



# Knights of Columbus



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## NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2010

### GRAND KNIGHT'S LETTER

Brother Knights: I hope and pray that you are having a safe and enjoyable summer. Remember just five short months ago during the record snowfall how we longed for some warm weather? A few new goals as we start the Columbian year: I am establishing a membership committee that will focus primarily on new member recruitment, retention and activity involvement. My goal is to insure that all new and current members always feel welcome and have a positive experience as part of the Holy Crusaders family. In addition, I'd like to improve our public relations effort. John Gandolfo does an excellent job publishing great newsletters however we also need to consistently include articles in the Parish Bulletin, Catholic Star Herald, Columbia magazine, our website and others. I like to "get the word out", by as many means possible, all the good work we do to support our church and communities. Please contact me if you like to be part of either project. Our major event of the summer, the free summer concert and barbeque for OLOH parishioners is August 10th. Your newsletter will have more information regarding the new committees and free concert in this and upcoming editions.

Fraternally,

Daniel J. Tumolo, Grand Knight

### FREE CONCERT

Our Council will be sponsoring a free concert and barbeque on August 10<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Center. BLT will provide the music and we will provide the food. We will start serving food at 6:30 PM and the band will play from 7:30 to 9:30 PM. Admission is free so bring the family, friends and your appetite. **Also bring your own chairs.** Throughout the day, starting at 10:00 AM, we will need help setting up and running the show. Please make yourselves available. Thank you.

### (K)NIGHTS AT THE BALLPARK

On Friday, Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>, our Council's loyal Rivershark fans will be traveling to Campbell Field to cheer for the home team. Dan Riiff has tickets and your \$12 includes tickets to the game, round trip bus transportation and snacks on the bus. It's a good chance to see good baseball at a reasonable price. Tickets are limited.

### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Our Council will install the officers for the new Columbian Year on Thursday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, in Our Lady of Hope Chapel. The ceremonies will begin with Mass at 7:30 PM, followed by the installation by our District Deputy. All officers are expected to be at the Chapel at 7:00 PM for a short rehearsal. Family members are welcome and refreshments will follow. **There will be no Council meeting on this date.**

### KNIGHT/FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Our knight of the month for July was Barry Start (service to the Council). Our family of the month for June was Frank Maggio. Congratulations and thank you.

### CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

During His short stay in the world, Jesus was indeed the Light which was to illumine mankind about the mysteries of the supernatural life. By His example and teaching our Lord cast rays of light that have completely renewed the edifice of human society in its very foundation. In fact, before His coming human society was divided into two classes, namely, the free and the slaves; and each were treated accordingly. But with Christ among them, men were to see things in a very different light. In everyday language those words of Christ were: You who are free, and you who are slaves, are all children of the same Father in heaven. Therefore, love one another as brothers, because you are all equal in His sight.

### BLOOD DONOR DRIVE

On July 8<sup>th</sup>, our Council sponsored a Red Cross blood donor drive in the Parish Center. Thanks to the efforts of Dan Riiff, Bob Calabro and Archie Hawk 54 pints were collected. We thank all who rolled up their sleeves and supported this worthy cause.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

**"SINGLE PREMIUM" WHOLE LIFE INSURANCE IS NOW AVAILABLE TO AGE 80 (FOR SPOUSE TOO)**

#### **Who needs it?**

Those who need guaranteed coverage for life.

Those who want to maximize retirement income for your surviving spouse.

Those who want permanent life insurance with high cash value and dividends.

Those who prefer to pay ONE (premium) and done (guaranteed for life).

Those who want an asset protected from creditors.

This plan is ideal for those whose income is expected to drop in the future. Don't wait.

Call me today for an appointment.

Fred Durso, FICF

Field Agent, (856) 309-1030

### SAVE THE DATE

" Bob Stefano Memorial Golf Tournament", October 1st, 2010. Committee requests that all Knights attempt to sell a tee ad and/or obtain a door prize. More Information to follow. The Council approved a motion to donate 10% of the profits from the tournament to the 3 facilities for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities that we normally contribute to.

### FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

The next Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the Our Lady of Hope Chapel on First Friday, August 6<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM Mass, continue until 7:00 PM, and close with Benediction. Try to stop in during the day to spend time with the Lord.

### COMING ATTRACTIONS

Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> 50/50 Raffle Kickoff

Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> Crab Feast (Parish Center)

October. 1<sup>st</sup> Golf Tournament (Valleybrook)

### FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Bishop Shad Assembly Installation of Officers will be held on Wednesday, September 15, 2010 at Our Lady of Hope Parish at 7:30pm. This year the installation will include two other Assemblies, Bishop Damiano and Strenski Assemblies. Also, a reminder to all 3rd degree members of Council, that the 4th degree Exemplification will take place on Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>; Crown Point Plaza Hotel, Cherry Hill. For further details contact Barry Start (384-5884). 3rd degree members that received their 3<sup>rd</sup> before Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> 2009, are eligible to apply for 4<sup>th</sup> degree membership. The Assembly has bumper stickers with an important message. They may be obtained from Barry Start or Joe Pettineo. The cost is \$5. The Assembly continues to collect new/used clothing and personal items for our disabled veterans. You can bring them to a Council meeting. The Bishop Schad Assembly meets at 8:00 PM, on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday in the Parish Center.

### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following members or members of their families will celebrate their birthdays this month: Frank Accardo, Paul Chatburn, Americo Cioci, Tom Conway, Bob Enos, Michael Frain, Ken Pfafman, Robert Galasso, Archibald Hawk, Kevin Hodrick, Anthony Infanti, Robert Merkl, John Milligan, Mrs. Kathleen Mikos, John Pagano, Mrs. Debbie Pascale, Mrs. Shirley Puchalski, Frank Rotonta, Donald Ruscitelli, Gerald Straub, Frank Talarico, Dennis Westfall, Matthew Whelan and Carmen Valentino.

The following members will celebrate their anniversaries: Mr. & Mrs. Ernie Aukerman, Mr. & Mrs. John Berstecher, Mr. & Mrs. Francisco Olaya, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Puchalski, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Vogelsong.

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

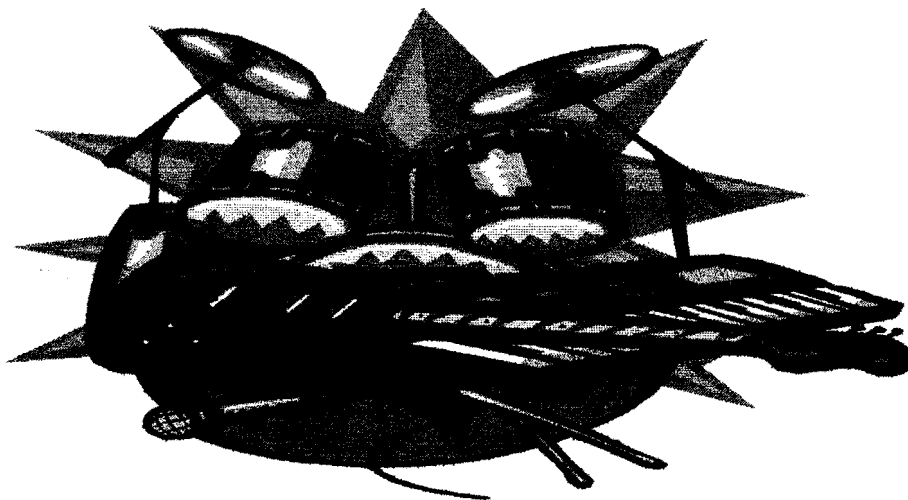
If we missed someone please contact John Gandolfo (227-0447) or [gandy@comcast.net](mailto:gandy@comcast.net).

### IMPORTANT DATES

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| Aug. 5 Officers Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)           | Sept. 2 Officers Meeting (8 PM Parish Center) |
| Aug. 6 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)                      | Sept. 6 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)            |
| Aug 10 Summer Barbeque-Concert (6:30 PM Parish Center) | Sept. 6 Labor Day                             |
| Aug. 12 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)           | Sept. 9 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)  |
| Aug. 12 Fr. McGivney's Birthday (1862)                 | Sept. 12 Kickoff 50/50 Raffle                 |
| Aug. 13 (K)Nights at the Ballpark (Campbell Field)     | Sept. 18 Crab Feast (Parish Center)           |
| Aug. 14 Fr. McGivney died (1890)                       | Sept. 23 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center) |
| Aug. 26 Installation of Officers (7:30 OLOH Chapel)    |   |

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**FREE CONCERT  
TUESDAY AUGUST 10th  
OUR LADY OF HOPE PARISH CENTER  
ENJOY AN EVENING WITH THE BLT BAND  
FROM 7:30 TO 9:30 PM**



**FREE BARBEQUE AND SOFT DRINKS STARTING  
AT 6:30 PM. ALL ARE WELCOME SO BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY  
AND ALL YOUR FRIENDS  
(ALSO BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR)**



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To: Friends of Our Lady of Hope Parish

Dear Friend(s):

First of all, we would like to thank you for making our inaugural year, 2009, a huge success. Sadly, the catalyst for our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Golf Tournament, Bob Stefano, passed away. We all miss Bob, however, he is surely not forgotten, nor will he ever be, as the tournament will now be known as the **"Bob Stefano Memorial Golf Tournament."**

This year's tournament is scheduled for Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup> @ Valleybrook Country Club. The activities will begin with Registration and Lunch at 12:00pm, followed by a 1:00pm shotgun start.

We will, once again, be using a four (4) ball scramble format. There will be "Longest Drive," "Hole in One" and "Closest to the Pin" contests, as well as door prizes, a "Silent Auction" and dinner following an enjoyable day of golf.

You have been very kind in assisting us in the past and we humbly ask for your continued support. Corporate Sponsorships are available, including Event, Lunch, Dinner, cocktails and "Hole in One". For further information, please call Rich Calabrese (856) 236-1234, or John Colaianni (609) 922-6661.

We thank you for your past participation and look forward to seeing you **October 1<sup>st</sup>**.

Sincerely,

Dan Tumolo  
Grand Knight

Rich Calabrese  
Golf Chairman

Cc. Rev. Mark R. Cavagnaro, Pastor