



KNIGHT'S COUNCIL 11187

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Upcoming Events

May 2000

- 6 9:00 AM First Saturday Mass
- 10:00 AM Officers' Meeting
- 8 8:00 PM Business Meeting
- 14 Mother's Day
- 15 8:00 PM First Degree
- 22 8:00 PM Social Meeting
- 23 2:00 PM—8:00 PM Bloodmobile
- 29 Memorial Day

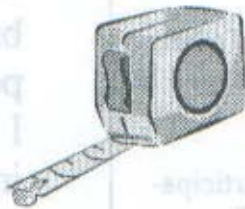
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Dear Brother Knights...

By Fran Vendetta, Grand Knight

Brother Fran is on vacation in Disney World, so this space contains some information that our Grand Knight would like to pass on to you.



The **Measure Up Campaign** was originally scheduled for April 29 and 30. At the April 10th Business Meeting, the Council decided to **move the Campaign to May 5th and 6th**, in order to avoid some conflicting events.



Thirty-seven Knights have not yet paid their dues for the current year. If **you** have not yet paid your dues, please pay as soon as possible. The Council must pay Supreme for you whether you pay or not, as long as

you keep an active membership.

Three Council members became 4th Degree Sir Knights at the Exemplification in Dayton on April 9th. Congratulations to Bud Joos, Bo Glavin, and Joe Drignat on reaching the highest level attainable in the Knights of Columbus.



Please contact Brother Len Fatica to purchase the last remaining Clippers' Tickets. The Council will have to pay for the tickets whether they sell or not.

Brother Bo Glavin reported at the April



10th meeting that the Fish Dinners were a big success. We served 890 people, and realized just un-



der \$2000 in profit (about \$200 more than last year). The Council warmly thanks Co-Chairmen Bo and John Pizzuto for their leadership in running this event. Extra thanks go to Bo for the new desserts he arranged.

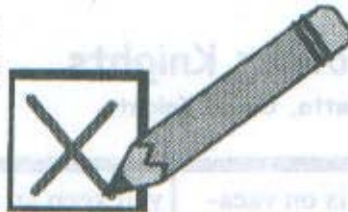


We will be holding elections at the June 12th Business Meeting. This is **your** Council, and you should help to determine the Council's future by voting. This is a call for all Knights to go to the meeting and

VOTE!

Year 2000-2001 Officer Nominations

The nominating committee has been looking for candidates to run for Council office positions. The following list shows the list of nominations currently on the table.



If you would like to run, please call someone on the nominating committee to put your name in for consideration:

- Joe Rossi (614)837-0084
- Bud Joos (614)837-7211
- Mike Welling (614)751-1303

The only requirement is you have to be a 3rd Degree Knight. To help you decide which office you would like to run for, please see page 4 for a listing of the offices and their duties.

It's not too late to put your name in — we need to have full participation from the entire council, and serving as an officer is part of your duty as a Knight of Columbus.

- Grand Knight Joe Rossi
- Deputy Grand Knight Bud Joos
- Chancellor Bo Glavin
- Recorder Mike Croyle
- Treasurer Mike Welling
- Advocate Dick Peterson
- Warden Joe Drignat
- Inside Guard John Samborski
Bob Ketchum
- Outside Guard John Siebert

Knight Light: Birthdays



The May Knights' birthdays will not appear in this newsletter. I got a new computer in April, and I think in the process of configuring the new system and copying everything from the old system, I lost Bud Joos' E-mail containing the information.

I am unable to get the information from Bud again because he is in the hospital recovering from surgery. Please send your prayers and good intentions to Bud for a speedy recovery.

Joe Drignat

Chancellor's Challenge

THE NUMBER SEVEN

What do you think of when you hear the number seven?

Maybe you think of a crap table and if a number SEVEN is rolled on a crap table,



there will be cheers and moans, winners and losers. Or maybe you are playing a slot machine that rings up an entire row of sevens and you get a big payoff. Or better still the entire row of sevens are the same color and you hit the big jackpot! Or maybe you are bidding a bridge hand. If you bid SEVEN and take all the tricks you made a Grand Slam.

The number SEVEN in the movies reminds me of the hit movie 'The Magnificent Seven' where the good guys got the best of the bad guys.

On the spiritual side there are SEVEN Corporal Works of Mercy for us to remember to physically help our fellow man. They are: to feed the hungry, to give drink to the

thirsty, to clothe the naked, to visit the imprisoned, to shelter the homeless, to visit the sick and to bury the dead.

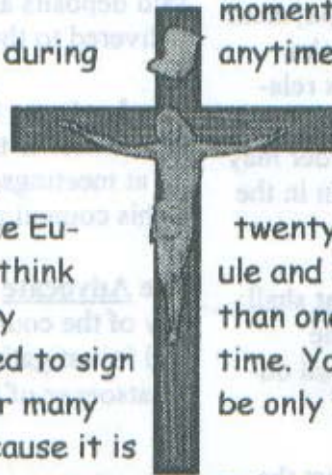
But the devil has on his side the SEVEN Deadly Sins to make us destroy those works of mercy. They are Pride, Envy, Anger, Gluttony, Lust, Sloth, and Avarice. Stay away from those devil SEVENS.

I also noticed that during my visit to Blessed Sacrament yesterday that there are SEVEN chairs in the Eucharistic Chapel. I think that there are many Knights who declined to sign up for adoration for many reasons, maybe because it is a commitment for a certain time of day and day of the week. Or maybe they didn't sign up because of a deep dislike of regimentation. Maybe some fear that they will fail to keep the commitment and if they have to give up later they will be embarrassed.

For whatever reason some Knights have not committed.

Let me explain to all that this is not a closed group. You are allowed to visit Jesus even if you did not sign up.

For those that did not sign up, the next time you hear or see the words Perpetual Adoration I challenge you to make a visit soon. Use one of those SEVEN chairs in that quiet setting for just a moment. And this can be anytime, day or night. Remember that Jesus is waiting to see you on His twenty-four hour schedule and He allows more than one appointment at a time. Your commitment will be only to Him.



Take a chance and roll the dice! You will always be a winner because there are no losers at His table. And the odds are better than any game. I'll bet that if you make one visit you won't stop at one.

Your Chancellor,
Bud Joos

Duties of the Elected Officers

I am printing the duties for each office so those who are interested will know what the offices are about. There will be no elections for the Board of Trustees because Hector Raymond and George Williams will remain on the board and the Past Grand Knight will be the Three Year Trustee.

DUTIES OF THE ELECTED OFFICERS

The **Grand Knight** shall: Preside over meetings; appoint committees, countersign orders drawn by the financial secretary for payment of money; countersign checks; read vouchers; read notices relative to the Fourth Degree; and perform other duties as the Order may impose; and act as Chaplain in the Chaplain's absence.

The **Deputy Grand Knight** shall: Preside in the absence of the Grand Knight and execute all duties of said Grand Knight.

The **Chancellor** shall: Assist the Grand Knight and the Deputy Grand Knight in the performance of their duties; is charged with the total participation of the membership in the activities of the council; shall exercise a special interest in new members and those members that are sick or in distress; and perform other duties as the Grand Knight directs.

The **Recorder** shall: Keep a true and accurate record of the doings of his council upon books ap-

proved by the Board of Directors and furnished by the Supreme Secretary at the expense of the council; conduct all correspondence of the council and perform all duties as the council may direct.

The **Treasurer** shall: Be the custodian of the funds; receive all monies from the Financial Secretary and give a written receipt for same, specifying the funds to which the same shall be credited; monies received shall be deposited by said Treasurer to the credit of the Council and obtain vouchers of said deposits and those vouchers delivered to the Grand Knight.

The **Lecturer** shall: Endeavor to devise means to entertain his council at meetings and perform duties as his council may direct.

The **Advocate** shall: Be the attorney of the council in case of a trial and investigation of any matter whatsoever of interest of the council.

The **Warden** shall: Be present at all meetings and the opening of the same. He shall have charge of the council property and keep same in proper condition for meetings (except monies and account books); he shall instruct his guards in their duties.

The **Guards** shall: The **Inside Guard** shall attend the entrance to the council chamber, through the inner door; the **Outside Guard** through the entrance through the

outer door; and each shall perform other duties as may be imposed by the council.

The **Board of Trustees** shall: Consist of the Grand Knight and three members to be elected by the council. The Grand Knight shall be the chairman. At the first election of a new council there will be one to hold office for one year, one for two years, and one for three years. Thereafter there will be one three year trustee to be elected. The Trustees shall have supervision of all the financial business of the council; shall audit all the accounts of the Financial Secretary and treasurer, and in January and July report thereon to their council, State Deputy, District Deputy and Supreme Council. They shall perform such other duties as their council or the District Deputy or the officers of the Order may direct. In our case the Two Year Trustee will become the **One Year Trustee**; the Three Year Trustee will become the **Two Year Trustee**, and the Past Grand Knight will become the **Three year Trustee** for the Year 2000-2001. Therefore there will be no elections for the Trustee positions this year.

Bud Joos



It's your council — cast your vote
so your voice is heard

Around The Council

Upcoming Events

Brother Joe Rossi would like to inform the Council of two upcoming events that all Brother Knights should attend if possible:



Saturday, May 27 — Confirmation at 5:00 PM Mass.

Monday, May 29 — 6:30 PM Mass and Celebration of the 25th Anniversary of Monsignor Steve's Ordination.

Fourth Degree Knights will appear in full regalia. All other Knights should wear their Council shirts if possible.

Grand Knight Fran Vendetta and Charlie Giametta (and their wives) will attend the State Knights of Columbus Convention May 27th and 28th.



Dave Shaver will be the new Financial Secretary when Fred Barwick's term runs out.

Financial Secretary is an appointed, 3 year position.

As of the last business meeting there were still 45 Clippers Tickets available. Please contact brother Len Fatica to purchase yours — they are \$2 each. If we don't sell them, it will cost the Council \$90.

June 6th is Knights of Columbus Night at Clippers Stadium. This would be the perfect game for you to use your Clippers Tickets!



Brother Len Fatica told the Council that there are 4 people working on an Internet Web

site for Seton Parish. Monsignor Steve asked the Knights to help out by purchasing a digital camera. A motion was made and passed to spend \$600 for the camera — it will be voted on at the next business meeting.

Brother Bob Wolf reports that our Council supplied 32 rosaries for the RCIA. We will also supply another 70 for the Confirmation on May 27th.



Knights of Columbus Council 11187 Shirts

If you have been **admiring** the nifty blue shirts worn by many members of the council, then you almost **certainly** would like to order one (**or more**) for your very own. However, you have been **wandering around**, searching frantically for the store that sells them with no luck, **Look no further!** Fill in the **enclosed order form**, drop it in Past Grand Knight Charlie Giametta's Church Mailbox (with a check), and your shirt(s) will magically appear (OK, you can pick them up at a meeting).

NAME (PLEASE PRINT): _____

QUANTITY: _____ **X \$28 = \$** _____

SHIRT SIZE: _____

Around The Council

The dates for the Measure Up Campaign have been changed to:

Friday, May 5th and
Saturday, May 6th

The Campaign is our largest single fundraiser of the year — last year we raised almost \$4,000

80% of this was distributed by our Council to Organizations in Fairfield County

Measure Up Campaign Committee Measures will be calling over the next week for your help

Please help make this campaign another success and volunteer your time

Thank You,

Alex Pokora

Measure Up

