



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORPUS CHRISTI COUNCIL No. 1202
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Knights' Letter March 2010

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

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Chicken BBQ 3rd Sunday March 21st

New Knights of Columbus Council 1202
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Dues for 2010 now due.

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

My Brothers in Christ:

Thanks to those of you who are paying your dues. Lowering our dues from \$48 to \$30 has more than doubled the response of those who pay their dues on time.



March as always is going to be a busy month. We start Feb 27th as the Financial Sec. Nacho and I will be in San Antonio for his 4th deg. Exemplification. Next 4th deg. Exemplification will be here in CC at Most Precious Blood on April 10th. Let me know if you are interested. Price, a need to serve, a tux, and \$70.

First up 3 days in a row Thursday March 4th Pro-life prayer vigil in front of the abortion clinic 9 AM 1:30 PM then a Living Pro-Life Rosary after the 5:30 PM Mass at St. Pats. Then Friday March 5th we have the men's first Friday Mass at 6 AM, the Stations of the Cross and Lenten soup following the 5:30 PM Mass at St. Pat's. Remember Pro-Life events every Thursday and Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent. On Sat March 6th there will be a Maj. deg. at St Phillips at 9:30 AM. Now is the time for all 1st deg. members to get their 3rd.. The council will pick up the tab for this. Monday March 8th is time for the monthly meeting, . Friday March 12th will be the Knights' turn to furnish a Lenten soup for the parish. Sat. March 13th will be time to honor our Vietnam Vets at Sherrill park 10 AM. March 21st will be BBQ time and Bishop Carmody's Mass at the Cathedral followed on Thursday March 25th with the induction of the new Bishop Michael Mulvey and finally April 1st Holy Thursday the Chrism Mass when the priests of the diocese receive their holy oils and water from the Bishop at Corpus Christi Cathedral. I urge all of you as faithful Catholics to attend as many of these events as you can.

2 years ago we had over 40 1st deg. Knights. We are now down to about 17. If you have not been credited for your 3rd deg. I can help you.

See you at the March 8th meeting

GK Steve Richardson

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

WWW. TKofC2010CONVENTION.COM

For These We Pray

Mary Galvan, Anna Bires, John McLaughlin, Pete Haney, Leon Seidenberger, Carolyn Ganem, Bill Redfox, Gerry Russek, Rev. Frances Pfeifer, Vemelle Brannigan, Dr. Jim Hoban, Bob Skrobarczyk, Henry Case, Ava Arellano, Sam Lopez, Javier Cabello 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 .

Recently deceased members and spouses

Juan A Rios, an inactive member of Council 1202, passed away on Jan 27, 2010. Please keep this brother Knight and his family in your prayers. Also Bertha Redfox the wife of 4th deg Sir Knight Billy Redfox who passed away Feb 3rd 2010. Please keep Bertha and her family In your prayers.

Knights of Columbus Newsletter

April will be the last bulk rate mailed newsletter. Regular or email and website delivery will still be available for free, just ask. If you see Jan 2011 on address label you will continue getting newsletter by regular mail after April.

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
There you will find links to both council 1202 and Assembly 1097 newsletters.

Pro Life Report:

40 days of Life Feb 17th March 28th. There will be prayer vigils in front of the abortion clinic on Morgan The slot for St. Pat's is 8 AM to 1:30 PM on Thursdays. There will also be a Pro-Life Living Rosary every Thursday following the 5:30 PM Mass at St. Pat's. Making 5 of above events or the Pro Life Mass and March listed below will qualify you and your spouse for the KC Pro-Life Ace wings award. The Ace Wings consist of a set of Air Force replica wings with the feet of a 10 week old fetus set between them. Please participate, apply for and wear these to show your Pro-Life stance.

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, March 20th 2010

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 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. (2nd and 3rd.) 6 March 2010 St. Phillip's 9:30 AM; 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 March: 2010 Dues Notices are out. Please pay your dues. (\$15 6 months / \$30 1 year)

March 5th Men's First Friday Mass and breakfast 6:30 am St Patrick's; **6th** Maj. Deg St Philip's 9:30 AM; **8th** Reg. Meeting 7 PM Youth Center; **12th** KC turn to cook and serve Lenten soup; **21st** Chicken BBQ; **18th** Assembly 1097 4th deg meeting Rosary 6:30 PM meeting starts 7 PM held at Villa Maria on Saratoga; **21st** Chicken BBQ St. Pat's; and Bishop Carmody's last Mass at the Cathedral; **24th** Chapter meeting, Rosary 7 PM meeting 7:30 PM held at Our Lady of Guadalupe KC Hall corner Mohawk & Morgan; **25th** Thursday March 25th for Msgr. Michel Mulvey 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; **April 1st** Holy Thursday Chrism Mass; **April 4th** Easter Sunday. As a Practical Catholic Please go to confession during Lent.

March 2010

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1	2 Charles Gross	3	4 Rev Joseph Tran <i>Living Rosary</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass	5 † Msgr. Alvin Tengler Men's first Friday Mass 6:30 AM <i>Stations of Cross</i> St. Pat's after 5:30	6
7	8 <i>KC meeting</i>	9 Joe Ortiz	10	11 <i>Living Rosary</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass	12 <i>Stations of Cross</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass KC Lenten Soup	13 <i>Vietnam Veterans Sherrill park 10 AM</i>
14 <i>Daylight Savings Starts</i> † Msgr. Alvin Tengler St. Patrick's 8 AM	15	16	17 St. <i>Patrick's Day</i>	18 <i>4th deg meeting</i> <i>Living Rosary</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass	19 <i>Stations of Cross</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass	20
21 <i>BBQ</i> <i>Bishop Carmody's Last Mass</i> Larry Fisher	22 <i>Pete Haney</i>	23 David Mihalco † Gerald Sheets St. Pat's 8 AM	24 <i>Chapter meeting</i>	25 <i>Installation of Bishop Mulvey</i> <i>Living Rosary</i> St. Pat's after	26 <i>Stations of Cross</i> St. Pat's after 5:30 PM Mass	27
28 <i>Palm Sunday</i>	29	30	31 <i>Our Seminarian Mitchell Smith</i>	April 1 <i>Holy Thursday</i> <i>Chrism Mass</i>	April 2 <i>Holy Friday</i>	April 3 <i>Holy Saturday</i>