

Meetings and Events:

- Rosary and Corporate Communion, 7:30 a.m., Sunday, September 5, 2009

- <u>Regular Meeting,</u> Wednesday, September 9, at 7:30 p.m.
- Tasting Fair, Saturday, October 24

Knight of the Month
John Karrasch
Family of the Month
Don Studnicka Family

Membership:

- ϑ 1st Degree Ceremonies:
 - o Council conferred the 1st Degree on:

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- Shawn Kell
- Daniel Ladd
- Brian Pfannenstiel
- Mark Pawloski
- The latter 1st Degree was conducted in honor of Father Stubbs.
- Council ceremonies will be conducted on February, May, August and November at 7:00 p.m. of the day of regular meetings.
- o 1st Degree, Easton, August 29, 2009

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- 2nd and 3rd Degree Ceremonies:
 - o None published at this time
- ϑ 4th Degree:
 - Next 4th Degree ceremony will be in November.
- Membership:
 - Council approved the admission of Shawn Kell,
 Daniel Ladd and Brian Pfannenstiel.

Council Meeting Highlights:

Meeting conducted by Grand Knight on August 12, 2009

 ϑ **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

θ Correspondence:

- Grand Knight read a thank you letter from the Diamond Jacks Baseball Team.
- ϑ Race Fundraiser: The council agreed to discontinue participation in the race money raising activities.
- Activities Calendar: The Grand Knight presented
 the activities calendar for Fraternal Year 2009-2010. A copy
 of the calendar can be found on the web site at

http://www.lansingkofc.org/CounAct.html. The Grand Knight will use electronic mail as a principal means of disseminating information and the web site to post general information. Knights who desire a council e-mail account may contact the council recorder and webmaster at webmaster@LansingKofC.org.

- Participation Recognition Award: The Grand Knight explained the Polo Shirt Award program and activities sign up sheet. The Polo Shirt Award rules and sign up sheet are located on the web site at http://www.lansingkofc.org/CounAct.html.
- ϑ **Steeple Chase:** Volunteers are requested for this annual event for September 19th. The council approved a donation of \$300 for the Steeple Chase.
- Alliance Against Family Violence Volunteers:
 Brothers Huffman, Portice, Gaumer and Studnicka volunteered to assist in renovation work on August 22nd.
- Tasting Fair: Volunteers are needed for the Tasting
 Fair scheduled for October 24th. Below are the Committees:
 - Setup / Cleanup: D. Young / Martz
 - o Auction: J. Yoakam / Ladd / Karrasch / D. Huffman
 - o Publicity: C. Usera
 - o Raffle: Petite
 - o Auctioneer: T. Young
 - o Costume Contest: Tunink
 - o Food Tables: MaDill / Tunink / B. Pfannenstiel / D. Huffman
 - o Drinks: Portice
 - o Plates / Napkins: Scherer
- nto Tootsie Roll Campaign: The council approved the purchase of 30 cases of Tootsie Rolls. Sign up lists will be posted next month.
- ϑ Religious Education Raffle Tickets: The council approved the purchase of 3 raffle tickets and opened four raffle tickets for purchase by the members.
- <u>Kitchen Equipment for New Church:</u> Brother
 Josh Yoakam was able to procure kitchen equipment for the
 new church. Knight volunteers are requested to assist in
 moving the equipment in late August.
- ϑ **Shining Armor Award:** The State Council will be extending the Shining Armor Award to all knights. This honor was previously limited to knights in their first year of membership.
- **θ** District Deputy:
 - Reminded the council to gather pictures for a scrap book.
 - Mentioned that the District Free Throw Contest will be held on February 6, 2010 at Basehor hosted by the Basehor Council.
- ϑ **Good of the Order:** Brother Dan Ladd introduced himself. Knights were asked to show their rosaries.

September Birthdays

James Cunningham 6 Stephen Brodersen 7
Richard Yates 10 Vincent Matteo 14
Carey Walker 15 Ernest Petite 16
Clarence Huycke 20 Maurice Pelletier 21
Kevin Gardner 23 Ricardo Ruiz 30