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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. BASIL COUNCIL 4204
702 BURNEY ROAD, SUGAR LAND, TX 77498-2610

September 2015
MEETINGS 1ST AND 3RD MONDAYS 7:00PM

NEWSLETTER
COLUMBUS CLUB 1ST Tuesday - 7PM

IN UNITY WITH OUR STATE OFFICERS and committeemen

Jim Collins

Immediate Past State Deputy

Larry Zapalac

Past State Deputy

Lloyd Waguespack

State Audit Committee

Pete Muceus

State Communications

Brother Knights,

What a great month we have just completed. The recruitment drive on August 8 and 9 was highly successful. As a result we had 10 new brother knights initiated into the first degree of our order on August 17. We were also able to re-instate a brother knight. This brings our total count of new brothers for this fraternal year to 12. In addition, the Columbian Squires were able to sign-up eleven new squires. I also know that both the Catholic Daughters and Junior Catholic Daughters were able to sign-up many new members. A big thank you goes out to all our brothers who took their time to help out on the recruitment weekend outside of church and in the hall. Special thanks goes to Fr. Eurel for allowing the Knights and Catholic Daughters to speak from the pulpit at the end of each mass on recruitment weekend to the St. Theresa's Parishioners about our organizations and the good that we do for the parish and community.

Personally I would like to thank a couple of brother knights for stepping up to take on director positions. Brother Dennis Marek is our Program Director and he has already embraced the tasks as part of the position. Brother Ken Stilling has agreed to take on the position of Publicity Director. He and I will be working on getting a weekly Knight's Corner in the weekly bulletin at St. Theresa, so be on the look-out in future bulletins. Please thank these brother knights next time you see them.

September is shaping up to be a good month. First and foremost will be the Lady's Appreciation Night on September 12. Brother Calvin Sommer is busy putting the final touches on the night. Please get with Brother Calvin if he hasn't already asked you and offer your help to make this a special night for our ladies. The other big event for the month is a middle school dance on September 18. Brother Ian Cyril will need everyone's help on that night to properly chaperone these middle school children.

As we close out the first two months of the current fraternal year I would to thank all of my brother knights for being so supportive of the ambitious agenda that we have put together for 4204. It shows that you are all truly "Men of Action."

Fraternally yours,

Lloyd Waguespack
Grand Knight

Financial Secretary's Report

Brothers,

The monthly honorees for July: Knight of the Month – Al Ewer; Rookie of the Month – Danny Villasana; Family of the Month – John Hermann; Lady of the Month – Henrietta Pospisil; Squire of the Month – Anthony Orta; Youth of the Month – Marissa Pozzi. Congratulations all!!

In July we started the 2015-2016 Fraternal Year. The Council has a new State Charity goal and you can help by donating \$20 to Texas State Charities and receive a state charity pin. Contact the FS Pete Muceus at a meeting or send him a check saying you would like a charity pin.

The State Council has a fund raising activity that also provides monetary prizes for 10 weeks during the pro football season. It is an [online discount webpage coupon](#) that also includes 10 weekly pro football games. The cost of an individual card is \$10 for 10 weeks of games. The 10 weekly prizes range from \$400 to \$40. Contact the FS, Pete Muceus if you would like to purchase some and/or get some to sell to friends or co-workers. The last day to purchase tickets is October 1 and all tickets must be turned in by that date. The sales to date have been slow. Thanks to the few who have purchased tickets.

The recruitment of the family that occurred on the weekend of August 8 & 9 was the idea of Grand Knight Lloyd Waguespack. It was an amazing success for the Council and the Squires also for the CDA and JCDA. This will happen again in October. If you have a Catholic male friend offer him the opportunity to join the Knights. We are the largest male Catholic fraternal organization in the world. We don't have to wait until October to bring new members into the council, I can find other 1st Degrees for new members.

There was a 1st Degree in our Hall during the August 17 meeting and there are ten newly initiated members of Council 4204 – John Donart, Brian Ezike, Hector Hernandez, Kirk Heath, Nze Ibekwe-Uche, John Labus, Hernando Montenegro, Christian Reyes, Chris Salinas and Cesar Tovar Macias. New brother Lino De Los Reyes joined the Council at a 1st, 2nd & 3rd Degree ceremony on July 25. Also, David Brittain transferred into Council 4204 and Enrique Ramon is reactivated. Welcome all to Council 4204.

The annual dues for all members age 23 and over is \$36 per year. The dues for youth 18 thru 22 is \$1 a month or \$12 per year. The initiation fee for Squires to Member is waived; for members under the age of 26 is \$10 and for all over the age of 26 is \$25. There is no initiation fee or dues for priests, deacons or seminarians.

The Council is again sponsoring a golf team in the October 5 Shepherd's Cup golf tournament. This is the Cardinal's tournament and half the proceeds go to St. Mary's Seminary and the other half to Catholic Education and Faith Formation. Any council member who wants to be considered for the golf team needs to notify me and I will put your name into the hat. A drawing will be held at the September 1st meeting for the members of the team. Alternates will also be drawn. Names received so far are: Jim Collins, Calvin Sommer, Lloyd Waguespack, Dave Kiger, Stephen Frontera Pete Muceus. If you want to be considered, let me know. There is also an opportunity for brothers to volunteer at the tournament. Contact brother Lloyd Waguespack who is a member of the KC sponsoring organization to volunteer or you can contact me and I will put you in touch with them.

There will be a 1st/2nd/3rd Degree in the Youth Center at St. Theresa on Saturday December 12. For all 1st Degree members this is the opportunity to go to the degrees here at home – no extended travel. The 1st Degree will start at 8:00am and the 2nd/3rd Degree starts at 10:00am. This will be followed by a meal. Lots of help from current 3rd Degree members will be needed. Plan to attend the 2nd & 3rd Degrees if you are a 1st Degree member; and plan to help if you are a current 3rd Degree member.

There is a 4th Degree exemplification on Saturday October 4. Any 3rd Degree brother is eligible to join the 4th Degree. Pete has the application, known as a Form 4. There are financial requirements so talk with Pete or the Grand Knight. The business meeting for September will be held on Tuesday September 1; yes TUESDAY! Meal at 6:45 and the meeting starts at 7:30.

If your dues have not been paid, please pay them now.

Fraternally,
Brother Pete, FS

Council 4204 News

The **“FINISH LINE”** is published monthly by the State Deputy and electronically posted on the www.tkofc.org website by the Editor Bobb Maher. This publication is a running outlook of the activities, events, award criteria, and due dates for the next 30-60-90 days. There is information for council officers, chairmen and members. Please visit the web site below regularly for more Knight of Columbus Information.

<http://www.facebook.com/KnightsOfColumbusTexasStateCouncil>

Insurance Agents Report

Call Vince for your insurance needs

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Squire's Report

Contact brother John J. Clennan for Squire information

“Esto Dignus. Be Worthy”

John J. Clennan

Chief Counselor

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WEB SITES

Links have been added to this newsletter. Click on the link below and go straight to the site of your choice.

Our monthly newsletter and calendars are on the web site under the Newsletter tab.

Knights of Columbus web site links. Council 4204 is www.kc4204.org; Our Galveston.

Per our Worthy Grand Knight you can see these pages by logging in with userid “brother” and the password is “kc4204”. You should not give this information out to none brothers.

Houston Chapter is www.ghkofc.org; Texas State Council - www.tkofc.org; Supreme - www.kofc.org. Hall rental <http://www.kc4204.org/hall-rental>

There are 2 other websites that have Catholic information for everyone. One is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus www.catholicpulse.com and it is also on facebook and twitter. The other website is called Catholic online at the website www.catholic.org and then enter “Catholic online” in the search area. Once you get the main page, enter “Monday homily” to listen to a weekly homily by Fr. Reynolds.

TSC Finish Line Publication link to the 4204 newsletter. <http://www.tkofc.org/uploads/FinishLine-10-2014.pdf>

COUNCIL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS FOR 2015-2016

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	Deacon Frank Cromer	281-565-2776
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	Ken Stilling	832-271-9030
Treasurer	Dan Rega	281-980-5183	Pro Life	David Wleklinski	281-494-4770
Lecturer	John Sudela	281-491-4055	Council		
Warden	George Morales	281-565-5469	Youth	John Clennan	281-491-8090
Advocate	Glenn Redding	281-277-2210	Family		
Inside Guard	Fred Stratton	832-638-3444	News Letter Editor	Bob Sullivent	713-689-1580
Outside Guard	Daniel Villasana	832-489-1827	Teen Dance	Ian Cyril	832-457-3800
One Year Trustee	Calvin Sommer	281-242-6072	Football Sweepstakes	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671
Two Year Trustee	Ed Sebesta	281-242-4563	Bereavement	Joe Welsh	281-491-4027
Three Year Trustee	John Hermann	281-313-3819	Coin Collection	Ken Stilling	832-271-9030
Insurance Agent	Vince Loper	281-844-8867	Golf	Lloyd Waguespack	281-495-4422
VA Hospital visits	Fred Stratton	832-638-3444	Halloween	OPEN	
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
Chief Cook	OPEN		Blood Drive	Paul Cinquemani	832-594-6753
BBQ Coordinator	Dominic Kutra	281-565-0787	Fish Fry	Calvin Sommer	281-242-6072

Birthdays

St. Basil Council 4204
September 2015 Birthday Report

Name	Birthday	Name	Birthday	Name	Birthday
Charles H. Schwarz Sr.	09/03	Richard T. Bonica	09/11	Gerald F Kallina	09/21
John C. Pistone	09/03	Mrs Susan Rhorer	09/13	William Bradbury Jr	09/21
Lewis R Preissinger	09/04	Mrs Lupe Cavazos	09/13	Lawrence I. Utti	09/21
James L. Wenzel Jr.	09/04	Mrs Rosemary McMahan	09/13	Mark S. Danna	09/22
Paul A Willis	09/05	Glenn D. Rambin Jr.	09/13	Leon A Anhaiser	09/23
Jessie R. Boudreaux	09/05	Joseph L Williams	09/14	Joseph D Baker	09/23
Jeffrey T Schumann	09/06	Mrs Marie Cerny	09/14	Joseph B. Capello	09/23
Danny J Kocich	09/06	Nze Ibekwe-Uche	09/14	Adam C. Frenzel	09/23
Luciano Martinez	09/07	Scott A. Hill	09/16	Deacon Frank P. Cromer	09/25
Tochukwu (Brian) Ezike	09/07	Joe Ferreri	09/17	Mrs Alicia Morgan	09/25
Rev Stephen B. Reynolds	09/07	John McDonald	09/17	Mrs Magdalena Trevino	09/25
Aaron Moller	09/08	Frederick L Olvey	09/18	Larry J Zapalac	09/26
John W Sim	09/08	Jesus E Hernandez	09/18	Jesus F. Aguinaga	09/26
Michael C Sharp	09/09	Larry J. Houvouras	09/18	Mrs Loretta Schillaci	09/27
Leroy F Urbanek	09/09	Long T. Nguyen	09/18	Francis M. Oriekwu	09/27
Richard A. Urban	09/10	Paul V. Cinquemani	09/19	Vernon W. Weinkam Jr.	09/28
Sylvester T. Teh	09/10	Joseph D. Welsh	09/20	Elvin M Kocich	09/29
Mrs Velma Anhaiser	09/11	Patrick E. Accrocco	09/21		

Columbus Club Officers and Directors

President Glenn Redding
Vice President Ralph Stolarski
Secretary John Herman
Treasurer Mike Matalaka

Directors: John Hermann Mike Matalaka
Sal Salinas Gene Travis
Todd Heath Dominec Kutra
Ralph Stolarski Glenn Redding
Joe Spera Leon Anhaizer
Calvin Sommer Ed Borski
Grand Knight Lloyd Waguespack

Green team's term expires in June 2016, Red in June 2017 and Blue in June 2018. The 13th director is the current Worthy Grand Knight, Lloyd Waguespack, of Council 4204.

Leasing Manager: Sal Salinas
Maintenance Manager: Fred Trlicek

CCBS Officers, Directors and Management:

Officers to be elected July 7 after CC meeting.

There are five directors as listed below.

President Glenn Redding
Vice President John Hermann
Secretary Todd Heath
Treasurer & Hall manager Ralph Stolarski

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!”

Please remember the following in your prayers and ask for Gods healing power to come over these members of our faith community. Names remain on the list for 90 days from last update. Green remains forever.

For Good Health & Well Being:

Archbishop Emeritus Joseph Fiorenza
Canonization of Ft. Michael J. McGivney
Conversion and Return of Fallen away Catholics
Request made at all meetings not listed here as well as in St. Theresa Bulletin and special needs
Members & Family of Armed Forces unborn for eternal life Vocations
Priests Deacons and all brother Knights and their families. Fr. Roy
St. Theresa Ministries and Priest St. Theresa prayer List VETS at VA
Widows of Deceased Brothers Pregnant Women for life Pope Francis
Ex-Prisoners @ Isaiah house Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI
Soldiers returning from war Fr. Miguel Obregon -- Cancer

DECEASED

Bill Fritch
SK. Larry Finch
Al Ewer
SK Ken Bartholmey

Eddie Dehass
John Heitman
Zita Cherry

Edward A. tucker
Bruce Buckles
Evelyn Haller

AS LISTED:

All members and associates on prayer list from council meetings.

Marsha krymeier Dad – Seizures Don Senger – Cancer Doris & Raphael – Health
Fred Stratton -recovery from cancer Martin Sullivent – Medical
Mr. & Mrs. Rycinger- diabetes Sabrina Hermann – Special Intentions
Phil Kiger – Heart Attack Darren Redding – Surgery Marissa Pozzi – Head Injury
Frank Cromier – triple by-pass Deacon Glen Haller – Health Bill Louviere – Well Being
Dr. Charles McDonald – broken hip Rob Dickens – inflamed Pancreas DD Tido Perales – flu