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General Membership Meet-

ings: 1st Thursday of each month 7:30 PM Business, 8:30 PM Social at the Parish Center of Our Lady of Light Catholic Community.

From the Grand Knight:



Congratulations to our two new 3rd degree Knights: Matthew Genenday and Mark Straub Jr.

Tickets are available for the Thanksgiving dinner on November 17. If you can sell any please pick them up from Joe Klempka

We will be doing a few things a

little different at our next buffet breakfast on November 25. The emphasis will be on serving the food as fresh and hot as possible. I would like those who do most of the cooking to come as early as they can so we can all learn these procedures and be ready for the rush after the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses.

The next 4th degree meeting is at O.L.O.L. Parish Center on November 27. I encourage all 4th degree Knights of our council to attend this meeting. Please let me know if you can help with the food preparation.

Our Lady of Light Catholic Community is growing. If you have the opportunity to meet a new Parish member be sure to mention the Knights of Columbus and if they are not a Knight, invite them to join. We have promotional materials available for recruiting.

God Bless You All Dave Simmons

From the Deputy GK



Brother Knights,

We have completed the required advertising for our Turkey Dinner on the 17th for this month, and now we have to get the tickets sold. Call me at 267-0093 or 634-1518 to reserve yours NOW! Please help make this dinner a great success. The tickets are \$12.00 per person, and will include a full turkey dinner and a musical program by the church choir.

Because of a lack of response by the membership, we have decided to stop the council picnic. However, we are planning to do one for the kids in the Faith Foundation, and possibly a parish picnic. I'll keep you informed as to these coming events.

The 5K run was a great success, and I want to thank all the Knights that were there to assist with this event.

Please contact me about your dinner tickets, and God bless you all.

Deputy Grand Knight Joe Klempka

From the Chancellor:



Brother Knights

Tis the Season for all of our fund raising events and we all need to do what we can to support our Grand Knight Dave Simmons. The buffet breakfast always needs volunteers and is getting even bigger. Recruit, Recruit, Recruit, ask someone you know. Sometimes all you have to do is ask. That is how I became a Knight. OLOL has the best council in the area so lets stay #1 and keep this council strong. Thanks for all you do. You are the best!

God Bless David Williams Chancellor

K of C Insurance Field Agent Robert Forrest

Different life stages, changing needs



Paying for college for your children may be one of your family's current needs. You may be concerned about a comfortable, worry-free retirement. You may wonder if needing costly long-term care will deplete your hard-earned assets. You want to have something to leave for your wife, children or grandchildren.

At some point you may have had all of these needs on your mind. Over time, these thoughts make way for others as your needs evolve, your finances change and you get older. What is important to you at age 20, may not be at 30, or 45, or 65. What is the best way to be prepared for these changes before they happen?

One of the easiest ways to be financially ready for changes that come with different life stages is to meet annually with your professional Knights of Columbus agent, and address the needs that his analysis uncovers. This can help you be

ready to face the financial challenges and issues on the road ahead. From annuities to Long Term Care....

During that annual visit, I'll take the time to review your needs, goals and budget. I'll update all beneficiaries and relatives and others that should be notified, on your policies and be sure your coverage meets your needs. I'll recommend a program of life insurance, long-term care insurance and guaranteed income annuities that will help you rest easy at night.

Whatever your needs, whatever your concerns, whatever your stage in life, I can help.

Vivat Jesus! Robert Forrest



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Dear Brother Knights

As your new Lecturer I thought I should introduce myself even though many of you probably know me or have seen me at K of C events. I am 26 years old and an online college student originally from Ohio. I graduated high school in Ohio before moving from Ohio to Florida with my family in June of 2005 to Orlando. From there I moved from Orlando to Lehigh Acres and was in Lehigh Acres till about December of 2010 until I moved into Stoneybrook at Gateway in Fort Myers.

Around December of 2010 was when I first found Our Lady of Light and joined the Voices of Light Choir after speaking to Rich Dittus. I have been through many difficulties and problems. Being that both my parents are disabled I spent half of my time taking care of both of them. Unfortunately during 2011, God took my step father to heaven. A kidney pancreas transplant patient of at least near 20 years his Kidneys failed in June of 2011 and was taken one month later to the day he went into the hospital.

Since his death it has been the parishioners of Our Lady of Light and recently the Knights of Columbus who have helped me through this most difficult time. I recently joined the Knights of Columbus in June of

2012 to have some male guidance since I do not have my step father to guide me. As your newly appointed lecture it's my job to help set up entertainment for events for our Council. My specialty is music and I hope to use my music experience to enhance our events. If you have ideas for entertainment for our events please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to serving our council and also working with our fellow brothers to make this the best council possible.

Fraternally

Brother Matthew Gerenday

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 Tony Damasco Don Joerger Ed Mikovich Bill Banfield's Mother Richard Blackman Bill Morea Dave Erickson's Mother "Kathy" M/M Tony Cilluffo M/M Jim Ripley Ed & Gerry Sedillo

Happy Birthday!

Albert Almeida	11/2
John Ruegg	11/2
Edward Sedillo	11/2
John Sullivan	11/3
Richard Malone	11/6
Alexander Miller	11/6
James Courtney	11/9
Roland Walker	11/13
Peter Thompson	11/15
Mark Trenkamp	11/15
Michael Adams	11/17
Gary Krueger	11/17
Ronald Willing	11/19
Brian Farrar	11/22
Anthony Cilluffo	11/23
John Nowlan	11/23
Richard Dittus	11/25
Timothy Farley	11/25

Up Coming Events

Nov 1 Business Meeting Nov 17 Turkey Dinner

Nov 20 1st degree exemplification

Nov 25 Pancake breakfast

Nov 27 4th Degree Meeting

Nov 29 Planning meeting

Our Newsletter Boosters

James Adams, Bryant Anderson, James Angers, William Banfield, William Bannon, Patrick Becker, John Benoit, Jack Berg, Leo Berger, Richard Blackman, Robert Bonza, Roland Boyd, John Bradford, Barry Bratton, Glenn Bright, Stephen Burmeister, Michael Bursztyn, Francis J. Camacho, Dennis Cantwell, Anthony Cilluffo, Norman Colby, Chandler Cook, John Costa, James Culley, Peter D'Elia, John Dinneen, David Erickson, Brian Farrar, Frank Ferlito, Everett Foster, Louis Frattarelli Sr, Timothy Freeland, David Gavin, Arthur Habighorst, Sidney Hauenstein, James Hawkins, Dean Hinderman, William Hoogland, John Horan, Ralph Hutchins, Natale Ippolito, Sean James, Roland Jolie, Daniel Kerinuk, William Kienle, Thomas Kinsella, Kenneth Kirgin, David Klare, Joseph Klempka, Julian Komeshak, Gary Kroeger, Bruce J. Labreche, Brent Labreche, Ralph Lacivita, William Lewis, John Liprie, Ronald LoFranco, Jeffery Maas, Richard Malone, Herman Mancini, Jerry Martin, Jon McLain, Alvin McCarthy, John McGrellis, Wyman Miller Jr, Henry Pasterz, Gregory K. Pearl, Evelio Perez, Vincent Petrocelli, Anthony Pietroniro, Kevin Powers, Leon R. Quesnette, James Reynolds, Edward Riley, James Ripley, Edward Roggemann, Fritz Roka, Raymond Ross, John Ruegg, John Ruehl, John Ryan Jr., Glenn Sabatka, James Sauerwald, John Scavelli, Kent Schmitt, Sydney Schofield, Vincent Scola, Edward Sedillo, Dave Simmons, Edward Strander, David Tempel, Peter Thompson, George VanNest, Edward Weil, III, David Williams, Ronald Willing, Charles Yelle

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.

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