



COUNCIL 10834
Monthly Newsletter
January 2008

Meetings and Events:

- **Rosary and Corporate Communion**, 7:30 a.m., Sunday, **January 6, 2007**
- **Knights of Columbus Open House**, **To be scheduled on a future date**
- **Our Lady of Charity Marian Hour**, **Wednesday, January 9, 2009, at 6:30 p.m.**
- **Regular Meeting**, **Wednesday, January 9, 2009, at 7:30 p.m.**
- **Christmas Caroling**, **Sunday, December 23, 2007 at 6:00 p.m. at Colonial Manor**
- **Marian Hour of Prayer**, **January 9, 2008 at 6:30 p.m.**
- **Council Free Throw Contest**, **Sunday, January 13, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. at Lansing Activity Center**
- **Mardi Gras Dance**, **Saturday, February 2, 2008**
- **District Free Throw Contest**, **Sunday, February 3, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. at Tonganoxie**
- **Knight of Columbus Bowling Tournament**, **Mission Kansas, February 16, 17, 23, 24 and March 1 and 2**
- **Eucharistic Family Crusade at Kaufman Stadium on May 25, 2008 at 3:00 p.m.**

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**Knight of the Month**  
**Dave Soukup**

**Family of the Month**  
**Larry Vanderhoff Family**

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Membership:

- 9 1st Degree Ceremonies:
- 9 2nd and 3rd Degree Ceremonies:
- 9 4th Degree Ceremonies:
 - o Bunko scheduled for December 14th.
- 9 The council is in good standing with the National Council.
- 9 The council is at -4 in members and -1 in insurance members towards meeting its goals.
- 9 The council considered the admission of Thomas E. Johnson. The prospective member is a member of the Basehor parish. The Basehor council will be notified of the application prior to this council voting on admission.

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**Council Meeting Highlights:**

*Meeting conducted by Grand Knight on December 12, 2007*

9 **Capital Campaign Pledge:** Anyone wishing to donate to the church project can send their donations to:

Saint Francis De Sales  
 Attn: Building Fund  
 900 Ida Street  
 Lansing, KS 66043

9 **Religious Education Fund:** The council presented a check of \$293.68 to Father Stubbs for the Religious Education program.

9 **Alliance Against Family Violence:** The council approved a donation of \$450 to the Alliance Against Family Violence to purchase education DVDs for the charity.

9 **IRS Forms:** The council must file a Form 990-N to meet an Internal Revenue Service requirement.

9 **Living Rosary:** A volunteer is needed to be the parish point of contact for the Eucharistic Family Crusade.

9 **Final Tallies:**

- o The final tally for the Tasting Fair is \$6,124.25.
- o The final tally for the Tootsie Roll campaign is \$2,705.51 after expenses.

9 **Knights Open House:** Due to severe weather, the Knights Open House was postponed to a date to be determined in January or February.

9 **Altar Server / Family Night Out:** The council will reserve seats for the June 7<sup>th</sup> T-Bones game.

9 **Mardi Gras Dance:** The council approved a donation of \$300.00 for the Mardi Gras Dance scheduled for February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

9 **Vocation Poster Contest:** The annual Vocation Poster Contest will be held in January.

9 **District Deputy:** The District Deputy reported on the following:

- o There is a January 12<sup>th</sup> District Meeting for the Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Financial Secretary, Program Director, and Membership Director
- o Regional Free Throw Contest will be February 17<sup>th</sup> at Jefferson West High School
- o The council's Lady of Charity Marian Hour is scheduled for January 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

9 **Good of the Order :** The Pro-Life Baby Pen will be set-up at the back of the Church the 1<sup>st</sup> Week of January. Bad weather has impacted on the Salvation Army donations – give more each time you pass a bucket.

**January Birthdays**

Robert Riese - 2  
 Timothy Moran - 4  
 Stephen Werner - 9  
 Corey Cook - 13  
 Otis Berglund - 14  
 Thomas Young - 16  
 Steven Meyer - 19  
 John French - 25  
 Sean Hallinan - 30

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