



The Cross and Compass

St. Joseph Council #7528
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May 2008

A Message from the Grand Knight



Mothers Day is May 11th. This special day should remind all Knights the special place Mary has in our fraternal order.

Our Mothers, not unlike Mary, did what was needed to help us grow spiritually and socially. They showed us charity simply by helping us grow up!

As Knights we continue their lead by doing charitable works in the church and community. Charity is good for our soul and the help it provides those in need is very important in our society.

Before the general meeting there will be a rosary at 7PM in the Chapel. Saying the rosary is important to help us focus on why we are Knights. It gives us the opportunity to relax and meditate while praying the rosary. As you read this do you have a rosary in you pocket? If not may I suggest a finger rosary or a credit card size rosary you can carry in you wallet.

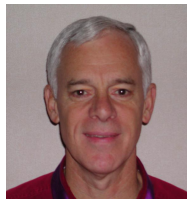
There will be a finger rosary for every Knight attending May's general meeting.

.Vivat Jesus!

Ken Baune, GK

From the Membership Chairman

By Mike Fay, PGK, Membership



In the April column of the Washington State Council bulletin our State Deputy, John Walker, wrote that St. Joseph's Council #7528, along with several other councils, had achieved its membership and insurance goals for the fraternal year 2007-2008. The membership quota for Council #7528 was 12 new members and the insurance quota was 6. Our council has met or exceeded the quotas for both categories.

My congratulations to the members of St. Joseph's Council who did the recruiting and welcome once again to the new members initiated into the Knights of Columbus since Jul 1, 2007. A new member to the Knights of Columbus is one of the best tools we have in recruiting more Catholic gentleman to our great fraternal organization. Let this surge in new membership result in the continued success as envisioned by our founder Father Michael J. McGivney.

For any questions and comments regarding membership contact Mike Fay, 253.838.6852 or mwfay@comcast.net.

Council Goals for 2007-2008

	Goals for 2007 - 2008	YTD	% of goal
New members	12	20	167%
New insurance members	6	3	50%
Pennies for Heaven	\$843.15	\$885.50	105%

Family of the Month

March - the George Fetter Family

Knight of the Month

March - Dave Paux

Council Directory

By Kevin Buck, PGK, Webmaster

The Council Roster provides the contact information of all of your brothers in the council. It is located on the council website: <http://www.kofc7528.org> under the "Members Only" menu. All of our members have access to that menu after logging in to the site, which can be accomplished after creating an account.

The information contained in the roster is as accurate as the information that has been provided to us. So, if the information listed for you is incorrect, has changed or not listed, please contact us at webmaster@kofc7528.org with the corrections.

Vocations

By Deacon Juan Lezcano

This month we conclude our introduction to our council sponsored Seminarians. Please feel free to send these gentlemen a card or some kind of correspondence so they know we are thinking of them.

This month, please meet **Deacon Jack Shrum**.

Deacon Jack Shrum was born in Montana, but grew up in Snohomish County. He had completed two years of college when he was accepted as a Mount Angel Seminarian for the Archdiocese of Seattle. Deacon Shrum has learned the art of Iconography, and has created several Icons for parishes in the Archdiocese. He is fluent in Spanish, and has done his internship at St. Charles Borromeo in Tacoma. Archbishop Brunett ordained Jack a deacon last August at his home parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Everett.

Mailing Address: Mount Angel Seminary, One Abbey Drive, Saint Benedict, OR 97373



2008-2009 Proposed Slate of Officers

By Council Trustees

The Council Trustees have met and propose the following slate of officers for the 2008-2009 fraternal year:

GK	Ken Baune
DGK	Jeff Markwith
Chancellor	Nestor Fernandez
Recorder	Bill Thomas
Treasurer	Edmund Molina
Warden	Craig Patrick
IG	Mitch Czuk
OG	Cary Wright
Advocate	Vince Mansanarez
Trustee 1yr	Mike Hemmer
Trustee 2yr	Kevin Buck
Trustee 3yr	Mike Fay

Good of the Order

Listed are all of the those Brother Knights or family members who are Sick or in Distress

Sick

Jeanne Hitchcock and family	Taylor Freyberg and family
Kailynn Hude and family	Bob Valley (Tony Robinson's cousin)
Joe Clemens and family	Jim Slawson Tony Robinson's nephew
Samantha Slawson (Tony Robinson's neice)	Jake Slawson (Tony Robinson's cousin)
Tony and Pam Frifcioni	Amanda Potter (Bill Thomas' step-daughter)
Dave Myers' Father	Alex Plys
Dave Green	Gilson Neil
Lowell Larson	

All those who were sick and ailing this year

All those who have joined Our Lord in Heaven this year

Please keep these Knights and family members in your prayers. Thanks!

NOTE: Please contact Joe Penwell if you have knowledge of anyone sick or in distress.

THE 365 CLUB BY MAIL

Supporting Vocations is simple! All you have to do is join The Pennies For Heaven Crusade. The best way to do this is by becoming a member of The 365 Club. Donate a penny-a-day for a year (\$3.65 or more if you can) and offer a prayer a day for a year for Vocations! Pennies add up quickly and the prayers help. For Brothers who cannot always join us at our meetings, here is your chance to stand up and be counted as a supporter.

CLIP AND MAIL

To: Jeff Markwith, 365 Chairman

Yes, count me in as a Member of The 365 Club! I want to do my part to support Vocations.

Here is my contribution of \$ _____ Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Mail your check to:

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

<i>May Birthdays</i>					
1	Edward Sweeney	15	John Kjos	1	Cindy Mansanarez
2	Gary Fredrickson	15	Edward Cooper	3	Janet Knowlton
4	William Clarke	17	David McArdle	5	Kim Sanchez
8	Donald Powell	22	Greg Biersack	8	Anita Paves
8	Jose Altamirano	23	Theodore Medina	9	Teenamarie Callahan
14	Glenn Martin	24	Wayne Moritz	12	Kelli Sanders
14	Scott Dowbiggin	27	Thomas Rossetto	15	Maureen Fay
15	Stephen Young	29	Maynard Lipp	20	Cynthia Herman
15	Horace Suinn	30	Varghese Payappilly	20	Patty Winch

<i>May Anniversaries</i>			
4	Maurice and Isabel Tessier	28	Mark and Meschelle Miloscia
12	Mark and MaryJo Busch	28	James and Darlene Jowell
20	Kenneth and Kirsten Baune	31	William and Teresa Barry

Council Calendar of Events

May 2008

6th	General Meeting	7:30pm Narthex and Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
11th	Mothers Day Breakfast	After the 8:00 and 9:30 masses in the Parish Hall
16-18	State Convention	Spokane, WA
17th	Nativity House Breakfast	Nativity House (POC Mike Hemmer, PGK)
20th	Planning Meeting	7:30pm in Room "A" - 1st Degree at 7:00pm
31st	Squires Convention	We will be serving lunch and dinner.

June 2008

3rd	General Meeting	7:30pm Narthex and Rosary 7:00pm Chapel
7th	St. Vincent's Golf Tournament	Northshore Golf and Country Club
9th	Altars Server Dinner	5:00pm in the Parish Hall
17th	Planning Meeting	7:30pm in Room "A" - 1st Degree at 7:00pm
21st	Nativity House Breakfast	Nativity House (POC Mike Hemmer, PGK)
21st	4th Degree Exemplification	12:00noon in the Parish Hall—we will be serving lunch and dinner
24th	Fr Tom Golf Outing	Northshore Golf and Country Club, POC Tony Robinson

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