

## Important Dates to Remember

- Quarterly Communion – May 19<sup>th</sup> 8:00am Mass St. Rosalie Church
- Family Social– May 17, 2013 7:30pm

## Meeting Dates to Remember

- Council Meeting – May 1, 2013 Meal at 6:30pm
- Auxiliary Meeting /2nd Mtg – May 15, 2013

# Knightly News

*The Newsletter of  
Archbishop Blenk  
Council 1905  
May 2013*



## Knights of Columbus Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

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Brother Knights ,

It's that time of the year that we have to choose the Officers for the next Columbian year. If you plan on running for any office make sure you know what is involved in that position. Nominations for office are open at the May and June regular monthly meeting.

I am sorry to say that our yearly picnic at Infant Jesus was a total wash out but we managed to save it at the Council Hall. I would like to thank everyone who came out and helped with the cooking and setting up to help make it possible.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Knight of the Month Mark Cambre

Family of the Month Richard & Jackie Majeste

ARTHUR

**Church Director – PGK Adolph Lachmann**  
504-361-8073

**Quarterly Communion** has been changed to May 19<sup>th</sup> at St. Rosalie Church in Harvey. We will attend the 8:00 am Mass with breakfast to follow at Church Hall. Please try to attend and show your Knights of Columbus spirit.

## St. Anthony Spring Bonanza

**Saturday, May 11, 2013**

**7:00 pm to 11:00 pm**

St. Anthony Mission Parish Spring Bonanza

**\$12,000 Raffle**

**Only 300 Tickets will be sold**

**Knights of Columbus Hall**

**475 Franklin St, Gretna**

**FOOD – GAMES – RAFFLE**

**Donation \$100 – Purchase your**

**ticket from George Wedge, Adolph**

**Lachmann or Gerard Thomas**

**Community Director – PGK Joseph Tranchina,**  
Sr. email: [jptranchina@att.net](mailto:jptranchina@att.net)

We are working on fixing the handicap ramp at the West Bank ARC at the Cook Street location. We will advise when work will be done.

Thanks to the Knights that helped make the West Bank ARC picnic such a success for the clients.

Joe Tranchina, Sr. PGK  
Community Director

**Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892**

Brothers, dues for the second quarter of the year are now past due. If for some reason you cannot afford them at this time, please contact either the Grand Knight or myself NOW. Upon hearing of the death of a brother member, please contact me so proper arrangements can be made.

This is the month for nomination of officers for the following Columbian year. To run for any office, please remember that you must be a Third Degree Knight and current dues must be paid. As Brother George Wedge mentioned at the last meeting, if you are interested in any office, please see me and get a copy of the "Duties of Council Officers" brochure.

New Members into Council 1905:

Burnie A Danjean, IV, 439 Eighth Street, Gretna, LA 70053 366-2976

Richard Lacour, 31 Derbes Drive, Gretna, La 70053, 906-0031

Change of Address: Fr. Minh Phan,  
2901 S. Carrollton Street, New Orleans, LA 70118

**May Birthdays:**

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2 – Lester Cambre        | 3 – Donald Comeaux       |
| 3 – Kevin Steel          | 4 – Joseph Toomy         |
| 4 – Joseph Young         | 9 – Kenneth J. LeBlanc   |
| 9 – Rev. Frank Carabello | 11 – Frank Falgoust      |
| 13 – GK Arthur Newby     | 14 – Albert Chauvin, Jr. |
| 14 – Frederick LeBlanc   | 18 - Kass Wattigney      |
| 18 – Richard Lacour      | 20 – Marvin Bush         |
| 27 – Evans Brassett      | 31 – Elmo Miller         |

**May Anniversaries:**

- 4 – Tim and Aernia Rodriguez
- 6 – Donald and Gwen Comeaux
- 6 – Joseph and JoAnn Toomy
- 8 – Kenneth M. and Darnell LeBlanc
- 15 – Walter and Cheryl d’Hemecourt
- 29 – Albert and Cathy Chauvin, Jr.

**Chancellor – Benjamin Bartolome 931-9376**

**Email: benbartolome@gmail.com**

Please say a special prayer for our Brother Knights on our prayer list for them to return to good health. Call me at the above phone number if you know of any brother who is sick and needs to be added to our prayer list.  
God Bless and Vivat Jesus!

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| Henry Holt, PGK         | Louis Liljeberg     | Russell Templet      |
| Red Bartholomew, PGK    | Chester Jones       | Lloyd LeGrange       |
| Adolph Lachmann, PGK    | Roy Bush            | Norman Esteve        |
| Dr. Larry Hallaron, PGK | Michael Arnold      | Barry Breaux         |
| Walter Carraway, PGK    | Perry Lobrano       | Terry Ryder          |
| Glenn Esteve, PGK       | Jerry Broome, Sr.   | Clifton Guidry       |
| Bob Mayville, PGK       | Wally d’Hemecourt   | Pat Pittman          |
| Walter Roux, PGK        | Jesse Rodriguez     | Danny Wedge, Jr.     |
| George Wedge, PGK       | Ferd Webber III     | David Uzee, Jr       |
| Howard Robichaux, PGK   | Elmo Miller         | Patrick Lloyd Hebert |
| Fr. Frank Carabello     | Dr. Alvin Hindelang |                      |

**Pro-Life – PGK Gerard & Mary Thomas**

Brothers and Ladies here is a reminder of a number of important web sites that provide resources, information and actions that you can take to support positive Culture of Life Issues:

**ACCESS Pregnancy and Referral Center**, a ministry of Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of New Orleans is participating in the National Diaper Bank. You can participate in the ACCESS Pregnancy’s virtual baby shower by logging on to Walmart.com and going to the baby registry and enter ACCESS as the first and last name. Then simply place your order and your donation will go directly to a family in need. This is a very simple process that will allow you to help with the dramatic increase in the need for diapers since the devastation of Hurricane Isaac in our area.

Here are some Culture of Life Resources that can be accessed on the internet:  
<http://uscceb.org/> This is the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops home page. Simply click on the "Life Issues" link for a list of articles that provides the "church’s position" on Pro-Life issues.  
<http://www.prolifelouisiana.org/> This is a web site that is a great resource for National and State issues.  
<http://www.nrlc.org/> This is a tremendous source for Pro-Life information  
<http://www.kofc.org/> This is the Supreme Council web site and contains information, articles and news on Pro-Life Issues.  
Please visit these web sites for great information.

**Family Life PGK Lynn & Duana Boudreaux**

**Friday, May 17, 2013** is our **Family Social** beginning at 7:30pm. Please come out and enjoy a great meal and socialize with us. Call me at 341-9162 if you have any questions.

**Ladies Auxiliary – Vicki Fogarty President**  
**400-2783 Email: [vickimikie@gmail.com](mailto:vickimikie@gmail.com)**

Hello Everyone,

Our April meeting was our Officer Nominating Meeting, next month will be final nominations and election. Please join us and voice your opinion or run for an office, or volunteer to chair a committee or an activity. We need input from everyone, your opinion is valuable!

Our May meeting is on the 15th. We will be collecting bottled water or donations for bottled water for the Gretna Police at this meeting. We will also have a policeman as a guest speaker. I look forward to seeing all of you there!

Please pray for our sick members and for comfort for all those in need.

Pray to the Blessed Mother for peace,  
Vicki

**Membership – D. George Wedge, PGK 367-6026 Email: [dgw1234@bellsouth.net](mailto:dgw1234@bellsouth.net)**

**THE POWER OF ONE!** Once again I remind each of you that you have the power. You can control the destiny of your council. There is someone with whom you have contact who would be a real asset to the order and the council.

Further, membership in the Knights of Columbus could well be an asset to him. Do him a favor and invite him and his family to our next Family Social so that he may make his own judgment about our order. In the meantime get him to fill out a membership document.

Progress is being made at St. Rosalie Parish. We will be speaking at all of the masses to promote the Knights of Columbus on May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>.

We are still seeking one new member per council per month. Remember that you have the power. Use it wisely.

**T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree Assembly # 322**  
**Mario Sirit, FN 340-4225 [mjsirit@hotmail.com](mailto:mjsirit@hotmail.com)**

Sir Knights:

I would like to thank all the Sir Knights that dressed out for Palm Sunday and Divine Mercy Sunday.

There is a Fourth Degree District Meeting on Saturday, May 4th at St. Matthew Church Hall in River Ridge, please try to attend. District Meetings are very informative. You can meet the Master of the Fourth Degree and his staff and find out about future programs and exemplifications.

Our next meeting on May 22nd, will be held in KC Council 6357 Fr Peter P. Boering at 803 South Belle Chasse Hwy at 7:00pm, please try to attend, we will be electing new officers.

Your Faithful Navigator  
Mario J. Sirit

**Field Agent – Chris Dufrene 504-689-8032**

As a Catholic organization, we understand the value and importance of our core beliefs and the original mission of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney. In fact, much of the strength and financial security we provide to members and their families can be attributed to our ethical, moral standards.

Our professional staff researches all transactions to insure that they fall in line with Catholic values. If a transaction makes them uncomfortable, they don't make it. "We exclude any company engaged in activity that conflicts with Catholic moral teaching. In the end, the Knights of Columbus investment strategy is motivated by morality and not money-making. Yet, each year we remain profitable, increase our assets and stay dedicated to this vision that will keep the Order sound financially for generations to come.

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## May 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 6:30 Meal Council Mtg 7:30 - <u>Bring</u> <u>Food Items</u>	2	3	4 Crawfish Appreciation Boil for Gretna Heritage Festival Workers
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 St. Anthony \$12,000 Raffle
12	13	14	15 Auxiliary and 2nd Council Mtg	16	17 Family Social	18 Bingo
19 Quarterly Communion St. Rosalie 8:00am Mass	20	21	22 4th Degree Mtg Belle Chasse Council	23	24	25 Bingo
26	27	28	29	30	31	1 JUNE Bingo

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