

Important Dates to Remember

- Family Social – May 15, 2015 at 7:30pm
- Quarterly Communion May 17 St. Martha Church 10:30am Mass

Meeting Dates to Remember

Council Meeting – May 6, 2015 – Meal at 6:30pm
Auxiliary & 2nd Council Meetings – May 20, 2015

Knightly News

*The Newsletter of
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Council 1905
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Once again it is the time of year that we choose officers for the 2015-2016 Columbian Year. If you are planning to run for office make sure you know what is involved in the position you seek. Nominations for offices are open at the May and June regular monthly meeting.

I would like to thank those that came out and helped at the ARC picnic.

Thanks to AJ, Burnie and Pat who cooked for Palm Sunday. I hope everyone who attended had a nice time

Knight of the Month - Richard Majeste

Family of the Month

Arnold and Jeanne Valladares

Membership – Kenneth M LeBlanc 391-2233 home Cell
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Just think getting new members is as easy as A B C. All you have to do is ASK!

May your special day and every day bring blessings from above as you look to God for guidance. And may He look on you with love.

Kenneth M. Leblanc
Membership

Church Director - PGK Roy LeBlanc

Our quarterly communion mass for the last quarter for this year will be held on Sunday, May 17, 2015 at St. Martha Church at 2535 Apollo Drive, Harvey, LA at 10:30 am. The attendance at our previous masses was not too well attended. REMEMBER: Jesus is in the church 365 days a year, 24/7. All I ask is that you give one hour of your Sunday to attend this mass. Let's show everyone what the KNIGHTS are all about.

Roy

GOD BLESS EACH AND EVERYONE OF YOU

Council Director – PGK Joseph Tranchina, Sr.
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Not much is going on at the present time. We have nomination of officers at our meeting on May 6th with elections at our June 3rd meeting. If you or someone you know would like to run for office make the meeting to be nominated.

The installation of the new officers will be on June 13 with mass at St Joseph Church at 4:30 and installation and banquet at the hall after mass. More information to follow.

Joseph Tranchina Sr PGK
Council Director

Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892

Brothers: Dues for the second quarter of 2015 are now due. Bills have been mailed. Five brothers are on the Intent to Suspend Notice and have been notified. Upon hearing of the death of a brother member please contact me so proper arrangements can be made.

May Birthdays:

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| 2 – Lester Cambre | 3 – Donald Comeaux |
| 3 – Kevin Steel | 4 – Joseph Toomy |
| 4 – Joseph Young | 9 – Kenny J Leblanc |
| 9 – Rev. Frank Carabello | 11 – Frank Falgoust |
| 13 – PGK Arthur Newby | 14 – Albert Chauvin, Jr. |
| 14 – Freddie LeBlanc | 18 – Richard Lacour |
| 18 – Kass Wattigney | 20 – Marvin Bush |

May Anniversaries:

- 6 – Donald and Gwen Comeaux
- 6 – Joseph and JoAnn Toomy
- 8 = Kenneth M. and Darnell LeBlanc
- 15 – Wally and Cheryl d’Hemecourt
- 29 – Albert and Cathy Chauvin, Jr.

**Chancellor – Frank Falgoust 283-7807
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Condolences to Lester Cambre and his family on the death of his wife, Jackie. Say a special prayer for Bob Mayville in his recover from a bout with pneumonia. Our Grand Knight is doing well. He has a new diet and has to retrain his taste buds! Ugh! No salt! Say a special prayer for our Brothers Knights on our sick list for them to return to good health. Also, pray for a lost soul to return to the fold. Call me at the above phone number (leave message if no answer) if you know of any brother who is sick and needs to be added to our prayer lists.

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| Burnie Danjean, GK | David Uzee, Jr. | Ferd Webber III |
| Henry Holt, PGK | Louis Liljeberg | Russell Templet |
| Red Bartholomew, PGK | Chester Jones | Lloyd LeGrange |
| George Wedge, PGK | Terry Ryder | Albert Chauvin |
| Dr. Larry Hallaron, PGK | Michael Arnold | Buddy Bush |
| Glenn Esteve, PGK | Jerry Broome, Sr. | Perry Lobrano |
| Bob Mayville, PGK | Wally d’Hemecourt | |

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

Our next Family Social is Friday, May 15th at 7:30pm. Come and bring the family and enjoy a delicious meal and brotherly friendship.

Seminarian Francis Offia

Speak Lord, Your Servant is listening

The Fathers of the Vatican Council II teaches that: “At the lower level of the hierarchy are deacons, upon whom hands are imposed not unto the priesthood, but unto a ministry of service.” However, in the Church, the transitional diaconate had long been only a stepping stone along the way to the priesthood. And so the Council Fathers insists that: “By virtue of the sacramental grace, the deacon in communion with the bishop and his group of priests serves God’s people in the ministry of the liturgy, of preaching, and of charity.” I am so excited that, come May 23rd, when the Archbishop Aymond will lay hands on me and call down the Power of the Holy Spirit upon me, I will receive the **Special Grace of Ordination** from above to serve God’s people in the ministry of the liturgy, of preaching, and of charity. Therefore I am asking you to go with me to St. Louis Cathedral in the French Quarters, to pray with me and to pray for me as I am being ordained to the Diaconate together with other four brothers. The Mass starts at 10am.

**Arthur Newby, District Deputy Abnewb@att.net
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As we begin to close out this Columbian Year, it is not too late to recruit a new member. If you know of a good candidate bring him to a Family Social and meet the membership.

Nominations for officers for the next Columbian Year will be held at the May and June meetings. Elections are after nominations are over at the June meeting. If you are planning to run for office, please make sure you know all the particulars of that office in which you are interested.
Thanks, Arthur

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Ladies Auxiliary – Vicki Fogarty President
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Hello everyone,

I hope everyone had a Happy Easter and remembered to thank God for the blessings he has given each of us.

At our April meeting, first nominations for Officers for the coming year were held. The nominees are:
President - Cathy Chauvin and Vicki Fogarty
Vice President - Barbara Newby
Treasurer - Cheryl deHemecort
Recording Secretary - Pam Falgoust
Corresponding Secretary - Pat Holt

Nominations will be open again at the May meeting and elections will follow nominations. The voting will be done via secret ballot and a winner will be announced. There will be a count of the votes by 2 non running members, and the number of votes each candidate receives will not be disclosed.

The May meeting will be on Wednesday May 20th. Please try to attend so you can cast your vote. No absentee votes are allowed.

Seminarian Francis Offia has invited all of the ladies in the Auxiliary to attend his Ordination. It will be on Saturday, May 23, 2015 at 10:00am at St. Louis Cathedral, 711 Charters Street, New Orleans. Francis would be very happy to see you there. There is also a reception following the Ordination that you are invited to attend.

Pray to the Blessed Mother for Peace,
Vicki

T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree Assembly # 322
Faithful Navigator Arthur Newby abnewb@att.net

Sir Knights,

Thanks to everyone who has dressed out in the last few months. The Fourth Degree Assembly has been well represented!

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Arthur

Pro Life Corner - Don & Dee Caskey H 341-4512 or C 884-0101
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Brothers we have several opportunities coming soon that will allow us make a positive statement and action for LIFE in our community. This month on **Monday, May 18th, 6-7 PM**, Nola Needs Peace will be having a peace rally at the Claiborne Ave. construction site of the Planned Parenthood abortion clinic. If this "clinic" is allowed to open they plan on being able to abort up to 2,844 babies a year. It will become a regional "industry". There will be several pro-life speakers including our own Archbishop Gregory Aymond. Several Brother Knights regularly attend these events and now it is critical that we show our strength by numbers in supporting the most basic of rights, Life.

On **July 9, 10 and 11**. The *National Right to life Convention will be here in New Orleans* at the Marriott Canal St. More information to follow. C.B.I.B. (Compassionate Burials for Indigent Babies) is having a FUN Raising Evening at **Rock N Bowl**, 3330 South Carrollton Ave. on **Sunday October 18 6-9 PM**. There will be Food, Live Music, Beer, Soft Drinks and Fun. There will also be a Silent Auction, Parade of Prizes, 50 / 50. Admission is \$40 for adults and \$10 for children. Gentlemen and Ladies, we have been instrumental in providing coffins for this beautiful witness for the value of life. Just by your attendance you will assist in supporting this great cause and perhaps learn more about this ministry and even have a enjoyable evening doing so. For additional information 504-202-3111

The Access Baby Bottle Campaign has come to an early end, due to an error on my part and its warm reception with management. I will announce the total results as soon as they come in.

Yours in Christ
Don and Dee Caskey

Congratulations!
Francis Offia on your
Ordination to the Deaconate.

Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

MAY 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 LA State Convention Baton Rouge	2 Bingo - LA State Convention
3 LA State Convention Baton Rouge	4	5	6 6:30 Meal Council Mtg 7:30	7	8	9 Bingo
10	11	12	13	14	15 7:30pm Family Social	16 Bingo
17 Quarterly Communion St. Martha 10:30am	18	19	20 Auxiliary & 2nd Council Mtgs	21	22	23 Ordination of Francis Offia Bingo
24	25	26	27 Fourth Degree Meeting Belle Chasse	28	29	30 Bingo

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