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St. Basil Knights of Columbus Council #4204 702 Burney Rd. Sugar Land, TX 77498-2610

October 2016 Newsletter

www.kc4204.org

KC Meeting - 1st Monday at 7:30pm (meal 6:45pm)
Officers & Chairmen Meeting - 3rd Monday at 7:00pm (light meal)

Columbus Club Meeting - 1st Tuesday at 7:00pm (in Annex)



Freedom to Serve

2016-2017

Our State Officers and Committeemen:

Larry Zapalac - Past State Deputy Pete Muceus - State Communications Lloyd Waguespack - State Audit Committee

Grand Knight's Report



Dear Brother Knights,

The month of October is lined up to be a very busy month. First off is the Coin Collection on Saturday October 1st. Please plan on joining us between the hours of 8:00 AM and 2:00 PM at the intersection of Highway 90 and Highway 99. We ask brother knights to man two hour shifts. Of course if you can do more that would be great. Brother Ken Stilling has been emailing all past participants and a group of knights have been calling

on brothers to help us out. Please come and help us make this a successful fund raiser for our council.

The very next day is the Pro-Life Rosary after the 10:00 AM Mass. Please come help us recite the rosary to end abortion. The annual Steak Dinner is October 14th in St. Basil Hall. All tickets are advance sale only. Brothers are needed to sell tickets after each mass the weekends before the 14th. The tickets this year are \$18.00. Chair Dominic Kutra is looking for volunteers to help not only sell tickets but also to prepare and serve the meal on the 14th.

The council is hosting a Knight in a Day on Saturday, October 22nd. We will have a major recruitment weekend the weekend before on October 15th and 16th after every mass. The Catholic Daughters of the Americas and the Squires and Junior CDA will be joining us in our recruitment effort. We will set-up in the hall and ask families to come over and learn about all four of our organizations. I will be asking Fr. Eurel to allow us to speak at the end of each mass to let parishioners know of the benefits of our organizations. Please come and join us at the mass you attend to help us meet our membership goals for the fraternal year. We will also need volunteers to help host the Knight in a Day degrees. Help is needed as early as 7:30 to get the youth center set-up and get new candidates registered. Please come out and help and witness these degree exemplifications.

If you are a first degree knight, this is a good opportunity to become a full knight. The Second and Third Degrees will begin around 10:00 AM or 10:30 AM. These degrees are beautiful ceremonies. I have asked that all first degree knights who have not advanced to the next degrees of our order to be called between now and the 22nd. Please come and join us as a full knight.

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Last but not least is our Middle School Dance on Friday October 21st. Plenty of help is needed to chaperone these middle school students. Brother Ian Cyril is the chair of the event and would welcome all of the help that he can get.

Finally, October is the Month of Mary. We are encouraged to recite the rosary daily during the month. Remember your First Degree promise to carry your rosary with you at all times and to recite it as often as you possibly can. You can start off the month by a joining us after the 10:00 AM mass on October 2nd that we mentioned in the first paragraph. Mary is our patron, and our devotion to her is paramount.

God Bless and have a great month, Lloyd Waguespack Grand Knight

Financial Secretary's Report



Brothers,

Council members elected by their Brothers at the September 6 meeting as August honorees are: Knight of the Month – Sal Salinas & Robert Cortemelia; Rookie of the Month – George (Marty) Morales III; Family of the Month – Dennis Marek family; Lady of the Month – Diane Senger; Squire of the Month – None; Youth of the Month – None. Congratulations all.

The next Council meeting is on Monday October 3 and starts at 6:45pm with a meal. Monthly recognition elections will be held.

The KC Coin Collection is on Saturday October 1. Brothers, it's that time of year once again where we all come together to help raise money so that we can help those less fortunate in our world. On Saturday, October 1 we will gather at the corner of Hwy 90 and Hwy 99 (Grand Parkway) for Council 4204's Fall COIN COLLECTION. We typically stand at the intersection of 90 & 99 from 8:00 in the morning until 2:00 in the afternoon and we try to get a minimum of 12 to 16 Brothers, hopefully even more, to cover each of three two-hour shifts.....8:00 to 10:00, 10:00 to 12:00 or 12:00 to 2:00. Ken Stilling, the chairman, asks for your support of this very worthwhile event by donating an hour and possibly two or more on Saturday, October 1. What we collect is directly proportional to the number of brothers we have show up. More brothers, MORE MONEY for CHARITY, the first principle of our order. Please consider marking your calendar now for the October 1. Wives can help also. I would appreciate it if you could Email me at stills63@yahoo.com and let me know what time slot you will be able to help with on that Saturday. If you can only work 30 minutes, that is OK. Thanks for your anticipated support. Chairman Ken Stilling 832-271-9030.

The steak dinner is on Friday October 14 and advance tickets must be purchased. The price for the steak dinner is \$18.00 (the cost of meat now days). You get a rib-eye steak (about a pound and done to your desire (rare, med. and well)), baked potato (with all the trimmings), salad, a drink and dessert. The kids get a hot dog, bag of chips and a drink for free.

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On Saturday October 22 there will be a 1st 2nd & 3rd Degree in the Family Life Center. The 1st Degree starts at 8:00 and the 2nd Degree starts at 10:00. 1st Degree candidates need to be there by 7:15 am for registration. 2nd/3rd Degree candidate registration is 9:00 – 9:30am. All current 1st Degree brothers should attend the 2nd/3rd Degree.

The Middle School dance is on Friday the 21st. Chairman Ian Cyril always needs chaperones – both men and ladies. The dance goes from 7:30 to 10:30 and chaperones are needed starting at 7:00 pm. Come and help provide a safe atmosphere for the middle school students and practice charity.

State charity pins are available from me for \$20.

Clergy Appreciation Night is Friday January 20 in Stafford at the Stafford Center. Tickets are \$30 each. Money must accompany your reservations. Attendance is by advance sale only. Send your check to the FS, Pete Muceus. We like to have at least 50 priests, deacons and members and wives. The council pays for the priests, deacons and their wives. Everyone else is \$30 each. Please get your checks in by December 1.

I still do not have a valid mailing address for: Mrs Leota Lanclos; Mrs Margaret McDowell; Mrs Edelmira Rubalcava; Mrs Timi Beeler. Send any info to Pete Muceus email peterkofc@comcast.net.

Be sure to look at the calendar in this newsletter.

Faithfully,

Pete Muceus, FS

Columbian Squires Corner

The Columbian Squires, the official youth organization of the Knights of Columbus, is a leadership development program for young Catholic men, 10-18 years old. Please contact Brother John Clennan or Jaime Ibarra for more information.



John Clennan

Chief Counselor

Insurance Agent's Report

Brothers,

We've had a lot of changes recently with re-districting, changes in agents, and even more recently, the exchange of our area from the Rangel to the Supak agency. Here's the name of our Agent:



Bryan Hyek - 281-796-2040

Please reach out for all your insurance needs.

4204 Birthday Report

Merced L Torres	10-06	Daniel Campbell	10-14	Mrs Evelyn Bartos	10-23
Richard R Pospisil	10-06	William A. Liucci	10-17	Mrs Gerry Block	10-24
Sergio M. Morales	10-07	Lloyd Waguespack	10-17	Theophilus N. Ekwem	10-24
Michael W Rychlik	10-08	Glenn E. Shaw	10-19	Larry O Moller	10-26
Lawrence L Dupas	10-08	James H. Pratt	10-19	Randolph J. Amaro Sr.	10-27
James A. Watts, Jr.	10-09	Robert Gonzalez	10-19	Rafael Lopez-Monreal	10-27
James J Claire	10-09	William Norwood	10-21	Jonathon M. Beeson	10-28
Deacon Joaquin Garcia	10-09	John T. Manthei	10-22	Frank J Heitman	10-29
Kevin M. Clarke	10-11	Roberto I. Reyes	10-22	Barry L Young	10-29
Roland Millare	10-11	Marty Morales	10-22	Ed C. Sebesta	10-30
Mrs Carolina Nieto	10-13	Francisco Caycedo	10-23	Frank J Foltyn	10-31



Knights of Columbus

Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest

Open to all Catholic students currently in Grades 8 through 12



Winning essays will be forwarded to the next level of competition. Essays, at each grade level, that advance all the way to the **International level** will receive:

 $$300^{00}$ for first place $$100^{00}$ for the two runner ups

All essays are due by November 1st.

For more detailed information and entry form, please contact Sam Gonzalez at 281-980-8762 or GClan@windstream.net Also can be found at: http://www.kc4204.org/council-news/detail/38



<u> CDA Senior Citizen Luncheon - October 9th</u>



The Annual CDA Senior Citizen Luncheon will be held in the Community Center on Sunday, October 9th at 11:15 am (after the 10:00 am Mass.) Please join us for lots of food, Bingo, and Prizes. This event is open to all seniors of St. Theresa.



God Bless, **Megan Morris** Chairman



Upcoming Events - cont'd



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Dominic Kutra

Chair

Middle School Dance - October 21st

The next Middle School Dance will be Friday October 21. Please come out and support this important event for the well being of our council as well as a good and safe time for the kids of our area. Please note that we will be requiring School IDs for the children to attend.



Ian Cyril Chair



Knight in a Day - October 22nd

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Updates from Supreme



Watch Now: Your KofC Support in Action

Thanks to the support of people like you, the Knights of Columbus has provided more than \$500,000 in support to the victims of the flooding that devastated the area of Baton Rogue, La. Recently Supreme Knight Carl Anderson and Supreme Secretary Michael O'Connor visited the site and saw the massive amount of work that still remains to be done. Click <u>HERE</u> for a firsthand look at the recovery efforts.

Imagine if all of the items in your home were destroyed and you had to bring them to curb to be carted away. This is the situation many of these flood victims face.

Your efforts have helped these people start to put their lives back together and for that you should be proud.

The recovery is begun, but there is still much to do. Please <u>DONATE</u> what you can to help these efforts continue and to make a difference for these people in need.

Good of the Order



"God, we offer up our prayers for the listed Knights, family, and friends in need of healing and care. Thank you Lord for your love, guidance and forgiveness in our daily lives. Please give the family and friends of these loved ones courage, compassion, and love as they heal and care for those in need. Amen!"

Brother Knights, please remember the following in your prayers:

(Requests from meetings and email are listed for 90 days.)

Perpetual Requests for Good Health & Well Being:

Canonization of Fr. Michael J. McGivney Archbishop Emeritus Joseph Fiorenza Conversion of fallen away Catholics Unborn for eternal life Special Needs Members & family of Armed Forces Knights and their families. Vocations Priests, Deacons, and all brothers St. Theresa Bulletin prayer List Fr. Roy Oggero St. Theresa Ministries and Priests Pregnant Women for life VETS at VA Widows of Deceased Brothers Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI Pope Francis Fr. Miguel Obregon - Cancer Ex-Prisoners @ Isaiah house Bill Louviere Soldiers returning from war Doris Gijon - Health

Deceased Requests:

July: Henry Sebesta August: Cindy Romann

September: 911 Victims; Deacon Don Senger

Other Requests as Listed:

July: Robert Lopez - Stroke Recovery; Anthony Valcar - Health Issues

August: Fr. Anthony - Safe Travel; First Responders - Safety; Mariam Chavez - Cancer; Presidential

Election: Harry Richards - Parkinsons/Walking; Joe Williams - MS Episode

September: Kassi Patrick - Failure to Thrive; Ken Kayes - Cancer; Daniel Villasana - Knee surgery; Melody Brown - lung surgery; Eric Garcia - Cancer; Deacon Glenn Haller - Health; Evelyn Bartos - Health; Kelly Studdert - Cancer Surgery; Rita Becky - Health; Darla Muskgrove - Needs Transplant; Government + President

Special Intention:

Prayer requests aged greater than 90 days still in need of prayer. All others in need of prayer and God's healing grace and embrace.

If you are unable to attend the meeting to make a request, please email dpm114+kc4204@gmail.com with the subject line "KC4204 Good of The Order Request"

Council Officers and Directors for 2016-2017

Chaplain	Fr. Eurel Manzano	281-494-1156	Program	Dennis Marek	281-382-6148
Associate Chaplain	Rev. Jose Tharayil	281-494-1156	Membership	Stephen Frontera	281-410-1632
Grand Knight	Lloyd Waguespack	713-899-2645	Retention	Sam Gonzalez	281-980-8762
Deputy Grand Knight	Sam Gonzalez	832-283-2797	Church	Joe Welsh	281-491-4027
Chancellor	Stephen Frontera	281-410-1632	Vocation	John Sudela	281-491-4055
Recorder	Robert Patterson	832-875-8574	Community	Dave Kiger	281-242-4144
Financial Secretary	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671	Public Relations	<mark>Vacant</mark> -	
Treasurer	Ian Cyril	832-457-3803	Pro Life	David Wleklinski	281-494-4770
Lecturer	John Sudela	281-491-4055	Council	John Gambino	281-242-0847
Warden	George Morales	281-565-5469	Youth	John Clennan	281-491-8090
Advocate	Danny Villasana	832-489-1827	Family	Vacant	
Inside Guard	Raymond French	281-565-1961	Newsletter Editor	David Paul Morris	281-799-3821
Outside Guard	Sal Salinas	281-491-3257	Teen Dance	Ian Cyril	832-457-3800
One Year Trustee	Ed Sebesta	281-242-4563	Football Sweepstakes	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671
Two Year Trustee	John Hermann	281-313-3819	Bereavement	Joe Welsh	281-491-4027
Three Year Trustee	Samuel Demora	281-787-9019	Coin Collection	Ken Stilling	832-271-9030
Insurance Agent	Brian Hyek	281-796-2040	Golf	Lloyd Waguespack	281-495-4422
VA Hospital visits	Fred Stratton	832-638-3444	VA Hospital Visits	Fred Stratton	281-491-4676
Columbian Squires	John Clennan	281-491-8090	Free Throw Contest	Stephen Frontera	201-410-1632
	Jaime Ibarra	281-491-0924	Clothing Sales	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671
Blood Drive	Paul Cinquemani	832-594-6753			
BBQ Coordinator	Dominic Kutra	281-565-0787	Fish Fry	Vacant	

Columbus Club Officers and Directors

Sal Salinas Nicolas Kutra Leon Anheiser **President:** Glenn Redding **Directors: Vice President:** Ralph Stolarski Joe Spira Gene Travis Anthony Valchar Secretary John Hermann Mark Broton Marvin Kasper GK Lloyd Waguespack

Treasurer: Ed Borski

Leasing Manager:Sal Salinas281-491-3257Maintenance Manager:Fred Trilicek281-491-9040

All members of 4204 are voting members of our Columbus Club. Come to the meetings and help manage our facilities.

Knights of Columbus Web Sites

Supreme:

www.kofc.org
St. Basil 4204:

www.kc4204.org

Mass Times: masstimes.org

Texas State Council:

www.tkofc.org

Texas Knight Digital Edition:

texasknight-news.net

4204 Newsletter:

kc4204.org/newsletter

Houston Chapter:

www.ghkofc.org

St. Basil Hall Rental:

www.kc4204.org/hall-rental

St. Theresa Church:

sugarlandcatholic.com



News Catholics Need to Know

KNIGHTS GEAR
ONLINE STORE
LOOKING GOOD WHILE DOING GOOD

Knights Clothing (Supreme)



Columbia Online Edition



Venerable Michael McGivney



