

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWSLETTER

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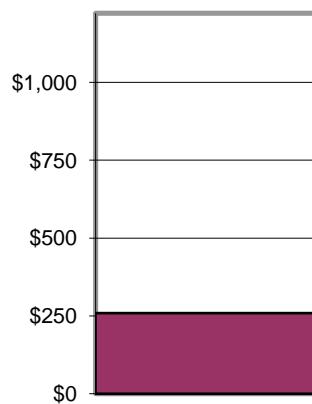
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## PENNIES FOR HEAVEN FUND

It is time to focus attention on our Pennies for Heaven fund. We have a long way to go in order to reach our goal for this fraternal year that ends on June 30, 2011.

The Pennies for Heaven (P4H) is a program initiated by the WA State K of C Council to replace money lost for vocations with the loss of raffle ticket sales. The State Council assesses every local council \$3.65 (1¢ per day) per member to raise funds for vocations, which are donated to each of the state's three diocesan bishops annually.

**Pennies for  
Heaven  
Goal \$1,222**



Our total thru  
1/31/2012 is \$259

## Grand Knight's Message

**Brother Knights,** As of this writing, we are



approaching 40 Days of Lent. For Catholics, this period is the most cherished time of the year followed by Advent. We take this time of year serious as an annual reminder of

what our Lord, Jesus Christ, did for us all. Without our Lord's sacrifice, the bridge that was broken between God and Man by Adam and Eve would still exist.

At this same time of year begins the writing season for your poor Grand Knight. We are a busy council and to properly be recognized by State and Supreme, it is essential these reports get finished in a timely manner. I guarantee your efforts for this fraternal year will be well represented at our Convention in May.

We just added two new members to our Council. We have some high quality men that have joined our council this year and Chuck Liska and Michael Watson are no exception. They were given the task of setting up volunteers for our local Special Olympic games starting March 3rd and will continue every Saturday until the first of June. We only need two gentlemen to fill a two hour shift each Saturday from 12-2:00. Please be generous with your time, if they call, and help when you can. Phil Descoteaux is the chairman and one of the coaches, as well.

The coveted Star Council Award will be presented to Ron DeGroot from fraternal year 2011-12 at our St. Patrick's Day celebration March 17th at Hallen Hall

6:30. Our State Deputy, Don McBride, will be here to present this award to Ron. We will be presenting our Tootsie Roll grant money to Special Olympics, Rainier Therapeutic Riding Association, Mornside, and ARC the same night. Of course, the night will be filled with the celebration of St. Patrick, drawings and, of course, food by our Master Chef Sam Pellegrino. Come join in the fun.

With our religious and moral values under assault daily (particularly the last two months) it is time for prayer, Penitence, Alms giving and Fasting for Lent. Don't hold the light of Christ under a bushel basket. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine and don't be silent. Regardless of what the media tells you, we ARE being heard. Don't give up.

Please go to the end of this Newsletter and review the calendar of events. They are to numerous to mention in my report.

Catholic Trivia:

The Sacraments of Christian Initiation are (a) Baptism and Confirmation; (b) Holy Orders and Matrimony; (c) First Penance and First Holy Communion; (d) Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

Answer somewhere in the Newsletter!!

God Bless you all and may your Spirit be refreshed in this Easter season.

God Bless you all,

**Kim Washburn,  
Grand Knight Council 1643**

Brother Knights, Father Jim has requested that the Knights of Columbus pray for religious vocations @ St. Joseph Adoration Chapel one or more hours per week.

We have designated Sunday AM hours of 1AM, 2AM or 3AM on February 4th, 11th, 18th, &25th.. Please call Tom Hruska at 360-561-5548 or e-mail [hruska@wwdb.org](mailto:hruska@wwdb.org) to sign up for one or more of the above hours.

Thank You. God bless you and your family.



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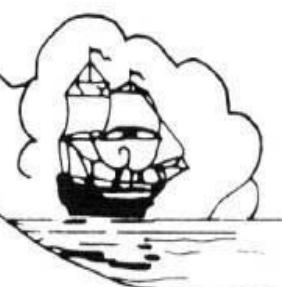
## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Member Name	Date	Member Name	Date
George L. Crawford	Mar 2	Marc J. Litten	Mar 18
Daniel G. Sergent	Mar 2	Patrick W. Norton	Mar 19
Tom C. Targus	Mar 4	Charles L. Winne	Mar 19
Bernard F. Tiernan	Mar 5	Jose Ybarra	Mar 19
James E. Connolly	Mar 6	John AC Anderson	Mar 20
Lawrence A. Roberts	Mar 7	Floyd R. Chrusoskie	Mar 23
Daniel P. Smith	Mar 7	Philip R. Kelley	Mar 23
Richard J. Pecor	Mar 8	Michael H. Walsh	Mar 24
Karl L. Hoffman DDS	Mar 12	Kevin M. Robbins	Mar 25
William J. Langraf	Mar 12	Norman H. Bomkamp	Mar 26
Jacob J. Berschauer III	Mar 13	Fred J. Iverson	Mar 26
James P. Fischer	Mar 16	Larry E. Weniger	Mar 29
Scott A. Lindblom	Mar 17		

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**Proposals that are scheduled  
 for a vote at the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree  
 council business meeting on  
 March 1:**

#### **HALL DISPLAY CASE**

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- For statues and Electrical. \$791.60
- Total labor and Materials \$1688.92

#### **STILES MEMORIAL Fund**

##### THE RAINY DAY FUND NAME CHANGE

▪ Beginning balance	\$10,000
▪ Hall tables 2010-2011	-1,200
▪ Darese Steele W/C	-3429
▪ Return of \$1200 for Hall (11-12)+1,200 ▪ Newsletter Savings	\$4,883
▪ Hall Display ???	-1,688

## PRO LIFE NEWS

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE OPENED  
WITH THIS PRAYER  
IT MAY DO WELL FOR ALL OF  
US TO PRAY THE SAME IN  
SUPPORT OF OUR KNIGHTS AT  
PLANNED PARENTHOOD**



***Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations. Matthew 28:19***

**Heavenly Father, thank You for this opportunity to join my prayers and fasting with those throughout our country for the end of legalized abortion in America. Have mercy on us all for any time that we have not stood up for life in the past.**

**Dear Jesus, I pray for those who are in vigil outside abortion clinics in 258 locations during this 40 Days for Life Campaign. Give them the right words and the right presentation to change the hearts of the pregnant girls and women that they will not go through with their planned abortion. Give the 64% of moms being coerced into having this abortion the courage to say, "No" knowing there is help.**

**Come Holy Spirit; renew our nation. Help us with our community outreach so that we might educate and touch the hearts of the apathetic and the pro-choice through our prayers, fasting, and constant vigil. Instill in us all, an awe for the sanctity of life.**

**WE NEED YOU ---PLEASE CONTACT TOM HRUSKA, PGK, PFN AT (360)561-5548**



### PLAN B ABORTIFACIENT CASE VICTORY

A great debt of thanks is owed to Kevin Storman, and the Storman family, for their perseverance and determination in leading the fight against the Washington State Board of Health's decision to force all pharmacies in the State to provide Plan B drugs. By standing up for their God-given rights, they stopped the "uber-left" Washington State government, and its Pharmacy Board, from its attempt to run over the conscience rights of pharmacists, not only at Ralph's Thriftway here in Olympia, but the conscience rights of pharmacists across the State. The legal battle cost the Stormans a substantial amount of money, and I suspect, a great deal of left-wing patronage. As a debt of gratitude to Kevin Storman and his family, it's my hope all Olympia area Knights will make an extra effort to shop at Ralph's and Bayview Thriftway stores.

### ANSWER to this month's Catholic Trivia question

(d) Christian initiation is accomplished by Baptism, which is the beginning of new life; Confirmation, which strengthens this new life; Eucharist, which nourishes disciples with Christ's body and blood for their transformation in Christ (CCC, n. 1275).

### **IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT**

The Centennial Planning Committee is requesting donations to cover the cost of a ticket for clergy, entertainers, and dignitaries. To keep the price of a ticket at \$35, we are counting on donations to make up the nearly \$2500 in lost revenue from our 71 comped meals. There are many ways to make up this shortfall: purchase of glasses additional, hats, shirts or buy a ticket for clergy, entertainers or dignitaries. While tickets will officially go on sale April 1st, our membership may purchase tickets now. Call (360) 704-8822 or send Ron DeGroot, 3420 78th AVE SE , Olympia , WA 98501 \$35/ticket and whatever additional money you can for clergy, entertainers or dignitaries. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. This will be fun!!!

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## FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S MESSAGE

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**Question: Why is the date April 14, 2012, so important?**



**Answer: It is the date of the “closest to home” 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification this Fraternal year. You may be asking yourself, “What exactly is the Fourth Degree?” The Fourth degree is the highest and most prestigious degree within the Knights of Columbus.**

*It is a group of outstanding Knights who are dedicated to the service of their Church, their country and our Order. These men are unified in the Fourth Degree to support religious, civic and charitable causes. The motto of the Fourth Degree is Patriotism. Patriotism and pride in one's nation is the driving force behind more than 250,000 Fourth Degree members.*

*Each Fourth Degree Assembly throughout the country is governed by its own cadre of Officers. The Faithful Navigator is annually elected, along with the Faithful Captain, Faithful Pilot, Faithful Admiral, Faithful Comptroller, Faithful Purser, Faithful Scribe, Faithful Inner and Outer Sentinels, and 3 Faithful Trustees. The Color Corps Commander is appointed by the Faithful Navigator. As on the council level, the Fourth Degree has a State and Supreme Corps of Officers as well.*

**Dear Brother Sir Knights,**

As Faithful Navigator of our assembly, I am inviting all Sir Knights to join me in recruiting one Fourth Degree Candidate for the Exemplification scheduled in Lakewood on Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> of April, 2012. Thus far I have but 2 candidates committed to receiving their Fourth Degree on that date: Jack Winslow and Fred Weisdepp.

*Qualifications: In order to become a Fourth Degree member, you must first be a Third Degree member in good standing within the Council, and have been a Knight for a minimum of 6 months. You must also be an American citizen. A black tuxedo is generally worn by all Fourth Degree members for social events of a more formal nature and is a requirement for the Exemplification ceremony. The only exception to this is an active duty soldier may wear his dress uniform of the season for the ceremony.*

As a member of the Fourth Degree, you may want to be a part of the Color Corps. *The Regalia (Uniform) of the Fourth Degree – the cape, chapeau, sword and tuxedo were inspired by the naval officer's uniform of the late 1800's. The ceremonial sword is worn to signify*

*Christian Knighthood; to symbolize defense of Church, country and freedom and to show reverence for the Eucharist and respect for the clergy.*

*The various colors of the cape and chapeau denote official rank within the order:*

- *Red cape and white chapeau – Assembly member*
- *White cape and white chapeau – Faithful Navigator, past and present*
- *Purple cape and chapeau – Color Core Commanders*
- *Green cape and chapeau – District Marshalls*
- *Gold cape and chapeau – Masters, past and present*
- *Light blue cape and chapeau – Vice Supreme Masters, past and present*
- *Dark blue cape and chapeau – Supreme Master, past and present*

### **SIX REASONS WHY KNIGHTS SHOULD JOIN THE FOURTH DEGREE**

1. We work for the application of Christian principles in all levels of democratic government.
2. We call upon our members to distinguish themselves with heroic deeds for God, country, and Order.
3. We support religious, civic, and charitable causes that are consistent with our Order's high ideals.
4. We oppose the institution and development of forces adverse to good Christian government.
5. We educate our members and the world at large to be defenders of our democratic institutions.
6. The Fourth Degree, the highest degree in the Knights of Columbus, provides members with a greater knowledge and appreciation of our Catholic heritage.

### **COLOR CORPS MEMBERS NEEDED FOR ARCHBISHOP.**

On Wednesday Evening, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm, Archbishop J. Peter Sartain will preside from the Throne during a traditional Solemn High (Latin) Mass on the occasion of his first official visitation to the North American Martyrs Parish in Ballard at the facility of St. Alphonsus Church in Ballard. This will be an opportunity for all Color Corps members to experience the beauty and dignity of this Extraordinary Form of the Mass along with a sword salute by the Honor Guard during the Consecration of the Eucharist. Please contact our Color Corps Commander, Mike Colosi, to sign up for car-pooling. Of course, all Knights families interested in attending are most cordially welcome. (cont'd page 6)

## FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S MESSAGE (continued)

Are you a retired Color Corps member??? Please consider donating your usable tux and/or Regalia (tax deductible) to the Assembly for use by our new members who can't handle the additional financial burden at this time.

### WHITE DINNER JACKETS COMING

It has been voted on and approved by our Color Corps members that we will begin wearing a white dinner jacket in place of the black tux coat at all formal events between Memorial Day and Labor Day. The sister of Sir Knight Bill Safford will be providing them for us at an incredibly low price of approximately \$80.00 each, which will include alterations. She will be present prior to the March 1<sup>st</sup> Council business meeting and our March 22<sup>nd</sup> Assembly meeting to take orders and measurements. All Fourth Degree members are encouraged to participate. Chef Sam will provide his famous Seafood Newburg over rice as the pre-meeting meal.

I remain yours in Christ,

**Sam Pellegrino**  
Faithful Navigator,  
St. Francis of Assisi  
Assembly 1183

## K of C "Schola Cantorum"



We are in desperate need of new members. The only requirements are an appreciation of traditional Sacred Music (as well as Patriotic and more contemporary music) and the ability to carry a tune, and enjoy weekly fellowship with other members. We

meet Tuesday evenings between the hours of 7:00pm and 9:00pm. Refreshments are usually provided. We sing for such events as Memorial Day Mass at Calvary Cemetery, joining with the choirs at St. Michael's and Sacred Heart for a combined Mass, our annual Memorial Mass for Deceased Members at the Hall, the Council Christmas and St. Patrick Day parties, St. George's Pilgrimage, and the Tridentine Latin Mass. PLEASE HELP! Call Sam Pellegrino @ 259-7337.

**If you live in Olympia, Tumwater, or Lacey, and you are unable to attend Mass but you wish to receive Holy Communion at home, you can contact:**

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## Knights of Columbus History Night

March 15<sup>th</sup> Columbian Hall 6:30pm – 8:00pm

Come learn about the History of the Knights of Columbus from this Special Documentary

### “Men of Faith who made a Difference”

This is open to all brother Knights, family and friends. If someone from Church has been asking about the Knights, invite them too. This special documentary will have everyone excited about the Knights and what they do for our community.

(Snacks and Drinks will be provided)

More information please contact Darren Johnson @ 253-709-4588 or [darrenejohnson@comcast.net](mailto:darrenejohnson@comcast.net)

## Military Chaplain Scholarship Program

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree of The Knights of Columbus is to instill and advance patriotism. One of our major goals for this year is to support The Military Chaplain Scholarship Program. The Military Archdiocese, which supplies Catholic Chaplains, estimates that it needs 800 priests to serve all the Catholic men and women in uniform today, but they are only able to supply 280 - barely a third of the number needed. Many Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus are veterans who served in combat and forward deployed areas. They appreciated having a Catholic Chaplain available, and would like to see those currently serving similarly supported. When you don't know whether each breath will be your last, spiritual guidance is high on your list of necessities.

The Knights of Columbus have established a new scholarship program, led by the Fourth Degree, to help fund the education of seminarians preparing to become Catholic chaplains. The program will contribute one million dollars to the Archdiocese for Military Services at a rate of \$ 200,000 per year for the next five years. Through this program, the Military Archdiocese contracts with each participating diocese to fund fifty percent of the cost of a seminarian's five year education. In return the candidate agrees that, following ordination and three years of service at a parish, he will commit to serve as a Military Chaplain for a minimum of three years.

If you would like to make a donation to this worthy cause, please use the following procedure:

Make checks payable to the "Knights of Columbus." In the memo section please write "Military Scholarship". Mail checks to: Philip R. Kelley, FC 3319 Davis Ct NE, Lacey, WA 98516

Donation Receipt is available upon request. Your donations will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Sam Pellegrino  
Faithful Navigator

## **Knight of the Month – Kim Washburn**

Father Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643 is proud to announce the award of Knight of the Month to the Brother Kim Washburn... Kim is currently in his first term as the Grand Knight of Council 1643, having replaced Ron DeGroot's last year. In this capacity he has steered the council to ever greater heights of excellence. His surperlative leadership allowed him to streamline the monthly business meetings, along with the fact that the Council has conducted numerous 1st Degree exemplifications and brought many new Knights into our fold. His use of video graphics during the meetings enable the council members present to feel like they know what the agenda is at all times, and his execution of the office has enabled him to successfully conduct the Tootsie Roll drive, March for Life, Centennial celebration activities, social gatherings of the council, and increased feelings of true membership in the council.

There are many more accolades that could be heaped upon Kim. But Kim is more than merely an officer of the Council. Most members do not realize how spiritual or how dedicated Kim is to the church and his Council. Most members see the frequent e-mails that he puts out for sick and dying Knights, emails concerning the activities of other institutions that deserve our support, and the way Kim shakes your hand and has a good word for every fellow man he meets, whether a Knight or not. What we often do not see is all the trust in his officers, all the background activity that brings about programs for the Council, and the vast amount of work and time that Kim puts into being a Knight. This is what makes him a Knight of the Month, an award of the council we should all strive for, an award that Kim attributes not to himself, but unselfishly to all of us who support him.

His family is a stellar example of the concept of "family within the council" that all Knights strive for as well. In addition he has made a significant impact in Church, Community, and Council. Kim, in addition to his officer position with the Council, is also a member of the choir and a cantor at St. Michael Parish in Olympia and still serves at St. Edwards Parish as well. He is also a member of the Knights 4th Degree Schola/Choir. Kim volunteers downtown with the Olympia Police Department, and volunteers at St Peter's Hospital. By the aforementioned activities you can tell that Brother Kim and his entire family are deeply involved with the Knights, the church and the community. For giving their time and talents, his home and hospitality, and his spiritual support, guidance and example to us all, Kim Washburn is well deserving of the honor of Council 1643 Knight of the Month for February 2012!

## **Family of the Month Peter & Suzi Redburn**

Father Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643 is proud to announce the Family of the month for the current month as the Peter and Suzi Redburn family. The Knights of Columbus value "family" as one of its highest priorities. Peter and his family have proven themselves to be very worthy of the honor bestowed upon them by the Council.

Pete and Suzi have three grown children and five grandchildren and have been members of the council for more than 20 years. Pete is a two term Past Grand Knight and served the council with inspired leadership during that period, achieving Star Council awards from Supreme. He has been active in many Council activities, not the least of which is the Auction for Vocations which he helped grow from a small rummage sale, where about \$1000 was raised, to a \$30 thousand+ fundraiser for which he has been the MC for the past several years. This singular accomplishment is enough to award him accolades, but he has been involved with many other activities in the council, at St Michaels Parish and in the community. Another of his highlight accomplishments was the creation of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Schola Choir where he, along with Sam Pelligrino developed the idea from a discussion in the parking lot to the masterful choir we have today. He is also a member of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Color Corps. At the church, Peter is a lecturer, an extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, and, along with his wife has participated in the 40 Days for Life movement and Eucharistic adoration, weekly. In both of these endeavors, Suzi is side by side with Peter. His wife gives him all the support he needs to be a stellar member of the Knights, the Church, and his community. In the community Peter is a past member of the Rotary Club and several other community organizations.

Now, Peter and his wife have finished a lifetime of good works and are retiring to Anacortes where he will put his boat in the water and live the good life he and Suzi have earned! We congratulate Peter, his wife Suzi and all of his children and grandchildren. They are very deserving of the award of Council 1643 Family of the Month, and we wish him well in retirement.





## COMING TO SACRED HEART PARISH

SAVE THE DATE !!!! MAY 22,  
2012

Pastoral Associate, Priests for Life  
Director, African American  
Outreach

**Dr. Alveda C. King works  
toward her purpose in life, to glorify God.**

**Dr. King currently serves as a Pastoral Associate and Director of African-American Outreach for Priests for Life and Gospel of Life Ministries. She is also a voice for the Silent No More Awareness Campaign, sharing her testimony of two abortions, God's forgiveness, and healing.**

**The daughter of the late civil rights activist Rev. A.D. King and his wife Naomi Barber King, Alveda grew up in the civil rights movement led by her uncle, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Her family home in Birmingham, Alabama, was**

bombed, as was her father's church office in Louisville, Kentucky. Alveda was jailed during the open housing movement. She sees the prolife movement as a continuation of the civil rights struggle.

**Dr. King is a former college professor and served in the Georgia State House of Representatives. She is a recipient of the Life Prize Award (2011), the Cardinal John O'Connor Pro-Life Hall of Fame Award (2011) from the Legatus organization and the Civil Rights Award from Congress of Racial Equality (CORE) (2011). She is a bestselling author; among her books are *How Can the Dream Survive if we Murder the Children?* and *I Don't Want Your Man, I Want My Own*. She is an accomplished actress and songwriter. The Founder of King for America, Inc., Alveda is also the recipient of an honorary Doctorate of Laws degree from Saint Anselm College and sits on the Board of Georgia Right to Life. She is also a member of the National Black Prolife Coalition, NBPC.**

**Dr. King lives in Atlanta, where she is the grateful mother of six and a doting grandmother.**

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS “Day of the Unborn Child” March 25th, The *Feast of the Annunciation*

**PLEASE COME ANY TIME FROM 8:00 PM TO 11:PM ON SUNDAY, MARCH 25<sup>TH</sup>, TO THE ST. JOSEPH CHAPEL AT ST. MICHAEL DOWNTOWN. WE WILL PRAY THAT ALL PARENTS WILL CHOOSE LIFE**

**Why is the Feast of the Annunciation so important to the pro-life movement?**



**In recent years perceptive pro-life parents began annual celebrations of their children's "First Days" nine months before their birthdays--recognizing that if every day practices don't reflect the reality of their beliefs they send destructively mixed message.**

**Though many of them were faithful Christians, few of them recognized that Christ's "first day" passed by every year with no**

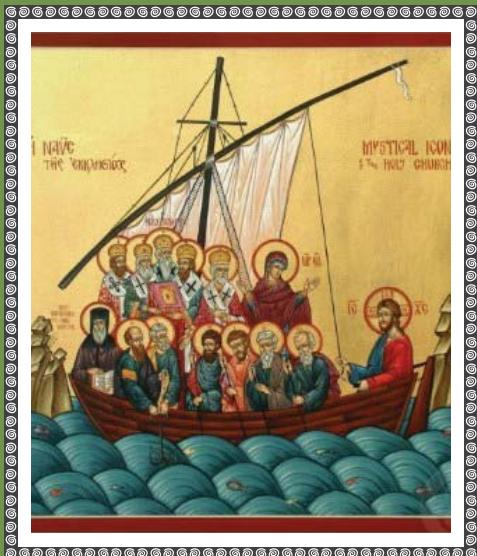
**celebration, virtually unnoticed by the majority of believers. And this was no ordinary "first day"--this was what Christians call the Incarnation--the moment God became man. As the word "incarnate" (to be made flesh) implies, this was fully accomplished not when Jesus reached adulthood, or was revealed to the world at his birth--it happened when he took on human flesh at his conception in Mary's womb. If the Christian community as a whole does not consistently recognize and honor the conception and prenatal life of Christ who is God, then it should come as no surprise that the secular world has so little regard for the newly conceived life of an "unplanned" child, who is neither divine nor anxiously awaited nor announced by angelic herald, but is simply unwanted, like so many others**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL TOM HRUSKA AT:-561-5548 OR ED SAULEY AT: 491-0610**

# Men's Day of Recollection

## ON MANLY VIRTUE

**Saturday**  
**March 31, 2012**  
RSVP by March 24, please.



**Holy Theophany Monastery**  
10220 66th Avenue S.E.  
Olympia, Washington 98513  
(360) 491-8233

**TOPIC:**  
**MANLY VIRTUE**

**SPEAKER:**  
**Fr. Lawrence Gosselin**

Melkite Greek-Catholic priest and retired USAF chaplain. Serving as chaplain at Holy Theophany Monastery. Serving also as archpriest and chairman of the intereparchial Committee for Eastern Catholics in the Military Services of Canada and the United States.

**SCHEDULE:**

- \* Divine Liturgy - 8:30 AM
- \* Brunch following.
- \* Lecture
- \* Questions and discussion following.
- \* Great Vespers - 4:00 PM

# Gala St. Patrick's Day Celebration



At Sacred Heart Church-Hallen Hall  
Saturday, March 17th  
Immediately following 5:00pm Mass



## Traditional Irish Buffet Menu

Catering by Pellegrino's

Irish Stew

Tender Corned Beef Brisket

Boiled Red Skin Potatoes, Baby Carrots, and Cabbage

Homemade Irish Soda Bread and Butter

Penne Pasta with Creamy Basil Pesto

(for those abstaining from meat)

Chef's Surprise Dessert and Coffee



Door Prizes  
Raffles

Sing-a-long  
Entertainment

**\$15.00 Adult Ticket  
\$7.50 Child Ticket 7-11  
Age 6 and under FREE**



Babysitting provided for  
small children. They  
must be walking and  
under age 6. Must  
RSVP to reserve spot.

For tickets, contact:  
Ron DeGroot—704-8822  
Don Robbins—790-7723  
Sam Pellegrino—259-7337  
Bill Hiblar—943-2484

Pellegrino's will also provide a  
fully licensed well stocked cash  
bar with beverages of all sorts.

*Sponsored by our local Knights of Columbus, Fr. Nicholas Rausch OSB Council 1643  
and Mills and Mills Funeral Home and Memorial Park  
Profits from this event will benefit both Sacred Heart and the Knights*





# Saint Joseph Day

*In the Italian Tradition of gratitude  
for God's Abundant Blessing to Us*

You, Your Family, and Friends are welcome to a free meal!

**Monday, March 19**

At St. Michael Church, Downtown

Join us for Noon Mass & Blessing of the St. Joseph Day Table

Traditional Meatless Italian Meal Immediately  
Following Mass until 6:30pm

*Donations will gladly be accepted for the following Community Charities: St. Vincent de Paul, Thurston County Food Bank, Sacred Heart Outreach, Pregnancy Aid*

*Separate donations will be accepted to defray the cost of the food and supplies as Mills & Mills will only be able to cover approximately 60% of this year's anticipated costs.*

Co-sponsored by Mills & Mills, Pellegrino's Italian Kitchen, and Knights of Columbus



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**March 2012**

Thu 01 Council Business Meeting @ Columbian Hall  
(social & rosary @ 6:15; 1<sup>st</sup> Deg & Meeting @ 7:30PM)  
Sat 03 Rosary and mass 8:00 AM @ St. Michael's  
Sat 03 4<sup>th</sup> Deg Adopt-A-Highway cleanup 9 am  
Tue 06 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Wed 07 40 Days for Life 8 AM-8 PM  
Thu 09 4th Degree Officer's Meeting 6 PM @ Pellegrino home  
Thu 09 Centennial Meeting 7:30 PM @ Pellegrino home  
Mon 12 Hall Board Meeting 6:30PM @ Columbian Hall  
Tue 13 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Wed 14 40 Days for Life 8 AM-8 PM  
Sat 17 St Patrick's Day dinner 6:30 pm Social, 7 pm Dinner @  
Sacred Heart Hallen Hall  
Sun 18 Membership blitz, Pancake Breakfast, Donut Sale @ St  
Mike's all morning  
Mon 19 Crusaders of St. Joseph Circle Meeting  
7:30 PM @ Columbian Hall  
Mon 19 St. Joseph's Day meal after Noon Mass @ St. Michael's  
Downtown  
Tue 20 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Wed 21 40 Days for Life 8 AM-8 PM  
Thu 22 4th Degree Assembly Mtg 6:30 PM @ Columbian Hall  
Sat 24 Park Board Meeting 9 AM @ Columbus Park  
Wed 28 40 Days for Life 8 AM-8 PM

**April 2012**

Sun 01 40 Days for Life Closing Ceremony after 10:30 Mass @  
St. George  
Sun 08 **Easter**  
Tue 10 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Tue 10 Council Officer's Mtg 6:30 pm @ Washburn's  
Thu 12 Council Business Meeting @ Columbian Hall  
(social & rosary @ 6:15; Meeting @ 7:30PM)  
Sun 15 Donut Sales @ St Mike's  
Tue 17 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Mon 16 Crusaders of St. Joseph Circle Meeting  
7:30 PM @ Columbian Hall  
Thu 19 Clergy Appreciation Dinner 6:30 pm @ Columbian Hall  
Sun 22 Show The Truth Spring Tour to Gonzaga begins  
Tue 24 Hall Board Meeting 6:30PM @ Columbian Hall  
Tue 24 Choir Practice 7 PM @ Pellegrino Home  
Thu 26 4th Degree Assembly Mtg 6:30 PM @ Columbian Hall  
Sat 28 Park Board Meeting 9 AM @ Columbus Park  
Sat 28 Show The Truth Spring Tour returns