Knight Spotlight

St. Joseph of York Council 6353 Grand Knight: Pat Workinger, 846-4410 July/August 2011

GRAND KNIGHT'S CORNER

Are you your brother's keeper? Next Sunday when you are in Church, look to the left and the right. I bet you will see a man who wants to be his brother's keeper. It is your duty as a Catholic gentleman and a member of the Knights to ask that man to be his brother's keeper, and he will probably be glad you asked him. You will know that you are promoting God's kingdom and at the same time you will be helping him be a better Catholic citizen, and family man. Fr. McGivney started the Knights to assist those in need. So it is up to us to keep his dream alive. We must make sure that all Catholic gentlemen are given the opportunity to join the Knights of Columbus. Recruit a new member today.

There is a Mass at 6:00 PM on the first Friday of the month. I encourage all Knights to attend. The focus for July is the "Most Sacred Heart of Jesus". Devotion to the Sacred Heart as we know it began in 1672. Jesus appeared to Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, a visitation nun in France. During these apparitions to her, He explained to her the devotion to the Sacred Heart. He asked for acts of reparation and frequent Communion on the first Friday of the month. And keeping with the Holy Hour the Catholic Church approved the Devotions on its own merit and not on the apparitions themselves. Take some time for Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

I have been in contact with Pat Byrnes, Principal of St. Joseph School. We need some volunteers this summer to do some painting at the school. There is considerable painting to do over the next couple of months. The school staff will be working days and evenings on this. The school would be very grateful for any man hours that the Knights of Columbus could provide. Due to sickness among the maintenance staff, service hours would be greatly appreciated. Days and evenings can be accommodated. Anyone willing to donate service hours may Email patworkinger@earthlink.net or call 846-4410. The school has all the materials on hand and would be grateful for any hours we could give. Please check your calendars and open your hearts for this most worthy project.

Special thanks to all who helped with and organized the Chicken B-B-Q, car show, golf outing, and Church carnival. The hours of dedication and service to the council are greatly appreciated.

We will have installation of officers at our September general meeting. Plan on bringing wives or significant other to this event. Food will be provided. All incoming officers are asked to wear tie and jacket. Meeting date will be September 20th.

Sincerely, Pat Workinger Grand Knight 6353

IN OUR PRAYERS

Please keep the following Brothers and their families in your prayers. They or a family member has passed away, is ill, or recovering. Please pray that God gives them the courage and strength to heal. They are:

Father Louis (ailing), Dave Deller, Frank Leedy, Mike Goc (back surgery), and Jim Smolko.

ADORATION AT ST. PATRICK'S

Below is the schedule for private adoration at the Good Shepherd Chapel at St. Patrick's Church for the next several months. Remember the code to open the door is 1994*.

July 2	Bob Fedroff	757-1478
July 9	Wayne Kurek	757-7129
July 16	Jack O'Malley	751-2188
July 23	Dennis Hummel	751-4720
July 30	Andy Bria	757-7138
August 6	Bill Schreiber	840-1583
August 13	James Lyter	840-8316
August 20	Lou Cedrone	891-4734
August 27	D.J. Corbitt	757-9017
September 3	J.D. Cedrone	846-1872
September 10	Joe Halza	846-6210
September 17	John Trevino	757-3278
September 24	Lou Pioli	757-6766

If you need a sub, you can call on the following: John Trevino (515-5550), Gary Bankos (757-4577), Mike Goc (757-1371), Jim Crooks (751-0797), Jim Leahy (757-6268), Fr. Joe Tuscan (755-7503), Pat Workinger (846-4410), D.J. Corbitt (757-9107, or Andy Bria (332-1370). If you would like to be on the sub-list, call John Trevino at 515-5550 or email him at jt2ubhappy@aol.com and he will put you on the list.

We still need volunteers to help fill our spot of one hour from 7 to 8 PM every Saturday. If we can get a total of 52 volunteers then we each only attend once a year. Once a year is a small sacrifice to give adoration to Jesus Christ who is present in the Eucharist. Please look into your hearts and listen. You may hear a message to show your faith and volunteer for adoration.

If you wish to volunteer, call Lou Cedrone at 854-9644 or E-mail him at gregoryint@comcast.net and let him know.

BAPTISM SCHEDULE

Baptisms are scheduled for the upcoming dates below.

Sunday	July 3	1:45 PM	Lou Cedrone
Sunday	July 17	1:45 PM	Jack O'Malley
Saturday	August 6	5:00 PM	Mike Kelkis
Sunday	August 7	10:30 AM	Charlie Krause
Sunday	August 7	1:45 PM	James Boyle
Sunday	August 21	1:45 PM	George Jahn, Jr.
Sunday	September 4	1:45 PM	Mike Jones
Sunday	September 18	1:45 PM	Bob Fedroff

REMEMBER: There is a drawer in the working sacristy that contains the rosaries and pins. The drawer is labeled "BAPTISMS". You should also find the names of the family and the baby's name to be baptized. Lastly, our baptism schedule should be posted in the working sacristy.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HELP NEEDED AT SCHOOL

Principal Pat Byrnes is requesting help from the Knights to paint the school this summer. The school would be grateful for any amount of hours you can put in. We hope you younger Knights and Knights with children in the school will take this opportunity to help. Those Knights with children who will be making their confirmation next year should consider this opportunity for your kids to accrue community service hours.

The schedule is as follows: Classroom painting began June 20 (daytime and evening), hallway painting to follow classrooms, main hallway painting to begin on or about July 18, and the remaining hallway to be done if all other spaces are completed. The school will have the tools and materials to do the job.

If you can help, please email Pat Workinger at patworkinger@earthlink.net or call him at 846-4410.

SUPREME COURT REJECTS CHALLENGE TO "UNDER GOD" IN PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The United States Supreme Court has refused to hear an appeal of a lawsuit challenging the constitutionality of the Pledge of Allegiance, thus ending a seven year battle involving two separate cases, one originating in California and the other in New Hampshire. The Knights of Columbus, represented by the Becket Fund for Religious Liberty, played a key role in defending the Pledge as a "defendant intervenor" in both cases.

"The Knights of Columbus is proud to have played a major role in successfully defending the constitutionality of the words 'under God' in the Pledge of Allegiance," Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson said. "We were instrumental in persuading Congress to add those words to the Pledge in 1954, and they express a fundamental belief that we have held as a nation since our founding, that we 'are endowed by our creator with certain unalienable rights.' The notion that this somehow violates the First Amendment has now been soundly rejected by both the First and Ninth Circuit Courts of Appeal, and the Supreme Court has now allowed both decisions to stand. It is a victory for common sense."

The Ninth Circuit upheld the constitutionality of the Pledge in March 2010 and the Supreme Court refused to hear an appeal of the California case in March 2011. The First Circuit upheld the constitutionality of the Pledge in November 2011 and the Supreme Court denied certiorari in that case yesterday, June 13, 2011.

DID YOU KNOW?

- © The council will have their officer installation at the September 20 council meeting.
- © The Knights of Columbus are looking at allowing councils to hold their own 3rd degrees.
- © Frank Breiter won the 50/50 pot at the May council meeting.
- © Jim Boyle won the 50/50 pot at the June council meeting.

POPE BENEDICT'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

General: That priests may always be true witnesses of the caring and merciful love of God.

Mission: That the Holy Spirit bring forth from our communities numerous missionary vocations, willing to spreading the Kingdom of God.

COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 2011-2012

Below are the names of those individuals recently elected to office in June. Let us show our support to these brother Knights during this council year.

Pat Workinger	846-4410
Paul Shellenberger	764-1906
Wayne Kurek	757-7129
Jim Lyter	840-8318
D.J. Corbitt	757-9017
Bill Fullerton	757-7001
Bob Fedroff	757-1478
Bill Schreiber	840-8242
Don Desseyn	764-9860
Lou Cedrone	891-4734
Glen Falatovich	244-3049
Ken Witmer	755-9883
Fr. Joseph	755-7503
Robert Bertuccio	
Tom Snyder	
Tim Bair	
	Paul Shellenberger Wayne Kurek Jim Lyter D.J. Corbitt Bill Fullerton Bob Fedroff Bill Schreiber Don Desseyn Lou Cedrone Glen Falatovich Ken Witmer Fr. Joseph Robert Bertuccio Tom Snyder

HOW THE COUNCIL VOTED

The following are proposals brought before the council's membership for voting at the general meeting in the last two months:

1 Donation of \$100 to Covenant of Love, a marriage support program here at St. Joseph Church.

Proposal was approved.

2 Donation of \$500 to the St. Joseph senior high youth group for their annual conference.

Proposal was approved.

3 To match the monies raised during the A.R.C. campaign and give the local A.R.C. chapter \$1000.

Proposal was approved.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

The following Brother Knights are one year older this July and August. The council wishes a Happy Birthday to:

Butch Brothman, J.D. Cedrone, Cliff R. Clayton, Donald Desseyn, Howard Fleming, Philip Fohl, Fr. Eric Gauchat, Dale Hein, Dennis Hummel, George Jahn, Jr., Todd Kubala, Brooke Laubach, Scott Ross, Fr. Topper, and Ken Witmer who are celebrating their birthday during the month of July.

George Andrews, Stephen Aumen, Jr., Steven Blouse, Richard L. Davis, Barry Day, Fr. Jim Kurtz, Larry Macek, Jeff Merritt, Patrick B. Morris, John O'Malley, Jr., Carmen Papa, Robert Poletti, Mike Rucci, Joe Spangler, and David Straka are celebrating their birthday during the month of August.

DENNIS HOLBERT MEMORIAL CAR SHOW

The car show was another success. Bill Schrieber, chairman of the event, would like to thank all those who volunteered to help this year. It was only through your efforts that the event was a success.

Plans for next year's car show are underway. Bill is looking into dates at this time. Come to the council meetings every 3^{rd} Tuesday of the month to learn more or keep an eye out for information in the newsletter.

ANTHONY CHIMIENTI GOLF TOURNAMENT

"The golf tournament went smoothly this year," chairman D.J. Corbitt announced at the last council meeting. The tournament was held at the Springwood golf club for the first time this year and they were excellent hosts.

D.J. thanked his co-chair, Jim Lyter, for his help with arranging the tournament, Wayne Kurek for his work in securing some excellent door prizes, Mike Jahn for going above and beyond in his volunteer efforts, and everyone else that helped with tournament. D.J. knows the success of this tournament was not possible without the help and support of those who volunteered and played in the tournament.

WHAT TO LOOK FORWARD TO

- \$\frac{1}{2}\$ St. Joe's Yard Sale September 3
- ♣ Officer's installation September 20
- ⊕ C.O.A.L
- ♣ Knights of Columbus Mass
- ♣ Football Sweepstakes
- ☆ Citrus Fruit Sale
- ♣ Light Up for Christmas
- ♣ Holiday Social

Important Dates to Remember

July

- 1st Dale Hein and Rev. Topper's birthday
- 4th Rev. Eric Gauchat, George Jahn, Jr. and Scott Ross' birthday; Independence Day
- 5th Officers Meeting
- 14th Don Desseyn's birthday
- 19th Council Meeting
- 21st Dennis Hummel's birthday
- 22nd Howard Fleming's birthday
- 24th Todd Kubala's birthday
- 26th Brooke Laubach's birthday
- 27th Cliff Clayton and Ken Witmer's birthday
- 28th Philip Fohl's birthday
- 29th Butch Brothman's birthday
- 31st J.D. Cedrone's birthday

August

- 2nd **Officers Meeting**; Jeff Meritt's birthday
- 3rd Fr. Jim Kurtz's birthday
- 4th Steven Blouse's birthday
- 8th Mike A. Rucci's birthday
- 11th George Andrew's birthday
- 15th Patrick Morris' birthday
- 16th Council Meeting
- 18th David Straka's birthday
- 19th Robert Poletti's birthday
- 20th Richard Davis and S.J. Aumen, Jr.'s birthday
- 22nd –John O'Malley and Joe Spangler's birthday
- 23rd Larry Macek's birthday
- 25th Carmen Papa's birthday
- 27th Barry Day's birthday

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