



The Cross and Compass

St. Joseph Council #7528

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Knights of Columbus

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November 2008



A Message from the Grand Knight

The Art Auction was successful. The auction profits replaced the Knights of Columbus State Raffles

annual proceeds. We will vote at our next general meeting whether this event will become an annual event. The many charities we support at St. Vincent's depend on our financial support. It appears the Columbus Charities raffle will not return considering the current gambling state laws; therefore, challenging us to have other fundraisers. Thank you to all attendees, workers, and those that helped me worry it might not be successful.

November has several events that are not fundraisers for us, but big opportunities for us to help other organizations. The Transition Team needs help for the Town Hall Meeting. The Mission Trekkers need our leadership and culinary expertise to help make their first fundraising general auction a success. We are helping the 4th degree cook breakfast for the "Sweats for Vets" fundraiser. Our last charity for the month will be Thanksgiving baskets.

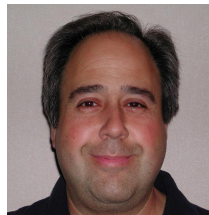
We are all busy; please take time to help; before, after or during one or all of these events. Spreading the work among the brothers makes for great fraternalism.

Please help!

Vivat Jesus!

Ken Baune, GK

A Note from your Chancellor



By Nestor Fernandez, Chancellor

One of my favorite duties is doing the monthly service hour report. It was very eye-opening seeing the reports from our members. We are truly fortunate to have such outstanding involved men in our council. For the month of September we had over 650 service hours reported by our members. Those are only the hours that were reported. I'm sure there are many of you who continue your generous deeds, but do not report your hours. Don't be shy about submitting your hours. If you ever have any questions, please feel free to email or call me. Another important duty we have as Knights is to vote this Tuesday. It is truly a historic time for our nation and it is paramount that our voices be heard. Let's send a strong message that the Knights of Columbus supports life in all of it's stages and vote no on I-1000.

God Bless America!

Family of the Month

September - the Mitch Czuk Family

Knight of the Month

September - Adam Werner

Attend a Squires Meeting

Did you know that we support a Columbian Squires Circle? Apostle Circle #4571 meets the 3rd Sunday of each month at 2:00pm in Room "A". Any Knight of Columbus is welcome and encouraged to attend. Why not attend and show your support for our future.

Health Ministry

By David Caton, Health Chairman

Brother Knights- please give the Gift of Life again on Thursday, November 20th from 2-8 PM. One pint of your blood can help up to 3 patients!!

Those of you who gave in September are again eligible to donate blood on this date.

Recitation of the Rosary

Brothers .. Please consider attending **The Joseph M Clemons Memorial Rosary** which is recited at 7 PM prior to our Council's monthly meetings. See you there .. Dave McArdle

Please Welcome Our Newest 1st degree Members who Attend the 1st degree held on Tuesday, 10/28/2008:
Matt Kowalski, Patrick Doherty, Ben Villaruz, Ken Landreth, and Victor Vaona



REMINDER!!!!!!LAST CHANCE STOCKINGS FOR OUR WOUNDED WARRIORS

Council 7528 will again be helping Operation Homefront to bring Christmas to our wounded Warriors. We are asking each Knight to bring a Christmas Stocking filled with items to the **November General Meeting** which will be given to Operation Homefront on November 19, 2008 to distribute to the soldiers at their Christmas Party. Below is a list of suggested items, but you can add more if you wish. This is a great way to say thanks to those who have given so much. Any questions, call Tony or Carol Robinson at 253-839-1084

CHRISTMAS WISH LIST STUFF A STOCKING FOR A WOUNDED WARRIOR!

Bring cheer to our wounded warriors at Christmas by donating a stocking filled with gifts, gadgets and goodies!

- Hand held games Christmas candy Fudge
- Music CDs CD player w/Head phone Popcorn
- Nuts Christmas decoration Deck of cards
- Fruit - fresh/dehydrated Phone card Note cards
- Postage stamps DVDs Batteries Bookman-Light
- Canned fruit or pudding Shower gel Good razor

Good of the Order

Listed are all of the those Brother Knights or family members who are Sick or in Distress

Sick

Jeanne Hitchcock and family	Taylor Freyberg and family
Christine Anderson	Fr. Tom Vandenberg
Amanda Potter, Bill Thomas' step daughter	Jim Slawson Tony Robinson's nephew
Samantha Slawson (Tony Robinson's niece)	Jake Slawson (Tony Robinson's cousin)
Tony and Pam Frificioni Bob Pirolo's D & S in-Law	Bob Valley (Tony Robinson's cousin)
Dave Myers' father	Alex Plys
Dave Green	Gilson Neil
Lowell Larson	Tom Appleton's mother
Donna Vicars	

Deceased

Robert Thornton, Father of Tom Thornton
All those who have joined Our Lord in Heaven this year
Please keep these Knights and family members in your prayers.
Thanks!

NOTE: Please contact Joe Penwell if you have knowledge of anyone sick or in distress.

THE 365 CLUB BY MAIL

Supporting Vocations is simple! All you have to do is join The Pennies For Heaven Crusade. The best way to do this is by becoming a member of The 365 Club. Donate a penny-a-day for a year (\$3.65 or more if you can) and offer a prayer a day for a year for Vocations! Pennies add up quickly and the prayers help. For Brothers who cannot always join us at our meetings, here is your chance to stand up and be counted as a supporter.

CLIP AND MAIL

To: Jeff Markwith, 365 Chairman

Yes, count me in as a Member of The 365 Club! I want to do my part to support Vocations.

Here is my contribution of \$ _____ Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Mail your check to:

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

November Birthdays

1	Thomas Beyke	11	Juan Favela	22	Mark Busch	15	Cindy Herrera
4	Matt Robic	12	Duc Nguyen	22	Gilson Neill	18	Anna Toby
4	Romeo Mayor	14	Craig Schiedermayer	24	Mareko Mareko	18	Nancy Pinney
5	Sean Lezcano	16	Jerry Sandschulte	26	David Green	19	Maureen Hoyle
6	Leonardo Herrera	16	Kenneth Shattock	27	Dante Cabasco	19	(Mary) Ann Martin
6	Douglas Chappel	18	Robert Pirolo			19	Jeanne Martin
6	Robert Ward	19	Gregory Vicars	2	Stacey Werner	21	Kirsten Baune
9	Maurice Tessier	20	Walter Anderson	3	Suzie Shattock	23	Karen Schiedermayer
10	Rafael Contreras	20	Christopher Andersen	4	Angela McGregor	25	Meschelle Miloscia
10	Vernon Johnson	21	William Smith	4	Christina Dowbiggin	25	Darlene Jowell

November Anniversaries

2	Peter and Sandy Farrow	24	Robert and Joyce Pirolo
2	Jerome and Mary DeGagne	24	Jerome and Kathleen Koch
11	Timothy and Faye McClain	26	Theodore and Betty Medina
17	Michael and Maureen Fay	26	Glen and Janet Knowlton
20	William and Linda Herbert	28	Juan and Karen Lezcano
21	Michael and Pam Ross	29	Larry and Linda Weigel

Council Calendar of Events

November 2008

4th	General Meeting	7:30pm Narthex and Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
8th	Town Hall Meeting Knights and Mothers & Others	6:00pm in the Parish Hall
9th	Sweats for Vets Breakfast	8:00am to 11:00am in the Parish Hall
15th	Nativity House	
18th	Planning Meeting and 1st Degree	7:30pm in Room "A" - 1st Degree at 7:00pm
23rd	Thanksgiving Baskets	Noon in the Parish Hall

December 2008

2nd	General Meeting	7:30pm Narthex and Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
6th	Council Christmas Party	Parish Hall after the 5:00pm Mass
16th	Planning Meeting and 1st Degree	7:30pm in Room "A" - 1st Degree at 7:00pm
20th	Nativity House	
21st	Christmas Basket Delivery	Noon in the Parish Hall
25th	Merry Christmas	

Check out our website at <http://www.kc7528.org> for all of these events and more!

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