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From the Grand Knight

Congratulations to Brother Richard Belteau. He received his 2nd & 3rd Degree on 2/23/13.

I would like to thank everyone who helped with the Jambalaya dinner fundraiser. It was a great success. We raised \$3,000.00 and got rid of most of the tootsie rolls. The money will be split between Grainier Services and Lafourche ARC. They both provide invaluable services to the mentally handicapped in our parish.

Congratulations to Harley Benoit, David & Sharon's daughter. She is the winner of this year's CYLA scholarship for our council. We did not have any boy applicants this year.

All council directors who received this year's grading forms please return them to me at or before the next meeting.

Our council will be serving a spaghetti dinner for the St. Joseph's Alter on 3/19/13. We will need volunteers to help cook, serve and clean up. You can just show up at the church hall that afternoon. They will be serving around 7:00.

Due to conflicts with the St. Joseph's Alter, our family social will be in April instead of March. We will be having a regular meeting on March 6, 2013. I think we will be serving jambalaya at the meeting.

Please continue to keep Fr. Gallen in your prayers during his time of healing.

Vivat Jesus!



NOTICE

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, March 6 2013, in the Family Center at 7:00 PM.

Rosary at 6:45.

Activities Calendar



03-01-13	Lunch for Habitat for Humanity workers
03-06-13	Council Meeting @ 7:00
03-17-13	St. Patrick's Day
03-19-13	St. Joseph's Alter
03-24-13	Palm Sunday
03-29-13	Good Friday
03-31-13	Easter



Highlights from the February Meeting

- Congratulations to Knight of the Month, Brother **Howard Landry**
- Congratulations to Family of the Month, Brother **Harry Naquin** and his wife, **Jeanne**
- Council voted to purchase trophies for the free throw winners
- Council voted to cook a spaghetti dinner for St. Joseph's Alter
- Council voted to cook lunch for Habitat for Humanity workers on 3/1/2013

Our Lenten Journey, 2013



DAILY LENT PRAYER

"Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall declare your praise."

LOOKING INTO THE MIRROR: A LENTEN REFLECTION

Lent is about looking into a metaphorical mirror, the kind we hold up to our souls. Use the Lenten season to refocus your faith life and realign your relationship with God through 40 days of reflection.

PREPARATION FOR HOLY WEEK:

We enter into a week made "holy" forever by the self surrendering love of Jesus - for us all.

All week, we remember how he loved us. Whatever we do, no matter how busy or "distracted" we might be, we can let the power of this week be in the background of our daily reflections. He entered into our life - with its profound joys and its punishing evils - that we might never experience those struggles alone. So no matter what we experience during this week, we can let it become a

"holy" week, letting it all be touched by the graces of this week. From the humble, yet triumphant, entry into Jerusalem, to our standing together at the foot of his cross, this can be a week which helps us bring all of the elements of our lives, all our experiences of sin and death, into the font of his redeeming, liberating death resurrection.

May your Lenten Journey be one of reflection and deepen our commitment to a way of life, rooted in our baptism. Amen

Featured: Angels and Saints

St. Patrick
Feast Day: March 17



St. Patrick is one of the world's most popular saints.

Why a shamrock?

Patrick used the shamrock to explain the Trinity, and has been associated with him and the Irish since that time.

In His Footsteps:

Patrick was a humble, pious, gentle man, whose love and total devotion to and trust in God should be a shining example to each of us. He feared nothing, not even death, so complete was his trust in God, and of the importance of his mission.

