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Knights' Letter

February 2010

Meetings 2nd Monday: Officers 6:30 PM; Reg. 7:00 pm
February 8th *St. Patrick's Youth Center*

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Coffee and Donuts February 7th No BBQ in Feb

New Knights of Columbus Council 1202
website: <http://www.TXKC1202.com> Bulk mail of Newsletter will stop in April 2010 unless you request .free copies to continue to be sent to you, renewing every year.

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Dues for 2010 now due.

Please pay your dues to avoid suspension from both our Council and if applicable this will affect your 4th Deg. Assembly membership as well.



My Brothers in Christ:

Have you heard that Monsignor W. Michael Mulvey has been appointed the New Bishop of Corpus Christi Diocese replacing retiring Bishop Carmondy? Mark your calendars for Thursday March 25th for his ordination to the Episcopacy and installed as Bishop of Corpus Christi by His Eminence, Daniel Cardinal DiNardo, Archbishop of Galveston-Houston in ceremonies to be held at Corpus Christi Cathedral.

We have received our new By-Law books; please come to the meeting to pick up your copy. February will start off with us hosting the St. Patrick's coffee and donuts Feb 7th. February 17th is Ash Wed. every Friday during Lent St. Patrick's Church has the stations of the Cross followed by a penitential soup hosted by one of the many church organizations. I will let you know when it is the Knights' turn to host and cook for this event. Because of a BBQ by the school the third Sunday, on February 21st we will not have a Chicken BBQ this month. I urge you to support the school as they have supported us and buy a BBQ plate or two from them. A good Catholic education from an award winning school should be something we as Knights should be proud to support.

Do you wish to be an officer of KC 1202? Elections are coming up in May and we need new blood to step forward to run this council. Have you held out and not come to meetings or events because you do not like the way things are run. Now is your chance to correct this. Unlike other organizations, the Knights require constant action by we the councils to promote and provide charity, unity, and fraternity for our fellow members and for both our Catholic and civil communities.

May the Lord continue to Bless you and your families
See you at the January 11th meeting

GK Steve Richardson

Volunteers needed for State Convention
April 30th - May 2nd 2010

For These We Pray

Mary Galvan, Anna Bires, John McLaughlin, Pete Haney, Leon Seidenberger, Richard Mathews, Carolyn Ganem, Bill & Bertha Redfox, Gerry Russek, Rev. Frances Pfeifer, Vemelle Brannigan, Dr. Jim Hoban, Bob Skrobarczyk, Henry Case, Bruce Gore; Ava Arellano; Sam Lopez; and all our Veterans, and Missionaries serving overseas and at home.



If you know of any member or member's family in need of prayer, contact any of the officers .

Memorials for Deceased Knights

We have 2 Masses for deceased members this month, 1 for Louie Pollok at St. Patrick's on Thursday Feb. 18th at 5:30 PM and 1 for Richard Mathews at St. Pius X on Friday Feb 26th at 5:30 pm

Basketball Free Throw

Our Council and the District Champion in 11 year-old boys is Jonathon Cavazos. Let us wish him luck in the regional finals.

Knights of Columbus Newsletter

With the April mailing of the *Knights Letter* our bulk rate postage permit will expire. Have you filled out and returned your survey letting us know if you wish to continue getting this newsletter? I believe to date fewer than 10 of you have requested to keep getting it by mail, a great reduction of the 100 plus who qualify as members, widows and friends of the Knights. This is also a great deal less than the 200 required to use the bulk mail account. Please let us know, or send us your email to receive a PDF file of the newsletter each month over the internet.

Volunteers needed for KC State Convention

The Knights of Columbus of the Dioceses of Corpus Christi are currently in the planning stages for the 2010 KC State Convention to be held here in Corpus Christi. We need your help to make this a successful event. Money raised will go to help fund our priest appreciation banquets for the next several years, plus help fund the startup funds for a possible return of the state convention in May 2012. We need committies: putting on the golf and fishing tournaments, greeting and registration of guests and their families, hospitality, raffle, souvenir and event help. Drivers and helpers for passenger vans to transport members back and forth from hotels and the convention center will also be necessary; no special license needed to drive these vans. Ladies interested in helping with events for the wives are also needed. Please join with me in helping Council 1202 and the Chapter of Corpus Christi Councils to make this a successful event.

On the Web.

Council 1202 WWW.TXKC1202.com
Texas KC <http://WWW.TKofC.org> for newsletter go to TX site then online resources/downloads and search 1202

Pro Life Report:

Become A Prayer Warrior, One Who Prays Close By While The Sidewalk Counselors Are Working.

There is a Pro life Mass starting at 7:30 AM at St. Joseph Church located 710 S. 19th CC, TX followed by a rosary procession to the abortion mill every 3rd Sat.; next Mass and Life March, February 19th

Abortion Clinic is located at 1901 Morgan Avenue on the corner of Morgan & Crosstown.

If you don't think you can make a difference, check out the privacy fence erected around this facility.

Prayer warriors and sidewalk counseling must be bad for their business.

How can you still believe in abortion and remain a true and practicing Catholic?

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Upcoming Schedules **BBQs in 2010:** March 21; April 18; May 16; June 20; July 18; Aug 15; Sept 19; Oct 17; Nov 21; Dec 21 We are always indeed of mesquite

Coffee & Donuts: 2010 Feb 7, May 16th, Aug 8th, Oct 31st . With your help we can make our Sunday C & D into a breakfast and BBQ into a plate dinner.

Upcoming Major deg. 14 March 2010; 16 May 2010; 13 June 2010 locations to be determined;

Vocations Report: New Seminarian **Mitchell Smith** You can write him:

Mitchell Smith; St. Joseph Abbey & Seminary, 75376 River Rd., P.O. BOX 481 , St. Benedict, LA 70457
email: mitchell_smith2000@yahoo.com website saintjosephabbey.com

Mitchell is just now finishing his first year at St. Joseph's; please pray for him and give him your encouragement.

Events for February: *2010 Dues Notices are out. Please pay your dues.*

February 5th Men's First Friday Mass and breakfast 6:30 am St Patrick's **Feb. 7th** Coffee and Donuts help always needed; **8th** Reg. Meeting 7 PM Youth Center; **17th** Ash Wed the beginning of 40 days of Lent, in preparation of the Crucifixion, and then Resurrection, of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, on Easter Sunday which falls this year on April 4th; **18th** Assembly 1097 4th deg meeting Rosary 6:30 PM meeting held at Villa Maria on Saratoga; **25th** Chapter meeting, Rosary 7:30 meeting 7 PM held at Our Lady of Guadalupe KC Hall corner Mohawk & Morgan;

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<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1 Chris Commons	2	3 James Albright John Guerra	4 Rev. Elias Doroin	5 <i>Men's first Fri- day Mass 6:30 AM</i>	6
7	8 <i>KC meeting</i>	9	10	11	12	13
14 <i>Valentines</i>	15 <i>Presidents Day</i> John Galvan	16	17 <i>Ash Wed</i>	18 <i>KC 4th deg meet- ing</i> † Louie Pollok 5:30 PM St Pat's	19 <i>Stations of Cross</i> <i>St. Pat's</i>	20 <i>Iwo Jima</i> <i>Sherrill Park</i> Alexander Lim Eleuterio Reyes
21	22 George Cantu	23	24 <i>Flag Day</i>	25 <i>KC chapter meeting</i>	26 † Richard Mathews 5:30 PM St. Pius X <i>Stations of Cross</i> <i>St. Pat's</i>	27 James Tempesta
28 Bob Skrobarczyk Rene Towns						