

Knights of Columbus

Harry J. Tucker Jr. Council 11780



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Calendar for September

All Month	Supreme Essay Contest	Narthex	
4	Husky Seat Cushion Installation	Husky Stadium	7:00 AM
6	Labor Day	Relax and enjoy the day off.	
7	Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
12	2 nd & 3 rd Degree Exemplification	Shoreline, WA	11:30 AM
16	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	Holy Spirit Parish Hall	7:00 PM
21	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
25	Blood Drive	St. John's MPR	7:00 AM
25	Soccer Challenge	Renton HS	10:00 AM
25-26	Honey Crisp Apple Sales	Narthex	After All Masses











Calendar for October

All Month	Supreme Essay Contest	Narthex	
1	Eucharistic Adoration	Sanctuary	9:30 AM
2	Knights of Columbus Founded	129 years ago	
5	Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
10	Columbus Day	Honor our Patron Leader	
10	Pancake Breakfast	St. John's, MPR	9:00 AM
16-17	Membership Blitz	St. John the Baptist	After All Masses
19	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
21	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	St. John's, Rooms 7	7:00 PM
29	Fall Fish Fry	St. John's, MPR	5:00 PM
31	Halloween	Trick or Treat	




Birthdays in September

 Howard L. Baus	9/5	 Michael P. Murphy	9/15	 Michael D. Tulip	9/28
 Steven E. Baus	9/8	 Vincent A. Fuoco	9/26	 Duane E. Baus	9/30

K of C Anniversaries in September

 John B. Mergens	'73	 Kenneth J. Walter	'96	 Arthur S. O'Neill	'03
 Edward J. Stamm	'77	 Steve V. Janicki	'00	 Daniel H. Schmitt	'03
 Kirkley W. Igou	'94	 Brian D. Lund	'00		
 Richard G. Estlund	'96	 Nick D. Bujanovich	'03		

Wedding Anniversaries in September

 James & Carol Boespflug	9/6/1969	 Adam & Lynee Johnson	9/19/1998
 Jim & Monica Battles	9/13/1991		

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Grand Knight's Message, Harry J. Tucker, Jr. Council 11780

Brother Knights all!

There is an issue that has recently presented itself. There is a request to build an email database that State Officers and Chairmen might communicate directly with a large percentage of the Knights, providing information on activities and needs. As an example, Columbus Charities wishes to better explain the circumstances and uses of funds. There are no 'hidden agendas' nor 'sale of email addresses. The simple issue is that mail communications is simply too expensive. We will combine your information with all other councils into one address book to be used for future communications from the State Council and Columbus Charities Fund. I have responded to this request by saying that I would pass the information on to the membership. If you wish your email to be in this database, you may send an email to Ed Broarhurst at edb@centurytel.net

On Aug. 15th the knights provided the BBQ at the Parish Mass on the Grass/BBQ. I wanted to thank those brothers that came to the Parish Picnic/BBQ. I would especially like to thank those that worked at the picnic in any capacity. I would most especially like to thank those knights that helped BBQ at the picnic and they were Peter Cunningham, Ron Cunningham, Felino Singh and our insurance agent Mike Stergios.

On Aug. 19th at St. Stephen the Martyr, we installed the officers of our council. Ed Rogers as 2nd yr. Trustee, Ron Cunningham as Inside Guard and myself as Grand Knight were present.

On Sept. 4th at Husky Stadium, 281 people installed over 21,300 cushion. Thanks for all that attended.

The council website is now available at www.kofc11780.co.cc. Please check it out.

These photos shown to the below are a shining example of what marriage should be. Peter & Joan Cunningham and Lyn & Mary Johnson celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary in August. Fr. Jim and I are presenting them with a certificate from the Knights of Columbus honoring them for their wonderful example of Love.



From left to right
Scott Gilyeat GK, Fr. Jim, Joan Cunningham, Peter Cunningham.



From left to right
Fr. Jim, Lyn Johnson, Mary Johnson, Scott Gilyeat GK

**Vivat Jesus! Scott Gilyeat, Grand Knight
Council 11780**

District Deputy's Message, District 27

Brother Knights,

I would like to start by saying what a pleasure it was to install of the officers that attended the installation Dinner on 8/19/10 at St. Stephen's. The Pot Luck dinner was excellent and there was plenty of great food and conversation.

I will be meeting with your Grand Knights on 9/9/10 to go over the next 6 months plan for the Councils. From what I have been hearing there are a lot of great things happening in our district in the upcoming months.

One particular event might be of interest to all of our council's. St. Stephens is having a Blue Mass on 9/11/10 at 5:00 PM this Mass is to Honor all of those Police, Fire and Service members who have served and are still serving our Great Country. The Parish has asked for an Honor Guard from the Knights of Columbus so if you are a Fourth Degree Knight with Regalia try and make an effort to attend Suite up will be at around 4:30 PM in the class rooms by the Social Hall. All members are welcome at the Mass try and make an effort to attend the Mass.

Your Councils should already be making plans to conduct your first Membership Drive in October and plans are being made now for the Soccer Challenge in September.

I will be making my rounds to each of your Council's for a visit. I look forward to meeting all of you in the weeks and Months ahead.

In Faith,

**Vivat Jesus! Larry Frampton, District Deputy
District 27**

Knights and Knight Families Honored

The council would like to honor those knights that have shown the spirit of what it really means to be a Knight. The Knight and Family of the Month are selected for their commitment to the council, church and community. They have shown all the qualifications in the three things we hold dear in the Knights: CHARITY, UNITY, and FRATERNITY. They are each picked from a fine group of people, all deserving of this award for that period. I personally congratulate each for their efforts to make our community better.



Knight of the Month

August 2010

David Parks

Family of the Month

August 2010

James & Carol Boespflug

New Member

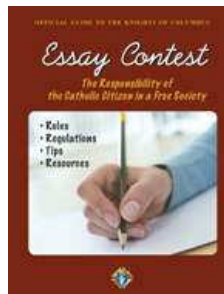
First Degree Exemplification was held on August 18th in Tukwila for seven new members around the area. The new member for our council is Robert Gibbs. Please join me in welcoming him to our council.

Anniversaries



We have only received 41% replies on the wedding anniversaries. Many more of you should reply to this call and honor our spouses for putting up with us for so many years.

Supreme Essay Contest



8th & 12th grade students are challenged to write an essay based on the topic "The responsibility of a Catholic Citizen in a Free Society" that comes from the Supreme Council office. The deadline for entries is Oct. 18th. The 8th grader winner will receive \$100 and the 12th grade winner

will receive \$250. A participation certificates are given to all.

Council Dues

There are still a number of you that have not sent in your dues for the year. Please do so to prevent your membership being suspended. The dues for this year will be \$30 again this year. Dues can be paid by mail to Al Myers at 24050 183rd Ave SE, Covington, WA 98042-4803 or at the next meeting you are in attendance. Your membership card must be current to attend a council meeting.

Membership Recruitment

**Form #100
Belongs in
All of These Places**

- Briefcase
- In Your Pocket
- Near Your Phone
- Glove Compartment
- Everywhere You Go!

**SIGN UP A
NEW MEMBER
TODAY!**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Honeycrisp Apples Sales



apples.

Brother Howard Baus will be driving to Sedro Woolley to pickup 2240 pounds of apples to be sold at church on Sept. 25 & 26. We will sell them for \$1.25 per pound. Come out and purchase some

Membership Blitz

On the weekend of October 9-10, the Knights of Columbus will be having its membership blitz after all weekend Masses in the front of St. John the Baptist Church. Please join us! You might find somebody who might want to join the order. Be his proposer and make it happen!

Soccer Challenge

All boys and girls ages 10-14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 2009 Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge. The local competition will be held September 25, 2010 between 10:00 p.m. and 12:00 p.m. at Renton High School.

The Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge is sponsored annually, with the winners progressing through local, district, and state competitions. International champions are announced by the K of C



international headquarters based in New Haven, CT, based on scores from the state-level competitions. All boys and girls 10 to 14 are eligible to participate and will compete in their respective age divisions.

All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in the event. Participants are required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. For additional information contact Scott Gilyeat at (425) 433-0530.

Pennies for Heaven

Pennies for Heaven campaign in which spare cents are collected from members at all council meetings and activities and subsequently are totaled at the state convention. Proceeds are used to support vocations programs.

Refund Support Vocations Program

David Kruse
BISHOP WHITE SEMINARY
SPOKANE, WA



Through the Knights of Columbus Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP), councils, assemblies and Squires circles "adopt" one or more seminarians or postulants and provide them with financial assistance and moral support.

RSVP money is used by seminarians and those in religious formation for tuition and books, car

insurance and maintenance, travel during vacations, emergency expenditures and other living expenses. Knights provide more than financial support, though. Members write letters to students, sponsor dinners for them, invite them to join the Order and, most importantly, pray for vocations.

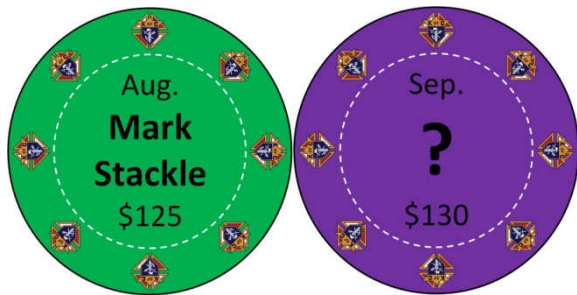
Our council has been assigned a seminarian from Spokane, WA by the name of David Kruse.

First Degree Team

We are looking for new members to our first degree team. The positions on the team are Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Chancellor, Financial Secretary, Warden, Inside Guard and Soundman. If you are interested in any of these positions please contact Scott Gilyeat at 425-433-0530 or sagilyeat@comcast.net.

Attendance Lottery

Attendance at our regular business meetings has been low. So there was an idea that we have an attendance lottery. Each month after the meeting a poker chip is drawn from a bag. That individual will receive the amount set for that meeting. The individual must be in attendance to win. If the individual is not in attendance, the amount goes up by \$5. Who will it be next?



Good of the Order



Please pray for those brothers that have past and pray for the brothers and family members that are sick.

If you have any good of the order that you want people to pray for send a message to

Scott Gilyeat at sagilyeat@comcast.net.

Aug. Meeting:

- Br. Al Myers – Sister-in-Law has Breast Cancer.
- Br. Jim O'Callaghan – Son sick
- Br. Jim O'Callaghan – Mother-in-Law hip surgery
- Br. Howard Baus – Brother died
- Br. Duane Baus – Brother died
- Br. Jerome Elisha – Mother-in-Law died
- Br. Dave Parks – Recovering from fall
- Please pray for all those previously mentioned.

Newsletter Input

If you have something that you would like added to the council newsletter, please submit it to Scott Gilyeat at sagilyeat@comcast.net.