

# Father Louis A. Rowen Knights of Columbus Council #3670

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October 2015

## Grand Knight's Report

I am pleased to announce that four Knights from our Council advanced to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in a ceremony that was held at St. Isidore in Orange in September. Please join me in congratulating Brother Knights Boogart, Davis, Ciaccio & Holian

Charity of the Month: This fraternal year we have donated to Charlottesville Catholic School, Backpack Buddies & purchased mosquito netting for those in need in Africa. If you are aware of a worthy local, national, or international charity that you wish to have the Knights consider supporting, please contact me prior to that month's meeting.

We are in need for parish coordinators for the following:  
Coats For Kids  
Keep Christ In Christmas  
KOVAR

### Volunteer requests:

10/10 5:30pm Mass for Ernie Sardi (Incarnation)  
10/11 3pm Bilingual coffee hour (Incarnation)  
10/15 5:30pm New Parishoner Dinner (Incarnation)  
10/26 6pm Concession help (nTelos Pavilion)  
11/1 10:30am All Saint's Celebration (Incarnation)  
11/7 8am Memorial Mass (Holy Comforter)

Monthly meeting 10/19 at Church of the Incarnation's Stone Chapel with the rosary starting at 6:30pm with meeting to follow.

Please contact me at (434)990-0497 or via [koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) to help out.

Larry Hance  
Grand Knight, Council 3670

## THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER

**UNIVERSAL:** That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.

**EVANGELIZATION:** That with a missionary spirit the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

## 2015/16 FRATERNAL YEAR OFFICERS

GRAND KNIGHT – Larry Hance – 434-990-0497

DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT - VACANT

CHANCELLOR – Chuck McCurdy – 293-3210

RECORDER – Joe Ciaccio – 995-5886, 566-5921

TREASURER – Jim Morrisard – 973-6570

FINANCIAL SECRETARY – Kelton Flinn – 296-6224

ADVOCATE – Frank Squillace - 295-2702

LECTURER - VACANT

WARDEN – Dan Petruso – 540-664-6272

INSIDE GUARD – Phil Carr - 953-6097

OUTSIDE GUARD – Alan Isak – 977-0902, 434-296-1190

TRUSTEE ONE YEAR – Norm Balwinski – 973-8774

TRUSTEE TWO YEARS – Joe Murray – 971-2737

TRUSTEE THREE YEARS – Bill Phillips – 973-6726

DISTRICT DEPUTY – Gordo Genovese

CHAPLAIN – Father Joseph Mary Lukyamuzi – 295-7185

**Any Knight who is sick** or in need of transportation to a doctor or to get medication, please contact Brother Joe Murray at (434) 971-2737.

**Insurance Agent** – Jeff Wooten

Phone Number: [434]282-7123

E-mail Address: [jeff.wooten@kofc.org](mailto:jeff.wooten@kofc.org)

The feasts celebrated during the month of October are:

1st Thérèse of the Child Jesus,  
2nd Guardian Angels  
5th. Faustina Kowalska, virgin.  
6th Bruno; Bl. Marie Rose Durocher (USA)  
7th Our Lady of the Rosary  
14th Callistus I,  
15th. Teresa of Jesus,  
16th Hedwig; Margaret Mary Alacoque  
17th Ignatius of Antioch  
19th Isaac Jogues, John de Brébeuf and companions (USA)  
20th Paul of the Cross  
22th. John Paul II,  
23th John of Capistrano,  
24th Anthony Claret,  
28th Simon and Jude,

## **PLEASE NOTE!**

The Newsletter will be published monthly, around the first of the month and at least one week prior to the business meeting on the third Monday of each month. It will contain notes of the previous meeting plus any other topic of interest to the Brothers. If you have an item you want included in the newsletter, please e-mail it to Grand Knight Larry Hance at [koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) by the end of the month.

**KNIGHT OF THE MONTH**

**Joe Murray**

**FAMILY OF THE MONTH**

**The Morrisards**

### **COLUMBUS DAY CEREMONY, UNION STATION, WASHINGTON DC**

The National Christopher Columbus Association and The National Park Service are holding the annual Columbus Day Ceremony Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> in Columbus Plaza (40 Massachusetts Av NE Wash DC 20002). Music prelude: 10:45am, Program: 11:00am. Limited reserved seats available for Knights.

<http://www.unionstationdc.com/directions>

<http://www.hscl.cr.nps.gov/insidenps/report.asp?STATE=DC&PARK=NAMA&SORT=&RECORDNO=164>

### **FORTY DAYS OF LIFE: SEPT 23-NOV 1**

“40 Days for Life campaigns are managed by local volunteers in each of the cities involved in the effort. A 40 Days for Life campaign consists of 40 days of prayer and **fasting** combined with vigils in shifts outside of a clinic or hospital that performs abortions. With enough volunteers, this presence may be round-the-clock.”

Local vigil outside Planned Parenthood at 2964 Hydraulic Rd. Sign up/more info @

[www.40daysforlife.com/charlottesville](http://www.40daysforlife.com/charlottesville)

Film event 10/29 at St Thomas Aquinas: Light dinner buffet 6pm followed by 7pm screening of inspirational movie, “The 40 Film”. <http://www.the40film.com/>

### **MASS FOR FALLEN KNIGHTS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>**

Memorial mass is scheduled for 8am at Holy Comforter with pastries and coffee to follow. One of the most important duties of a council is to remember their deceased members each year in November when the Church celebrates All Soul's Day and All Saints Day. If any of the family members of the deceased are living in your area, invite them to the Mass and get them involved. Please contact Grand Knight Larry Hance

[koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) [434]990-0497 to volunteer as an organizer.

### **COATS FOR KIDS**

This winter our council will once again collect donations for Coats for Kids. Our council collected thousands of dollars last year. We worked with Holy Comforter, Incarnation, and St. George to meet the needs of needy children in the churches and in the community. Once again this year, St. Thomas Aquinas Justin Cunningham Council 11324 will also be collecting donations to assist our council's efforts. They'll be working with an elementary school in Albemarle County to get coats to children in need. All checks need to be made out to K of C Council 3670 with Coats for Kids in the memo line. Donations can be mailed to Knights of Columbus Council 3670, P.O. Box 7251, Charlottesville, VA 22906.

<http://www.kofc.org/un/en/service/community/coats-for-kids/index.html>

## **NEW COUNCIL DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT, LECTURER, AND YOUTH DIRECTOR NEEDED**

Our council is in need of a new Deputy Grand Knight and Lecturer.

\*The Deputy Grand Knight acts as a sort of Vice President of the council. He needs to be there to run meetings in the absence of the Grand Knight and serve as the Grand Knight's sidekick for support. More information is online at <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/resources/officers/officers.pdf> on page 13.

\*The main duties of the Lecturer are to provide suitable educational and entertaining programs at council meetings. This may include such items as food, drinks, speakers, presentations on special topics, etc. Lecturer is appointed by the Grand Knight. The council works with the Lecturer to plan the food and drink for each meeting.

\*The Youth Director organizes our council's efforts to highlight the youth of our community, including the Essay Contest, Free Throw Contest, and Young Man/Woman of the Year.

If you're interested in more information about becoming our council's Deputy Grand Knight, Lecturer, or Youth Director please email Grand Knight Larry Hance at [koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) or 434-990-0497.

## **UPCOMING LOCAL DEGREE OPPORTUNITIES**

### *4<sup>th</sup> DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION*

Saturday, October 31 from Noon-3:00 in Chantilly

### *3<sup>rd</sup> DEGREE*

Saturday, October 24 from 11:00-1:00 in CHANTILLY

Saturday, November 14 from 9:30-11:30 in Palmyra

### *LOCAL 2<sup>nd</sup> DEGREES*

Saturday morning, September November 7 from 9:00-11:00 at Isidore the Farmer in Orange

### *LOCAL 1<sup>st</sup> DEGREES*

Wednesday night, October 14 from 7:00-8:30 at Sacred Hearts in Mineral

There are a number of Degrees throughout the state each month. If you're interested in attending any of these, contact Grand Knight Larry Hance at [koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) or 434-990-0497. For more information, and for the full degree schedule, log on to <http://www.vakofc.org/> and click on Calendar.

## **PREGNANCY CENTERS CANDLELIGHT BANQUETS**

The Pregnancy Centers of Central Virginia will hold its annual Candlelight Banquets on Friday, 10/23 and Saturday, 10/24 at the DoubleTree Hotel in Charlottesville. The program begins at 6:30. Our council will be recognized for the Ultrasound Initiative. The council is signed up for a table at the October 24 banquet. We have ten seats at the table for Knights, wives and guests. If you attend, you can make additional donations to the Pregnancy Centers. More information is online at <https://pccvfriends.wordpress.com/fall-fundraising-events/>. If you're interested in attending either banquet, please contact Past Grand Knight Jesse Boeckermann at [jessebach7@gmail.com](mailto:jessebach7@gmail.com) or 605-376-4234.

## **PAVILION EVENT**

Our council has the opportunity at concerts and Fridays After Five to check IDs and work at the beer, alcohol, and soda carts to raise money. On Monday, October 26, we need ten volunteers from 5:45-10:30 p.m. to run the beer truck ([www.thenteloswirelesspavilion.com/events/detail/modest-mouse](http://www.thenteloswirelesspavilion.com/events/detail/modest-mouse))

Please help our council take advantage of these opportunities by volunteering and spending some quality time with your Brother Knights. If we do not fulfill these commitments, we risk forfeiting future opportunities. Respond with interest to Grand Knight Larry Hance at [koc3670@yahoo.com](mailto:koc3670@yahoo.com) or 434-990-0497.

## **2016 ATTRACTIONS DINING AND VALUE GUIDES**

The 2016 Attractions Dining and Value Guides are now available. \$10 from each \$25 book sold goes directly to the council. Coupons are redeemable now so don't delay in buying yours and let your family, friends, and neighbors know they can save money and support the Knights. Books are available at meetings and Knights of Columbus events. More information is online at <http://www.attractionsbook.com/local/Charlottesville/>.

## **KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS (KCIC) CARDS**

Our council has Keep Christ in Christmas cards available once again this year. Please consider buying cards from the council as we cannot return unsold boxes. All the proceeds raise funds to support our council's efforts. Cards are available at meetings, K of C events, and (hopefully) churches as able when holiday season ramps up. Credit cards and PayPal are accepted for all sales of Attractions Books, KCIC cards, and t-shirts.

## **MORE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

### *HABITAT FOR HUMANITY*

Volunteer needs are online at <http://www.cvillehabitat.org/volunteer-needs>. No construction experience is necessary. All training is provided on site. Incarnation's next Build Day is November 7. There are signup sheets in the Narthex at Incarnation if you're interested in helping.

### *GIVING THE GIFT OF LIFE*

Please visit <http://www.vablood.org/> to donate at other times or call Virginia Blood Services at 434-977-8956.

## **RESURRECTION CHALICE PROGRAM FOR VOCATIONS**

Brother Knights that are Members of Holy Comforter Church,

The purpose of the Chalice Program is to encourage families to pray and promote vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. The consecrated Chalice is a tangible reminder of this special intention for the Church. Praying for vocations is the most powerful way to support vocations. A vocation is a call from the Holy Spirit, a gift from God that is nurtured in prayer. When we pray for vocations, we lift up to our Father those men and women whom He is calling to follow Him in a very special way. The Vocations Chalice Prayer Program at Holy Comforter is simple. Just sign up on the calendar that is on the credenza. You will be called the beginning of the week as a reminder. During Mass you will be called forward to receive the Chalice to take home for the week to offer prayers for vocations. Prayers will be included in the Chalice box to start you off. Bring the Chalice back the following week when it will be given to the next Parishioners. This is such a beautiful way to pray for priestly vocations. The Second Vatican Council instructs us that it is the job of the laity to pray for an increase in vocations. We are asking all of our parishioners to join together and pray for vocations. Each Sunday, a parishioner or parishioners, will take home a consecrated chalice and use it as a focal point while praying daily for an increase in religious vocations. In successive weeks, the chalice is passed to other parishioners. We all are well aware of the urgent need for an increase in religious vocations. This is an opportunity for our Knights of Columbus at Holy Comforter to spearhead the Resurrection Chalice Program for Vocations; and thus by our example, encourage other parishioners to join us in this effort. Details from the US Conference of Catholic Bishops can be found here:

<http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/vocations/vocation-directors/chalice-program-info.cfm>

**RSVP (REFUND SUPPORT VOCATIONS PROGRAM)**

Through the Knights of Columbus Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP), councils “adopt” one or more seminarians or postulants and provide them with financial assistance and moral support. RSVP money is used by seminarians and those in religious formation for tuition and books, car insurance and maintenance, travel during vacations, emergency expenditures and other living expenses. Knights provide more than financial support, though. Members write letters to students, sponsor dinners for them, invite them to join the Order and, most importantly, pray for vocations

*Description from Knights of Columbus website at <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/vocations/rsvp/>*

Pictured below is our council’s recipient for RSVP, Brother Knight Nick Redmond. Keep him in your prayers.



**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS IN OUR COUNCIL**

Norman Bean	7th
Glenn Lankford	16th
Eugene Musolf	20th
Andrew Hucek	21st
Stan Sokolowski	24th
Edwin Mickiewicz	25th
Bernard Morin	25th
Alan Isak	31st

**SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES IN OUR COUNCIL**

Christopher & Melissa Simons	2nd
Thomas & Jessie Davenport	10th
Richard & Donna De Loria	24th

**FATHER LOUIS A ROWEN  
COUNCIL #3670  
List of Deceased Brother Knights**

PGK Ambrose Bryne

Louis Chauvenet

Cornelius Connelly

Edvin Farinholt

Andrew Gallagher

J.O. Hutchinson

Frank Ix

Kenneth Jaycox

William Maher

Robert Martin

Rev. Bernard Moore

Dominic Pologruto

Earle Rowan

Edward Sisselberger

Dr. John Thornton

John F. Finn

Carl Strahle

PSD Bernard McCusty

Samuel Lancaster

John Kivilighan

Breece Pancake

Col. Louis G. Klinker

Rev. Joseph Wingler

Rev. John Cummings

PGK Dick Cox

George Williams

John Mueller

George Harrington

Gerald Gallager

Dewey Graley

PGK Julian Hanlon

Hubert Glancy

Frank Oravec

Peter Pizza

Frank Doherty

PGK Robert Severin

Raymond White

Robert Mead

Clifford McQuilken

Anthony Guttile

Larry Swinburne

Leo Connelly

John Tonsler

James Looney

Rollin Stanton

PGK William P Maher

PGK Michael Stewart

James Duffy

William Suggs

Marcel Cloutier

John Wojnarowski

Raymond Cronin

Charles Foley

George Sylvia

**2007**

Tony Gambatesa

Glen Edgell

Wesley W. Clegg

**2008**

Jerome A. Ix

Charles Callaghan Jr.

PGK John (Jack) Cornachio

E.T Cason

PGK Peter M. Colo – Charter Member

Rev. Carl J. Naro – Chaplain

**2009**

Lew C. Stokes

PGK Randall W. Miller

**2010**

Daniel Dorsey Jr.

**2012**

Donald Firer

Henry Goforth

Nathaniel Long

**2013**

Conrad Isak

**2014**

Msgr. Chester Michael

Edward Morris

**2015**

PGK Tom O'Rourke

Ernie Sardi

Francis O'Leary

Charles Ciaccio

Francis Burns

Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord.  
and let perpetual light shine upon  
them. May the souls of the faithfully  
departed through the mercy of GOD  
rest in peace. AMEN