



***Knights of Columbus
Washington State Council
2012-2013 Bulletin
So That the World will
Know New Hope***

AS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
WE ARE THE HANDS AND FEET
OF CHRIST WE ARE OUR
BROTHERS KEEPER
WE SAVE LIVES AND
CHANGE LIVES

**Message from State Deputy,
Don McBride**

One Member...Per Council...Per Month



Greetings, Brother Knights, and welcome to a new Fraternal Year!

It is hard for me to believe that a full year as your State Deputy is now behind me. It has been, so far, the most rewarding experience of my life. At the same time it has been interesting to note that the things I expected to be difficult were relatively easy, and the things I expected to be easy were exquisitely difficult. For example, my first year as SD had a looming shadow of adverse legislative attacks on the culture of life, our family values, and our religious freedom – and those battles will continue into this year. I certainly did not plan or expect these battles, but we will not shrink from them – and we will prevail.

Another unexpectedly difficult challenge was that last year was marked with an all-time record for deaths and out-of-state transfers, and a huge number of suspensions – causing us to end this year with a very slight loss in our overall membership. We also fell a few members short of our intake goal this year, despite an incredible effort by our membership team and many District Deputies and Grand Knights. However, we had a great finish to this year and could have easily met our goals if we had started as well as we finished. We are really on our stride now and back on track for continued growth. So my resolution, and my request to you, is that we will start the year strong. I look forward to seeing many of you at our Summer Leadership Meeting July 21-22 in Wenatchee – but I urge you, do not wait until that meeting to start your council's year strong! Our theme this year is ***One Member...Per Council...Per Month!*** Of course getting more than one member each time is even better, and we'll have some order-wide church recruitment drives in fall and spring. But even if you've done that, when you assess your progress each month, I want you to ask yourself, "Have I gotten my new member this month?" This theme will be reinforced by seeing a new video called "The Power of One" available on the Supreme Council website that I encourage you to download and share with your councils: http://www.kofc.org/en/videos/download/membership_videos.html A special incentive prize will be available to any councils that show a gain in membership during every month of the Fraternal Year – so don't miss out on the prize by failing to get "a guy in July". Start the year right and bring in a new member!

Of course growth in membership is not something we are doing just for the sake of numbers, although numbers certainly matter in the political arena as we fight our battles against the foes of life and religious freedom. Our main reason for the urge to recruit is threefold: one, we have a sacred duty, illuminated by Popes Benedict XVI and John Paul II, to evangelize our faith. The most effective way I've seen to do this is to evangelize from within our pews – to bring men to a fuller communion with the Church, the Eucharist, and with our Bishops and Priests. My personal experience of the Knights of Columbus has been one of great spiritual growth and communion – and I feel called to share that opportunity with every eligible Catholic man. The second reason for recruitment is that our councils need growth to survive and thrive. Look around at your next meeting or work function and see if the same faces are doing the same things. Growth will help share the burdens, as well as bring new energy, new ideas, new projects, and new leaders. And third, our communities need us to grow. The world NEEDS the Knights of Columbus, and they need us to be strong, energetic, resourceful, and committed to increasing the number of good works that we do. It takes new members and new energy to meet those needs of the world around us. So again, I ask you to start this year by bringing in a new member...THIS MONTH. Challenge your officers to recruit a member today and set a good example for your council.

I am pleased that we are starting off the year strong as a State Council as well. We have a dynamite team of State Officers, District Deputies, and Chairmen. Many of the DD's and Chairmen are continuing in their roles this year, and there are a few new faces that you'll be pleased to meet at the Summer Leadership Meeting in a few weeks. (Continued on Page 2)

Message from State Deputy Don McBride (Continued)

We still have a few vacancies to fill in the District Deputy ranks; I pray that if you're in one of the areas without yet having a DD appointed that you'll prayerfully considering stepping up for one of the most rewarding (yet challenging) roles in the Knights.

I'll close by simply thanking you, on behalf of Julie and me, for making this past year one of my personally most treasured memories; and to thank you in advance for your upcoming efforts to make this coming year the best year ever for the Washington State Knights of Columbus!

Vivat Jesus,
Don McBride, State Deputy

STATE SECRETARY MESSAGE



YOUR GUIDE FOR THE FIRST 6 MONTHS

1) ELECTION OF OFFICERS - Your council must submit their Report of Officers Chosen, (Form #185), immediately after the election of council officers. If you have not yet done so, please do so immediately. The report form is found in the Member Management system under the Council Administration section and should be completed and sent on-line by the Financial Secretary. The report was due July 1, 2011, with copies provided to the State Deputy; District Deputy, and your council files. As the Grand Knight, it is your duty to verify that the report has been submitted.

2) DEATH NOTICES/SICK NOTICES – Our State Vice-Chaplain, Rev. Jaime L. Chacon, celebrates monthly Masses for our deceased and ill Brothers and Family members of the Washington State Council. A card of condolence (*in the case of a death*) or get-well card (*in the case of an illness*) is sent to the next of kin or family member. The State Secretary also forwards this information to the Bulletin Editor, Ed Broadhurst, for publication in the “State Bulletin”. **For this process to be effective, it is imperative that the notification is accurate and timely and that the name, address and relationship of the next of kin are also provided.** Notifications of deaths may be transmitted to the State Secretary via email (wonkags@aol.com) or in the form of a written communication to: George Czerwonka, P.O. Box 1627, Veradale, WA 99037-1627. Information on Survivor’s Assistance and a Survivor’s Assistance Checklist can be found on the Grand Knight’s CD (Part III, 52-56)

3) STATE DIRECTORY CHANGES – You must immediately inform **Web-Master Tim Philomeno** (via phone (253)661-2296 or e-mail to Webmaster@kofc-wa.org) of all changes that need to be made to the “Washington State Directory” including your Council Chaplain beginning this Fraternal Year. All changes must be submitted promptly after elections. The change form can be found on the State Web page and in the *Grand Knights* CD (Part II, 31.2). All subsequent revisions not submitted timely or for other reasons will be found on the State Website and as published in the State Bulletin. It is your duty to check from time to time for updates and to stay current revising your personal directory as needed.

4) PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT BILLING - The council Per Capita Assessment will be mailed to the Grand Knight and Financial Secretary during the month of January, 2013. **The \$9.00 per member assessment is due upon receipt and is payable without council vote.** The Per Capita Assessment excludes inactive insurance, honorary life and members who have qualified for special disability as of December 31, 2012. (Each council will be provided a list of its members shown on the Supreme Council records as exempt from payment of dues and per capita taxes as of October 1st). **Councils must certify their members for continuing disability and submit the certification to the Supreme Council prior to December 31, 2012.** If the Grand Knight and Financial Secretary fail to certify the continuing disability of any member within the ninety-day period, the waiver of dues and per capita charges will be terminated.) For additional information refer to the Washington State Council Bylaws, Article VII Finances, Section 3, and Disability Exemption Guidelines, (Form #1813G).

5) GROUP LIABILITY INSURANCE - A \$5,000,000.00 each occurrence and \$10,000,000.00 general aggregate commercial general liability insurance coverage is recommended for purchase at the cost of \$1.00 per member by councils that desire to participate in the Non Profit Insurance Program (NPIP). The council's premium will be based on the Supreme membership report of active membership as of June 1, 2011. A Liability Insurance Letter was mailed to all council Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries during the month of June, 2012. Additional information can be found on the Grand Knight’s CD (PART II, State Council Information). All insurance payments must be made payable to “Washington State Council”, and mailed to the State Secretary, P.O. Box 1627, Veradale, WA 99037-1627.

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4) The cutoff date for responses to the State Secretary for the NPIP Insurance coverage is July 31, 2012. However, if your council has not requested insurance and you still wish to participate, please contact me for further instructions. If you have a requirement for proof of insurance or an additional insured certificate: **See the Attached Request Form**, or preferably, you may obtain one by emailing Sheri Bardessono, Western States Insurance Agency, 390 Bradley Blvd, Richland, WA 99352, Phone: (509) 946-6161 or Fax: (509) 946-0715, E-mail: sbardessono@wsi-insurance.com.

6) ANNUAL MEETING (STATE CONVENTION) BIDS - The Washington State Council Bylaws as it pertains to the Annual Meeting (State Convention) requires the State Officers to fix the place of the Annual Meeting five years in advance. The dates for State Conventions are noted below in Paragraph 8 for the years 2013, 2014 and 2015.

Guidelines and information for bidding to be the Host Council for a State Convention are found in the Grand Knight's CD (PART II, State Council Information). *Councils desiring to host the Annual Meeting may do so by notifying the State Secretary, in writing, no later than December 31, two years prior to the Annual Meeting. The notice must be on council letterhead signed by the Grand Knight and the Financial Secretary and have the Council Seal affixed.*

7) PLANNING ASSISTANCE - The Grand Knight's CD provides a twelve-month checklist of all reports and dates when they are due. You can also find checklists and other tools with key dates, reminders and reports *to be submitted. The Grand Knights CD can become your most important tool, if used.*

8) LONG RANGE MEETING SCHEDULE - *The following is a long-range listing of important upcoming meetings of note:*

Summer Leadership Meetings <i>(To be held not later than the third weekend in July.)</i>	2012 - July 20 - 22 2013 - July 18 - 20 2014 - July 17 - 19	Red Lion, Wenatchee Red Lion, Yakima Red Lion, Yakima
WA. State Conventions <i>(The date is the first Friday following the second Sunday in May)</i>	2013 - May 17 - 19 2014 - May 16 - 18 2015 - May 15 - 17	Red Lion Inn, Pasco Hilton, Bellevue Doubletree, Spokane
Supreme Conventions <i>(The date is the first Tuesday in August)</i>	2012 - Aug 7 - 9 2013 - Aug 6 - 8 2014 - Aug 5 - 7	Anaheim, CA San Antonio, TX Orlando, FL

We encourage you to email or telephone when needing advice or to share an idea. Every question is important! Our task is to serve you. **Remember... “ONE MEMBER, PER COUNCIL, PER MONTH!”!**

URGENT REMINDER TO DISTRICT DEPUTIES AND GRAND KNIGHTS

URGENT AND FOR THE FINAL TIME

DID YOU FORGET YOUR “ANNUAL REPORTS” FOR THE PROCEEDINGS BOOKLET? I HAVE ONLY RECEIVED A FEW AND YOUR PAGE WILL READ “NO REPORT SUBMITTED” IF I DON’T GET IT THIS WEEK!

I KNOW THAT WE ARE ALL BUSY, BUT I DON’T THINK ANYONE IS BUSIER THAN ME OR OUR STATE DEPUTY. WE ARE ALL VOLUNTEERS, BUT WHEN WE EACH MAKE A COMMITMENT, WE ARE PUTTING OUR WORD AND COUNCILS NAME ON THE LINE TOO.

LET US ALL GIVE THEM THE BEST WE POSSIBLY CAN TO FINISH OFF THE PAST FRATERNAL YEAR AS WE CAN’T CLOSE YOUR BOOKS UNTIL I RECEIVE YOUR REPORT.

USE THE EXAMPLES BELOW TAKEN FROM MY “NEXT 6 MONTHS LETTER”! JUST CHANGE THE NAMES AND PLACES TO UPDATE IT FOR YOUR COUNCIL OR DISTRICT AND RETURN IT TO ME.

IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT, SEND IT AGAIN...TO: WONKAGS@AOL.COM

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Membership Director



MEMBERSHIP – “THE POWER OF ONE”

My Brother Knights,

Welcome to the new fraternal year! This year we have an outstanding opportunity to achieve record-setting membership growth in our state. The suspensions that have plagued us last year are behind us now. Also, the State Deputy is not permitting any Knights of Columbus to die, so that should help us as well. Our veteran Membership Team is all “geared up” for another year and all systems are “go.” Now all we need is a plan. The plan for membership growth this year is called the “Power of One” and it is simple to understand and to implement. **Starting in July**, we bring in **One Member, Per Council, Per Month**. That’s it! That’s the plan! We do that and we will have 1812 members at the end of the year. That’s an Overture- SWEET MUSIC! That is the “POWER OF ONE.” You can see an awesome presentation of “The Power of One” on the Supreme web-site by following this link:

http://www.kofc.org/en/videos/download/membership_videos.html



Starting early is critical! **START NOW! One Member, Per Council, Per Month.** Grand Knights that bring in a member this month and/or next will earn this year’s State pin Shown above. In addition, the State Deputy will waive the Exemplification Fee that is usually charged to councils for members brought into the Order during July.

GK’s Do you like challenges? How about challenging all of your council officers to bring in one man in one member by September? If your council can do that, (that means thirteen new members by September 28), the Supreme Council will reward you with 26,000 VIP points-points that can help your council purchase supplies for the year or perhaps degree paraphernalia. Rise to the challenge! See if you can do it.

Finally, I would like to express my thanks to all of you members who helped my team and me last year with our membership efforts. Your support is inspiring. This year, with your help again, we can take the prize! Let’s do it for our State! Let’s do it for our Order! Let’s do it for our God! **One Member, Per Council, Per Month.** GO GET ‘EM!

God Bless,

Bob Baemert

Remember to Recruit:

One Member, Per Council, Per Month

FATHER MICHAEL MCGIVNEY GUILD



In his brief life as a priest, Fr. Michael J. McGivney undoubtedly witnessed courage and unwavering faith in the inexhaustible goodness of Almighty God. Today, we still see examples of that same level of courage and faith in people we have come to know.

Recently, I traveled to Seattle for the funeral of my high school history teacher, whom I considered to be my hero – and I had as an adult told him so on a number of occasions. I wanted his family to know how highly I regarded this Catholic gentleman for his courage and faith in dealing with a difficult family situation so many years ago.

Last month, Sylvia and I traveled to Sammamish for the funeral of Roseann Tyson, who together with husband Frank have been a dedicated and active Pro-Life couple for the Knights for years. As her health waxed and waned over an extended period of many years, Roseann never lost her courage and her unwavering faith in the inexhaustible goodness of Almighty God.

These shining examples – and so many more like them – encourage us to live our lives as the very hands and body of Christ to a world that needs Him now more than ever, yet acknowledges that need less than ever. May we ourselves also never lose that level of unwavering faith and courage!

Duane L. Vincent FDD PFN PGK
Chairman, Fr. McGivney Committee

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General Program Director



My Brothers,

Summer is here and so is the Summer Leadership meeting. Registrations are coming in and we're all looking forward to an informative and fraternal weekend. If you haven't mailed yours yet... better hurry. Remember the registration you send to me is for the meeting and meals...NOT THE HOTEL. That you must do separately. Also, please make your meals reservation checks payable to Washington State Council and not to me.

Our Awards Submissions received this year only amounted to 12% of the potential for all councils. A bit disappointing as I'm sure you'd agree. I'll speak more about this at the meeting but the primary cause, as it always is, is nobody is writing up the events that occur. Your council and your members deserve the recognition they have earned but they will never receive it unless someone in each council takes the responsibility to tell us and Supreme about it and them..

Much information will be available for all on 1000 Points, Service Programs, Featured Programs, and an opportunity to visit with each chairman of your choosing to get detailed information on the program/s you have the most interest in for your councils.

To All State Chairmen...

Again, if you need items ordered from Supreme for this meeting, this is your 2nd notice and I am running out of time. Supreme supply department, although very cooperative, is often slow at this time of year in getting these orders sent so please let me know, by email, TODAY. Otherwise, you risk not having the literature you need.

Looking forward to seeing you there...
Fraternally,

Pat Kelley, SW
General Programs Director

FAMILY OF MONTH

Our congratulations to the following families in their selection by the Supreme Council as "**Family of the Month**" for the months of March 2012.

Families of :

Brandon & Deanna Haywood.....Puyallup Council 1629
Jack & Mary Therese BartlettPoulsboro Council 8297
Ross & Kay Cobb.....Castle Council 12786
Paul & Gloria WhippleSpokane Council 14394

MESSAGE FROM STATE ADVOCATE



Brothers, we are running out of year and getting close to the deadline (December 31, 2012) to qualify for Transitional Relief. This is the "Break" from the IRS that discounts the price of re-Applying for Tax-Exempt Status and the forgiveness of all back taxes from when a council's tax-exempt status was lost to when it is reinstated.

This can be a significant amount of money, so brothers if your council is in this boat, make sure that you are still paddling. The affected councils are: 676, 763, 1460, 1699, 2103, 7356, 8136, 8266, 8297, 10534, 11252, 11357, 11789, 12786, and 13597.

After checking the list from the IRS, I was pleased to see that there are no new additions to the list. It is now two months after the tax dead-line, so the list is clearly not growing. If you are one of these Councils and you have an update for me, I would love to get one. Also, if you are interested in what your Council's current Tax-Exempt Status is, you can get that information by having the Council EIN ready, the Council address, and calling the IRS Customer Accounts Services toll-free at 1-877-829-5500.

Fraternally,

Bob Baemert-SA

SILVER KNIGHT AWARDS

Congratulations to the following:
Silver Knight Awardees for June 2012

1. Scott C. Esary, Council 11906 Duval
2. Kenneth DeVos, Council 5495 Burien
3. Kenneth Kron, GK Council 8476 Camano/Stanwood
4. Donald McBride, SD, Council 3307 Richland
5. Stephen Schwelen, GK, Council 13794 Seattle.
6. Daniel Heidrich, Council 6686 Bothell
7. Michael McCloskey, GK Council 6686 Bothell
8. Phillip Clingan, GK Council 11948

Silver Knight Awardees for July 2012

1. Jerome Birbaum 3307 Richland
2. Jesse Martinez 3307 Richland
3. Mikhail Alnajjar 3307 Richland
4. Forest Heller 3307 Richland
5. Jon Rowley 3307 Richland
6. Michael R. Hodson, Council 11948 Puyallup
7. James S. Taylor, Council 11948 Puyallup
8. Oscar Rodriguez Council 11948, Puyallup
9. Gayland Adair 13606 Seattle
10. John Hall 13761 Seattle
11. Frank Richards Council 14689, Shoreline

Romy B. Ablao, PGK PFN FDD FIC
Chairman, Member Development West
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Vocations/PFH/RSVP



While our thoughts are on warm summer weather and vacation, let's not forget that it is the beginning of a new fraternal year. So let me start by congratulating all the new Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, and other newly elected officers. I look forward to meeting you at the Summer Leadership meeting in Wenatchee.

This month I want to cover the highlights of Vocations for those who are unfamiliar with the program. Our state vocation program can be divided into three parts (Wow -just like the Trinity!): Refund Vocations Support Program, Pennies For Heaven and Vocation awareness.

Vocation Awareness: Every Catholic has a vocation. While there are different senses of the word, the vocation referred to here is a "state in life" or a way of being Christian – priesthood, religious life, marriage, and so forth. As Christians, we are called by God to discern and discover our personal vocation. As Knights, we have the opportunity, if not a duty, to help our fellow Christians be aware of the possibilities for their vocation. We do this through prayer, through advertising, through special events like sponsoring World Day of Prayer events in our parish communities.

Pennies For Heaven: The PFH program is based on a simple concept "a prayer a day and a penny a day for vocations". Each day we should offer a prayer for vocations and contribute the PFH fund. The monies are collected by each Council and forwarded to the State Secretary near the end of the fraternal year. That money is presented to the bishops of each of the three dioceses in Washington State. Last year, each bishop was presented with a check for \$25,000 and a 4th check went to the Bishop White Seminary to retire the building debt.

The Refund Vocations Support Program (RSVP) provides direct financial and moral support to seminarians and postulants (a.k.a. future priests and sisters). That means seminarians and postulant receive checks directly from the Councils. The seminarians are then free use the money as they see fit whether to pay for books or gas or a warm pair of socks and some toothpaste. For every \$500 a council gives in support, Supreme rebates \$100. Moral support includes prayers for our seminarians and postulants, cards, letters, phone calls, and invitations to council events.

Those are the highlights. I will be providing details throughout the year so stay tuned.

July Birthdays – the following seminarians celebrate birthdays in July: Kyle Manglona, Wankie Dean Mbuzi, Jeff Moore, Cody Ross and Patrick Sherrard. Let us remember to keep them in our prayers. As we begin our fraternal year, let us rededicate ourselves, the Washington State Knights of Columbus, in supporting our priests.

Vivat Jesu!

John Ehardt

Chairman for Vocations/PFH/RSVP

e-mail: vocations@kofc-wa.org

Church Chairman



Dear Brother Knights and families,

In this bulletin article, I would just like to share with you a few of my thoughts regarding the recently released movie titled 'For Greater Glory'. This movie covered a part of the history of the Church in Mexico during the 1920's and featured the Cristeros resistant movement. During this period, the Church was severely suppressed by the Mexican government, and many Priests along with their followers were martyred. At the time, the Knights were instrumental in exposing this atrocity to the rest of the world. This movie is heavily supported by the Knights, and I hope that many of you have seen this production. About 6 years ago, my wife and I were part of a pilgrimage to Mexico and learned about this part of their history. It was a very disturbing thing to find out about what happened, but it instilled in us the fact about how easily a country can lose its religious freedom. The portrayal of the suppression in Mexico was very vividly told through the production of this movie. I would advise all of you to see this movie if it comes to your area.

Here's hoping that you are all having a great summer. I hope to see some of you at the leadership conference this month in Wenatchee.

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph Carson, State Church Chairman
PGK, PFN

Council Chairman



Entertaining, Enjoyable and Beneficial

Many of the activities of the Knights of Columbus sound demanding and certainly many are, but that does not mean that others can't be just for fun. Members of your council are your neighbors, friends and acquaintance, who are just as interested in athletic, cultural and social events as you are.

Programs and activities that come under the council activities are **unlimited** - all the events that are an important part of fraternal life.

Welcome to the beginning of a new fraternal year.

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD
State Council Chairman
Council@kofc-wa.org

Sick Notices June 2012

John M. Schumacher.....	Seattle 676
John H. Schumacher.....	Seattle 676
Val Schumacher.....	Seattle 676
John P. Holland, PSD.....	Spokane 683
Jack Ringwood, PGK.....	Spokane 683
William L. (Bill) Maris.....	Bellingham 829
Richard M. (Dick) Winchip.....	Bellingham 829
Gary Metcalf PGK.....	Bellingham 829
Mary Eastwood (wife of Jim Eastwood).....	Bellingham 829
Gerri DiMarco (wife of Lou DiMarco).....	Bellingham 829
Paul Textor.....	Bellingham 829
Jacob Rosati, son of Tommy Rosati, DD.....	Bremerton 1379
Frank Gabrielli.....	Bremerton 1379
Jack Schmidt.....	Bremerton 1379
Ronald Van Hollebeke.....	Bremerton 1379
Mark Tuckerman, father of Sem. Dale Tuckerman	Colfax 1488
Peter Jackson.....	Pasco 1620
Chuck Smith PGK, FFN, FDD.....	Pasco 1620
Jeff Spinler.....	Pasco 1620
Shirley Jackson, wife of Peter Jackson.....	Pasco 1620
Nicholas Kavadas, FS.....	Port Angeles 2260
Martin Prisc, PFN.....	Richland 3307
Hunter Davis, grandson of Bill Davis.....	Richland 3307
Mary Louise LeBlanc, wife of Raymond LeBlanc ...	Spokane 4196
Robert and Anso Farkas (wife).....	Lakewood 4322
Lori Hogan (Wife of Wayne Hogan).....	Lakewood 4322
Bill and Sara Jones (Wife).....	Lakewood 4322
Mike Kapala.....	Lakewood 4322
Ernie and Dorcus Oliver Sr (wife).....	Lakewood 4322
James Cammarano, Jr.....	Lakewood 4322
Fr Lee Hightower.....	Lakewood 4322
Thomas Weise.....	Lakewood 4322
PSD George and FFL Jean Turk.....	Bellevue 4385
John Patrick Alexy, son of John Alexy DD21.....	Lynnwood 5816
Juleen Lino, granddaughter of John Alexy DD21...	Lynnwood 5816
Helen Lupinski, wife of Edward Lupinski, PGK	Spokane 8137
Dennis Roble.....	Spokane 8137
Bob Sherrod.....	Spokane 8137
Pearl Votava, wife of Edward Votava.....	Spokane 8137
Ruth Hadley, mother of PSD Karl Hadley.....	Kennewick 8179
John L. Walker, PSD.....	Kennewick 8179
David C. Lane, FFN.....	Kennewick 8179
Edward J. Schiffner, PGK, FFN.....	Spokane Valley 8201
Storm Smole, Former Master	Poulsbo 8297
Dirk Drew.....	Poulsbo 8297
Tom Bennett.....	Poulsbo 8297
Jack Head.....	Poulsbo 8297
Dick Risley.....	Poulsbo 8297
George Schrader.....	Poulsbo 8297
Frank Shotwell.....	Poulsbo 8297
Marti Izral, sister of Bob Tomas.....	Poulsbo 8297
Christine Marcucci, daughter of Greg Supancheck...	Poulsbo 8297
Lois Tomas, wife of Bob Tomas.....	Poulsbo 8297
Brenda Wernke, wife of Ron Wernke.....	Poulsbo 8297
Alan R. Davis, PGK.....	Camano-Stanwood 8476
Stephen J. Lutovsky.....	Camano-Stanwood 8476

Sick Notices (continued)

Del Murray.....	Colbert 8872
Doug Cannon.....	Colbert 8872
Nellie Caldwell (wife of Pete Caldwell).....	Colbert 8872
Marie Benton (wife of George Benton).....	Colbert 8872
Leroy Byrd.....	Colbert 8872
Gerald D. Havens.....	Colbert 8872
Gerald W. Havens.....	Colbert 8872
Donna Faiman (wife of Lou Faiman).....	Colbert 8872
Mac McFarlain	Spokane 9237
Richard Franklin, FS.....	Sammamish 9833
John Ehart.....	Sammamish 9833
Michael E. Ensminger, FS.....	Bellevue 10664
Tess Kelley (Wife of SW Pat Kelley).....	Tukwila 11253
Al Capili.....	Kirkland 11408
Bill Davis.....	Kirkland 11408
Al Matthews	Kirkland 11408
Vic Dalusag.....	Kirkland 11408
Virgilio Balencio, PGK.....	Kirkland 11408
David Thompson.....	Kirkland 11408
John M. Wallace, IPSD.....	Lakewood 11762
Dave Paul.....	Bremerton 11789
Rob Peres.....	Bremerton 11789
Mario Ortiz.....	Belfair 12002
Leah Borg, wife of Mike Borg.....	Colville 12273
Elaine Huff, wife of Michael Huff.....	Colville 12273
Michelle Staufford, daughter of Jerry Hill.....	Colville 12273
Naomi Staufford, granddaughter of Jerry Hill.....	Colville 12273
Nancy McLain (wife of Chad McLain).....	Colville 12273
Willie Williams, Uncle of WST Eddie Parazoo.....	Colville 12273
Michael (Mike) Lee.....	Tacoma 12483
Sharon Czerwonka, wife of SS George Czerwonka. Spokane 12583	
George & Barbara Czerwonka Sr. (Parents of SS George Czerwonka).....	Gonzaga 12583
Matthew Formanek, brother-in-law of George Czerwonka	
	Spokane 12583
Mary J. Tyner, sister-in-law of SS George Czerwonka	
	Spokane 12583
Jeffrey J. Czerwonka, brother of George Czerwonka, SS	
	Spokane 12583
Duane L. Vincent FDD, PFN, PGK.....	Vancouver 12899
Winifred Jensen, mother of Reginald Jensen.....	Vancouver 12983
Joseph V Daniel.....	Seattle 13606
Steve Roach.....	Newport 14268
Ed Schiffner.....	Fairchild 14510
Janneil Knox, wife of TSgt. Brian M. Knox.....	Fairchild 14510
Howard M. Radermacher.....	Seattle 14852
Infant son, Andrew Rondeau.....	Sumner/Orting 15136

Prayers for the sick and those in need are to be reported WSS George Czerwonka of any Brothers or family members who have died or who are in need of our prayers. We will purge the lists each semi-annually (Aug 1 & Feb 1) Please keep us apprized of those in need on a regular basis.

> Prayer List In Memoriam <

We join the survivors in remembering the following members who recently died.

We offer our prayers for them and their families.
May their souls rest in peace.
June 2012

Robert Lang.....	Seattle 676
James P. Martin.....	Seattle 676
Morris Wigen.....	Spokane Valley 4196
Rev Thomas J Phelan.....	Lakewood 4382
Richard Iwanski.....	Spanaway 6806
Robert (Bob) J. Nys.....	Camano-Stanwood 8476
Joseph L. Norberg, PGK.....	Buckley 9637
Richard E Hernandez.....	Tukwilla 11253
Cesar S Anijo.....	Lakewood 11762
Thomas E. Ashworth.....	Lakewood 11762

Family Members' Deaths

June 2012

Michael Day, son of Donald Day.....	Tacoma 809
Emma Dahmen, widow of Erv Dahmen.....	Pasco 1620
Virgin1a Frodel, widow of William Frodel.....	Pasco 1620
Donna Agnew Winkler, wife of John W. Winkler. Deer Park 9721	
Roseann Tyson, wife of Frank Tyson, Pro Life Couple for Washington State Council	Sammamish 9833
Salvador Meza, father of Roman Meza.....	Prosser 10543
Tina Lucero, mother in law of Rob & mother of Sheila Perez	Bremerton 11789
Patricia Estabrook, wife of Lawrence Estabrook (deceased)	Bremerton 11789
Frances Halverson, Mother in Law of Bob Kirby DD33 & Mother of Rose Kirby.....	Newport 14268
Henry Halverson, Father in Law of Bob Kirby DD33 & Mother of Rose Kirby.....	Newport 14268



Wheelchair Program

I need your help!

MISSION

The American Wheelchair Mission is a non-profit organization dedicated to delivering mobility into the lives of people with physical disabilities who have no means to acquire a wheelchair.

IMPACT

The delivery of a wheelchair to a person without mobility improves the quality of life for the entire family.

PROCESS

The brand new wheelchairs we deliver would sell for \$500 in a medical supply store, but because we purchase them by sea containers of 100 to 280 wheelchairs, and deliver them directly to the country of destination, we can do this for only \$150 per wheelchair.

HELPING

Knights have delivered tens of thousands of wheelchairs around the world since 2003 and right here at home.

We can do this in our own State. Your donation will help buy a container of wheelchairs to be distributed in the State of Washington. Won't you please help?

I want to be part of your council budget this fraternal year. I'm asking for just \$200 per council. Any additional amount will be greatly appreciated. Last fraternal year you contributed \$2,450.00 bringing our total to \$5,962.85 towards our goal of \$16,500.

Thank you for what you have done and what you will do.

I need your

TIME + TALENT = TREASURE

I believe you can!

You can send your TREASURE to the State Secretary.

If you have any questions regarding the program, please let me know. I can be reached at Council@kofc-wa.org

John Rowley, PGK, PFN, FDD
State Wheelchair Program Chairman
Council@kofc-wa.org

July 1, 2012 Membership Standings by Division
(Division Leaders are Highlighted in Green)

Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss	Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss
Division I - < 50 members					Division II - 50-99 members (continued)				
1606	47	3	1	33.3%	8437	77	5	2	40.0%
3044	47	3	0	0.0%	8455	93	6	3	50.0%
7149	48	3	-1	0.0%	8672	84	6	0	0.0%
9237	47	3	4	133.3%	8768	85	6	5	83.3%
9605	45	3	0	0.0%	9145	90	6	-12	0.0%
11085	42	3	3	100.0%	9617	71	5	6	120.0%
11736	36	3	3	100.0%	9637	56	4	-7	0.0%
12002	42	3	2	66.7%	9721	52	4	7	175.0%
12420	42	3	1	33.3%	9910	58	4	4	100.0%
12483	38	3	3	100.0%	9941	58	4	1	25.0%
12889	45	3	3	100.0%	10532	73	5	-1	0.0%
13462	41	3	3	100.0%	10534	65	4	0	0.0%
13597	45	3	6	200.0%	10543	97	7	4	57.1%
13761	44	3	3	100.0%	10652	79	5	3	60.0%
13831	35	3	0	0.0%	10664	65	4	-1	0.0%
13834	39	3	0	0.0%	11252	70	5	0	0.0%
14268	37	3	6	200.0%	11253	94	7	-2	0.0%
14510	45	3	0	0.0%	11357	84	6	0	0.0%
14852	49	3	5	166.7%	11408	85	6	-3	0.0%
15143	45	3	3	100.0%	11478	94	7	3	42.9%
15338	0	0	4	0.0%	11611	78	5	0	0.0%
15462	0	0	1	0.0%	11906	69	5	7	140.0%
Division II - 50-99 members					11948	95	6	17	283.3%
1401	90	6	4	66.7%	12175	51	4	3	75.0%
1449	60	4	2	50.0%	12251	52	4	1	25.0%
1629	79	5	4	80.0%	12273	93	7	2	28.6%
1674	77	5	2	40.0%	12786	90	6	4	66.7%
1758	65	4	0	0.0%	13186	90	6	5	83.3%
1823	54	4	-1	0.0%	13238	90	6	9	150.0%
2155	77	5	1	20.0%	13364	57	4	1	25.0%
2260	94	6	-5	0.0%	13395	80	6	-11	0.0%
5177	73	5	2	40.0%	13422	52	4	0	0.0%
5495	85	5	1	20.0%	13606	61	4	6	150.0%
6706	90	6	-3	0.0%	13794	91	6	17	283.3%
7117	82	5	1	20.0%	14046	61	4	7	175.0%
7360	76	5	2	40.0%	14162	59	4	-6	0.0%
8079	76	5	6	120.0%	14394	63	4	-2	0.0%
8102	97	7	-5	0.0%	14689	76	5	13	260.0%
8150	97	6	2	33.3%	14922	58	4	1	25.0%
8266	53	4	-2	0.0%	14926	50	4	6	150.0%
8311	89	6	0	0.0%	15136	55	4	13	325.0%
8398	58	4	3	75.0%					

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(Division Leaders are Highlighted in Green)**

Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss	Council	No. of Members	Quota	Net gain/loss	% gain/loss
Division III - 100-149 members					Division IV - 150-249 members				
894	139	8	0	0.0%	809	240	15	11	73.3%
1460	127	9	3	33.3%	829	159	11	-33	0.0%
1488	116	8	1	12.5%	1327	187	12	-6	0.0%
1545	148	10	7	70.0%	1379	212	14	-18	0.0%
1550	127	8	-9	0.0%	1620	158	10	3	30.0%
1565	134	8	0	0.0%	2999	167	11	12	109.1%
1699	101	7	2	28.6%	3598	216	14	8	57.1%
2103	125	8	4	50.0%	4385	188	13	5	38.5%
2126	112	7	1	14.3%	4782	228	15	7	46.7%
2303	107	7	2	28.6%	5816	213	14	-6	0.0%
2763	133	8	11	137.5%	6097	227	16	-1	0.0%
3153	123	9	4	44.4%	6686	200	14	15	107.1%
3455	143	10	5	50.0%	7642	210	14	7	50.0%
3611	117	8	-3	0.0%	7863	166	11	-41	0.0%
3645	112	7	7	100.0%	8201	183	13	4	30.8%
4196	148	10	5	50.0%	8476	165	11	9	81.8%
4322	138	8	3	37.5%	9238	218	15	-5	0.0%
4367	134	9	5	55.6%	10653	161	11	8	72.7%
6806	136	9	1	11.1%	11217	166	12	6	50.0%
7356	103	7	2	28.6%	11762	173	12	-11	0.0%
7907	109	7	7	100.0%	12983	170	12	-5	0.0%
7908	142	10	12	120.0%	Division V - >250 members				
8015	100	7	4	57.1%	676	438	26	-97	0.0%
8136	101	7	-33	0.0%	683	348	23	2	8.7%
8137	134	9	4	44.4%	763	360	24	9	37.5%
8297	102	7	2	28.6%	766	282	18	5	27.8%
8872	137	10	20	200.0%	1643	329	21	23	109.5%
9434	143	10	10	100.0%	3307	331	21	12	57.1%
9664	123	8	0	0.0%	3361	254	16	-15	0.0%
9833	134	9	3	33.3%	7528	311	21	9	42.9%
11134	138	9	18	200.0%	8179	290	20	25	125.0%
11642	117	8	-6	0.0%					
11780	122	8	9	112.5%					
11789	140	10	4	40.0%					
12583	103	7	0	0.0%					
12591	132	9	13	144.4%					
12899	119	8	10	125.0%					
13374	122	8	9	112.5%					
13560	105	7	7	100.0%					

District Deputy Director Message

FS Trainers Tips of the Month

Worthy District Deputies:

I want to congratulate each of you on your efforts the past year and thank you for the dedication and hard work that you put forth into being a DISTRICT DEPUTY. I know that PSD John Wallace is proud of your accomplishment and wishes you continued luck as you travel down this road in the future.

For those of you that have finished your 4 years or will not be continuing on for one reason or another, I say "Thank you for your Service" to the Knights. For those of you, who will continue to take on the mantle this year or will become a District Deputy for the first time, welcome to a new year.

As a way of introduction, I have served as a District Deputy for 3 years along with other positions and the one position that has been real fun for me but surprisingly a lot of work is that of District Deputy Director. I was lucky enough to see the value of this extremely important position in another jurisdiction and brought it to Washington in 1997 and had the pleasure of having William "Bill" Reeves from Oak Harbor as the first state District Deputy Director. He set the example and stood tall, literally in getting the job started and done. So I look to what he started how he did it and hopefully will continue to follow the excellence of standard that he set.

I will very soon be emailing you all a summer meeting welcome, once it is approved by State Deputy Donald McBride, who will always review any sort of information I wish to share or wish to receive prior to such commitment from you. My job is to provide the service to him that relieves him of constant working with District Deputies to carry on in many other areas that are required of a State Deputy, but it doesn't relieve him of his commitment to Supreme in Membership, Retention and the Knights of Columbus Order.

Please know that I will do everything I can to assist you on your travels down the road of District Deputy, I will offer you advice as to what direction I think you should take and I will not hesitate to stay in constant touch with the State Deputy on any matter that concerns you as District Deputy. Remember, I am still learning about areas of concern for a District Deputy as it is a very complex and dedicated position to work with. I will seek and answer questions and those answers I don't know I will get for you. As I said, none of us know all the answers, but it sure helps when you can ask the question and be assured of a correct answer forthcoming.

Everett J. Roberts

District Deputy Director

Semper Fi

"...one Nation under God"

Worthy FSs and Brothers All,

We invite you to start the new Fraternal year off on the right foot with Member Management and Billing training at the Summer Leadership sessions this month. Bring your laptops and questions. We hope to see you there.

If you are unable to locate some of your members because of no current address or phone, here are some Web based sites to assist you. Superpages.com, Whitepages.com, Dex.com, rootsweb.com, thepublicrecords.com, peoplelookup.com, intelius.com and searchbug.com. If you have other sites you have used with success, please share. Just drop me an email to editor @kofc-wa.org.

Did some of your members make their dues payment check payable to something other than the name of your bank account? Your billing notice may have had incorrect 'pay to' information. This information field is now editable on the Council and billing screen in the Remittance Name filed in the Member Billing Module.

Printing Officer Reports - Once your positions have been assigned, a Report of Officers-Next Year or Service Program Personnel-Next Year can be generated in the Member Management Print Center, saved to your computer and sent as an attachment to an email to the proper ranking officers. Forms **other than the 185 and 186** can be found in the General Forms section of the web site.

Vivat Jesus!

Ed Broadhurst, FS

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

HELP WANTED

Are YOU a Knight that others want to follow with strong values, ethics, integrity and authenticity?

Do YOU have the fraternal leadership competencies (skills and habits) in administrative, planning, operational, training and team building to succeed as a consultant? Do you have the physical dexterity to use a pen, hit a nail with a hammer, and operate a laptop? Can you roll up your sleeves, develop a team and take charge?

We're looking for YOU to offer your volunteer services to serve in a membership or programs leadership position! The Washington State Council is looking for Knights with these skills and the vision of the Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney to instill, create, promote, encourage and inspire our 17,000+ members and their families to greater charity and achievement in serving our Church, Parish family and Communities.

In order to be considered as having a sound understanding of the leadership competencies we are looking for, a fraternal leader must be able to demonstrate an ability to use an organized and measurable system for effective activity working with volunteers; record and analyze activities; and, strong people skills.

Father McGivney wanted an organization that would give parishioners a sense of dignity and purpose; an organization that would serve its members; and, an organization that would protect its widows and orphans from financial ruin. Supreme Knight Carl Anderson has stated that we have the duty and moral obligation to offer membership to every eligible Catholic man and his family!

As a fraternal leader, YOU will act as a catalyst and resource for our councils to achieve sustainable membership growth, provide opportunities for faith formation and develop our members to effectively serve their parishes and communities with meaningful programs. The time has never been more critical for you to step forward to serve against the foes of Church and state as we work to Preserve Marriage in Washington and fight for our religious freedom nationally.

Please send your name and resume to:

**George H. Czerwonka, Jr.
State Secretary
P.O. Box 1627
Veradale, WA 99037-1627**

(All replies, inquiries and resumes are confidential.)

Family Chairman's Message



FAMILY OF THE MONTH

"Who lives there in that old gray house down the middle of the block ?
 "Oh, that's where the old Knights of Columbus guy and his wife live."
 "Just two old people?"

They never talked a lot with words but they knew each other very well. They always showed much affection for each other, but certainly not in public, they were "Old School." Neither would not have thought it proper for people their age. They had a great love for each other and as the years passed the feeling grew into a oneness, a feeling of total belonging.

Lately the only ones on earth they still seemed of use to were each other. He went for the mail and took out the garbage and went to the pharmacy to get her medicine. She cooked his food and mended his clothes and she was always there. They both felt a deep unspoken reliance on each other. Their age which set them apart from most other things was actually bringing them even closer together. No one else really knew all that they had been through. No one could possibly understand what they had shared. Neither would have ever thought of going through life without the other

They were frail now, very fragile, life was slipping away. The priest could see it when he made a visit. Father Tim met the local Grand Knight later after his house call and told him that the council's oldest living member and his wife were getting very feeble. "I'm thinking they may not last much longer."

They knew it themselves in a very quiet way. They had given up one thing after another -- going to church, trips to town, his council meetings. Last Sunday afternoon as they were sitting in their living room, there was a knock on the front door.....



Epilogue: When they buried the old man, his wife and daughter had both insisted that the "Family Award" his council's grand knight presented to them in their living room on the old knight's last Sunday, be buried with him, his tears were still on it. The old man and his wife died within five days of one another, "I can't keep him waiting for me," were the last words she said to her daughter.

Brothers don't keep your honored Knights waiting, they are more than

JUST OLD PEOPLE!

Please use the Family Program to publically recognize these men and their families within your councils,
 they belong in your **Council's Hall of Fame!**

FOOD FOR FAMILIES

Feeding the hungry is one of the corporal works of mercy. When we have in our communities, people who do not have enough to eat, remember that is Jesus who is hungry. The need to feed the hungry is growing.

The "Food for Families" program encourages councils to feed those in need with a community dinner or conduct a food drive at your council, parish, or supermarket and donate to a food pantry or soup kitchen

As Knights we are asking **you to be there** for those in need by using the Food for Families Program. **Please!**

"LET'S MULTIPLY THE LOAVES!"
QUESTIONS – Contact me, (509-386-3462) or stevesnell@charter.net

**STEVE SNELL, FDD, PFN, PGK
 STATE FAMILY CHAIRMAN**



Life in Christ: Grace and Commandments

THE THIRD COMMANDMENT OF GOD

Remember to keep it Holy the Lord's Day.

1. The third commandment commands us to keep holy the Sabbath. For six days you shall labor, and do all your work; but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God; in it you shall not do any work.
2. The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath; so the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath. The third commandment of the Decalogue recalls the holiness of the Sabbath:
3. "The seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the LORD."
4. In speaking of the Sabbath, Scripture recalls creation: "For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it."
5. God's action is the model for human action. If God "rested and was refreshed" on the seventh day, man too ought to "rest" and should let others, especially the poor, "be refreshed."
6. The Sabbath brings everyday work to a halt and provides a respite. It is a day of protest against the servitude of work and the worship of money.
7. **Sunday - fulfillment of the Sabbath**
 - a. Sunday is expressly distinguished from the Sabbath which it follows chronologically every week; for Christians its ceremonial observance replaces that of the Sabbath.
 - b. In Christ's Passover, Sunday fulfills the spiritual truth of the Jewish Sabbath and announces man's eternal rest in God.
 - c. For worship under the Law prepared for the mystery of Christ, and what was done there prefigured some aspects of Christ.
 - i. Those who lived according to the old order of things have come to a new hope, no longer keeping the Sabbath, but the Lord's Day, in which our life is blessed by him and by his death.
 - ii. The celebration of Sunday observes the moral commandment inscribed by nature in the human heart to render to God an outward, visible, public, and regular worship "as a sign of his universal beneficence to all."
 - iii. Sunday worship fulfills the moral command of the Old Covenant, taking up its rhythm and spirit in the weekly celebration of the Creator and Redeemer of his people.
8. The Sunday celebration of the Lord's Day and his Eucharist is at the heart of the Church's life. "Sunday is the day on which the paschal mystery is celebrated in light of the apostolic tradition and is to be observed as the foremost holy day of obligation in the universal Church."
9. "Also to be observed are the day of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Epiphany, the Ascension of Christ, the feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, the feast of Mary the Mother of God, her Immaculate Conception, her Assumption, the feast of Saint Joseph, the feast of the Apostles Saints Peter and Paul, and the feast of All Saints."
10. "A *parish* is a definite community of the Christian faithful established on a stable basis within a particular church; the pastoral care of the parish is entrusted to a pastor as its own shepherd under the authority of the diocesan bishop." It is the place where all the faithful can be gathered together for the Sunday celebration of the Eucharist.
 - a. The parish initiates the Christian people into the ordinary expression of the liturgical life: it gathers them together in this celebration; it teaches Christ's saving doctrine; it practices the charity of the Lord in good works and brotherly love.
 - b. You cannot pray at home as at church, where there is a great multitude, where exclamations are cried out to God as from one great heart, and where there is something more: the union of minds, the accord of souls, the bond of charity, and the prayers of the priests.
11. The precept of the Church specifies the law of the Lord more precisely:
 - a. On Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to participate in the Mass.
 - b. The precept of participating in the Mass is satisfied by assistance at a Mass which is celebrated anywhere in a Catholic rite either on the holy day or on the evening of the preceding day."
12. The Sunday Eucharist is the foundation and confirmation of all Christian practice. For this reason the faithful are obliged to participate in the Eucharist on days of obligation, unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants) or dispensed by their own pastor. Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin.
13. Participation in the communal celebration of the Sunday Eucharist is a testimony of belonging and of being faithful to Christ and to his Church. The faithful give witness by this to their communion in faith and charity. Together they testify to God's holiness and their hope of salvation. They strengthen one another under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.
14. "If because of lack of a sacred minister or for other grave cause participation in the celebration of the Eucharist is impossible, it is specially recommended that the faithful take part in the Liturgy of the Word if it is celebrated in the parish church or in another sacred place according to the prescriptions of the diocesan bishop, or engage in prayer for an appropriate amount of time personally or in a family or, as occasion offers, in groups of families."
15. In respecting religious liberty and the common good of all, Christians should seek recognition of Sundays and the Church's holy days as legal holidays.
 - a. They have to give everyone a public example of prayer, respect, and joy and defend their traditions as a precious contribution to the spiritual life of society.

Life in Christ: Grace and Commandments (continued)

- b. If a country's legislation or other reasons require work on Sunday, the day should nevertheless be lived as the day of our deliverance which lets us share in this "festal gathering," this "assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven."

16. IN BRIEF

- a. "Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy" (Deut 5:12). "The seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the Lord" (*Ex 31:15*).
- b. The Sabbath, which represented the completion of the first creation, has been replaced by Sunday which recalls the new creation inaugurated by the Resurrection of Christ.
- c. The Church celebrates the day of Christ's Resurrection on the "eighth day," Sunday, which is rightly called the Lord's Day (cf. SC 106).
- d. "Sunday is to be observed as the foremost holy day of obligation in the universal Church" (CIC, can. 1246 § 1). "On Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to participate in the Mass" (CIC, can. 1247).
- e. "On Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound . . . to abstain from those labors and business concerns which impede the worship to be rendered to God, the joy which is proper to the Lord's Day, or the proper relaxation of mind and body" (CIC, can. 1247).
- f. The institution of Sunday helps all "to be allowed sufficient rest and leisure to cultivate their familial, cultural, social, and religious lives" (*GS* 67 § 3).
- g. Every Christian should avoid making unnecessary demands on others that would hinder them from observing the Lord's Day.

Next month, we shall look more closely at the fourth commandment: You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

SPECIAL EXEMPLIFICATION



Please join me in congratulating the **8 new sir knights** from 4 assemblies and 4 councils who were exemplified at **St. Cabrini Parish in Lakewood**, on **June 24, 2012!** This was a **special exemplification arranged in less than a week** by **Kirkland 2621 FN Scott Esary and VSM Wayne Hogan** that was conducted for **Fr Deogratias Malewa** (from Tanzania)! **Many thanks** to Team Member **Monte Cromwell** and several **Honor Guards** who responded on short notice!

Karl A. Hadley, PSD
Master, Washington District

DISTRICT MASTER'S MESSAGE



"Double security arises to the rights of the people" Color Guards at Flag Day Ceremony

At Noon on Flag Day, June 14, 2012, at the State Capitol in Olympia, a flag ceremony (adapted from a ceremony we use at our state convention awards banquet) was conducted by the Washington District Color Corps with members from across the state. The Color Corps included Vice Supreme Master Wayne Hogan in blue, Master Karl Hadley in gold, Marshals Gene Brown and John Rowley in green, ten Faithful Navigators in white, six members in red, and three Color Corps Commanders in purple. The photos (shown below) were taken from the steps of the Capitol's Legislative Building and the building in the background is the Temple of Justice. A ceremony was conducted by every Fourth Degree District in the United States as part of a "Nationwide Pledge Across America" at every state capitol, such that it resembled a giant "wave" of the flag from East to West as the ceremony was performed throughout the different time zones across America. Thanks to all the Honor Guards who participated!



New Sir Knights

Please join me in congratulating the 27 new sir knights from 8 assemblies and 9 councils who were exemplified in Vancouver at St. John the Evangelist Parish on June 2, 2012! One of the candidates exemplified is a priest— please welcome Fr. Matthew Oakland!

The Host Assembly (Fr. Michael J. McGivney Assembly 3006) brought in 15 new members (250% of quota!), Wenatchee Assembly 2648 brought in 2 more (increasing to 280% of quota!), Bremerton Assembly 1540 sent 2 candidates (increasing to 160% of quota), and Kirkland Assembly 2621 added 1 (to achieve 100% of quota).

This was our last exemplification for this fraternal year - we finished the fraternal year with 12 assemblies over 100% of their quotas!

Military Chaplain Scholarship Program

As of June 18, 2012, I had not received any additional donations since the May bulletin. We are still at for \$6,882.91 for the Military Chaplain Scholarship Fund (72% of our second year goal of \$4,000!).

Please continue to send donations to me, so that I can make additional submittals to Supreme and achieve our second year's goal early.

Summer Leadership Meeting

Those Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Program Directors, and Membership Chairmen who are members of the Color Corps, please bring your regalia to the Summer Leadership Meeting and participate in the Mass and Installation of State Officers and District Deputies on Saturday evening.

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DISTRICT MASTER'S MESSAGE (Continued)

Reports Are Due

If you haven't already done so, please submit your Election of Officers Form 186 (due by July 1, 2012) to Supreme (copy to VSM Wayne Hogan and me) and directory input to the WSC Webmaster, contact me to schedule your Installation of Assembly Officers (jointly with other assemblies), and conduct your Annual Audit (due by August 1, 2012).

All new Faithful Navigators and Faithful Comptrollers are requested to provide me with their current e-mail address.

Your first order of business as a new Faithful Navigator should be to establish and publish the Goals and Objectives for your assembly – here are some ideas:

- Create a Membership Plan for recruiting new members to attend scheduled exemplifications and exceed your Membership Quota by 15%
- Establish an Assembly Budget for major expenditures (and approve it at your July meeting)
- Prepare and publish an informational monthly newsletter with a Calendar of Meetings and Events (to increase attendance at meetings and social functions), Report Submittals, and Award Applications
- Establish an e-mail list of all assembly members (including widows of deceased members) and frequently utilize it as a "phone tree" to disseminate information regarding events
- Establish Committee Chairmen and assign members to committees to plan and conduct enough activities that will allow you to apply for and attain the Civic Award
- Plan and conduct a major project which will allow you to submit an application for the "To Be a Patriot" Award
- Increase the visibility of your Color Corps in your parish community (e.g., at corporate masses, funerals, state meetings and conventions, flag presentations, parades, etc.)

Patriotic Quotes

"In the compound republic of America, the power surrendered by the people is first divided between two distinct governments, and then the portion allotted to each subdivided among distinct and separate departments. Hence double security arises to the rights of the people. The different governments will control each other, at the same time that each will be controlled by itself." – James Madison in the Federalist Papers

*Karl A. Hadley, PSD
Master, Washington District*

Flag Day In Buckley Washington



Remember me?

Some people call me Old Glory; others call me the Star Spangled Banner. But whatever they call me, I am your Flag, the Flag of the United States of America.

I remember when people lined up on both sides of the street to watch the parade, and naturally I was leading every parade, proudly waving in the breeze. When men saw me coming, they would immediately remove their hat and place it against his left shoulder so that his hand was directly over his heart. Children would stand still, straight and proud.

But now I do not feel as proud as I used to be. It seems now when I come down your street you just stand there with your hands in your pockets and I may get a small glance and then you look away. Children don't seem to know who I am.

It seems Americans are not patriotic anymore. Have you forgotten what I stand for and where I've been? World Wars I and II, Korea, Vietnam, Iraq, Afghanistan. Take a look at this memorial and see the names engraved on these bricks, they fought for you, some gave their lives for your freedom. When you salute me you are actually saluting them.

When you see me you are saluting the principles and ideals upon which our nation was founded, one nation under God. A symbol of national unity and devotion to our country that stands for freedom, liberty, justice, equality, pride, and glory.

I will be coming down your street again and when you see me, stand straight, place your right hand over your heart, and I'll salute you by waving back.

God Bless America.

Tootsie Roll Program



I don't know about you, but this last fraternal year went by quickly. I am well pleased with the success of our 1st Tootsie Roll Drive, but I am even more excited to see the success from this coming year.

I know you have heard this before, but I need your council to fill out the Council Chairman Form and send it to me. Even if you participated last year and are using the same chairman, I still need you to fill out a new Council Chairman Form. I purged the file from last year, so please send a new form if you haven't already. In case you are not aware, the manual issued to all last year has become somewhat dated. Minor pricing changes have occurred and the manual and forms have been updated. Also, at the end of the event, the collected funds go to WSS George Czerwonka directly as do the accompanying forms.

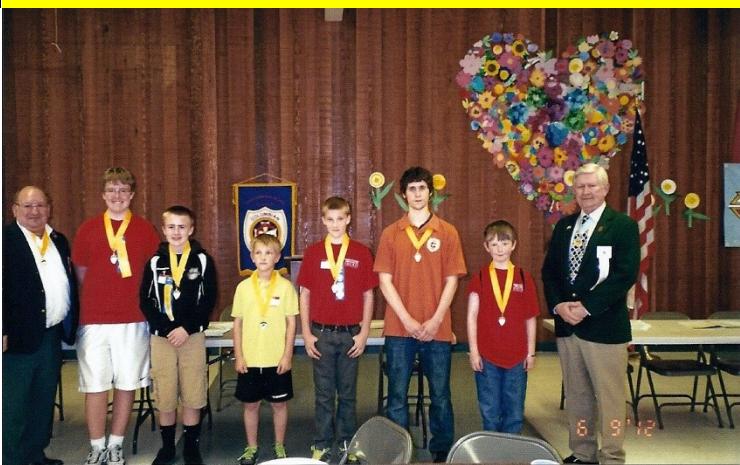
By the time you read this, you should be ordering Tootsie Rolls for your Council's drive. This will give you plenty of time in case something happens with the delivery. It is rare, but it does happen. Last year we had two hiccups, but were able to fix the problem. All forms, instructions and manual are on our website at www.columbuscharities.net. Please, be sure to go to the website in order to download the new manual and forms. Get those locations established now.

Reports of great experience from last year just keep pouring in. It is truly amazing what is happening here. I feel the Holy Spirit has blessed this program in Washington State and around this remarkable country and has taken control. Doors are opening that were closed before and new councils are signing up every week. I am very Blessed to have a front row seat in watching this program unfold.

Hopefully, I will see you at the Summer Leadership Meeting July 21st.

Viva Cristo Rey,
Kim Washburn
State Tootsie Roll Chairman
6426 Alpine Dr SW
Olympia, WA 98512-2070

State Squires Officer Election



I'm happy to announce that the Washington State Columbian Squires Circle held their Annual State Convention at Holy Family Parish in Auburn on Saturday, June 9th, 2012. The State meeting was a success even though not all Circles were able to attend due to Graduations, S.A.T. testing, etc. Usually the State Convention meeting is held in April that is designated as "Squires Month" but this year the date was postponed.

The Washington State Circle consists of 11 Circles with 116 squires members. Several Circles will be holding investitures to bring in more members in the next month or two.

Nominations and Election of New Washington State Circle Columbian Squires was held as follows:
State Chief Squire: Kyle A. Discher from Marysville; State Deputy Chief Squire: Matthew J. Murphy of Marysville; State Notary Squire: Aidan Steele of Auburn; State Bursar Squire: Brendon Malloy of Auburn; State Sentry Squire: Cullen Steele of Auburn; State Marshall Squire: Mark A. Zietz of Stanwood.

Washington State Warden, Patrick Kelley represented the State Deputy, Donald J. McBride and State Officers. He gave a very inspiring talk and officiated in the Installation of new Squires Officers for the 2012-2013 fraternal year.

Esto Dignus, Be Worthy

Matt F. Jarolimek, WA. State Squires Chairman

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP IS FOR GROWN-UPS LIKE YOU!

Vocations Are Everybody's Business

BISHOP WHITE SEMINARY CHALLENGE



The Greater Spokane area councils are initiating the Bishop White Seminary Challenge to all Councils and Districts across the WSC jurisdiction. PGK Tim Coyle of Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral Council 14922 came up with the idea of a fraternal dinner to develop a closer working relationship with all local councils, and as he prayed over the planning and operational issues, the Holy Spirit identified for him a cause to rally their coming together. The Bishop White Seminary construction debt! Tim reports that early plans include Mass on August 25th concelebrated by Bishop Blasé Cupich with all KofC chaplains attending. The dinner follows in The Cathedral Hall and dining room. The Color Guard will be coordinated by Marshall Tom Sokol. With 23 Eastside councils receiving 10 tickets (\$250.00) per council, the dinner event will easily raise more than \$5,000.00; and, only the Holy Spirit knows what donors will do with their pledges, credit cards and incentives.

Past Grand Knight Tim and Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral Council 14922 has tossed down the gauntlet with their challenge of all greater area councils in the state be they Bellingham, Burlington, Oak Harbor, Port Angeles, Bremerton, Everett, Shoreline, Seattle (multiples), Bellevue, Mercer Island, Burien, Issaquah, Tacoma, Olympia, Puyallup, Lakewood, Chehalis, Vancouver, Yakima, Wenatchee, Ellensburg, Kennewick, Richland, Pasco, Walla Walla, Clarkston, Pullman...to name a number of areas! You get the message. Nothing happens until we do something! Contact information will be provided when the tickets are forwarded to the councils.

Our Seminarians attending BWS at Gonzaga this past year were:

Archdiocese of Seattle

Louis Cunningham
Edward Duncan
Peter Guthrie
Kyle Manglona
Colin Parrish
Thomas Tran

Diocese of Spokane

Justin Leedy
Matthew Machotka
Kyle Miller
James Powers
Alexander Wilson

Archdiocese of San Francisco

Kyle Faller
Richard Grablin

Each grouping of council members attending an area or district function will contribute greatly to reducing the \$700,000 construction debt. The Holy Spirit has identified the need; we have the capability; and, we have the Seminarians. Do we have the spirit, desire and commitment? The answer is – YES! Let's commit, plan and take action! Sharon and I hope to attend as many of your functions as possible. Vivat Jesus!

George Czerwonka

State Secretary

Council 100th Anniversary

We extend our congratulations to Willapa Harbor Council 1606 on their 100th Anniversary. Although a small council, this is a very active group of Knights. A group is actively seeking support to purchase a new Ultra Sound machine for the Pregnancy Resource Center located in Astoria, OR. With a passion for the American flag, one member presents flag shows in all the local schools and throughout the state.

Few in number, but not in heart, this council provides scholarships to local graduating Seniors each year. Again, we offer our congratulations and support your efforts.



URGENT REMINDER TO DISTRICT DEPUTIES AND GRAND KNIGHTS (Continued)**IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT, SEND IT AGAIN...TO: WONKAGS@AOL.COM****DISTRICT DEPUTY REPORT (EXAMPLE)**

Marcel P. Bergeron, District Deputy

Once again, District 7 has turned in a fantastic year of good works and impressive accomplishments in the name of Christopher Columbus. A hearty thanks to the Grand Knights of District 7 and District Warden, Steve Snell, for efforts they put forth in this, my first year as District Deputy. I was honored to be a part of such a distinguished group of gentlemen. Check out their noteworthy accomplishments below!

GRAND KNIGHT COUNCIL REPORT (EXAMPLE)

WALLA WALLA COUNCIL 766 - Curt Hayunga, Grand Knight

Walla Walla, Michael Flohr Council 766, has been active and the Holy Spirit is alive and well among our members! Following is a list of some of the highlights from throughout the year.

CHURCH: Council members act as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Parish Council members, Choir members, and Ushers for three parishes. In February, we held our annual Clergy and Religious Appreciation dinner with many honored guests in attendance. Our Pro-Life chairman leads rosary every Wednesday night at one of our parishes.

COMMUNITY: Member visits take communion and perform errands for the ill, disabled, and elderly...provide volunteer work at St. Vincent de Paul. We have signed on with Volunteer Chore Service to help those less fortunate than ourselves with some minor home repairs. We have started to get members active in our local blood drives. Many of our members are involved in youth athletics.

COUNCIL: We have our own First Degree Team. We publish a Council bulletin. We held a pancake breakfast for members, guests, and the public. In May, we will hold our annual Past Grand Knights Night honoring all Grand Knights. We have a Council web site page.

FAMILY: We had our Council Picnic and in November we held a steak dinner for families and guests. In November, we held a Family Hour of Prayer, with our council Chaplain, Father Tim Hays, leading the service. We held our Annual Family Christmas Party. We also held our Annual Memorial Mass for deceased members and their families.

YOUTH: We also held our Children's Christmas Party, donating approximately \$300.00 in toys to St. Vincent de Paul for needy children. We conducted a Council Free Throw Contest. Several of our members teach religion class for our youth.

PROLIFE: We participated in the 40 Days to Life and the Pro-Life March at the State Capital this year; and we gave an offering from our entire parish to the RTL Ultrasound program too.

(District Deputies are charged with collecting their GK reports and with converting any handwritten council reports into a typed format prior to submitting them to the State Secretary with their District report. The District Deputy should include a recap of district activities too. *The deadline for submittal of reports by District Deputies and State Chairmen to the State Secretary is April 10, 2012.*)

George Czerwonka

State Secretary

Silver Rose Schedule

While hanging nailed on the cross before giving up his spirit, Jesus said, "here is your Mother". She has come to us watching over us, making sure we stay close to her divine Eucharistic son, our Lord and Savior.

In 1610 she appeared to Blessed Juan Diego in Tepeyac, converting thousands to the faith. Today in this secular world, we need this conversion of faith, we the Knights must be examples of this faith to our families and within our communities.

The Knights of Columbus, running of the Silver Rose, gives us the opportunity to pay honor to our Lady of Guadalupe when the Silver Rose visits 28 parishes in Washington between July 22nd – August 12th. This is a jubilant occasion, a privilege, a humbling experience to have her visit.

As Catholics we are called to be people of life and a people for life. The challenge before us is to teach the world that the life of a human being, unique and unrepeatable, begins at the moment of conception and ends by natural death. To accomplish this we turn to the Blessed Virgin Mary, through whom the word was made flesh. Through Mary, under her title of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, we seek the graces and strength to bear witness to the reality that every human life is sacred, a gift from God. We take this opportunity to commend ourselves to our Mother, seeking the strength to proclaim the gospel of life, in season and out of season, until respect for sanctity of human life is restored throughout the world.

These are the parishes the Silver Rose will visit, times and date are listed.

July 22	Church of Assumption	Bellingham	after 3 p.m
July 23	St Charles	Burlington/Mt Veron	8 a.m. – till 6 am
July 24	St Mar	Marysville	8 a.m. – on
July 25	Immaculate Conception	Everett	8 a.m. – on
July 26	St Brenden	Bothell	8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
July 26	Sacred Heart	Lacy	4 p.m. – vigil
July 27	St Mary	Aberdeen	8 a.m. – vigil
July 28	Holy Trinity	Bremerton	8 a.m.-3 p.m.
July 28	St Francis Cabrini	Lakewood	4 p.m.-vigil
July 29	Sacred Heart	Tacoma	8 a.m. vigil
July 30	St Andrews	Sumner	8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
July 30	St Philomena	De Moines	3 p.m. – vigil
July 31	Holy Family	So. Seattle	8 a.m. – vigil
Aug 1	St Anthony	Renton	8 a.m. – Vigil
Aug 2	St Louise de Marillac	Bellevue	8 a.m. – 3 p.m
Aug 2	travel across Cascade Mts		after 3 p.m.
Aug 3	Our Lady of Fatima	Moses Lake	8 a.m. – 3 p.m
Aug 3	St Charles	Spokane	4 p.m. – vigil
Aug 4	Sacred Heart	Othello	9 a.m. – vigil
Aug 5	St Joseph	Kennewick	8 a.m. – vigil
Aug 6	Blessed Sacrament	Grandview	8 a.m. – vigil
Aug 7	Holy Rosary	Toppenish	8 a.m. – vigil
Aug 8	St Aloysius	Moxee	8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Aug 8	St Joseph	Yakima	4 p.m. – vigil
Aug 9	St Paul Cathedral	Yakima	8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Aug 9	Silver Rose travel to W WA		
Aug 10	St Joseph	Chehalis	8 a.m. – 3 p.m
Aug 10	St Rose de Viterbo	Longview	4 p.m. – vigil
Aug 11	St Phillips	Woodland	8 a.m. – 3 p.m
Aug 11	St John the Evangelist	Vancouver	5 p.m. – all night vigil
Aug 12	Silver Rose transfers to Ore		

For many years of your life you will remember this visit and rosary prayer before our Lady of Guadalupe
With your family.

Mike Calderon- Silver Rose/Hispanic membership chairman

Silver Rose Schedule (Espanola)

Una Vida, Una rosa, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe programa de la Rosa de Plata.

La Rose de Guadalupe visitara el estado de Washington, Julio 22 hasta –Agosto 12 en parroquias donde se hay comunidad Hispana. Ella es nuestra patrona, la patrona de los Caballeros de Colon y de las Américas. Los invito que vengan a un tiempo de oración cuando estará la Rose de Plata, que representa la Virgen de Guadalupe en su parroquia o en una parroquia cercas.

Como católicos, somos llamados ser un pueblo de vida y un pueblo para la vida. El desafío que tenemos por delante es enseñar al mundo que la vida de cada ser humano, única e irrepetible, comienza en el momento de la concepción y finaliza por muerte natural. Para lograr esto, nos volvemos a la Santa María Virgen, a través de quien la Palabra fue hecha carne. A través de María, bajo su título de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Patrona de las Américas, buscamos la gracia y la fuerza para dar testimonio de la realidad de que toda la vida humana es sagrada, un regalo de Dios.

Aprovechamos esta oportunidad para encorndarnos a nuestra Madre, buscando la fortaleza para proclamar el evangelio de la vida, a tiempo y a destiempo, hasta que el respeto por la santidad de la vida humana sea restablecido en todo el mundo.

Mike Calderon- Silver Rose/Hispanic membership chairman

Hispanic Membership

Congratulation to the 4th degree June class that had thirteen members from St John the Evangelist, Vancouver eight Hispanic Caballeros de Colon in this class.

These Caballeros also make up a Spanish first degree team that is active and will travel to areas where at least 10 candidates will be present.

GK Don Wells, Tacoma has extended an invitation for this team to be present on Sunday July 29th, at two Spanish mass celebrations as honor guards during the time that the Guadalupe Silver Rose is present. There will also be a recruitment campaign during this Sunday.

Parishes throughout Washington State have the possibilities of having a Hispanic first degree and honor guard team, all it takes is extending a welcoming gesture in positive recruitment efforts.

July and August are usually full of activities, start planning recruitment drives for September, 2012 through April of 2013, and am ready to help any council grow through Hispanic membership that prepares for such a campaign.

Viva Cristo Rey,

Mike Calderon,

Hispanic membership



Knights on Bikes



Founded in Fort Worth, Texas in 2005, Knights on Bikes (KonB) is an international family organization consisting of Members of The Knights of Columbus; who are also motorcycle riders.

The mission statement of Knights on Bikes is:

"Serving the community through charitable works and leadership while enjoying camaraderie with Our Brothers in faith as motorcycle riders."

Want to learn more about Knights on Bikes? Visit the Knights on Bikes National Headquarters web site at:

www.knightsonbikes-usa1.com

How to join

Who is eligible to join Knights on Bikes? **ANY** Knight, regardless of Degree who owns or will own a motorcycle (of any make or size) within the next six months.

The Point of Contact to join Knights on Bikes in the State of Washington is Brother Tommy Rosati DD#2 from Council 1379 in Bremerton.

Interested Knights should drop Brother Tommy an email at TommyRosati@gmail.com

A Member application and by-laws are available for download on at www.KonBWA.org

Back of the Knights on Bikes Vest or "colors."



**PRIESTS, BROTHERS, NUNS.
THEY NEED US.
WE NEED THEM.**

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Knights of Columbus

WASHINGTON STATE COUNCIL

Wayne C Hogan, VSM, PSD
State Ceremonials Chairman

June 28, 2012

NOTICE

Ceremonial Meeting

Saturday, August 25, 2012

11:30 am gathering with coffee and donuts

Lunch 12:00pm

Meeting 12:30pm to 3:30pm

Agenda to follow

401 S Willow St
St Andrew Activity Center
Ellensburg, WA

Map of Ellensburg will be provided with flyer

The State Council will provide lunch.

State Officers, COs, PFCs and 3rd Degree Wardens
are expected to attend.

District Deputies and Second Degree Team Captains
are encouraged to attend.

Please RSVP to Wayne Hogan, see below, or by email at
kofchogan@comcast.net by Friday, August 16.

Wayne C Hogan, VSM, PSD, 109 Madrona Park Dr, Steilacoom WA 98388 (253) 581-5261

KCIC ANNOUNCEMENT**KCIC Christmas Card Overstocked Sale**

We have a large number of Christmas cards from 2011 that we are placing on sale at a reduced price. Please go to the State web site kofc-wa.org and activate the link. An order sheet and pictures of the cards are displayed. Any questions contact 2011 Chairman, John Walker at kofcired@charter.net or (509) 783-4307.

KCIC ASSORTED CASE ADVANCE SALE-2012

I wish to order the following assorted cases for pick up during the Summer Conference in Wenatchee on July 20 – 22, 2012:

Assortment Case (1st case) \$130.00
(Limit of one at this price) By 9/25 _____ \$130.00

Assortment Case (Additional) @ \$162.75 _____

Freight pick charge is \$10.00 per case ** _____

Spanish Assortment Case (1st case) \$66.00
(Limit of one at this price) By 9/25 _____ \$ 66.00

Additional SP Assortment cases @ \$76.75 _____

Freight pick up charge is \$5.00 per case _____

**The charge for freight if shipped to Councils is \$19.00 per case. The reduced charge for pick up in Wenatchee is \$10.00. The State has to pay the freight from Virginia to California and from California to Washington. For the Spanish case \$11.50 for freight is the regular price. The reduced price is \$5.00.

Name _____ Council _____

Send or email this completed form to John Walker, KCIC Chairman at 805 S. Morain St., Kennewick, WA 99336-4417 or email kofcired@charter.net.

Keys to a Successful Council

In the February bulletin, we introduced the first in a series of articles on how to take your council to the next level of outstanding performance. Because these articles provide great detail to support those efforts, it has been decided to publish them on the State website. The outline below lists the articles and those in bold print are currently available on the website at www.kofc-wa.org

- 1. Organization**
 - a. Why is organization so important?
 - b. Components of the organization
 - c. Selection of Officers & Directors and Succession Planning
- 2. Program – Utilizing the Surge ...with Service**
 - a. Council Survey
 - b. Build a Calendar of Events
 - c. Committee Chairs
 - d. Budget
- 3. Communication**
 - a. Officers Phone Tree
 - b. Website
 - c. Email Reminders
 - d. Council Bulletin Board & Council Wall
 - e. Council Newsletter
 - f. Handout Calendars at Monthly Meetings
 - g. Parish Weekly Bulletin
- 4. Membership**
 - a. Build Friendships & Camaraderie
 - b. Creating Visibility to the Parish
 - c. Membership Candidates Information Meeting
 - d. First Degree Exemplification Ceremony
 - e. New Member Information Packet
 - f. Mentors for New Members
- 5. Council Meetings**
 - a. Officers & Directors
 - b. Regular Business
 - c. Program Planning
- 6. The Importance of Your Pastors Support**
 - a. What to do if you do not have it.
7. Support of and Appreciating Our Wives

State Treasurer and Forms Message

Brother Knights,

Thank you for your continued vote of confidence re-electing me as your State Treasurer!



As your State Treasurer, I have the responsibility of monitoring and collecting the Exemplification Fund. Some of you are new so I will explain what this fund is and why you should have your council pay it.....

The Exemplification Fund was installed a number of years ago to pay for 2nd and 3rd degree costs without collecting funds at each exemplification. As I am sure you are aware, 3rd degree exemplification changed this past year and as such the travel costs have been minimized but the expense for the new medallion given to the exemplified is of similar cost to that of prior years.....so we are still in need of collecting the same amount to continue to pay for the degree.

Simply put - when you bring a new 1st degree member into your council – you send payment of \$7 to the State Secretary – that money will be used when the member takes his 2nd and 3rd degree. Credit will be given for those new members that are Priests. Credits also will be given for member reactivations since they were already paid for the first time around.....but you must let me know when either of these happen as all the information I have available is that you have gained a member. I don't know specifics about that new member. Notify me by email or phone message and I will credit your council.

As you will see in the accompanying chart – some councils may have overlooked their responsibility toward this fund and need to catch up. Please be a responsible council officer and submit payment as soon as possible and lighten my load. If you have questions or concerns please let me know and we can talk through them.

May God Bless you and your council's many successes that are coming your way this fraternal year.

Ed Parazoo

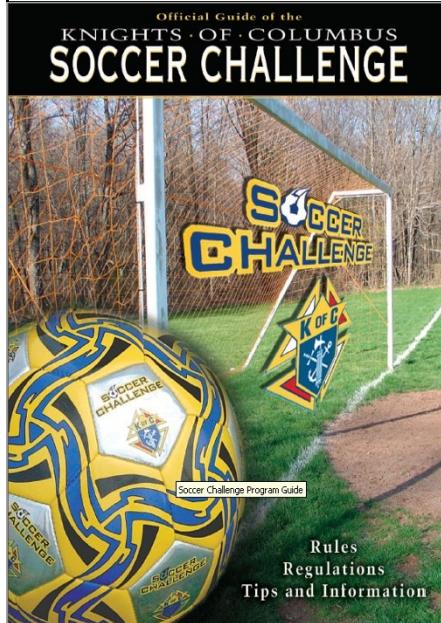
State Treasurer
StateTreasurer@kofc-wa.org

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Blood



EXEMPLIFICATION FUND REPORT - July 1, 2012

COUNCIL #	FEE BALANCE								
676	\$ 7.00	3307	\$ 56.00	8201	\$ -	11253	\$ 14.00	13606	\$ 28.00
683	\$ 35.00	3361	\$ 14.00	8266	\$ 28.00	11357	Credit	13761	\$ 35.00
763	Credit	3455	\$ 14.00	8297	Credit	11408	\$ -	13794	\$ 77.00
766	\$ 7.00	3598	\$ 21.00	8311	\$ 7.00	11478	\$ 14.00	13831	\$ -
809	\$ 63.00	3611	\$ -	8398	\$ 7.00	11611	\$ -	13834	\$ 42.00
829	Credit	3645	\$ 42.00	8437	\$ 14.00	11642	\$ -	14046	\$ 14.00
894	\$ 14.00	4196	\$ -	8455	\$ -	11736	\$ 7.00	14162	\$ -
1327	\$ 7.00	4322	\$ 14.00	8476	\$ 14.00	11762	\$ -	14268	\$ 21.00
1379	\$ 14.00	4367	\$ 35.00	8672	\$ -	11780	\$ -	14394	Credit
1401	\$ 105.00	4385	\$ 7.00	8768	\$ 7.00	11789	\$ 35.00	14510	\$ -
1449	\$ -	4782	\$ 7.00	8872	\$ 28.00	11906	\$ 28.00	14689	\$ 133.00
1460	\$ -	5177	\$ 14.00	9145	\$ 28.00	11948	\$ 63.00	14852	\$ -
1488	\$ 7.00	5495	\$ -	9237	\$ 21.00	12002	\$ -	14922	\$ 28.00
1545	\$ 56.00	5816	\$ 21.00	9238	\$ 7.00	12175	\$ 14.00	14926	\$ 21.00
1550	\$ 28.00	6097	\$ 21.00	9434	\$ 56.00	12251	Credit	15136	\$ 21.00
1565	\$ 7.00	6686	\$ 14.00	9605	\$ -	12273	\$ 7.00	15143	\$ 63.00
1606	\$ 7.00	6706	\$ -	9617	\$ 105.00	12420	\$ -	15338	\$ 28.00
xxx		6806	\$ 7.00	xxx		xxx		15462	\$ 7.00
1620	\$ -	7117	\$ 7.00	9637	\$ -	12483	\$ 28.00		
1629	\$ -	7149	\$ -	9664	\$ 7.00	12583	\$ -		
1643	Credit	7356	\$ 42.00	9721	\$ 21.00	12591	\$ 133.00		
1674	Credit	7360	\$ -	9833	\$ -	12786	\$ -		
1699	\$ 14.00	7528	\$ 7.00	9910	\$ 84.00	12889	\$ 7.00		
1758	\$ -	7642	\$ 14.00	9941	\$ 14.00	12899	\$ 63.00		
1823	\$ -	7863	Credit	10532	\$ 7.00	12983	\$ 7.00		
2103	\$ 56.00	7907	\$ 56.00	10534	\$ -	13186	\$ 7.00		
2126	\$ 21.00	7908	\$ 28.00	10543	\$ 7.00	13238	\$ 21.00		
2155	\$ -	8015	\$ 7.00	10652	\$ 14.00	13364	\$ 21.00		
2260	\$ -	8079	\$ 91.00	10653	\$ 21.00	13374	\$ 14.00		
2303	\$ -	8102	\$ -	10664	\$ -	13395	\$ 14.00		
2763	\$ 14.00	8136	\$ 70.00	11085	\$ -	13422	Credit		
2999	\$ 7.00	8137	\$ 91.00	11134	\$ 7.00	13462	\$ 21.00		
3044	\$ -	8150	\$ 28.00	11217	\$ 35.00	13560	\$ -		
3153	\$ 21.00	8179	\$ 91.00	11252	\$ 7.00	13597	\$ 14.00		



Grand Knights and District Deputies

It is time to start thinking about the Soccer Challenge. Work with your local CYO or youth soccer association and schedule a date. Soccer coaches will be willing to help you out and get kids to your event

Suggested Schedules:

Council Competitions—September

District Competitions—September/October

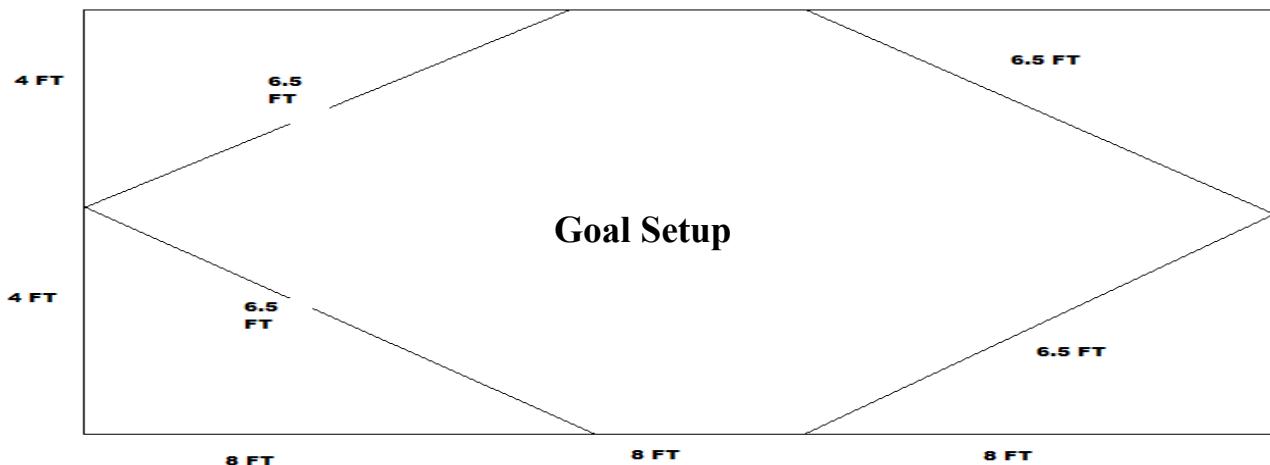
Regional Competitions—October (if needed)

State Competition— Saturday October 27th 2012

Registration 11:30 AM Competition 12 AM

DDs will work with their councils to schedule District competitions and with other DDs to schedule Regional competitions.

State Sports chairman will assign districts to create regions if needed



Goal Setup

Online SC-KIT Order Form

How to get started

Find a Knight to be your council Soccer Challenge focal point

Order the Soccer Challenge kit:

Go on line to <http://kofc.org>

In the search box left of screen enter forms

Click on the Council Forms link

Click on the online Soccer Challenge Kit Order Form link

Fill out the form and click on Submit. All done, that's how easy it is to get a kit.



Soccer Challenge	
Competition Kit Order Form	
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All materials needed for conducting a council-level Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge are included in the Soccer Challenge Kit available from the Supreme Council office. Councils should order their kit by early August to have the proper materials on hand for the competition.	
Complete the label to the right and submit it to the Department of Fraternal Services by early August. Please type or print all required information since this will also be used as your shipping label. (Street address only. No P.O. Boxes.) To avoid duplicate orders, please be sure that only one person in your council is responsible for ordering the Soccer Challenge Kit. Each Soccer Challenge Kit contains the following items:	
1 #4567 Soccer Challenge Participation Report Form 5 #4571 Soccer Challenge Poster 5 #4572 Soccer Challenge Poster 75 #4573 Soccer Challenge Participation Certificates 75 #4578 Entry Form Score Sheets 10 #4575 Council Champion Certificates 1 #4576 Soccer Challenge Program Guide 1 #4577 Clip Art Sheet	
SC-KIT 11/06	
<small>Forwarding Instructions:</small> 1) Including your e-mail address allows you to receive a copy of your report. 2) You will have the opportunity to print a copy of the form after it is submitted. 3) Click "Submit" to send the completed form to Supreme and the e-mail provided.	

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Supreme Office 1 COLUMBUS PLAZA NEW HAVEN CT 06510-3326 Soccer Challenge Kit Order Form													
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A Prayer to Protect Marriage

A Prayer to Protect Marriage

St. Joachim and St. Anne,
Your loving marriage was
blessed with a daughter, Mary,
the Mother of God.

We ask you, the grandparents
of Our Lord Jesus Christ, true
God and true Man, to pray
that His will be done all across
our land by keeping marriage
as the holy union of only one
man and one woman, the
image of the loving union of
Christ and His Church. Amen.

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Una Oración para Proteger el Matrimonio

San Joaquín y Santa Ana,
Su amoroso matrimonio fue
bendecido con una hija, María, la
Madre de Dios.

Les pedimos, como abuelos de
Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, verdadero
Dios y verdadero Hombre, que oren
para que se haga Su voluntad en
toda nuestra tierra manteniendo el
matrimonio como una unión
sagrada de un solo hombre y una
sola mujer, la imagen de la unión
amorosa de Cristo y Su Iglesia.
Amén.

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for download and printing. We invite you to do so and ask that you pray often to protect marriage

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