²\$8,500 was awarded to the Neuman Center at the University of Washington

³\$1,500 was donated to the Dominican Order

⁴\$25,000 was also donated to Bishop White Seminary

Note: Total Combined is correct

RIGHT TO LIFE

In 1970 the state of Washington became the first state to pass, by a state-wide vote of the people, a bill to make abortion legal and a specific right of women. The Knights rallied. Beginning in the 1971 Convention, a whole series of resolutions were introduced on the question of the Right To Life (RTL), how to protect it and to combat abortion.

The resolutions included funding, forming a permanent committee, support of Pro-Life groups (Pregnancy Aid, Human Life, etc), education and advertising, providing models and visual aids and supporting legislation. In 1972 the State Council Right to Life Committee was established with funding by voluntary contributions. There were four Right to Life resolutions that year. By 1973 it had become clear that an ultimate resolution would have to be a U.S. Constitutional amendment and

there was an unsuccessful attempt to divert the \$1.50/member R.I.B. assessment to Right to Life to fund the program. The voluntary contributions statewide were \$2,775.51. In 1974 the contributions to the State RTL fund were \$4,716.22 with another \$6,537.32 donated directly to other RTL groups. Everett Weakley was appointed as the first State Right to Life Chairman for 1973-74.

In that year, by passage of Substitute Resolution 2 the R.I.B. was directed to divert one half of their advertising to Pro-Life advertising.

Some councils have been more energetic than others in the Pro-Life cause. Among the leaders have been councils 5495 Burien; 3455 Clarkston; 4322 Lakewood; 5816 Lynnwood; 3307 Richland; 1699 Toppenish; 1823 Uniontown; 766 Walla; 894 and 697 in Yakima.

In 1978 the concept of the Herb M. Liebert Right to Life Award was conceived and presented to State Deputy James G Caldwell, who approved it. It was established to honor the council whose activities for the Pro-Life movement made it the number one council in this area.

Herb Liebert, who died on February 22, 1978, belonged to St Frances Cabrini Council 4322, Lakewood. He was a P.G.K. of his council; former State Membership Chairman 1974-76 and State Retention Chairman 1976-78. He always strongly advocated the Pro-Life program and this award was established in his honor.

The first presentation of this award was by State Deputy Harry J. Tucker Jr at the 1979 State Convention to Pope John XXIII Council 5495 who also won it in 1987. The other recipients were Richland Council 3307 for 1980, 82 and 83; Spokane Council 683 for 1981 and 84; Msgr Ailbe McGrath Council 8437 (West Seattle) in 1985; Fr Chirouse Council 5816 (Lynnwood) for 1986 and 1990; Ahtanum Mission Council 6097 (Yakima) in 1988 and St



Right to Life Pancake Breakfast - Lynnwood Council 5816



Poster Contest Judging - Ray Sauer 5495, RTL

Frances Cabrini Council 4322 (Lakewood) in 1989. Work continues in all areas but a lot of emphasis is now on an amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

The Herbert M. Liebert, PGK Right-to-Life Memorial Award

The Washington State Council's Herbert M. Liebert, PGK Right-to-Life Memorial Award was initiated in 1978 by St. Frances Cabrini Council #4322 of Lakewood, immediately after the death of Past Grand Knight Herbert M. Liebert.

PGK Herbert "Herb" Liebert was among the forerunners in the state who saw a need for a program against abortion. In the early seventies, he and a few Knights from St. Frances Cabrini Council helped sponsor a carnival at Pacific Lutheran University. The entire proceeds from this first of many events were donated to the Right-to-Life Program. Mrs. Kathy McAntee was the director of this burgeoning program at the time. PGK Liebert did not limit his involvement in the Right-to-Life activities to council and community support. He donated a large sum of his personal money to this program. In addition, PGK Liebert encouraged his council to do the same. PGK Liebert also purchased a movie projector and screen for the Right-to-Life Program to use for presentation to the public. He was the driving force and motivator for the Right-to-Life activities in St. Frances Cabrini Council and the community. His dedication inspired his Brother Knights to carry on the tradition. PGK Herb Liebert was mister "Right-to-Life". PGK Liebert departed this life on February 22, 1978. Because of his commitment and dedication to the Right to Life Program, several members of the Lakewood Bingo Committee (Christopher Charities of Lakewood) under the direction of PGK Al Ehli, decided to present a trophy to the Washington State Council with the intent of establishing a Herbert M. Liebert Right-to-Life Memorial Award.

The award concept was submitted to the Washington State Council at the State Convention in Pasco, Washington in May 1978. The State Deputy was James G. Caldwell. The first presentation of this award was at the 1979 State Convention by State Deputy Harry J. Tucker, Jr. See [Appendix IV](#) for a list of councils having received this prestigious award.

During the 2010-2011 fraternal year, the Supreme Council added PRO-LIFE as a council activity requirement of the Columbian Award. Both the Herb Liebert Award, along with the Supreme Council Pro-Life Award, was presented to Kennewick Council 8179 (Lawrence Devlin, GK) for the top council Pro-Life activity during the 2011 State Convention in Vancouver.

THE AGENCY DEPARTMENT

Insurance has been an integral part of the Order since its founding. The mechanics of the insurance program has evolved over the years to an extremely effective field force of highly professional General Agents and Field Agents.

In the beginning, the enrollment of members in the insurance program was handled on the local level as part of the recruitment of new members. Collection of premiums was by the local council Financial Secretary for transmittal to the Supreme Office.

Not all councils were equally convincing in explaining the benefits of the Order's insurance program. Neither were all Financial Secretaries equally efficient in the collection and transmittal of premiums to the Supreme Office. This explains the Special Representatives of the Supreme Knight during the first eighty years or so of the Order's history.

It was during the administration of Supreme Knight Luke Hart that the transition really began. He saw a very large increase in the insurance program which continued under Supreme Knight John McDevitt. It was during McDevitt's regime that direct payment of premiums to Supreme was begun and another large expansion of the insurance program occurred. When Virgil C. Dechant was elected Supreme Knight in 1977, the earlier reforms were brought to fruition. The national meetings of General Agents begun under Luke Hart were continued; the Form 100 instituted to replace many other forms. The Agency Department was thoroughly professionalized and business procedures and equipment modernized. During his administration we have seen the largest boom in Insurance in Force and Assets in our history.

In this state, we were served by Field Agents within the state but the General Agent was not from within the state until Vernon F Raschko was appointed General Agent succeeding A. L. (Doc) Elvin of Portland on August 1, 1962. Vern had been brought up to Seattle as a Field Agent in the *early 1950's. We know he was listed as one in 1954.

By 1976 the amount of insurance in force within the state was \$50 million and the annual premiums over \$1 million. In 1980 this had grown to \$63.5 million with premiums of \$1,139,000. In 1990 this was \$151.5 million in 10,547 policies.

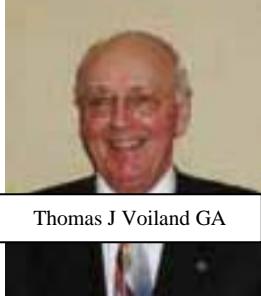
On September 23, 1982 Vern Raschko died suddenly after about thirty years service to the Washington State Council. For twenty years he had been our General Agent but he had been much more. Vern served as Pennies for Heaven Co-Chairman, New Council Development Chairman and a number of positions other than his primary job. He traveled the state extensively with degree teams, State Officers and State Chairmen. It was widely held that his car, or any car in which he rode, was incapable of passing the Crossroads Restaurant in Ellensburg - it would turn in automatically, as if on auto-pilot. He would always take out his martini tester and make a production of determining if his martini was sufficiently dry. His wit and ability to tell stories was exceptional. Many a cross-state trip was made more enjoyable and more memorable because of him.

Vern truly loved the Knights and was really quite sentimental. He is missed. The Vern Raschko-Magnolia Council 8311 of Seattle adopted their name in his memory. Vern was succeeded as General Agent by Ron Venneri of Walla Walla. Ron had been a native of Walla Walla all of his life and had been a very outstanding Field Agent - among the highest producing in the Order. In many ways, he was like Vern Raschko. He loved the Order, was sentimental and could really tell a joke. Your author remembers well one morning in the Issaquah Holiday Inn Restaurant how Ron was telling a story about duck hunting. He knew that he had not only the



Ron and Betty Venneri

Knights on the Regional Meeting Team who were at two adjoining tables but also some strangers at the next tables. He drew the story out so that two men stayed probably ten minutes after finishing their breakfasts. He often jokingly referred to himself as 'that little fat guy' but he got results.



Thomas J Voiland GA

Unfortunately, he died in his bed on the morning in Feb 28, 1989. He had been a Field Agent since 1967. He was an avid golfer and sports enthusiast. Ron is survived by his wife Betty, a daughter, two sons, including Gordon Venneri - a Field Agent for 25 years serving southeastern Washington - and four step-children. One of these is Father Thomas Mele of Spokane. Following Ron's death, Don Powell of Mossy Rock - and a long time field agent serving southwestern Washington - was appointed General Agent. He was succeeded by Thomas J Voiland of Seattle in 1992.



Jerrod Roth GA

Since 1996, the Washington State Council has been served by two General Agents. During 2007 the Western Washington General Agent was Thomas J Voiland of Seattle (Tom retired in 2008 and Jarrod Roth was appointed General Agent for Western Washington) and the Eastern Washington & Idaho General Agent is Vincent Polis of Lewiston. Field Agents serving Western Washington include: Romy Ablao, Martin Dursse, Carl Gerling, Thomas L. Johnson, Bob O'Neil, Daniel Poirier, Keith J Rieff, Jarrod Roth, Ron Scholz, Jeff Schumacher and Michael Stergios. Eastern Washington Field Agents include: Don Adolfson, David M. Bailey, Mark DiSanto, A.K. Jonas Hiner, Christopher Plummer, Michael Polis, Armando Villarreal and Michael Wise. David M Bailey also served as the General Agent of Eastern Washington & Idaho from 1996 to 2003. Following the retirement of Tom Voiland in 2008, Jerrod Roth assumed the duties of General Agent for the Western Washington Agency.



Vincent Polis GA

COLUMBUS CHARITIES

The Washington State Council of the Knights of Columbus and many other fraternal and non-profit groups held raffles as fund raisers. It was proposed in the 1959 convention that a State Fund Raising Program - a raffle - be instituted (Resolution 14). In the State Secretary's 1960 report it was noted that the raffle had grossed \$15,175 and made a profit of \$7,575.32. Annually, about half was distributed to the three bishops and about \$2100 to \$2400 went to the Pennies For Heaven Fund under the heading "State Activity Fund".

This continued through 1970. In 1970 the State Deputy's Report notes that a ruling from the State Attorney General's Office caused cessation of the State Activity Fund. In essence, raffles became illegal. Subsequently, the State Legislature passed a gambling law that made raffles legal for non-profit groups but under very rigid conditions.

It was on November 3, 1973 that COLUMBUS CHARITIES Articles of Incorporation were signed and on January 3, 1974 were filed with the Secretary of State in Olympia. This non-profit corporation was established to comply with the technicalities of



Rowena and Warren Tufts

the gambling law and to insure that the proceeds were used solely for charitable, benevolent and educational activities. It is the charitable arm of the State Council though a separate legal entity.

The Articles of Incorporation were drawn up by P.S.D. Clarence George, an attorney. The initial Directors were I.A. "Tony" Weza, John Holland, James G. Caldwell, William F. Witte, Harry J. Tucker Jr and Harold G. Westby.

It has been customary since the beginning to give donations to each local council to assist in its local charitable activities. It was, and is, recognized that the local council is far more aware of many local needs. These donations have averaged 40 to 50 percent of the gross each year. The expenses of the raffle campaign have increased over the years. In 1978-79 the gross was \$67,366 and the campaign expenses were \$19,298. Most of these expenses were for the prizes (\$12,586), taxes (\$2560.64) and printing (\$2227). The balance of \$24,390 was then available for regional or statewide projects.

Among that year's donations were Cerebral Palsy \$1,000; Vocations Program \$1226; University of Washington Braille Program \$10,000; Bishop Greco Retarded Children's Fund \$1,000.

The UW Braille program had begun the year before with a \$13,751.74 donation for a Braille printer. Previously each individual braille copy had to have each character imprinted by a hand 'Brailleur'. Because this caused raised dots in heavy paper stock, any mistake caused the whole page to be redone. It was a slow and tedious process relying heavily on volunteer labor.

This program, which was to receive about \$10,000 annually for the next ten years, was to write a computer program which would translate regular English text into Braille characters. This was to be a difficult task as Braille is a sort of shorthand and words, depending upon context, could have multiple translations.

It took several years to perfect the computer program under the leadership of Professor John Sherman of the University's Geography Department. The program could print the text in large print on regular paper for those merely visually impaired but not blind or it could translate into actual Braille characters. The Braille computer printer would then punch out a complete line of Braille characters at a time vs. a single character at a time with the 'Brailleur'. The proof reading was done on the computer monitor then printed out on Braille paper or Mylar. When printed on Mylar, the Mylar could then be used as a master from which multiple copies could be made.

The UW computer was connected by telephone to other universities in the state making any particular document available to any blind person in the state. Materials were produced that were to be used in public or parochial schools as well as for blind students at the University.



In 1983 \$15,000 was donated to the Washington Regional Library for the Blind for computer and Braille printer. This represented going from a research and development phase to an actual production phase, supplying materials to any blind person in a five state area. Between the UW and the Regional Library approximately \$120,000 was donated to this program over approximately eleven years.

Over the years donations at the state level have been made to Cerebral Palsy, Multiple Sclerosis, Catholic Communications Northwest, Vocations programs, the Catholic Northwest Progress, Blind Veterans at V.A.

Hospitals, Kidney Centers, an Amerasian program, Morality in Media, cult awareness program, to the dioceses of the state, to the State Council for its charitable programs, the Mexican and Armenian Earthquake disasters, Blood Pressure program, to print Bishops' pastoral letters, the Special Olympics (started at \$3,000 and currently at \$10,000 per year), the Mater Dei seminary, Cancer Patient relief program (for personal non-medical care), International Children's Advocates

(Philippine children's assistance), anti-pornography program and the Natural Family Planning program.

The Columbus Charities Chairman to administer the program was Warren Tufts Sr of Bremerton from its beginning until June, 1986. At that time Warren was succeeded by his son David C. Tufts.

Warren was a good administrator. He got others to help him and do the work. While the crew included David Tufts it was really run by his wife Rowena who recruited others, all volunteers. This helped keep down the expenses. These included Phyllis (Dave's wife), Jo Witte (widow of P.S.D. Bill Witte), Agnes Marsh, Hugh and Joan Slye, Bill and Bert Gwynn, Ralph and Felicia Bailey, Percy and Manuela Washington, Frank Madle, Lou Goodheart, Gloria Maffei and Donna Mansor. The same can be said about David Tufts who ran the program effectively from 1986 to 2007. With a handful of dedicated volunteers the program continued to flourish. These volunteers included: Phyllis Tufts, their daughter Diane Thornton and Angela Tufts, Don and Donna Mansor, Bert Gwynne, Dick Fuhrman, Jo Witte and Kirk and Dorothy Finch. Much is owed to the dedication of all of these individuals who "dot the I's and cross the T's" to comply with the state Gambling Commission regulations.

With the retirement of Dave and Phyllis Tufts, and their loyal committee from Bremerton, the 2007 Raffle was the end of a program established in 1960. Since 1974 when the raffle required accounting to the Gambling Commission, income amounted to \$3,040,924; corporate donations amounted to \$710,587.50 and \$1,260,998.50 was returned to the local councils for charitable donations. Thanks are due for the dedication of the Tufts family and their committee—but also thanks are due to our members who sold or purchased raffle tickets throughout the years. We will miss the added revenue this program brought into our council and community.

COLUMBUS CHARITIES DONATIONS and RAFFLE RESULTS

1974-1975-1976:

CORPORATE DONATIONS		
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES		\$61,900.00
TICKETS SOLD		\$154,765.00

1977:	CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$14,752.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$20,086.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$50,220.00

1978:	CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$11,042.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$21,735.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$54,338.00

1979:	CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$3,583.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$26,923.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$67,366.00

1980:	CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$15,333.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$28,821.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$69,783.00

1981:	CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$33,519.50
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	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$32,780.50 \$79,137.00	
1982:	CORPORATE DONATIONS RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$20,843.00 \$36,380.00 \$86,752.00	
1983:	CORPORATE DONATIONS RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$55,500.00 \$41,359.00 \$97,416.00	
1984:	CORPORATE DONATIONS RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$29,000.00 \$38,976.00 \$93,400.00	
1985:	CORPORATE DONATIONS RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$28,400.00 \$39,141.00 \$94,373.00	
1986:	CORPORATE DONATIONS RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$18,160.00 \$37,138.00 \$90,039.00	
1987:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July) KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (6) SHARED MISSIONS MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS VETERANS HOSPITAL (Seattle)	\$ 3,000.00 \$ 3,600.00 \$ 1,200.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 1,000.00 <u>\$ 1,000.00</u> \$10,800.00 RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$38,000.00 \$88,441.00
1988:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (March/July/Dec) KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (6) NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING SHARED MISSIONS (Dec) MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY (July) MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY WASHINGTON LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND (May) MATER DEI (March/July) WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL (Dec)	\$ 3,000.00 \$ 6,000.00 (July) \$ 2,500.00 \$ 1,200.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 1,000.00 \$ 2,000.00 \$ 3,600.00 \$ 8,200.00 <u>\$ 2,500.00</u> \$31,000.00 RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES TICKETS SOLD	\$37,730.00 \$90,956.00
1989:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (March/April) KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (6) CANCER CARE CENTERS (3) NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (March)	\$12,200.00 \$ 6,000.00 (Sept) \$ 3,600.00 (July) \$ 3,500.00	

	INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ADVOCATE	\$ 1,000.00	
	WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL (Dec)	\$ 2,000.00	
	WASHINGTON AGAINST PORNOGRAPHY (I-524)	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>	(March)
		\$29,300.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$41,870.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$100,852.00	
1990:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 3,500.00	
	INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S ADVOCATE	\$ 1,000.00	
	WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL	<u>\$10,000.00</u>	
		\$24,500.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$40,945.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$97,859.00	
1991:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	
	KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (6 - Feb; 7 - Sept)	\$10,600.00	
	CANCER CARE CENTERS (3 - Feb/Sept)	\$ 6,000.00	
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (July)	\$ 2,500.00	
	CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES (King County)	<u>\$ 4,000.00</u>	(Feb)
		\$33,100.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$41,432.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$99,153.00	
1992:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	(July)
	KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (7)	\$ 7,000.00	
	CANCER CARE CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000	
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 2,500.00</u>	
		\$22,500.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$43,869.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$104,605.00	
1993:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	
	DIOCESEAN WORLD YOUTH DAY (3)	\$ 7,500.00	
	KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (7)	\$ 3,500.00	
	CANCER CARE CENTERS (3)	\$ 1,500.00	
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>	
		\$23,500.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$40,230.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$96,884.00	
1994:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	
	KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (7)	\$ 7,000.00	
	CANCER CARE CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000.00	
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 2,500.00</u>	
		\$22,500.00	
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$41,651.00	
	TICKETS SOLD	\$100,826.00	
1995:	WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS (July)	\$10,000.00	
	KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (7)	\$ 7,000.00	

CANCER CARE CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 2,500.00</u>
	\$22,500.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$42,795.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$103,627.00
 1996:	
WASHINGTON SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
KIDNEY FOUNDATIONS (7)	\$ 7,000.00
CANCER CARE CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 2,500.00
CAMP PRIME TIME	<u>\$ 1,500.00</u>
	\$24,000.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$44,110.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$105,825.00
 1997:	
SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
KIDNEY CENTERS (7)	\$ 7,000.00
CANCER CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 1,500.00
CAMP PRIME TIME	\$ 1,500.00
VOCATIONAL SUPPORT OF SISTERS	\$ 2,000.00
KC HELP	<u>\$ 1,500.00</u>
	\$27,500.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$44,538.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$107,730.00
 1998:	
SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
KIDNEY CENTERS (7)	\$ 7,000.00
CANCER CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 1,500.00
CAMP PRIME TIME	<u>\$ 1,500.00</u>
	\$24,000.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$46,100.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$109,273.00
 1999:	
SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
KIDNEY CENTERS (7)	\$ 7,000.00
CANCER CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 1,000.00
CAMP PRIME TIME	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
	\$23,000.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$45,034.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$108,170.00
 2000:	
SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
KIDNEY CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 5,000.00
NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
	\$20,000.00
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$44,415.00
TICKETS SOLD	\$107,184.00

2001:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$10,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 5,000.00
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
		\$20,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$44,645.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$107,791.00
2002:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$12,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 6,000.00
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>
		\$24,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$48,070.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$115,674.00
2003:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$11,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 6,000.00
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>
		\$23,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$46,841.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$113,151.00
2004:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$11,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (4)	\$ 4,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 6,000.00
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 1,000.00
	FEDERATION FOR THE BLIND	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
		\$23,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$47,306.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$115,050.00
2005:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$12,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 6,000.00
	FEDERATION FOR THE BLIND	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
		\$22,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$47,043.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$112,770.00
2006:	SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$13,000.00
	KIDNEY CENTERS (3)	\$ 3,000.00
	CANCER CENTERS (5)	\$ 6,000.00
	NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING	\$ 2,000.00
	FEDERATION FOR THE BLIND	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
		\$25,000.00
	RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$49,135.00
	TICKETS SOLD	\$117,514.00

TOTALS (1973-2006)

CORPORATE DONATIONS	\$710,587.50
RETURN TO COUNCILS FOR LOCAL CHARITIES	\$1,260,998.50
TICKETS SOLD	\$3,040,924.00

At the 2008 annual meeting held in Spokane, the bylaws of the Columbus Charities Corporation were amended to eliminate the raffle and to allow the corporation to become an endowment fund. Harold G. Westby, John L Walker, John M. Wallace, Donald J. McBride, George H. Czerwonka Jr, Eddie L. Parazoo and Karl A. Hadley spearheaded the conversion. The re-organization required revision to the Articles of Incorporation and confirmation from the IRS concerning section 501(c)(3). In addition a second corporation was formed (similar to The Pennies for Heaven Fund Inc) to receive gifts and create a permanent endowment. Below follows an outline concerning the new Columbus Charities Fund Inc.

COLUMBUS CHARITIES FUND

ESTABLISHED: *The Columbus Charities Fund, hereinafter referred to as "The Fund", was established by resolution at the May 17, 2008 Annual Meeting of the Columbus Charities Corporation.*

PURPOSE: *The Fund is designated as a permanent endowment and, as such, only the earnings from invested principal will be distributed in the form of charitable grants.*

AUTHORITY: *The Fund operates under the auspices of Columbus Charities, Incorporated, a nonprofit corporation under the statutes of the State of Washington.*

MANAGEMENT: *The Board of Directors for Columbus Charities, Inc. manages the operation of The Fund. The Board consists of the Washington State Council Officers and one Past State Deputy elected by the members.*

TAX EXEMPTION: *Since Columbus Charities has 501(c)(3) status with the Internal Revenue Service, donors may claim tax deduction as the law allows.*

SOURCES OF INCOME: *It is the intent of the Board of Directors to grow the Principal of The Fund over time. Both current and deferred gifts and grants will be sought from individual members, councils, assemblies and other sources, both inside and outside of the Order.*

MAKING A GIFT: *Gifts may be made by sending a check, payable to Columbus Charities Fund, to the following address:
John M. Wallace, Vice President, Columbus Charities
10024 100th St. Ct. SW, Lakewood, WA 98498-3126*

GIFT RECEIPTS: *All donors will receive an official gift receipt for tax purposes.
Any questions can be directed to John Wallace. Phone (253) 582-8199/Email
kofcwallace@comcast.net*

At the 2009 annual meeting, Ed Broadhurst, Financial Secretary of Colville Council 12273, was appointed Executive Director of Columbus Charities Inc. Ed is retired from the Savings and Investment industry and is in charge of soliciting gifts for the endowment fund. The goal of the endowment fund is to grow to over \$1,000,000 allowing the corporation to award donations from the interest generated.

Beginning around 2008, the Supreme Council began awarding money to jurisdictions for Special Olympics activities. Awards were based on the jurisdiction's Special Olympic activities during the fraternal year. Awards were relatively small until an efficient reporting system was developed by the jurisdiction. The 2012 award amounted to \$3,000. The following table lists the value of the Columbus Charities investment portfolio at the time of the annual meeting and the donations awarded during the year. All donations were awarded to Special Olympics.

DATE	Charities Balance	DATE	DONATIONS
4/30/09	\$68,497.64	2008-09	\$11,800
4/01/10	\$56,833.95	2009-10	\$13,000
7/31/11	\$41,189.27	2010-11	\$13,000
6/30/12	\$53,424.45	2011-12	\$12,123.02

TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE – During the 2010-2011 annual meeting in Vancouver, Columbus Charities Corporation announced plans to participate in the Tootsie Roll Drive during Columbus Day weekend 2011. State Chairman Kim Washburn presented information about the program during the convention. An Operations Manual was prepared and informational brochures made available on the website (<http://www.columbuscharities.net/>).

Kim Washburn had recently transferred to Olympia Council 1643. He had been involved with the program in Illinois and had approached State Deputy John Wallace about, “why the program wasn’t being conducted in Washington”. State Deputy John wasted little time in appointing him Chairman. During the Summer Meeting in Wenatchee, Kim ‘sold’ the program with his Golden Retriever, Jack.

The inaugural Tootsie Roll Drive was a complete success. Thirty-four councils participated. All had great experiences. Grant checks were issued to over 20 organizations and Columbus Charities were able to increase their donation to Special Olympics – Washington almost two fold. Over \$81,000 was raised to help people with disabilities. The councils involved in the inaugural drive were:

Everett 763	Bremerton 1379	Richland 3307
Longview-Cowlitz 2763	Okanogan 3044	Vancouver 4782
Auburn 3598	Seattle 8437	Federal Way 7528
Lynnwood 5816	Spanaway 6806	Kennewick 8179
Kirkland 7642	Federal Way 7908	Colbert 8872
Sequim 8455	Camano-Stanwood 8476	Port Townsend 10532
Gig harbor 9238	Rainier 9637	Spokane 11134
Kennewick 10653	Bellevue 10664	E. Wenatchee 13186
Seattle 12175	Colville 12273	Seattle 13794
Granite Falls 13560	Leavenworth 13597	Sumner-Orting 15136
Newport 14268	Spokane 14922	
Spokane 15143	Olympia 1643	



In his report to the 2012 Meeting, Chairman Kim Washburn stated, "We have 34 councils who are experts in our fledgling program, and I expect that number to quadruple this next year. I am setting a very reasonable goal of \$150,000 for the 2012 Tootsie Roll Drive. Our elite 34 councils raised an average of almost \$2,300 and I expect them to increase their collection by 10%. The Tootsie Roll Program has benefited countless people with disabilities... and it benefits our membership through activity, fraternalism and charitable giving." During 2011, Columbus Charities and its' support of Special Olympics – Washington may have been saved by the dynamic energy of Grand Knight Kim Washburn, Fr Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia.

Fifty-eight councils participated in the 2nd Tootsie Roll Drive held during October 2012. Total revenue for the drive was \$127,788. The net revenue of \$107,439 was distributed by Columbus Charities to Special Olympics, the Wheelchair program, and to over 50 other organizations elected by councils to receive grants.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS

1987 - Following the announcement that the Supreme Council was providing corporate sponsorship of the International Special Olympic Games on the campus of Notre Dame University, the Washington State Council assumed much the same role in this state. The State Council provided travel toilet kits, bus transportation from Tacoma to a Seattle Mariners game and underwrote a "welcome home" reception hosted by Seattle Council 676. The Fourth Degree Honor Guard provided the initial welcome at the steps of the plane.

1988 - Noting that Special Olympics a worthwhile endeavor, the state officers committed the State Council to a donation of \$100 for each field goal made by Seattle Seahawk's kicker, Norm Johnson. The donation amounted in the end to \$2,200. Norm Johnson supplied the Council with an autographed team photo which was subsequently entered as the prize in a Chinese Auction conducted at the State Convention. Auctioneer and State Advocate Charles F. McLean garnered \$500 for the Pennies for Heaven Fund from the activity.

1989 - At the request of Washington Special Olympics, the Washington State Council (supported by Columbus Charities) sponsored the Special Olympics *Softball Tournament* in Tacoma. State Treasurer Charles McLean and District Deputy Everett J. Roberts organized the volunteer activities of the Knights. Councils from the local area of Tacoma, Federal Way and Gig Harbor, provided the scorekeepers, umpires, runners, cooks and servers for the event. The Fourth Degree Color Corps provided an escort for the athletes and served as the Honor Guard during the opening ceremony. Immediate Past State Deputy Charles Sohnly, on behalf of Columbus Charities and the Knights of Columbus, presented a check for \$10,000 to Washington Special Olympics for the games. Over 300 athletes participated. Knights attending from Bothell, Port Orchard, Olympia, Richland and Spokane added their support to the major effort of Tacoma area district members.

1990 - State Treasurer Charles McLean, District Deputy Everett Roberts and members of the Wenatchee Council volunteered to host a hospitality tent at Mission Ridge in Wenatchee for



Chuck Sohnly PSD, a long time supporter of Special Olympics, presents the Knight's donation to Washington Special Olympics.

the **Winter Games**. They also provided meals and deliveries to the three venue locations - cross-country skiing at Wenatchee Lake, downhill skiing at Mission Ridge and ice skating in downtown Wenatchee. The Knights provided the Color Corps and Honor Guard for the opening ceremony.

The Knights also became involved in the **Summer Games** which continue to be held at Ft Lewis/McChord AFB (later moved inside of the hangars at McChord to combat the often inclement weather). District Deputy Roberts and the councils in Tacoma and Federal Way provided volunteers for two eating facilities at Fort Lewis North. Meals were served from Friday's Opening Ceremony till the Closing Ceremony on Sunday.

Volunteers also participated in the Washington Special Olympics **Summer Tournament** - where tennis and table tennis competition had been added to the softball venue. The athlete attendance swelled to 450 and the volunteer corps increased to more than 50. Again the Knights prepared and served the Saturday dinner for over 600 athletes, coaches and families.

In 1993, State Deputy Chuck McLean appointed Darrell Henn, Kennewick Council 8179, as the first Special Olympics Chairman for the Knights of Columbus (although Everett Roberts had been serving unofficially as such for the previous four years). Ed Caballero was appointed Special Olympics Chairman in 1994 and continues to serve as Chairman (2007). Several Basketball Special Olympic venues were held during the 1990's in Ellensburg with the support of the Wenatchee, Ellensburg and Ephrata councils.

To date, there has been nothing but praise for the Knights of Columbus from the Washington Special Olympics organization. In the same vein, there is an air of anticipation from volunteers for next year's participation - among them, many of the present and past state officers. Ed Caballero, Puyallup Council 1629, has been an active promoter of the Knights involvement with Special Olympics for over a decade. His efforts have resulted in the involvement of many of the local councils. The councils in Wenatchee continue to support the Winter Games; the councils in the Tacoma area continue to support the Summer Games; and state-wide, councils volunteer whenever a Special Olympic event is being held in their area.

In 2006, the Washington State Council was inducted into the Special Olympics of Washington Hall of Fame. State Deputy Karl Hadley and Chairman Ed Caballero accepted the award.

APPENDIX

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Appendix VI – Council Anniversaries

APPENDIX I

WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – CONVENTIONS & OFFICERS

NO	YEAR	CONVENTION	STATE DEPUTY	STATE SECRETARY	STATE TREASURER	STATE ADVOCATE	STATE WARDEN	STATE CHAPLAIN
1	1904	Seattle	James J Gorman 676	E J Manion 809	J J King 683	J J Noethe 829	Thomas J Ennis 766	Fr. Saindon 763
2	1905	Spokane	Dr Henry B Luhn 683	E J Manion 809	William H Clark 829	Thomas Smith 763	Thomas J Ennis	Rev Emil Kauten 676
3	1906	N. Yakima	T J Gorman 676	E J Manion 809	William H Clark 829	J H Lynch 894	James Hamill 683	M Rev Joseph F McGrath, Bishop, Baker
4	1907	Tacoma	T J Gorman 676	E J Manion 809	William H Clark 829	J H Lynch 894	James Hamill 683	M Rev Joseph F McGrath, Bishop, Baker
5	1908	Bellingham	Dr Thomas Tetreau 894	E J Manion 809	Edward O'Shea 683	W H Dunphy 766	James Hamill 683	Rev John Sweens 1401
6	1909	Walla Walla	Dr Thomas Tetreau 894	E J Manion 809	J M Wilwerding 1267	W H Dunphy 766	John P Foley 763	Rev John Sweens 1401
7	1910	Vancouver	Dr Thomas Tetreau 894	E J Manion 809	R L Kline 829	W H Dunphy 766	J J Cairns 1327	Rev John Sweens 1401
8	1911	Aberdeen	Frank J Dorsey 683	E J Manion 809	R L Kline 829	W H Dunphy 766	W J Egerer 1449	Rev Felix Verwilighen 1327
9	1912	N. Yakima	Frank J Dorsey 683	E J Manion 809	R L Kline 829	FAGarrech 766	W W Hayes 1606	Rev Felix Verwilighen 1327
10	1913	Raymond	John D Carmody 676	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	James Garvey 809	W W Hayes 1606	Rev Felix Verwilighen 1327
11	1914	Seattle	John D Carmody 676	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	James Garvey 809	W W Hayes 1606	Rev Felix Verwilighen 1327
12	1915	Walla Walla	John R Cassin 683	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	John I O'Phelan 1606	Dan W Hanrahan 1674	M Rev Robert J Armstrong, Bsh Sacramento
13	1916	Spokane	Dr James A Lagasa	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	John I O'Phelan 1606	Joseph Reder 1643	Rev Thomas Quain 1449
14	1917	Toppenish	George L Nyere 1449	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	John I O'Phelan 1606	M F McGowan 1379	Rev William Quigley 1674
15	1918	Tacoma	E J Walsh 809	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	John I O'Phelan 1606	L T Schiblin 1488	Rev G F Weibel 809
16	1919	Olympia	E J Walsh 809	Al G Schott 766	R L Kline 829	John I O'Phelan 1606	L T Schiblin 1488	Rev Thomas M Ryan 809
17	1920	Hoquiam	M J Luby 683	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	John S Lynch 1643	Charles H McQuaid 766	Rev Thomas M Ryan 809
18	1921	Bremerton	James H Kane 676	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	John S Lynch 1643	A F Kucklick 1480	Rev Thomas M Ryan 809
19	1922	Bellingham	James H Kane 676	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	Louis A Conyard 2155	E P Smith 1674	Rev Charles F Carroll 683
20	1923	Everett	Edward P Ryan 683	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	Louis A Conyard 2155	Joseph Reder 1643	Rev Charles F Carroll 683
21	1924	Yakima	Edward P Ryan 683	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	Louis A Conyard 2155	A Fontaine 2303	Rev Charles F Carroll 683
22	1925	Vancouver	Edward P Ryan 683	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	Charles O'brien 1620	James E Campbell 2103	Rev Charles F Carroll 683
23	1926	Chehalis	Edward P Ryan 683	L T Schiblin 1488	R L Kline 829	Charles Hahn 1643	J A P Regimbal 2303	M Rev Robert J Armstrong, Bsh Sacramento
24	1927	Ellensburg	Edward P Ryan 683	L T Schiblin 1488	Joseph Reder 1643	Clarence J Coleman 763	Ben Heitstutman 1565	M Rev Robert J Armstrong, Bsh Sacramento
25	1928	Wenatchee	Thomas Smith 2126	L T Schiblin 1488	Joseph Reder 1643	Clarence J Coleman 763	A Schuster 1480	Rev J F Barrett 829
26	1929	Seattle	Thomas Smith 2126	Al G Schott 766	Joseph Reder 1643	A Schuster 1480	Nick Dahmen 1823	Rev J F Barrett 829
27	1930	Bellingham	M J Hughes 676	Al G Schott 766	Joseph Reder 1643	B B Horrigan 1620	A J Nolan 1379	Rev Matthew S Beglin 676
28	1931	Ellensburg	M J Hughes 676	Al G Schott 766	Joseph Reder 1643	Hugh C McGavick 809	Walter Meyer 1565	Rev Louis B Egan 676
29	1932	Spokane	Terry T Grant 683	Al G Schott 766	Joseph Reder 1643	Hugh C McGavick 809	Frank L Tompkins 2303	Most Rev W J Condon Bishop, Great Falls
30	1933	Bellingham	Terry T Grant 683	Al G Schott 766	John H Morse 1379	Joseph J Feil 2303	J H Mallany 1674	Most Rev W J Condon Bishop, Great Falls
31	1934	Wenatchee	John I O'Phelan 1606	Al G Schott 766	John H Morse 1379	Joseph J Feil 2303	J H Mallany 1674	Rev Michael J Hayes 1606
32	1935	Aberdeen	John I O'Phelan 1606	Al G Schott 766	John H Morse 1379	J H Mallany 1674	Peter J McManamy 1401	Rev Michael J Hayes 1606
33	1936	Yakima	James P English 676	Al G Schott 766	R M Fuller 1643	J H Mallany 1674	Peter J McManamy 1401	Most Rev Gerald Shaughnessy
34	1937	Everett	James P English 676	Al G Schott 766	R M Fuller 1643	George E Flood 676	Peter J McManamy 1401	Most Rev Gerald Shaughnessy
35	1938	Longview	Justin C Maloney 683	Al G Schott 766	R M Fuller 1643	George E Flood 676	Victor Druffel 1565	
36	1939	Spokane	Justin C Maloney 683	Al G Schott 766	R M Fuller 1643	George E Flood 676	Victor Druffel 1565	
37	1940	Olympia	John F Osterman 763	Al G Schott 766	Harold Jacobs 1823	George E Flood 676	Tony Grashio 683	Rev Michael O'Callaghan 763
38	1941	Bellingham	John F Osterman 763	Al G Schott 766	Harold Jacobs 1823	Howard Leclair 1643	Joseph L Maloney 683	Rev Michael O'Callaghan 763
39	1942	Tacoma	Stephen A Cain 676	Al G Schott 766	Harold Jacobs 1823	Thomas Forhan 1379	Oliver J Beaudry 2303	Rev E J McFadden 676
40	1943	Chehalis	Stephen A Cain 676	Al G Schott 766	Harold Jacobs 1823	Thomas Forhan 1379	Oliver J Beaudry 2303	Rev E J McFadden 676
41	1944	Wenatchee	John B Soule 1545	Gerard S Welch 676	Charles F Hamlin 683	Frank W Ryan 1379	Vincent Meyer 1565	Rev Eugene Duffy 1545
42	1945	Aberdeen	John B Soule 1545	Gerard S Welch 676	Charles F Hamlin 683	Frank W Ryan 1379	Vincent Meyer 1565	Rev Eugene Duffy 1545
43	1946	Spokane W	George Hoffner 809	Gerard S Welch 676	Bernard Ganoung 2155	William Hayes 1401	Elmer Arens 1699	V Rev Jos P Dougherty 676
44	1947	Tacoma	W George Hoffner 809	Gerard S Welch 676	Bernard Ganoung 2155	William Hayes 1401	Elmer Arens 1699	V Rev Jos P Dougherty 676
45	1948	Walla Walla	Robert E Hall 683	Gerard S Welch 676	John J Smythe 1550	Frank Bloch 829	Stanley Levesque 1449	V Rev Bernard J Barry 683
46	1949	Pt Angeles	Arthur P Boyle 809	Gerard S Welch 676	Ronald Dube 1488	Oliver Beaudry 2303	Stanley Levesque 1449	Rev William E Quick 809
47	1950	Bellingham	Arthur P Boyle 809	Clarence Dostert 683	Ronald Dube 1488	Oliver Beaudry 2303	Edwin Backs 1379	Rev William E Quick 809
48	1951	Yakima	Gerard S Welch 676	Clarence Dostert 683	Ronald Dube 1488	Dave Affleck 2126	Edwin Backs 1379	Joseph P Dougherty 894
49	1952	Longview	Gerard S Welch 676	Clarence Dostert 683	Charles Baylon 1449	Norman Schille 1401	Edwin F Peschon 2999	Joseph P Dougherty 894
50	1953	Walla Walla	Edward T Walsh 3307	Clarence Dostert 683	Charles Baylon 1449	Karol G Weeks 1606	Robert D Meyers 1550	William Sweeney 3307
51	1954	Hoquiam	Carroll Martell 683	Clarence Dostert 683	J H Wales 1401	Karol G Weeks 1606	Robert D Meyers 1550	John Fahy 683

52	1955	Spokane	Carroll Martell 683	Norman S Herring 766	J H Wales 1401	Dennis Richardson 1674	Randall J Peavey 1758	John Fahy 683
53	1956	Everett	Norman S Herring 766	Clyde Boyle 809	J H Wales 1401	Joseph E Maher 3361	John W McCarthy 1550	Hugo Pautler 766
54	1957	Yakima	Norman S Herring 766	Clyde Boyle 809	Leslie Roberts 3598	Joseph E Maher 3361	Joseph Tuschoff 3455	Hugo Pautler 766
55	1958	Chehalis	Clyde Boyle 809	John Merchant 894	Leslie Roberts 3598	August Locati 766	Joseph Tuschoff 3455	Joseph A Hayostek 809
56	1959	Aberdeen	Clyde Boyle 809	Edward J Logan 676	Bernard Mitchell 1401	August Locati 766	Troy Ledgerwood 1460	Joseph A Hayostek 809
57	1960	Spokane	Edward J Logan 676	Clarence George 683	Fred Abraham 3645	Richard Meyer 1565	Joseph Klingele 894	Richard W Stohr 676
58	1961	Seattle	Edward J Logan 676	Clarence George 683	Fred Abraham 3645	Richard Meyer 1565	Joseph Klingele 894	Richard W Stohr 676
59	1962	Clarkston	Clarence George 683	Fred Abraham 3645	Robert Jaske 3307	A J Finn 1327	Joseph Klingele 894	Bernard J Barry 683
60	1963	Bellingham	Clarence George 683	Fred Abraham 3645	Warren Taufen 1488	A J Finn 1327	Joseph Klingele 894	Bernard J Barry 683
61	1964	Yakima	Wm. M Gerraughty 683	William J Bailey 1758	Warren Taufen 1488	Aubrey Aus 3361	George Mosebar 2103	Marvin Lavoy 683
62	1965	Tacoma	Wm. M Gerraughty 683	William J Bailey 1758	David Peterson 3598	Joseph Oenning 1823	George Mosebar 2103	Marvin Lavoy 683
63	1966	Longview	William J Bailey 1758	George Mosebar 2103	David Peterson 3598	Joseph Oenning 1823	Ray Kennedy 763	Ibar G Lynch
64	1967	Vancouver	William J Bailey 1758	George Mosebar 2103	David Peterson 3598	Ray Kennedy 763	Dean Miller 3598	Ibar G Lynch
65	1968	Walla Walla	Robert M Bourgette 676	George Mosebar 2103	Ray Kennedy 763	Harold G Westby 4782	Byron Evans 4322	Joseph Fulton 676
66	1969	Port Angeles	Robert M Bourgette 676	George Mosebar 2103	Harold G Westby 4782	Byron Evans 4322	Arthur Mee 683	Joseph Fulton 676
67	1970	Seattle	Harold G Westby 4782	I A Tony Weza 3455	Byron Evans 4322	James G Caldwell 2260	John P Holland 683	George Rink
68	1971	Richland	Harold G Westby 4782	I A Tony Weza 3455	Byron Evans 4322	James G Caldwell 2260	John P Holland 683	George Rink
69	1972	Bellevue	I A Tony Weza 3455	John P Holland 683	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	Msgr Hugo Pautler 3455
70	1973	Lakewood	I A Tony Weza 3455	John P Holland 683	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	Msgr Hugo Pautler 3455
71	1974	Spokane	John P Holland 683	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John Ketchum 1550	William Joyce SJ
72	1975	Bremerton	John P Holland 683	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John Ketchum 1550	William Joyce SJ
73	1976	Olympia	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	Alcuin Lawrence OSB
74	1977	Everett	James G Caldwell 2260	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	Alcuin Lawrence OSB
75	1978	Pasco	William F Witte 1379	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Gerald L Mayovsky
**			Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Gerald L Mayovsky
76	1979	Vancouver	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Andrew F Donohoe
77	1980	Spokane	Harry J Tucker Jr 8150	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Andrew F Donohoe
78	1981	Bellingham	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	John J Graisy SJ
79	1982	Lynnwood	John R Klein 4322	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	John J Graisy SJ
80	1983	Yakima	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Most Rev William Skylstad
81	1984	Bremerton	Hector P Maffei 3307	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Most Rev William Skylstad
82	1985	Richland	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Most Rev Lawrence H Welsh
83	1986	Bellevue	George C Turk 4385	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Most Rev Lawrence H Welsh
84	1987	Vancouver	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Most Rev Thomas J Murphy
85	1988	Spokane	Charles A Sohnly 5816	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Most Rev Thomas J Murphy
86	1989	Spokane	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Frank L Beaudry 8179	Gerald L Mayovsky
87	1990	Tacoma	Everett A Turner 894	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Frank L Beaudry 8179	Gerald L Mayovsky
88	1991	Yakima	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Frank L Beaudry 8179	Fred J Abraham 4782	John M Steiner 4196
89	1992	Pasco	Edward J Mertens 4196	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Frank L Beaudry 8179	Fred J Abraham 4782	John M Steiner 4196
90	1993	Spokane	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Most Rev Francis E George OMI
91	1994	Richland	Charles F Mclean 6686	Thomas L Weber 1565	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Most Rev Francis E George OMI
92	1995	Everett	Thomas L Weber 1565	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Darrell R Henn 8179	Paul S Vevik 1565
93	1996	Spokane	Thomas L Weber 1565	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Darrell R Henn 8179	Paul S Vevik 1565
94	1997	Kennewick	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 11762	Darrell R Henn 8179	Patrick M Maloney 6686	K Scott Connolly
95	1998	Mountlake Terrace	Everett J Roberts 11762	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 11762	Darrell R Henn 8179	Patrick M Maloney 6686	K Scott Connolly
96	1999	Spokane	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 11762	Darrell R Henn 8179	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Mike Rutland 7528	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
97	2000	Richland	Fred J Abraham 4782	Wayne C Hogan 11762	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Edward J Caballero 1629	Karl A Hadley 8179	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
98	2001	Vancouver	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	Andrew J Kraemer 4322	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
99	2002	Pasco	Wayne C Hogan 4322	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
100	2003	Tukwila	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	John H Williams 9605	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
101	2004	Spokane	Patrick M Maloney 6686	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	Most Rev Alexander J Brunett
102	2005	Tukwila	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ
103	2006	Kennewick	Karl A Hadley 8179	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ
104	2007	Bellevue	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ
105	2008	Spokane	John L Walker 8179	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ

106	2009	Tukwila	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Robert Baemmert 3307	Most Rev Alexander J. Brunett
107	2010	Yakima	John M Wallace 11762	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Robert Baemmert 3307	Most Rev Alexander J. Brunett
108	2011	Vancouver	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Robert Baemmert 3307	Patrick L Kelley 11253	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ
109	2012	Spokane	Donald McBride 3307	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Robert Baemmert 3307	Patrick L Kelley 11253	Most Rev Carlos A. Sevilla, SJ
110	2013	Pasco	George Czerwonka 12583	Ed Parazoo 12273	Robert Baemmert 3307	Patrick L Kelley 11253	Kim Washburn 1643	

** Following the death of State Deputy William F Witte (3 months following his election at the Pasco convention) new officers were elected by the State Officers to serve out the term.

APPENDIX II
WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – MEMBERSHIP

COUNCIL	CHARTER MEMBERSHIP	1915 TOTAL	1924 TOTAL	*1931 TOTAL	1951 TOTAL	1962 TOTAL	12/1/79 TOTAL	1/1/90 TOTAL	7/1/96 TOTAL	1/1/2005 TOTAL	1/1/2007 TOTAL	1/1/2010 TOTAL
676	57	896	1285	1041	1532	1450	874	644	477	444	442	434
683	29	599	1010	582	1105	1009	906	709	537	444	389	373
763	38	258	487	167	237	341	434	341	345	368	368	361
766	40	159	253	183	298	288	269	247	242	287	288	289
809	40	229	566	447	862	802	507	361	310	291	269	261
829	38	200	216	194	152	120	177	99	83	116	132	152
894	38	137	312	357	568	412	277	258	235	188	154	144
1327	39	135	148	132	257	194	144	152	184	227	206	183
1379	49	75	279	319	215	238	270	231	163	159	165	185
1401	50	83	78	94	126	94	75	81	73	101	105	108
1449	54	96	114	75	118	175	113	143	125	106	74	69
1460	35	69	36	59	74	95	99	121	109	112	113	114
1488	34	63	70	31	61	68	83	118	112	116	119	118
1545	47	78	149	115	202	225	170	122	128	138	137	146
1550	22	66	91	63	120	160	161	165	166	133	129	129
1565	43	75	89	104	105	118	131	128	138	136	143	140
1606	25	45	62	47	52	84	53	69	61	49	48	45
1620	48	47	64	46	76	135	199	197	191	183	194	173
1629	33							54	102	88	87	81
1643	32	54	151	94	150	271	237	273	266	311	322	286
1674	52	58	116	97	75	92	57	72	89	82	79	80
1699	29	21	78	51	126	100	95	96	73	80	81	95
1758	34	36	76	38	65	106	81	86	92	85	84	65
1823	66		94	84	83	66	72	65	69	64	58	55
2103	45		53	46	58	98	131	116	98	107	109	132
2126	92		121	90	140	176	218	183	176	137	112	108
2155	41		58	74	89	97	95	83	77	76	79	80
2260	47		96	87	100	99	73	67	90	96	100	101
2303	72		71	104	96	99	137	132	118	116	115	106
2763	44				149	293	208	217	238	187	158	148
2999	55				72	111	61	77	109	120	173	188
3044	53				67					33	40	41
3153	47				96	85	77	79	94	107	110	112
3307	64				190	207	308	307	311	308	342	323
3361	46				81	135	177	174	207	294	318	258
3455	45			40	112	120	144	147	126	129	139	
3598	88				262	292	232	210	215	226	226	237
3611	63							75	72	105	102	122
3645	61				275	114	187	164	147	125	113	
4196	56				119	114	93	94	140	160	155	

4322	84	277	290	288	242	166	156	152
4367	40	107	98	95	80	122	115	122
4385	64	152	223	219	166	154	167	196
4782	42	71	181	251	214	205	224	222
5177	54	62	134	131	141	86	85	73
5495	44		144	199	175	126	106	91
5816	55		249	188	193	249	223	220
6097	56		81	138	199	234	227	236
6686	36		134	109	134	175	179	201
6706	60		112	119	129	96	96	91
6806	35		74	107	118	123	120	124
7117	46		52	102	113	77	86	79
7149	40		42	33	44	55	53	52
7356	38		43	86	70	67	86	91
7360	35		34	58	62	73	78	72
7528	71			149	172	226	246	282
7642	60			64	125	188	172	188
7863	66			75	72	134	138	161
7907	49			58	38	102	102	107
7908	57			84	85	114	119	120
8015	34			49	63	89	98	116
8079	39			38	16	45	48	64
8102	40			77	56	92	93	97
8136	53			76	73	99	100	103
8137	57			89	98	139	147	127
8150	42			117	106	108	114	119
8179	57			140	205	218	216	258
8201	53			78	91	114	130	167
8266	33			40	31	74	66	64
8297	32			65	120	125	118	103
8311	39			69	66	103	114	105
8398	30			44	59	62	57	52
8437	40			78	84	67	72	69
8455	35			73	75	91	95	96
8476	39			62	104	140	151	150
8672	46			62	66	76	81	86
8768	50			43	76	96	84	87
8872	34			52	67	96	128	105
9145	52			70	76	86	97	89
9237	34			33	32	37	46	54
9238	54			63	146	188	193	201
9434	33			41	56	91	130	136
9605	44			64	75	47	53	50
9617	35			44	30	43	41	48

9637	31	39	57	58	62	56
9664	33	52	101	117	115	116
9721	30	37	34	37	67	51
9833	37	40	66	139	143	128
9910	36	41	34	38	41	49
9941	37	34	15	43	45	51
10532	31		42	55	64	61
10534	37		50	53	58	62
10543	35		43	71	74	88
10652	32		32	73	60	75
10653	36		68	107	128	148
10664	34		43	89	69	75
11085	31		34	37	36	45
11134	56		64	118	123	155
11217	34		75	146	153	163
11252	33		49	76	73	70
11253	31		58	78	87	80
11357	30		39	75	83	86
11408	32		48	85	91	79
11478	32		43	69	86	87
11611	30		49	84	95	73
11642	40		54	78	95	112
11736	31		31	44	42	28
11762	31		31	137	127	134
11780	33		33	106	101	108
11789	39		37	92	107	130
11906	30			39	42	59
11948	34			124	117	94
12002	36			36	44	44
12175	31			51	61	50
12251	36			34	39	44
12273	32			55	60	78
12420	36			43	42	38
12483	38			61	48	40
12583	35			75	77	91
12591	36			78	104	121
12786	67			86	97	101
12889	33			48	51	51
12899	60			82	100	117
12983	42			64	92	135
13186	47			84	88	90
13238	39			47	55	71
13364	32			31	41	46
13374	44			73	86	98

13395	31							49	62	72	
13422	34							44	46	51	
13462	38							38	43	46	
13560	38							41	65	86	
13597	30							29	37	43	
13606	42							70	75	58	
13761	30							34	37		
13794	39							44	66		
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14046	30							40	54		
14162	39							41	55		
14268	34								36		
14394	44								57		
14510	38								50		
14689	34								53		
14852											
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STATE TOTALS	1915	1924	*1931	1951	1962	12/1/79	1990	7/1/96	2005	2007	2010
	3479	6223	4821	7837	9480	9500	11361	12248	15207	15866	16392

APPENDIX III

STATE FAMILY PHOTOS



1924 State Convention, Yakima - May 11, 12 and 13

Archived photo donated by George Fiel, Toppenish Council 1699 (Jake Schultheis, Colton Council 1565, top row, 10th from the left)



4th Degree Class - October 10, 1964; Degree held at Spokane 683; Photo taken in front of St. Aloysius Church, Gonzaga; Michael W Kehr VSM, Junipero Serra Province (Oregon); Edward F Charette MFD, Washington; (Jim and Neil Meyer (Colton) – lower left, second row; Jack Guettinger (Colton) – left of John Holland; Gary Moser (Colton) – center, second row; John Holland (Spokane) – just left of upper center)



Jim Caldwell SD (1976) - L-R (rear): John Klein SA, Fr Alcuin Lawrence OSB, John Holland PSD
L-R (front): Hector Maffei SW, Bill Witte SS, Jim Caldwell SD, Pete Budig, Harry Tucker Jr ST



1973 – John Holland, Herb Westby and Bill Witte



1980 – Spokane – (L-R) Back: John Holland, John Klein, Harry Tucker. Front: Bill Bailey, Tony Weza, Bill Gerraughty, Hal Westby



1984 – Red Lion, Jantzen Beach – 25th Anniversary, St. Joseph Council 4782 – (L-R): Muriel and John Holland, Twila and Bill Bailey, Jenny and John Klein, Tony Weza, Mary Anna and Harry Tucker, Jo Witte, Hector Maffei, Bill Gerraughty, Hal and Jerri Westby



1995 State Convention, Bothell - (L-R) Fred and Chris Abraham Jr (State Advocate), Ed and Vi Mertens (Immediate Past State Deputy), Wayne and Lori Hogan (State Warden), Chuck and Bonnie McLean (State Deputy), Tom and Diane Weber (State Secretary) and Rob and Maria Roberts (State Treasurer)



1999 State Convention, Spokane - (L-R) Tom and Diane Weber (Immediate Past State Deputy), Darrell and Kathy Henn (State Advocate), Wayne and Lori Hogan (State Treasurer), Rob and Maria Roberts (State Deputy), Rev K Scott Connolly (State Chaplain), Fred and Chris Abraham Jr. (State Secretary) and Pat and Vera Maloney (State Warden)



1999 State Convention, Spokane - Former First Ladies (clockwise from Left) - Maria Roberts, Jenny Klein, Jean Turk, Jerri Westby, Muriel Holland, Diane Weber, Mary Anna Tucker, Vi Mertens and Lori Hogan.



2002 State Convention, Pasco - Past State Deputies and Former First Ladies: (L-R) Fred and Chris Abraham, Bill and Twila Bailey, Tom and Diane Weber (back row), John and Muriel Holland, Ed and Vi Mertens, Jo Witte (front), George and Jean Turk, Hector and Gloria Maffei, Rob and Maria Roberts, John and Jenny Klein (back row), Hal and Jerri Westby and Georgette Logan (front).



2005 State Convention, Tukwila - (L-R) Rev K Scott Connolly (Vice- State Chaplain), Don and Julie McBride (State Warden), John and Tess Walker (State Treasurer), Pat and Vera Maloney (State Deputy), Karl and Kyle Hadley (State Secretary), John and Sheila Wallace (State Advocate) and Wayne and Lori Hogan (Immediate Past State Deputy)



2006 State Convention, Kennewick - (L-R) Pat and Vera Maloney (Immediate Past State Deputy), Don and Julie McBride (State Advocate), John and Tess Walker (State Secretary), Bishop Carlos Sevilla (State Chaplain), Karl and Kyle Hadley (State Deputy), John and Sheila Wallace (State Treasurer) and George and Sharon Czerwonka (State Warden)



2007 State Convention, Bellevue - (L-R) Rev Wilmar O Zabala (State Vice-Chaplain), George and Sharon Czerwonka (State Warden), Don and Julie McBride (State Advocate), John and Tess Walker (State Secretary), Karl and Kyle Hadley (State Deputy), John and Sheila Wallace (State Treasurer), Pat and Vera Maloney (Immediate Past State Deputy) and Bishop Carlos Sevilla (State Chaplain)



2009 State Convention, Tukwila, Past State Deputies and Former First Ladies: (L to R) Back Row: Tess and John Walker, Muriel and John Holland, Hal Westby, Tom Weber, Rob Roberts, Ed Mertens, Pat Maloney. Middle Row: Hector Maffei, Fred Abraham, Karl Hadley, Jerri Westby, Vera Maloney, Diane Weber, John Klein. Front Row: Gloria Maffei, Chris Abraham, Kyle Hadley, Mary Anne Tucker, Maria Roberts, Jenny Klein (Absent during photo: Wayne and Lori Hogan)



2010 State Convention, Yakima - (L-R): John and Tess Walker (Immediate Past State Deputy), Don and Julie McBride (State Secretary), John and Sheila Wallace (State Deputy), George and Sharon Czerwonka (State Treasurer), Eddie and Dawna Parazoo (State Advocate) and Robert and Valerie Baemmert (State Warden)



WEBER FAMILY KNIGHTS, COLTON COUNCIL 1565 – July 3, 2010: (L-R, name and entry year) Back: Pat (1980), Jerry (1974), Bernie (1973) Middle: Chad Ryle (2010), Nathan (2002), Marty (1978), Nick (2003) Front: Brady Morrow (2008), LeRoy (1949), Tom (1965), Ryan (2000)

The Weber family has been an integral part of our council's history. Barthol, LeRoy's grandfather, was a member of the council's second class (November 19, 1911) - Bennie Druffel, Trudy's father, was also a member of the class. George, LeRoy's father, was the 1916 Charter Advocate of Uniontown Council 1823. All of LeRoy's sons – Tom, Bernie, Jerry, Marty and Pat – as well as Jerry's son - Nathan and nephew Chad Ryle - and Marty's sons - Ryan and Nick - are all members of the council (Since 1996, Bernie is a member of St Maries, Idaho). Brady Morrow, granddaughter Katie's husband, is a member of Msgr. Pautler Council 3455 in Clarkston. Bennie Druffel, LeRoy, brother Ed Weber, Tom, Jerry and Marty have served as grand knight. The latter three also served as district deputy and state chairman. Tom served as State Deputy of the Washington State jurisdiction for the 1995–1997 fraternal years.

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APPEL KNIGHTS, COLFAX COUNCIL 1488: (L-R) Front: Tony, Steve, Dave, Dick, and Neil. Back: Ron, Pete, Eric, and Travis

In rural southeast Washington State, Knights of Columbus councils may have many family members in the same council. The Appel family in Colfax, Washington (Council 1488) is another good example. The above picture of nine of the twelve 1488 members was taken on July 4, 2010 at the annual family gathering. Missing from the picture were Dan and Jim, who are on active military duty, and their brother Mark.

All of these Appels are progeny or married to progeny of Don and Edna Appel. They include Don's sons, grandsons, and great grandsons. Don was a convert to the church in 1967 when the youngest of his nine children, received her First Communion. He joined the Knights soon after. Four of his five sons – Tony, Steve, Dave, and Dick – are 1488 members and are pictured above. His other son, Fred, is a member of Council 3431 in Winchester, Tennessee. Three of this family (Dave, Eric, and Neil) are Past Grand Knights and Dave is a former District Deputy. Current council officers include Dick (Deputy Grand Knight), Pete (Chancellor), Neil (Trustee), and Dave (Financial Secretary).

Other KC members of this family include Bruce (00076 Salem MA), Tom (10263 Nicholasville KY), Mark Fluty (6317 Danville KY), Jerry Butcher (13440 Snellville GA), Ron Connell (4196 Spokane Valley WA), and Ron Scholz (12749 Solana Beach CA).

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APPENDIX IV

WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL AWARD HISTORY

HERB LIEBERT RIGHT-TO-LIFE MEMORIAL AWARD - 1979

The Washington State Council's Herbert M. Liebert, PGK Right-to-Life Memorial Award was initiated in 1978 by St. Frances Cabrini Council #4322 of Lakewood, immediately after the death of Past Grand Knight Herbert M. Liebert. PGK Herbert "Herb" Liebert was among the forerunners in the state who saw a need for a program against abortion. The award concept was submitted to the Washington State Council at the State Convention in Pasco, Washington in May 1978. The first presentation was at the 1979 State Convention by State Deputy Harry J. Tucker, Jr. The following Councils have received this prestigious award:

1979 Burien #5495	1996 Kennewick #8179
1980 Richland #3307	1997 Puyallup # 1629
1981 Spokane #683	1998 Shoreline #11217
1982 Richland #3307	1999 Anacortes #3361
1983 Richland #3307	2000 Langley #11357
1984 Spokane #683	2001 Olympia #1643
1985 White Center #8437	2002 Covington #11780
1986 Lynnwood #5816	2003 Eltopia-Connell #11478
1987 Burien #5495	2004 Camano Stanwood #8476
1988 Ahtanum Mission #6097	2005 Mercer Island #11642
1989 Lakewood #4322	2006 Kennewick #8179
1990 Lynnwood #5816	2007 Shoreline #11217
1991 Pasco #1620	2008 Kennewick #8179
1992 Camas-Washougal #2999	2009 Kennewick #8179
1993 Redmond #8102	2010 Kennewick #10653
1994 Renton #3645	2011 Kennewick #8179
1995 Kennewick #8179	2012 Kennewick #8179

THE FAMILY OF THE YEAR AWARD - 1982

At the 79th Annual Washington State Convention, held in May, 1982 in Lynnwood, State Deputy John R. Klein inaugurated the Family of the Year program by presenting Washington's first Family of the Year Award to the Joseph and Kay Boyle family from Spokane, Council #683. Three times, Washington State Council's Family of the Year has been selected as the International Family of the Year (*) - and once as First Runner-up (#). The following families have been honored:

1982 Joseph & Kay Boyle Spokane 683	1993 George & Mary Pachl Vancouver 4782*
1983 Merlin & Elise Simpson Lakewood 4322	1994 Jos & Marjorie Carpenter Pt Townsend 10532
1984 Ernest & Dorcas Oliver Sr Lakewood 4322	1995 Paul & Jean Nollette Pt Townsend 10532*
1985 Joseph & Agnes Schmidt Clarkston 3455	1996 Lawrence & Nancy D'Hondt Selah 8768
1986 John & Genevieve Klein Lakewood 4322#	1997 Robert & Pat White Port Townsend 10532
1987 Lovel & Janet Briere Olympia 1643*	1998 Steven & Rita Kuklish Lakewood 11762
1988 Joe & Jeanne Dunne Lynnwood 5816	1999 Donald & Arleen Spragg Spokane 8201
1989 Gary & Patricia Gunning Colbert 8872	2000 Harry & Julia Mathewson Bothell 6686
1990 Everett & Eileen Weakley Richland 3307	2001 Florian & Judy Herda Spokane 8201
1991 Michael & Beryl Herres Walla Walla 766	2002 John & Sheila Wallace Lakewood 11762
1992 Anthony & Monaca DeCarlo Poulsbo 8297	2003 James & Barbara Martz Covington 11780

2004 Gerald & Margie Sauve Spokane 8201	2009 Tim & Kelly McConnell, Clarkston 3455
2005 Brownie & Amelia Braungardt Spokane 8201	2010 Tom & Marie Sokol, Spokane Valley 8201
2006 Richard & Cheryl Swearingen Goldendale 7149	2011 Ed & Dani Sauley, Olympia Council 1643
2007 Joe & Nancy Borja Camas-Washougal 2999	2012 Sam & Pam Pellegrino, Olympia Council 1643
2008 Dick & Kathy McEntee, St Borromeo 13238	

FIRST DEGREE TEAM COMPETITION - 1986

Inaugurated at the 83rd Annual Washington State Convention in Bellevue by State Deputy George Turk, the competition has been held sporadically as interest has waxed and waned. The charter council of the award was Federal Way Council 7528. A plaque was given to the winning teams until 2001 when State Deputy Wayne Hogan had a traveling trophy constructed.

Year	Convention Location	Council	State Deputy	Ceremonial Chair
1986	Bellevue	Federal Way 7528	George Turk	Hector Maffei
1987	Vancouver	Richland 3307	George Turk	Hector Maffei
1988	Spokane	Toppenish 1699	Chuck Sohnly	George Turk
1989	Spokane	Kennewick 8179	Chuck Sohnly	George Turk
1990	Tacoma		Ev Turner	John Holland
1991	Yakima		Ev Turner	John Klein
1992	Pasco		Ed Mertens	Hector Maffei
1993	Spokane		Ed Mertens	Hector Maffei
1994	Richland		Chuck McLean	John Klein
1995	Bothell		Chuck McLean	John Klein
1996	Spokane	Kennewick 8179	Tom Weber	Chuck McLean
1997	Kennewick	Kennewick 8179	Tom Weber	Chuck McLean
1998	Mt L Terrace	Kennewick 8179	Rob Roberts	Chuck McLean
1999	Spokane	Richland 3307	Rob Roberts	George Turk
2000	Richland		Fred Abraham	Ed Mertens
2001	Vancouver		Fred Abraham	Ed Mertens
2002	Pasco	Tukwila 11253	Wayne Hogan	Tom Weber
2003	Tukwila	Lynnwood 5816	Wayne Hogan	Tom Weber
2004	Spokane	Lynnwood 5816	Pat Maloney	Tom Weber
2005	Tukwila	Kennewick 8179	Pat Maloney	Tom Weber
2006	Kennewick	Lynnwood 5816	Karl Hadley	Wayne Hogan
2007	Bellevue	Colfax 1488	Karl Hadley	Wayne Hogan
2008	Spokane	Richland 3307	John Walker	Wayne Hogan
2009	Tukwila	Tukwila 11253	John Walker	Wayne Hogan
2010	Yakima	Kennewick 8179	John Wallace	Wayne Hogan
2011	Vancouver	Tukwila 11253	John Wallace	Wayne Hogan
2012	Spokane	St Charles 8137, Spokane	Don McBride	Wayne Hogan

THE KNIGHT OF THE YEAR AWARD - 1991

The Washington State Council's Knight of the Year Award was initiated in 1990 by State Deputy Everett A. Turner. James McDonald of Seattle Council 5177 was the first recipient and received the award at the 1991 State Convention in Yakima. The following knights were honored as Washington State Council's Knight of the Year:

1991 James McDonald Seattle 5177	2003 Deacon William Loranger E Wenatchee 13186
1992 Jim Dunn Vancouver 4782	2004 Matt Jarolimek Camano Stanwood 8476
1993 Horace Suinn Federal Way 7528	2005 Jeff Schumacher Seattle 13606
1994 William Fera Vancouver 1327	2006 Dan Lee Covington 11780
1995 Ernest Oliver, Sr. Lakewood 4322	2007 Willie Blue Covington 11780
1996 Edward J. Caballero Puyallup 1629	2008 Ted Kunges, John Francis Laboon 13395
1997 Jerry Rhoads Richland 3307	2009 Joseph Huber, Father John Laboon 13395
1998 Patrick Gray Wenatchee 1545	2010 Dennis Cox, Father John Laboon 13395
1999 Charles R. 'Andy' Anderson Richland 3307	2011 Art Smalley, Colbert Council 8872
2000 'Chuck' Morrisey Camano-Stanwood 8476	2012 Joe Gallegos, Kennewick Council 8137
2001 Richard 'Mack' McDonnell Richard 3307	
2002 Donald J. McBride Richland 3307	

GEORGE TURK 'GIFT OF LIFE' BLOOD DONOR HONOR ROLL - 1995

On May 20, 1995 in Everett, at the 92nd Annual Washington State Convention's Awards Banquet, State Deputy Charles F. McLean announced the inauguration of the George C. Turk, PSD, FVSM, Gift of Life, Blood Donor Honor Roll. George Turk and his wife Jean accepted this plaque on behalf of all donor Knights and their families in Washington. There are three levels of recognition: > 200 pints; > 150 pints; and > 100 pints. The charter names inscribed on the Honor Roll were:

> 200 Pints

George C. Turk, Bellevue 4385
 Alex Cembalski, Richland 3307
 Richard McDonnell, Richland 3307

> 150 Pints

Dick Thomas, Richland 3307
> 100 Pints
 Wesley McLean, Yakima 6097

STATE DEPUTY'S 1,000 POINT CLUB - 1995

On May 20, 1995 in Everett, at the 92nd Annual Washington State Convention, State Deputy Charles F. McLean initiated the State Deputy's 1,000 Point Club. Fifteen grand knights were presented with a Certificate of Merit and inducted into this prestigious club. These councils achieved a total of 1,000 or more points through active participation in Service Program activities, membership, first degree exemplifications, and submission of Supreme and Washington State Council reports. The charter members were:

Brent Mikkelsen, Council 11217
 Leroy Mudd, Council 1629
 Sal de Alba, Council 6806
 Kent Kavanaugh, Council 766
 Bob Kirby, Council 1620
 Dick McDonnell, Council 3307
 Karl Hadley, Council 8179

Gene Cote', Council 10653
 Bill Wydur, Council 7356
 Don Seabury, Council 8476
 Cleo Boser, Council 9664
 Pat Maloney, Council 6686
 George Czerwonka, Council 8201
 Felipe Catabay, Council 3361

HARRY TUCKER MEMORIAL AWARD for FRATERNALISM - 1996

State Deputy Thomas L. Weber directed the establishment of the Harry J. Tucker, Jr., FSW, PSD, FVSM Memorial Award for Fraternalism shortly after Harry's death in 1996. The award is to

annually recognize the council, which best exemplifies fraternalism. The inaugural award was presented by State Deputy Thomas L. Weber and MaryAnna Tucker, Harry's widow, at the 1996 State Convention in Spokane. The charter recipient of the Memorial Award for Fraternalism was Richland Council 3307. The following Councils have received this prestigious award:

1996 Richland 3307	2005 Kennewick 10653
1997 Pasco 1620	2006 Pasco 1620
1998 Richland 3307	2007 Granite Falls 13560
1999 Puyallup 11948	2008 Holy Spirit 10653
2000 Pasco 1620	2009 Tukwila 11253
2001 Kennewick 10653	2010 Federal Way 7908
2002 Richland 3307	2011 Kennewick 8179
2003 Puyallup 11948	2012 Pope John Paul II 13794, Seattle
2004 Kennewick 10653	

WADE WALDEN 'HEROES' PLATELET DONOR HONOR ROLL - 2006

In honor of District Deputy Wade Walden, who died in January 2006 following an unsuccessful stem cell transplant, State Deputy Karl Hadley established the Wade S. Walden Platelets Memorial Award. It was first awarded at the 2006, 103rd State Convention in Kennewick.

Platelets are essential for blood clotting and are produced in the bone marrow of healthy people. They are only usable for five days, so the supply must be constantly replenished. Honor Roll requirements are that the knight or family member must have donated a cumulative amount of fifty units or more of platelets. The charter names inscribed on the Honor Roll were:

> 50 units(u)

Jim Orchekowsky, Council 5495 (98u)

Louis Hilderbrand, Council 4782 (88u)

John Cromy, Council 13374 (85u)

Bernard Wittgens, Council 13374 (74u)

Karl A Hadley, Council 8179 (70u)

APPENDIX V
WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL AWARD RECIPIENTS

1988

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Ronald L. Marchionni GK
COMMUNITY - RICHLAND COUNCIL 3307, Lyn Johnson GK and Dick Thomas GK
COUNCIL - COLFAX COUNCIL 1488, James S. Rockwell GK
FAMILY - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, James F. Bissen GK
YOUTH - MT VERNON COUNCIL 2126, Richard G. Garcia GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Ronald L. Marchionni GK
SECOND PLACE - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, James F. Bissen GK
THIRD PLACE - FERNDALE COUNCIL 7356, Merlyn L. Reinke GK

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Toppenish Council 1699
HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Ahtanum Mission Council 6097
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - JOSEPH and JEAN DUNNE, Lynnwood Council 5816

1989

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - FEDERAL WAY COUNCIL 7528, Robert D. Fischer GK
COMMUNITY - LAKEWOOD COUNCIL 4322, Wayne C. Hogan GK
COUNCIL - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 1327, Don L. Mattes GK
FAMILY - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Fred J. Abraham Jr GK
YOUTH - GIG HARBOR COUNCIL 9238, Mark W. Rogala GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Fred J. Abraham Jr GK
SECOND PLACE - SPOKANE COUNCIL 8201, Eugene J. Daspit GK
THIRD PLACE - FERNDALE COUNCIL 7356, Merlyn L. Reinke GK

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Kennewick Council 8179
HERB LIEBERT AWARD - St. Frances Cabrini Council 4322, LAKEWOOD
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - GARY and PATRICIA GUNNING, Colbert Council 8872

1990

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - SPOKANE COUNCIL 8201, Charles Pfeifer GK
COMMUNITY - BURIEN COUNCIL 5495, Roger Schultz GK
COUNCIL - MT VERNON COUNCIL 2126, George Herner GK
FAMILY - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 1327, William J Fera GK
YOUTH - MT LAKE TERRACE COUNCIL 9605, Frank J Valento GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, Robert Bertocchini GK
SECOND PLACE - KENT COUNCIL 8150, James Mucci GK
THIRD PLACE - FERNDALE COUNCIL 7356, Merlyn L Reinke GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Terry Doiron, District 19

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - (was not held)
HERB LIEBERT AWARD - FR CHIROUSE COUNCIL 5816, Lynnwood
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Everett and Eileen Weakley, Richland Council 3307

1991

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - BOTHELL COUNCIL 6686, Frank Bennet Jones GK
COMMUNITY - CAMAS COUNCIL 2999, Robert Bauras GK
COUNCIL - COLTON COUNCIL 1565, Arthur J Schultheis GK
FAMILY - KENNEWICK COUNCIL 8179, John (Pat) Kenny GK
YOUTH - CAMANO-STANWOOD COUNCIL 8476, Howard A Simmons GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, Robert Bertocchini GK
SECOND PLACE - TACOMA COUNCIL 809, Keith A Finnegan GK
THIRD PLACE - PORT ORCHARD COUNCIL 6706, Gerald L Lamont GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Robert Grandinetti, District 5

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - (was not held)
HERB LIEBERT AWARD - PASCO COUNCIL 1620
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR (Charter Member) - James McDonald, Seattle Council 5177
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Michael and Beryl Herres, Walla Walla Council 766

1992

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - ARLINGTON COUNCIL 8015, Greg Doiron GK
COMMUNITY - SPOKANE COUNCIL 683, Ed Block GK
COUNCIL - BOTHELL COUNCIL 6686, Leo T Moore GK
FAMILY - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Joe McCrow GK
YOUTH - MOUNTLAKE TERRACE COUNCIL 9605, Rene Taculad GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, Gary Green GK
SECOND PLACE - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Joe McCrow GK
THIRD PLACE - CAMAS/WASHOUGAL COUNCIL 2999, David Shanks GK

DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Ted Sirotski, District 2
SECOND PLACE - Don Erickson, District 6
THIRD PLACE - John Rowley, District 11

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - (was not held)
HERB LIEBERT AWARD -
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Jim Dunn, Camas/Washougal Council 2999
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Anthony and Monaca DeCarlo, Poulsbo Council 8297

1993

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 4782, Kyle O Christianson GK
COMMUNITY - MT VERNON COUNCIL 2126, Larry J Stanek GK
COUNCIL - TACOMA COUNCIL 809, Dean E Carmichael Jr GK
FAMILY - FT LEWIS/McCHORD COUNCIL 10652, Joseph W Grande GK
YOUTH - BOTHELL COUNCIL 6686, John A Mathewson GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - WALLA WALLA COUNCIL 766, Gordon (Doc) Cresci GK
SECOND PLACE - SPANAWAY COUNCIL 6806, Gary Green GK
THIRD PLACE - MT VERNON COUNCIL 2126, Larry J Stanek GK

DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD -

FIRST PLACE (tie) - William J White, District 1
FIRST PLACE (tie) - Richard Barson, District 19
SECOND PLACE - Frank Grant, District 22
THIRD PLACE - Horace Suinn, District 12

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - (was not held)
HERB LIEBERT AWARD - REDMOND COUNCIL 8102, Ronald J Holtz GK
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Horace Suinn, Federal Way Council 7528
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - George and Mary Pachl, Vancouver Council 4782

1997

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - COVINGTON COUNCIL 11780, Confirmation Spiritual Support
COMMUNITY - RICHLAND COUNCIL 3307, Hospital Equipment Lend Program
COUNCIL - FORT LEWIS/McCHORD COUNCIL 10652, Rosaries for Bosnia
FAMILY - SNOHOMISH COUNCIL 9664, Christmas Family
YOUTH - SPOKANE COUNCIL 683, Youth Sports Program

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Lakewood Council 4322, Robert Farcas GK
SECOND PLACE (tie) - Kennewick Council 8179, Mark W Showalter GK
SECOND PLACE (tie) - Seattle Council 11217, Cel Ebilane GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Edward P. Hebert DD2

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Kennewick Council 8179

Grand Knight - John P. Kenny
Deputy Grand Knight - Rick G. Weigel
Chancellor - Glenn K. Whitman
Financial Secretary - John F. St. Hilaire
Warden - Joseph T. Gallegos

1000 POINT CLUB -

Vancouver 1327 - Michael K Redd
Pasco 1620 - Bob McDonald
Richland 3307 - Loris H. Heller
Lakewood 4322 - Robert Farcas
Yakima 6097 - George A Briggs

Kennewick 8179 - Mark Showalter
Camano 8476 - Richard J Barson
Seattle 11217 - Cel Ebilane
Kent 11780 - James R. Martin
Bremerton 11789 - John R Marshall

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - PUYALLUP COUNCIL 1629, Lifesaver Lollipop Fund
HARRY TUCKER AWARD - PASCO COUNCIL 1620 - Survivors Assistance Memorials
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Jerry E. Rhoads, Richland Council 3307
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Robert and Pat White, Port Townsend Council 10532



Commander Robert A White, Sr.

Bob and Pat White
Spokane 2010



1998

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - LAKEWOOD COUNCIL 11762, Meditation Park
COMMUNITY - CAMANO-STANWOOD COUNCIL 8476, Mazatlan Hospital
COUNCIL - COVINGTON COUNCIL 11789, Founder's Day Celebration
FAMILY - TACOMA COUNCIL 809, The Joyce Family
YOUTH - WENATCHEE COUNCIL 1545, Winter Special Olympics Hospitality

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - SEATTLE COUNCIL 11217, Leon R. Lutovsky GK
SECOND PLACE - VANCOUVER COUNCIL 1327, John L. Glasow GK
THIRD PLACE - PUYALLUP COUNCIL 11948, Salomon De Alba GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Richard F Johnson, District 19

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)
Mark A Wahl, Richland 3307

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Kennewick Council 8179

John Kenny - Grand Knight
Rick Weigel - Deputy Grand Knight
Glenn Whitman - Chancellor
John S1. Hilaire - Financial Secretary
Joseph Gallegos - Warden

Top Ceremonialists:

Grand Knight - Brent Mikkelsen - Council 11217
Deputy Grand Knight - Rick Weigel - Council 8179
Chancellor - Cel Ebilane - Council 11217
Financial Secretary - John St. Hilaire - Council 8179
Warden - Joe Gallegos - Council 8179

1000 POINT CLUB -

Vancouver 1327 - John Glasow
Bremerton 1379 - Kirk Finch
Pasco 1620 - John Verderber
Mount Vernon 2126 - John Barone
Richland 3307 - Richard Zimmerman
Oak Harbor 3361 - Maurice Lund
Anacortes 3611 - Richard Halverson
Lakewood 4322 - Robert Farkas
Vancouver 4782 - Wilbert Covey
Yakima 6097 - Bernard Robillard
Spanaway 6806 - George Jackson
Ferndale 7356 - Harold Prosser
Federal Way 7908 - Delmar Decker

Kennewick 8179 - John Walker
Poulsbo 8297 - Storm Smole
Camano-Stanwd 8476 - Ernest Renaud
Selah 8768 - William Schuler III
Gig Harbor 9238 - Norbert Okonienski
Spokane 10534 - Alfred Gilmore
Prosser 10543 - John Brown
Ft Lew/McChrd 10652 - Joseph Nikoloa
Kennewick 10653 - Paul Keaney
Seattle 11217 - Leon Lutovsky
Tukwila 11253 - James Muir
Covington 11780 - Gary Weber
Puyallup 11948 - Salomon De Alba

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - SEATTLE COUNCIL 11217, Leon Lutovsky GK
HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Richland Council 3307, Richard Zimmerman GK
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Patrick S. Gray, Wenatchee Council 1545
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Steven and Rita Kuklish, Lakewood Council 11762

1999

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Richland Council 3307, 'An Evening of Grace'
COMMUNITY - Stillaguamish Council 8015, Baby Shower
COUNCIL - Holy Spirit Council 10653, Kennewick, 'Saving the Day'
FAMILY - Kennewick Council 8179, Benefit for Kianna Russell Family
YOUTH - Fr. Justin Garvey Council 6686, Christmas Party for Underprivileged Children

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - St Nicholas Council 9238, Gig Harbor, Jim Herman GK
SECOND PLACE - Fr. Theodore P Sullivan Council 11217, Seattle, Leon Lutovsky GK
THIRD PLACE - Fr Chirouse Council 5816, Lynnwood, Paul Roth GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD (tie) - Karl A Hadley, District 7 & Patrick Gray, District 10

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for *> 100 pints*)

Louis Hildebrand, Vancouver 4782	Carlos Ayuso-Martinez, Spanaway 6806
Frank. R. Coic, Spanaway 6806	Donald Seabury, Camano-Stanwood 8476
Gary R Green, Spanaway 6806	Lovel Briere, Olympia 1643 (<i>>200 pints</i>)

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Richland Council 3307

Gary Soehnlein - Grand Knight
Don McBride - Deputy Grand Knight
Mike Reisenauer - Chancellor
Al Rizzo - Financial Secretary
George Polyak - Warden

Top Ceremonialists

Grand Knight - Rich Legerski - Council 10543
Deputy Grand Knight - Don McBride - Council 3307
Chancellor- Mike Reisenauer - Council 8307
Financial Secretary - Al Rizzo - Council 3307
Warden - George Polyak - Council 3307

1000 POINT CLUB -

Bellingham 829 - Larry Stanek
Walla Walla 766 - Gregory Tompkins
Vancouver 1327 - James DeStael
Pasco 1620 - Robert Spindler
Olympia 1643 - John Anderson
Kelso-Longview 2763 - Ivan Golden
Richland 3307 - George Polyak
Oak Harbor 3361 - Douglas Warren
Anacortes 3611 - Donald Root
Lakewood 4322 - Gabriel Mendoza
Vancouver 4782 - Larry Whalen
Lynnwood 5816 - Paul Roth
Yakima 6097 - Bernard Robillard
Bothell 6686 - Steven Warren
Marysville 7863 - Dan Grumbach

Redmond 8102 - Jack Jurgensen
Kennewick 8179 - Tim Bettendorf
Camano-Stanwood 8476 - Jack Cartee
Gig Harbor 9238 - Jim Herman
Snohomish 9664 - George Whitaker
Prosser 10543 - John Brown
Fort Lewis/McChrd 10652 - Jay Doherty
Kennewick 10653. - John Zilar
Seattle 11085 - Bennett Jones
Seattle 11217 - Leon Lutovsky
Langley 11357 - Lawrence Jesmer
Lakewood 11762 - Ben Leon-Guerrero
Puyallup 11948 - Michael McGrath (deceased)
- Acting GK William Stanford

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Fr. Treunet Council 3611, Anacortes, Donald Root GK
HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Holy Disciples Council 11948, Puyallup

Michael McGrath (deceased) - Acting GK William Stanford

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Charles R "Andy" Anderson, Richland Council 3307

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Donald and Arleen Spragg, St John Vianney Council 8201

2000

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Mary Queen of Peace Council 9833, Issaquah, 'Grotto'
COMMUNITY - Richland Council 3307, '150 Bike Tour and Walk-A-Thon'
COUNCIL - St. Nicholas Council 9238, Gig Harbor, 'Blessing the Fleet'
FAMILY - Kennewick Council 10653, 'Adopt-a-Family'
YOUTH - Father Chirouse Council 5816, 'Furnishing for Archbishop Murphy High School'

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - St. Hubert Council 11357, Langley, William J Donohoe GK
SECOND PLACE - St. Michael's of Snohomish Council 9664, Charles R Green GK
THIRD PLACE - St. Nicholas Council 9238, Gig Harbor, James R Moergeli GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD (tie) - Paul Nichols, District 13 & Richard Johnson, District 19

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for *> 100 pints*)
Michael Spinler, Pasco 1620

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – NOT CONDUCTED

1000 POINT CLUB -

Everett 763 - Ronald D Forgey	Kennewick 8179 - Thomas J Sokol
Walla Walla 766 - Gregory Tompkins	Poulsbo 8297 - Anthony S Miller
Bellingham 829 - Larry Stanek	Camano-Stanwood 8476 - Jack Cartee
Vancouver 1327 - Daniel J Tresch	Selah 8768 - Larry D'Hondt
Pasco 1620 - Robert Spinler	Gig Harbor 9238 - James Moregeli
Kelso-Longview 2763 - Gerald Caulfield	Buckley-Enumclaw 9637 - David Heldstab
Richland 3307 - Clarence E Corriveau	Snohomish 9664 - Charles R Green
Oak Harbor 3361 - Michael L Mahoney	Prosser 10543 - Collin Karthauser
Auburn 3598 - Joseph G Ferong	Ft Lewis/McChrd 10652 - George VanCamp
Anacortes 3611 - Donald Root	Kennewick 10653 - Ron Mertens
Spokane 4196 - Frank J Owens	Seattle 11217 - Ray Egan
Lakewood 4322 - Franklin L Hyke	Tukwila 11253 - Monte Cromwell
Vancouver 4782 - John Little	Langley 11357 - William J Donohoe
Lynnwood 5816 - Tony McConn	Kirkland 11408 - Robert G Bluhm
Yakima 6097 - Bernard Robillard	Lakewood 11762 - Benito Leon-Guerrero
Spanaway 6806 - George Jackson	Bremerton 11798 - Laurence E Estabrook
Federal Way 7528 - Joseph Penwell	Puyallup 11948 - William Stanford
Federal Way 7908 - William Ashley	

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - St Hubert Council 11357, Langley, William J Donohoe GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Pasco Council 1620, Michael Spinler GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Charles J. 'Chuck' Morrisey, Camano-Stanwood Council 8476

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Harry and Julia Mathewson, Bothell Council 6686

2002

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Colfax Council 1488 - Eric Appel GK
COMMUNITY - Olympia Council 1643 - David A Brown GK
COUNCIL - Olympia Council 1643 - David A Brown GK
FAMILY - Pasco Council 1620 - Arthur Jensen GK
YOUTH - Lynnwood Council 5816 - Robert Burk GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Cowlitz Council 2763, William Loyer GK
SECOND PLACE - Lakewood Council 11762, Adam Diego GK
THIRD PLACE - Bothell Council 6686, Delbert Treichel GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - David Heldstab, District 3

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for *> 100 pints*)
Andrew Chesnut, Council 1488 Gerald Masterman, Council 8768
Robert Spinler, Council 1620 Raymond Rossignol, Council 8768

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Tukwila Council 11253

Grand Knight - James R. Duffy
Deputy Grand Knight - Monte E. Cromwell
Chancellor - Julius C. Neal Jr
Financial Secretary - Michael Smith
Warden - Paul Weis

1000 POINT CLUB -

Bellingham 829 - Joe St. Hilaire	Kirkland 7642 - Mark Mauger
Vancouver 1327 - Robert F. Schwarz	Kennewick 8179 - William Forsythe
Pasco 1620 - Arthur Jenson	Selah 8768 - Steven F. DeGrood
Kelso-Longview 2763 - William T Loyer	Gig Harbor 9238 - E. Peter Lancaster
Auburn 3598 - Joseph A. Eisenhauer	Snohomish 9664 - Ed Miller
Lynnwood 5816 - Robert Burk	Ft Lewis/McChord 10652 - George Van Camp
Spanaway 6806 - Robert Bertocchini	Prosser 10653 - James Toth
Bothell 6686 - Delbert H Treichel	Seattle 11217 - Thomas E. Nikirk
Ferndale 7356 - Brian Buchea	Lakewood 11762 - Adam Diego
Federal Way 7528 - Mike Hemmer	Puyallup 11948 - Phil J. Heinzman

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Covington Council 11780, John Campion GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Richland Council 3307, Bob Baemmert GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Donald McBride, Richland Council 3307

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - John & Sheila Wallace, Lakewood Council 11762

2003

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Camano-Stanwood Council 8476, Peter VanWagen GK
COMMUNITY - Kennewick Council 8179, Tony Duran GK
COUNCIL - Spanaway Council 6806, Dwight Booth GK
FAMILY - Harry J. Tucker Jr Council 11780, John Campion GK
YOUTH - Harry J. Tucker Jr Council 11780, John Campion GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Fr Justin P Garvey Council 6686, Delbert Treichel GK
SECOND PLACE - Holy Disciples Council 11948, Phil Heinzman GK
THIRD PLACE - Kennewick Council 8179, Tony Duran GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Bill Davis, District 16

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for *> 100 pints*)
Antonio (Tony) Fontaine, Council 894 (*> 200 pints*)

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Lynnwood Council 5816

Grand Knight - Michael J. Bunney
Deputy Grand Knight - Paul E. Roth
Chancellor - John Balch
Financial Secretary - Tony McConn
Warden - Bob Burke

1000 POINT CLUB -

Everett 763 - Eugene J. Brown	Marysville 7863 - Richard Janku
Tacoma 809 - John R. Connelly	Redmond 8102 - Micahel Ray
Pasco 1620 - Alfredo (Al) Escalera	Kennewick 8179 - Tony Duran
Puyallup 1629 - Jerry L Keller	Selah 8768 - Arnold Korynta
Port Angeles 2260 - Jack Brady	Mill Creek 9434 - Terry Dostert
Longview-Cowlitz 2763 - John Haderaller	Buckley-Enumclaw 9637 - Mark Kicken
Richland 3307 - Chuck Foley	Snohomish 9664 - Ed Miller
Oak Harbor 3361 - Leonard McGregor	Ft Lewis/McChord 10652 - George Van Camp
Auburn 3598 - Stan Pence	Prosser 10653 - Marcel P. Bergeron
Vancouver 4782 - Robert Howell	Seattle 11217 - Michael Connell
Burien 5495 - Ken DeVos	Woodland 11252 - Jerry Ross
Lynnwood 5816 - Keith Klaus	Langley 11357 - Robert C. Leiss
Bothell 6686 - Delbert H. Treichel	Lakewood 11762 - Adam Diego
Spanaway 6806 - Dwight Booth	Covington 11780 - John C. Campion
Ferndale 7356 - Gerald Schmit	Puyallup 11948 - Phil J. Heinzman
Federal Way 7528 - Marc Gonick	Kelso-Castle Rock 12786 - Richard Heater
Kirkland 7642 - Mark Mauger	East Wenatchee 13186 - Deacon Bill Loranger

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Bishop Bernard Topel 11478, Dennis Hayden GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Holy Disciples Council 11948, Phil Heinzman GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Deacon William F. Loranger - Holy Apostles Council 13186

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - James & Barbara Martz - Covington Council 11780

2005

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Spokane Council 4196, Dave Kishel GK
COMMUNITY - Bothell Council 6686, Robert L. Buendia GK
COUNCIL - Pasco Council 1620, Peter J McEnderfer GK
FAMILY - Richland Council 3307, Ron Kimball GK
YOUTH - Covington Council 11780, Dan J. Lee GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Fr. Justin P. Garvey Council 6686, Robert L. Buendia GK
SECOND PLACE - Richland Council 3307, Ronald Kimball GK
THIRD PLACE - Fr. Theodore P. Sullivan Council 11217, Bob P. Sanchez GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Robert Baemmert, District 7

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)
There were no honorees this year.

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Kennewick 8179

Grand Knight - William Forsythe
Deputy Grand Knight - Merle Pedersen
Chancellor - Mark Showalter
Financial Secretary - John St. Hilaire
Warden - Joe Gallegos

1000 POINT CLUB -

Bellingham 829 - James P. Sofka	Ft Lewis/McChord 10652 - Charles Gustafson
Pasco 1620 - Peter McEnderfer	Prosser 10653 - Russell Flye
Richland 3307 - Ron Kimball	Seattle 11217 - Bob Sanchez
Spokane 4196 - David Kishell	Woodland 11252 - Jerry Ross
Bellevue 4385 - John Lynch	Langley 11357 - Bill Paulson
Vancouver 4782 - Jonnir Lagana	Lakewood 11762 - Philip Sheridan
Lynnwood 5816 - Jeff Elekes	Covington 11780 - Dan Lee
Port Orchard 6706 - Daniel Bacque	Bremerton 11789 - Raymond Pratt
Bothell 6686 - Robert Buendia	Puyallup 11948 - David Swetz
Federal Way 7528 - Al Larpenteur	Kelso-Castle Rock 12786 - Donald Marcotte
Kent 8150 - Lloyd Qually	Vancouver 12899 - Steve Beachner
Spokane 8201 - Richard Weber	East Wenatchee 13186 - Wade Walden
Camano-Stanwood 8476 - John Buckley	Granite Falls 13560 - Ed Miller
Mill Creek 9434 - Frank Hardy	

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Fr. John Walsh Council 11642, Mike Stergios GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Holy Spirit Council 10653, Russell E. Flye GK

TO BE A PATRIOT AWARD - Rev William J Power Assembly 1630, Bellevue

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Jeff Schumacher, Council of Jesus Council 13606, Seattle

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - 'Brownie' & Amelia Braungardt, Spokane Council 8201

2006

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK
COMMUNITY - Colfax Council 1488, Paul Ahmann GK
COUNCIL - Eltopia/Connell Council 11478, Marv Grassl GK
FAMILY - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK
YOUTH - Eltopia/Connell Council 11478, Marv Grassl GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - Bothell Council 6686, Richard Foudray GK
SECOND PLACE - Holy Spirit Council 10653, Joseph Carson GK
THIRD PLACE - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Robert Howell, District 11

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

WADE WALDEN PLATELET DONOR HONOR ROLL (Charter Members)

> 50 units(u)	John Cromy, Council 13374 (85u)
Jim Orchekowsky, Council 5495 (98u)	Bernard Wittgens, Council 13374 (74u)
Louis Hilderbrand, Council 4782 (88u)	Karl A Hadley, Council 8179 (70u)

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Lynnwood Council 5816

Grand Knight - Mike Bunney
Deputy Grand Knight - Paul Roth
Chancellor - John Balch
Financial Secretary - Tony McConn
Warden - Bob Burk
Inside Guard - John Alexy
Aides - John Pezza and Jack Webster

1000 POINT CLUB -

Bellingham 829 - Louis St. Hilaire
Vancouver 1327 - Lee T DeStael
Bremerton 1379 - David Bauld
Pasco 1620 - Robert Spinler
Puyallup 1629 - John Moran
Camas-Washougal 2999 - David Casteel
Richland 3307 - Jim McGrath
Bellevue 4385 - Carmelo Ricciadelli
Vancouver 4782 - Johnnie V. Lagana
Bothell 6686 - Richard Foudray
Spanaway 6806 - Patrick Burke
Federal Way 7528 - Kevin Buck
Kent 8150 - Darrell Ehlers

Spokane 8201 - Tom Sokol
Camano-Stanwood 8476 - Donald Maile
Gig Harbor 9238 - T. Jack Michel
Mill Creek 9434 - Frank Hardy
Buckley-Enumclaw 9637 - Steven Rodacker
Prosser10653 - Joseph Carson
Seattle 11217 - Michael Cowan
Eltopia-Connell 11478 - Marv Grassl
Lakewood 11762 - Philip Sheridan
Bremerton 11789 - Raymond Pratt
East Wenatchee 13186 - Ken Paulus
Granite Falls 13560 - Ed Miller

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Kennewick Council 8179 Kevin Fischer GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Pasco Council 1620 Robert Spinler GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Dan J. Lee, Harry J. Tucker Council 11780, Covington

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Richard & Cheryl Swearingen, Goldendale Council 7149

2007

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - Kennewick Council 10653, George Mackie GK
COMMUNITY - Woodinville Council 14046, Sean Smith GK
COUNCIL - Poulsbo Council 8297, Thomas Musha GK
FAMILY - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK
YOUTH - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - St. Nicholas Council 9238, Larry Roemmich GK
SECOND PLACE - St. Louise Overlake Council 4385, Carmelo Ricciardelli GK
THIRD PLACE - Bremerton Council 1379, David Bauld GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Pete Caldwell, District 28

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)

WADE WALDEN PLATLET DONOR HONOR ROLL (added for > 50 units(u))
Edward Brands Council 12899

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Colfax Council 1488

1000 POINT CLUB -

Everett 763 - Steven Johnson
Bremerton 1379 - David Bauld
Pasco 1620 - Everardo Martinez
Olympia 1643 - Peter Gonzales
Camas-Washougal 2999 - David Casteel
Richland 3307 - Jim McGrath
Anacortes 3611 - Dennis Wilson
Spokane Valley 4196 - Daniel Tabish
Lakewood 4322 - John Klien
Bellevue 4385 - Carmelo Ricciardelli
Vancouver 4782 - Johnnie Lagana
Burien 5495 - Paul Hanks Sr
Bothell 6686 - Joe Pinedo
Spanaway 6806 - Richard Collins
Goldendale 7149 - Lawrence Weyer
Federal Way 7528 - Michael Fay
Kirkland 7642 - Steve Carbonetti
Arlington 8015 - William Higgins
Des Moines 8079 - Edward Stanley
Redmond 8102 - Gerry Weiler
Spokane 8137 - John Merle
Kent 8150 - Melvin Haus

Spokane Valley 8201 - Tom Sokol
Poulsbo 8297 - Thomas Musha
Seattle 8437 - Dominic Parmantier
Camano-Stanwood 8476 - Donald Maile
Selah 8768 - Ken Kron
Colbert 8872 - John Roecker
Gig Harbor 9238 - T Jack Michel
Mill Creek 9434 - Frank Hardy
Ft Lewis-McChrd 10652 - Russ Cantonwine
Kennewick 10653 - George Mackie
Shoreline 11217 - Richard Garzon
Woodland 11252 - Steve Harms
Tukwila 11253 - David Ojeda
Langley 11357 - Bill Paulson
Kirkland 11408 - Glen Rollman
Mercer Islnd 11642 - John Brondello III
Lakewood 11762 - Donald Denning
Bremerton 11789 - William Paxson
Colville 12273 - Michael Courneyer
Kelso-Castle Rock 12786 - Gary Troske
Vancouver 12899 - Steve Beachner
Vancouver 12983 - Ronald Deibert

East Wenatchee 13186 - Ken Paulus
Renton 13374 - Paul Feider
Silverdale 13395 - Roy E. Lawton

Granite Falls 13560 - Ed Miller
Woodinville 14046 - Sean Smith

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Shoreline Council 11217, Richard Garzon GK
HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Granite Falls Council 13560, Ed Miller GK
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Willie Blue, Covington Council 11780
FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Joe and Nancy Borja, Camas-Washougal Council 2999

2008

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH - St Joseph Council 7528, Kenneth Baune GK
COMMUNITY - Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Council 14046, Todd Kinsfather GK
COUNCIL - Kennewick Council 8179, Timothy Reisenauer GK
FAMILY - Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Council 14046, Todd Kinsfather GK
YOUTH - Pasco Council 1620, Mark Schouviller GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE - St Nicholas Council 9238, Larry Roemmich GK
SECOND PLACE - St Louise Council 4385, Carmelo Ricciardelli GK
THIRD PLACE - Bremerton Council 1379, David Bauld GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD - Richard Foudray, DD16

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)
Donald Shafer, Council 4385

WADE WALDEN PLATLET DONOR HONOR ROLL (added for > 50 units(u))
NO ADDITIONS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST - Richland Council 3307



Grand Knight - Ron Kimball
Deputy Grand Knight - Don McBride
Chancellor - Mike Reisenauer
Financial Secretary - Gary Soehnlein

Warden - Ronald Rourk
Inside Guard - Bob Baemmert
Aides - Shane Smith and Mike Wise

1000 POINT CLUB –

Pasco 1620 - Mark Schouviller
Bellevue 4385 - Tuan Nguyen
Kirkland 7642 - Mark Mauger
Kent 8150 - Roddney Kapule
Kennewick 8179 - Tim Reisenauer
Spokane 8201 - Robert Joy
Stanwood 8476 - Reinhold Schmidt

Kennewick 10653 - Stan Hicks
Shoreline 11217 - Paul Brown
Langley 11357 - Chuck Errico
Colville 12273 - Edwin Broadhurst
East Wenatchee 13186 - Rich Poole
Silverdale 13395 - Wayne Zuehls
Woodinville 14046 - Todd Kinsfather

HERB LIEBERT AWARD - Kennewick Council 8179, Timothy Reisenauer GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD - Holy Spirit Council 10653, Stan Hicks GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR - Ted Kunges, John Francis Laboon 13395, Silverdale

FAMILY OF THE YEAR - Dick and Kathy McEntee, St Charles Borromeo 13238, Tacoma

2009

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH – Holy Redeemer Council 12899, Gregory Georgoff GK
COMMUNITY – St John Bosco Council 11762, Everett J Roberts GK
COUNCIL – Holy Spirit Council 10653, Ken Wise GK
FAMILY – Pasco Council 1620, Jesse Garza GK
YOUTH - Fr Justin P Garvey Council 6686, Gregory M Lum GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE – Kennewick Council 8179, Jeffrey L Hylden GK
SECOND PLACE – St John Evangelist Council 12983, Ygnacio M Calderon GK
THIRD PLACE – Holy Redeemer Council 12899, Gregory Georgoff GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD – Romy Ablao, District 21

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)
Joseph P Gallegos, Council 8179
David C Lane, Council 8179 (> 150 pints)

WADE WALDEN PLATLET DONOR HONOR ROLL (added for > 50 units(u))
NO ADDITIONS

1000 POINT CLUB -

Tacoma 809 - Charles Dunn
Vancouver 4782 - Stephen Dixon
Federal Way 7528 - Kenneth Baune
Marysville 7863 - James Taylor

Kennewick 8179 - Jeffery Hylden
Camano-Stanwood 8476 - Dennis Allen Jr
Lakewood 11762 - Everett J. Roberts
Tacoma 13238 - David L. Warren

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – Tukwila Council 11253



Grand Knight - John Feuerborn (substitute)
Deputy Grand Knight - Monte Cromwell
Chancellor - Patrick Kelley

Financial Secretary - Larry Frampton
Warden - Rey Castillo
Sound Man/Inside Guard - Jerry Lund

HERB LIEBERT AWARD – Kennewick Council 8179, Jeffrey L Hylden GK
HARRY TUCKER AWARD – Tukwila Council 11253, James R Duffy GK
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR – Joseph Huber, Father John Laboon Council 13395
FAMILY OF THE YEAR – Tim and Kelly McConnell Family, Msgr Hugo Pautler Council 3345

2010

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH –Holy Spirit Council 10653, James Carey GK
COMMUNITY – Holy Cross Council 13560, Paul Gassmann GK
COUNCIL – Fr. Justin P. Garvey Council 6686, Gregory Lum GK
FAMILY – Holy Cross Council 13560, Paul Gassmann GK
YOUTH - Kennewick Council 8179, John Hickman GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE – St. Theresa Council 7908, Thomas J Smith GK
SECOND PLACE – Holy Cross Council 13560, Paul Gassmann GK
THIRD PLACE – Fr. Thomas Lane Council 3645, Gary Stadtmueller GK
DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD – Patrick Kelley, District 15

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)
Kenneth Burns, St. Theresa Council 7908, 106 pints
Gerald Hill, Colville Council 12273, 134 pints

WADE WALDEN PLATLET DONOR HONOR ROLL (added for > 50 units(u))
Patti Longhurst (spouse), St Theresa Council 7908, 59 units

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – Kennewick Council 8179



Grand Knight - William Forsythe
Deputy Grand Knight - Merle Pedersen
Chancellor - George Nuxoll

Financial Secretary - Jeff Hylden
Warden - John Hickman

1000 POINT CLUB –

Pasco 1620 – Richard Krema
Olympia 1643 – Thomas Pursley
Vancouver 4782 – Eugene Mesa
Lynnwood 5816 – Mike Deacy
Bothell 6686 – Gregory Lum
Marysville 7863 – James Taylor
Federal Way 7908 – Thomas Smith
Spokane 8137 - Lee Bayley
Kent 8150 – Robert Ugarte

Kennewick 8179 – John Hickman
Spokane 8201 – Thomas Crossan
Camano-Stanwood 8476 – Larry Shaw
Colbert 8872 - Laudie Falman
Shoreline 11217 – Rafino Isip
Langley 11357 – John Joyst
Lakewood 11762 – John Forrest
Granite Falls 13560 – Paul Gassmann
Seattle 13794 – Emilio Lenato

HERB LIEBERT AWARD/PPO-LIFE – Holy Spirit Council 10653, James Carey GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD – St. Theresa Council 7908, Thomas Smith GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR – Dennis Cox, Fr. John Francis Laboon Council 13395, Silverdale

FAMILY OF THE YEAR – Tom & Marie Sokol Family, St. John Vianney Council 8201

2011

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH – Kennewick Council 8179, Lawrence Devlin, GK
COMMUNITY – Colbert Council 8872, Dwane Berens, GK
COUNCIL – St. John the Evangelist Council 12983, Gerald Zsenyuk, GK
FAMILY – Holy Spirit Council 10653, Brent Thomas, GK
PRO-LIFE – Kennewick Council 8179, Lawrence Devlin, GK
YOUTH – Holy Spirit Council 10653, Brent Thomas, GK

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE – Colbert Council 8872, Dwane Berens, GK
SECOND PLACE – St. John the Evangelist Council 12983, Gerald Zsenyuk, GK
THIRD PLACE – St. John Bosco Council 11762, John P. Forrest, GK
STATE CHAIRMAN'S AWARD – Frank & Roseann Tyson

DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD – Steve Snell District 7

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)

Richard Poole, Council 13186, 107 pints

Loris Heller, Council 3307, 115 pints

WADE WALDEN PLATELET HONOR ROLL (added for > 50units(u))

Jim Orcheckowsky, Council 5495, 220 units

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – Tukwila Council 11253



Grand Knight – John Feuerborn (substitute)
Deputy Grand Knight – Monte Cromwell
Chancellor – Patrick Kelly

Financial Secretary – Larry Frampton
Warden – Rey Castillo

1000 POINT CLUB –

Everett 763 – John Reed
Pasco 1620 – Steve Martinez
Olympia 1643 – Ronald DeGroot
Richland 3307 – Mikhail Alnajjar
Bothell 6686 – Leo Sherican
Federal Way 7528 – Cary Wright
Federal Way 7908 – Thomas Smith
Spokane 8137 – Steve Navratil
Kennewick 8179 – Lawrence Devlin
Spokane 8201 – Roy Burns

Seattle 8437 – Macabe Mooney
Camano-Stanwood 8476 – Richard Chavarrie
Colbert 8872 – Dwane Berens
Gig Harbor 9238 – Paul Beaudoin
Kennewick 10653 – Brent Thomas
Lakewood 11762 – John Forrest
Vancouver 12983 – Gerald Zsenyuk
Enumclaw 13364 – Joseph Schamer
Renton 13374 – Dennis Thueringer
Granite Falls 13560 – Harold Small
Seattle 13794 – Emilio Leonato

HERB LIEBERT AWARD/PRO-LIFE – Kennewick Council 8179, Lawrence Devlin, GK

HARRY TUCKER AWARD – Kennewick Council 8179, Lawrence Devlin, GK

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR – Art Smalley, Colbert Council 8872

FAMILY OF THE YEAR – Ed & Dani Sauley, Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia



FAMILY OF THE YEAR –Frank Tyson, State Pro-Life Chairman, presents the Washington State Family of the Year Award to Ed & Dani Sauley from Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643 in Olympia.

BELOW: Members of the 4th Degree Honor Guard for the 108th annual meeting, assembles for a photo before the Convention Banquet. Front row participants (L-R) are District Marshalls John Rowley and Tom Sokol; Master Karl Hadley; Vice-Supreme Master Wayne Hogan; and District Marshalls Gene Brown and Tom Morgan (Oregon)



2012

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH – Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia; GK Kim Washburn

COMMUNITY – St. Joseph Council 8872, Colbert, GK Dwane Berens

COUNCIL – Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia; GK Kim Washburn

FAMILY – Kennewick Council 8179, GK Lawrence Devlin

PRO-LIFE – Kennewick Council 8179, GK Lawrence Devlin

YOUTH – St. Joseph Council 8872, Colbert, GK Dwane Berens

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE – Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia; GK Kim Washburn

SECOND PLACE – St. Theresa Council 7908, Federal Way; GK Eugene Victor

THIRD PLACE – Fr. Justin P. Garvey Council 6686, Bothell; GK Michael McCloskey

DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD – Joe Schamer, District 3

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)

Mark Nedrow, Selah 8768 – 170 pints

Ralph Berger, Selah 8768 – 169 pints

Joe Gallegos, Kennewick 8179 – 149 pints

Alan Newhouse, Bellevue 10664 – 140 pints

Rob Rodgers, Pasco 1620 – 115 pints

WADE WALDEN PLATELET HONOR ROLL (added for > 50units(u))

NO ADDITIONS

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – St Charles Council 8137, Spokane

Grand Knight – Tom Kelleher

Financial Secretary – Ron Girkins

Deputy Grand Knight – Jim Perkins

Warden – Ed Lapinski

Chancellor – Ernie Vollmer

1000 POINT CLUB –

Olympia 1643 – Kim Washburn

Poulsbo 8297 – John V. Rebar

Federal Way 7908 – Eugene Victor

Camano-Stanwood 8476 – Kenneth M. Kron

Bothell 6686 – Michael McCloskey

Colbert 8872 – Dwane Berens

Kennewick 8179 – Lawrence E. Devlin

Vancouver 12983 – Jerome Andre

Seattle 13794 – Stephen G. Schweyen

HERB LIEBERT AWARD/PRO-LIFE – Kennewick Council 8179, GK Lawrence Devlin

HARRY TUCKER AWARD – Pope John Paul II Council 13794, Seattle, GK Stephen

Schweyen Sr

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR – Joseph Gallegos, Kennewick Council 8179

FAMILY OF THE YEAR – Sam & Pam Pellegrino Family, Olympia Council 1643



FAMILY OF THE YEAR –

Sam and Pam Pellegrino, Olympia, with children: TiraLyn (36), Jennifer (35), Gina (32), Joseph (29), Samantha (27), Bernadette (26), Maria (24), Anthony (18), and Dominic (13); SD Don McBride and Julie; and Chairman Steve Snell of Walla Walla Council 766

SPECIAL AWARD – As a token of appreciation for his many successful years as *Pennies for Heaven* Chairman, the **Beggar for Christ** vest that he wore as chairman was presented in a framed display by SD Don McBride to Duane Vincent, Holy Redeemer Council 12899, Vancouver, and his wife Sylvia



2013

SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

CHURCH – St Joseph's Council 8872, Colbert, GK Art Smalley

COMMUNITY – St. Joseph's Council 8872, Colbert, GK Art Smalley

COUNCIL – St. Joseph's Council 8872, Colbert, GK Art Smalley

FAMILY – St. John the Evangelist 12983, Vancouver, GK Jerome P. Andre

PRO-LIFE (Herb Liebert) – Fr Anthony McGirl 7907, Issaquah, GK Gregory S. Mahoney

YOUTH – Fr. Nicholas Rausch Council 1643, Olympia, GK Kim Washburn

STATE DEPUTY AWARDS

FIRST PLACE – St Joseph's Council 8872, Colbert, GK Art Smalley

SECOND PLACE – Fr. Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643, Olympia

THIRD PLACE – Pope John Paul II Council 13794, Seattle

(Honorable Mention– St Theresa Council 7908, Federal Way)

DISTRICT DEPUTY AWARD – Gerry Garrison, District 12

(Honorable Mention – Tommy Rosati, District 2)

CHAIRMAN OF THE YEAR: Ygnacio M. “Mike” Calderon, Hispanic Membership

STATE COUNCIL AWARDS

GEORGE C. TURK, GIFT OF LIFE HONOR ROLL (added for > 100 pints)

NO ADDITIONS

WADE WALDEN PLATELET HONOR ROLL (added for > 50units(u))

Charles (Chip) Dowd, Council 10652

FIRST DEGREE TEAM CONTEST – Bremerton Council 1379, Bremerton



Grand Knight – Tom Collier

Deputy Grand Knight – John Devine

Chancellor – Tommy Rosati

Financial Secretary – Ed Hebert Sr

Warden – Bill Smith Sr

Top Ceremonialists:

Grand Knight - Mike Donohue, Seattle 676

Deputy Grand Knight - John Devine, Bremerton

Chancellor - Tommy Rosati, Bremerton 1379

Financial Secretary - Ed Herbert, Sr., Bremerton

Warden - Ed Lakinski, St. Thomas More 8137

1000 POINT CLUB

Pope John Paul II 13794; Stephen Schweyen

St Joseph 8872; Arthur Smalley

Fr Nicholas Rausch OSB 1643; Kim Washburn

St Theresa 7908; Eugene Victor

St Joseph 7528; Joseph Wolleat

Deacon Donald F Hanaka 8476; Kenneth Kron

St John the Evangelist 12983; Jerome Andre

Msgr Hugh O'Flaherty 8297; John Rebar

HARRY TUCKER AWARD – St Michael the Archangel 14394, Spokane, GK James Forsyth Jr
KNIGHT OF THE YEAR – Jim Senko; St. John Bosco Council 11762, Lakewood



FAMILY OF THE YEAR – Dennis and Christeen Cox
Fr. John Francis LaBoon Council 13395 – Silverdale

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SEATTLE	SEATTLE COUNCIL	00676	6/22/1902	6/21/1912	6/22/1927	6/21/1952	6/21/1977	6/21/2002
SPOKANE	SPOKANE COUNCIL	00683	6/29/1902	6/28/1912	6/29/1927	6/28/1952	6/28/1977	6/28/2002
EVERETT	EVERETT COUNCIL	00763	10/28/1903	10/27/1913	10/27/1928	10/27/1953	10/27/1978	10/27/2003
WALLA WALLA	MICHAEL FLOHR COUNCIL	00766	5/13/1903	5/12/1913	5/12/1928	5/12/1953	5/12/1978	5/12/2003
TACOMA	TACOMA COUNCIL	00809	9/6/1903	9/5/1913	9/5/1928	9/5/1953	9/5/1978	9/5/2003
BELLINGHAM	BELLINGHAM COUNCIL	00829	12/27/1903	12/26/1913	12/26/1928	12/26/1953	12/26/1978	12/26/2003
YAKIMA	YAKIMA COUNCIL	00894	5/15/1904	5/15/1914	5/15/1929	5/15/1954	5/15/1979	5/14/2004
SEATTLE	PREFONTAINE	1267	10/28/1907	MERGED w/ 676 - 1912				
VANCOUVER	COLUMBIA COUNCIL	1327	5/17/1908	5/17/1933	5/17/1958	5/17/1983	5/16/2008	
BREMERTON	BREMERTON COUNCIL	01379	2/21/1909	2/21/1919	2/21/1934	2/21/1959	2/21/1984	2/20/2009
ELLENSBURG	FR. PARODI COUNCIL	01401	4/25/1909	4/25/1919	4/25/1934	4/25/1959	4/24/1984	4/24/2009
ABERDEEN	ABERDEEN COUNCIL	01449	11/21/1909	11/21/1919	11/21/1934	11/21/1959	11/20/1984	11/20/2009
POMEROY	POMEROY COUNCIL	01460	2/13/1910	2/13/1920	2/13/1935	2/13/1960	2/12/1985	2/12/2010
COLFAX	COLFAX COUNCIL	01488	5/22/1910	5/21/1920	5/22/1935	5/21/1960	5/21/1985	5/21/2010
WENATCHEE	WENATCHEE COUNCIL	01545	2/26/1911	2/25/1921	2/26/1936	2/25/1961	2/25/1986	2/25/2011
CHEHALIS	ROBERT D. MEYERS COUNCIL	01550	2/26/1911	2/25/1921	2/26/1936	2/25/1961	2/25/1986	2/25/2011
COLTON	COLTON COUNCIL	01565	4/23/1911	4/22/1921	4/22/1936	4/22/1961	4/22/1986	4/22/2011
RAYMOND	WILLAPA HARBOR COUNCIL	01606	3/10/1912	3/10/1922	3/10/1937	3/10/1962	3/10/1987	3/9/2012
PASCO	PASCO COUNCIL	01620	3/24/1912	3/24/1922	3/24/1937	3/24/1962	3/24/1987	3/23/2012
PUYALLUP	ALL SAINTS COUNCIL	01629	12/15/1912	DISSOLVED 1918 - Reinstated 12/28/83				
OLYMPIA	OLYMPIA COUNCIL	01643	6/16/1912	6/16/1922	6/16/1937	6/16/1962	6/16/1987	6/15/2012
HOQUIAM	JAMES T. QUIGG COUNCIL	01674	3/9/1913	3/9/1923	3/9/1938	3/9/1963	3/8/1988	3/8/2013
TOPPENISH	TOPPENISH COUNCIL	01699	6/22/1913	6/22/1923	6/22/1938	6/22/1963	6/21/1988	6/21/2013
CENTRALIA	CENTRALIA COUNCIL	01758	7/14/1914	7/13/1924	7/14/1939	7/13/1964	7/13/1989	7/13/2014
UNIONTOWN	UNIONTOWN COUNCIL	01823	12/19/1915	12/18/1925	12/18/1940	12/18/1965	12/18/1990	12/18/2015
GRANDVIEW	ST. JOSEPH COUNCIL	02103	2/29/1920	2/28/1930	2/28/1945	2/28/1970	2/28/1995	2/28/2020
MT. VERNON	MSGR. BOULET COUNCIL	02126	4/25/1920	4/25/1930	4/25/1945	4/25/1970	4/25/1995	4/24/2020
CHEWELAH	CHEWELAH COUNCIL	02155	7/11/1920	7/11/1945	7/11/1970	7/11/1995	7/10/2020	
PORT ANGELES	PORT ANGELES COUNCIL	02260	5/1/1921	5/1/1931	5/1/1946	5/1/1971	4/30/1996	4/30/2021
MOXEE	HOLY ROSARY COUNCIL	02303	7/28/1921	7/28/1931	7/28/1946	7/28/1971	7/27/1996	7/27/2021
KELSO-LONGVIEW	COWLITZ COUNCIL	02763	10/13/1935	10/12/1945	10/12/1960	10/12/1985	10/12/2010	10/12/2035
CLARKSTON	CLARKSTON	02811	10/1/1939	DISSOLVED 1942 - Reinstated 5/16/1951				
CAMAS-WASHOUGAL	FR. BLANCHET COUNCIL	02999	9/8/1946	9/7/1956	9/8/1971	9/7/1996	9/7/2021	9/7/2046
OMAK	OKANOGAN VALLEY	03044	5/12/1947	DISSOLVED 3/31/1955 - Reinstated 3/30/1999				
EPHRATA	COLUMBIA BASIN COUNCIL	03153	5/9/1948	5/9/1958	5/9/1973	5/9/1998	5/9/2023	5/8/2048
RICHLAND	RICHLAND COUNCIL	03307	4/16/1950	4/15/1960	4/16/1975	4/15/2000	4/15/2025	4/15/2050
OAK HARBOR	JOHN E. O'BRIEN COUNCIL	03361	11/26/1950	11/25/1960	11/26/1975	11/25/2000	11/25/2025	11/25/2050
CLARKSTON	MSGR. HUGO PAUTLER COUNCIL	03455	5/16/1951	5/15/1961	5/15/1976	5/15/2001	5/15/2026	5/15/2051
AUBURN	AUBURN COUNCIL	03598	4/30/1953	4/30/1963	4/30/1978	4/30/2003	4/29/2028	4/29/2053
ANACORTES	FR. TREUNET COUNCIL	03611	3/19/1953	DISSOLVED 1960 - Reinstated 9/23/1980				
RENTON	RENTON COUNCIL	03645	4/27/1953	4/27/1963	4/27/1978	4/27/2003	4/26/2028	4/26/2053
SPOKANE	ST. MARYS COUNCIL	04196	4/6/1956	4/6/1966	4/6/1981	4/6/2006	4/6/2031	4/5/2056
LAKEWOOD	ST. FRANCES CABRINI COUNCIL	04322	1/7/1957	1/7/1967	1/7/1982	1/7/2007	1/7/2032	1/6/2057
MOSES LAKE	MOSES LAKE COUNCIL	04367	2/17/1957	2/17/1967	2/17/1982	2/17/2007	2/17/2032	2/16/2057
BELLEVUE	OVERLAKE COUNCIL	04385	3/21/1957	3/21/1967	3/21/1982	3/21/2007	3/20/2032	3/20/2057
VANCOUVER	ST. JOSEPH COUNCIL	04782	4/27/1959	4/26/1969	4/26/1984	4/26/2009	4/26/2034	4/26/2059
NORTH SEATTLE	NORTH SEATTLE COUNCIL	05177	8/10/1961	8/10/1971	8/10/1986	8/10/2011	8/9/2036	8/9/2061
BURien	POPE JOHN XXIII COUNCIL	05495	2/13/1964	2/12/1974	2/12/1989	2/12/2014	2/12/2039	2/12/2064

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LYNNWOOD	FR. CHIROUSE COUNCIL	05816	3/20/1966	3/19/1976	3/20/1991	3/19/2016	3/19/2041	3/19/2066
YAKIMA	AHTANUM MISSION COUNCIL	06097	7/8/1968	7/8/1978	7/8/1993	7/8/2018	7/8/2043	7/7/2068
BOTHELL	JOSEF CARDINAL MINDZENTY COUNCIL	06686	7/2/1975	7/1/1985	7/1/2000	7/1/2025	7/1/2050	7/1/2075
PORT ORCHARD	ST. ELIZABETH SETON COUNCIL	06706	6/27/1975	6/26/1985	6/26/2000	6/26/2025	6/26/2050	6/26/2075
SPANAWAY	SPANAWAY COUNCIL	06806	5/2/1976	5/2/1986	5/2/2001	5/2/2026	5/2/2051	5/1/2076
BATTLE GROUND	PADRE PIO COUNCIL	07117	5/4/1978	5/3/1988	5/4/2003	5/3/2028	5/3/2053	5/3/2078
GOLDDENDALE	GOLDDENDALE COUNCIL	07149	7/7/1978	7/6/1988	7/7/2003	7/6/2028	7/6/2053	7/6/2078
FERNDALE	HOLY FAMILY COUNCIL	07356	6/12/1979	6/11/1989	6/11/2004	6/11/2029	6/11/2054	6/11/2079
PULLMAN	SACRED HEART COUNCIL	07360	6/13/1979	6/12/1989	6/12/2004	6/12/2029	6/12/2054	6/12/2079
FEDERAL WAY	ST. JOSEPH COUNCIL	07528	3/15/1980	3/15/1990	3/15/2005	3/15/2030	3/15/2055	3/14/2080
KIRKLAND	OBADIAH COUNCIL	07642	8/12/1980	8/12/1990	8/12/2005	8/12/2030	8/12/2055	8/11/2080
ANACORTES	FR TREUNET COUNCIL	03611	9/23/1980	9/23/1990	9/23/2005	9/23/2030	9/23/2055	9/22/2080
MARYSVILLE	FRED HARRINGTON COUNCIL	07863	3/29/1982	3/28/1992	3/29/2007	3/28/2032	3/28/2057	3/28/2082
ISSAQAH	FR. ANTHONY MCGIRL COUNCIL	07907	11/22/1981	11/22/1991	11/22/2006	11/22/2031	11/21/2056	11/21/2081
FEDERAL WAY	ST. THERESA COUNCIL	07908	12/3/1981	12/3/1991	12/3/2006	12/3/2031	12/2/2056	12/2/2081
ARLINGTON	STILLAGUAMISH COUNCIL	08015	3/29/1982	3/28/1992	3/29/2007	3/28/2032	3/28/2057	3/28/2082
DES MOINES	CENTENNIAL COUNCIL	08079	5/5/1982	5/4/1992	5/5/2007	5/4/2032	5/4/2057	5/4/2082
REDMOND	FR. ENGLEBERT M. AXER COUNCIL	08102	5/14/1982	5/13/1992	5/14/2007	5/13/2032	5/13/2057	5/13/2082
BELLEVUE	SACRED HEART COUNCIL	08136	6/18/1982	6/17/1992	6/18/2007	6/17/2032	6/17/2057	6/17/2082
SPOKANE	ST. CHARLES COUNCIL	08137	6/14/1982	6/13/1992	6/14/2007	6/13/2032	6/13/2057	6/13/2082
KENT	KENT COUNCIL	08150	6/24/1982	6/23/1992	6/24/2007	6/23/2032	6/23/2057	6/23/2082
KENNEWICK	KENNEWICK COUNCIL	08179	9/10/1982	9/9/1992	9/10/2007	9/9/2032	9/9/2057	9/9/2082
SPOKANE	ST. JOHN VIANNEY COUNCIL	08201	10/12/1982	10/11/1992	10/12/2007	10/11/2032	10/11/2057	10/11/2082
SPOKANE	ST. PASCHAL COUNCIL	08266	12/8/1982	12/7/1992	12/8/2007	12/7/2032	12/7/2057	12/7/2082
YAKIMA	OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE	08294	3/7/1983			DISSOLVED 8/5/1985		
POULSBO	MSGR. HUGH O'FLAHERTY COUNCIL	08297	3/3/1983	3/2/1993	3/2/2008	3/2/2033	3/2/2058	3/2/2083
SEATTLE	VERN RASCHKO-MAGNOLIA COUNCIL	08311	3/24/1983	3/23/1993	3/23/2008	3/23/2033	3/23/2058	3/23/2083
SPOKANE	ST. PETER COUNCIL	08398	11/30/1983	11/29/1993	11/29/2008	11/29/2033	11/29/2058	11/29/2083
SEATTLE	MSGR. AILBE MCGRATH COUNCIL	08437	7/12/1983	7/11/1993	7/11/2008	7/11/2033	7/11/2058	7/11/2083
SEQUIM	SEQUIM COUNCIL	08455	7/24/1983	7/23/1993	7/23/2008	7/23/2033	7/23/2058	7/23/2083
CAMANO-STANWOOD	CAMANO-STANWOOD COUNCIL	08476	12/15/1983	12/14/1993	12/14/2008	12/14/2033	12/14/2058	12/14/2083
PUYALLUP	ALL SAINTS COUNCIL	01629	12/28/1983	12/27/1993	12/27/2008	12/27/2033	12/27/2058	12/27/2083
SEDRO WOOLLEY	NORTH CROSS COUNCIL	08672	4/5/1984	4/5/1994	4/5/2009	4/5/2034	4/5/2059	4/4/2084
SELAH	OUR LADY OF LOURDES COUNCIL	08768	8/12/1984	8/12/1994	8/12/2009	8/12/2034	8/12/2059	8/11/2084
COLBERT	COLBERT COUNCIL	08872	2/10/1985	2/10/1995	2/10/2010	2/10/2035	2/10/2060	2/9/2085
CHENEY	ST. ROSE COUNCIL	09145	12/3/1985	12/3/1995	12/3/2010	12/3/2035	12/2/2060	12/2/2085
SPOKANE	MARY QUEEN COUNCIL	09237	2/27/1986	2/27/1996	2/27/2011	2/27/2036	2/26/2061	2/26/2086
GIG HARBOR	ST. NICHOLAS COUNCIL	09238	3/3/1986	3/2/1996	3/3/2011	3/2/2036	3/2/2061	3/2/2086
MILL CREEK	NORTH CREEK COUNCIL	09434	11/18/1986	11/17/1996	11/18/2011	11/17/2036	11/17/2061	11/17/2086
MOUNTLAKE TERRACE	ST. PIUS X COUNCIL	09605	7/7/1987	7/6/1997	7/6/2012	7/6/2037	7/6/2062	7/6/2087
EVERETT	CASCADE COUNCIL	09617	8/6/1987	8/5/1997	8/5/2012	8/5/2037	8/5/2062	8/5/2087
BUCKLEY-ENUMCLAW	RAINER COUNCIL	09637	9/30/1987	9/29/1997	9/29/2012	9/29/2037	9/29/2062	9/29/2087
SNOHOMISH	ST. MICHAEL'S OF SNOHOMISH	09664	12/6/1987	12/5/1997	12/5/2012	12/5/2037	12/5/2062	12/5/2087
SPOKANE	ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN	09721	2/5/1988	2/4/1998	DISSOLVED 3/1/2005 - Number issued to Deer Park			
ISSAQAH	MARY QUEEN OF PEACE - PLATEAU	09833	6/9/1988	6/9/1998	6/9/2013	6/9/2038	6/9/2063	6/8/2088
MONROE	ST. MARY OF THE VALLEY	09910	11/5/1988	11/5/1998	11/5/2013	11/5/2038	11/5/2063	11/4/2088
BELLINGHAM	FAIRHAVEN COUNCIL	09941	12/13/1988	12/13/1998	DISSOLVED 6/1/2003 - Number issued to Burlington			
PORT TOWNSEND	SARGE BRYANT COUNCIL	10532	1/2/1991	1/1/2001	1/2/2016	1/1/2041	1/1/2066	1/1/2091

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SPOKANE	OUR LADY OF FATIMA COUNCIL	10534	1/8/1991	1/7/2001	1/8/2016	1/7/2041	1/7/2066	1/7/2091
PROSSER	SACRED HEART COUNCIL	10543	1/4/1991	1/3/2001	1/4/2016	1/3/2041	1/3/2066	1/3/2091
FORT LEWIS	THE FOUR CHAPLAINS COUNCIL	10652	6/19/1991	6/18/2001	6/18/2016	6/18/2041	6/18/2066	6/18/2091
KENNEWICK	HOLY SPIRIT COUNCIL	10653	6/19/1991	6/18/2001	6/18/2016	6/18/2041	6/18/2066	6/18/2091
BELLEVUE	ST MADELINE SOPHIE COUNCIL	10664	4/14/1993	4/14/2003	4/14/2018	4/14/2043	4/13/2068	4/13/2093
SEATTLE	MSGR. F.X. PREFONTAINE COUNCIL	11085	4/14/1993	4/14/2003	4/14/2018	4/14/2043	4/13/2068	4/13/2093
SPOKANE	ST. THOMAS MORE COUNCIL	11134	6/17/1993	6/17/2003	6/17/2018	6/17/2043	6/16/2068	6/16/2093
SEATTLE	FR. THEODORE P. SULLIVAN COUNCIL	11217	11/18/1993	11/18/2003	11/18/2018	11/18/2043	11/17/2068	11/17/2093
WOODLAND	JOHN HENRY NEWMAN COUNCIL	11252	1/22/1994	1/22/2004	1/22/2019	1/22/2044	1/21/2069	1/21/2094
TUKWILA	ST. THOMAS COUNCIL	11253	1/25/1994	1/25/2004	1/25/2019	1/25/2044	1/24/2069	1/24/2094
LANGLEY	ST. HUBERT COUNCIL	11357	6/1/1994	5/31/2004	6/1/2019	5/31/2044	5/31/2069	5/31/2094
KIRKLAND	ST. JOHN MARY VIANNEY COUNCIL	11408	8/11/1994	8/10/2004	8/11/2019	8/10/2044	8/10/2069	8/10/2094
ELTOPIA-CONNELL	BISHOP BERNARD J. TOPEL COUNCIL	11478	1/15/1995	1/14/2005	1/15/2020	1/14/2045	1/14/2070	1/14/2095
OTIS ORCHARDS	ST. JOSEPH COUNCIL	11611	6/24/1995	6/23/2005	6/23/2020	6/23/2045	6/23/2070	6/23/2095
MERCER ISLAND	FR. JOHN WALSH COUNCIL	11642	9/26/1995	9/25/2005	9/25/2020	9/25/2045	9/25/2070	9/25/2095
QUINCY	ST. PIUS X COUNCIL	11736	3/24/1996	3/24/2006	DISSOLVED	6/1/2010 - Number issued to Black Diamond		
LAKEWOOD	ST. JOHN BOSCO COUNCIL	11762	4/19/1996	4/19/2006	4/19/2021	4/19/2046	4/19/2071	4/18/2096
KENT	HARRY J. TUCKER JR. COUNCIL	11780	5/5/1996	5/5/2006	5/5/2021	5/5/2046	5/5/2071	5/4/2096
BREMERTON	HOLY TRINITY COUNCIL	11789	5/16/1996	5/16/2006	5/16/2021	5/16/2046	5/16/2071	5/15/2096
SNOQUALMIE	SNOQUALMIE VALLEY COUNCIL	11906	12/19/1996	12/19/2006	12/19/2021	12/19/2046	12/19/2071	12/18/2096
PUYALLUP	HOLY DISCIPLES COUNCIL	11948	5/11/1997	5/11/2007	5/11/2022	5/11/2047	5/10/2072	5/10/2097
BELFAIR	PRINCE OF PEACE COUNCIL	12002	6/16/1997	6/16/2007	6/16/2022	6/16/2047	6/15/2072	6/15/2097
SEATTLE	FR RICHARD STOHR COUNCIL	12175	3/26/1998	3/25/2008	3/26/2023	3/25/2048	3/25/2073	3/25/2098
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND	ARCHBISHOP THOMAS J MURPHY CNCL	12251	6/18/1998	6/17/2008	6/18/2023	6/17/2048	6/17/2073	6/17/2098
COLVILLE	COLVILLE COUNCIL	12273	8/26/1998	8/25/2008	8/26/2023	8/25/2048	8/25/2073	8/25/2098
OKANOGAN	OKANOGAN VALLEY	03044	3/30/1999	3/29/2009	3/29/2024	3/29/2049	3/29/2074	3/29/2099
LYNDEN	LYNDEN COUNCIL	12420	6/27/1999	6/26/2009	6/26/2024	6/26/2049	6/26/2074	6/26/2099
TACOMA	VISITATION COUNCIL	12483	7/24/1999	7/23/2009	7/23/2024	7/23/2049	7/23/2074	7/23/2099
SPOKANE	ST ALOYSIUS - GONZAGA COUNCIL	12583	11/1/1999	10/31/2009	10/31/2024	10/31/2049	10/31/2074	10/31/2099
EDMONDS	MOTHER THERESA COUNCIL	12591	4/21/2000	4/21/2010	4/21/2025	4/21/2050	4/21/2075	4/21/2100
KELSO-CASTLE ROCK	ST MICHAEL	12786	9/25/2000	9/25/2010	9/25/2025	9/25/2050	9/25/2075	9/25/2100
SEATTLE	MSGR ACHTERGAU	12889	3/15/2001	3/15/2011	3/15/2026	3/15/2051	3/14/2076	3/15/2101
VANCOUVER	HOLY REDEEMER	12899	4/2/2001	4/2/2011	4/2/2026	4/2/2051	4/1/2076	4/2/2101
VANCOUVER	ST JOHN EVANGELIST	12983	9/21/2001	9/21/2011	9/21/2026	9/21/2051	9/20/2076	9/21/2101
EAST WENATCHEE	HOLY APOSTLES	13186	7/1/2002	6/30/2012	7/1/2027	6/30/2052	6/30/2077	7/1/2102
TACOMA	ST CHARLES	13238	11/23/2002	11/22/2012	11/23/2027	11/22/2052	11/22/2077	11/23/2102
BURLINGTON	DAVID BARBER (<i>NUMBER REISSUED</i>)	09941	6/1/2003	5/31/2013	5/31/2028	5/31/2053	5/31/2078	6/1/2103
ENUMCLAW	SACRED HEART	13364	7/18/2003	7/17/2013	7/17/2028	7/17/2053	7/17/2078	7/18/2103
RENTON	ST STEPHEN MARTYR	13374	7/27/2003	7/26/2013	7/26/2028	7/26/2053	7/26/2078	7/27/2103
SILVERDALE	FR JOHN LABOON	13395	9/22/2003	9/21/2013	9/21/2028	9/21/2053	9/21/2078	9/22/2103
COUPEVILLE	BUD DORR	13422	11/26/2003	11/25/2013	11/25/2028	11/25/2053	11/25/2078	11/26/2103
BURIEN	ST BERNADETTE	13462	2/12/2004	2/11/2014	2/11/2029	2/11/2054	2/11/2079	2/12/2104
GRANITE FALLS	HOLY CROSS	13560	6/12/2004	6/12/2014	6/12/2029	6/12/2054	6/12/2079	6/12/2104
LEAVENWORTH	LEAVENWORTH	13597	8/24/2004	8/24/2014	8/24/2029	8/24/2054	8/24/2079	8/24/2104

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SEATTLE	COUNCIL OF JESUS	13606	8/13/2004	8/13/2014	8/13/2029	8/13/2054	8/13/2079	8/13/2104
DEER PARK	ST MARY PRESENTATION (<i>NUMBER REISSUED</i>)	09721	3/1/2005	3/1/2015	3/1/2030	3/1/2055	2/29/2080	3/1/2105
SEATTLE	ASSUMPTION	13761	3/28/2005	3/28/2015	3/28/2030	3/28/2055	3/27/2080	3/28/2105
SEATTLE	POPE JOHN PAUL II	13794	5/9/2005	5/9/2015	5/9/2030	5/9/2055	5/8/2080	5/9/2105
SPOKANE	POPE JOHN PAUL II	13831	6/15/2005	6/15/2015	6/15/2030	6/15/2055	6/14/2080	6/15/2105
SEATTLE	ST BRIDGET	13834	6/15/2005	6/15/2015	6/15/2030	6/15/2055	6/14/2080	6/15/2105
WOODINVILLE	TERESA OF CALCUTTA	14046	5/29/2006	5/28/2016	5/29/2031	5/28/2056	5/28/2081	5/29/2106
FIFE	ST MARTIN OF TOURS	14162	8/28/2006	8/27/2016	8/28/2031	8/27/2056	8/27/2081	8/28/2106
NEWPORT	PEND OREILLE	14268	4/16/2007	4/15/2017	4/15/2032	4/15/2057	4/15/2082	4/16/2107
SPOKANE	MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL	14394	10/18/2007	10/17/2017	10/17/2032	10/17/2057	10/17/2082	10/18/2107
FAIRCHILD AFB	HOLY FAMILY COUNCIL	14510	4/23/2008	4/23/2018	4/23/2033	4/23/2058	4/23/2083	4/23/2108
SHORELINE	ST LUKE	14689	2/15/2009	2/15/2019	2/15/2034	2/15/2059	2/15/2084	2/15/2109
SEATTLE	ST MATTHEW	14852	9/28/2009	9/28/2019	9/28/2034	9/28/2059	9/27/2084	9/28/2109
SPOKANE	OUR LADY OF LOURDES	14922	12/22/2009	12/22/2019	12/22/2034	12/22/2059	12/21/2084	12/22/2109
SUNNYSIDE	H. A. REINHOLD	14926	12/22/2009	12/22/2019	12/22/2034	12/22/2059	12/21/2084	12/22/2109
BLACK DIAMOND	ST BARBARA (<i>NUMBER REISSUED</i>)	11736	6/1/2010	5/31/2020	6/1/2035	5/31/2060	5/31/2085	6/1/2110
SUMNER-ORTING	ST JOSEPH THE WORKER	15136	10/15/2010	10/14/2020	10/15/2035	10/14/2060	10/14/2085	10/15/2110
SPOKANE	ST ALOYSIUS	15143	10/12/2010	10/11/2020	10/12/2035	10/11/2060	10/11/2085	10/12/2110
SEATTLE	JOHN PEYTON	15338	8/1/2011	7/31/2021	7/31/2036	7/31/2061	7/31/2086	8/1/2111
TACOMA	ST ANNE	15462	2/29/2012	2/28/2022	2/28/2037	2/28/2062	2/28/2087	2/29/2112
SEATTLE	ST EDWARD	15538	7/16/2013	7/16/2023	7/16/2038	7/16/2063	7/15/2088	7/16/2113
CLE ELUM / ROSYLN	CLE ELUM / ROSYLN	15684	4/25/2013	4/25/2023	4/25/2038	4/25/2063	4/24/2088	4/25/2113
OCEAN SHORES	FR STEVE ROMAN	15689	4/24/2013	4/24/2023	4/24/2038	4/24/2063	4/23/2088	4/24/2113
VANCOUVER	ST JAMES	15730	5/17/2013	5/17/2023	5/17/2038	5/17/2063	5/16/2088	5/17/2113
SEATTLE	NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS	15721	5/28/2013	5/28/2023	5/28/2038	5/28/2063	5/27/2088	5/28/2113