



Battlefield Bulletin

Knights of Columbus Council 10246

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Grand Knight's Column

Brothers,

Is it just me, or is this fraternal year just flying by? I can't believe that I was just discussing Christmas and New Year's activities with a St. Patrick School PTO representative! Maybe the time is passing quickly because we're so busy doing good things in our church and community.

I must thank everyone who helped out at our Recruitment Weekend. I can't stop thinking about how exciting it was to see so many Brother Knights stopping to help pass out information and talk to potential Knights after the Masses. I am grateful to the many Brothers who answered the request for help, and who generously shared their experiences as Knights with others. Every time I looked over at our information table, there were numerous Knights busy talking to the men of our parish. It was a "family affair" too, as the Ladies Auxiliary joined us under the tent to tell other ladies about their works too. Our recruitment efforts were very successful and I suspect we'll see a number of new Knights at upcoming First Degrees.

Speaking of which, we have a First Degree Exemplification scheduled for October 11. Now is the time to make a push to your friend who has been waffling on joining the Knights. And please, show your support and solidarity with the new Knights by coming to the Degree that evening. Show them that you meant what you said when you were recruiting. I promise we'll keep the business portion of the meeting short.

Our Corporate Communion is scheduled for after the 9:00AM Mass on October 16. That's another great opportunity to show our presence to the parish. This will also be a great opportunity for new Knights and their families to meet other Council families. Please make plans to attend that Mass with your family, and then join us for breakfast afterwards. Details are elsewhere in this Bulletin.

Fraternally,
David

David Turley
Grand Knight



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Battlefield Council Calendar 2011-2012

October 2011

1-2	All Masses	Gift Card Sales— please volunteer to help
4	7:30 pm	Leadership Meeting
11	7:10 pm	Rosary; Council Meeting at 7:30 pm FIRST DEGREE
15	7 – 10 am	Prep for Breakfast
16	6 – 11 am	Corporate Communion (9 am Mass) and Breakfast (after 9:00 AM Mass)
25	7:10 pm	Rosary; Council Meeting at 7:30 pm

November 2011

1	7:30 pm	Leadership Meeting
8	7:10 pm	Rosary; Council Meeting at 7:30 pm
12-13	All Masses	Gift Card Sales— please volunteer to help
22	7:00 – 10:00 pm	Memorial Mass; Reception in Hall to follow.
27	7:00 am - 2:00 pm	Blood Drive

December

6-Dec	7:00 – 9:00 pm	Leadership Meeting
10-Dec	9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Children's Christmas Party Help and setup at 9 am, Party begins at Noon
13-Dec	7:10 – 7:30 pm	Rosary; Council Meeting at 7:30 pm
17-Dec	9:00 am - 11:00 pm	Prep / Council Christmas Party
27-Dec	7:10 – 7:30 pm	Rosary; Council Meeting at 7:30 pm
31-Dec - 1 Jan	All Masses	Gift Card Sales— please volunteer to help

Council Officers

Grand Knight	David Turley SK	548-3965
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Odds and Ends

Annual Golf Tournament

Our golf tournament on September 26 was a great success. All enjoyed great weather, golf, great Outback food and a good time.

Congratulations to our Winners

First: Mark Sholtis, Mike Hill, Chester Guyck and Mr. Kekser

Second: Pat Saviola, Jim Walsh, Wayne Cook and Dave Lloyd

Closest to line: Pete Rainey

Closest to Pin: Don Longley

See photos of the event on the Photo Gallery (page 8).

Membership Roster

Our membership roster has been updated. Anyone desiring a copy should contact our Financial Secretary, Pat Rowland at

rowlands-roost@comcast.net or call 972-1433.

Council Turn For Gift Card Sales

The dates are: November 12–13, 2011

Please contact DGK Dave Case if you will or will not be able to assist.

972-6807 dave4542@hotmail.com

GIFT CARD COORDINATOR NEEDED

We need a replacement for Brother Ken Sanders, who can no longer perform this service. It's not hard, Brothers!

Let's get with it! Help out!!!!

Call DGK Dave Case

Retention

Larry Pratt, 540-972-8129, LAPratt@aol.com

Calling Second Degree Knights! Third Degree Opportunity October 15, Chantilly

ATTENTION– All First and Second Degree Knights-Advance in Your Degree!!!

Upcoming Degree Ceremonies

Second Degree October 29, Fredericksburg Council
December 3, Fredericksburg Council

Third Degree October 15, Chantilly

Fourth Degree, October 29, Falls Church

Interested candidates for any of these Degrees should contact:

Larry Pratt 540-972-8129 , LAPratt@aol.com or
Dave Case 540-972-6807, dave4542@hotmail.com.

Corporate Communion

Join the Council at our semi-annual Corporate Communion Mass and Breakfast.

9:00 AM Mass, Sunday, October 16
Breakfast following Mass in
Parish Hall

COST:

\$5 one

\$10 two

\$15 family

Reservations Required

Email Dave Case dave4542@hotmail.com

Signup at October 11 meeting



Youth Activities,

Calling all Knights, we have a critical need for a **Chairman for the Children's Christmas Party**. This would be a great opportunity for a newer member to become involved with our youth.

If you can help, contact Frank Goonan for more info, 540-848-1999 frank.goonan@gmail.com

Chairmen are also needed for **Altar Server Events**, and the **Free Throw Championship** (starts in Jan 2012).

From our Membership Chair

Brother Knights our first membership drive was very successful and I would like to thank all the Knights who stopped by and assisted in the effort.

Your efforts resulted in 3 new applications for membership, 1 transfer, 1 reinstatement and 6 potential new members.

Please remember that the next 1st Degree is scheduled for 11 October.

Keep recruiting.

John Belrose, Membership Chairman

Need Work? Have Work? Help a Brother Knight

We are adding a Work Site to our Web Page. The site will have three pages:

- A "Jobs Wanted" page for those seeking employment of any kind, a great place to list those who do seasonal work between school terms.
- A "Help Wanted" page for anyone needing to hire someone for full, part-time and one-time jobs.
- A "Services" page where those in a business can list their service and contact information. This would also be a great place for us to list the name of a business that we have had good experiences with. Sharing this information would be a great reference point and maybe even give some business to a Brother Knight or family member.

To date, one listing for this site has been received. This seems like a great place for searching for help. Surely there are grass cutters, babysitters, you name it, who could use some money, right?

Please send all postings to bdwheatley@verizon.net in MS Word or JPEG format. Or contact the Project Manager, Jim Tetor, PGK, 540-786-3434, jtetor@comcast.net.

Go to
[http://
www.kofc10246.org
/html/
jobs_wanted.htm](http://www.kofc10246.org/html/jobs_wanted.htm)

New Web Page Features

Brother Knights and family members:

Look to our Website for pages we have launched pages that could:

- Hold valuable FREE advertising and information.
- Have space for those who may be seeking employment or looking for a person or company to hire.
- Put references about companies you use.

Use our website! Please do not hesitate to forward me any information you would like posted. Help promote your business. I am sure our Brothers would like to deal with Brother Knights when possible.

Please forward all information to BDWHEATLEY@VERIZON.NET.

Go to
[http://
www.kofc10246.org
/html/services.htm](http://www.kofc10246.org/html/services.htm)



Fr. McGivney Guild



Remember to pray for Fr. McGivney’s intercession for the following on our prayer list. For the Good of the Order—To ensure good coverage of those in need of our prayers, Brothers attending meetings are asked to enter names on the prayer sheet at the sign-in table. We will include these in the Book of Petitions in the Church lobby, and also in our monthly Battlefield Bulletin. Please include the following brothers and family members in your prayers. Cut out this list and tape it next to your daily prayer location.

PRAYER LIST

Fr. Patrick Issac both for his work & health
 Dick Lindenauer’s great grandson Oliver Clark
 Rosalie Stevens, daughter of DD Loui Stevens and Rosalia
 Diane Simkins, Michelle Smith’s sister
 Sean Raschke, son of State Membership Director Steve Raschke
 Pat Howard, wife of Past State Deputy Bill Howard
 Pauline Fortunato, wife of State Treasurer-Elect Tony Fortunato
 Mike Hoyle, grandson of Tom Eales
 Bill McCarthy, Past State Deputy and brother
 Ed Gryczynski
 Mary Provenzano, Joe Fortunato’s Mother -in-law
 Ken Sander’s father and Ken
 Marty Martinez
 Loui Stevens, District Deputy
 Robert Neary’s wife
 Chuck Stevens
 John Gorman
 Andrew Doan, Bob’s son
 Deacon Bill and Barbara Pivarnik
Bob Noble
John Gladis

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

For those who serve at home and out of country
 All police officers
 All firefighters and medics
 Rich Baffa deployed to Iraq
 Ryan Tibbatts in Afghanistan

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE DECEASED DAILY

Epecially

Hope Woolf, daughter of Bill and Lillie Woolf
 Dave Wujick's father in-law
 Jeannie Nobel, Daughter of Bob and Rita; husband Mark, and children Amy and Michael
 Jean Fisher, Dwight’s sister-in-law
 Dan Butler’s mother
 Zackary Cuddleback, Airman killed by terrorists
 Paul Skolaski
 Helen Berra, Dick Berra’s wife
 Lloyd Enfield
 Grace Ryan, Dennis Ryan’s wife
 Ted Lloyd
Mary Downham, mother-in-law of Deacon McClay

October Birthdays—Happy Birthday!

Robert Haydon	1	Greg Kalista	9	Edward Dominy	15	Denis Dionne	22
William Grant	3	Frank Farrell	10	William Falls	17	Stephen Egge	25
Richard Fisher	4	Peter Fertig	10	Daniel Scherder	17	Charles Hess	26
Andrew Kennedy	7	Karl Torline	11	Alfred Lee Bishop	18	George Waga	26
Jason Ehlert	7	Denis McCabe	14	Sean Cassidy	18	Eric Tibbatts	28
William Burke	9	Maurice Moylan	15	Carl Wohletz	21	John Vollman	30

Milestones

50 - Dennis Dionne; 65 - Carl Wohletz; 79 - Frank Farrell;

80 - Maurice Moylan; 81 - Robert Hadon



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Fourth Degree Exemplification



The Virginia District will host the first of its two annual Fourth Degree Exemplifications on Saturday, October 29, 2011 at the Fairview Park Marriott in Falls Church. The date and location of the second Exemplification will be announced later this Fraternal Year.

The Assembly currently has 5 candidates - 3 from Fredericksburg Council #4034 and 2 from Battlefield Council #10246. If you know of any eligible Third Degree Knight who is interested in making his Fourth Degree this Fall, please have him fill out a Form 4 (7/07 version only) and turn it in to Faithful Navigator Bob Jankovits or Faithful Comptroller Rich LaRoche ASAP. We need to vote on any new candidates by Friday, October 7th to ensure the paperwork is submitted to the Virginia Master on time.

In order to be eligible, a candidate must be a member of the Order at least six months prior to taking his Fourth Degree. That means he must have joined the order no later than April 29, 2011.

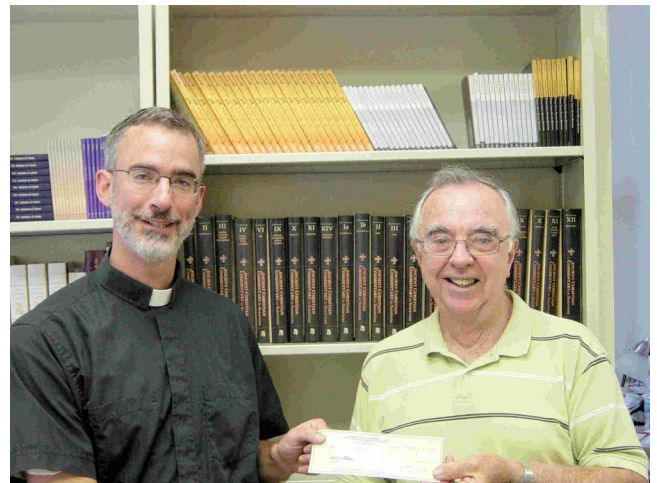
Information regarding the exemplification was sent to the membership via email on September 5th. If you haven't been to a Fourth Degree in the past two years, we encourage you to attend. Like all of the other degrees, there have been some significant changes made to the Fourth Degree ceremony.

If you and your wife would like to participate in the social events (i.e., ladies luncheon and banquet), please refer to the September 5th email and provide your meal selections and checks to Rich LaRoche ASAP. Email or call in your meal selections to Rich at stone48@verizon.net, 540-370-4541 (H), or 703-963-7726 (C).

Mail your checks to Rich at PO Box 9024, Fredericksburg, VA 22403-9024.

Council Supports Campus Ministry

Battlefield Council recently donated \$500 to the Catholic Campus Ministry at the University of Mary Washington after receiving a request from Battlefield Brother Knight Father Fred Edlefsen. Father asked us to help him purchase multiple copies of the book entitled "*Disorientation...How to go to College without Losing Your Mind.*" In a letter to the Council Father said that given the anti-Christian, anti-western agenda everywhere on college campuses, this book would help students know just what to say when arguing for the Truth. His goal is to give this book to every student who walks through the doors of the Catholic Campus Center at UMW.



The UMW Catholic Campus Ministry has been a favorite charity of the Battlefield Council for many years. In addition to giving money to the ministry, four of our members volunteer their time and talents to the ministry. They are Tony Spehar, Ross Lewis, Neil Buttimer and Pat Rowland.

Fr. Edlefsen is the full time chaplain at the Center which is located at 1614 College Avenue. If you have a few minutes to spare when visiting Fredericksburg, stop in to the center. It has a beautiful chapel and is always filled with college students. You will be amazed at the activities and programs they offer to our young Catholics.

Thanks to your support of our fireworks sales, we are able to support this ministry.



“AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA” ROSARY CRUSADE

THIS YEAR, WE ARE CELEBRATING THE 94th ANNIVERSARY OF THE VIRGIN MARY’S APPARITIONS TO LUCIA, JACINTHA AND FRANCESCO, IN FATIMA. THE VIRGIN MARY APPEARED TO THEM FOR THE FIRST TIME ON MAY 13TH 1917, THEN ON JUNE 13TH, JULY 13TH, AUGUST 19TH, SEPTEMBER 13TH AND THE LAST ONE ON OCTOBER 13TH.

WE ARE CONDUCTING A ROSARY CRUSADE IN HONOR OF BLESSED MARY APPEARING IN FATIMA

THE “AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA” ORGANIZATION’S GOAL THIS YEAR IS TO HAVE 7,500 SITES WHERE THE ROSARY WILL BE RECITED IN A PUBLIC AREA. THEY ARE REACHING THEIR GOAL.

WE WILL RECITE THE ROSARY IN THE LORIELLA PARK, LEVELLS RD FREDERICKSBURG, VA, **ON OCTOBER 15TH, 2011, AT 12:00 NOON**. AS YOU ENTER THE PARK, WE WILL BE NEXT TO THE TENNIS COURTS, ON THE LEFT OF THE ENTRANCE ROAD. (bring your chair)

I AM CLAIRE DIONNE, A CAPTAIN FOR THIS YEAR’S CAMPAIGN.

For more info, please call: The Fatima Rally Captain: Claire Dionne, 540-548-3503

Council Brother Writes Prayer Book

Brother Paul Lysher has written a small prayer book under the supervision of Fr. Stefan. Proceeds from the sales of the book will generate much needed financial assistance to help with medical expenses. The books will be available at the Council meetings and an envelope is included for a free-will donation.

Your assistance to Brother Paul shows that you live our Order’s principle of Fraternalism is most appreciated.



Photo Gallery

Membership Drive



Parish Fall Festival



Golf Tournament



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BATTLEFIELD LADIES AUXILIARY



Gift cards—Team 1 will not sell gift cards until November 12-13. Please mark your calendars.

Membership - For more information on becoming a member, please contact, Claire Dionne 548-3503 and Kathy Belrose.785-8250.

Bingo at the Nursing Home - Bingo at the Carriage Hill Nursing Home for the month will be on Monday, October 10, at 7:00 pm. **More hands are needed to assist with the bingo.** For more information, contact Mary Gladis, 891-7408.

Martha's Caring Hands - Aggie Mucciacciaro and Jane Tobin are in charge of this important Parish service. Martha's Caring Hands provides food and support for families after funerals. If you can support this worthy service, please give Aggie, 972-5611 or Jane, 972-6256 a call. To request a reception, the rectory must be contacted first.

Sunshine - If you know of anyone who needs a card, other than birthday, please give our Sunshine Lady, Bonnie Rowan, a call at 972-9936

Changes in Directory - For changes in telephone, address or email, please contact Aggie Mucciacciaro, 972-5611

October Birthdays—Happy Birthday this month to: Grace McEuen,10/5; Elizabeth Bruley,10/10; Elaine Pratt, 10/22; Hannah Spehar, 10/20; Aggie Mucciacciaro, 10/30; Peggy Dionne, 10/31

NEW MEMBERS: Welcome new members: Cindy Obermeyer, Karen Primeau, Cheri Sullivan, and welcome back Maria Auclair and Phyllis Pulice.

Signs advertising the Bazaar will be available at the October Meeting for distribution. Please consider distributing these signs at your neighborhood stores.

REMINDERS: NEXT MEETING: October 18
FATIMA ROSARY CRUSADE ON OCT.15, NOON, LORIELLA PARK,
LEAVELLS RD, FREDRICKSBURG (bring a chair)
SILENT AUCTION BASKETS AND LIQUOR BASKET DONATIONS

THE BAZAAR IS ONLY 6 WEEKS AWAY!

Bonnie Boelke



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WWW.HONORAMERICACORPS.ORG

KOVAR
WWW.KOVARVA.ORG



Charity—Unity—Fraternity—Patriotism

Meetings are usually held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month in the
Parish Hall at St. Patrick Church
9149 Elys Ford Rd., Chancellorsville, VA, promptly at 7:30PM.
Rosary will be said at 7:10PM.

Visit WWW.kofc10246.org for more info and pictures