



KNIGHT LINES



Knights of Columbus
St. Francis Council #11673

834 South Orange Blossom Trail
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Knights of Columbus
St. Francis Assembly #2951

May 2009

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GRAND KNIGHT REPORT

Dear Brother Knights,

Our annual Easter egg hunt was a big success this year. We had over 200 children attending. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped out.

On May 10 we will be having a Mother's Day Breakfast in the Parish Center 7:30 AM-12:00 PM. We are looking for a few cooks. If you can help out please show up at 7:00 AM. to start with the prep work.

Our annually blood drive will also be held on May 10. The Big Red Bus will be parked in front of the chapel from 8 AM-12:30 PM.

Our Knights Mass this May will be held on May 31 at the 10:30 Mass with our Honor Guard and

families. Please try to attend this mass. We will be reserving 4 pews for the knights and there families. We will be also cooking hot dogs and Hamburgers for the Disabilities Committee that afternoon for their Red, White and Blue Spectacular at 2:00 PM.

The 4th degree are having there annual ball on May 9 at Erroll Estates. If you are interested in attending this black tie event, please call John Mc Keon at 407-880-0570. This will be a fun full event.

Our next social will be held on May 21 we will be having a Ukrainian Deacon. It will be held in the Parish Center at 7:30 PM.

God Bless,
Rich Burkhart GK



Vocations are everyone's business.
Please pray for vocations.



CHAPLAIN'S COLUMN

Silently, we glided into the Church single file with our hands folded in deepest reverence. The air still carried the remnants of "Old Man Winter": however, the sun boldly announced the arrival of spring. Dressed in our Sunday best, we slipped effortlessly into our pews and knelt immediately in prayer. My eyes were drawn to the center of the Church to the image that stood high atop a flower-covered pedestal. In moments, the lady dressed in blue with her hands folded in prayer would be receiving a crown placed on her head by two of my classmates.

Sister Ronald had already chosen a boy and a girl, who in the previous months had exhibited exemplary behavior and spiritual fortitude. I was still searching my memory bank to find the incident or experience that took me out of the running. Unfortunately, at least two or three "situations" came to mind that certainly disqualified me for the honored position. Besides that, I was also very shy, and therefore, grateful that another boy, other than me, was selected.

Suddenly, my mind was redirected by the notes dancing out of the mammoth organ for the familiar hymn, "Immaculate Mary." The crown sparkled as it was

placed delicately on the head of the Virgin. Complete awe filled the church as Mary was recognized as Queen of Heaven. An inner voice whispered to me, "Maybe, some day, you will receive a crown, just like Mary." Immediately, however, other voices of doubt flooded in sweeping me into the low valleys of reality.

Years later, as I was entering the Seminary Chapel at St. Mary's in Baltimore, I glanced upon the image of Mary, *Sedes Sapientiae*, the "Seat of Wisdom," welcoming all to prayer. I suddenly realized that the Mother of Jesus showed us how God sees each and every one of us: as royalty! She was not an earthly queen, but a spiritual and faith-filled leader. So, too are we in God's eyes!

In baptism, we are anointed on the crown of the head as priests, prophets and kings. In St. Paul's Letter to the Timothy, he writes "Henceforth, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that Day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing" (2 Tim. 4:8).

My brothers, during this month of May, we have the opportunity to celebrate the crowning of Mary, and the recognition God gives us as His most important creation. Jesus willingly gave of His life, dying on the cross to save us from sin and death! See what love the Father has bestowed upon us (I John)! Through the intercession of Our Lady Queen of Knights, many blessings to you and your family in this month of May 2009!

Fr. Tim

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Do you have anything you would like see in the newsletter?

Articles are due by the 15th of each month.

NEWSLETTER SPONSORS

Anniversaries Birthdays Celebrations



Anniversaries in May:

Richard Brown – 5 years
Martin Decarlo – 10 years
Andrew Hough – 5 years
Eric Marshall – 10 years

Birthdays in May:

Stephen Acerra PGK	Michael Harkins
William Brockman	John Larson
Thomas Dirks	Walter Martynowski
Gerald Green	Jose Novoa

Wallace & Nicolina Adams	07/09	Steven R & Becki Lewis	11/09
Richard & Patricia Brown	07/09	Steven R Lewis Jr.	11/09
Richard & Renie Burkhart	07/09	Robert & Paula Pitino	11/09
Louis Damiano	07/09	Alfred & Magdalena Tabron	11/09
Marty Decarlo	07/09	David Dunson	02/10
Gerald & Karen Green	07/09	Ricardo Miro	02/10
Carrol Hamrick	07/09	Salvatore Marrocco	03/10
Paul R & Joan Holmes	07/09	Tom (rip) & Joan Murray	03/10
Andrew & Kimberly Hough	07/09	Neil(rip) & Sue Trotta	03/10
Joe Kelsey	07/09	John (rip) and Irene Collins	04/10
Hill Kulik	07/09	Jonas & Amalia Hemenez	04/10
Salvatore Marrocco	07/09	John P Tomlinson	07/10
Robert Powers	07/09	Mary & Jim Walsh	07/10
Patric St Germain	07/09	Robert & June Lintz	11/10
Joseph Tessitore	07/09	Artie & Evelyn Vecchio	11/10
Thomas & Erika Testa	07/09	Nancy & Bill Brockman	12/10
Tony Unetich	07/09	Raymond & Helene Marcus	07/11
Anthony D & Janet Aquisto	11/09	John & Hanna McKeon	04/12
Galo & Ann Chabla	11/09	Mauri & Ginny Loso	05/12

Annual Easter Egg Hunt Sponsored by the Knights



Knights and friends “prepare” for the hunt.



“And they’re off!”



The toddlers “take off” with parents.



Eggs are found everywhere.



The toddlers find their share of “prizes” too!



Other fun and games at the “Hunt”

Photos by P. Boehnlein and J. McKeon



Insurance Agents Corner

PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS

Whole life insurance calls for premiums to be paid for your entire life, or to age 100. You may want to consider a permanent life insurance product – one with guaranteed cash values – that offers a limited period of premium payments. The Knights of Columbus offers three permanent life insurance products for which premiums do not have to be paid for all of life.

“**Twenty Pay Life**” is exactly as the name suggests – a permanent plan with premiums payable for only 20 years. After the premiums are paid for the 20 years, the plan is “paid up” and no more premiums are due. Unlike its term counterpart, however, the plan stays in force, the death benefit remains intact and the guaranteed cash value continues to grow.

Another such plan is our “**Life Paid Up at 65.**” You buy this permanent product and you only pay premiums to age 65. Then, premiums stop (just in time for retirement), but the plan

remains very much in force.

Finally, the ultimate in limited pay is our **Single Premium Life** product. Imagine buying life insurance – permanent life insurance – and only paying one single premium? It’s possible.

Along with the described Whole Life we also offer **10, 15 and 20 year term plans** with some of the best rates on the market today.

Our product line also contains one of the best kept secrets of the Knights of Columbus. The Knights **Annuity** plan!!! We have a rate of **3.50%** for deposits under \$10,000.00 with a **.25% bonus** for deposits over \$10,000.00

Rounding out our protection offered for Brother Knights and their family is the **Long Term Care** asset protection plan.

I have detailed information on all of these products. At your convenience, I’ll meet with you and your spouse to perform a free, custom-tailored needs analysis, to help determine which of our many life insurance products is right for you and your family.

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Council Business Meeting: Thursday May 7, 7:30 pm
Assembly Business Meeting; Thursday May 21, 6:30pm
Social Meeting: Thursday May 21, 7:30 pm



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| Thursday May 7 @ 6:30 p.m. | - 1 st Degree exemplification. Candidates be there at 6:00 pm (PC) |
| Thursday May 7 @ 7:30 p.m. | - Business Meeting (PC) |
| Saturday May 9 | - Captains Ball |
| Sunday May 10 (after masses) | - Blood Mobile and Mother's Day Breakfast (PC) |
| Saturday May 16 | - Council 2112 3 rd Degree exemplification |
| Monday May 18 @ 7:00 p.m. | - Officers Meeting (YC) |
| Thursday May 21 @ 6:30 p.m. | - Fourth Degree Meeting (ED) |
| Thursday May 21 @ 7:30 p.m. | - Social (PC) Guest speaker: Ukrainian Deacon |
| Friday May 22 – Sunday May 24 | - Knights of Columbus State Convention @ Sea World Renaissance Center |
| Sunday May 31 @ 10:30 a.m. | - Knights Family Mass |
| Thursday June 4 @ 7:30 p.m. | - Business Meeting (PC) |
| Saturday June 6 @ 7:30 a.m. | - Road Clean-up (Front of parish office) |
| Thursday June 18 @ 6:30 p.m. | - Fourth Degree Meeting (ED) |
| Thursday June 18 @ 6:30 p.m. | - Officer Installation (PC) |
| Monday June 22 @ 7:00 p.m. | - Officers Meeting (YC) |

(PC) – Parish Center (YC) – Youth Building (CH) – Church (ED) – Education Building