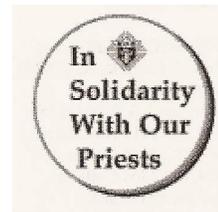




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Knights of Columbus Council 9016
Founded May 29, 1985



April 2011

Knights of Columbus: "Get One Step Closer to God and Have Fun Doing It"

Bishop Charles P. Greco

Grand Knight: Ernie Bonaccorso,



Lent is a time of forgiveness and penance in preparation for the anniversary of the death of Our Lord. This is the most sorrowful and joyous time of our church year. I hope you have

experienced a meaningful reflection in your faith during this Lenten season. Scripture says that if you "open up your hearts to God, He will fill it with all the blessing that are needed to sustain us in trouble times". ...Lent brings our annual fish fry fundraiser. I want to thank all the ladies and Brother Knights who have helped make this a successful endeavor; especially those who have come out early in the morning to prepare for our lunch deliveries. Through the first 3 weeks we have delivered over 200 lunches. This has proven to be a successful addition to this project. We have sold almost 900 dinners and profited about \$2,500 so far. Great job and well done to all...Our open meeting was well attended in March as we distributed our MDF proceeds to ARC and the diocese Special Education/Guardian Angel Center. Our Diocesan Superintendent of Education, Dr Melanie Verges, was in attendance to receive their check. We also had a special ceremony to recognize our Honorary and Honorary Life members newly named by Supreme: Sal Garafola, Joe Giacone, Pat Ryan, James Catha, Joe Mannino, Ed Landry, Herman Scallan & Don Troxclair. Our state service programs are done. Star Council is in sight if we can install 3 more members. Recruiting is everyone's job. We must make sure that every Catholic man 18 years of age is asked, "Would you like to join the only Catholic, family-oriented men's fraternal organization in the world that is growing in size?"...Nominations for convention delegate and council officers for the fraternal year 2011-12 will be open at the April business meeting. Delegates will be elected that night and officers at the June meeting ..I love all my brothers.
 Vivat Jesu.



March Family of the Month: Alex & Sybil Hunt
March Knight of the Month: PSD Steve Thomas
 Please come to the April meeting to pick up your award.

Ladies Auxiliary



Shirley Bonaccorso
 Thanks to all the ladies who have been helping with the Council's fish dinner fundraiser the Fridays of Lent. I am told that, as usual your help is invaluable especially since the council added lunch deliveries this year. Thanks also

to those who helped with the March open meeting...A reminder, the Rosary for Life and the Council's monthly Mass will be Sunday, April 3rd and our Bingo at the Flannery Oaks Nursing home is that afternoon. As usual, volunteers are needed for this event which takes place on the first Sunday of each month. Those wishing to assist need to be there by 1:15 as play begins at 1:30 and lasts about one hour....The annual Camellia House dance will be at 6PM on Friday, April 15th in the meeting room of the PAC. I know that this is a "fish dinner" night but your assistance would be greatly appreciated at the dance. The attendees look forward to the good music, the pictures and our smiling faces....Tickets are still being sought for the crawfish boil. If you have any unsold tickets please turn them in as soon as possible as there are others who might be able to see them. The drawing will be at the open meeting on April 28th. See the article on page 2 for details...The business meeting will be on April 14th and nominations for officers for the next year will be open. If you are interested in running for office please make sure someone knows. Elections will take place in May...Again, the business meeting will be April 14th with the Rosary at 6:30 followed by the meal and the meetings begin at 7:P30. See you there!

Dates to Remember

- April 3rd Pro Life Rosary 9AM
- April 14th Business Meeting
- April 21 Holy Thursday**
- April 22 Good Friday**
- April 24 EASTER**
- April 28 Open meeting; Crawfish Drawing
- May 1st Pro Life Rosary 9AM
- May 12 Business Meeting



Sick and Distressed: Please pray for our sick and distressed whether in mind or body, that God will heal them according to His will Pray for the military in harm's way that they return home safely. Pray for the unborn and those affected by abortion. Also remember: Martha Desselles, Joe & Mary Martinez; Gladden Norris, Joe Rickels, Mary & Albert Bordelon , Ed Landry, Peewee Baughman, Pray for the repose of the soul of Tom Sylvester's mother.



Forth Degree Steve Thomas:

Anyone interested in the Patriotic Degree contact **Steve Thomas at 752-0294 or Master Russell Ruh at 273-1137 or Joe Rickels at 272-0389.**

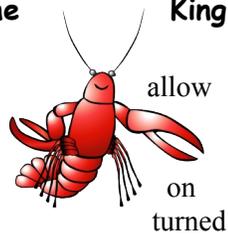
OFFICERS & DIRECTORS MEETING:

Always on the Monday BEFORE the business meeting at 7 PM. **So, we will meet on the 11th of April. All members are welcome to attend.**

January 22, 1973: June is a long time away, but, it is not too early to think about breakfast: The First Annual Father's for Life Benefit Breakfast. It will be at St Isidore Parish Activity Center (The Ott Center) 5657 Thomas Rd on Saturday, June 25th. All family members are welcome. The cost is \$30 each to benefit the Baton Rouge Right to Life.

CRAWFISH RAFFLE: is here, Ed "The King of the Crawfish "

Ed Falgoust will be accepting donations of \$1 per ticket to you and 20 of your best friends to a crawfish party at your house. The drawing will be at the OPEN meeting April 28th. Any unsold tickets should be in to Ed or Cheryl Thomas for possible resale. If you need tickets please contact Ed or Cheryl for returned tickets.



FISH FRYDAY:
Each Friday,
From March 11

through April 15th we will be frying the time away raising money for council activities. Come join the fun.



WELCOME TWO NEW MEMBERS: Frank Curcio has transferred to us from Council 3298. Welcome Brother Frank.. And Steve Hopkins who just joined the Order on March 23rd. Welcome Brother Steve.

GARAGE SALE: Brother Mike Armanini would like you to collect all of your good stuff that you do not want and donate it to SLKF 7Grade class's garage sale. Drop boxes are set up at each Mass on April 9 & 10. The Garage Sale is set for April 16th from 7-12 at the Early Learning Center.



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Studies have shown that life insurance is often a misunderstood product. Worse still, people are unsure where to find information on these products or are afraid to ask. As a member of this Order, you have access to me, a full time professional life insurance

agent. A large part of my role as field agent is to answer your questions and help make sure you and your family are protected...There are two basic types of life insurance coverage: term and whole life. Term as the name implies covers an insured for a specific period of time. Some liken this to "renting" life insurance. In the term or "rental" period, the policy holder remains covered as long as premiums are paid. When that term expires, so does the coverage. A new policy can be purchased, but it's most likely the rates will increase (the policy holder is not as



young as when the policy was first obtained) and it is possible the applicant cannot be insured anymore due to health issues. If you find that term covers your immediate needs, my advice would be to establish a plan to convert that term to whole life over

time... While term insurance certainly has a place in a balance portfolio, whole life has many advantages not offered by term. First, the coverage in place continues after the payment of premiums has stopped. Some payment periods last 10 or 20 years. A Single Premium Whole Life Policy asks that you make only one payment to attain lifelong coverage. The plan you choose is based on your goals and budget, of course, but there is one that will fit these needs....A second major advantage of whole life is the accumulation of cash values in the policy and the potential for dividends. To discuss these more, and all the plans and options available to you please contact me today. (My number is at the top of this column.)



If you want to learn more of the right to life movement go to www.LouisianaRighttoLifeFederation.org

You may join the Baton Rouge Right to Life Chapter at PO Box 86005 BR La 70879. DUES ARE \$5 A YEAR.

Please take the time to write our Representatives and Senators.

Senator Mary Landrieu
724 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington DC 20510
202-224-5824

Senator David Vitter
516 Hart Senate Office Building
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Jeremy Mannino April 1
Teresa Lalonde April 3
Mary Bordelon April 7
Roberta Ferrell April 9
Lester Strate April 12
Tommy Mannino April 21
Bailey Sanders April 24
Lester Narcisse April 30
Ricky Patterson April 30

Lou Ballard May 15
Charles McLaughlin May 16
Marie Shittone May 18
Dale Mouch, Jr May 21
Robert Cazes May 30
Norman Ryan May 31

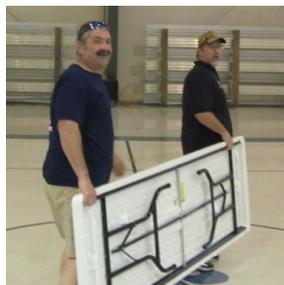
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Barry & Barbara Sanders April 14 Tom & Sharon Mannino May 24
Joe & Betty Rickels May 9 Billy & Carol Roberts May 25
PSD Steve & Cheryl Thomas May 18 Charles & Pat McLaughlin May 27
Bruce & Jackie Hernandez May 22 Herman & Mary Scallan May 28

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www.ProLifeLouisiana.org

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Joseph Accardo April 1
Teenie Bajon May 2

First Annual Fathers For Life Benefit Breakfast

Door Prizes and much more!

Guest Speaker: Chad Judice
Author of *Waiting for Eli*

Scrambled Eggs
Sausage - Grits
Biscuits - muffins
Fruit - yogurt
Coffee - juice

June 25, 2011
9:30 am - 11:30 am

The Ott Center
5657 Thomas Road, Baton Rouge, LA
For reservations call: (225) 667-7239

Sponsored By:
Baton Rouge Right To Life

\$30 per person or \$150 per table of six

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CHILD: AN UNBORN OR RECENTLY BORN PERSON; WEBSTER'S NEW COLLEGIATE DICTIONARY, 1980
ULTRASOUND: IF IT IS NOT A BABY, WHAT IS THE FEAR? STOP ABORTION!

Pro Life Rosary is on the First Sunday of each Month at 9AM at St. Louis Church

UNITED WE STAND



For Our God, Our Country, Our Order and Our Priests



MEETING NOTICE
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 9016 Meets
Where: St. Louis Activity Center
When: April 14, 2011
Time: 6:30 PM Rosary
Ernest Bonaccorso, Jr GK

