

THE KNIGHT'S PAGE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Saint Basil's The Great Council 13800 of Kimberton, PA

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Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism

From The Grand Knight's Desk

Brothers,

First off, I wish you and your family a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year. As trying as things may seem or be, we generally don't have to look far to see others in much more dire straights (e.g. Haiti). As hard as it may be at times, we need to do what has to be done.... reach out and help others. This is our history, both as Knights and Americans. There is much that we can do to help others as well as those not so local. I ask each of you this year to make a sincere effort to assist with an activity, a committee, an office, or even attend some meetings. Your involvement in our Council (to whatever degree you can) is the engine that drives us. With each member comes an idea. With ideas comes effort. With effort comes success. And with success comes the knowledge that we did and will continue to make a difference. This Knight's Page Publication is a great tool with which you can stay current with our council activities, make known your committee issues, or relate information of interest or use to our Council membership. It is also a good example of something that began as an idea of our Brother Ed Linder. I would like to take a moment to thank Ed for the great effort that he puts into this publication each month with the desire to make our council the best that it can be. Please make an effort to contribute something occasionally so that we all may benefit.

Take care.

Tom

Knights of Columbus Insurance

If you desire to find out more information about the Knights of Columbus Insurance offerings contact Brother Barry Phillips at (610) 544-1964 or at barry.phillips@kofc.org.

Membership:

Please remember, it is incumbent on all of us to continue to enroll new candidates for membership in council 13800. If you are in need of new green Membership Document 100G forms, please contact Brother Chris Mitchell, or me.

Brother Chris Mitchell, Chairman, Membership Committee reported that on Sunday, January 31st, there will be an instillation of 1st and 2nd degree Knights at the Rev. William Fenerty Council # 7208, St. Joseph Parish Center, 340 Manor Avenue [Rt. 322], Downingtown, PA. All candidates will be leaving the St. Basil’s parking lot at 6:15 p.m. This is an opportunity for all 1st degree Brothers to make their 2nd degree. It is also a great time for other Brothers to show up to show support of those receiving their next degree. Contact Brother Chris (610) 639-7759, [chrismitch@comcast.net] and let him know you will attend.

Brothers’ Birthdays:

Happy Birthday to those Brothers who have their Special Day
in January and February

January

Dwight Demchik
Leo Kaercher
Alfred Kobylinski
David Matey
David Mitchell, Sr.

February

Leo Amore
John Brooks
Thomas Mitchell
Anthony Odorisio
Thomas Twardowski

COUNCIL INFORMATION UPDATES:**WEBPAGE****Brothers**

Please contact Brother Tom Everly [everly_t@msn.com] with new items and articles for the Council website.

Council Membership and Degree Roster, Knight’s Page Updates:

Brothers please remember to continue updating all your Council Membership and Degree Rosters with Brother Ed Linder at marshall19460@yahoo.com. New Council 13800 Membership and Degree Rosters have been circulated on December 13, 2009 to the Council Brothers. Brothers are cautioned to the necessity to safe guard the information contained in these and any other Council materials. All old rosters are to be destroyed by shredding, burning, and etc.

“The Knight’s Page” Council 13800 Newsletter

“The Knight’s Page” is published each month after the Council’s meeting. Any articles, items, and/or materials you desire included in the Council 13800 “Knight’s Page” should be sent to Brother Ed Linder, editor.

Annual Christmas Party and Dinner Dance

The Annual Council 13800 Christmas Party and Dinner Dance ran into some unlucky weather that caused a rescheduling of the event. Nevertheless, it turned out to be an enjoyable event. Many of the Brothers and their better halves (wives) were available to trip the light fantastic and enjoying a night of fellowship sharing, eating good food, and dancing. A “Well Done” to the planning committee.

Council Annual Golf Outing

The next Council 13800 Annual Golf Outing is scheduled for 5/21/10 with an arrival time of 12 noon. Mark your calendar now and watch the Knight’s Page, website, and e-mail for more information from Brother Steve Giacomucci.

Council Meeting Dates

The council meets every 3rd Wednesday of the month. Officers will meet at 6:30 p.m. and the whole council will meet at 7 p.m. in the St. Basil’s Rectory basement. **THE NEXT COUNCIL MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17th.** Keep active and up-to-date with council decision making by attending meetings when possible.

February 17	May 19	August 17	November 17
March 17	June 16	September 15	December 15
April 21	July 21	October 20	

Knights of Columbus Bowling Tournament

The annual Knights of Columbus bowling tournament will be held in March and April 2010 at College Park Maryland. Plans are under way to get bowlers from Council 1374 Phoenixville and Council 13800 St. Basil, Kimberton to participate the weekend of April 17th and 18th, 2010. The tournament cost is \$65.00 per bowler. This includes Singles, Doubles, and Team events. The tournament is open to non K of C members.

Teams will be allowed up to two (2) non K of C members per team. Tournament entries close March 1, 2010. **Our application [Council 13800] deadline is February 15, 2010.** Contact Brother Tom Everly for more information.

For The Good Of The Order**Please Remember In Your Prayers**

- Rev. Fr. Robert McLaughlin
- Brother Caonabo Almonte
- Brother Dominic Aquilante
- Brother Paul Jaworski
- Brother Andrew Viscuso
- Brothers of Council 13800 intentions

Closing Thoughts To Ponder Until Next Issue:

BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR!

THE FUTURE

*“The Future is not a place to go
but something we bring about
by our own ACTION in the PRESENT.*

Patricia Cross - 1989

*“The best way to predict the future
is to create it”*

Peter Drucker

WISHING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY THE BEST AS EVER.

From The Editor’s Desk:

All items and pieces to be included in an issue of the “*Knight’s Page*” should be signed and sent to me. Items may be edited.

**S.K. Dr. Edward Linder
Chancellor
The Knight’s Page, Editor**