



# The Knight Lite

Knights of Columbus

St. John the Evangelist  
Council #8342  
[kc8342.org](http://kc8342.org)

August, 2007

## COUNCIL OFFICERS

Chaplain: Father Eric Gyan  
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Recruitment Comm.: Paul Duplessis  
Recruitment Comm.: Robert Templet Sr.  
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## **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

### **TO OUR BROTHERS WHO CELEBRATE THEIR BIRTHDAY DURING AUGUST**

**Whitney Amedee (29)**

**Ted Babin (12)**

**Joseph Bender (10)**

**Paul Cashio (9)**

**Raymond Cockerham (11)**

**Warren Croom (20)**

**Scott Dantonio (31)**

**Troy Dempster (5)**

**Vernon Ducote (31)**

**Otis Galland Sr. (5)**

**Mark Gyan (30)**

**Gerald Hitzman (15)**

**James Morrissey (29)**

**Nelson Nunez (1)**

**Ashley Rabalais (26)**

**Johnnie Tarver (15)**

**Blake Vincik (10)**

**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 July Presentation



**June Family of the Month: Cynthia and Robert Templet Sr.**

**June Knight of the Month: Paul Duplessis & Tommy Foil**

### Grand Knight's Column

Just like one of my favorite old songs we've only just begun, and WOW!!! What a beginning. We have a lot of activities coming up in the next few months. I can surely tell you with the up coming activities we can make a difference in our brothers, and community lives all for the greater glory of God. I encourage each one of you to please give a little of your time when the chairmen call upon you, and share your talents with them, and have good time with your brother knights at the same time.

We are looking into having activities for the knights, and our families. We do have so many activities for our brothers, and community in need which we enjoy serving that we sometimes do not take time out to get together for some enjoyment of our own for a Job well done. I hope you will come to our meetings so we can get some good ideas on what you, and your brother knight would like to do.

If you need me for anything, you can call me at 622-4152 or email me at [truemker@eatel.net](mailto:truemker@eatel.net)

*Vivat Jesus!*

*Tommy Ruemker*

## **LOOKING FORWARD**

### JULY

- 22<sup>nd</sup> – KCLS @ Dutchtown High School
- 25<sup>th</sup> - 1<sup>st</sup>. Degree St. Theresa council Candidates Report @ 6:30 pm Ceremony @ 7 pm
- 25<sup>th</sup> - Fire Fighter's Banquet @ ST. Amant Council @ 6:15 pm
- 28<sup>th</sup> - Texas Holdem Tournament at council 970 Plaquemine, La.

### AUGUST

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Charity Calendar drawing @ 6 pm followed by Meeting of Officers and Directors @ 7 pm
- 1<sup>st</sup> – Columbian Squires Meeting @ 7 pm
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Area E Horseshoe Tournament 8:00 am. Registration Tourney starts @ 9:00 am at St. John's.
- 5<sup>th</sup> – Altar Servers Appreciation Day
- 9<sup>th</sup> – Regular Monthly Meeting of Council @ 7 pm – Eat @ 6:30 pm
- 18<sup>th</sup> – St. John K.C. COUNCIL cooking for Father Eric and Seminarians
- 20<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree @ Council 4030 Baton Rouge
- 26<sup>th</sup> – Council Fundraiser after 9:30 and 11:30 am Masses
- 27<sup>th</sup> – District Meeting @ St. John's Community Center 6:30 pm.

### SEPTEMBER

5<sup>th</sup> – Charity Calendar drawing @ 6 pm followed by Meeting of Officers and Directors @ 7 pm  
13<sup>th</sup> - Regular Monthly Meeting of Council @ 7 pm- Eat @ 6:30 pm  
16<sup>th</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification @ Monsignor George Mollo Assembly #0325, Crowley, La.



## Columbian Squires Update

Our next meeting will be at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>. in the Community Center.

Esto Dignus, Be Worthy  
*Edward Touchet, 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

**We are now taking orders for Knights Of Columbus Shirts and Belt Buckles. The colors for the shirts will be blue, and white. The belt buckles are bronze, and sport Louisiana Knights Of Columbus. The price of the shirts is \$15.00, and 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](mailto:Kjindoni@eatel.net)**



INSURANCE AGENT'S REPORT

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*Dennis Burke, FIC, Field Agent*