



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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Msgr. Borusky Council 10243 Green Bay, Wisconsin

NEWSLETTER

August 2006

GRAND KNIGHT'S COLUMN



Hopefully the insufferable heat of this summer is winding down, because now we begin heating up with fall activities.

September will start out slowly with the District Diocesan Meeting on September 9th. This year our Council will sponsor the event. If successful, we may host similar meetings in the future. John Murphy is coordinating the meal for attendees and will be looking for help. Please volunteer for a couple of hours. He sure will appreciate your help.

GRILL



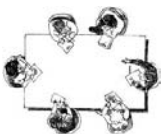
Speaking of appreciation, a big thank you goes out to Mike Worzala and his able cohort Tom Gauthier for coordinating the Knight's Grill at July's Summer Blast. Once again our Council was

well represented with volunteers. You know the old expression; many hands make light work and this certainly was the case again this year.

REVERSE COLLECTION

Earlier this month we had another successful Reverse Collection. It seems the total amount collected was a little off the usual, but that is to be expected when it falls during the summer and many parishioners are away on vacation. Sister Caroline was effusive in her thanks to the Council. Rick and Mary Noe did their usual outstanding job of putting it all together. Sister Caroline was telling me that this summer the Food Pantry was hit especially hard this summer with 11 families needing assistance in one day during July. We can take pride in knowing that our charitable efforts are well received.

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NEXT MEETING

Council Meeting - August 21
Contact Dan Barrington (465-4521)

Unity

HONOREES

Congratulations to the Council's July Honorees:

Knight of the Month:
Grand Knight John Murphy
Family of the Month:
John and Sandy Murphy

Coming Events

Council Meeting - August 21
Contact Dan Barrington (465-4521)

District Diocesan Meeting - September 9th
Contact John Murphy (336-9646)

Soccer Challenge - TBD
Contact Terry Misfeldt (469-7576)

Council Meeting - September 18
Contact Dan Barrington (465-4521)

WEB Links:

K of C Council 10243

www.communitynews.org/kc_folder/knights.htm

K of C State

www.wikofc.com

K of C Supreme

www.kofc.org

SPECIAL DAYS



Birthdays

08-16	Lawrence V. Mastalish
08-16	Sandy (William M.) Bartelme
08-17	Mark J. Janus
08-18	Susan (Michael I.) Borlee
08-23	Virginia (Kelly J.) Gigot
08-24	Richard E. Rebman
08-24	Gerald A. Piontek
08-24	Betsy (David M.) Whitton
08-26	Forest P. Faufau
08-27	Ann (Kevin R.) Lardinois
08-28	Bonnie (Lawrence E.) LaPlant
08-28	Sandra (Patrick J.) Mongin
08-30	Roy D. Johnson
08-31	Cheryl (John E.) Hansen
09-04	Michael T. VandenBusch
09-05	Michael J. Delvaux
09-05	Randall D. Barrett
09-06	Clyde G. Engebos
09-06	Rev. Jerome P. Pastors
09-06	Cheryl (Rick G.) Pigeon
09-07	Ronald A. Frosch
09-08	John C. Walczyk
09-11	Leroy R. Zellner
09-13	Marie (Wayve W.) Weber
09-15	Beverly (Jed A.) Schacht



Anniversaries

08-17	Arnold W. & Mary Wolff
08-17	Gerald A. & Janet Piontek
08-20	Kevin M. & Denise Beck
08-23	James A. & Marilyn Barnett
08-28	Dr. Gregory E. & Karen Schoen
08-29	Thomas L. & Marilyn Janowski
08-29	Robert J. & Carol Ledvina
09-01	Ernest A. & Rene Remondini
09-03	Harold T. & Ruth Watermolen
09-04	Paul L. & Kathy Tilot
09-06	Stephen J. & Lori Froelich
09-08	David M. & Betsy Whitton
09-12	Lawrence V. & Doris Mastalish
09-12-	Robert M. & Jean Reich
09-14	Kenneth H. & Cynthia A. Gezella
09-15	Kevin J. & Mary Vandervest
09-15	Grant W. & Joan Turner

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SOCCER CHALLENGE

Terry Misfeldt has volunteered to chair the Knights Soccer Challenge for our Council. This is a new event that was introduced by Supreme last fall. Unfortunately we did not receive information soon enough to do a trial run last year but hopefully it will become a successful addition to our list of activities. Details should be ready for our meeting on August 21

Charity

CHARITIES

Earlier this year we published a list of the charities which we have made contributions to. Beginning this month I intend to include a brief description of those being considered each month at our meeting. This was an excellent suggestion by the membership and will allow for more active participation in the decisions of the Council. With exception to a request from Sister Caroline for emergency funds for family assistance, I do not intend to bring forward any requests not received in time for publication of our newsletter so you will have time to consider the requests and we can deliberate at the meeting. Requests not making this deadline will be carried over until the next meeting for your consideration.

I look forward to any suggestions you may have concerning the Council.

**Fraternally,
Dan Barrington**

Charity Summary - August 2006

\$500 to Daniel Wagner, seminarian. We have sponsored a \$500 per semester stipend to a seminarian to help defray some of the costs of education. We currently sponsor Dan Wagner who is nearing the end of his schooling and will be ordained in the near future. Dan gives us updates a couple times each year regarding his progress and we look forward to these updates. Our most recent update came on June 20. Dan took a ten week course on Spirituality at Creighton University instead of his normal summer break from studies. His regular classes start at the end of August but he is hoping to be able to make it back to Green Bay for a week before classes start. If the timing is right, we will try and arrange for Dan to attend our August meeting and get a personal update. We receive some reimbursement from the State Council for participation in this program.

\$250 to Alison Paoletti, daughter of deceased Brother Mike Paoletti. Mike was a police officer in the City of Green Bay who suffered an untimely death leaving behind two small daughters. Our Council took action to establish a scholarship fund to assist in post-high school education in honor of Mike's dedication to the youth of Green Bay and in keeping with the charge of Father McGiveny to provide assistance to widows and children. This charity is reviewed every six months and requires the student to be actively enrolled as a student in a post-high school educational program. We do receive verification from Mike's widow that our stipulations are being met. This post-high school educational program is defined as any undergraduate (4 year university), technical college or trades school program.

Fraternity

What You Should Know About Mortgage Insurance

Have you purchased a new house recently? Congratulations! On a more sobering note, this is one of the biggest purchases you'll ever make - and probably came with a sizable mortgage. There's no question that such a large obligation should be factored into your life insurance planning. The real question is which type of policy would best meet your needs. "Mortgage insurance" is actually a form of decreasing term insurance. The face amount decreases as your principal balance decreases. If you die, the balance of your mortgage will be paid off.

You can also purchase individual term life insurance with a decreasing benefit, and Knights of Columbus offers this type of policy. Your beneficiaries could choose not to pay off the mortgage balance, and instead use the death benefit for some other purpose (education, retirement savings, etc.)

Never rule out permanent life insurance for mortgage protection. The fact is, many people move frequently during their adult years, often to more expensive housing. Owing a mortgage becomes a permanent obligation that doesn't diminish - and may, in fact, increase. A permanent policy would be a wise buy in such situation.

Buying a house is a hectic time. I can help make it a little bit less stressful by outlining your mortgage insurance options for you. Call me anytime.



Bill Bartelme
Knights of Columbus
Field Agent - 713-1936

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE

Knights urge that Sept. 11 be observed each year as a World Day of Prayer for Peace. The Day of Prayer for Peace will bring Knights, families and all people of goodwill together in prayerful solidarity for peace, security and justice.

Patriotism



New Initiative for Military Members

Charles H. Gallina, The Supreme Council has launched a new program to bring the benefits of Knights of Columbus membership to more men in the U.S military. Charles H. "Chuck" Gallina, immediate past state deputy of the District of Columbia and a retired colonel in the U.S. Marine Corps, is coordinating this project. In his role as assistant for military affairs, Gallina will be the Supreme Council's official liaison with the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA. Gallina told the state deputies that he will work with them to identify military bases that have the potential for a K of C council. He said there are an estimated 375,000 Catholic men and women on active duty and another 200,000 Catholics in the Reserves and National Guard.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The last change in the Pledge of Allegiance occurred on June 14 (Flag Day), 1954 when President Dwight D. Eisenhower approved adding the words "under God". As he authorized this change he said: "In this way we are reaffirming the transcendence of religious faith in America's heritage and future; in this way we shall constantly strengthen those spiritual weapons which forever will be our country's most powerful resource in peace and war."

This was the last change made to the Pledge of Allegiance. The 23 words that had been initially penned for a Columbus Day celebration now comprised a Thirty-one profession of loyalty and devotion to not only a flag, but to a way of life....the American ideal. Those words now read:

**"I pledge allegiance to the Flag
of the United States of America
and to the Republic for which it stands,
one nation under God, indivisible,
with liberty and justice for all."**