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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

A great time was had by all at the St. Patrick's Day celebration. The food was outstanding, and the service was excellent. Thanks to Brother Mike Karpers for his work on the St. Patrick's Day bash. You outdid yourself this year Mike. A special thanks to those members who displayed their Celtic heritage by wearing kilts. Don't forget that our annual Crab Feast is coming up. Contact PGK Dennis Brose for tickets.

Terri and I would like to extend to all knights, their ladies, and families a wish for a Happy and Holy Easter Season.

Deacon Tony Roberts, GK

PRAYER GROUP

Our Lady's message to Mirjana of March 2nd, 2010

"Dear children! In this special time of your effort to be all the closer to my Son, to His suffering, but also to the love with which He bore it, I desire to tell you that I am with you. I will help you to triumph over errors and temptations with my grace. I will teach you love, love which wipes away all sins and makes you perfect, love which gives you the peace of my Son now and forever. Peace with you and in you, because I am the Queen of Peace. Thank you."

Brothers and friends, we are so blessed to have messages come down for us from heaven. These messages are contrary to what the world is trying to teach us. Jesus will win over the evil of the world. Let us stay on the winning side and pay attention to the messages we are receiving. As Fr. John Corapi says, "In the end there are only two places to go - Heaven or Hell - forever!" Our main thoughts and actions should be geared on saving our "eternal" souls.

EDITORIAL

The Power of the Eucharist

Tim McCarthy

In years past all of us heard stories of the Bermuda Triangle, also called the Devil's Triangle. Through the 1960's more than 75 planes and 2000 ships mysteriously disappeared there. A review of available literature lists no disaster after 1969. Why?

A Catholic priest, puzzled by these tragedies, researched the history of the area. He learned that slave traders docked many ships at ports nearby. When informed of the contemporary bounty there were occasions when the dollar figure was too low. To raise the price the slave traders had a diabolic device: They shipped their slaves to the Bermuda Triangle and flung them into the sea!

When the priest learned of this he thought these unspeakable acts might have triggered some diabolic curse. Working with experts he carefully plotted the exact co-ordinates of the original murder scene.

He boated to the exact spot (perhaps heroic in itself). Slowly and reverently he said one Mass.

The mysterious tragedies stopped!

SHREDDING DAY

The Council will hold its next Document Destruction Day on Saturday, April 17, 2010, from Noon until 2:00 p.m. This event will be held rain or shine in the Council's parking lot. Bring your old sensitive documents, including canceled checks, medical records, financial records, and any other type of paperwork that you don't want to place in your recycle bins. There is no charge for this service, but any donation will be greatly appreciated. For additional information, please contact Mike Blair at 410-744-8754.

SCHOLARSHIP RAFFLE WINNERS

Week #1

Tim McCarthy - \$50 (Donated)
Robert Kane - \$30
John Furletti - \$20

Week #2

Robert McFrain - \$50
John Pollock - \$30
M. T. Savino - \$20

Week #3

Christopher Cisna - \$50 (Donated)
James Fitzsimmons - \$30
Mary Jo Moxley - \$20

PROGRAMS

Program Report

PGK Ken Horvitz, Director

We deeply regret having to cancel the March 21st Bull, Shrimp, and Oyster Roast due to lack of ticket sales. I want to thank Brothers Mike Karpers, Wayne McCullough, and all who helped put on the March 12th Rigadoo event. A big thanks goes out to David Slade and Brothers who helped out at the Annual Easter egg hunt.

Church Activities

Recorder Ernie Schaefer, Director

Please remember to read the inspirational messages in the monthly newsletter. Even though we do not have a rosary group on Mondays, everyone can still pray the rosary for world peace and for the end of abortion.

Community Activities

Trustee Mike Blair, Director

The semi-annual Shredding day is April 17th from noon to 2 p.m. in the council parking lot. We need volunteers to help at this event.

Council Activities

Warden Wayne Slifker, Director

Look for details and time of the annual Crab Feast. See the events page for upcoming Travel Club trips.

Family Activities

PGK Ken Horvitz, Director

The Family Bingo will be held

sometime in the spring so look for details and a date in the events page of upcoming newsletters. I am looking for suggestions for Family of the Month. Anyone who has a Family to propose can call or e mail me.

Youth Activities

David Slade, Director

The results of the district level Basketball Shootout - our council had 5 winners out of ten categories at the St Agnes event, however, none of the council winners won at the February 27th state event at Archbishop Spalding in Severn, Md. Congratulation to all the children who competed.

Pro-Life

Joseph Healy, Director

Please pray for the Pro-Life movement. Respecting the sanctity of life from conception is one of the important concepts we Knights and Catholics should adopt as a philosophy and truly support any movement that fights for this worthy cause. Thanks to the council for providing the facilities at no charge to the Pregnancy Center West for their annual banquet meeting. This organization counsels pregnant woman and is anti-abortion.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

March Knight of the Month

This month's recipient of the Knight of the Month Award is Warren Norris. Warren has been a member of the Patapsco Council for a couple of years. He immediately became involved in Knights of Columbus activities. Warren attends all meetings and

many of our events. Warren took a leadership role by becoming the Chancellor, one of the chair officers of the council. Yes, Brothers, if all of our newer members got involved like Warren, we would all be better off. This is why Warren Norris was selected this month's Knight of the Month.

Please pray for the following sick:

Tom Partenope, Tom Hartman, Bob Carhart, Beth Szczybor

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Kid's Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, 3 April 2010

Lunch at noon, activities begin at 1 p.m.
Contact: PGK Michael Doetzer @ 410-242-6130

Oberammergau's Passion Play with St. Mark's Roamin' Catholics 4-13 September 2010

Contact: Carol @ 410-744-7092 for details

Document Destruction Day Saturday, 17 April 2010

Bring all your documents to destroy to the Council
parking lot from Noon until 2:00 p.m.
Contact: Mike Blair @ 410-744-8754

Potomac Cruise on the Dandy Tuesday, 20 April 2010

Tickets are \$82 per person, and include lunch and cruise.
The bus will pick-up 10:00 a.m. A non-refundable deposit
of \$25 by March 22, 2010, will hold your reservation.
Contact: Tom O'Brien @ 410-796-8066

112th Annual MD State Convention Friday - Sunday, 14-16 May 2010

Contact: GK Tony Roberts @ 410-788-1680

St Joseph Monastery/Patapsco Shrimp-Bull Feast Sunday, 13 June 2010

12:30 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.
All you can eat steamed shrimp, pit beef, ham, and turkey.
Full buffet, beer, wine, and soda. Raffles & games, also!
Reserve your tickets early. Tickets \$38.
Contact: PGK Michael Doetzer @ 410-242-6130

Annual Crab Feast

Contact: PGK Dennis Brose @ 410-788-6467

Suicide Bridge Bus Trip Tuesday, 20 July 2010

Join us for a trip to Harrington Casino and Suicide Bridge
for a crab party. Tickets are \$80 per person. A non-
refundable deposit of \$25 will hold your reservation. The
bus will pick-up at 8:00 a.m.
Contact: Tom O'Brien @ 410-796-8066

Do you have an event you would like to advertise in the
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Officers Meeting.....4th Wednesday @ 6:30pm
Lecture Meeting.....4th Wednesday @ 7:30pm
Knights Out Inn..... Fridays 6-8pm

Retired Men's Meeting..... 4th Tuesday @ 11:30am
4th Degree Meeting..... 4th Thursday @ 7:30pm
Beaumont Meeting..... 1st Thursday @ 7:30pm
Chapter of Grand Knights.....2nd Thursday

April

1 Holy Thursday
2 Good Friday
3 Kid's Easter Egg Hunt
3 Holy Saturday
4 Easter Sunday
11 Divine Mercy Sunday
17 Document Destruction Day
20 Potomac Cruise on the Dandy
29 St Catherine of Siena, virgin & doctor

May

3 Feast of Sts Philip and James, apostles
14-16 Maryland State Convention
14 Feast of St Matthias, apostle
16 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
23 Solemnity of Pentecost
26 St Philip Neri, priest
30 Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
31 Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary