

Important Dates to Remember

- Family Social Friday, April 25, 2014 @ 7:30pm 4th Friday of Month
- Palm Sunday Procession April 13 Arch in Gretna to Church 7:00a

Meeting Dates to Remember

Council Meeting – April 2, 2014 Meal will be served at 6:30pm
Auxiliary & 2nd Council Meetings– April 16, 2014

Knightly News

*The Newsletter of
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Council 1905
April 2014*



Knights of Columbus Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

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Brother Knights and Families,

Thanks to everyone that helped cook and serve at the St. Joseph Altar. Also I thank my Brother Knights that participated in the procession on Tuesday the 18th and the St. Joseph Day Mass on Wednesday the 19th.

Thanks go out to Kenny M. Leblanc for doing another great job this year with CYLA. He again has an Area winner representing our council and is going to Baton Rouge for the State CYLA Finals. Our CYLA awards are to be given out at this month's family social. Notice that the date had to be changed from Good Friday to the following Friday the 25th of April. Please try to attend and help show our appreciation for our CYLA candidates.

I would like to thank all the Brothers that came out and helped with Bingo on the last past Saturdays. Help like this is needed to help support our fund raising and give some time off to those who have helped for the last few years. April 13th is our Annual Palm Sunday Procession from the arch on Huey P. Long Ave. to St. Joseph Church. Please try to join in on this special occasion. Breakfast will be served after Mass at our council. Easter egg hunt also will be held for the kids.

I ask everyone to keep in mind our Brothers that are sick or have departed. Please keep them in your prayers.

Barbara and I wish everyone a Happy Easter.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Knight of the Month Don Caskey
Family of the Month Frank & Pam Falgoust

Arthur

KofC Convention in Kenner May 2, 3, 4, 2014 NEWS

1. There is a Ladies Luncheon on Saturday, May 3rd open to all ladies in the Ponchartrain Convention Center at 11:30am. The cost is \$28.00 each and if you are interested in attending please send your check for \$28.00 to Nora Schexnaydre at 3820 Lolan Court, Marrero, LA 70072 or call 504-340-4429 if you have any questions.
2. The Ladies Entertainment on Sunday starts at 9:30am. This will be a live performance on Fr. Seelos presented by actor Casey Groves. You do not have to be registered to attend the entertainment. However, a small donation to the Fr. Seelos Center would be appreciated.
3. There is also a Crawfish Boil on Friday evening at 6:30pm with live music by Kenny L for dancing and your entertainment. The cost is \$25.00 per person which includes Crawfish and two soft drinks. Beer will be available for purchase. This will take place near the Treasure Chest Casino in Laketown in Kenner. If you are interested in attending, contact either the Grand Knight, Joe Tranchina or Gerard Thomas 504-432-6557.

Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892

Brothers: Dues bills are in the mail for the second quarter of 2014. It is not to late for those who have not paid their first quarter dues, but time is running out.

Upon hearing of a death of a brother member please contact me so proper arrangements can be made.

Change of Address: Michael Valladares, 1668 Dogwood Drive, Harvey, LA 70058

Transferred into new Fr. John Parks Council: Dennis Arbour, Keith Arbour, PGK Lynn Boudreaux, Sean Early, Timothy Gauthreaux, Clifford Gregg, Gary Guidry, Frankie Herelson, Eric Heiden, Timothy Legendre, Duane Martinez, Tim Murphy, Carl Orgeron, John Richard, III.

April Birthdays:

- 1 – Dr. Edward Punecky
- 2– James Fogarty
- 9 – Ray Vegas
- 12 – Gordon Carbo
- 12 – Daniel Salazar
- 17 – Arnold Valladares, Sr.
- 17 – Donald Trahan, Jr.
- 20 – Roy Bush
- 22 – Lloyd Comeaux
- 22- Rev. Minh Phan
- 27 – Craig Cline
- 29 – Jeremiah Sullivan, Jr.
- 30 – William Fortmayer

April Anniversaries:

- 3 – PGK Kevin and Jackie Wedge, Sr.
- 5 – Christopher and Kimberly Salsman
- 16 – Marvin and Minta Bush
- 16 – E. Chester and Joan Jones
- 20 – PGK Howard and Adele Robichaux

Chancellor – Rory Cadres 361-8840

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.

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| Henry Holt, PGK | Louis Liljeberg | Russell Templet |
| Red Bartholomew, PGK | Chester Jones | Lloyd LeGrange |
| Adolph Lachmann, PGK | Roy Bush | Malcolm Hebert |
| Dr. Larry Hallaron, PGK | Michael Arnold | Barry Breaux |
| Glenn Esteve, PGK | Jerry Broome, Sr. | Perry Lobrano |
| Bob Mayville, PGK | Wally d'Hemecourt | Elmo Miller |
| George Wedge, PGK | Danny Wedge, Jr. | Terry Ryder |
| Ferd Webber III | David Uzee, Jr | Albert Chauvin |

**Council Director – PGK Joseph Tranchina, Sr.
email: jptranchina@att.net 340-9609**

Sunday, April 13 is Palm Sunday, as we always do, we will have the Palm Sunday procession from the arch in Gretna to St. Joseph Church. We will meet at 7:00 AM to process to the church.

The Knights of Columbus State convention will be held May 2,3 and 4th at the Pontchartrain Center in Kenner. Try to stop by to see what goes on.

On Friday night of the convention the Louisiana State Council will host a Knights of Columbus Crawfish Boil at 6:30 PM at Lake Town across from the Ponchartrian Center. The cost is \$25.00 per person, wives and kids are invited. I will have ticket orders which must be received at the State office by April 25th. There will also be music by Kenny L for your entertainment.

Council 1905 will have a hospitality room at the Doubletree Hotel. Come out to meet fellow Brother Knights and bring your wives.

Church Director – PGK Adolph Lachmann 361-8073

Palm Sunday Procession-April 13, 2014

Fr. Rick Day is asking for a large turn out for the procession. Please plan to attend. We leave the arch at the foot of Huey P. Long Ave, at 7:00am please arrive prior to 6:45 am.

Brother Knights, April 17th, 18th, and 19th are the most holiest days of the church year. You are expected to participate in the religious ceremonies. Remember we are Catholic Knights, "be a dynamic Knight"

**Family Life – Wally & Cheryl d’Hemecourt
366-9486 or cheryldhemecourt@gmail.com**

With the madness of Mardi Gras behind us, we are now fully into the solemn season of lent. To those who attended the March family social, we hope you enjoyed the meal. Please note: The council has decided to postpone the April social for 1 week, to April 25th, 2014 due to Good Friday falling on the scheduled date of the social. Hope to see you in April.

God Bless and Happy Easter!

Ladies Auxiliary – Vicki Fogarty President

400-2783 Email: vickimikie@gmail.com

Hello Everyone,

We are planning a trip to the Silver Slipper Casino on Saturday March 29th. We will be carpooling from the KC Hall. Anyone interested in going should be at the KC Hall for 9:30am so we can leave for 10:00am. The plan is to arrive at the casino around 11-11:30, eat at the buffet, then play for as long as you like. Leaving time will be left up to you and your carpool companions.

We are having a Bunco at the KC Hall on Sunday, April 6th. The cost is \$10 which includes 3 games and a meal. Food will be served beginning at 2pm and the games will begin after we eat.

Please tell your friends and family. Everyone who attends always has a really good time. We have many gift cards for prizes and several other really nice prizes.

Our next meeting is on Wednesday April 16th. The rosary begins at 7:10. This will be the nominations meeting, so please consider running for an office.

Please remember Ms. Darryl Mabes in your prayers.

Pray to the Blessed Mother for peace.

Vicki

T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree Assembly # 322

Cordell Parker, FN 504-428-1164 cordell.parker@yahoo.com

Worthy Sir Knights,

Thanks to all the Sir Knights that dressed out at the various functions in March. The Master of the Fourth Degree is calling for a dress out at the Louisiana State Convention on Saturday, May 3rd at the 5:00pm mass to be celebrated by Archbishop Aymond at the Ponchartrain Center in Hall C. If you would like to participate in this dress out, please arrive by 4:30pm.

Insurance Field Agent , Chris Dufrene

504-689-8032

Contact me for all your insurance needs or if I can answer any of your questions. I'm here to help you.

Pro Life Corner- Don & Dee Caskey H 341-4512 or C 884-0101

Brother Knights, thank you for your help in our recent Baby Bottle Campaign at the various churches that we support.

Pro-Life or a Culture of Life is complex. It is not only about abortion. We must look at all factors that affect our Culture when it comes to life issues. In Vitro Fertilization (IVF), the pill, IUD's and other forms of birth control, assisted suicide, homosexual marriage, human cloning, fetal stem cell research, euthanasia, & end of life issues are all areas of concern in the Pro-Life agenda. When you remove all of these things what is left is unique human life with each individual a separate & distinct person, created in the likeness & image of God.

Every life matters, from conception until natural death.

We live in a Culture of Death or at least one where death & immorality is promoted and condoned by many groups including our government, our society in general, and even some churches. It is up to us to rectify this situation by informing others of the many evils associated with the above list. Physical and emotional scars, increased health risks. immorality, the taking of human life, and a total disregard for the sanctity of the human person are all a part of the practices and procedures listed above.

Yours in Christ,
Don Caskey, Pro Life Director Council 1905

Membership – George Wedge, PGK 504-912-0394

As spring presents a new beginning, take this as an opportunity to ask a Catholic man to join the ranks of the greatest organization of Catholic men, the Knights of Columbus. Give him the opportunity to start a new beginning in our organization. If you need any assistance, give me a call.

Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

April 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2		1	2 6:30 Meal Council Mtg 7:30	3	4	5 Bingo
6 BUNCO 2PM \$10.00 per person	7	8	9	10	11	12 Bingo
13 7:00am Palm Sunday Procession	14	15 Income Taxes & Bulletin Articles Due	16 Auxiliary and 2nd Council Mtg	17 Holy Thursday Adoration 11pm St. Joseph Church	18 Good Friday	19 Holy Saturday
20 Easter Sunday Resurrection of the Lord	21	22	23 4th Degree Meeting	24	25 7:30pm Family Social	26 Bingo
27	28	29	30	1 May	2 May	3 May Knights of Columbus Convention in Kenner

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