

Important Dates to Remember

- Family Social – November 19th - POT LUCK
- Veterans Day Celebration Gretna Market - Nov. 11

Meeting Dates to Remember

- Council Meeting – November 3, 2010 Meal at 6:30pm
- Auxiliary & Second Meetings – November 17, 2010

Knightly News

*The Newsletter of
Archbishop Blenk
Council 1905
November 2010*



Knights of Columbus Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

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Grand Knight, Troy Dendinger 324-8078

My Brother Knights and their families:

I would like to offer my sincere thanks to all those brother members, friends and ladies of our auxiliary who worked long hours diligently at the Gretna Heritage Festival. I really appreciate your efforts on behalf of the Council. Unity does work. This event proves it. In the coming months I hope we can have your continued support in other projects our Council takes on.

Our Family Social on November 19th will be a Pot Luck. I'm looking forward to trying all the different dishes. I know they will all be delicious.

My condolences go out to the family of Brother Arthur Schexnayder. His unexpected and sudden passing took us all by surprise. It makes you realize that we all need to keep "our house in order" because you never know when our maker will call us home. I would hope that all our brothers respect one another and work out any differences they may have. Vivat Jesus, Troy Dendinger

Bingo – Bingo – Bingo – Bingo – Bingo

Every Saturday at the Gretna Bingo Place from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Bingo starts at 12:10pm. Your help is needed; please consider giving us at least one Saturday a month to help out at Bingo.

Council Business - Motions

1. Up to \$750 for new refrigerator for the upstairs lounge.
2. Up to \$3,000 for any member that work the Gretna Heritage Festival.
3. Donation of \$1,000 to Ladies Auxiliary for working the Gretna Heritage Festival.

Membership – Kenneth M. LeBlanc Home Phone 391-2233 cell 432-1583

There will be a 2nd and 3rd degree on Sunday, December 12, 2010 in Chalmette. Anyone who has not had these degrees, please contact me so we can arrange for you to attend.

DON'T QUIT

*When things go wrong as they sometimes will,
When the road you're trudging seems all up hill,
When the funds are low and the debts are high,
And you want to smile, but you have to sigh,
When care is pressing you down a bit,
Rest, if you must, but don't you quit,
Life is queer with its twists and turns,
As every one of us sometimes learns,
And many a failure turns about
When he might have won had he stuck it out:
Don't give up though the pace seems slow—
You may succeed with another blow.
Success is failure turned inside out—
The silver tint of the clouds of doubt,
And you never can tell when you're hardest hit—
It's when things seem worst that you must not quit.*

Kenneth M. LeBlanc leblanc70056@bellsouth.net

Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892

Brothers, dues for the final quarter 2010 are now past due. If for some reason you can not pay please contact wither the Grand Knight or myself now. We also have the membership cards for the year 2011. Dues are \$40.00 a year or \$10.00 per quarter. Upon hearing of the death of a brother member, please contact me so proper arrangements can be made. No longer a member of 1905: John Vlosich

New Members:

Johnny McBride, III, 2265 Colombo Drive, Harvey, LA 70058 361-4327

Johnny McBride, IV, 2265 Colombo Drive, Harvey, LA 70058 361-4352

John Madox, 304 Eleventh Street, Gretna, LA 70053 365-0751

Change of Address: David Hardin, 418 Planters Canal Road, Belle Chasse, LA 70037

Reinstated: Billy Cannon, 1715 Pratt Street, Gretna, LA 70053 368-6950

November Birthdays:

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| 2 – Andrew Schurb | 3 – Tim Rodriguez |
| 3 – Terry Toups | 4 – Russell Templet |
| 5 – Mark Soileau | 5 – Louis Valdin |
| 8 – Brady Garrity | 9 – Martin St. Ann |
| 9 – Edward Tortorich | 11 – Joseph Chauvin |
| 11 – Floyd Crochet | 13 – Bradley Martin |
| 16 – PGK Gus Cramond, Jr. | 17 – Randy Couvillion |
| 23 – Lee Mabes, III | 25 – PGK Anthony Buckley |
| 26 – Richard Majeste | 27 – Bernard LeBlanc |
| 27 – PGK Walter LeBlanc | 27 – Scott Pittman |

November Anniversaries:

- 4 – Warren and Yvonne Ferrand
- 6 – John and Wendy Maddox
- 22 – Michael & Margaret Arnold, Jr.
- 23 – Lloyd and Linda Comeaux
- 29 – Elmo and Gwen Miller

Family Life – Lynn & Duana Boudreaux 341-9162

Our POT LUCK Family Social is on Friday, November 19th at 7:30pm. The council will provide the ham and turkey and we ask that each family bring their specialty dish. We are looking for vegetables, rice, stuffing, potatoes, salad, and desserts. Anything you bring, I know it will be a treat for everyone. Come join us for a good time. Lynn & Duana Boudreaux
email: lynnboud@hotmail.com

Program Director – Arthur Newby

I would like to thank everyone who volunteered their time working at this years' Gretna Heritage Festival. Also I would like to remind everyone help is needed at Bingo every Saturday from 10am to 2pm. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Halloween is just around the corner, so please drive safely and be aware of the children at all times.

My family and I wish everyone a blessed and safe Thanksgiving. Let us all give thanks for our many blessings. Arthur

Chancellor – Frank Falgoust 283-7807

We lost a little angel on Oct 7, 2010. Laila Shay Terrebonne, the granddaughter of Lynn & Duana Boudreaux, went home. Also, Arthur Schexnayder, Sr. was called home on Oct 13th. Jerry Thomas had by-pass surgery. He is home and doing well. Bob Mayville is going to have an operation on his knee. Mary Ellen Chauvin had her knee replacement surgery and is doing well. Let us keep praying for vocations, a lost soul and our sick brothers and their families. To be added to the sick list or to update your status, you can either call me at 283-7807 or send an e-mail to ffalگو@hotmail.com.

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| Gus Cramond, PGK | Jules Ancar | Russell Templet |
| Red Bartholomew, PGK | Chester Jones | Lloyd L. LeGrange |
| Adolph Lachmann, PGK | Roy Bush | Clarence LeBlanc |
| Dr. Larry Hallaron, PGK | Lucky LeBlanc | Barry Breaux |
| Walter Carraway, PGK | Perry Lobrano | Terry Ryder |
| Walter LeBlanc, PGK | Edward Gerrets | Clifton Guidry |
| Bob Mayville, PGK | Pat Pittman | Andrew Schurb |
| Walter Roux, PGK | Elmo Miller | Danny Wedge, Jr. |
| George Wedge, PGK | Wally d'Hemecourt | Don Caskey |
| Henry Holt, PGK | Jesse Rodriguez | Michael Arnold |
| Glenn Esteve, PGK | Ferd Webber III | John Savoy |
| Dr. Alvin Hindelang | Clebert Bourgeois | Jerry Broome, Sr. |
| Fr. Frank Carabello | Earl Bartholomew | David Uzee, Jr. |
| Frank Saboe | Reginal Fleming | |

Council Director – Emile Ray 460-7028

Brother Knights,

I would like to wish 2 brothers good luck at the State 9 Ball Tournament in Lafayette. Brother A. J. Chauvin, Jr. and Brother James Fogarty.

If you have any questions or any ideas for the Council please call me at 460-7028 or email me at ecray1216@yahoo.com.

Ladies Auxiliary – Sheila Mabes President 982-6634

Ladies,

Our next meeting is November 17th. Rosary begins at 7:00 pm, meeting begins at 7:30p.m. Please remember to bring food items. We plan to make three Thanksgiving baskets, but we need your support.

We need your help to bake goodies for the Veterans Day Celebration on Thursday, November 11th. Please contact me if you are able to bake sweets. We will also be helping with the decorations.

We offer our condolences to Duana Boudreaux on the death of her granddaughter. Keep her and the family in your prayers.

Please bring your Mary Kay orders to the November meeting. This fund raiser was pushed back a month.

Upcoming events will be published in next month's bulletin. Happy birthday to our November members.

T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree News

We have a dress out for Veterans Day on Thursday, November 11 at the Gretna market. Time is 6 p.m. Come out with your family and friends and enjoy the program even if you can't dress out.

Our meeting will be on **Tuesday**, Nov 23rd (the Tuesday before Thanksgiving) at 1905.

I want to thank those Sir Knights that were an honor guard for our deceased Sir Knight Arthur Schexnayder, Sr. Faithful Navigator Frank Falgoust at 283-7807.

District Deputy – George Wedge, PGK, FM

Council 1905 will host the District Gumbo Cook-off on Saturday, November 6th at 8:00am. Each team should bring an independent judge.



Field Agent – Chris Dufrene 504-689-8032

A poll of Americans and high-level business leaders proved what Knights of Columbus insurance agents have known for generations: religious beliefs and values should be an integral guide to business decision making.

Those surveyed also revealed they believe personal and corporate gain drives executives' decisions. Overall, they believe, as do the majority of the executives polled, that the moral compass of corporate America points in the wrong direction.

Only 19 percent of Americans would award corporate America a grade of A or B for its honesty and ethical conduct. Forty percent of these respondents had the banking and financial industry in mind when answering.

The positive side is that 75 percent of Americans surveyed believe that it is possible to be successful and ethical in business. They also believe that high ethical standards strengthen a company's advantage over its competitors, in both the short- and long-term.

Additionally, more than 90 percent of people strongly consider a company's reputation for honesty and ethical conduct when considering whether or not to invest with them.

Nearly two-thirds of those polled believe corporate leaders should rely on their religious values for guidance in the business arena.

In this tough economic climate, it's of paramount importance that all Knights are reminded of the moral, ethical commitment of the Order to serve its members and their families. Earning just a passing grade is not acceptable to me or the other professional insurance agents of the Knights of Columbus.

Pro-Life Chairman – Gerard Thomas, PGK, FM

Brothers, the Council in conjunction with St. Joseph Church held a Baby Bottle Fund Raiser for the local Access Pregnancy Resource Centers. The fund raiser was a great success and we will be turning over approximately \$1,000 to the centers. Thanks to St. Joseph Church for allowing us to conduct this fund raiser and, thanks to the parishioners for contributing.. Also, thanks to Adolph Lachmann and George Wedge for speaking at all of the Masses the week prior to the fund raiser. Access Pregnancy Resource Centers will use this money to prevent abortions and bring loving babies into the world.

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November 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 All Saints Day	2 All Souls Day	3 6:30 Meal Council Mtg 7:30 <u>Bring Food Items</u>	4	5	6 10am-2pm BINGO District Gumbo Cookoff
7	8	9	10	11 6PM Veterans Day Celebration Gretna Market	12	13 10am-2pm BINGO
14	15	16	17 7:30PM 2nd Council & Auxiliary Mtgs Rosary 7PM	18	19 7:30pm Family Social POT LUCK	20 10am-2pm BINGO
21	22	23 Fourth Degree Meeting @ 1905	24	25 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>	26	27 10am-2pm BINGO
28	29	30	1 6:30 Meal <u>December Council Mtg</u> 7:30	2	3	4 10am-2pm BINGO

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