



# The Challenger

## KNIGHTS IN ACTION

August 2015 Issue



**ST. DOMINIC KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
COUNCIL #3729**

**VIVAT JESUS**

***Monthly Meeting August 13th***



### Grand Knights Report

The first two months of the fraternal year has been a whirlwind and the pace doesn't seem to be slowing down.

In August we held our Knight of Bowling, hosted Officer Training for Supreme attended by 100 Brother Knights and will be serving breakfast for the Lakeview Civic Association Katrina Run on August 29<sup>th</sup>.

Stay tuned as the coming months will be just as busy with council activities.

Thanks to all the Brother Knights that either participated are volunteered to help at each of the functions.....without your help none of this would be possible. Vivat Jesus, GK Robert Crais

### ***Knight of the Month***

The Knight of the Month is Past Grand Knight and Membership Director Vic Welker. Congrats to Vic.



### ***Family of the Month***

Our Family of the Month for August is the family of our Deputy Grand Knight John Ronquillo.



### Immaculate Heart of Mary

O Immaculate Heart of Mary, Heavenly beauty and splendor of the Father, You are the most valued Heavenly treasure.

New Eve, immaculate in soul, spirit and body, Created of the godly seed by the Spirit of God, You are the spiritual Mother of mankind.

Pure Virgin, full of grace then and now, Your whole being was raised Heavenly in full glory, To be elevated above all the hosts within the Kingdom of God.

O Heavenly Mother, Queen of Heaven and earth, I recognize the glory of your highest title, The Immaculate Heart of Mary!

Loving Mother, dispenser of endless blessings, You who continuously intercedes on our behalf, Please present my need before your loving Son Jesus.

(In your own words, make your special request here. Do not just mention a word. Speak to the Immaculate Heart of Mary as you would speak to another person, begging your Heavenly Mother to plea to Jesus on your behalf, that you be granted this special request.)

O Immaculate Heart of Mary, I know that you are now presenting my need before Jesus, For you have never turned away those in dire need.

Mother dearest, I await your favorable answer, Submitting myself to the Divine will of the Lord, For all glories are His forever and ever. Pray for me to the Mother of the Rosary and to her divine Son,

for I have great confidence that through your assistance I shall obtain the favor I so much desire: (mention your intentions). Amen

## **A KNIGHT OF BOWLING**

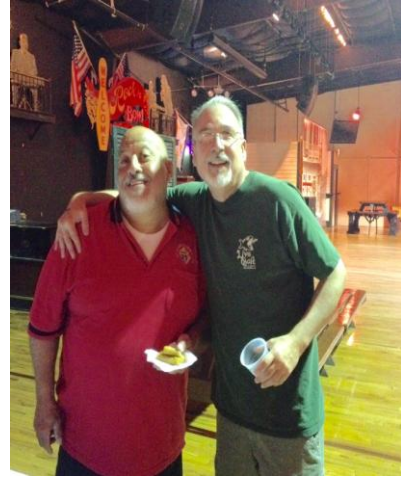
On Tuesday, August 18th, Knights, their families and friends came to together for a fun filled Knight Of Bowling at Word Famous Rock 'N' Bowl. Thanks to all that attended this very fun event.



Bob & Judy Martin with GK Robert Crais



Kit Keen and Sons



The Caveman and Gerald LaRocca



Jean Clavier and Jessie Crais



Bill Boesch Doing a Food Tasting

## **Membership Update**

We are off to a great start for new members in the Columbian Year of 2015/2016. We welcomed five new members to date. Our quota for the year is 17. We are at 29% of goal. However, we are down one insurance member so we need seven to make our quota. Invite a family member, friend or anyone you feel would be a great Knight.

**Kick  
Start!**



## *New Knights*



Welcome to our newest Knights Pat Barbaro, Randy Adams, Rene' Crais and Mark Zeldon, who is not pictured.

## The Value of Life Insurance for Children

As a father, you worry about your children and do many things to protect them. We try to raise them right and make sure they are prepared to become adults. But have you ever thought about buying life insurance on your child?

When you insure a child, you are protecting his or her future. Did you know that one out of every six adults get rated, postponed, or denied for insurance coverage? If you purchase a policy for your child from the Knights of Columbus, it guarantees that more insurance can be purchased for that child without proving insurability.

Unfortunately, as fathers we don't have a crystal ball to tell us the future of our children. Your child could eventually have a rare disease, cancer, or be overweight. Did you know you can purchase a child's policy, in many cases, for less than \$10 a month?

I've heard it said that people don't want to "profit" from the death of a child, so they won't purchase coverage on their children. God forbid something tragic happens, those funds can come in handy at a time when finances will be the last thing on a parent's mind. I have never heard a story about someone who regretting buying coverage on a child.

Contact me today to discuss the many policy options for child plans, including 10- and 20-Pay life insurance.

Mark Kingsbery  
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## *In Memory*

Warren Robert Frosch, Jr. passed away on Monday, August 3, 2015 at the age of 88. He was the beloved husband of Bessie Gagliano Frosch for 47 years. Loving father of Robert Joseph Frosch (Maria Tuttle Frosch). Proud grandfather of Elizabeth Nicole Frosch and Thomas Robert Frosch. Son of the late Warren Robert Frosch, Sr. and Elva Mary Punecky. Brother of the late Marilyn Austin and Lurlene Seeger. In addition to his immediate family, he is survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Warren proudly served in the Merchant Marines during World War II as a radio operator. He received an honorable discharge from the Coast Guard for his service. After the war, he continued to serve in the Merchant Marines and later in the Louisiana National Guard. Warren worked for AT&T for over 30 years as an installer/repairman and plant assigner. He was an active member of the Knights of Columbus - St Dominic Council 3729.



Celebrating birthdays in August are, Michael Calico, Michael Castine, Brian Lamy, Francis Berlin, William Villarubia, Marcel Farnet III, Ryan Russo, Rod Stieffle, Richard Valadie, Patrick Sens, Tim Meilleur, Quincy Crochet, Walter Eckert, Tim Hanzo, Fred Yoder, Gerard Schulin, Fredrick Yeager, Louis Gentry and Alex Lambert. Happy Birthday to all!!!

## *Knights of Columbus Officers Training Meeting August 24th*

The Christopher Room was the venue for a metro wide Knights of Columbus Officers Training Meeting held on August 24th. Joe Pietruszynski, Supreme Membership & Program Consultant, was the main presenter. He discussed all leadership positions and their responsibilities. In addition he spoke about proper reporting and setting goals for the Columbian Year in order to attain Star Council. Paul Gagnet, State Membership Director, spoke about recruiting and the importance of doing a First Degree at least once a month. Closing out the evening was Vernon Ducote, Louisiana State Deputy, about working as a council to attain all program goals. In total over 100+ attended the meeting. Thanks to hall management for setting up for the event and to our Kitchen Krewe for preparing a wonderful dinner for all of our Brother Knights.



Joe Pietruszynski



Uncle Paul "Roaring Like a Lion"



State Deputy Vernon Ducote on the Left



## Upcoming Events



Schedule On Right

Monthly Meeting Dates for 2015: Rosary @6:30 Followed by Dinner & Meeting

September 10th	October 8th	November 12th
December 10th	January 14th	February 11th



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 Saturday, September 12th. Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge. Competition begins at 4:00 PM. Lakeview Soccer Field at the corner of Marconi and Harrison. Open to boys and girls ages 9 to 14. Please contact Mike Champagne @504-782-4543 for more info.  
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 Sunday, September 13th. Saints vs. Cardinals Tailgate Party. Doors open at 2:00. Kickoff at 3:05. \$10.00 per person donation includes food, beer and refreshments. BYOL. There will be a football pool. \$5.00 per square. \$100.00 per quarter payout. Geaux Saints and Crunch the Cardinals!!!!  
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 Our council's Hour of Adoration is every Friday at 6:00 PM. Please E-mail Vic Welker at [vwelker55@gmail.com](mailto:vwelker55@gmail.com) if you can commit to be an adorer in the future.  
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