



The Knight Lite

Knights of Columbus

St. John the Evangelist

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Council #8342

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

TO OUR BROTHERS WHO CELEBRATE THEIR BIRTHDAY DURING APRIL

Derek Andry (27) Ralph Foret (16) Keith Mayeaux (16) James Zimmerle (4)
Harold Braud (23) David Gaffney (6) Dr. Jeffery J. Melancon (2)
Robert Dennie (30) Timothy Goatley (9) Alfred Saurage (4)
Tracy Ducote (3) David Guedry (11) James Shoriak (21)
Anthony Edel (14) Rev. Eric Gyan (19) John Stassi (21)
Roswell Erwin (20) Wayne Henderson (2) Gary Wilson (3)

And for newly brother Knights who's` birthdays are in April.

Thanks to their parents for being PRO-LIFE; by their love for each other and by the grace of God, these good Catholic gentlemen were born. We join in celebrating their lives.

Family Director's February's Presentation



February's Family of the Month: Lannie and Jean Achord.

February's Knight of the Month: David Broussard.

Grand Knight's Column

The year is really flying by it seems like yesterday that we were getting ready for a new year for nominating people to serve as new officers in St. Johns Knights of Columbus. The requirements are that you be a Third Degree member for a year and in good standings. If you would like to serve as an officer this up coming year please get in touch with me our one of the other officers, and will we get you started in the nominating procedures.

I am pleased to report that we had Mrs. Cann and Mrs. Dukes from Community Opportunities of East Ascension were at our last meeting and honored them with the proceeds from our Tootsie Roll Drive. They shared with us some of what they do on a daily basis for people in Ascension Parish. I must say they do wonders for our community.

Father Eric was present at the meeting and gave us information on the vocation fund that we were very interested in about how it works and what kind of events would this fund provide. It was very open and interesting, and very informative.

I read a letter from Ashley Bourgeois; she had received a special thanks to the Knights from the family who lost all they had from the house fire. The lady said that their was so much support by the community that they had received everything they needed and to please give the money to help others in need in the community. We voted to let the church use the money to help families in our church community as per the families' request. I am proud of each and every Knight which made all this possible you truly show what our order is all about Charity.

Festival De La Prairie is coming up soon and Tim and Ron will be chairing the beer booth, and I will be chairing the money wheel so we will be calling on you to lend a few hours of your time for ST. John.

Let us say prays for and all Brother Knights, their families, and friends who are ill and home bound. I can always be reach if you need me at 622-4152 or at truemker@eatel.net.

Vivat Jesus!

Tommy Ruemker

LOOKING FORWARD

March

27th- First Degree @ St.Theresa, Arrival @ 6:30 pm, Degree @ 7pm.

APRIL

2nd-Charity Calendar drawing @ 6pm followed by officers meeting @ 7 pm.

2nd- Columbian Squires @ 7 pm.

9th – Regular monthly meeting of Council @7 pm- dinner @ 6:30 pm.

24th- First Degree @ St.Amant, Arrival @ 6:30 pm, Degree @ 7pm.

25,26,27th- Festival De La Prairie

MAY

7th- Charity Calendar drawing @ 6pm No Officers meeting !!!!!

7th- Columbian Squires @ 7 pm in the educational building

7th – Regular monthly meeting of Council @7 pm- dinner @ 6:30 pm.

22th- First Degree @ St.Marks, Arrival @ 6:30 pm, Degree @ 7pm.



Columbian Squires Update

Our next meeting will be at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, April 2th. in the Community Center.

Esto Dignos, Be Worthy

Mark Bradley, Chief Counselor



Membership is the lifeblood of our Order; so, if you know someone who is interested in joining our Council, explain the workings of the Order, give him a Form 100 and help him complete it. Our Membership Director, Brother Robert Templet, Sr., is available to help if you need information. His phone number is 673-2528.

Shirt and Buckles

The shirts are in!!! small thru x-large are \$15.00, and xx-large and xxx-large are \$16.00. Brother Merle has the list of men that ordered shirts so bring your money at the next meeting on March 14th. Mark we also have the Squires shirts in also. The belt buckles will be on sale all year and are bronze, and sport Louisiana Knights of Columbus. The price of the belt buckle is also \$15.00. Brother Don will be taking orders now call him at @ 673-3766 or at Kjindoni@eatel.net

INSURANCE AGENT'S REPORT



Necessity

Remember when a car was a luxury? People nowadays can't imagine life without one. A car has become a necessity. Life insurance is the same thing. Today, more than ever, insurance protection is becoming a necessity rather than a luxury. Insurance can be used as a retirement fund or as a source of income for your family when you are no longer with them. Why is it smart to have life insurance? Because, frankly you can't afford to live without it. Call me today for an appointment.

Would you (or someone you know) like to make an extra \$10-\$25 per hour part-time setting insurance appointments by telephone with K of C members? Call me, K of C agent Tim Fernandez, for more details.

Tim Fernandez

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