



COUNCIL 10834
Monthly Newsletter
March 2009

Meetings and Events:

- **Rosary and Corporate Communion**, 7:30 a.m.,
Sunday, March 1, 2009
- **Regular Meeting**, Wednesday, March 11, at 7:30 p.m.
- **Knights Family Night, April 18, TBD**
- **Annual Kansas State Convention, May 2-4, 2009** at
Lawrence, Kansas
- **Altar Servers Night Out, T-Bones Game, May 31st at
5:45 p.m.**

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**Knight of the Month**

Bill Butler

**Family of the Month**

Don Studnicka Family

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Knight of the Year

Josh Yoakum

Family of the Year

Bill Butler Family

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**Membership:**

- † 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Ceremonies:
  - o Council ceremonies will be conducted on  
February, May, August and November at 7:00  
p.m. of the day of regular meetings.
  - o April 18, 2009 at Leavenworth
- † 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Ceremonies:
  - o February 22, 2009 at Paola
  - o March 8, 2009 at Lawrence
  - o April 18, 2009 at Leavenworth
  - o June 14, 2009 at Leawood
- † 4<sup>th</sup> Degree:
  - o There will be an exemplification in June.
  - o The next meeting is Thursday, February 19 at  
7:00 p.m.
- † Membership:
  - o The following members were initiated in the 1<sup>st</sup>  
Degree on February 11, 2009
    - Liberty Usera
    - John Yorko
    - Ken Tauke
    - Member from Tonganoxie Council
  - o John Yorko and Ken Tauke volunteered to be lead  
callers on the calling tree.

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Council Meeting Highlights:

Meeting conducted by Grand Knight on February 11, 2009

- † **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

† **Correspondence:** The Grand Knight read the below
letters.

- o Letter from Salvation Army for Bell Ringing support.
- o Thank you from BirthRight for council's donations.
Baby supplies totaled over \$850 in value plus cash.
The council approved a donation for \$134.83 to
BirthRight.
- o Letter from Supreme Council identifying the Brother
Scherer family as a winner of gift among other
honorees.
- o Letter from Brother Jim Corum requesting continued
membership in the council while stationed at
Estonia.
- o Thank you letter from Brother Haganey for council's
gift.
- o Letter from Mary Teresa MaDill requesting knights
participation in the Mardi Gras dance.

† **State Convention Ad:** The council approved a
donation of \$25 for an ad in the State Convention booklet.

† **T-Bones Tickets:** The council approved
reimbursement to Brother Bill Butler for \$402.50 to purchase
tickets for May 31st T-Bones Game.

† **Service Activity:** The council approved to support a
service activity in conjunction with the Lansing Cleanup Day
in the Spring.

† **Greenway Auction:** The council approved an
unconditional donation of \$250 to the Greenway.

† **State Convention:** The delegates for the state
convention are Ernie Petite and Bob Hall. The alternates
are Bill Butler and Carlos Usera.

† **Audit:** The 6 month audit was completed on February
4, 2009.

† **E-Mail Accounts:** The new web site for the council is
www.LansingKofC.org. The council approved the creation
of e-mail accounts for members. Addresses will consist of
the first initial and last name. Certain officers will be given
official accounts. Any knight desiring an e-mail account is to
contact the Recorder at webmaster@LansingKofC.org.

† **Vocation Posters:** Below are the winners of the
Vocation Poster Contest:

- o 1st / 2nd Grade: Meredith Hamm
- o 3rd / 4th Grade: Sydney Balstad
- o 5th / 6th Grade: Ivana Lopez
- o 7th / 8th Grade: Thomas Bremser
- o Overall: Ivana Lopez

† **Good of the Order:** The council approved for a cash
donation to BirthRight.

March Birthdays

William J. Mathia - 2	Thomas Butler - 4
Dan J. Wilcott - 15	Dave Soukup - 19
Mark Carlson - 24	John Twohig - 28
William Schrandt - 31	

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your e-mail address to the recorder at webmaster@LansingKofC.org.