

Knights of Columbus

Harry J. Tucker Jr. Council 11780



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Calendar for February

2	Knights of Columbus Founded	128 years ago	
2	Groundhogs Day		
2	1 st Degree Exemplification Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
5	Eucharistic Adoration	Sanctuary	9:30 AM
13	2 nd & 3 rd Degree Exemplification	Bothell, WA	Call to inquire
14	Valentine's Day	Celebrate our Love for one another	
15	President's Day	Honor our Presidents	
16	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
17	Ash Wednesday	Beginning of Lent	
18	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	St. John's, Rooms 7	7:00 PM
27	4 th Degree Exemplification	Assumption Parish, Bellingham, WA	11:30 AM















Calendar for March

2	1 st Degree Exemplification Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
5	Lenten Fish Fry	St. John's MPR	5:00 PM
5	Eucharistic Adoration	Sanctuary	9:30 AM
6	2 nd & 3 rd Degree Exemplification	Burien, WA	Call to inquire
13	Men's Lenten Retreat	Sanctuary	9:00 AM
13-14	Membership Blitz	St. John the Baptist	All Masses
16	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
17	St. Patrick's Day	Honor the Irish	
18	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	Holy Spirit Parish Hall	7:00 PM
19	Lenten Fish Fry	St. John's MPR	5:00 PM
20	Blood Drive	St. John's MPR	7:00 AM
26	Lenten Fish Fry	St. John's MPR	5:00 PM






Calendar for March – Cont.

28	Palm Sunday	Prepare for him rising again	
29	Knights of Columbus Chartered	128 years ago	
30	Passover		














Birthdays in February

 Robert J. Armstrong	2/2	 Thomas W. Kivley	2/11	 Edward S. Rogers	2/18
 George Luera	2/4	 Edward J. Stamm	2/11	 Ernesto G. Santiago	2/18
 John R. Peter	2/5	 Thomas F. Murphy	2/14	 Willie L. Blue	2/21
 James P. Coyne	2/8	 Ron E. Cunningham	2/17	 Brian D. Lund	2/27
 Kenneth J. Walter	2/8	 James W. Martz	2/18		

Wedding Anniversaries in February

 James & Barbara Martz	2/1/1975	 Carl & Michelle Chilo	2/22/1991
 David & Carole Johnston	2/11/1995	 John & Marsha Baumann	2/26/1983
 Willie & Julia Blue	2/21/1990		

K of C Anniversaries in February

 Howard L. Baus	'81	 James G. Tanasse	'97	 Michael R. Shimek	'03
 Carman A. Fuoco	'86	 John C. Wright	'98	 Joseph P. Nizolak	'05
 Gary R. Weber	'87	 Lawrence M. Horner	'02	 Scott A. Gregg	'08
 Thomas F. Murphy	'88	 Jim E. Battles	'03		
 David W. Johnston	'97	 Scott A. Gilyeat	'03		

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



In the State's February Newsletter, John Wallace State Deputy, Wrote the following about recruiting:

When you hear the words, "I don't have time," from a prospective member, don't let this be a "discouraging word." We all hear this at times. During my recruiting efforts the answer I give is that it's okay to be what I call a "Silent Knight." We need both active and inactive Knights, and the reason is that numbers count. When politicians or any other groups understand the size of the Knights of Columbus, they pay attention. The Supreme Knight's "Culture of Life" is an example of the need to show the power of members backing him up when dealing with people and programs not in line with the Church and the Knights' beliefs. The new Knight might not be an active member in your council, but he is counted in the big picture. I think these goals are all

attainable. Will you help me reach these goals? John Wallace State Deputy

We all have asked at one time or another asked someone to join the cause, club, association or organization and been told that the "I don't have time". Well now we have something to tell them. We are all active in our own ways.

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

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

November

Ed Rogers

Family of the Month

November

Allen & Rita Myers

New Member

At the January meeting we held a First Degree Exemplification for Mark Stackle. Please join me in welcoming him to our council.

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



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.

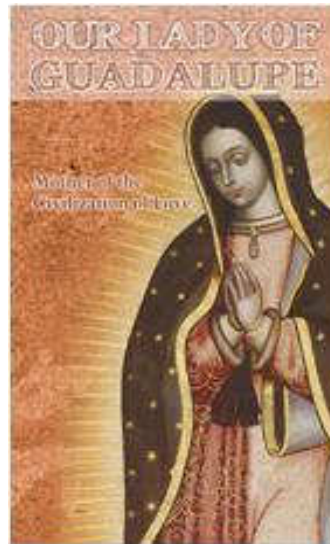
Council Dues

Council Dues 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.

Blood Drive

On Saturday Jan. 23rd there was a blood drive at St. John's. There were 35 units of blood collected. Thank you to all that donated.

Our Lady of Guadalupe



Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of the Americas, and the Mother of the Civilization of Love. The Knights of Columbus cosponsored two important events in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe during August 2009: the first International Marian Congress dedicated to Our Lady of Guadalupe, and a Guadalupe

Festival.

These events, held in Phoenix, Arizona, recognized and celebrated the important role of Our Lady of Guadalupe in the lives of Catholics throughout the Western Hemisphere.

All of these events were recorded and many of the presentations were produced into television broadcasts. A seven-disc DVD set contains all the televised productions and bonus material in more than 15 hours of coverage.

To provide an affordable keepsake for Knights and event attendees, the K of C Supreme Council is making the DVD set available for just \$20 (U.S.). This is a one-time offer and quantities are limited, so act quickly to obtain your copies while supplies last. Please contact Scott Gilyeat for more information at 425-433-0530.

Husky Seat Cushion Project



The church has received the check from Husky fever for \$31,629. The church as promised has issued us a check for \$1500 for the Joshua Blue Fund which we hand out at the awards banquet. Thank you to all that participated to make this a wonderful success.

Pancake Breakfast



Our council brought in \$435.50 from the last pancake breakfast on Jan. 11th. Thank you to all that participated to make this a wonderful success.

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

First Degree Ceremonial Books

Those that have first degree ceremonial books need to turn them into the Financial Secretary Al Myers PGK. Our council has only been assigned five books that have to go around to all that wish to memorize a ceremonial position. The books need to be recycled to other individuals that wish to participate on the first degree team.

First Degree Certification

At this moment our council does not have any prospect for new members. Our last First Degree was in July and several months before that. As a result our First Degree has not been certified for the year and needs to have some refresher training.

New members of the degree team are needed to replace those that are not able to fulfill the role any longer and also we need backups for all positions for when someone is not available. Please take this opportunity to fill a vital role in our council.

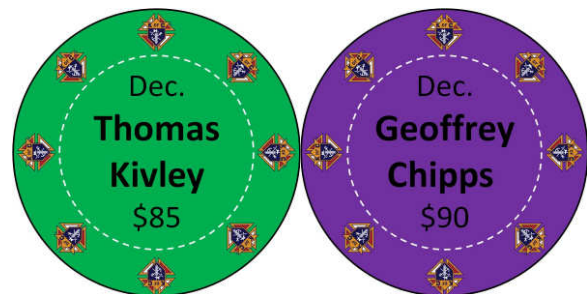
Anniversaries



We have only received 37% 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.

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.

November Meeting:

- Br. Mike Stergois – move his mother in law
- Br. Howard Baus – Liver surgery
- 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 the Scott Gilyeat at sagilyeat@comcast.net.