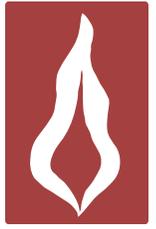




The Knights' Flame



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Grand Knight Message

It's that time of the year again for taking a break. I hope each of you have been or will be able to take some time away from your regular routine and relax with family and friends. I personally just returned from a 2-week tent-camping trip with my family, and I feel refreshed and renewed (although a little tired!).

Our Holy Spirit Men's Choir was able to take a break by going to a Honkers game in July, and all had a great time. Singing the National Anthem in front of the crowd was a great thrill. I'm looking forward to seeing the pictures!

And along those lines, in August we traditionally skip the regular meeting and instead have a family picnic. Hopefully all of you can make it to our family picnic coming up on Thursday, August 11 at 6:00pm. I know Pat McCarthy and the rest of his crew will put on a great picnic feast once again - just bring your family - picnic barbecue food will be provided in the church courtyard. And if there's another man you've been thinking about asking to join the KCs - please take this opportunity to ask him and his family to join us for this social event.

I was out of town for the carpet work in the narthex, and for the youth rock concert. I trust all went well and thanks to everyone who took part - I look forward to reading about them when I get the newsletter.

And I'd like thank Mike McDermott for taking on the Church Activities Director position. This leaves just the Council Activities Director position open - please see me if you are interested in taking this on (first responsibility would be to help put on the family picnic!).

Vivat Jesus!

Dave Hubka, Grand Knight

Get-to-Know-a-Knight

Our Knight to get to know this month is Ken Lentz. Ken and his lovely wife Leann have two sons, Kurt (17) at Lourdes and Adam (12) at Holy Spirit. Ken is the parts manager for Park Place Motor Cars. He's been a member of Holy Spirit since 2001 and a Knight since 2002. He is one of the several Knights of our council who has converted to Catholicism. Ken is also our new Community Activities Director for this year, ably assisted by Gordy Stockinger.

Ken will receive \$5 off his dues for next year for having attended the July meeting and having his name drawn. The only way you can get to be in GTKAK is to attend a council meeting.

Birthday Celebrations

Knights with July birthdays are John Attinella, Ray Bressel, Dale Brucki, Karl Corrigan, Dean Fox, Galyn Grad, Bob Loechler, Mike Madden, James Mathews, Gary Miller, Stephen Nelson, Tim O'Keefe, Tom Sand, Fr. Don Schmitz, Eric Van Norman, Randy Walker, and Maury Zipse.

Wish them a great Happy Birthday the next time you see them!



Narthex Carpet

Brad Brech

Thanks to all the Knights that came to remove the Narthex carpet. All agree the narthex and chapel look great with the new carpet. We had about 16 Knights there, and at the risk of missing someone, I will not list them. A special thanks to Gordy Stockinger for arranging the dumpster. All that came got a bit more than they expected, including me, as we also took the rest of the old carpet out of church.

Calendar

Family Picnic	North Courtyard	Thursday, August 11, 6:00pm
Golf Tournament	Northern Hills GC	Wednesday, September 21, noon
Father/Son Banquet	Resurrection	Saturday, September 24
Pancake Breakfast	Holy Spirit	Sunday, September 25, after morning Masses

Spirit Rock

Patricia Gallenburg

The Spirit Rock concert was very successful and made over \$1000 for the NCYC trip. All of the kids seemed to have a great time and many of the adults commented to the band members what a great job they did. The kids felt very supported and appreciated. Luke Porter made an announcement at all of the Masses this past Sunday, thanking the Knights, parents and all of those attending the concert. It was fantastic! And I personally would also like to thank all of the Knights for their great help. Adam (Gallenburg) and Luke (Porter) were very excited about the concert and getting to play and for all the support everyone gave them.

KC Family Picnic



This August, as we have in the past, we'll hold a family picnic instead of a regular meeting. Mark your calendars now for the KC Family Picnic this coming Thursday, August 11. The picnic will be in the church courtyard at 6:00pm, and food and beverages will be provided by the council. If there is another person you've been thinking about asking to join the KCs, please invite his whole family to come to the picnic - this is a great opportunity for them to get to know us in a low pressure setting.

Honkers Hear the Holy Spirit

Neil Stiller

Eleven members of the Holy Spirit Men's Choir attended the Rochester Honkers baseball game on Sunday, July 17th. The game was an opportunity to relax, watch America's favorite game, and... SING THE NATIONAL ANTHEM! Family members also enjoyed the game and friendly conversation. The event was organized by Neil Stiller and Dave Hubka as a way to express appreciation to the members of the Men's choir, and to their families, for their generous sharing of time and talents. The Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Council provided generous financial support by donating the game tickets to the men and their families. Thank you to all.

Pictures will be available on our web site as soon as they make it out of the camera.

Father/Son Banquet

The Resurrection KC Council is going to host a Father/Son Banquet on Saturday, Sept 24, 2005, and they have invited members from our council to participate. The event is for KC Dads and their sons age 13 and older. Cost is \$5 per person, with max charge of \$15 per family. The event will be at Resurrection Church, starting at 4:00pm, and ending before their evening Mass at 8:00pm. In addition to the meal, there will be a program featuring local senior priest Fr. Jack giving a talk on addiction, a presentation on what the KCs are about,

and potentially a presentation on the Squires. If interested, contact GK Dave Hubka (282-6090) or Resurrection GK Bob Voss (280-0922).

Golf Tournament News

Can you believe that our *10th Annual Golf Tourney* is now only about 6 weeks away? Now's also the time to stop procrastinating and do two things -- get that foursome together and finding sponsors for those great door prizes.



Jeff Block is still looking some lucky person to help him this year and to take over beginning in 2006. This is an excellent chance for someone to coordinate this wonderful and fun event. Anyone interested can give Jeff a call -- 281-5526.

Words from the Lecturer

Dave Rossman

Brother Knights: August is an excellent month to put into practice the lessons learned at the July meeting. Ask two men to join the Knights of Columbus. Tell them about our great organization and all its benefits. Don't be discouraged at their first response but give them a 2nd invitation, then a 3rd. Use the famous phrase we decided upon "You have been recommended as a good candidate for KC membership" GO GET EM!

Come to the September meeting to learn who this man is they called Christopher Columbus.

Little Known Saint of the Month

Dave Dykstal

Our Saint this month is Edmund Arrowsmith (1585 - 1628), priest and martyr.

Edmund was the son of Robert Arrowsmith, a farmer in northern England near the town of Haydock. This was a time of persecution of Catholics during the reign of Elizabeth I and the family was constantly harrassed for its adherence to the faith. In 1605 Edmund left England and went to Douai College in France to study for the priesthood. He was ordained in 1612 and sent on back to England the following year. He ministered to the Catholics of Lancashire without incident until about 1622, when he was arrested by the Protestant bishop of Chester. He spent his prison time arguing theology with the Bishop. He was released when King James ordered all arrested priests be freed and joined the Jesuits in 1624. In 1628 was arrested when betrayed to priest hunters by a young man he had censured for an incestuous marriage. He was convicted of being a Catholic priest, sentenced to death, and hanged, drawn, and quartered at Lancaster on August 28th. He was canonized as one of the Forty Martyrs of England and Wales by Pope Paul VI in 1970. His feast day is August 28th.

Knights of Columbus Council #11460

July 14, 2005 - General Business Meeting

This is a synopsis of the official minutes of the General Council Business Meeting submitted by Jerome N. Lensing.

Opening

Before the meeting, Adam Gallenburg and Luke Porter discussed the need for help from the KC's at the upcoming Rock Concert to be held at Holy Spirit on July 30th, proceeds will be use for the National Catholic Youth Conference to be held this fall in Atlanta. Will need help with setup of stage and supervision during the concert. Set up will be at 3 PM, with concert running from 6 – 10:30 PM.

The Grand Knight called meeting to order at 7:35 PM

The Lord's Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance were recited.

The Role of Officer's was called. Grand Knight – Dave Hubka; Chaplain, Father Don; Deputy Grand Knight, Greg Kapraun; Chancellor, Paul Daley; Recorder, Jerome N. Lensing; Financial Secretary, Jim Decker; Lecturer, Dave Rossman were present.

Previous meeting minutes were read and approved.

1 Form 100 was read.

Officer's Reports

Grand Knight - Dave Hubka - Dick Quinn will be ordained as a Deacon on August 6, 2005

Treasurer - Bill Oertli - No report

Financial Secretary – Jim Decker - June – July: Receipts - \$85.00; Payments - \$399.45

Chaplain Report – Father Don Schmitz – Thanked us for all our help and how willing the KC's are to help the parish and the community. He has a goal to provide more of a spiritual aspect to our council.

Director Reports

Program Director – Greg Kapraun - No report

Church Activities Director – Open - No report

Community Activities Director – Ken Lentz and Gordy Stockinger - Thank all that helped with the RochesterFest Parade as Parade Marshals.

Council Activities Director – Open - Dave Hubka reported on the KC Family Picnic to be held on August 11, with 5 PM setup and 6 PM start of the festivities. Pat McCarty will head up activities for the event.

Family Activities Director – Joe DiCecco - Dave Hubka reported that Joe had accepted the position and his goal will be having a number of family events that will concentrate on social aspects as well as service.

Youth Activities Director – Paul Daley - Reported on the progress of the Server's event at Chateau Theaters and the need to help on the Rock Concert to be held on July 30.

Membership Director – Larry Burgart - Dave Rossman presented a KC video on How to get New Members. Dave Hubka encouraged each of us to ask on man to join the Knights. He has a goal for him to have 1 Form 100 read at each meeting!

Newsletter Editor - David Dykstal - No report

Old Business

Golf Tourney - Jeff Block reported on progress of the 10th Anniversary Golf Tournament. Sponsor letters have been sent out, Second week of August, flyers will be sent out. Jim Buntrock has made arrangements for the dinner. Jeff is still working on an idea for 10th anniversary item to be provided to each golfer. He is still looking for door prizes!

State Convention - Jeff Block thanked Dave Dykstal for his work on the Convention Booklet.

Narthex Carpet - Narthex carpet is in. Tear up of old carpet will be July 25 with start time at 5:30 PM. Gordy Stockinger will check on providing a dumpster.

Knight and Family of the Year - Nominations are need for Knight and Family of the Year. Send you nominations to Dave H.

Father Son Banquet - Reminder of the Father/Son Banquet to be sponsored by the Resurrection KC Council on September 24th, 2005. Event is for KC dads and sons age 13 and older with cost of \$5 person, maximum of \$15 per family. Event will be Resurrection Church, starting at 4 PM with Mass at 8 PM. There will a program, if interested call Dave Hubka (282-6090) or Resurrection GK Bob Voss (280-0922).

New Business

Men's Choir Event - Neil Stiller asked Dave Hubka about a donation for the Men's choir (They will be singing the National Anthem at the game!) to cover the cost of tickets for July 17th Honker's Game. Motion made, seconded and approved to allocate money for the event.

Guest House - Dave Hubka discussed provide funds to send a couple to the Fundraiser for the Guest House on August 11th. Motion made and seconded and approved to provide \$125.00 for the event.

New Officer Meeting Time - Dave lead a discussion on starting the Officer's meeting at 7:15 PM, all agreed that that should work.

District Reports

District Deputy Report – Berry Hobbs – No report.

Field Agent Report – Steve Winkels – No Report

Good of the Order

Prayers for Special Intentions - Ann Dykstal's mother passed away; Susan Uhlenkamp's mother passed away; Berry Hobbs father passed away; Bruce Fujan father passed away; Wayne Arnold passed away; healing for a friend of Jerome's; Tony Rossman, tragedy in the family; R. Lentz, battling cancer; Ross Fiocchi battling lymphoma; B Nuetzal, terminally ill with cancer and Father Don on his MS Bike Ride.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30.