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KNIGHT LIFE

FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

Brothers,

As Summer is winding down; our kids go back to school in a couple of weeks, whew!!!, I am reminded of how fast these days and weeks and months seem to fly by. Next month begins our KofC Dinners which will occur monthly through next May, I know Brother Chip Harris and his team are getting prepared. On Sunday, August 10, we will be having our next, quarterly Red Cross Blood Drive from 8:30 to 1:30 in the HFC. Blood supplies, as they normally get this time of year, are extremely low. This is not just for St. Stephen parishioners so talk it up amongst your friends and neighbors if they are due to give or haven't donated in awhile. On a separate note, Brother Pat Reilly is gearing up and planning the annual KofC Fall Golf Tournament. A date will be set this week with more information to follow. This is our largest fundraiser of the year so we need **"all hands on deck"** to make this a successful event. I am looking forward to seeing you all at the next Business Meeting on Monday, August 4 at 7pm, Rosary preceding at 6:30pm.

Vivat Jesus!! Kevin

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UPCOMING EVENTS FOR AUGUST TO MID-SEPTEMBER 2008

- Aug 1: First Friday. Safe Haven (Bob Copeskey).**
- Aug 2: Summer Swinefest Fund Raiser for the “Empower Me Day Camp” in the St. Stephen Holy Family Center following the 5 PM Mass.**
- Aug 4: Council Business Meeting at 7 PM preceded by the Rosary at 6::30 PM.**
- Aug 6: 4th Degree Business Meeting at Council 4972’s Club House at 7 PM.**
- Aug 10: K of C sponsored Blood Drive at St. Stephen from 8:30 AM to 1:30 PM. (Breakfast for prospective donors and their families prepared by Chip’s kitchen crew.)**
- Aug 11: Rosary at 6:30 PM.**
- Aug 12: 156th Anniversary of the birth of Father Michael J. McGivney in 1852.**
- Aug 14: 118th Anniversary of the death of Father Michael J. McGivney.**
- Aug 15: Feast of the Assumption. Holy Day of Obligation.**
- Aug 18: Social Meeting at 7 PM preceded by the Rosary at 6:30.**
- Aug 25: Officers Meeting at 7 PM preceded by the Rosary at 6:30.**
- Sep 1: Labor Day observed. Rosary at 6:30 PM.**
- Sep 2: Council 9282 Business Meeting at 7 PM.**

Sep 3: 4th Degree Business Meeting at Council 4972's Clubhouse at 7 PM.

Sep 5: First Friday Adoration at 7 PM. Safe Haven Shelter.

Sep 8: Rosary at 6:30 PM.

Sep 13: K of C sponsored Dinner (Grill Night) in the Holy Family Center.

Sep 15: Social Meeting at 7 PM. (Deacon Fred & Lorine Bourland will make a presentation about their recent trips to Rome and the Holy Land.) Rosary at 6:30.

Sep 20: St. Stephen K of C Annual Golf Tournament (tentative date).



Nelly and Baby Girl on her birthday

Grace Pregnancy Resource Center
is Proud to Announce the
Birth of a Beautiful Baby Girl.

Through God's grace, **Baby Girl** was brought into the world while her pregnancy counselor, Nelly, .

SHARED IN THE MIRACULOUS BIRTH

Baby Girl is now at home with her adoptive family. Her biological mother was on her way to get an abortion, but she met Nelly at Grace and was counseled on the option of adoption; unselfishly she chose LIFE.

Thank you for your support!
With your help, lives are changed and saved.

Council Activities

by **BOB COPESEKEY**

FOR LATE JUNE AND JULY 2008

Leon and Kathy Ring wish to thank the members of **Council 9282** who were part of the **Honor Guard** at their **50th Wedding Anniversary Mass** and celebration on Saturday, **June 27**. Participating in the **Honor Guard** were **DM Bill Gunter, Bob Copeskey, Ed English, Dennis Kaney, Kevin Hennessy, Chip Harris, John Norfleet, David Morrissey** and **John Zabaski**.

Council 9282 members who were part of the 20-man **Honor Guard** at the retirement Mass of **Father William Bevington** on Monday, **June 30th** were **DM Bill Gunter** and **John Norfleet**.

The **Council** continued to sponsor a **rosary service** on **Mondays** in **July** for those serving in the **Armed Forces** and for the **sick and distressed** of the **Community**. Attendance continues to average between **10** and **15** people with the majority of the attendees from **Council 9282** and the **Ladies Auxiliary**. Those who have participated at least once during the past month from the **Council** and **Ladies Auxiliary** were: **Deacon Fred & Lorine Bourland; Mike & Loretto Walsh; Kathy Walsh, Bob & Maureen Copeskey; Bill Gunter, Lou Pasetto, Kevin Hennessy & Jordan; Jim & Linda Johnson; Brian Thomas, Leon & Kathy Ring, Dwight Sutherly, Tom Dolan, John Zabaski, Bob Young, Zig Wajler, Jonathan Brydalski, Mark Dorias (8354) and Ernest Bean**. Parishioners who attend regularly include **John & Charlene Hoover; Norma Otto, Tina Pooser, Stephen Delius, Lucretia Hartberg, Father Yoseph, Ken Schmitt** and **Theresa DeLoria**.

DM Bill Gunter represented **Council 9282** at the wake service for **Father Bill Nolan** at the Cathedral of the Incarnation on Sunday, **July 6**.

At the **Council business meeting** on Monday, **July 7** **John Norfleet**, the **Pro-Life chairman** for the Council, spoke on the **Grace Pregnancy Resource Center** and the important part the Center plays in the **Pro-Life movement of Middle Tennessee**. The Center is manned every Saturday morning from 7 AM until noon. **Please contact John for details on volunteering**. Thanks to **Jerry Shoulders** and **Tom Dolan** for working the Center on Saturday, **July 19**.

Congratulations to the Council's newest member, **Jonathan Brydalski**, who went through the **first-degree** exemplification on Monday, **July 14** at St. Stephen. **Jonathan** went through the degree with **Mark Dorias** of **St. Ignatius Council 8354**. Members of the degree team included **Kevin Hennessy, David Morrissey, Lou Pasetto, SD Mike Porter, Mark Heckel** and **Ernest Bean**.

A number of Brother Knights spent a good part of Saturday, **July 19** assisting the **Ladies Auxiliary** with the preparation of breakfast and lunch at St. Stephen for those attending the **Middle Tennessee Kickoff Meeting** for the **K of C Councils of Middle Tennessee**. The entire list of volunteers was not available but a short list of workers included **Leon Ring, Ed English, Jimbo Hash, Dennis Kaney, David Morrissey** and **Steve Cartier**. Thanks to these men and to whomever else assisted.

Thanks to those **Council** members who were part of the **4th Degree Honor Guard** at the 5 PM Mass following the **Kickoff Meeting**. The **Honor Guard** included **John Zabaski, John Norfleet, Ed English, Bob Copeskey, Ernest Plus** and **Dennis Kaney** from **Assembly 1627** and **PSD Marty O'Haver, Alan Stanley** and **Chris Bennett** from **Assembly 2936**.

THOUGHT(S) FOR THE SEASON

.....I don't wait for moods. You accomplish nothing if you do that. Your mind must know it has to get down to work.

.....Pearl Buck (American writer, 20th century)

..... The purpose of life is not to be happy. The purpose of life is to matter, to be productive, to have it make some difference that you lived at all.

...Arthur H. Prince

.....A community is like a ship; everyone ought to be prepared to take the helm.

.....Henrik Ibsen (Norwegian playwright, 19th century)

.....Only a life lived for others is worth living.

.....Albert Einstein (American physicist, 20th century)

.....I think the next best thing to solving a problem is finding some humor in it.

.....Frank Clark

.....Liturgy is like a strong tree whose beauty is derived from the continuous renewal of its leaves, but whose strength comes from the old trunk, with solid roots in the ground.

.....Pope Paul VI (Italian pontiff, 20th century)

Above quotes were taken from the article "**Words for Quiet Moments**" in the **Catholic Digest**, **August 2008** issue.

AUGUST

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Safe Haven & 1 st Friday Adoration	2 Summer Swinefest
3	4 Business Meeting at 7PM	5	6 4 th Degree Meeting	7	8	9
10 BLOOD DRIVE	11 Rosary at 6:30PM *	12 Father Michael J. McGivney born in 1852	13	14 Father Michael J. McGivney dies at age 38 in 1890	15 Feast of the Assumption Holy Day of Obligation	16 Remember The King
17	18 Social Meeting	19	20	21	22	23
WILSON COUNTY FAIR – 15 AUGUST -23 AUGUST						
24	25 Officer's Meeting	26	27	28	29	30
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*Rosary for the troops every Monday at 6:30 PM in the Chapel.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

For those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Tom Malone-9282; Father Paul St. Charles-4972; Susie Pfister (sister-in-law of Bill Bell-3763); Joe Sullivan-4972; J.C. Howard (father-in-law of Jay Hoover-9282); Liz Humenay (sister-in-law of Bill Gunter-9282); Monte Walker, Jr. (nephew of Mike Porter-9282); Macie Dolan (daughter-in-law of Tom Dolan-9282); Gertrude Nienberg & Marcile Schmitz (aunts of Steve Molnar-9282); Elmer Scheidhauer-7820; Terri English (daughter-in-law of Ed English-9282 & sister-in-law of John Williams-9282); Jamie Robison (spouse of Al Robison-9282); Mary Oxley (spouse of Kenrick Oxley-9282); Dan Romer-PSD; Stephaney Herman, Michael Craven; Robert Allen; Leanne Fox (mother-in-law of Mac Crook-9282); Walter Banko (uncle of John Williams-9282); Bernard Backes-4th Degree member of K of C (father of Paul Backes-9282); Mike Reilly (brother of Pat Reilly-9282); Susan Powell (spouse of Larry Powell-4972); Paul Ashburn, Gene Orscheln (brother of Frank Orscheln-4972); Larry O'Connor (father-in-law of Tom McPhail-4972); Jennifer Bennett (sister-in-law of Al Steinmetz-9282); Betty & William J. Maier, PSD; Father Brian Timby (Holy Rosary-Memphis); Ellington Grant (brother of Kenrick Oxley-9282); Mark Burton, Tim Keogh (Principal of Holy Rosary Academy); Brad Williams (brother-in-law of Michael Tate-9282); Nora Morrissey (daughter-in-law of Bill Morrissey-9282); Kim Hoover (spouse of Jay Hoover-9282); Nell Byrd [spouse of Jim Byrd-10010 (Gallatin) and grandmother of Jesse & Devon Butrum]; Tommy Wolf; Eugene Mulloy-12256; John Sullivan; Thomas Gregson (both of John Gregson-9282); Tommy Wolf, Jimmy Baltz (cousin of Father Steve Wolf-9282); Mike Dwyer (nephew of Bill Gunter); Justin Martin (son of Richard Martin-9282); Rose Thompson (mother of Larry Thompson-9282; DM & PSD Bill Gunter-9282; Roger Ricard-9282; Lucille Tomasso (mother of Roger Ricard-9282); Jeff Summers-9282; Paul Ricard (brother of Roger Ricard-9282); Marsha Montini (daughter-in-law of Deacon Rob Montini); Vic Varnau (brother-in-law of Doug Daily-9282); Jean Ellis (mother-in-law of Buster Weber-4972); Bob Hartberg; Don Wescott; Burton Pauly; Paul Delaney; James Dolan (son of Tom Dolan-9282); Sarah Wathen (daughter of Greg Wathen-9282); Steve Horten (brother of Mike Horten/VSM Bienville Province) and Ric Norris.

For those who have died: Father William Nolan (former Diocesan priest/chaplain); Theresa Solberg (spouse of Mike Solberg/DD4-Jackson, TN); Glen Young; Mildred Cavallaro; James Alfred Berry and Mary Elizabeth Smithson-Craighead (mother of Deacon Don Craighead).

For those who are homebound or in nursing homes: Ora Knies, Pauline Bourland (mother of Deacon Fred Bourland-9282); June Marie Anderson (spouse of Gray Anderson-9282); Mary Ann Rejefski (spouse of Bill Rejefski-9282); John Harris (father of Chip Harris-9282); Vito Melfi; Maria Mulhern, Elizabeth Huck (mother of Tom Malone-9282); Mary Boyd (mother-in-law of Greg Wathen-9282); Miyo Pizzillo (mother of Gabe Pizzillo-9282); Bernardine & Elizabeth Baltz (sisters of Romey Baltz-9282); Helen Porter (mother of Mike Porter-SS/9282); Josephine Foley (mother of Mike Foley-9282); Mary Mann (mother of Rob Mann-9282); Francis Roach; Msgr. James Hitchcock; Msgr. George Rohling; Jim Beazley-4972; Jim Burns-4972 and Helen Purdhomme (spouse of PSD John Purdhomme).

Mass card for Healing of the Sick was sent this month to: **Lucille Tomasso** (mother of Roger Ricard).

Fruit Baskets were sent to PSD **Bill Gunter** (heart surgery) and **Roger Ricard** (surgery resulting from a boating accident).

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; **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; **Steven Smith**, 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; **David Farley**, U.S. Army; **Natasha Bergfalk Bratz & Alan Bratz**, U.S. Navy; **Travis Porter**, U.S. Air Force; **Craig J. Laurin**, U.S. Army; **Justin Cobb**, U.S. Navy; **Adam Bowers**, U.S. Army; **Matt St. John**, U.S. Marines; **Lesile Cooper**, RN, U.S. Army in Iraq; **Don Sauls**, U.S. Army; **David Klunk**, U.S. Air Force; **Patrick Simpson**, U.S. Army and **Mark Fyke, Jr.**, U.S. Marines.

July Jackpot Winners

Small Jackpot: None drawn

Large Jackpot: None drawn

July Knight of the Month:

Leon Ring

July Family of the Month:

**Ed and Mary
English**

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