

Columbus Crusader



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



- ◆ CHARITY
- ◆ UNITY
- ◆ FRATERNITY
- ◆ PATRIOTISM

**Roman Catholic
Brothers in Christ,
Chartered in 1990**

From the desk of The Grand Knight

**John "Spike" Dineen
Grand Knight**



First of all, I would like to thank all who came and made our October 16th picnic a success.

A special thanks to Dave Simmons and Jack Ruegg for getting and preparing the food and to Dave Williams for providing the directional signs.

A good time was had by all.

Unfortunately, Fathers Hugh and Tony came just as we ran out of food. We were able to replenish our supplies in time but the Eagles won, so I guess it didn't make any difference.

Our Thanksgiving show and dinner will be held on Saturday, November 19th. Hours will be

from 6:00PM to 9:00PM More details will be coming at our November 3rd General meeting. We will have to gear up for ticket sales, kitchen help, cleanup, etc.

This is our major project for November. Remember to help our St. Vincent DePaul Society Conference by bringing food to their collection on November 13th.

On a sorrowful note, we extend our sympathy and prayers to Brother Bob Haug on the passing of his wife Janet after sixty four years of marriage.

May she rest in peace.

God bless the
Knights of Columbus.

Spike Dineen
Grand Knight

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From the desk of

David Simmons

Deputy Grand Knight



Field Agent's Message:

"De-nial" is more than just a river in Egypt. It also appears to be a state in America.

Yes, millions of Americans are living in a state of denial, as they acknowledge that life insurance is an important topic yet continually refrain from ever broaching the topic with loved ones.

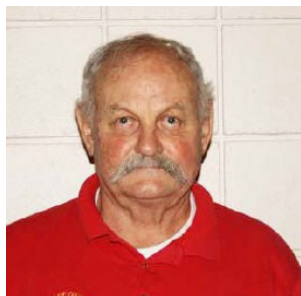
So says a [recent poll from State Farm Life](#), where 74% of the 1,001 American adults surveyed said they "rarely or never" discuss life insurance with their spouse. Primary reasons provided for sticking their heads in the sand included economic pressure and a reluctance to bring up the topic of an untimely death.

This despite the fact that 62% of respondents said life insurance is more important to them now than it was prior to the economic downturn.

I'm impressed that more than half of American adults theoretically have a heightened awareness of the need for life insurance in the past two years, but appalled that three-quarters of us refuse to discuss it – effectively preventing any corrective action from being taken. That just reinforces the figures behind [LIMRA's recent study](#) claiming that life insurance coverage among Americans is at a 50-year low.

What can you do? See your KofC life insurance agent. We have solutions for the protection of life from cradle to grave for you, your family, and your assets. Strategies for life protection

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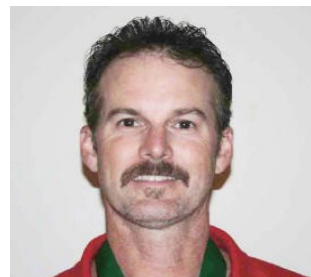
We had a great turnout for the picnic in the park October 16. Thanks to all who participated!

The pizza and salad bar show is scheduled for November 19, with entertainment for kids of all ages. We will need help with dinner and set-up and dinner prep. For a preview on one of the pizzas we will be serving, come to the first degree on November 15.

The planning meeting at the storage center is scheduled for November 17 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The pancake breakfast is scheduled for November 27, the first Sunday of Advent.

God Bless You All,
Dave Simmons



Our Chancellor
Dave Williams

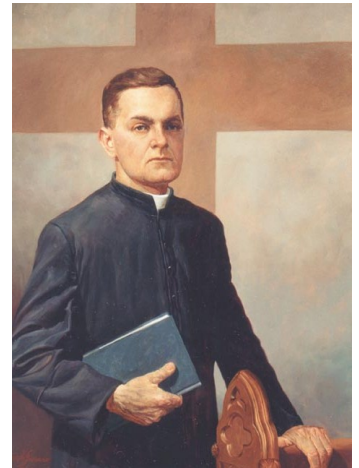
Hello Knights

The cool weather is upon us and the fund raisers are coming so get those sneakers out of the closet and plan on donating your time and expertise to help with an event. The next big event is the Illusion show for kids and families on 11/19/11. Pancake breakfast is 11/27/11 so come out and support this event too. We have one of the most active councils in the area and we need to continue to build on that but we need to keep growing the council so take a look at who you can get to join. Some guys just want someone to ask them to join. I was asked by someone and I joined. Who can you ask to join?

Let's grow the council one Knight at a time.

David Williams
Chancellor

Albert Almeida, Michael Adams, Bryant Anderson, James Angers, William Banfield, William Bannon, Patrick Becker, John Benoit, Jack Berg, Leo Berger, Richard Blackman, Roland Boyd, John Bradford, Barry Bratton, Glenn Bright, John Brown, Steve Burmeister, Michael Bursztyn, Deacon Francis Camacho, Dennis Cantwell, Scott Caycedo, Anthony Cilluffo, Norman Colby Sr., Michael Conley, Chandler Cook, John Costa, James Culley, Steven Cunningham, Peter D'Elia, John Dinneen, Dr. Joseph Drago, Peter Ennis, David Ericksom, Paul Farr, Brian Farrar, Frank Ferlito, Everett Foster, Louis Frattarelli Sr., Timothy Freeland, David Gavin, Merle Giallonardo, Arthur Habighorst, Sidney Hauenstein, James Hawkin, Branden Henderson, Dean Hinderman, William Hoogland, John Horan, Ralph Hutchins, Natale Ippolito, Sean James, James Kane, Daniel Kerinuk, William Kienle, Thomas Kinsella, Kenneth Kirgin, David Klare, Joseph Klempka, Julian Komeshak, Gary Kroeger, Gary Krueger, Brent LaBreche, Bruce D. LaBreche, Bruce J. LaBreche, Ralph Lacivita, William Lewis, John Liprie, Ronald LoFranco, Jeffrey Maas, Patrick Maley Jr., Richard Malone, Herman Mancini, Jerry Martin, John McGrellis, John McLain, Alvin McCarthy, Wyman, Miller, Alexander Miller, Matthew Mullen, Henry Pasterz, Gregory Pearl, Evelio Perez, Vince Perfetto, Vincent Petrocelli, Dr. Anthony Pietroniro, Raymond Pothier, Kevin Powers, Leon Quesnette Jr., Frank Ragonese, James, Reynolds, Edward Riley Jr., James Ripley, Joseph Roach, Edward Roggemann, Fritz Roka, Raymond Ross, John Ruel, John Ruegg, John Ryan, Glenn Sabatka, James Sauerwald, John Scavelli, Kent Schmitt, Sydney Schofield, Vincent Scola, Edward Sedillo, David Simmons, Michael Stanton, Edward Strander, Jerry Tant, Peter Thompson, Edward Trimner, Javier Ubarri, George VanNest, Edward Weil III, David Williams, Ronald Willing, Charles Yelle,



Our Blessed Mother is The Supporting Light of Christ.

Pope Paul VI

On October 11, 1963, our Holy Father, Pope Paul VI, in an allocution commemorating the first anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council called our Blessed Lady "the supporting light of Christ." In a magnificent ceremony on the Feast of the Maternity of Blessed Virgin Mary, our Holy Father led more than two thousand cardinals, patriarchs and bishops together with thousands of the faithful into the Basilica of St. Mary Major, the largest church in honor of Mary in the world, to honor the Mother of God and commemo-

rate the opening of the Second Vatican Council.

In a brief allocution from his throne, our Holy Father turned to our Blessed Mother and said;

**"Your sweet, most human voice,
O most beautiful among virgins,
O most worthy among mothers,
O blessed among women, calls
upon this world to turn its glance
toward the light which is the light
of men and towards thee,
who are the supporting light of
Christ, only and highest
light in the world."**

**"Behold the
Lamb of
God."
(John 2:36b)**

**1st Thursday of each
month**

**7:30pm Business
8:30pm Social at the
Parish Center of
Our Lady of Light
Catholic Community**

**KNIGHT OF THE MONTH
OCTOBER**

Mark Yosway

PRAYER CORNER



**Please remember in
your prayers our
Brother Knights and
Others in need
of our prayers:**

Steve Cunningham
Dustin Delago
Ralph Hutchins
Bob Haug
Tony & Patricia Cilluffo
Gordon Jirak
Don & Marge Joerger
Frank & Erin Byron
Tony Damasco
Don Joerger
Leon Quesnette
Ed Mikovich
Bill Banfield's Mother
Richard Blackman
Bill Morea
Dave Erickson's Mother "Kathy" Deacon
Frank Camacho
Douglas Shorts
Patty Haug
Tony Almeida
Mr & Mrs Sam Mogavero
Tony & **WIFE** Cilluffo
Jim & **WIFE** Ripley
Ed & Gerry Sedillo

Jesus,

you told us that when two or three are gathered in your name, you would be there in the middle of them.

We know that you are among us now, and we ask you to give us the grace to perform our duties well and to make this solumn and edifying event for our candidates.

Give us the strength and the memory to bring these men closer to you and to your blessed Mother.

We ask this in your name and offer this prayer for our success.



~In Case of Death~

At the death of a Brother Knight, notify the Grand Knight or the next in charge, who will then contact the family and offer sympathy and help from the Council. The Council member contacting the family should ask whether a wake will be held and if so, whether the family would like the Council to do a rosary service. If a Mass will be offered the family should be asked if they would like a resolution of condolence to be presented.

Any ceremonial presentation requested should be done only with permission of the clergy. If the deceased Brother is a 4th Degree member, the Grand Knight will notify the Insurance Field Agent and the Faithful Navigator of the Assembly.

Officers for 2011-2012 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight: John Dinneen ~ 267-3774

Deputy Grand Knight: Dave Simmons ~ 221-7734

Chancellor: Dave William ~ 432-9446

Recorder: Tony Almeida ~ 464-0269

Treasurer: Gary Krueger ~ 947-1845

Advocate: James Ripley ~ 405-7876

Warden: Henry Pasterz ~ 728-7524

Financial Sec.: Kevin Powers ~ 498-8718

Inside Guard: Frank Byron ~ 432-9960

Outside Guard: John Scavelli ~ 466-3466

Trustee 3 Years: Leon Quesnette ~ 947-9780

Trustee 2 Years: Robert Haug ~ 437-1247

Field Agent: Mark Yosway ~ 322-7454

District Deputy: Richard Cain ~ 940-3197

Lecturer ~ Vacant Position



**"Making a
Difference for Life".**

- 2nd Tony Almeida
John Ruegg
Edward Sedillo
- 3rd John Sullivan
- 6th Richard Malone
Alexander Miller
- 9th James Courtney
- 11th Cass Swamba
- 15th Mark Trenkamp
- 17th Gary Krueger
- 19th Ronald Willing
- 22nd Brian Farrar
John Nowlan
- 23rd Anthony Cilluffo
- 25th Richard Dittus
Timothy Farley



Council News

Knights on the Move

Knights receiving 1st Degree

Anthony Vocaire 7.18
Tony Almeida 6.21
Justin Jordan 7.18
Marco Solomon

Knights receiving 2nd Degree

Tony Almeida 7.21
Kevin Koskinas 7.21
Anthony Vocaire

Knights receiving 3rd Degree

Tony Almeida 10.1
Anthony Volcaire 10.1

THE PRIMARY GOAL OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

“To render *financial aid* to its members and the beneficiaries of members.”

– From the Knights of Columbus charter

Attention All Members:

A motion for Our Council to make a donation of \$1000.00 to American Legion Post 274 of Fort Myers Beach Florida to benefit Veteran's and their affairs was brought to the floor on November 3rd.

For more information contact Leon Quesnette.

Any comments please attend next months Business Meeting on December 1st held at 7:30pm in the Parish Center.

Pope Benedict XVI



**VERITAS
UNITAS
CARITA**

FAMILY OF THE MONTH NOVEMBER

**Dave & Katherine
Erickson**

Calendar of Events

11/3 KC Business Meeting-7:30pm OLOL Parish Cntr
 11/15 First Degree Exemplification-7pm OLOL
 11/17 Second Degree-7pm St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
 11/19 Family Dinner and Show -6pm Parish Center
 11/27 Pancake Breakfast-Parish Center
 11/22 Fourth Degree Assembly-7pm St. Leo
 11/26-27 Fourth Degree Exemplification- Orlando
 12/1 KC Business Meeting
 12/8 Second Degree Meeting-Tent
 12/10 Council Christmas Party
 12/13 First Degree Exemplification
 12/18 Pancake Breakfast
 12/29 Committee Planning

~ 2011 ~

1/5 KC Business Meeting
 1/14 4th Degree Dinner
 1/15 Corp. Com. Living Memorial Mass
 1/17 First Degree Exemplification
 1/26 Committee Planning
 1/29 Pancake Breakfast
 2/2 Business Meeting
 2/3, 4,5 Tootsie Roll Disabilities Drive
 2/18 Mardi Gras Dinner/Dance
 2/21 First Degree Exemplification
 2/23 Committee Planning
 2/26 Pancake Breakfast
 3/1 KC Business Meeting
 3/3,4 Tootsie Roll Disabilities Drive
 3/20 First Degree Exemplification
 3/24 Golf Tournament

4/8 Easter Sunday
 4/12 KC Business Meeting
 4/16 First Degree Exemplification
 4/21 Clergy Dinner
 4/22 Pancake Breakfast
 4/26 Committee Planning
 5/3 KC Business Meeting
 5/13 Corp. Com. For Living Memorial
 5/15 First Degree Exemplification
 5/27 Pancake Breakfast
 5/31 Committee Planning
 6/7 Business Meeting/New Officers Vote
 6/19 First Degree Exemplification
 6/24 Pancake Breakfast
 6/28 Committee Planning
 6/30 Liberty Ball at Our Lady of Light



PLEASE NOTE:

November meeting dates are Definite and Confirmed.

***Dates from December on are subject to change and are listed as Tentative and Unconfirmed.**





ANY COMMENTS REGARDING THIS NEWSLETTER CONTACT ME DIRECTLY!

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