

# The Cross and Compass

Knights of Columbus St. Joseph Council #7528

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## Letter from The Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

The month of November is a great time to be a Knight. The reason is Charity and what we are doing this month. We have the Sweats for Vets Breakfast on November 10<sup>th</sup> and I would love to see a great turn out to help our Vets. You can either help by making breakfast or having breakfast let's make this the best year for our Vets. The next charity event is Thanksgiving Baskets on November 24<sup>th</sup> please show your support by helping deliver baskets or filling them. Come and show your support as a Knight of Columbus this November.



**JIM ROBINSON, GRAND KNIGHT**

Jim Robinson Grand Knight #7528

## Pennies for Heaven

Dear brother knights of Council 7528 the last few years this council has not met our goal for Pennies For Heaven (PFH). How many of you know what PFH is... PFH is a donation from every Knight of 1 penny a day to help the Bishops of this state to support vocations. So it is a whole \$3.65 a year to help the seminaries produce more priests. To make it easy on you and the FS, he includes a request for donation of \$5.00 to PFH when you get your bill each year for your dues. He is not getting much participation this way. and I don't know why. . Maybe we have not been keeping PFH enough in front of the council on a regular enough basis..

At least quarterly I am committing to put a notice in the Council Bulletin and have a chart showing where we are each quarter until we reach our goal. Our goal is \$1,124.20. At the same time at each meeting, I will request that those present at a meeting put a dollar or your loose change in the barrel. No one will watch who is putting money in the barrel and what is being put in the PFH barrel. Either way works for me putting your donation in the barrel or mail it to Tim Philomeno( FS). May I suggest we be generous so you can stop hearing my voice and seeing my messages, because the sooner we reach the goal the sooner I will be quiet. My donation to PFH has been made for this year, so please join me in making your donations. If you don't attend meetings please donate by sending mail to the FS. All I will receive from him is the total amount collected each month. So far this year we have collected \$47.50 which is a little over 4% and we are ¼ way through the fraternal year so we have some work to do.

Vivat Jesus

Joe Penwell

**November Birthdays!**

**MEMBERS**

1 Thomas Beyke	6 Robert Ward	18 William Shell
1 Richard Henderson	9 Maurice Tessier	19 Greg Vicars
3 Alexander Gard	10 Rafael Contreras	20 Christopher Anderson
3 David Lesinski	10 Vernon Johnson	21 William Smith
4 Matthew Robic	11 Juan Favela	23 Henry Anusiem
4 Romeo Mayor	11 Martin Krause	25 Allen Hawley
5 Sean Lezcano	11 Leo Fanene	26 David Green
5 D Beaulac	12 Duc Nguyen	29 Michael Weber
5 John Luu	14 Craig Schiedermayer	
5 Leonardo Herrera	16 Gerald Sandschulte	

**WIVES**

2 Stacey Werner	12 Marianne Savino	21 Kirsten Baune
6 Susan Reeb	16 Diane Shell	23 Karen Schiedermayer
9 Kathleen Alley	18 Anna Toby	25 Meschelle Miloscia
	21 Mary Walton	

**November Anniversaries!**

2 Jerome and Mary De Gagne	20 William and Linda Herbert	29 Lawrence and Linda Weigel
17 Mike and Maureen Fay	21 Michael and Pam Ross	29 Gary and Pamela Mesick
	28 Juan and Karen Lezcano	

**Thanksgiving Baskets**

Brother Knights,

As you all know. We help the St. Vincent De Paul society every year assemble and then deliver baskets of food to needy families around Federal Way for Thanksgiving. This year is no different! We can always use more help with assembling baskets and more importantly, getting these awesome baskets delivered! There are a lot of families that need the help we bring to them for food this time of year.

If you can make it, be in the Hall at 1PM, after the noon mass on November 24th. Thank you for all you do and we'll see you all there!

Tony Robinson

**Sweats for Vets**

Brother Knights,

Our annual Sweats for Vets breakfast is coming up quick. We'll be serving a delicious breakfast for people to come and enjoy. As you know, VA hospitals are only required to give veterans there hospital gowns. So we have this annual breakfast and with the money raised, we buy sweat shirts and pants for veterans who are staying there.

This is a great way for us to show our support for the Veterans of this nation and to show them how much we care.

We will start cooking at 8AM and we will serve after the 8 and 10 AM Masses on November 10th.

Tony Robinson

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### Nativity House!

Brother Knights,

Come help feed the homeless Saturday November 16th!! 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](mailto:nhb@kofc7528.org)**

### Meeting Raffle

Brother knights,

There was no winner of the monthly raffle. The winner would have won 45 dollars. Please come to our business meetings for a chance to win! Our next meeting will be November 5th.

Marty Rewa

Warden

## Upcoming Events!

November-

5th- General Meeting 7PM Rosary 7:30PM Meeting

10th- Sweats for Vets 7AM prep

16th Nativity House- 7:45 AM

19th- Planning Meeting/1st Degree 7PM

24th- Thanksgiving Baskets 12 PM

December-

3rd-General Meeting 7PM Rosary 7:30 PM Meeting

14 th- Christmas Potluck

17 th- Planning Meeting/First degree 7PM

21st - Nativity House 7:45AM

22nd - Christmas Baskets

## Opportunity to Serve for Community Supper

Our Saturday Community Supper effort is in need of additional workers. During the last year we have noted the retirements of a few; illness and other activities have waylaid some. We have four teams, one to work each Saturday of the month.

Needed:

Second week of every month - dishwasher and help preparing meals at about 11:30 and then serving the meal and finishing about 2:30. A food handler's permit, which is easy to obtain on-line is required for these positions see the following link: (<http://www.kingcounty.gov/healthservices/health/ehs/foodsafety/FoodWorker.aspx>)

Third week of every month – person(s) to pick up weekly supplies at St. Vincent's at 10:45, and deliver them to the Church of the Good Shepherd on 312th, and then to reverse the pickup/delivery at 2:30.

Also needed week 3 are set-up help, some meal prep support and help serving meals, beginning at 11:00 finishing about 2:30. Again, a food handler's permit is required.

Fourth week team needs set-up, meal prep and meal serving help (with food handler's permit), starting at 11:00 and finishing at 2:30.

Please call Jackie Blair 253-952-6988 a parishioner of St Vincent's if you can help with any of these jobs.

## Council Website!

The address is: <http://www.kofc7528.org>. 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](mailto:webmaster@kofc7528.org).

Some of the pages available to you once you log in include the membership roster, so you can contact your brothers in the council. Also we have the meeting minutes and the council budget.

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 give us feedback and assist us in making our council website the best in the Knights of Columbus.

## 2013-2014 Seminarians

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

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

\*St. Vincent de Paul Parish Seminarians

### Good of the Order

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

Joe Penwell  
Darryl Fox  
Juan Favela

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, November 5th. Come down and see the fun we have in store.

Vivat Jesus!

Jim Robinson  
Grand Knight

## Community

Community Events

### **Save the Date**

Christmas Concert Extravaganza

Performed by Breath of -Aire

To benefit Tape Ministries NW dba Audio Book Ministries

December 20<sup>th</sup> 30 PM

Mercer Island Presbyterian Church

3605 84<sup>th</sup> Ave SE

Mercer Island ,WA.

[www.breathofaire.org](http://www.breathofaire.org) [www.tapeministries.org](http://www.tapeministries.org)

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The Conversation around the idea of consolidating resources for the needy of our community continues, there are no easy answers but there is a group of community members that are working hard to build a coalition that helps provide access to resources that are missing in our community.

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**Souper Supper was very successful, thanks to all the brother Knights that support this effort.**

**Community care givers community suppers are in need of volunteers to help with meals and transportation of food to and from Good Shepherd. Contact Jackie Blair for more information 253-952-6988**

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Veterans Day opportunity to honor and celebrate the Men and Women who serve

Veterans Day Parade in Auburn November 9<sup>th</sup> 10AM one of the largest Veteran Day Parades West of the Mississippi

“Honoring our Own” Monday November 11, 6-7:30 PM Todd Beamer High School 35999 16<sup>th</sup> Ave So Federal Way, WA

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Mirror Lake Small community begins Rosary and Divine Mercies for one of the residents in this community it is knitting our small Catholic Faith community closer together



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