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JULY 2015

Dear Brother Knights:

Congratulations to the officers on their reelections. Thanks for all you do to make the Council so successful and operate so smoothly. And congratulations to all the members for another productive and fun year.

Attendance at meetings lightens up a bit in the summer. Keep in mind we will have meetings through the summer months, with upcoming events including the blood drive on July 9th, and the anniversary Mass and picnic on July 11, for which we will need some volunteers for set-up and clean-up work.

Have a wonderful summer!

Vivat Jesus.

Robert Galasso,
Grand Knight

CHARITY MANIA

Included with your newsletter are 2 Charity Mania game cards for the coming NFL season. The instructions for participating are on the game card. Just complete the name tab and return it to Joe Pettineo Jr. with your \$20 per card donation and you're a player for all 17 games of the season. You may recall we have done this in the past for the regular season and the super bowl and it has been very successful, so get on board. We would also add that last year some of the cards we sent out had winning combinations but the members that received those cards never responded, so no payout was made on those cards. Make your returns before Sept. 10th to Brother Joe, the parish office or at a meeting.

AWARDS DINNER

On Thursday, June 4th, at 7:00 PM, we celebrated our successes of the past Columbian Year with our Annual Awards dinner. It was a great evening that was well attended and everyone enjoyed fine food and beverages and the warm fellowship of brother knights and families. Special guests of the evening included representatives from 2 of the facilities to whom we donate funds collected from our People with Intellectual Disabilities drive. The highlight of the evening was the recognition of our Knight of the Year, Dan McHugh, and our Family of the Year, George Fuchs and Family. Both selections were loudly applauded for a job well done.

KNIGHT/FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Our Knight of the Month for June was Pat Theckston (service to the Council). Our Family of the Month for May was Jim McGovern and family (Treasurer and golf outing). Congratulations and thank you.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Our Council elections took place at our June 11th business meeting. Here are the results of the election: Grand Knight-Robert Galasso, Deputy Grand Knight-Thomas Skelly, Chancellor-Joe Pettineo Jr., Warden-Rich Bevilacqua, Treasurer-Jim McGovern, Advocate-John Gandolfo, Inside Guard-Andy Rescinito, Outside Guard-Jack Wolnski. We congratulate our elected officers and pledge our support for the coming Columbian Year.

BLOOD DONOR DRIVE

On July 9th, our Council will sponsor a Red Cross blood donor drive from 2:00 to 7:00 PM, in the Parish Center. Blood supplies are always in short supply during the summer vacation season. If you are physically able, come in; roll up your sleeve and give. If you think it might weaken you, Dan Riiff will provide you with dinner to help get you back on your feet. Please try to give.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

Here are some reasons why you should become an insured member. Enjoying the peace of mind that goes with knowing your family is secure. Whole Life, term, annuities, long-term care, The Discoverer disability income, single premium life, DualLife-a complete portfolio that can meet all your life insurance needs. Providing for the educational needs of your children. Competitive dividends paid consistent with sound financial practices. Saving for retirement with a K of C annuity-and ensuring a monthly income for as long as you live. There is no more highly rated insurer in North America.

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BOB STEFANO MEMORIAL GOLF

TOURNAMENT

The tournament was another big success as 140 golfers competed. The Committee did an outstanding job planning and coordinating the event and we thank Rich & Judy Calabrese, Frank Brandis, John Colaiani, Jim McGovern, Carmella

Stefano, Karen McGovern, Susan Beeler, Peggie Gallagher, Sarah McGovern, Robert Galasso, Dolly Guevara, Gabby Mosquera, Louise Tyciak and Florence Huff. In the addition to the committee other volunteers were, Jim Coolen, Fred Sulpizi, Harry Bocchino, Romeo Gianetti, Joe Panikowski, Ott Goetz, Bob Calabro, Howard Roberts, Bill Muehlhauser, Bob Wright, Caroline Scherer, Ron Miller, Dan McHugh and Joe Pizzoli. Special thanks to the women on the committee, who did the mailing, covered registration, sold 50-50 & Chinese auction tickets, gave out bags and set up door prizes, in addition to covering the \$10,000 Hole in One. The really good news is that the tournament netted \$13,954 and this will go a long way toward furthering our charitable endeavors. The Council will donate 10% of the profits to the 3 facilities for People with Intellectual Disabilities to whom we normally contribute.

CHAPLAINS CORNER

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you." Here is Jesus' last will made just before His death. He does not leave temporary or transitory goods of this world, but what is infinitely more valuable-interior peace. This is a precious inheritance prepared by the Father, merited by the Son, and communicated by the Holy Spirit. The world also promises peace to its followers, but a kind of peace that is not real or lasting. How can a corrupt world give peace, if it is the foe of Him who is the Prince of Peace? True peace-that is peace of mind, of heart, of spirit, and of the will, peace in time of sorrow, social peace, national and international peace-can only come from God.

NEW COUNCILS IN SOUTH KOREA

On April 18th, we officially present the charter of St. Andrew Kim Daegon Council No. 16000 and St. Paul Chong Hasang Council No. 16178. These councils are the first in Korea – in the Archdiocese of Seoul – and they are the first on the mainland of Asia. This was an historic day. One hundred and ten years ago, the Knights of Columbus established its first council in Asia – Manila Council 1000 – in

Luzon, the Philippines. Today, there are more than 340,000 brother Knights in that country. It is with similar expectations that we begin activities in Korea. Pope Francis has called upon Catholics throughout the world to take up a new "missionary spirit" and to go out into the world with confidence. The Knights of Columbus welcomes his call and we continue our expansion which has taken us in the early days of our history to Canada, Mexico, the Philippines and Cuba; and in this century to Poland, Ukraine and Lithuania. And now to Korea.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

The next Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the Our Lady of Hope Chapel on First Friday, July 3rd, after the 9:00 AM Mass, continue until 7:00 PM, and close with Benediction. Try to stop in to spend time with the Lord.

COUNCIL WEB SITE

We ask you to check out your Council's web site at kofc9193.org for lots of information concerning the Council. While you're there, enter the password Holycrusaders and check the detailed membership/email listing. If there are any changes or inaccuracies concerning your listing please notify John Gandolfo (227-0447) or gandy@comcast.net.

HONORARY MEMBER

Members attaining actual age of 65 years with 25 consecutive years are designated honorary members and our Council congratulates Nick Pascale on this occasion.

ANNUAL DUES

If you have not yet paid your annual dues please take care of this **NOW**. Thank you.

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

The Bishop Schad Assembly meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Center. Next meeting July 15th

COUNCIL WELLNESS NOTICES

Contact Ron Miller (783-6458) or bleuoxrmm@comcast.net to send a "get well"

message or a message of condolence.

JULY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following Knights or members of their families will celebrate their birthdays this month: Steven Armenia, Alexander Arena, Mrs. Marie Belmont, Pete Brusco, Mrs. Judy Calabrese, Ron Chainey, Chris Chiaro, Bob Coyle, Mrs. Barbara Harry, John Hunt, James Kennedy, Charles Lane, Ron Miller, Brian Nolan, Ed Steward, Stanley Snyder, Alfred Sulpizi, Lisa Toner, Michael Tortella, Mrs. Pauline Vogelsong, Elizabeth Vogelsong and Marie Woyciechowski.

The following members will celebrate their anniversaries: Mr. & Mrs. Dave Lusardi, Mr. & Mrs. Nick Pascale. **CONGRATULATIONS!!!** If we missed someone's birthday or anniversary, please contact John Gandolfo (227-0447) or gandy@comcast.net.

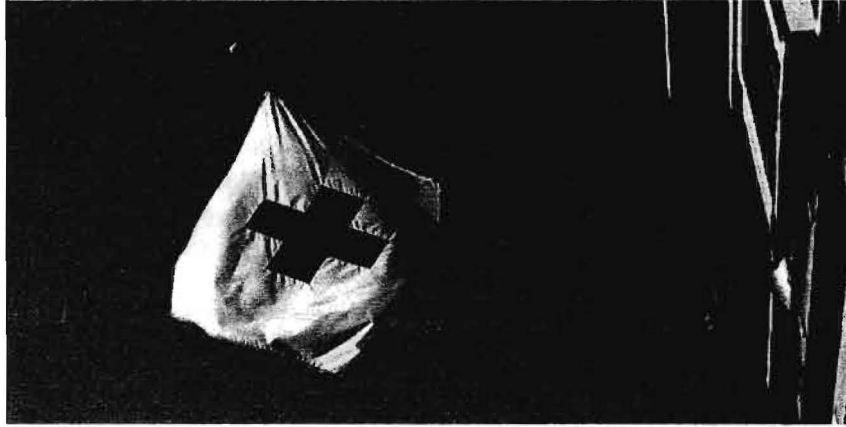
EDITORIAL

Our annual Bob Stefano Golf Tournament was an overwhelming success thanks to the efforts of all the people previously mentioned in this newsletter. These funds will go a long way toward accomplishing our charitable work. Our awards dinner was well attended and we congratulate our Knight of the Year, Dan McHugh and our Family of the Year, George Fuchs and Family. Finally, we congratulate our officers elected for the coming Columbian Year and with God's help and the support and participation of the membership; we look forward to another successful year. Vivat Jesus.

IMPORTANT DATES

July 3 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
July 9 Officers Meeting (7 PM Parish Center)
July 9 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
July 11 Parish Anniversary Mass (4:30) followed a picnic
July 23 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
Aug. 7 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
Aug. 13 Officers Meeting (7 PM Parish Center)
Aug. 13 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
Aug. 27 Installation of Officers (7 PM Chapel)

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**THURSDAY, JULY 9th
2 TO 7 P.M.
PARISH CENTER
COUNCIL MEETING WILL FOLLOW
BLOOD DRIVE IN PARISH CENTER
(OFFICERS WILL MEET AT 7 PM)**

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