

Important Dates to Remember

- Family Social – Friday, November 20th @ 7:30PM
- Memorial Mass – Sunday, November 29 9:30a St. Joseph Church

Meeting Dates to Remember

- Council Meeting – November 4, 2015 – Meal at 6:30pm
- Auxiliary & 2nd Council Meetings–November 18, 2015

Knightly News

*The Newsletter of
Archbishop Blenk
Council 1905
November 2015*



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I would like to thank everyone who helped at the Gretna Heritage Festival. As usual we had a large turnout of volunteers.

Good luck to all the members going to the state pool tournament in Lafayette.

Kathy and I would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Chancellor – Rick Valladares III 495-2017

Rick.valladares@LA.Gov

Dear Brothers, say a special prayer for our Brothers Knights on our sick 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 lists.

Burnie Danjean, GK	David Uzee, Jr.	Ferd Webber III
Henry Holt, PGK	Louis Liljeberg	Russell Templet
Bob Mayville, 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
	Wally d'Hemecourt	

Church Director - PGK Roy LeBlanc 948-7018

There will be a Memorial Mass on Sunday, November 29, 2015 at St Joseph Church and Shrine, 610 Sixth Street, Gretna, La at 9:30 am. This mass will honor all members of Council 1905 who died this last year. Please make an effort to attend this special mass.

Sunday, November 29th is also the First Sunday in Advent. November 1st is All Saints Day and Monday, November 2nd is All Souls Day.

ROY

Family Life – A.J., Cathy and Kobe Chauvin
957-8937 cathychauvin@yahoo.com

If you have not been to a family social in a while ***THIS MONTH IS ONE NOT TO MISS - Friday November 20, 2015 at 7:30 p.m.*** It is Thanksgiving time and here at our Council # 1905 we have some amazing cooks so this month is our annual pot luck meal. So get out those family cookbooks and bring a dish with you this month. The council is going to provide the meat . We will also have a guest speak from Gretna Police Department to talk to us about safety during the holidays along with a drug awareness program.

From the Chauvin Family to your family have a Happy Thanksgiving and God Bless you and your family.

A.J., Cathy and Kobe Chauvin

Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892

Brothers, dues for the final quarter of 2015 are now past due. If for any reason you cannot afford them at this time, please contact either the Grand Knight or myself now. We also have the new membership cards for 2016. If you would like to pay in advance, dues are still only \$40.00 per year. Upon hearing of the death of a brother member please contact me so proper arrangements can be made.

No Longer a Member of the Knights of Columbus:

Darrel Bartholomew and Brad Aucoin

November Birthdays

3 – Terry Toups	4 – Russell Templet
5 – Mark Soileau	5 – Arnold Valladares, III
9 – Martin St. Ann	11 – Joseph Chauvin
13 – Bradley Martin	25 – PGK Tony Buckley, III
26 – Richard Majeste	27 – Bernard LeBlanc
27 – Scott Pittman	29 – Billy Cannon

November Anniversaries:

4 – Warren and Yvonne Ferrand
17 – David and Susan Cantrelle
22 – Michael C. and Margaret Arnold, Jr.
23 – Lloyd and Linda Comeaux
27 – Arnold and Lucy Valladares, Sr.

Arthur Newby, DD Abnewb@att.net 368-5007

Brothers,

It is time to look at membership, remember everyone is a recruiter. If you know of a potential Member, sign him up and get him thru the First Degree. Please make sure if you are the sponsor, To attend all the degrees with that member, to show the support for that member. Also if you know of a Member who has dropped out for any reason, try to encourage him to re-instate his membership. It is important for all Members to bring in new recruits, for the support needed to maintain its membership.
Arthur

**Membership Director – Frank Falgoust
283-7807 ffallgo@hotmail.com**

Asking someone you know to join the Knights of Columbus is so easy. Have you asked someone to become a Knight of Columbus lately? If not, now is your opportunity.

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

First, thanks for everybody who came and helped at Gretna Fest. Just wish the weather was a little better. We do not have any figures as of this article.

Council 1905 has 5 members representing us at the State Nine Ball Tournament on November 14. If anyone else is interested let me know.

November 11th is Veterans Day, please remember all Veterans who served to protect the United States.

Light up for Christ will be held on December 1, 2015 at 7:00 PM at the hall.

Joe Tranchina, Sr., PGK, Council Director

**T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree Assembly # 322
Faithful Navigator Michael Chudzinski email:
nmchud@cmaaccess.com**

Sir Knights,

Our November meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 24th at Santa Maria Council home in Algiers.

November 11th is Veterans Day. We will have a dress out at the Gretna Market for this occasion.

**Ladies Auxiliary – Vicki Fogarty President
400-2783 Email: vickimikie@gmail.com**

Hello Everyone,

Our November meeting is on the 18th. Please bring food for the Thanksgiving baskets for families in need. We will be putting them together at the meeting. If you know of any family in need, please let me or Barbara Newby know.

We will also have a signup sheet at the meeting for the Christmas Party. We will do the party Pot Luck style and the auxiliary will provide a roast and a turkey. We will talk about the plans for the party at the November meeting.

Please pray for the souls of Lily Duhon and my father who passed away in October.

Pray to the Blessed Mother for peace,
Vicki

Pro Life Corner - Don & Dee Caskey Home 341-4512 or
Cell 884-0101 dcaskey53@yahoo.com

The Forty Days for Life Campaign started on Wednesday, September 23rd, with a Sunrise Service from 6:30 AM to 7:30 AM to kick off the campaign at the Causeway abortion mill. Our adopted day was Saturday, September 26th, 7AM to 7PM. I had limited response from the council and I cannot sufficiently express my gratitude for those that came out and prayed along with those that supported the unborn through prayers from home. We shared that date with the Gideon Church in Gentilly and there is a regular group that comes in the morning. In total, there were 71 people that signed the roster that day. We were a prayerful, peaceful but powerful witness. Last Friday a dear friend, that is a regular at the Ridgelake center, made a "save" it was a beautiful witness to how God's Love, when offered, can rescue not only the child, but it's mother as well. Nationwide, as of mid-October, there have been 349 mothers that changed their minds and decided to keep their babies.

I have been tied up with work in October, so if anyone would like to go on another date, the Campaign will run until November 1st. That evening there will be a closing ceremony at the Planned Parenthood facility on South Claiborne Ave. (close to the Baptist Hospital). I will try to make another date towards the end of October (job permitting) if you wish to join me at the Causeway clinic or the closing ceremony at Claiborne.

The Women's New Life Center is a true Life ministry for pregnant women that is operated by our Archdiocese. They currently operate a full service clinic next door to the Causeway abortion mill. They recently announced that they have acquired the lot next to the new Planned Parenthood site on South Claiborne and are building an alternative clinic with real life choices for expectant women and their babies providing prenatal and post-natal care.

We now have help with making the caskets for CBIB. Mr. Don Sampey is learning the art of fine cabinetry and has connections for scrap pieces of cypress from the Abbey Coffin ministry on the North Shore. His group, *The Monday Night Disciples*, is helping him with equipment.

A major donation of about ten cases of NEW varnish, stain and polyurethane was donated by Helm Paint on Canal Blvd. through the efforts and generosity of our own brother knight and cook Mr. Bernie Danjean,

Jr. This donation was shared with Mr. Sampey and our carpenter Mr. Greg Ledet. This stain and varnish will save a lot of money and make the coffins just as beautiful as professional ones for the grieving families. Both Greg Ledet and Don Sampey have used some of the stains with great results. We thank you again Brother Bernie.

Yours in Christ
Don and Dee Caskey

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**HAPPY
THANKSGIVING**

Archbishop Blenk Council 1905

NOVEMBER 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 All Saints Day	2 All Souls Day	3	4 6:30 Meal Council Mtg 7:30	5	6	7 Bingo
8	9	10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14 Bingo & NineBall Tournament
15	16	17	18 Auxiliary & 2nd Council Mtgs	19	20 Family Social	21 Bingo
22	23	24 Fourth Degree Meeting Santa Maria Algiers	25	26 Happy Thanksgiving	27	28 Bingo
29 Memorial Mass 9:30am St. Joseph Church Gretna	30	1	2 December Council Mtg 7:30	3 December	4 December	5 December Bingo

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