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Letter from The Grand Knight

As a lot of you know, I love football! I love to play it and coach it. I love to relate football to life in so many ways because everything you learn in football as a player or coach, you can relate it to life in some kind of way. Vince Lombardi, as most of you probably already know, is one of the greatest coaches ever to be a part of the game of football. His enthusiasm, knowledge, faith, and dedication for the game and his players, made him who he is today. He was a Catholic and Knight of Columbus. His love for the church and Knights was part of who he was which made him the football coach he was. He once said, "I derived my strength from daily mass and communion."

JOSEPH WOLLEAT, GRAND KNIGHT

The reason I bring that quote from him is because as Knights, we have our daily contributions to life other than the church and the Knights. When I was at the fall festival, I met this Knight and he said, "I'm a bad Knight, I never come to the meetings." I couldn't believe that he thought all because he didn't come to meetings it meant he was a bad knight. Being a Knight is more than coming to our meetings and helping at our events. Being a Knight is an everyday commitment. Being a Knight is coaching your kid's soccer or baseball team. It's helping a friend or family member out when they need something. Being a Knight is the countless acts of love and compassion that you do as a person when you are on or off church grounds. There is no such thing as a bad Knight when you are doing the work of God.

"After all the cheers have died down and the stadium is empty, after the headlines have been written, and after you are back in the quiet room and the championship ring has been placed on the dresser and after all the pomp and fanfare have faded, the enduring thing that is left is the dedication to doing with our lives the very best we can to make the world a better place in which to live."

This has always meant a lot to me personally because this is what football has taught me about life. You can win the super bowl and have everyone know it. They will cheer and scream because they are ecstatic to witness it and be a part of that experience. After all that excitement wears down, people will always know that you have won that super bowl, and they will think and talk about that exact day for years to come because they know that team was special. The reason I bring it up is because as Knights, sometimes it feels like we are not appreciated or recognized, but we are! People love what we do for our parish and community. We might not hear it vocally every day and see the fans cheering for us, so to speak, but they are! They are recognizing us every day!

Brothers, we are our church's super bowl team! Believe me, people love and cherish what we do and what we stand for! We are constantly making the world a better place to live in through our countless acts of love and compassion! People are cheering for us and the stadium is full at all times even though sometimes we cannot see or hear it all the time.

I love the Knights and especially our council because I know we are the super bowl team!

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph Wolleat

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Nativity House!

Brother Knights,

Come help feed the homeless Saturday October 20th! Everyone will be meeting in the church parking lot at 7:45 and leaving promptly at 8AM. From there everyone will be heading to the Tacoma Nativity House to feed the homeless pancakes and sausage! This is a great opportunity to help those in need! Contact Ted Colby for any additional information.

Contact Ted Colby at nhb@kofc7528.org

Tootsie Roll Drive!

Brother knights! It's that time of year again. We are going to be doing our annual tootsie roll drive to support Children with intellectual disabilities and the special Olympics! The dates are the 5th, 6th and 7th of October. We need volunteers to help raise money for these children! If you can volunteer your time, contact Peter Lee at Tootsieroll@kofc7528.org to reserve your time slot! We have the Albertsons, Top foods and Wal-Mart in Federal Way reserved for all three days and we want to make sure we have people there at all times! This is a great opportunity to raise some money for Charity!

September Birthdays!

MEMBERS

1st-Joseph Connor
1st– Julius Rabara
3rd– Carl Oliveto
4th– Robert Gonzalez
5th– Reagan Lokaso
5th– Timothy Mosley
6th– Jerome Koch
7th– Paul Savino
9tj– Jeffrey Markwith
12th– Frank Zink
14th– C Anderson
14th– Gary Mesick
14th William Astle
15th– Karlo Leonor
16th– Timothy Philomeno
16th– Martin Rewa
20th– Joseph Armstrong
23rd– Anthony Lezcano
23rd– Mark Hallahan
23rd– Vince Walton
24th– Michael Rutland
24th– Jonathan D'Angelo
25th– Kurt Karasuda-Downing
29th– Richard Peterson
30th– Christopher Lezcano
30th– Rohan Fernando
31st– Joseph Rockwell

WIVES

2nd– Joyce McMahon
2nd– Valerie Peterson
2nd– Sheri Bowell
6th– Stella Nnanabu
7th– Ann McConville
10th– Carrie Beyke
18th- Shari Vaona
26th– Melia Nelson
27th– Marie Roque
27th– Roberta Lutovsky

September Anniversaries!

2 Cary and Gabrielle Wright
3 Franz and Grace Hernandez
5 Andrew and Ifeoma Chideu
7 Paul and Marie Roque
7 Wayne and Lois Moritz
12 James and Linda Yantzer
12 James and Dean Duran
12 Thang and Katie Tran
15 Edward and Rhonda Sweeney
16 William and Jeanne Martin
17 Christopher and Christine Anderson
19 Horace and Ramona Suinn
21 Michael and Lina Rutland
21 Ifo and Valelia Atonio
23 Glenn and Mary Ann Martin
23 Richard and Franchesca Henderson
25 Charles and Diana Buss
26 Robert and Carol Knutson
27 William and Mary Ann Arens
28 Hiroshi and Teresa Suzuki
29 Timothy and Beth Philomeno
30 Godday and Stella Igwala
30 Douglass and Kristen Strauss

Community Garden Volunteers Still Needed!

Brother Knights,

Remember when Mike Stanley came to our Council meeting and shared with us about the Community Garden project for Federal Way? Well here is a way to roll up your sleeves get your garden gloves on and help the community. We encourage wives and children to help out on this great project to help feed the elderly, and the homeless with healthy wholesome fruits and vegetables. The way it works is for volunteers to come and Mike Stanley will provide the tasks that need to be done when you come. It can be anything from planting and harvesting, to spreading compost or wood chips in the paths, to weeding. Just depends on the day. Mike is at the garden each day during the week from 10:00am till 2:00pm, on Tuesdays from 5:00 to 7:00pm and Saturday from 9:00 till noon. The location of the garden is on Truman High School grounds near the Freeway on ramp for HOV and Marlene's Grocery Store.

Mike needs to be at the garden when you come.

Our Council would like to have a brother Knight that enjoys gardening to be the Liaison between Mike Stanley and the Council, is that YOU?? Please let us know. We would also like to take pictures so we can document the great service to our community. Are you ready to get a little dirty for a great cause??

Thanks for volunteering!

Greg Vicars

Community Chairman

Upcoming Events!

October-

2nd– General Meeting 7PM Rosary– General Meeting 7:30PM

5th-7th Tootsie Roll Drive

16th– 1st Degree/Planning Meeting 7PM

20th Nativity House

28th– Parish Appreciation Breakfast

November-

6th– General Meeting - 7PM Rosary - General Meeting 7:30PM

11th– Veterans Day - Sweats for Vets Breakfast

17th– Nativity House

18th– Thanksgiving Baskets

20th– 1st Degree/Planning meeting 7PM

22nd– Thanksgiving Day

Opportunity to Serve for Community Supper

The Community Suppers at Good Shepherd Started in February of 2004 with Al Larpenteur starting the show; Bonnie Nowicki resigned as coordinator of the Saturday suppers in January of 2008; Jackie Blair took over the coordinator job in November of 2008. Jackie is looking for more volunteers to help with the meals and with bring food from St Vincent's to Good Shepherd on meal days. Please contact Jackie Blair 253-952-6988

Education Opportunity!

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Many of you may know that the Federal Way School District is looking to Rebuild Federal Way High School. Please come to an open Forum this October date TBD to learn more about what this means. So you can exercise your right to vote this coming November. Stayed tuned for more details.

Council Jackets!

The jacket man is back in business. Last year I learned a lot. So instead of ordering items seasonally Please use the attached excel order form. then get the order form back to me. The cut off for the order will be October 20 to make sure we have time to get what we ordered by the December meeting. I have to get the correct items together and that takes a few days after I receive the order. I will need your support. Everybody who placed orders will need to be at the December General meeting with a check made out to me or Cash or make other arrangements so I do not have their order sitting around my home.

This is the last general meeting you can try on sizes so if you come to the general meeting on the 2nd, try one on.

Remember all sizes 2X and over have up charges :

2X	is	$ 2.50 per item
3X	is	$ 3.50 per item
4X	is	$ 4.50 per item
5X	is	$ 5.00 per item
6X	is	$ 5.00 per item

Here are all the items we are looking to sell this year:

Challenger (Winter Jacket)	$55.00
Competitor (Light Weight)	$45.00
Vest it is reversible	$46.00

Shirts available both long sleeve and short sleeve, also available in Ladies' style.

$30.00(These tend to run a little large) We will try to get samples for the 1st general meeting in September.)

Prices do not include shipping, probably less than $5.00 If you are confused or need help contact me see my contract info below.

Joe Penwell PGK PFN

Email: joepenwell@comcast.net. Phone: Home- 253-941-6339 Cell- 253-394-1708

Council Jackets Order Form

Name:	Qty	Price	Sixe	Upcharge	Total
Challenger Jacket		$54.00		Upcharges	
Competitor Jacket		$45.00		2X is $2.50	
Reversible Vest		$46.00		3X is $3.50	
EZ Care Shirt Men's (Long Sleeve)		$30.00		4X is $4.50	
EZ Care Shirt Men's (Short Sleeve)		$30.00		5X is $5.00	
EZ Care Shirt Ladies (Long Sleeve)		$30.00		6X is $5.00	
EZ Care Shirt Ladies (Short Sleeve)		$30.00			

Parishioner Appreciation BREAKFAST

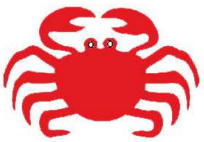
Your Knights of Columbus council would like to thank all of the parishioners for generously supporting us over the years. So, instead of coffee and donuts, we'd like to cook a delicious, warm, and rib sticking breakfast for you to say thank you.

When: Sunday, October 28, 2012 after the 8am and 10am masses (9am - 11:30am)
Where: Parish Social Hall

Menu: Biscuits and Gravy, Golden Hashbrowns, and Scrambled Eggs

**Donations are accepted

We will also be selling tickets to our World Famous Crab Feed for Saturday, January 26, 2013.
Come by and get your tickets before it sells out!



St. Joseph's Council #7528 is sponsoring the following Seminarians for year 2012-2013:

Seminarian	Type	Seminary	Address
*Peter Guthrie	(D)	Bishop White Seminary	429 E Sharp Avenue Spokane, WA 99202
*Anthony Lezcano	(D)	St. Patrick's Seminary	320 Middlefield Road Merlo Park, CA 94025-3563
Dean Mbuzi	(D)	St. Patrick's Seminary	320 Middlefield Road Merlo Park, CA 94025-3563
Nicholas Pak	(D)	St. Patrick's Seminary	320 Middlefield Road Menlo Park, CA 94025-3563
*Ahn Tran	(D)	Mount Angel Seminary	1 Abbey Drive St. Benedict, OR 97373

*St. Vincent de Paul Parish Seminarians

Knights of Columbus Council 7528 Christmas Stockings In Support of Heartbeat for Wounded Warriors

Brothers a reminder that St. Joseph Council 7528 is again supporting our Wounded Warriors by providing Christmas stocking stuffers to Heartbeat for Wounded Warriors who will distribute the items in stockings(they provide stockings) to our troops in the Wounded Warrior Battalion at Joint Base Lewis McChord. There are 2000 plus soldiers who need to know that we have not forgotten their sacrifice.

How can you help? From September 15th thru November 1st 2012 you can drop off any items listed below in the box provided at the back of church in the narthex or bring them to any meeting. Why do we do this so early? So you have time to help without the pressure of your holidays. Please be generous. It means so much to those who have so bravely served. If you have any questions please contact me at fish@kofc7528.org if you would like to donate funds for us to purchase items for you we can do that too. Thanks. ----------Tony

Bring cheer to our Wounded Warriors at Christmas by donating gifts, gadgets, and goodies! Suggestions are:

Hand held games	**Xbox or Wii games (sports games please no violence)**
Music CD's	**DVD's**
Disposable camera	**Puzzle books**
Yo-yo's	**I-Tune cards**
Telephone calling cards	**Restaurant gift cards**
Gift Cards Best Buy, Wal-Mart etc.	**Gum, mints & candy Canes**
Popcorn, Nuts & trail mix	**Protein bars**
Fruit (fresh or dehydrated)	**Movie certificates**
Hats, scarf's & gloves Adult size Male & Female	**Christmas Ornaments $ Decorations**

Council Website!

The address is: http://www.kofc7528.org. Thanks to Erin Wolleat, our council website has experienced a major technology upgrade. I believe you will find it to be much friendlier than it used to be and there are interactive parts that I think you will enjoy. Take a look and don't hesitate to let us know what you think or if you have suggestions for other improvements.

While you are browsing through the public pages, take a moment to create your account. All members of our council are encouraged to create an account at the council's website. If you haven't already done so, just click on the link at the upper right hand corner, "Create an Account" and fill in the blanks. You will need your membership number to create your account and log in, but once you do, you will have access to the "members only" pages. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us at webmaster@kofc7528.org.

Quite a few pages already exist and new pages are being developed. If you have material that should be incorporated or ideas for new pages, please submit that to us. There is a new link in the menu on the left side of the home page. It is "Programs" and will take you to a page that will have links to any program pages that we develop. If you are a Chairman, please contact us about developing pages for your program. Right now, there is only one page incorporated to the new website, and that is "Seminarians". Please visit this page to see the names and contact information for the seminarians that our council is supporting this fraternal year. Don't hesitate to contact these fine young men to give them your personal words of inspiration. Their mailing addresses are provided, or if you prefer to e-mail, click on their names to link to compose an email.

On the subject of email, we have council email aliases setup to allow you to contact almost any officer or chairman in our council. There is a page listing these aliases and you can get to it by clicking on "Contact Us" in the left hand menu. There you will find a link to the alias page and each alias is a link to compose an email to that person.

Please keep in mind that a website is never a finished product, but is always growing and being updated. Please assist us in making our council website the best in the Knights of Columbus.

Good of the Order

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

Sick

Ben and Vi McGregor

Bill Martin

Joe Penwell

Bob Cole

Patrick McEwen

Dominic Volpe

All those who have joined Our Lord in Heaven this year

Please keep these Knights and family members in your prayers. Thanks!

Next Business Meeting!

Brother Knights,

Just a friendly reminder. We will be having our next general meeting Tuesday, October 2nd. Come down and see the fun we have in store for this year. We will also have new council gear to try on for order.

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph Wolleat

Grand Knight

Knight of the Month—July- Greg Vicars

Family of the Month—July– The Mansanarez's

Knight of the Month—August– Sig Hess

Family of the Month—August– The Gimlins (Not Pictured)

1st Degree

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