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Abraham Lincoln – our nation’s greatest president once said, “In the end, it’s not the years in your life that matter – but the life in your years.”

In our vestibule at Church of the Ascension we’ve placed a “Book of the Dead”. November is the month we remember all of the Saints who have gone before and then on November 2, we remember and pray for All Souls awaiting God’s Kingdom. I wrote three names into the Book of the Dead. A young boy, just 14 years of age who died of H1N1 (aka Swine Flu) virus. I also wrote in the names of two dear ladies I had the privilege of visiting most Thursday evenings. One was 80 years of age and died of cancer, a wonderful lady, great family. Two weeks before her funeral, a family of the parish, a dad, mom, a first grader and a third grader went with me on sick calls. A beautiful memory was made that evening when the little first grade girl handed the dear lady a little stuffed bear. I gave her the Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion, two weeks later, to the day, we celebrated her Mass of Resurrection. The other lady was 91 years of age and less than two weeks before the Lord called her home, she told me she was “weak, tired and ready.”

We just finished celebrating the month of the Rosary and the Month of Respecting Life. I’m going to ask each of you reading this article to think of the blessings of your visits

and spend some time with a sick, suffering hospitalized or lonely person. Do it as a family. Take them some cookies or a stuffed animal. It’ll change lives, yours and theirs.

Once when Mother Theresa was facing a crowd of people in need a news reporter put a microphone into her face and asked how she would deal with such a crowd? Mother Theresa smiled and said, “Just as Jesus did, one person at a time...”

I’ll conclude with a powerful meditation I read at most funerals.

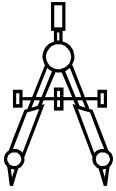
“Sorrow Turns to Joy”

We lost five of our relatives in one year to untimely deaths. I was feeling deep sorrow one morning after my husband went to work. I was gazing out the kitchen window pondering the short lives of our loved ones. Suddenly I was aware of how fortunate I was to have the day ahead of me. I wondered what each of my loved ones would do if they had just one more day to live. I decided I would live this day doing what they would have done.

I began by baking some chocolate chip cookies to welcome a new neighbor as my mother in law would have done. I donated some clothing to a needy organization as my brother would’ve done. I phoned a friend I’d lost touch with as my sister in law would’ve done all the while smiling like my grandchild would’ve done. With God’s help, my sorrow turned to joy as mindful of others who aren’t here I tried helping those who are.

God bless you,

Fr. J.L. Reichert



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It is an ongoing question. How can we get more men to join the Knights of Columbus? How can we get more 3rd degree Knights to become 4th degree Knights? How can we get more Sir Knights to attend our meetings and get involved?

I am reminded of a conversation I had with a brother Knight when he asked me how long I had been a Knight. I told him I became a knight just five years ago. He replied "Oh, why didn't you join the KofC before." My answer was simple "no one ever asked me." Okay, you see where I am heading with this.

At the last meeting we discussed a visitation program with our supporting councils to recruit more members from the 3rd degree to join the 4th degree. It is time we step up and volunteer to visit one of our four councils to tell them what the 4th degree is all about and ask them to join us. They need to know that the cost is now minimal and the full regalia is no longer required for the exemplification and can be purchased at a later date. They need to know the pride we take in being a 4th degree and representing all knights at public and private events. It is time to step up and "go and ask" our brother Knights to join us.

Sir Knights, the ball is in your court. Neither the Faithful Admiral nor I can do it alone. I am asking for your help.

Just a reminder of the Veteran's Day ceremony to be held at Church of the Ascension at the 5:30 Mass on November 7th. We are requesting all Sir Knights to be part of the ceremony to honor all our veterans. There will be no cemetery service as this day is to honor all veterans. We will have an honor guard to

escort the flag to the front of the nave and after Mass, join the reader of the names and they will present swords. After each name is read there will be a two-bell sounding. Show time will be no later than 5pm on the 7th.

Don Vocca
 Faithful Navigator

Web-Pages of special interest:

www.kofcassembly3037.org (Assembly 3037)

www.kofc.org (Supreme)

www.kofcoho.org/master (Master's Web site)

www.kofcoho.org (Ohio State Council)

www.kofccolumbus.org (Columbus Chapter)

www.kofcassembly809.org (Assembly 809)

www.kofcsupplies.com (English Company)

www.lynchkelly.com (Lynch & Kelly)



Every Tuesday at 4PM

From the Chair

with Bishop Frederick Campbell

Tuesday, November 3rd
 LIVE Call-In Program

Health Care

Vocations 1





**Faithful Captain
Robert Peters
(614) 855-7203**

The officers and guest dinner meeting will be at Max & Erma's located at 1317 Hamilton Rd. (south of Morse) Monday on November 9th at 7:00 PM.

The assembly business meeting will be on November 19th. Our dinner will be at 7:00 pm, The Assembly will provide the Turkey, Gravy, and Rolls. Members are asked to bring Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Vegetables, Cranberries and Dessert. **Please R.S.V.P. to me at 614.855.7203 no later than Tuesday November 10th.** We need to know how many are attending, what dishes you will be bring, so that we have a good variety and enough food for all. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Ladies' Program: Due to the usually longer dinner time there will no formal program.

**Faithful Pilot
Carl Haaser**
Carl@haaser.com
(614) 891-1962

Requests for Honor Guard and Color Guard

Please inform the Pilot at least two weeks prior to any upcoming event requesting involvement of either the Honor Guard or Color Guard.

Wakes and Funerals

Honor Guard for wakes and funerals are to be telephoned immediately to the Pilot.

Calling Tree

Here is the modified current calling tree contact list. If you are NOT receiving phone calls about wakes, please contact your council's "Contact Person" or Carl Haaser at 614-891-1962.

Ascension Veterans Day Mass November 7 5:30 PM
Memorial Mass November 22 12:00 Noon Pontifical
College Josephinum (Breakfast will be at 10:30 AM)
Resurrection April 17 5:00 PM First Eucharist
Resurrection April 25 11:00 AM First Eucharist
Resurrection May 1 5:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Council	Contact	Phone #
Ascension Council 4324 Scott Treadway	(614) 374-4227 sktreadway@embarqmail.com	
Westerville Council 5776 Carl Haaser	(614) 891-1962 Carl@haaser.com http://www.kofc5776.org/	
St. Jude Council 5801 Art Wohlfrom	(740) 965-2072 artandannewohlfrom@embarqmail.com http://stjude-kofc.org/	
New Albany Council 10941 Ed Yingling	(614) 891-5675 eyingling@hotmail.com http://www.kofc10941.org/	



Faithful Comptroller

John Arata

(614) 855-0311

Your Directive

All new Sir Knights, as well as current Sir Knights, need to complete your directive. This is the document that instructs the assembly on the presentation of the Chalice and Sword upon your death. Having this done in advance eases the burden on your family. A directive may be changed at any time.

Flag Pole Memorial

The Monsignor J. Colby Grimes Assembly Knights of Columbus has established a flag pole memorial to honor deceased members of the Assembly. The memorial is located at the Josephinum in Columbus, Ohio. As a Sir Knight in good standing at the time of your death you may request your name on a plaque at the Memorial.

The cost of the Memorial Plaque is presently \$125.00. To avoid decisions by your family at the time of your death you may pre-pay. Please contact the Faithful Comptroller for more information.



Faithful Commander

Manual of the Sword Practice

Manual of the Sword Practice will be held upon request of any Sir Knight. Please call our Faithful Commander to set up a time. All new Sir Knights should try to attend at least one manual of the Sword Practice.

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Answering The Call to
Evangelization

Office of the
Bishop
614-224-2251

Dear Friends of Catholic
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The mission of Catholic radio is bringing Christ to people and people to Christ. What could be more important?

In a world dominated by expanding communication, it is essential that there be an alternative to secular media. Catholic talk radio gives everyone an opportunity to hear the truth of the Catholic faith daily. Since St. Gabriel Radio started broadcasting in August, 2005, a growing number of the station's listeners have reported a strengthening and greater understanding of their faith. There has been at least one documented conversion to the Catholic faith attributed to listening regularly to St. Gabriel Radio's programming. This potential power of the media can not be underestimated.

I invite you to listen to St. Gabriel Radio, where you will find encouragement to live your Catholic faith. I encourage you to make as generous a pledge as you can to the "Raise The Power" Capital Campaign to increase Catholic talk radio broadcasting through Central Ohio. Join me in supporting St. Gabriel Radio and helping to bring Christ's truth through this modern means of evangelization.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ F. F. Campbell

Most Reverend Frederick F. Campbell, D.D.,
Ph.D.
Bishop of Columbus

DATE PLACE GATHERING TIME EVENT REQUIREMENT

Friday Oct 30 2009 Meet in Marysville Council Hall. Social 5 -7 PM 7:30 PM Dublin Scioto and Marysville High Schools football game in Marysville, Ohio. Flag Posting Ceremony Color Guard & Honor Guard

Sunday 1 Nov 2009 Our Lady of the Lakes, Marysville Ohio Falvey Hall 8:15 AM "Feast of All Saints" 9:00AM Mass Honor Guard

Saturday 7 Nov 2009 Veterans Day Mass Church of the Ascension Johnstown, Ohio 5:00 PM Honor Guard

Sunday 8 Nov 2009 St Leonor Catholic Church, 57 Dorsey Mill Rd E., Heath, Ohio 43056 1:00 PM KofC 4th Degree District Meeting Starting at 1:30PM Color Guard & Honor Guard

Sunday 8 Nov 2009 St. Michael Church, 5750 N. High St. Columbus 3:30 PM Bishop Campbell to dedicate new church organ 4:00 PM Honor Guard

Wednesday 11 Nov 2009 Veterans Day

Thursday 12 Nov 2009 St. Joan of Arc Church 6:30 PM 20th Anniversary Celebration of the dedication of St. Joan of Arc Church Honor Guard

Sunday 15 Nov 2009 St. Mary's Catholic Church 82 E. William Street Delaware, Ohio 43015 8:30 AM 9:00M Mass for the deceased members of Council # 1056 and Assembly # 0844 Honor Guard

Sunday 22 Nov 2009 Pontifical College Josephinum Memorial Mass for Assembly 2380 Columbian Martyrs, 2727 Bishop Herrmann & 3037 Monsignor J. Colby Grimes. Breakfast will be served at 10:30 AM before Mass @ 12:00 Noon Honor Guard.

Sunday 22 Nov 2009 St. Joseph Cathedral 10:00 AM Memorial Mass for Fr. Huber Assembly 809 Honor Guard

Sunday 6 Dec 2009 St. Andrew Church 1899 McCoy Rd Upper Arlington 9:30 AM St. Andrew Council Memorial Mass Honor Guard

Sunday 6 Dec 2009 Our Lady of Piece Church, 20 E Dominion Blvd, Columbus 12:30 PM Feast of Our Guadalupe Mass at 1:00 PM Honor Guard

Saturday 12 Dec 2009 Holy Name Church, 154 E Patterson Ave Columbus, OH 6:30 PM Feast of Our Guadalupe Mass at 7:00 PM Honor Guard

Saturday/Sunday 9-10 January 2010 Hilton Hotel Easton Plaza, Columbus Ohio 12:15 PM District
Deputy Meeting Color Guard

Sunday 31 Jan 2010 Villa Millano's, 1630 Schrock Rd. Columbus 6:00 PM Clergy Night Color
Guard

Friday-Sat 16/17 April 2009 Cherry Valley Lodge Newark Ohio, 9:00 AM District 3 Exempt
Color Guard & Honor Guard

Federal Court Victory in Pledge of Allegiance Case

[Decision in New Hampshire Case](#)

10/1/2009

The Knights of Columbus scored an important victory in federal court in New Hampshire on Wednesday, Sept. 30, when U.S. District Judge Steven McAuliffe upheld the constitutionality of the words “under God” in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Atheist Michael Newdow had filed the lawsuit against the school system in Hanover, New Hampshire on behalf of the Freedom From Religion Foundation, in a case that mirrored his earlier lawsuit against schools in and near Sacramento, California.

As with the California case, the Knights of Columbus sought and received permission from the court to become a “defendant intervenor,” allowing attorneys representing the Order (from the [Becket Fund](#) for Religious Liberty) to participate directly in the court proceedings.

The California case, argued before a panel of the Ninth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in December 2007, has still not been decided. Read the New Hampshire court decision.



**Join the
Josephinum
community for
a
long-standing
tradition in
flag-football!**

**Mud Bowl 2009
College vs. Theology**

Saturday, November 7, 2009

12:00 p.m. Tailgate (Food & Beverages Served)

2:00 p.m. Kick-Off

**Collegians are after a third consecutive victory,
Theologians aim to reclaim the title!**

**Live Commentary! Festive Atmosphere!
Game Admission is Free!**

**On the grounds of the Pontifical College Josephinum
7625 N. High Street Columbus, OH 43235**





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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Officers Meeting	November 9th
Dinner/Meeting	November 19th
Memorial Mass	November 22nd



Good of the Order

**Bishop Frederick Campbell
Debbie Girardi
All Under & Unemployed**

**Msgr. Jack Ditto Bob Brown & Family
Dorothy Baczykowski & Family
All Service Personnel**

All Saints Day November 1st

All Souls' Day November 2nd

If you know of any Sir Knight or Lady who is sick or in distress, please contact Mark Steele at 475-2733