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Knight Dates and Times

AUGUST

- 1** Regular Business meeting 7:30pm at Holy Spirit
Rosary at 7pm before meeting, please attend.
- 3-4** State Golf Tournament. Hosted by Raytown Council #4962 at Royal Meadows with Social on Saturday.
- 12** Blood drive after Mass's.
- 18** Bldg and grounds work day 8am.
- 19** Holy Spirit Golf Tournament 1PM @ Shamrock. \$55 per person
Coed teams, kids and families. 6:15pm dinner at Church.
Knights to provide cooking for the Golf Tournament.

SEPTEMBER

- 5** Regular Business meeting 7:30pm at Holy Spirit
Rosary at 7pm before meeting, please attend.

OCTOBER

- 3** Regular Business meeting 7:30pm at Holy Spirit
Rosary at 7pm before meeting, please attend.
- 7** Knights cook Breakfast after Mass's at Holy Spirit.



WE DID IT!



Knight of Month

Ray Theiling

Family of the Month

Tim O'Donnell Family

Youth of the Month

Aaron Davis

Welcome New Knights:

Aaron James

Fundraising

Fireworks sales: *Knights supplied approximately 500 man hours. The turnout was good. Should we continue this next year? Any constructive criticism?*

From the Columbia Magazine June 2007

The Pope's Search for Jesus

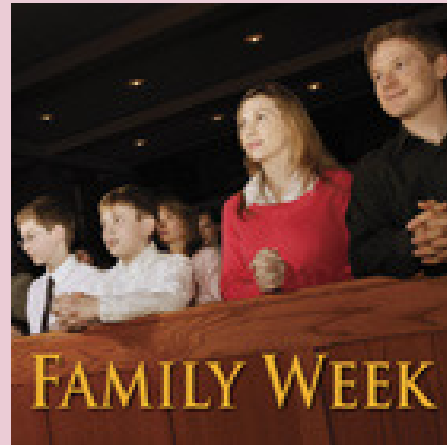
by Supreme Chaplain Bishop W.E.Lori
Jesus of Nazareth, (Doubleday)

In ***Jesus of Nazareth***, Pope Benedict XVI urges each of us to encounter the living Jesus and share him with others. Pope Benedict XVI's first book as Pope, ***Jesus of Nazareth***, (Doubleday) is not an official Church document. Rather, it expresses his "personal search for the face of Christ." This doesn't imply that the Holy Father thinks it is difficult to know Jesus. Instead the book is his attempt to describe the ways in which he has come to know the Lord more intimately.

Jesus of Nazareth gives us a glimpse at the Holy Father's prayerful friendship with the Lord as well as his pastoral love. It is a readable yet intellectually astute work in which the pope deals with various methods for studying Scripture and the opinions of biblical scholars about the meaning of various biblical passages.

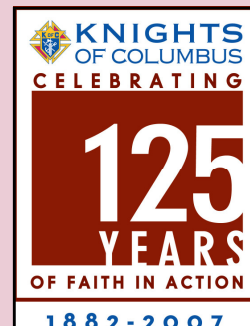
50/50 drawing ticket winning ticket was Gary VanBlarcum \$24.50.

50 Knights were in attendance on July11, 2007.



Knights of Columbus Family Week
August 11-19, 2007

An opportunity for our Order and the community to celebrate the family and our rich 125 year history.



Congrats! To Jeff and Lindsey Kaminski
A baby girl.

Congrats! To Ryan and Amanda Zink
A baby boy.

Worthy Chaplain Report

The parish schedule calendar was submitted this evening.

The building security system including motion detectors will be activated in August or September. Settings will be for 11pm week nights and 1am Friday and Saturday.

We are coming up on the 1 year point for warranty /repairs/fixes September 9th. If you are aware of any items that need fixing or attention please notify the Church office.

The schedule for the "Thank You" relocation dinner is September 22nd after the 5pm Mass.

The fountain construction is under way.

Father requested if anyone can look into a sign (see art work) for placement on Hwy 150 east of church entrance, One bid has been received, Father asked Council if they would be willing to fund.

Youth director search is ongoing.

Fr. Tierney, Chaplain

FISH FRY NEWS: *there will be 4 dates for 2008 reserved. Details and dates to follow.*

Breakfast Chairman News:

Dates for the Fraternal year are Oct 7, 2007

Jan 27,2008 and April 20, 2008.

GOOD of the ORDER

Prayers were said for the following:

Will Knipp

Mary Ring

Mike Ragsdale

Men and Women of the U.S. Armed Forces

From your Newsletter editor:

Who are these men they call Knights of Columbus?

Knights are Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, who are committed to making their community a better place, while supporting their Church.

Being a Knight is more than camaraderie; it is being involved with your community; it is supporting your local Catholic Church, while enhancing your own faith; it is about protecting and enhancing your family life.

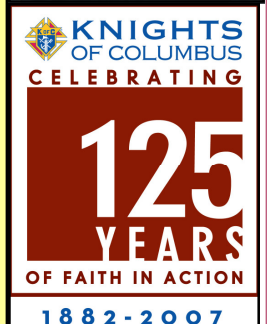
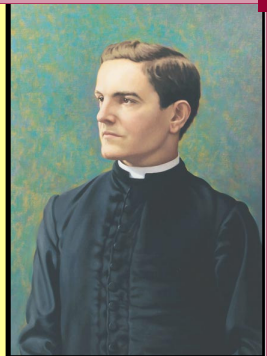


Come join us at the next meeting for an eye opening experience. Invite a friend or neighbor today!

Grand Knights Report from July Meeting

- Welcome Aaron James 1st degree Knight.
- Meetings and discussion on the Ladies Auxiliary will be held after all July activities are completed.
- THERE WILL NOT BE A JULY OFFICERS meeting due to Strotherfest.
- Name tags, shirts, etc., are available from the Financial Secretary.
 - June Family of the Month - Tim O'Donnell Family
 - June Knight of the Month - Ray Theiling
 - June Youth of the Month - Aaron Davis
- Council #8334 has been reassigned to State District #8. Our new District Deputy is Brother Clarence Lawrence
- There has been a recommendation from Supreme Knight to see the movie called "BELLA"

Fraternally, Tom DeDonder, Grand Knight



Financial Secretary Report:

- *A letter of thanks from Mary K. Ryan for the Knights efforts at the Summer Gathering event.*
- *Recognition and thanks to Gary Beier for the grounds maintenance work.*
- *Some Knights still have a membership balance due of \$10.00 or more. Please settle accounts this evening.*
- *The annual council AUDIT is due August 15th, 2007, this should be completed before the next general meeting.*

Don't let your dues fall behind

- *Name tags are \$7, T-shirts are \$5, Hats are \$10.*

Committee Reports:

Membership Director: Tom Davis

- There should be a membership both at Strotherfest
- 1st degree on 9/11 at Lees Summit #6819 at 7pm
- There are currently 115members in our council #8334.

Program Director: Tom DeDonder, GK

- E-mail events dates to David Bremer for the web page w/ copies to GK.

Church Director: Gary Beier

- There will be a rosary prior to the monthly meeting with the Ladies Guild @ 7:00 PM .
- The 3rd Saturday of each month will be a work day at Holy Spirit. Encourage all to make the work day a Family activity.
- Thanks to the Knights who cooked at the ‘Summer Gathering’ event.
- Rosary rings are available after meetings.

Community Director: Tony Molina

Council Director: Jeff Reed/Kevin Loehr

- Council will sponsor highway clean up on Hwy 150 between Ward and Pryor for 3 years, including the frontage of the church along Hwy 150. MoDot signs for highway cleanup are to be in place by the End of the month.

Family Director: Jeff Kaminski

Youth Director: Youth Director volunteer is needed for new Fraternal Year.

Vocations: Tim Fobes

- Director recommends the council sponsor seminarian Andrew Oaks.
- A Motion “Council to donate \$500.00 to seminarian Andrew Oaks for the upcoming school year”.
Motion was 2nd . Vote to be at the August general meeting.

P.R. Chairman - Ryan Zink

- Working to improve parish web site to include Knight Newsletter.

Strotherfest Chairman: Kelly Gipsen

- The schedule for Bingo workers has been reworked, hours were extended. A Margarita machine will be used, will need 1-2 people per shift. Volunteers are needed for all areas. The motion for loan of \$2000 for Bingo supplies was passed, additional funds to be supplied by the GK discretionary fund to carry the shortfall.

Unfinished Business:

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August 2007

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1  Regular Meeting 7:30pm Rosary 7PM	2	3 State Golf  Tournament Hosted by Raytown Council #4962 at Royal	4 Meadows  Social on Saturday.
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12  Blood Drive after Masses	13	14	15  Annual Council AUDIT is due	16	17	18  Bdlg and grounds work 8am
19 Knights provide cooking for Parish Golf Tournament  6:15pm	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

September 2007

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5  Regular Meeting 7:30pm Rosary 7PM	6	7	8
9 Last day to notify Church office of any re- pairs under war- ranty.	10	11  1ST Degree at Council 6819. Time 7pm.	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 "Thank You" Relocation Din- ner after 5pm Mass.
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30				 Breakfast on Sunday Oct 7th.		

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