



The Knightly News

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From the Grand Knight

Worthy Brothers,

RAP!

With my first swing of the almighty gavel, I called the Reilley Council 10668 to order on Tuesday, the sixth of July . . . and promptly knocked over my water bottle.

If you failed to attend the meeting, then you missed a milestone. After calling the Council to order, I removed a raincoat to unveil the first of three new suits—and a tuxedo no less! If word of that ever gets out to the other new Grand Knights in the district, then they will surely kill me! Plus, the next time that you see me in a tuxedo, I will either be getting married or buried.

More importantly, you *also* missed the unveiling of a new format for the sixty day look-ahead. With this version, my intention is to create a true, “one-stop shopping” document that contains everything you need to know for the next two months. The new look-ahead is included in this newsletter, so check it out.

Granted, August is not busy. But September’s First Degree Exemplification, Oktoberfest, and initial Shrimp Boil effort are just a foreshadowing of what is to come as our Fraternal year moves forward. March and April will prove that there is no rest for the weary.

You will also note that the new sixty day look-ahead contains both the phone number and the e-mail address of the point man for each event. Thus, there’s no excuse to let questions go unanswered or to not get involved.

Lastly, please place this new sixty day look-ahead on your refrigerator or your computer desk or your nightstand . . . *anyplace* where it is highly visible and easily accessible.

RAP!

With my final swing of the almighty gavel, I adjourned the Reilley Council 10668 on Tuesday, the sixth of July. But not after constantly stepping on my tongue, failing to respond with the proper hand motion, and being informed that I had forgotten the top stud in my tuxedo’s shirt.

**** Sigh ****

But the night wasn’t a total fiasco for me, because the meeting’s attendees remembered to recycle. I hauled home two bags of aluminum cans and plastic bottles. Thanks!

Vivat Jesus!
John Scanlan, GK

Business Meeting

Monday August 2nd,

7:30 PM

BROTHERS IN DISTRESS



Ongoing

- ◆ Dani Haines, wife of Howard
- ◆ Mother of Kent Amalla
- ◆ Bill Cantesano
- ◆ Holly Ann, daughter of Bob Allen
- ◆ Mary Myers, sister of Frank Concino
- ◆ Frank Concino
- ◆ Bill Mottel
- ◆ Bill Dunham
- ◆ Ronnie Ficco, wife of IPSD Bob Ficco
- ◆ Christina, sister of our seminarian, Javier Heredia
- ◆ Grace Ugorek, sister of Walt O'Krongley
- ◆ Pam Weyeneth, wife of Bill
- ◆ Steve Cuniff
- ◆ Cassidy McPartland
- ◆ Mike Reugamer
- ◆ Kathleen Rail Welch, daughter of Mike Rail
- ◆ Adie Russo, widow of Dick Russo
- ◆ Barbara Sylvestre, wife of Emil
- ◆ Joe Crepeau, brother-in-law of Pat Falciglia
- ◆ Dan Loria, brother-in-law of Pat Falciglia
- ◆ John Reda
- ◆ Ray Hock
- ◆ Barbara Reilly, widow of Tom
- ◆ Patricia Lombardi, sister-in-law of Bob Doyle

New

- ◆ Ruth Ellen Dolan, wife of Rich

Recuperating

- ◆ Dee Mika, wife of FDD Mike
- ◆ Mary Jean Carpenter, wife of Graham
- ◆ Joe Rubino
- ◆ Marie Mahoney, wife of Lou
- ◆ Patrick Payne, grandson of Tom
- ◆ Phyllis Bidwell, wife of Bob
- ◆ Edward Hoffman, brother-in-law of Dave McMullen
- ◆ Pam Fried, daughter of Bob Bidwell

Recuperated

- ◆ Dennis Petragnani, step-son of Hal Wieland

Repose of the Soul

- ◆ Charlie Kaelin

- Aug 01 Neil J Meighan
- Aug 02 Gerard May
- Aug 02 Kevin Shebar
- Aug 02 Edward Stempien
- Aug 03 John O'Keefe
- Aug 04 William McIvor
- Aug 05 Robert Allen
- Aug 05 Elmer Cuthbertson
- Aug 06 Rev John-Paul Pentareddy
- Aug 07 David Green
- Aug 07 John MacNicholl
- Aug 07 John Toti Jr
- Aug 08 Deacon Joseph Nazzaro
- Aug 08 John Scanlan
- Aug 09 Ronald Basciano
- Aug 10 Gerald Coghlan
- Aug 10 Lawrence Cygan
- Aug 11 Dr Timothy Gross
- Aug 11 Peter Paloni
- Aug 12 Terence Conway
- Aug 13 Theodore Druhot
- Aug 15 Frank Deturris Jr
- Aug 15 Nathan Klein
- Aug 20 Thomas Payne
- Aug 20 Allen Staib
- Aug 20 Dr Emile Sylvestre
- Aug 21 Thomas Hill
- Aug 21 Russell Piccioni
- Aug 23 Walter Okrongley
- Aug 24 Henry Steiner
- Aug 29 Meredith Harlacher

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They say such nice things about people at their funerals that it makes me sad to realize that I'm going to miss mine by just a few days.

Garrison Keiller

Our Lady of Fatima Said:

OFFERING: "Will you offer yourselves to God, and bear all the sufferings He sends you? In atonement for all the sins that offend Him? And for the conversion of sinners?"



BLESSED SACRAMENT: Our Lady opened her hands and flooded the children in light. They fell to their knees, repeating: "O Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, My God, I love Thee in the Most Blessed Sacrament!"

HEAVEN: "I come from heaven." Our Lady promised that the children to whom she appeared will go to heaven, but one of them would have to pray many rosaries.

PURGATORY: "She is in purgatory." Our Lady was referring to a friend of the children who had recently died—her name was Amelia.

ROSARY: "Say the Rosary every day, to obtain peace for the world. Add after each decade the following prayer: "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy."

IMMACULATE HEART: "My Immaculate Heart will be your comfort and the way which will lead you to God."

SACRIFICES: "Make sacrifices for sinners, and say often, especially while making a sacrifice: "O Jesus, this is for love of Thee, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for the offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary."

HELL: "You have seen hell, where the souls of sinners go. It is to save them that God wants to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If you do what I tell you, many souls will be saved, and there will be peace." As Our Lady spoke these words, she opened her hands, and the children were able to see a sea of fire. Plunged in this flame were devils and souls that looked like transparent embers; others were black or bronze, and in human form; these were suspended in flames which seemed to come from the forms themselves--there to remain, without weight or equilibrium, amid cries of pain and despair which horrified the children so that they trembled with fear. The devils could be distinguished from the damned souls by the terrifying forms of weird and unknown animals in which they were cast. *(taken from the memoirs of Lucia)*

5 WARNINGS: "If my requests are not granted, Russia will scatter her errors throughout the world, provoking wars and persecutions of the Church. The good will be martyred, the Holy Father will have much to suffer, and various nations will be destroyed!"

PEACE: "If my requests are fulfilled, Russia will be converted and there will be peace.... In the end, my Im-

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Chalice for Vocations Schedule



June 27 - July 4	Chris Paris 715-0234
July 4 - July 11	Bill Mullane 342-5789
July 11 - 18	Jules Parrella 785-5538
July 18 - 25	Bill Cotter 342-7209
July 25 - August 1	Jack Cavagnaro 689-9064
August 1 - August 8	Lou Mahoney 342-3536
August 8 - August 15	Rich Regan 681-5092
August 15 - August 22	Bob Bidwell 757-5748
August 22 - August 29	Joe Paige 342-6623
August 29 - September 5	
September 5 - September 12	
September 12 - September 19	
September 19 - September 26	

**Please e-mail Deacon Joe at
deaconjoen@aol.com
to sign up for the open weeks.**



ADORATION HOUR

The Holy Hour is meant as an act of reparation to Jesus Christ. The devotion takes its form from Jesus' agony in the Garden of Gethsemane the night before his crucifixion. According to the Gospel of Matthew, Jesus spoke to his disciples, saying **"My soul is sorrowful even to death. Remain here and keep watch with me."** (Matthew 26:38) Returning to the disciples after prayer, he found them asleep and chastised Peter, asking **"So you could not keep watch with me for one hour?"** (Matthew 26:40)

If you don't currently participate in the Adoration Devotion, please give it your consideration and contact Brother George Bellas for a time assignment.



Once while St. Francis of Assisi was hoeing his garden, he was asked, "What would you do if you were suddenly to learn that you were to die at sunset today?"

He replied, "I would finish hoeing my garden."

From Our Deputy Grand Knight

Peter Ungaro

As my first meeting as Deputy Grand Knight unfolded, it dawned on me that for the last 4 years I had attended meetings and looked towards the front of the meeting hall. I was always impressed by the awards, the Council Stars, the leadership and the ceremonials. Now after a meeting as DGK, sitting in the front looking out on the audience, I realize the really impressive sight is the membership who attend the meetings and are Council 10668. Past Grand Knights, very active Knights and good Christian men trying to make a difference are the impressive ones!

As I perform my duties as DGK, I will also be the chairman of the annual golf tournament. The first information will be out to you soon. Start planning for another great day of golf, camaraderie and good food on Tuesday, February 15, 2010.

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maculate Heart will triumph.... a period of peace will be granted to the world."

PRAY: "Pray, pray, a great deal, and make the sacrifices for sinners, for many souls go to hell because they have no one to make sacrifices and pray for them."

WAR: "War is a punishment from God for sins!"

AMEND: "I have come to warn the faithful to amend their lives and ask pardon for their sins. They must not continue to offend Our Lord Who is already deeply offended."

ST. JOSEPH: The only saint who appeared at Fatima besides Our Lady. St. Joseph held the Child Jesus in his arms and blessed the 70,000 people three times. It is he of whom it has been said: "The sound of victory will be heard when the faithful recognize the sanctity of St. Joseph."

SCAPULAR: In the final vision, on October 13, 1917, Our Lady silently held out the Scapular. Lucia has said the Blessed Mother wants everyone to wear it.... "The Scapular and the Rosary are inseparable."

1st SATURDAY DEVOTION: "I promise to help at the hour of death with graces needed for salvation, whoever: on the 1st Saturday of 5 consecutive months, shall confess and receive Holy Communion; recite 5 decades of the Rosary; and keep me company for 15 minutes while meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary with the intention of making reparation to my Immaculate Heart."

FASHIONS: "Certain fashions will be introduced that will offend Our Lord very much."

6th COMMANDMENT: "More souls go to hell because of sins of the flesh than for any other reason."

MARRIAGES: "Many marriages are not good; they do not please Our Lord and are not of God."

PRIESTS: "Priests must be pure, very pure. They should not busy themselves with anything except what concerns the Church and souls. The disobedience of priests to their superiors and to the Holy Father is very displeasing to Our Lord."

4th DEGREE UPDATE

Final call for candidates to take one day 4th degree at St. Peter's in Beaufort on Saturday, August 28th. Call Jack Cavagnaro at 689-9064 or E-mail at cav62489@aol.com.

All current Sir Knights are invited to attend as observers. Dress is black tuxedo with social baldric. It starts with Mass at 10AM, followed by luncheon, and exemplification in the afternoon. Ladies invited, with afternoon ladies program planned. Send check for \$25 per person for luncheon, payable to KofC Assembly #2280 to Jack Cavagnaro, 15 Teal Lane, Hilton Head, SC to arrive no later than July 30th. Note with check if you have regalia and want to be part of the honor guard. Honor guard needs to arrive by 9AM.

Editors Note:

We would like to get some idea of how many of our brothers are reading the monthly newsletter.

If you do read the newsletter would you kindly reply to the e-mail which brought you this newsletter and let us know. You can simply state that "I read it". Please include your name in the e-mail.

Everyone who responds will be entered into a pool and one name will be selected. The winner will have his annual dues waved for this year. Thank you for your help.

*"Stupidity is also a gift of God,
but one mustn't misuse it"*

Pope John Paul II

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS PRESENTED AT JULY 6th BUSINESS MEETING



Each year Council 10668 awards a \$1,000 scholarship to three high school graduates whose parents or grandparents are members of St. Francis by the Sea parish or members of the K of C Council 10668. This program is headed up by Brother Stan Sadowski, chairman of the Youth Committee. This year's winners were Mallory Mecca, Janel Raquet, and Katherine Doyle.

Stan Sadowski and Diane Boyle presented Katherine Doyle (center) with the John Boyle Memorial Scholarship Award. Other recipients Mallory Mecca and Janel Raquet could not be present at the meeting to accept their award.



*Past Grand Knight Brad Simpson presented Brother John Reda with the **Knight of the Year Award** at the July 6th business meeting.*

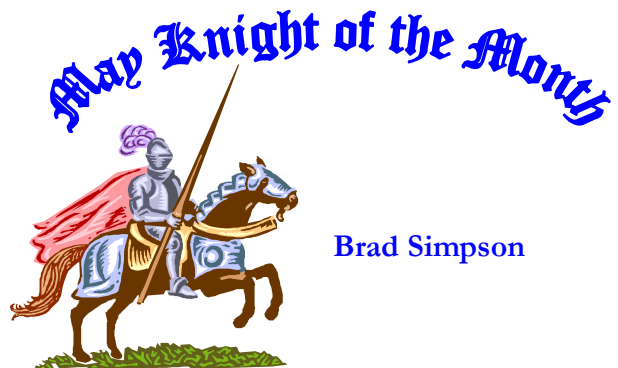


*Brother Nick Sharr and wife Carol accept the **Family of the Year Award** from past Grand Knight Brad Simpson.*

Treasurer's Year-End Financial Report John Reda,

Our fiscal year ended on June 30th. While total actual income came in at \$6,000 below the budgeted income, total actual expenses came in \$9,000 below budgeted expenses. This resulted in a \$3,000 favorability which is reflected in our year end bank balance. Our opening bank balance for the fiscal year was \$8,800. We ended the year with a bank balance of 12,090 which is \$3,290 over our opening bank balance.

Work is currently underway on the 2010 - 2011 budget. This will be made available to members when it has been completed.



Family of the Month Brad and Nancy Simpson

Both awards were for efforts which went over and above the norm in making both the Ladies Appreciation Night and the June 27th Induction ceremony a huge success.

Great Fun
Great Food

Great Friends



Friday, Sept. 10, 4-8 pm
Dolphin Head Park in HHP

- * A Special Party just for Knights and their Ladies
- * A special Council social mixer and an opportunity to meet our new Knights and their Ladies

Bratwurst - Italian Sausage
Burgers - all the trimmings
Beer, Wine, Soda, Water, etc.
Please bring a covered dish,
Salad, Potato, Pasta or Dessert

MUSIC, GAMES and a SING-A-LONG

\$10 per adult, \$5 for kids under 12

Due to site capacity, the event is limited to first 150

Get Your Tickets Now: Call Lee Sturm 689-3214

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CATHOLICS IN CONGRESS

The Catholic Church is largest single religious denomination in the United States with 23% of the population. With 68 million members, the United States has the fourth largest Catholic population in the world after Brazil, Mexico and the Philippines.

As he ran for the White House, John F. Kennedy assured skeptical Americans that he was "not the Catholic candidate for president," but rather a "candidate for president who happens also to be Catholic." In 1961, the year he took office, Catholics accounted for 18.8% of Congress. In the current 111th Congress about 30% of its membership are Catholic, according to a recent analysis by Congressional Quarterly and the Pew Forum on Religion & Public Life. The shift reflects greater religious diversity both across the nation and on Capitol Hill. "We see much more acceptance of religious groups that have in the past . . . suffered some prejudice," said David Masci, a senior research fellow at the Pew Forum and coauthor of the report. Catholics, at just less than 24% of the U.S. population, have gained more congressional seats since 1961 than any other religious affiliation, the report found.

Religious Affiliations of Members of Congress ¹¹¹

Religion	Percent
Protestant	54.7%
Catholic	30.1%
Jewish	8.4%
Mormon	2.6%
Orthodox	1.3%
Unknown	0.9%
Other Christian	0.6%
Other religions	0.6%
Muslim	0.4%
Buddhist	0.4%

Most Members of the 111th Congress cite a specific religious affiliation. Protestants (Episcopalians, Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians, and others) collectively constitute the majority religious affiliation of Members. **Roman Catholics, however, account for the largest single religious denomination.** Other affiliations include Greek Orthodox, Jewish, Christian Scientist, Quaker, and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Mormon). There are also two Buddhists and two Muslims in the House.

CATHOLICS ON THE SUPREME COURT

Catholics hold a majority on the Supreme Court. For 150 years, from 1836 to 1986, there was usually just one Catholic -- and never more than two -- serving on the Supreme Court at a time.

The religious affiliation of the justices is not a burning issue because "we've learned that Catholics can be conservative or liberal, and that in terms of judges, ideology trumps any sort of presumption about church doctrine -- and that's true whether the justice is a Protestant, a Catholic or a Jew," writes Dennis J. Hutchinson, a court historian at the University of Chicago. He notes that one of the most liberal Supreme Court justices of the 20th century, William J. Brennan, was a Catholic, and so is one of the most conservative, Scalia.

Hutchinson questioned whether it makes any real sense to speak of a "Catholic majority" on the court when the Catholic Justices may disagree on hot-button social issues. Kennedy, for example, has reaffirmed the court's 1973 abortion rights decision, *Roe v. Wade*, and has written recent decisions that struck down anti-sodomy laws and the death penalty for juveniles, provoking blistering dissents from Scalia.

Notre Dame law professor Gerald V. Bradley predicted that with the exception of Kennedy, the Catholic justices will be drawn together, for two reasons. "One is their moral traditionalism, a position which is surely in line with their Catholic faith and which they hold, I should think, at least partly due to their faith," he said. "But it is mainly their honest view of the law and of the role of a judge that will cause them to congeal insofar as they do, and not really their Catholicism."

JUSTICE	RELIGION
John Roberts (Chief Justice)	Catholic
Anthony Kennedy	Catholic
Antonin Scalia	Catholic
Sonia Sotomayer	Catholic
Clarence Thomas	Catholic
Samuel Alito	Catholic
Stephen Breyer	Jewish
Ruth Bader Ginsburg	Jewish
John Paul Stevens	Protestant

Why go to Church?

If you're spiritually alive, you're going to love this! If you're spiritually dead, you won't want to read it. If you're spiritually curious, there is still hope!

Why Go To Church?

A Church goer wrote a letter to the editor of a newspaper and complained that it made no sense to go to church every Sunday... "I've gone for 30 years now," he wrote, "and in that time I have heard something like 203,000 sermons. But for the life of me, I can't remember a single one of them. So, I think I'm wasting my time and the pastors are wasting theirs by giving sermons at all."

This started a real controversy in the "Letters to the Editor" column, much to the delight of the editor. It went on for weeks until someone wrote this clincher:

"I've been married for 30 years now. In that time my wife has cooked some 32,000 meals. But, for the life of me, I cannot recall the entire menu for a single one of those meals. But I do know this.. They all nourished me and gave me the strength I needed to do my work. If my wife had not given me these meals, I would be physically dead today. Likewise, if I had not gone to church for nourishment, I would be spiritually dead today!" When you are DOWN to nothing... God is UP to something! Faith sees the invisible, believes the incredible and receives the impossible! Thank God for our physical AND our spiritual nourishment!

THE SECOND ANNUAL ROBERT B. KILLENBERGER MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

February 15, 2011

Golden Bear Golf Club – Hilton Head, SC

- ◆ Includes: Green Fees, Cart, Range Balls, Dinner after tournament including Beer, Wine and Soda.
- ◆ Format will be a Scramble. There will be Mulligan packets for sale. There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd plus Closest to the Pin competitions. A 50/50 Raffle with additional prizes.
- ◆ You can sign up as a Foursome or we will group players into a foursome.
- ◆ Check-in will be 8:00 AM to 8:45 AM and there will be a shotgun start at 9:00 AM.

**Make Plans to Play.
Knights, Gentlemen and Ladies invited.
More info to follow.**

**For application please contact Pete Ungaro
(843) 422-1453 or PMUngaro@aol.com**



K of C 10668 - 2010 - 2011 Calendar

MONTH	DATE	TIME	EVENT	RESPONSIBLE	CONTACT	
AUG.	Mon 2	7:30 PM	Business Meeting There will be no Officers & Chairmen mtg at 7:00 There will be no First Degree Exemplification	Grand Knight John Scanlan	342-2793 ping1@hargray.com	
	Fri 6	10:00 AM	Initial Planning Meeting for the Shrimp Boil at IHOP For shrimp boil planning committee and any other interested Knights	Grand Knight John Scanlan	342-2793 ping1@hargray.com	
	Sat 14	12:30 PM	2nd Degree Exemplification at St. Andrew Hall, Bluffton Coat and tie required	Membership Bill Burger	681-8815 burgerws@aol.com	
	Mon 16	7:00 PM	Social meeting Topic - Fraternal Benefits New First Degree Knights are encouraged to attend Wives are welcome	Lecturer Jeff Norkus Insurance Rep Tom O'Brien	681-9115 jnorkus2@hargray.com 683-6855 tomobriensc@yahoo.com	
	Sat 28	9:00 AM	4th Degree exemplification at Saint Peters, Beaufort	Faithful Navigator Ken James	689-6038 kjamjazz@hargray.com	
	Mon 30	7:30 PM	Admissions Committee Meeting in St. Clare Room Anyone with an interest in the Knights receives basic information, a brief history, our guiding principles, and an organization chart	Admissions Carl Fenstermaker	689-5587 dutchmancarl@roadrunner	
	SEPT	Tues 7	7:00 PM	First Degree Exemplification, then Business Meeting There will be no officers & chairmen mtg @ 6:30 Shrimp Boil tickets available for sale	Grand Knight John Scanlan	342-2793 ping1@hargray.com
		Fri 10	4:00 to 8:00 PM	Oktoberfest Munich moves to the Dolphin Head Rec Area inside of Hilton Head Plantation.	Council Committee Dennis Lauzon	342-4850 dalauzon@hotmail.com
		Thurs 16	8:15 AM	Bulletin stuffing party for Shrimp Boil insert Held in the back room behind the altar	Grand Knight John Scanlan	342-2793 ping1@hargray.com
		Sat 18	5:15 & 6:30 PM	Bottle Collection Weekend	Grand Knight	342-2793
Sun 19		8:15 AM to 12:30 PM	The Grand Knight will be in the Parish Center taking bottle donations for the "Wheelbarrow full of Cheer"	John Scanlan	ping1@hargray.com	
Sat 25 & Sun 26		All Masses	Shrimp Boil ticket sales on the Plaza in front of church Please stop by and help the Chairman sell tickets	Grand Knight John Scanlan	342-2793 ping1@hargray.com	
Mon 27		7:30 PM	Admissions Committee Meeting Anyone with an interest in the Knights receives basic information, a brief history, our guiding principles, and an organization chart	Admissions Carl Fenstermaker	689-5587 dutchmancarl@roadrunner	



The reaction to Pharaoh's new health care plan was truly unexpected