



Knights of Columbus Tennessee State Council 112th Annual Convention



Marriott Cool Springs
Franklin, Tennessee
May 1,2,3, 2015

Friday Meeting Agenda

May 1, 2015

- 7:00 – 8:00 AM Golf Registration. Harpeth Hills Golf Course
- 1:00 – 4:00 PM Delegate Registration
- 3:00 – 4:00 PM Fourth Degree Meeting – Michael J. Porter, District Master
- 4:15 – 4:45 PM Past State Deputy Meeting – Michael Wills, IPSD
Immediately following the Fourth Degree (Same Room)
- 5:00 – 6:45 PM Opening Session – (Open to All)
Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
Pledge of Allegiance – Michael J. Porter, District Master
Introductions – John Park, State Deputy
State Deputy Awards – John Park, State Deputy
Insurance Awards – Daniel Schachle General Agent
State Program Awards – Bill Markiewicz, General Program Consultant (GPC)
Supreme Video – Michael L. Wills, Supreme Director
Closing Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
- 7:00 PM Everyone is on their own for dinner. (Catch up with old
friends, and make some new ones.)
- 7:15 PM Past State Deputy Dinner, in the Hotel
All Past State Deputies and wives.
- 8:00 – 10:00 PM M.R. Hospitality Suite is open across from meeting room
Dessert, snacks, and a CASH bar will be available to all.



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May 2, 2015

Saturday Meeting Agenda

Business Session: Delegates and Brother Knights only

6:45 AM Mass – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain

7:00 AM – 1:00 PM Delegate Registration Continues

8:15 AM – Noon Opening Session –
Call to Order – John Park, State Deputy
Opening Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
Pledge of Allegiance – Michael J. Porter, District Master
Report of Committee on Credentials – Fred Laufenberg, State Warden
Introductions – John Park, State Deputy
Roll Call of Delegates – Steve Comm, State Secretary
State Officer Reports:
*State Deputy
*IPSD
*State Secretary
*State Treasurer (Vote on Budget, Degree Fund,
Bishops' Burse, and Per Capita)
Release Audit and Appropriations Committee
*State Advocate (Resolutions)
*State Warden
*State Chaplain
*General Agent – Dan Schachle
*Report of the Fourth Degree - Michael J. Porter
District Deputy Awards
State Membership Consultant Report – Jose Baeza
Supreme Rep Report – Michael L. Wills

Noon – 1:00 PM Lunch, Blessing: Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain

1:00 PM -Family Awards Session (Open to All) – Bill Markiewicz, GPC
-Chaplain's Award – Father Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
-Fourth Degree Awards – Michael J. Porter, District Master
-Membership Awards – Jose Baeza, State Membership Consultant
-MR Awards – John King, M.R. Foundation President
Instructions for Mass, Honor Guard and Banquet –
Fred Laufenberg, State Warden and Michael J. Porter, District Master
Closing Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain



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Saturday Evening Agenda

- 4:00 PM Memorial Mass —
Principal Celebrant – Most Rev. David Choby, Bishop of Nashville
Con-Celebrant – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
- 5:15 PM State Deputy Reception – State Officers, District Deputies,
Program Staff, and Supreme Representative
- 6:00 PM Doors Open to Banquet Room – Cash Bar
(Children's Program – Conway Room starts at 6:00 PM)
- 6:15 PM Supreme and State Officers Assemble for Banquet Procession
- 6:30 – 8:30 PM Tennessee State Council Awards Banquet
- 6:30 PM Procession of Dignitaries – Bill Markiewicz, GPC
- 6:45 PM Flag Presentation – Middle Tennessee Marshal
- 6:55 PM Blessing – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
- 7:30 PM Keynote Address – Michael L. Wills
- 7:40 PM Address – Bishop David Choby
- 7:50 – 8:30 PM Awards Presentation – Bill Markiewicz, Bishop David Choby, and
State Program Staff
-Activity Awards (8)
-Bishops' Awards
-Lifetime Achievement Award
-Knight of the Year Award
-Family of the Year Award
Closing Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
Photo Opportunities with Bishop Choby and State Chaplain Strange
- 8:45 PM – ????? State Council Ball – Dance the night away in a private room.
We will have a DJ and a cash bar for all.



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May 3, 2015

Sunday Meeting Agenda

Business Session: Delegates and Brother Knights only

6:45 AM Rosary – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain

8:15 AM – 1:00 PM Meeting and Election Session –
Call to Order – John Park, State Deputy
Opening Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain
Pledge of Allegiance – Michael J. Porter, District Master
Roll Call of Delegates – Steve Comm, State Secretary
Report of Committees
*Appropriations and Per Diem – Tracy Staller, State Treasurer
*Audit – Marty O'Haver, PSD and C. Michael Horten, PSD
*Credentials – Steve Comm, State Secretary
*Greetings – Steve Comm, State Secretary
*Resolutions – Michael McCusker, State Advocate
*Good of the Order – Michael Wills, IPSD
*Retention Report – Dennis Preston, State Retention Consultant
Supreme Convention News – John Park, State Deputy

9:30 – 10:30 AM M.R. Foundation Meeting and Elections – John King, President

10:30 AM – 1:00 PM Tennessee State Council Elections – John Park, State Deputy
* Balloting Committee – Michael J. Porter, PSD
* State Council Officers
* Supreme Convention Delegates
Closing Prayer – Fr. Jerry Strange, State Chaplain

Ladies' Program – Polly Park

Saturday

8:15 AM (approx) Ladies assemble: Meet in Lobby for Transportation
8:30 AM Ladies' Program: Bus will leave for tour
Noon Ladies' Lunch
1:00 PM Join Knights in Family Award Session
4:00 PM Memorial Mass
6:00 PM Children's Program – Conway Room
6:30 PM Awards Banquet

Sunday

9:00 – 11:00 AM Ladies' Program BUNKO