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News

Knights of Columbus

Newsletter of the Rev. Wm. Fenerty Council 7208
Downingtown, PA

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Grand Knight's Message

Worthy Brothers, It is October already, and I am sure you are all well into the swing of Back to school nights, Parent teacher meetings along with all the Soccer, Football, Hockey games. Your Council has some exciting events planned for this fall-winter season. We will be having our 2nd Annual Longaberger Basket Bingo event.

The Annual Memorial Mass for Deceased Brother Knights and their Families, and in January we will have a Mass/dinner/dance to celebrate our 25 years as a Knights of Columbus Council. Please read below for details on these and other upcoming events.

Thanks again go out to all the Brothers who have helped out at our recent events. The Ice cream Social and Spaghetti Dinner where both great successes and received many compliments.

As this will be the last newsletter before the Holidays, I would like to take a moment and wish and your Family a Happy Thanksgiving and a very Merry Christmas.

Vivat Jesus

John

Pennsylvania State Prayer 2003-2004

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation
With splendor and beauty. And fashion
Human lives in your image and likeness
Awaken in your heart, Reverence for the work
of your hands, and renew among your people
a readiness to nurture and sustain your
precious gift of life.

Please remember in your prayers all of our
brother Knights and their families who are in
need or distress, those who have gone before
us, and those who are ill, including:

Jane Humphreys Margaret Reidy
Mary Hatton Fr. Behn's Dad

All of our Serviceman and women involved in
the conflict in IRAQ.

Please contact John McCabe @610-518-2276
or Mike Kish @ 610 518-6062 if you know
someone who has a need of any kind.

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Council Meetings:

Officers – second Monday of the month, 7:30 PM,
Parish Center Conference Room

General Membership – third Monday of the
month, 7:30 PM, Parish Center Meeting Room #3

Visit the Council's website at:

www.geocities.com/kofc7208

Council Calendar

October 2003

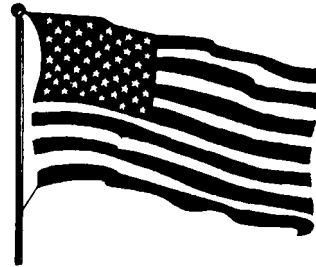
- 5th Life Chain RT 30 Downingtown 2-3:30
Spaghetti Dinner 4:00-7:00pm Cafeteria
- 12th Greeters @ 9:00 AM Mass
- 13th 1st degree ABVM Church 7:30pm
- 13th Officers' Meeting – Conf. Room (7:30 PM)
- 18th Anointing Mass for the Sick 10:30 AM
- 20th Council Meeting – MR #3 (7:30 PM)
- 25th Parish Meeting Cafeteria help needed

November 2003

- 9th Greeters @ 9:00 AM Mass
- 10th Officers' Meeting – Conf. Room (7:30 PM)
- 11th Memorial Mass 7:00pm St. Martha's Chapel
- 16th Basket Bingo Cafeteria 1:00-4:00pm
- 17th Council Meeting MR #3 (7:30 PM)
- 27th **Thanksgiving**
- 28th Red Cross Blood Drive Cafeteria

December 2003

- 8th Officer Meeting Conf room
- 14th Greeters @ 9:00 AM Mass
- 14th First Degree 7:00pm Mtg Room 2-3
- 15th Regular Council Meeting 7:30 Meeting room 2-3
- 24th Luminarie Setup 6:00pm Church
- 25 Christmas



Recent Activities

Ice Cream Social

On a beautiful Sunday Afternoon we distributed over 150 pieces of ice cream to parishioners after the 12:00pm Mass. Thanks to Brother Rick Carcella who purchased and delivered to ice cream, and to all who helped hand out the goodies

First Degree

Council 7208 had a first degree on September 14th and inducted 8 new Brother Knights into our Council. Congratulations go out to all of the new Knights and also to Dan Bowser and the First degree team on another excellent job.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Council Activities

Longaberger basket Bingo

Mark on your calendars Sunday November 16th from 1:00pm until 4:00. Our 2nd annual basket Bingo will be held in the School Cafeteria. Contact Mike Kish if you are interested in helping out or need tickets. Tickets are \$20.00 and include 20 games of bingo and chances to win other prizes. The proceeds from the Bingo will go to support our High School Scholarship program. If you would like to sponsor a basket the cost is \$25.00. We will fill it and add in your business card and any info you would like presented

Memorial Mass

There will be a mass offered on Tuesday November 11th at 7:00pm for all deceased members of Council 7208 and their Family's. at St. Martha's manor Chapel. All Council member and their families are welcome. There will be a small social afterwards at St. Martha's

Golf trip

Golfing / Goodwill trip to Ireland is scheduled for Sunday May 16, 2004 though Saturday May 22, 2004. Price for the package is \$1231 and includes 4 rounds of golf at premium courses Ballybunnion, Lahinch, Tralee and Waterville, 5 nights accommodations and a rental van. A fifth day is left open for the Knights to help

perform local charity work, or sightsee or golf. Note that the cost does not include airfare or food/beverages. Any interested individuals or groups should contact Ed Shultz at 610-942-2491, or email eshultz@nucorherford.com.

COAL Chance of a Lifetime

Order your Chance of A lifetime raffle tickets. This fundraiser supports the PA state Council and their Charitable Activities. Trips and prizes are offered.

\$1.00 per chance or 8 for \$7:00. Contact Hank Bienkowski for more information or to purchase a chance. 610 873-8995

NEW MEMBERS

We would continue to ask that all Council members make every effort to recruit one new member during the fraternal year. If you need any Form 100's please contact Chuck Giordano.

The following are the upcoming degree events:

First Degree Sunday November 2nd 2003 @7:30 pm at St. Joseph's Parish Center (Candidates @7:00 pm)

RED Cross Blood Drive

Friday November 28th from 12:00 until 5:30 St. Joe's Cafeteria. Contact Dana Gryger if you can call for donors or become a donor yourself 610-269-4613

Volunteers Needed for Saturday October 25 We have been asked by Msgr. To help in St. Joes's Cafeteria on Saturday October 25 from 9:00am until 1:00pm The parish will be hosting a training event for adults who work with the young children. If you can help out for a few hours please call Mike Kish at 610 518-6062 or myself at 610 518-2276

Good Works Program

We are looking to spend Saturday November 15th helping out with the GOOD Works Program repairing houses. If you are interested please contact Mike Kish at 610-518-6062 The day is from 8:30 until 3:30 and lunch is provided.

**Knights of Columbus
Rev. Wm. Fenerty
Council is Celebrating
25 Years of
Fraternalism in
Downtown
On January 24, 2004**

**Come out for an Evening of Brotherhood and
Fraternalism.**

**The evening will start with the 5:00pm
Knights of Columbus Mass at St. Joseph`s
and then we will proceed to the Luigi and
Giovanni Restaurant at St. Anthony`s
Italian/American Social Club in
Downtown.**

**Cocktail Hour
Dinner**

Presentations and Music.

**This event is open to all Brother Knights
and their Wives**

**Invitations will be sent
to all Brothers in
Early November.**

**PRIESTS, BROTHERS, NUNS.
THEY NEED US.
WE NEED THEM.**

Vocations Are Everybody's Business