

# ***THE KNIGHT NEWS***

*Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism  
Annunciation Council 3826*

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## ***ONE NATION UNDER GOD***

### **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

2nd TUESDAY OF THE MONTH  
AT MSGR. REINBOLD HALL  
SAINT MARY'S CHURCH  
W. BAY AVE.  
BARNEGAT, NEW JERSEY 08005.

### **COUNCIL OFFICERS MEETINGS**

4th MONDAY OF THE MONTH  
AT MSGR. REINBOLD HALL  
SAINT MARY'S CHURCH

### **COLUMBIAN CLUB MEETINGS**

4th TUESDAY OF THE MONTH  
LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED

### **OFFICERS 2009-2010**

Worthy Friar Monsignor Kenard Tuzeneu.....	609-698-5531
Worth District Deputy SK Charles J. Walton.....	732-451-9126
Worthy Grand Knight SK Frank Ingrassia.....	609-661-8808
Worthy Deputy Grand Knight SK Wayne Pawlowski.....	609-698-3781
Worthy Chancellor SK Norman Bora PGK.....	609-698-6937
Worthy Financial Secretary SK Albert Del Tufo.....	609-709-5592
Worthy Recorder Gregory Resch .....	609-597-5544
Worthy Warden Lou Serrao.....	609-698-3582
Worthy Treasurer SK Harold Meisner .....	609-494-2217
Worthy Advocate SK Lawrence Smedley PFN.....	609-597-2527
Worthy Inside Guard Frank Malatino.....	609-494-6918
Worthy Outside Guard SK Roger Wolford.....	609-971-8347
Worthy Outside Guard Joseph Talluto .....	609-698-4028
Worthy Lecture George Mc Guire.....	609-698-6205
Worthy Trustee SK John Pescatore PGK (1st Yr.).....	609-978-0946
Worthy Trustee SK Charles Serwin PGK (2nd Yr.).....	609-978-0970
Worthy Trustee Frank De Sena PGK (3rd Yr.).....	609-698-0142
Worthy Insurance Field Agent Bob Dodds.....	609-978-6396

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***MARCH 2010***

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**CHAPLAINS MESSAGE**

On top of most crucifixes are the letters, IHS. I have often been asked for what they stand. They originally come from the first three letters of the name or title of Jesus Christ in Greek capital letters: IHCOUC (the older form of the Greek letter sigma, S, resembles our C). However, the symbol has been given different interpretations over the years.

1. *Jesus Hemeteros Soter* (Greek): Jesus our Savior, common early Christian inscription.
2. *Jesus Hominum Salvator* (Latin): Jesus Savior of Humankind, common phrase on early Christian monuments; popularized by St. Bernadine of Siena in the fourteenth century.
3. *In Hoc Salus* (Latin): In this (cross) is salvation.
4. *In Hoc Signo* (Latin): In this sign (you will conquer), from the vision and promise said to have been received by Constantine before his victory at the Mulvian Bridge (313).
5. I have suffered.

As Holy Week, approaches, let us meditate on the cross, and perhaps we can use these meanings to help us gain a deeper appreciation of the meaning of these days and Jesus' sacrifice for us.

Msg. Ken

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Tuesday, March 23rd**  
**COLUMBIAN CLUB MEETING**  
**To Be Announced**

**Tuesday, March 9th**  
**COUNCIL MEETING**  
**Msgr. Reinbold Hall**

**Monday, March 22nd**  
**OFFICERS MEETING**  
**Msgr. Reinbold Hall**

Visit [www.kofc3826.org](http://www.kofc3826.org) to see the prints of our new building and new Event Photos.

# MESSAGE FROM YOUR GRAND KNIGHT

## Charity and What it Means

As a member of the Knight of Columbus we all make a Degree promise of Charity to help our family, fellow brother Knights and neighbors who are in need of our assistance. Charity, the act of giving comes in many forms; it's a helping hand to someone in need. The help could be in goods and services, tasks of labor or monetary donations and volunteering. A charitable deed of just a phone call to the elderly who is confined at home, a visit to the sick or to the family of a deceased friend.

If we look up the definition of Charity it is described as follows:

- Love, universal benevolence, good will
- Liberality to the poor and suffering
- To benevolent institutions, or worthy causes
- Generosity

“Charity to be fruitful must cost us.... to love, it is necessary to give: to give it is necessary to be free from selfishness.” (Mother Teresa of Calcutta)

We must be charitable with no reservations and should always *give freely without feeling we are compelled*.

We should *never expect something in return* except the satisfaction that we helped someone with a problem.

So the real meaning of charity is; it comes from the warmth of our hearts for the love of our fellow man. It's the meaning of Knighthood. It is the Christian way of life.

I would like to thank everyone who made the Doo-Wop Sweetheart Charity Dance a success last month especially the volunteers. It was charity and the Knights at their best...

Keep up the good work.

God Bless

Fraternally yours

Frank Ingrassia, GK

## INSURANCE MATTERS

Whole life insurance calls for premiums to be paid for your entire life, or to age 100. You may want to consider a permanent life insurance product – one with guaranteed cash values – that offers a limited period of premium payments. The Knights of Columbus offers three permanent life insurance products for which premiums do not have to be paid for all of life.

“Twenty Pay Life” is exactly as the name suggests – a permanent plan with premiums payable for only 20 years. After the premiums are paid for the 20 years, the plan is “paid up” and no more premiums are due. Unlike its term counterpart, however, the plan stays in force, the death benefit remains intact and the guaranteed cash value continues to grow.

Another such plan is our “Life Paid Up at 65.” You buy this permanent product and you only pay premiums to age 65. Then, premiums stop (just in time for retirement), but the plan remains very much in force.

Finally, the ultimate in limited pay is our Single Premium Life product. Imagine buying life insurance – permanent life insurance – and only paying one single premium? It’s possible.

I have detailed information on all of these products. At your convenience, I’ll meet with you and your spouse to perform a free, custom-tailored needs analysis, to help determine which of our many life insurance products is right for you and your family.

Bob Dodds (609) 978-6396

## PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following sick members of our council, and their families, in your prayers:

**John J. Sroczynski Sr., Susan Accommodo, George Blaner, Eugene Levers, Marie Schwind, Charles Giles, Peter Ryan, Bob O’Keefe, Tanya (Dodds) Warnock, John Donato, Frances Di Giovanni, Helen Ronan, Elena Porsch, Ed Hogan, Gail Cassidy, George Agin Sr., Father John Ullrich of Saint Francis, Rosemarie Dringus, Rosemarie Cebulski-Mazur, Jo Pescatore, Skip Martin, Pat Martin, Charles Serwin, Ken Blanz, Joe Brandimarte, William McCracken, Jennie Ingrassia, & Bill Cox.**

Recently Deceased:

**Steven Yanci, Ralph Karp, Sr., Jean Kling wife of Herman Kling, John Steronko, Michael Sabonos, Laurie LaBrie, Grace Kolarcik, William DeSante (Uncle of Monsignor Ken - his mother’s brother), James H. Mayland, David Stoll, Deacon Marty, Mary Signorelli, & Edward L. McDevitt.**

All names will remain on our prayer list until it is requested that they be removed.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **March Membership Madness**

The membership drive is still on and everyone should be working on signing up new members. Remember the Knight who signs up the most new members win a prize. A Gift Card for Dinner at Sweet Jenny's.

But most important is our membership goal set by Supreme and Star Membership for the Council. We need just a few more new members to meet this goal so please do your best.

## **Saint Vincent DePaul Food Drive Continues**

More than ever your donations for food are needed. A request for peanut butter, jelly, instant potatoes, and tuna has been made. Of course any donation of food items will be accepted. Bring them to our next meeting.

## **Haiti Earthquake Relief**

Anyone wishing to help Haiti Earthquake Relief fund by donating cash can do so by sending your donation check payable to: KofC 3826 PO Box 91 Manahawkin NJ 08050 Write in the memo line: Haiti Earthquake Relief

**The council will send one check on behalf of the membership.**

## **Knights Membership Drive for January, February and March**

At our last council meeting it was announced that the next few months a membership drive (Blitz) will take place. We will award a prize to the Knight who signs up the most New members. (Not counting transfers)

## **Woman's Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus 3826**

We are forming and reorganizing a new branch of our council, the Woman's Auxiliary. Please ask your wife, daughter, and friends to join the auxiliary and be part of a special group of ladies who will "*make a difference*" in the lives of others. All adult ladies of any age are welcome.

## **Columbian Squires**

If you know a Catholic young man, 10 to 18 years old, consider encouraging him to join our circle of the Columbian Squires!

The Chief Counselor of the local Squires circle is Bill Cox, 917-881-3171

## **Special Notice to all Knights**

Supreme and the State last year found it necessary to impose a new per-capita on every council. We were told it was a temporary measure. Last year we did not raise your dues and absorbed the fee, but this year we must pass along the increase. We don't like to increase your dues and we hope you understand our position. Your 2010 dues will be \$30 until further notice.

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUNCIATON COUNCIL 3826 MAHLER/PURCELL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION.

Copies can be obtained at the scholarship link at our website, [www.kofc3826.org](http://www.kofc3826.org)  
MAIL TO: SCHOLARSHIP CHAIRMAN, K of C # 3826, PO Box 91, Manahawkin, NJ 08050-0091

**\*\*IMPORTANT: Application must be received no later than April 1, 2010.\*\***

**Eligibility: Any child or grandchild of a Member of Council 3826 in good standing as of February 1, 2010. Members of High School Graduating Class of 2010 attending college or trade school in the fall of 2010.**

You may attach additional pages as needed.

## Section 1:

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ SocSec# \_\_\_\_\_

## Section 2:

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Class Standing \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Score \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ ACT \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of School Official \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of School Official: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Copy of transcript must be submitted with application**

## Section 3:

Name of College(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Tuition & Fees: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Due : \_\_\_\_\_

Other Scholarship Awards including amount of awards:

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## Section 4:

Tell us why you are applying for this scholarship. **You may attach a separate page for this.** Do you have any personal or family circumstances which you feel the Scholarship Committee should consider? What are the ages of your siblings? Also list awards and honors.

**Knights of Columbus 3826 Annual Events Calendar 2009-2010  
(Revised 01.10) ... (PC) Parish Ctr. (RH) Reinbold Hall**

<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>
<b>October</b>	<b>November</b>	<b>December</b>
<b>January</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>March</b> 8 Chapter meeting 9 Council Meeting 21 Pancake Breakfast 22 Officers Meeting 24 4th Degree meet
<b>April</b> 12 Chapter meeting 13 Council Meeting 23-25 Train Show (PC) 26 Officer Meeting 28 4th Degree meet	<b>May</b> 10 Chapter meeting 11 Council Meeting 16 Pancake Breakfast PC 24 Officers Meeting 26 4th Degree meet	<b>June</b> 8 Council Meeting and Election of officers 14 Chapter meeting 23 4th Degree meet 28 Officers Meeting

- All Council & Officers meetings are held at Msgr. Reinbold Hall starting 7:30 PM
- All Columbian/calendar meetings are held at (TBA) starting 7:30 PM
- Calendar planning meeting will be held after council meeting dates. If you have a planed event you would like to see added to the calendar you must attend the calendar meeting. Additional events will be announced. Brothers in Faith Shall Do Great Deeds...

Get Involved... Volunteer... Because that's what Knights do best

**UPCOMING TRIPS**

**April 13-14:** Dover Downs Casino & Race Track. Cost of \$175.00 per person includes bus transportation, one night hotel accommodation, dinner & breakfast buffet, and \$25.00 slot credit.

**June 22:** Philadelphia Park & Race Track. Cost of \$28.00 includes bus transportation and gratuity. Casino bonus to be announced.

**July 13-18:** A Colorado Rocky Summer. Cost of \$1,594.00 per person includes roundtrip transfers from Newark, 4 nights lodging in Denver, 5 breakfasts and dinners, and professional tour guide.

**September 21:** 10 day Canada and New England Cruise on the NCL Jewel departing from New York. Cost from \$829.00.

**November 29-30:** Mohegan Sun Casino. Cost of \$165.00 per person includes 1 night hotel accommodations, three buffets, \$30.00 free bet, \$15.00 keno, driver gratuity, baggage and handling fees.

*For information and reservations for any of these trips,  
please contact Charles Serwin at 609-978-0970.*

## KNIGHTS COUNCIL #3826 BOOSTER CLUB

Consider becoming a booster, and support the council, defray the cost of printing this newsletter. The cost is only \$5.00 and your name will be published for one full year in the monthly newsletter. Fill out the form below and include your \$5.00 check.

<u>NAME AND EXPIRATION DATE</u>			
Art & Eleanor Matte	Mar-10	Harold & Florence Meisner	Nov-10
Joseph Clearly	Apr-10	Edward Toriello	Nov-10
Hellen & Tom Ronan	Apr-10	William J. Cavanaugh	Nov-10
Thomas Stapleton	Apr-10	Jim and Dolores O'Hara	Dec-10
Joe Esposito	Apr-10	Paul Zmuda	Dec-10
Bud & Fran Desalvo	May-10	Robert Bird	Dec-10
Charles Pinnix	May-10	Patricia & Edward Gallagher	Dec-10
Francis & Carol Hodgson	Jun-10	Andy & Alyson Watts	Dec-10
Tony & Pat Straniere	Jun-10	George & Jean McGuire	Dec-10
Frank & Jo Ann Kelly	Jun-10	Walter & Betsy Gasiorowski	Jan-11
Dominick & Donna Zadera	Jun-10	Ralph & Sue Giunti	Jan-11
Daniel Manchise	Jun-10	Jerry & Debra Gambino	Jan-11
Archie Truppa	Jun-10	Anthony & Valerie Travisano	Jan-11
Jim & Jeannine Bockin	Jul-10	Dan & Elaine Bergin	Jan-11
Richard Doyle	Jul-10	Henry & Connie Hoogsteden	Jan-11
Frank & Bernice Kalakowski	Aug-10	Brian & Dee Pedler	Jan-12
Rick Massimiano	Sep-10	George & Teresa Cebulski	Jan-12
Al Quercia	Sep-10	John & Catherine Vitolo	Jan-11
Charly & Martha Serwin	Oct-10	Michael & Sally DeRosa	Jan-11
Bill Robertson	Oct-10	Frank & Barbara Gruccio	Jan-11
Frank Logan	Oct-10	Stan & Betty Ann Dirvin	Jan-11
Leo & Denise Gasioroski	Oct-10	Richard Porsch	Mar-11
Jim & Irene Buskey	Oct-10	James Reilly	Mar-11
Bill Muldoon	Oct-10	John & Alice Melillo	Mar-11
Bill & Marie Elsner	Oct-10	John & Chickie Hornyak	Apr-11
Raymond Millner	Oct-10	Joe & Min Koptic	Apr-12
		Bill & Corinna Cox	Jan-15

**Send payments to:** *Knights of Columbus c/o Al Deltufo, 40 Chestnut Way Circle, Barnegat, NJ 08005*

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_