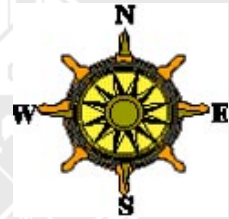




St. Mark's Knights of Columbus The Compass



Council Meeting.. Council Meeting Apr 28th at 7:30pm Rm 209

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GK Column

Brother Knights,

I found this on several websites recently.... When the late Supreme Chaplain Bishop Charles Greco was a seminarian he was deeply moved while reading the story of St. Bernadine of Siena. He adopted the saint's favorite prayer – "May Jesus Live", in its Latin form "Vivat Jesu", to use as the motto for his life and priesthood. When he became Bishop of Alexandria, LA in 1946, Bishop Greco chose the same phrase as his Episcopal motto.

Our past Supreme Knight, Virgil Dechant, thought our order ought to be devoted to the name of Jesus and chose Bishop Greco's motto "Vivat Jesu" as a greeting. The response is "SEMPER", meaning 'always'. By its use, the Knights help bring back the love and devotion to the Holy Name of Jesus.

As I reflect on recent events I am heartened to see Jesus living now through your actions in service to others, particularly in the response to the recent tragic loss of our Brother Evan Sohm's son, Peter. You've also stepped up to assist at the funeral and house 19 airmen, friends of Peter. Please pray for the Sohm family and for the repose of Peter's soul.

I Hope this Lenten season has served to deepen your faith. Lenten dinners spearheaded by Tom Lavelle and his wife Kathy were a success again this year. And in support of the Catholics Come home project we as a council have provided 500 books titled "Rediscover Catholicism" by Matthew Kelly for distribution at the Easter Masses. Hopefully some of you got one and can pass it along once read. If not, check out DynamicCatholic.com.

We will be finalizing and presenting our slate of officers at the next meeting and electing them at the May meeting. We will be voting on the new budget at our next meeting as well so if you did not get a copy of the "eye chart" from our treasurer come get one at our April 28 meeting.

On the membership front I have been advised we have two candidates! We must keep that ball rolling. If you've been talking to someone about joining us recently please keep it up. If you haven't, give it a shot, it really isn't hard and ask them to join us. It's good for our council and good for the man and his family. We are also preparing for our upcoming annual tootsie roll drive chaired by our Deputy Grand Knight Marty Bove. Please sign up for a duty slot if you have not already done so.

If you knew how much our donations have helped the Londonderry Early Education Program and how appreciative they are you wouldn't hesitate to serve in this drive. Signup sheets are in the church foyer.

Please continue to pray for an end to abortion and for those families that continue to struggle for the simple day to day necessities. And if you are able, consider the gift of service through your council during this Easter season.

HAPPY EASTER and Vivat Jesu

Jean Desrosiers Grand Knight



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Insurance Corner



The Field Agent supporting our council's insurance needs is Marco, and he'd love to meet you. His contact information is below:

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Two brothers were always getting into trouble in their neighborhood. The people in the neighborhood started complaining to the parents about the boys. So the boys parents decided to have their priest talk to the boys. The priest asks to speak to the boys alone, requesting to see the youngest first. The young boy comes in and sits at a large table across the room from the priest. The priest looks at the boy, points at him and, trying to emphasize that God is in everyone, asks, "Where is God?" The boy looks around the room and back at the priest and says nothing. Again, the priest points at the boy and in a louder voice asks, "Where is God?" The boy says nothing. The priest walks around the table, pointing inches from the boy's face and asks again, "Where is God?" The boy jumps out of his chair and runs out the door. The boy runs right home, grabs his older brother and says to him, "We are in BIG trouble!" His brother replies, "We haven't done anything!" The younger brother replies, "God's missing, and they think we did it!"

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In an earlier column, I asked you to "give me a seat at the table" when laying out the council agenda for the fraternal year. I reiterate that plea here. I'll help in any way that I can."

A woman on the phone to her friend; I feel like my body has gotten totally out of shape, so I got my doctor's permission to join a fitness club and start exercising.... I decided to take and aerobics class for seniors. I bent, twisted, gyrated, jumped up and down, and perspired for an hour. But, by the time I got my leotards on, the class was over.

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Bob Casey	5th
Brian Roche	9th
John Kelly	10th
Bob Leonard	11th
Gil Jandreau	17th
Francis Horohoe	22nd
Gerry O'Neil	25th
Jean Desrosiers, GK	27th
Edgard Medina	30th
Mike Walsh	30th

Birthdays

The council wishes a happy birthday to to everyone celebrating their birthday, this month and next!

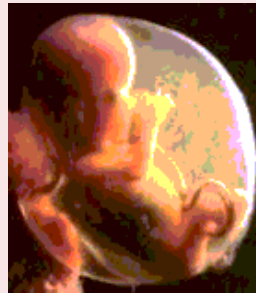


Larry Gingrow	7th
John McGarry	7th
Chris Fallon	9th
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Allen Fernald	19th
Jeff Davis	23rd
Mike Theriault	29th

The 2011
Rosemarie R. Cox


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Pro-Life Section

Monica Rahilly is co-ordinating the local effort for a Pro-Life Vigil, which is sanctioned by the Diocese. Click on banner, below, for details !

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 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

2011-12 Officer Slate

Grand Knight	Marty Bove	Warden	Wally Markham
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KC 10488 Council Calendar

Today ◀ ▶ May 2011 ▾

Print Week Month Age

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
May 1	2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo	6	
8 Mother's Day	9	10	11	12 7:30pm KC Officer	13 Our Lady of Fatima	
15 9am Coffee & Dor	16	17	18	19	20	
22	23	24	25	26 7:30pm KC Bus M	27	
29 John F. Kennedy's	30 Memorial Day	31 Visitation of the Vii	Jun 1	2 Ascension of the Ld	3	

Events shown in time zone: Eastern Time

