

# MONSIGNOR ALBERT A. SIENER ASSEMBLY 1627

## 4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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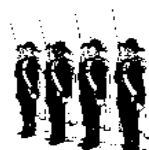
**St. Joseph**  
Council 3763

**Holy Rosary**  
Council 4972

**Holy Name**  
Council 9211

**St. Stephen**  
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**St. Frances Cabrini**  
Council 9787



## JULY 2008 NEWSLETTER

### 2008-09 OFFICERS

FAITHFUL FRIAR  
Deacon  
Wayne Gregory 889-6127

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR  
Kevin Hennessy 883-0844

FAITHFUL CAPTAIN  
Mark Mayer 944-7943

FAITHFUL PILOT  
Andy Sharp 874-2444

FAITHFUL INNER  
SENTINEL  
Joe Chilando 859-4981

FAITHFUL OUTER  
SENTINEL  
Kurt Steckel 885-2649

FAITHFUL ADMIRAL  
David Parkerson 847-0600

FAITHFUL SCRIBE  
John Norfleet 883-5961

FAITHFUL PURSER  
Bob Copeskey 758-8936

FAITHFUL COMPROLLER  
Ed English 758-9709

3 YEAR TRUSTEE  
Mark Fyke 847-2377

2 YEAR TRUSTEE  
Cliff Reinert 228-7909

1 YEAR TRUSTEE  
Bob Copeskey 758-8936

- I would like to thank all the Sir Knights who voted me in as your new Faithful Navigator for the fraternal year 2008/2009. I would also like to thank our past Faithful Navigator, David Parkerson, for his selfless and wonderful leadership of our assembly over this past fraternal year!!!!

It is my desire to lead our assembly forward this new, upcoming year and to hold true our faithful "watchword" of PATRIOTISM!! I want my fellow Sir Knights to always be ready to form Honor Guards for fallen Brothers and for any other activities called upon us by our Bishop and Diocesan leaders.

I would like to take this time to recognize all those who currently serve or have served in our country's armed forces and as we get ready to celebrate our country's birthday on July 4th, I extend my heartfelt blessings to all my fellow Sir Knights and your families for a wonderful and safe July 4th Holiday weekend!!!

Fraternally, Kevin

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**GOOD OF THE ORDER**

**For those who are sick or recovering from surgery:** Tom Malone-1627/9282; Father Paul St. Charles-1627/4972; Walter Knapp-1627/9282; Father Bryan Timby (Holy Rosary-Memphis); Liz Humaney (sister-in-law of Bill Gunter-1627/9282); Mary Myers (spouse of Chris Myers-DD#6/3537/2328); Susie Pfister (sister-in-law of Bill Bell-1627/3763); Macie Dolan (daughter-in-law of Tom Dolan-9282); Terri English (daughter-in-law of Ed English & sister-in-law of John Williams both of 1627/9282); Mary & Kenrick Oxley-1627/9282; Elmer Scheidhauer-1923/7820; Betty & William Maier-PSD; Dan Romer-PSD; Marcile Schmitz & Gertrude Nienberg [aunt(s) of Steve Molnar-1627/9282]; Walter Banko (uncle of John Williams-1627/9282); Mike Reilly (brother of Pat Reilly-9282); J.C. Howard (father-in-law of Jay Hoover-9282); Brad Williams (brother-in-law of Michael Tate-9282); Bernard Backes-4th Degree member (father of Paul Backes-9282); Katie Osborne (daughter of John Osborne-4972); Gene Orscheln-4th Degree member in MS (brother of Frank Orscheln-1627/4972); Josephine Williams (mother of John Williams-1627/9282); Charlene Lawrence (sister of John Crumby-1627/4972); Larry O'Connor (father-in-law of Tom McPhail-1627/4972); Joe Sullivan-4972/1627; Jennifer Bennett (sister-in-law of Al Steinmetz-9282); Susan Powell (spouse of Larry Powell-1627/4972); Ellington Grant (brother of Kenrick Oxley-9282/1627); Nell Byrd (spouse of Jim Byrd-10010); Nora Morrissey (daughter-in-law of Bill Morrissey-9282); Terry Pendergrass, Thomas Gregson (brother of John Gregson-9282); Tommy Wolf; Jimmy Baltz (cousin of Father Steve Wolf-9282); Tim Keogh (Principal of HRA); Mary Mann (mother of Robert Mann-9282); Nell Byrd (spouse of Jim Byrd-10010); Mike Dwyer (nephew of SM Bill Gunter-1627/9282); Rose Thompson (mother of Larry Thompson-1627/9282); Jerry Baker-9282; Tom Mackie-1627/9282; Justin Martin (son of Richard Martin); Kelly Muldoon (daughter of Sean Muldoon-9282) and Leanne Fox (mother-in-law of Mac Crook-9282).

**For those who have died:** Robert Gregson (brother of John Gregson-9282); Helen Largent Baker (mother of Scott Baker-4972); Mario Seta-4th Degree SK (Lt Col, U.S. Army retired); Eva Jean Hatcher (spouse of Eldon Hatcher-1627/3763); Bob Stilo (friend of Linda & Richard Martin-9282) and Mamie Herd [spouse of Larry Herd-4972 (deceased)].

**For those who are homebound or in nursing homes:** Pauline Bourland (mother of Deacon Fred Bourland-1627/9282); Jim Beazley-1627/4972; Elizabeth Huck (mother of Tom Malone-9282/1627); John Harris (father of Chip Harris-1627/9282); Bernardine & Elizabeth Baltz (sister of Romey Baltz-9282); June Marie Anderson (spouse of Gary Anderson-9282); Mary Ann Rejefski (spouse of Bill Rejefski-9282); Josephine Foley (mother of Mike Foley-1627/9282); Helen Prudhomme (spouse of PSD John Prudhomme); James "Jim" Burns-4972; Miyo Pizzillo (mother of Gabe Pizzillo-9282); Msgr. James P. Hitchcock; Msgr. George W. Rohling; Mary Elizabeth Boyd (mother-in-law of Greg Wathen-9282) and Helen Porter (mother of SS Mike Porter-1627/9282).

**For our military personnel especially those who are involved in the Middle East Crisis:** Henry "Buster" Beazley, U.S. Marine Corps; Elizabeth "Liz" Beazley, U.S. Navy; Adam Aleywine, U. S. Air Force; Alan and Natasha (Bergfalk) Bratz, U.S. Navy; Bryan White, U.S. Marine Corps; Dan Millay, U.S. Marine Corps; James Conklin, U.S. Navy; Travis Kersey, U.S. Air Force; Justin Collins, U.S. Army; Jeremy Bolstad, U.S. Air Force; J. Kevin Johnson, U.S. Army; Robert Massey, U.S. Navy; Brent Tidwell, U.S. Marine Corps; Jamie Riles, U.S. Army; Mark Fyke, Jr., U.S. Marine Corps; Craig J. Laurin, U.S. Army; Adam Bowers, U.S. Army; David Farley, U.S. Army; Lesile Cooper, RN, U.S. Army in Iraq and Travis Porter, U.S. Air Force.

## THOUGHT(S) FOR THE SEASON

.....The Lord gave us two ends – one to sit on and the other to think with. Success depends on which one we use the most.

.....Ann Landers ((American advice columnist, 20th century)

.....Freedom has its life in the hearts, the actions, the spirit of [people] and so it must be daily earned and refreshed – else like a flower cut from its life-giving roots, it will wither and die.

.....Dwight D. Eisenhower, 34th president of the United States, 20th century)

.....There is a tendency today for people to say...that they have no time for prayer. What they mean is, they do not have a peaceful hour....If that is the day God has given them, then God awaits their praying hearts under precisely these conditions....Most of us can manage a 10-minute silence. It may be have to be in the lavatory, or the bath, or the car....Take these times, poor crumbs of minutes though they be, and give yourself to God in them.

.....Sister Wendy on prayer

.....Remember not only to say the right thing in the right place, but far more difficult still, to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.

.....Sir Winston Churchill (British prime minister, 20th century)

.... Climb up on some hill at sunrise. Everybody needs perspective once in a while, and you'll find it there.

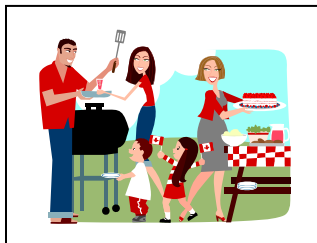
.....Robb Sagendorph (Editor and publisher, 20th century)

Above quotes were taken from the article “Words for Quiet Moments” in the Catholic Digest, July 2008 issue.

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### JUNE JACKPOT WINNERS:

There were no drawings because of the annual picnic.



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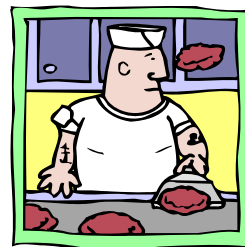
What a wonderful thing e-mail is. With the click of a button I can send information to every knight across the state, no matter where his location is. Even when that Knight is on vacation or working out of state, we have a connection that is always open. The only thing I need is an address to send the information to. My e-mail address is [johnlannorfleet@bellsouth.net](mailto:johnlannorfleet@bellsouth.net) . Please send me yours. If not, we may have to break out the phone tree, and I don't think we want to do that.

Respectfully,

John Norfleet  
Faithful Scribe

### NOTICE:

Come to the Clubhouse before our 7 o'clock meetings and you can get a meat plus 2 plate for \$5.00. They start serving around 5:30.





## **ASSEMBLY HAPPENINGS FOR LATE MAY & JUNE 2008**

A 15-man **Honor Guard** was present with **Bishop David Choby** at the **rededication of the Veterans section of Calvary Cemetery** on Sunday, **May 25**. Representing **Assembly 1627** were SM **Bill Gunter, John Norfleet, Dennis Kaney, Ernest Plus, Joe Fricault, Frank Orscheln** and **Cliff Reinert**. The remainder of the HG was from **Assemblies 1081, 2389 and 2936**. Between 50 and 65 people from various parishes of the Nashville Diocese attended the ceremony.

Those who participated in the **Honor Guard** at the annual **Memorial Day** service at the **National Veterans Cemetery** in Madison on Monday, **May 26** were the following **Sir Knights** from **Assembly 1627**: DM **Bill Gunter, Cliff Reinert, Dennis Kaney, Joe Fricault, Frank Orscheln, John Balut, Kevin Hennessy, John Zabaski** and **Jim Kelly**. Representing **Assemblies 2389 and 2936** were SA **John Park, PSD Marty O'Haver, Ron Wagner, Murray Wimmer** and **Doug Blake**. Also in attendance but not dressed out were Bob Copeskey and Bill Bell. Between 75-80 were in attendance at the ceremony.

Representing **Assembly 1627** at the **ordination Mass** on Friday, **May 30** at the **Cathedral of the Incarnation** for deacons **Nicholas Allen, Anthony Lopez** and **Mark Sappenfield** were SM **Bill Gunter, John Norfleet, Jim Tohill, Cliff Reinert, Joe Fricault, Dennis Kaney** and **Mark Mayer**. The remainder of the HG was from **Assembly 2936** (Jim Banton, Marty Gellers, SW John Park and John Conzalina); **Assembly 2328** (Don Owens); **Assembly 2389** (Joe Wall); **Assembly 2162** (Vince Lorenz and Larry Davis) and **Assembly 2163** (John Barboza).

The 16-man **Honor Guard** at **Father Nicholas Allen's first Mass** at **St. Ignatius** on Saturday, **May 31** included DM **Bill Gunter, John Norfleet** and **Ernest Plus** from **Assembly 1627** and the following Sir Knights from **Assembly 2936**: Ron Shaw, John Braswell, Marty Gellers, Paul Borkoski, Joe Lynch, Bill Bennett, Chris Bennett, Art Seely, Bill Kotas, Don Crosslin Dan Helland, Ron Wagner and Jim Banton.

At the **June picnic and short business meeting** the following items were covered:

- (1) **Candidates** for **FY 2008-09** were announced and voted into office.
- (2) Motion was made, seconded and approved to send two checks for **\$250** each to the **Diocesan Seminarian Fund** in memory of **Father John Phillip Baltz** and SK **John Francis "Jack" Dowd, Jr.** Checks were written and mailed to **Bishop David Choby** approximately June 15.

**UPCOMING EVENTS FOR JULY**  
**TO MID-AUGUST 2008**

**Jun 30: Father William Bevington's retirement Mass at the Cathedral at 6 PM.  
Honor Guard requested.**

**Jul 2: Assembly 1627 business meeting at Council 4972's Club House at 7 PM.**

**Jul 4: Independence Day.**

**Jul 19: Kickoff Meeting for Middle TN Councils at St. Stephen beginning with Mass at 8 AM. Honor Guard requested for 5 PM Mass.**

**Aug 5: Start of 126th Supreme Council Meeting in Quebec City, Quebec.**

**Aug 6: Assembly 1627 business meeting at Council 4972's Club House at 7 PM.**