

**COUNCIL 10834**  
**Monthly Newsletter**  
**April 2009**

### Meetings and Events:

- ***Rosary and Corporate Communion***, 7:30 a.m., Sunday, April 5 **2009**
- ***Regular Meeting***, Wednesday, April 1, at **7:30 p.m. in the Green Room.**
- ***Annual Spring Cleanup, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, See Bulletin***
- ***Knights Family Night, April 18, TBD***
- ***Race Track Volunteer Fund Raiser, April 25-26.***
- ***Annual Kansas State Convention, May 2-4, 2009***  
at Lawrence, Kansas
- ***Altar Servers Night Out, T-Bones Game, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:45 p.m.***

**Knight of the Month**  
Don Portice

**Family of the Month**  
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### Membership:

- ∅ 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Ceremonies:
  - Council ceremonies will be conducted on February, May, August and November at 7:00 p.m. of the day of regular meetings.
  - April 18, 2009 at Leavenworth
- ∅ 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Ceremonies:
  - April 18, 2009 at Leavenworth
  - June 14, 2009 at Leawood
- ∅ 4<sup>th</sup> Degree:
  - The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree will be marching in the Saint Patrick's Day parade.
  - There will be an exemplification in June.
- ∅ Membership:
  - The council has sufficient new members to qualify for Star Council but no enough new Insurance Members.

**Council Meeting Highlights:**

Meeting conducted by Grand Knight on March 11, 2009

- 8 **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.
- Thank you from Birthright for council's donations.
  - Letter from Donald R. Kehoe, Supreme Secretary on the activities and campaigns supported by the \$3.00 per member Culture of Life Fund.
- ✧ **Donation to Immaculata High School:** The council approved a \$500 donation to Immaculata High School to purchase items on their "Wish List". The vote was 19 for and 2 opposed.
- ✧ **Catholic Community Services:** The council approved a donation of \$100 to Catholic Community Services to sponsor a hole at 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament to be held on May 7<sup>th</sup> at the True West Golf Course.
- ✧ **Council April Meeting:** The council approved to hold the April meeting on April 1<sup>st</sup> in the Green Room at 7:30 p.m.
- ✧ **Spring Cleanup:** The Parish Spring Cleanup will be April 3<sup>rd</sup>. See the bulletin for more details.
- ✧ **Race Track Fundraiser:** The council needs 12 volunteers per shift to help at the Race Track on April 25-26. The shifts are 7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. See Brother Josh Yoakam for more details.
- ✧ **Volunteers for Landscaping:** Volunteers are needed to help in the landscaping of the church. Contact Brother John Karrasch for more details.
- ✧ **Food Drive:** The Grand Knight is requesting a food drive to assist in raising goods for the Emergency Assistance Center.
- ✧ **Free Throw Contests:** The District Deputy announced that two of the ten from the district participated in the State Free Throw and that one district participant won the State Tournament.
- ✧ **Blood Drive:** The council will consider another Blood Drive in the future meetings.
- ✧ **New Church:** The council is requested to assist in many activities to prepare the new church for use. One of the immediate projects will be to restore pews that are currently being stored in Leawood. Additional details will follow in the next meetings.

## April Birthdays

Randall Blakley	5	John Goetz	9
Richard Hannon	9	Tom Daze	12
Richard Behrens	17	Delmon Quick	18
David Drake	18	John Robinson	19
Jeff Wingo	20	Scott Angello	30

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