



## Grand Knight's Corner

*The Stage has been Set!*

[Stan Zmorzynski](#)

Grand Knight – [St. Francis of Assisi Council #12480](#)

We have been asked to do a great deal these past six months, but our biggest challenges will be these next six months. Starting with Mardi Gras Frisco 2008 around the corner, we need all brothers to volunteer and get plugged in making this event our best ever. For all new members this is our premier event and your help here would be most appreciated. Come out and assist with our greatest event:



***Spend time down in the bayou, two-steppin' to the sounds of Hunter Hayes and Louisiana Hot. Stroll down Bourbon Street, enjoying live Jazz, street entertainers and live auction.***

***Make your evening even more exciting by participating in the 3rd Annual Reverse Raffle. The Grand Prize is \$6,000, with total prizes of \$8,000 given away for the Reverse Raffle!***

Dress code is Bourbon Street Casual to Ball Room Fancy! Be a part of the hottest event in town. Come join us at Mardi Gras Frisco 2008 ... Help us celebrate the moment.

Fraternally,

***Stan***

## Chaplain's Message

*The "God doesn't care about that" attitude*

[Fr. Timothy Heines](#)

Pastor – [St. Francis of Assisi Church](#)

One of the greatest challenges the Liturgy Commission has in improving our worship is the "God Doesn't Care About That" attitude. That is when people do not put their best into the celebration of the Eucharist using the excuse: *God doesn't care about that*. Perhaps as a reaction to a perceived over-rigidity in Catholic worship forty years ago, many now want no boundaries or rigidity at all. Tank tops at mass? *God doesn't care*. Chewing gum in the communion line? *God doesn't care*. Talking during mass? *God doesn't care about that*.

What if the presider was to have the attitude: *God doesn't care about that*? What if the choir had the attitude, *well God doesn't care about that*? In other words, what if the preacher didn't bother to prayerfully prepare for his sermon-just winged it every week because "God loves me and accepts me for who I am? He won't care!" What about if the choir did not practice because God "*doesn't*

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care" as long as we just show up? I will tell you what would happen; we would have an apathetic and flat worship service. The congregation would think that the unprepared pastor and the unpracticed choir did not care about *them*. It is not about God caring. It is about us caring enough to give our best to one another *and* to him.

Mass is our chance to unite our hearts with the love of Christ who offers everything he has for others. His attitude of giving and sacrificing is the attitude we should have at mass. It is not appropriate to come late and leave early, nor to dress like one who just left the swimming pool, nor to talk during mass or chew gum. God may not care about that stuff. But if we act without considering how our talking, dressing, chewing gum, etc., affects others, *or how it might be disrespectful to God*, then we are in trouble. If that is the case, we are inconsiderate. And God *does* care about *that*.

*Fr. Timothy*

## District Deputy Report

*New Year's Resolution*

[Brad L Meyer](#)

District Deputy – [District #77](#)

Here we are at the beginning of a new calendar year. The first thought that comes to mind is 'What are your New Year's resolutions?' Most often your first resolution is to go on a diet or exercise to get rid of some excess weight. As most everyone knows, these ideas work great for a while, then disappear and you end up back where you were. Maybe we should focus on what got us in this situation and what can we do to correct it. Are we eating the wrong kinds of food? What's caused us to stop exercising?

The same holds true for a council. At the beginning of each calendar year we learn that members don't pay their council dues. They become excess weight on the council. Sure, a council can go on a diet and suspend the delinquent members. But does this action resolve the long term problem? Maybe we need to focus on what got us in this situation. Why have these members quit paying their dues and have become inactive? Are we offering the right kinds of programs to meet their needs to become active again?

I want to wish each of you a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year.

## Chancellor's Corner

[Sean McCarthy](#)

Chancellor – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

The Need for new Clergy is a fact that is facing the Catholic Church today more than ever. By the year 2015 it is predicted that a loss of more than 16,000 priests in the U.S., a decline of nearly 46%. Aside from the net loss of priests, our priest population is aging, U.S. priests will be older with almost half being 55 or above and only one in eight under 35. To compound the crisis, the total number of U.S. Catholics is expected to increase by 65% in the same period. Currently 27% of U.S. parishes do not have a resident priest according to a 2000 study done by the US Bishops. An estimated 58,000 parishes and 112,000 mission stations worldwide are without a priest according to the 1997 Vatican Statistical Yearbook. Please take a moment to say a special prayer for vocations. The following is a Prayer for Vocations supplied by the Vocations Committee of the Supreme Council, Knights of Columbus:

*Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. From us all in the likeness of your Son so that in him, with him and through him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen*

## Treasurer / Financial Secretary's Message

[George Gano](#)

Treasurer – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

Council Revenue Maximization: We have three areas in which we create revenue for our council 1) Mardi Gras, 2) Texas Hold'em 3) Knights Breakfast Café. We need to leverage each event to get the maximum revenue.

How do we do that? **1<sup>st</sup>** - Brothers should make a sincere effort to attend and support the event itself. This will reward the council with the revenue and also honor the effort of those Brothers' working the event. **2<sup>nd</sup>** – Each Brother should promote our Knights events to family, friends, co-workers, and neighbors. If each Brother gets

the word out to his circle of friends, family, co-workers, and neighbors we can increase attendance and revenue. We can do this in person, over the phone, or via e-mail. Example: Send a copy of the Mardi Gras flyer as an e-mail. The more you promote the more that will attend. We really cannot add another parish based fundraiser at this time – the only route is to MAXIMIZE. With over 200 Brothers talking/promoting we can definitely (PUMP UP THE VOLUME.)

[Roldan Diaz](#)

Financial Secretary – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

The Council is beginning a new Calendar Year, and with the New Year comes the annual dues of \$40.00 / member. Individual statements have been mailed out in December, and if you haven't received one in the mail, then we may need to get a correct mail address. For a minor fee, dues can be paid online by credit card at [www.stfrancis-knights.org/committees/membership/dues/dues-payment.htm](http://www.stfrancis-knights.org/committees/membership/dues/dues-payment.htm). Dues are per Calendar year, and assessed to every member, even if the individual did not participate. Once a member, always a member, until the member provides a written notice otherwise. Only after the age of 65, and consecutively paying your dues for 25 years (25 year membership), will a member become an Honorary Member, and will not need to pay dues. The Council is assessed annual Per Capita by the Supreme Council and the State Council, and advertising fees, which the dues are used to pay for, based on the membership count total of our Council. If anyone has a question about their dues, please send me a note at [roldan.diaz@eds.com](mailto:roldan.diaz@eds.com) or [roldandiaz@hotmail.com](mailto:roldandiaz@hotmail.com), and I will get back to you as quickly as possible.

Also, it would be helpful to log into our Council's website man-hours volunteered link at the bottom of the first paragraph under the Council Bulletin Board, or send me any and all man-hour information that you volunteered in the past year. Absolutely any time volunteered counts – it doesn't have to be Knights related.

## Programs

[Alex Orta](#)

Program Director – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

Well I hope everyone had a Peaceful and Joyful

Christmas season. We put the final wrap on 2007 with the Christmas party, great job on the food and planning. Big thanks to Ken LaPlante, Don Dyson and the Ladies Auxiliary.

Well time to look forward to the Mardi Gras event and the upcoming Merger Meals, both events are great opportunities to participate or volunteer. Again a big thanks to Sean McCarthy and John Watson a lot of work has gone into the planning of this major event, so when you see them give the a nice word and let know you support the event. Also help out in anyway you can, lots of opportunity leading up to the event and night of the event.

Also in closing, this is the second half of our fraternal year, let's close it out strong and really build some monument for next year. If you have ideas for events please contact me or any one of the committee chairs. Thank you, *Alex Orta*

## Church / Pro-Life / ACTS

[George Vogt IV](#)

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

**Church** – My Brother Knights, the next time you receive this newsletter, we will already be celebrating the Easter season. Christ's victory over death encourages us and gives us hope. It allows us to proclaim with St. Paul, "O death, where is thy victory? O death, where is thy sting?" It is this hope which urges us, with the grace of God, to persevere "to the end" and to obtain the joy of heaven. Notice that "hope" does not simply look to the reward, "the joy of heaven", but recognizes that in order to obtain that reward, we must first "persevere to the end". Webster defines persevere as "to persist...in spite of counterinfluences, opposition, or discouragement." This reminds us that to reach the joy of Easter, we must first encounter and even embrace Lent. A proper approach to the Lenten season allows us to reflect on who we are. We first reflect on our humanity and that we are "dust, and to dust" we "shall return". We recognize that we, like our Lord, will be tempted, but by the virtue of fortitude and the help of the Holy Spirit, we are able to "stand firm against the tactics of the devil". A proper approach to Lent allows us to identify the counterinfluences, opposition, and discouragement in our own lives, and to see our need for complete dependence upon God. While

we do not readily embrace the word, much less the reality of dependence, it is perhaps ironic that the Lenten season forces us to recognize that we are all dependent in some way. For much of the world, that dependence is on the material and upon "self". Lent helps us identify these types of influences (dependencies) in our own lives and challenges us to separate ourselves from them. It is in this struggle that we look to the cross. It is the cross that is difficult to accept. It is the cross that is difficult to embrace. However, it is hope, that hope which we have already discussed, that allows us to see the victory beyond the cross. Even more so, it is that hope which allows us to see that there is a victory which was first won on the cross itself. It is that hope which allows us to not only look beyond our own cross, but allows us to persist in our current situation, our own cross, whatever that may be. As Catholics, we are especially fortified by the miracle of the Eucharist. We will explore this in the next newsletter. On Fridays during Lent, Fr. Timothy will be presenting in the main worship area. Please make plans for you and your family to attend.

**Pro-Life** – "It is a poverty that a child must die so that we may live as we please." Mother Teresa (C.C.C. 2258)

**ACTS** – "Stewardship is not a matter of giving a little more; rather, it is a way of life." USCCB

## Community

John Hamilton

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

2007 was a great year for us and the Community as a whole. The Knights of Columbus made a difference and helped in many areas. We volunteered to help restore/repair two parishioners houses; we parked cars and helped kids/families during the [Clothe a Child](#) Events, and we sang and visited with the Men/Women at Victoria Gardens. We also financially supported Frisco Care's, a Medical clinic in Frisco as well as supported our AIDS Supper club program to name just a few of the things we did.

Do you know of an Event in our Community that we should support financially? Do you have a project that you are involved in and would like Brother Support? If so, please call or [e-mail](#) me the details. We are now planning for the first half of 2008 and we want/need your input on what you would like us to do in the Community.

**Upcoming:** *February 9th Victoria Gardens Activity Day* Brother Knight's support of the Ladies Auxiliary will be needed as we visit and play games and fellowship with the residents of Victoria Gardens.

Look forward to hearing from you on what you want us to do out in the Community. Thank you and God Bless!

## Council

Don Dyson

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

**Christmas Party:** The Christmas party on 1/5 was a great success. There were 65 guests at the party. Thank you all who help pull it off, especially Ken LaPlante who served as our Master Chef.

**Couples Social:** The couple's social on the calendar for 2/16 will be rescheduled. The new date will be announced ASAP.

## Youth

Mark Hutto

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

### Youth Free Throw Championship

All boys and girls ages 10 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held Sat. Jan 26th at Noon at Rogers Elementary (10500 Rogers Rd, Frisco, TX 75034) in the Gym.

The Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship is sponsored annually by Council #12480, with winners progressing through local, district, and state competitions. International champions are announced by the K of C headquarters based on scores from the state-level competitions. All boys and girls will compete in their respective age and gender divisions. Since its beginning in 1972, over 2.5 million youths have participated in the contest.

All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation. Fellow Knights bring your children and have them bring a friend or two. We look forward to seeing all of you on January 26th! For entry forms or additional information contact: Mark Hutto at [mark@huttos.com](mailto:mark@huttos.com).

## Mardi Gras Frisco

Sean McCarthy and John Watson



The 3rd Annual Mardi Gras Frisco will be held on **Friday, February 1st** from **7:00 PM** until 12:30 am at **St. Francis Church** in Frisco. We will have live music featuring **Hunter Hayes and the Louisiana Hot**

([www.hunterhayes.com](http://www.hunterhayes.com)), **Lots of great food** including *Grilled Chicken Po Boys, Smoked Brisket, Red Beans and Rice, Jambalaya* and lots of other great foods. For a \$40 ticket price you all the music you want, all the food and drinks you want, and a great time for fellowship. Also, don't forget the **Reverse Raffle** where we will sell a total of 200-250 raffle tickets for a chance to win \$6000 in American Express Gift Cards. Please as fellow Knights this is one of our biggest if not biggest fund raiser every year and **WE NEED EACH OF YOU** to help sell tickets and attend the event. This event won't be a success without all of our Brother Knights helping out. For entry tickets please contact [Dave Kiley](#) and for Reverse Raffle Tickets please contact [Don Dyson](#).

**Sponsorship:** [George Vogt III](#)

It's "Sponsorship 'Crunch' Time". Please assist with sponsorships in one or more of the following:

- Become a \$200.00 or more sponsor yourself.
- Contact a business and/or person you know who may become a \$200.00 or more sponsor.
- Be willing to contact ten businesses I will supply you with a listing of. (It would be a great help if you could just contact **one business per day for the next ten days**.)
- Keep me informed of your progress (both successful and unsuccessful) if you do agree to help.

My e-mail address is [gvogt3@hotmail.com](mailto:gvogt3@hotmail.com); my cellular telephone number is 504-439-2221; my home telephone number is 214-705-1016.

## Family

[Pat Taylor](#)

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

**TBD**

## Greater Dallas Association

[Brad L Meyer](#) (Acting)

Committee chairmen – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

The Greater Dallas Association (GDA) will hold its Mid-Year Organizational meeting on *Saturday, February 2 starting at 8:30am at Farmers Branch Council 5052*. The State Officers will provide updates to various Texas State programs. The GDA will talk about the upcoming Texas State Convention which will be held from May 2-4 at the Adams Mark Hotel in Dallas. The GDA will also talk about upcoming local events such as the Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner. All Brother Knights are invited to attend particularly the Council's Grand Knight, Membership Director, Program Director, and Financial Secretary.

## Membership / Retention

[George Gano](#)

Membership Committee chairmen

**Recruiting:** Keep your eyes open for parish Men that would make great Knights. We will be having another meet the Knights Night for March and April. Details and dates to follow via e-mail.

**Hospitality:** Brothers during this Fraternal year we have added 25 plus New Brothers to our council. Let us ever be mindful of our Newer Brothers at meetings, work projects, and social gatherings. Engage them in conversation, get to know them, and recruit them to get involved. **Be a Big Brother.**

Webster defines Hospitality as 1) cordial and generous reception of or disposition towards guests. 2) An instance of cordial and generous treatment of guests.

**Big Brother Program:** (New Knight Orientation Program) We are off to a good start. I need more "seasoned" Brothers to volunteer. The Big Brother role takes very little time and effort. You will mainly be in contact with the new Brother via phone/e-mail to bring him along to council events and meetings for the first 6

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months of his membership. You will also be a source of council info for the new brother. Simply take him under your wing and bring him along. This program will sure the new guys get plugged in, involved, and know they are welcomed in our Brotherhood. To step-up to the plate and claim a little Brother please contact me. 214-783-2132.

**“Used” Columbia Magazine Recycling Program:**

Please remember to bring your “Old” already read Columbia Magazines to our general membership or officer/committee head meetings. This program will help tell the Knights’ story. These copies can then be given to potential prospects to give them an insight to the Knights. We also place copies at the Ministry information cart in the narthex so the parish community at large can learn about the knights. Thanks in advance for your help and contributions to this program.

**1<sup>st</sup> Degree Monday January 21<sup>st</sup>:** 6:15 PM – Meet at St Francis. We will have 5 – 8 candidates making the degree. St Elizabeth Ann Seton Council #7850, in Plano, will host the first degree ceremony at the Parish Faith Formation Center, Room 230 & 234. We will be carpooling over to SEAS. Come out and support the newest Brothers in the council. Eat a light snack – we will go for dinner after the degree. The degree is due to start at 7:30 pm. Any questions or comments call George Gano @ 214-783-2132.

[Roger Hood](#)

Retention Committee chairmen

I reported to the Council last Thursday that the Officers and Trustees helping make phone calls to delinquent Brother Knights have had a difficult time. Many of the phone numbers and email addresses are missing, and those that are available are not often answered by the Brothers. The District Deputy, Brad Meyer, clarified that the Council does not have to obtain the signature of a member to process his deletion from the Rolls.

As long as a Brother is a Knight of Columbus, he will owe dues. There is no "inactive" category. It's analogous to pregnancy - you either are or you aren't - but without all the morning sickness and stuff.

Beginning soon, we will begin deleting Brothers from the Rolls who have not paid their dues for several years. The Council has lost more than the Per Capita charges it has paid the State and National K of C - we have lost

their energy, talent, points of view, and companionship.

So, if you know a Knight that has fallen delinquent in dues and inactive in participation - please encourage them, and pray for them, to regain their interest in the Knights of Columbus. Thank you.

## [Fourth Degree](#)

[S.K. Ken Franch](#)

Faithful Captain – [St. Francis of Assisi – Council #12480](#)

[Fr. Michael J. McGivney Assembly #3004](#)

**Meetings 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month at 7:30 PM**

[Our Lady of the Angels Church](#)

**1914 Ridgeview Dr. (2 blocks East of Custer)  
Allen, TX**

Our assembly is forming standing committees to outline and implement the programs desired by our members. These proposed committees are: Membership, Flag, Patriotism, Chalice, Sick, Social, Website, Newsletter and Fund Raising.

If interested in serving on one or more of these committees, please contact S.K. Ken Franch, [kdfrench@hotmail.com](mailto:kdfrench@hotmail.com) or 214.244.5274.

- Chalice Fund - Sir Knights to contact SK Dan Eckelkamp for more info.
- Re-obligation - Jan. 26, 2008 at Los Rios CC. Contact SK Ken Franch for further info.
- Assembly 3004 Epiphany Party - Jan. 19 at SK Gary Tullier's home.

## Recognition

### ***Knight of the Month***

September: Don Dyson  
October: John Hamilton  
November: Mark Hutto  
December: George Vogt III

### ***Family of the Month***

September: Bob & Diane Sirois  
October: George & Kendra Vogt IV  
November: Alex & Patricia Orta  
December: Roldan & Hilma Diaz

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

### PRAYER / BEREAVEMENT LIST

SK Bob LaMarch  
Tom Clark  
Don & Linda Wead

## BIRTHDAYS / ANNIVERSARIES

### BIRTHDAYS

1/18 Donald B Kitchen  
Gene R Pilkington Sr  
1/21 Alyssa Frye  
1/22 George W Gano Jr  
1/24 Craig D Martin  
1/26 Edgar L Perez  
Sean T McCarthy  
2/1 Scott N Mages  
2/4 Chris L Tranter  
2/5 Steven W Lam  
2/8 Bernard J Gillett  
Steven M Almanza  
2/10 Ramon Dimas  
2/12 Steven E Grzywacz  
2/14 Eric L Sirois  
2/16 Andrew S Hood  
2/19 Ben R Mesa  
2/23 Bill A Sholar Jr  
John R Watson Jr  
2/27 Jeff E Toffer  
Charles E Jendrusch  
REV Timothy Heines  
2/28 Roger A Perez  
3/2 Amadeo Perez  
3/3 Daniel G Kelleher  
3/4 Gerry K Dupont  
3/6 Mike Ornac  
Bryan F Causey III  
3/7 Joseph J Ellis  
3/9 Marcelo Salazar  
3/10 Paul R Kristoff  
3/12 Ruben Reveles  
John J Burns  
3/13 Tony Silvestro  
3/14 Kent Joseph Adlof  
Robert D LaMarch  
3/19 Michael K Etcheverry  
Lloyd H Manjeot Jr  
3/20 Mark A Johnson  
3/21 Ricardo V Lobo  
3/23 Jason A Zafereo  
3/25 Ross Bausone  
3/28 Anthony P Sadiq

### ANNIVERSARIES

1/9 Steven & Gracie Almanza  
2/6 Steven & Rachel Lam  
2/13 Frank & Elia Reyna  
2/14 Stan & Colette Zmorzynski  
3/2 Ken & Benda LaPlante  
3/21 Gabriel & Vivianne Corra

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## NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the 3<sup>rd</sup> issue of our council newsletter! If you have any suggested improvements for future newsletters, please e-mail me at [tsilves@grandecom.net](mailto:tsilves@grandecom.net).

Thank you, *Tony*

## CALENDAR / BULLETIN BOARD

### JANUARY

- 19<sup>TH</sup> & 20<sup>TH</sup> "WHITE ROSE" WEEKEND  
21<sup>ST</sup> 1<sup>ST</sup> DEGREE – SEAS – 7:30 PM  
23<sup>RD</sup> COMMUNITY LIFE COMMISSION – 7 PM  
24<sup>TH</sup> COUNCIL OFFICERS / GDA MEETINGS – 7:30 PM  
26<sup>TH</sup> "FREE THROW" EVENT – NOON  
28<sup>TH</sup> FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLY MEETING – ALLEN

### FEBRUARY

- 1<sup>ST</sup> **MARDI GRAS** – 7 PM  
2<sup>ND</sup> GDA MIDYEAR ORG MTG – 8:30 AM; ROSARY – 9 AM  
3<sup>RD</sup> KNIGHTS BREAKFAST CAFÉ – 9:30 – 11:30 AM  
6<sup>TH</sup> ASH WEDNESDAY – MASSES 8:30 AM / 5:30 PM & 7:30 PM  
(SPANISH); WORD SERVICES 7 AM & 12:15 PM  
7<sup>TH</sup> AUDIT / COUNCIL GENERAL MEETING – 6 PM / 7:30 PM  
8<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM  
9<sup>TH</sup> VICTORIA GARDENS ACTIVITY DAY – LADIES AUXILIARY  
13<sup>TH</sup> LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING – 7 PM  
14<sup>TH</sup> VALENTINE'S DAY  
15<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM  
22<sup>ND</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM

- 25<sup>TH</sup> FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLY MEETING – ALLEN  
27<sup>TH</sup> COMMUNITY LIFE COMMISSION – 7 PM  
28<sup>TH</sup> COUNCIL OFFICERS / GDA MEETINGS – 7:30 PM  
29<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM

### MARCH

- 1<sup>ST</sup> ROSARY – 9 AM  
5<sup>TH</sup> LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING – 7 PM  
7<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM  
13<sup>TH</sup> COUNCIL GENERAL MEETING – 7:30 PM  
14<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT LENTEN EVENTS: STATIONS OF THE CROSS –  
5:30 PM; MEAGER MEAL – 6:15 PM; ADORATION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT – 7 PM; LENTEN TALK – 7:30 PM  
17<sup>TH</sup> HOLY THURSDAY PRACTICE – 7 PM (LITURGICAL MINISTERS)  
19<sup>TH</sup> GOOD FRIDAY PRACTICE – 7 PM (LITURGICAL MINISTERS)  
20<sup>TH</sup> HOLY THURSDAY – 8:30 AM MORNING PRAYER; 7 PM MASS  
21<sup>ST</sup> GOOD FRIDAY – 8:30 AM MORNING PRAYER; NOON  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS; 7 PM MASS  
22<sup>ND</sup> EASTER VIGIL PRACTICE – 11 AM (LITURGICAL MINISTERS)  
EASTER VIGIL – 10 AM MORNING PRAYER; 10:30 AM  
BLESSING OF EASTER BASKETS; 8:30 PM MASS  
23<sup>RD</sup> EASTER SUNDAY – MASSES 6:30 AM (BI-LINGUAL), 8:30 AM,  
10:30 AM, AND 1 PM (SPANISH) – KNIGHTS PARKING CNTL  
EASTER EGG HUNT – 3 PM  
24<sup>TH</sup> FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLY MEETING – ALLEN  
25<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE UNBORN CHILD ROSARY–6:30P  
26<sup>TH</sup> COMMUNITY LIFE COMMISSION – 7 PM  
27<sup>TH</sup> COUNCIL OFFICERS / GDA MEETINGS – 7:30 PM

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