



The Knight Reporter

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GRAND KNIGHT'S Message

Brother Knights:

First, congratulations to 2 new Knights, Andrew McLemore and Henry Deubler completed the 1st Degree on October 16th. Second, I want to welcome 5 Knights transferring to KC 4030 – Remy Boudreaux, Scott Flowers, Adam Harris, Donald Pourciau, and Tregg Wilson. Also, Connie Mire has been re-instated in our Council. I ask them all to become active as we work to meet Fr. McGivney's goals of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity!!!

KC Memorial Mass – On November 1st there will be a Memorial Mass at St. Patrick's Church, 12424 Brogdon Lane to remember Knights who died from 11/1/07 to 10/31/08. Two Knights from KC 4030 will be included in this special Memorial – Bill T. Berniard & Louis A. Braud, Jr. **Please review the items included in this newsletter and try to volunteer for a couple. Remember, in UNITY we can accomplish GREAT things!!!**

Vivat Jesus, Ron Coco, GK

COUNCIL – PGK Anthony Michelli

Knight of the Month – September – Louis Rogge

Bishop Ott Shelter Meal – Any group wishing to volunteer for providing this bi-monthly meal for about 40 persons at the shelter should contact Anthony Michelli at 924-6003 (H) or 924-7194 (W).

Refrigerator - Our old fridge has quit working and we are in need of a replacement. If anyone is thinking of replacing a working refrigerator we will gladly take it off your hands. Please give Anthony a call at 924-6003(H) or 924-7194(W).

1st Degree – On November 20th there will be a 1st Degree ceremony at K.C. 4030. All persons wanting to sponsor a new member for Mother of Mercy KC Council 4030 should bring him to the KC Hall on Exchequer by 7:00 p.m. with a completed Membership Document.

COMMUNITY – PGK Louis Rogge

Nursing Home Visit – Join us to serve “Cake & Ice Cream” on Thursday, November 20, '08 at 2:30 P.M. at the Acadian House ReHab at 4005 North Blvd. We sincerely thank **Winn Dixie on Siegen Lane** for furnishing bananas and **Klienpeter Diary** for providing delicious ice cream.

Veteran's Home – Msgr. Gassler Assembly sponsors a Quarterly Bingo Social at the Louisiana War Veteran's Home in Jackson, La. A list of recurring needs is available from Louis Rogge – 292-7223. If you cannot attend the Bingo Social, drop off items at the Hall. **Thanks.**

CHURCH - Andre' Toups

Coffee & Donuts – Sunday, November 2nd following 7:30 and 9:30 Holy Masses. No Coffee & DoNuts in December and January.

Window Washing – Saturday, November 8th and Saturday, December 13th at 7:00 a.m. Join us at the St. George Church 'til about 8:30 a.m.

Quarterly Communion - The next Quarterly Communion will take place at the 7:30 a.m. Holy Mass on November 30th. Please mark your calendars to attend this Mass and celebrate with the Monthly Families of the month in the Kleinpeter Center after Mass.

FAMILY – Bill Dimattia

Family of the Month – September – Richard & Sandy Goudeau - For work in Mother of Mercy Council 4030 and St. George Catholic Church. And, for ALWAYS being available to handle opportunities!!!

YOUTH – Mike Coleman

KC 4030 Soccer Challenge – The winners of the council level competition held on 9/28 were Catherine Blanchard (girls 10), Lydia Coleman (girls 11), Caroline Blanchard (girls 12), Sarah Coleman (girls 13), Julien Conner Bourgeois (boys 11) and Patrick Blanchard (boys 13). All of the council winners qualified for the area competition because no district competition was held. Lydia Coleman won at the Area competition held on 10/19 and will compete in the State competition to be held on November 9th.

KC Children's Halloween Party – The council's Halloween party will be held at the KC Hall on Sunday, October 26th at 1:00 p.m. Please have children wear costumes and, if possible, bring cupcakes to the party. Lunch will be served at 1:00 with games/activities to follow. Anyone wishing to help with cooking or decorating the Hall should be there by 11:30. Bring your little Ghouls & Goblins for “**Halloween Fun.**”

SPORTS - Bob Wygle

Nine-Ball Tournament - Any pool sharks out there are welcome to join the Nine-Ball tournament scheduled for Saturday November 8 in Lafayette. For information and registration, call Bob Wygle at 937-0665. Custom-made pool cues are a distinct advantage.

INSURANCE – PGK John Ricca, Jr.

From Your Field Agent - As I write this article, the financial markets are taking a beating. People are afraid to open their 401K statements and many are really being hit hard on their stocks. Tired of the roller coaster stock market affecting your savings and investments? Maybe it's time you consider an annuity with the Knights of Columbus.

The annuities that the Order offers to its members pay a very competitive rate, consistent with our primary goal of *absolute safety of principal*. With our Vantage annuity, you can even lock-in that rate for five full years. And remember, our annuities are designed to provide long term security. By consistently adding to your annuity, it can provide you a retirement income that you cannot outlive.

I will be happy to meet with you – at your convenience and in your home – to explain the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top rated life insurance and long term care plans.

Call me at 225/753-0393.

MEMBERSHIP – PGK Travis Blanchard

Thanks to all who helped with the October membership drive. We had over 15 prospects sign our list at the membership drive. We also had over 10 new prospects sign up at the fair. We had 5 new members go through first degree this fraternal year. Keep recruiting new members as we head past our goal of 13 for the year.

A list of prospects who have indicated interest in becoming Knights will be available at our November 4th Regular Business Meeting. If you know these prospects, please contact them so that they will know we want **THEM** in KC 4030. Remember, “**WE ARE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.**”

NOTE – If you would like to receive e-mail from K.C. 4030, send your e-mail address to Ron Coco at rjcoco@bellsouth.net or Anthony Michelli at ajmichelli@cox.net. Also, for items in the monthly Knight Reporter, send by e-mail to Ron prior to the 20th of the preceding month, or call 753-8947.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT – Our website is again online at “kofc4030.org.” The info in The Knight Reporter can be viewed on the site.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, November 4th – Meal: 6:30 p.m., Rosary: 7:00 p.m., Regular Business Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

Monday, November 10th – Building & Grounds: 7:00 p.m., Officer's Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 2nd - Meal: 6:30 p.m., Rosary: 7:00 p.m., Regular Business Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

Monday, December 8th - Building & Grounds: 7:00 p.m., Officer's Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

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