Columbus Crusader

Newsletter of Our Lady of Light Council 10498 in Estero, FL

Roman Catholic Brothers in Christ, Chartered in 1990



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General Membership Meetings: 1st Thursday of each month 7:30 pm Business 8:30 pm Social

Attention Members

To reduce costs in publishing the newsletter, we are requesting that any knight willing to receive the Crusader as an e-mail submit his name and email address to our Financial Secretary Pat Becker at

patbecker50@comcast.net.

Also, please submit dues on time to avoid suspension, and update Pat of any change of address, phone, or degree level. Members requesting prayer of their brother knights should make mention at the next Council meeting or call Pat Becker and they will be published in the Crusader.

Upcoming Events

October 27th

Officers meeting 7:00pm 306/309 October 29th – 5K Run – 7am – Chairman Dave Erickson 267-1418 Call Brother Dave to help.

October 30th

Corporate communion 10:30 am Mass Pancake breakfast- 8:00am until noon – Chairman. Jay Sauerwald – 495-8010 – Call Brother Jay to help.

November 16th -- 2nd degree November 18th, 25th – Set up for Christmas tree lot on the 18th. Daily sales begin the 25th. Call chairman John Baker at 267-7638 to volunteer. November 19th -- 3rd degree in Naples

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December 10th -- 3rd degree at Marco Island

December 31st -- N Y Eve Party

Brother Knights...

Our first Pancake Breakfast, held September 30 after the 8:30 and 10:30 A.M. Masses was a winner. Thanks to all who helped make this event a success. Many compliments were received on the high quality of the pancakes, sausage, and beverages. Gross receipts were \$346.00. Prior to our last Council meeting. representatives from Challenger Baseball, Special Olympics, and Special Equestrians conferred recognition and accolades to our membership for the help we have provided. One of the Special Olympians was there to give and get hugs!

Please continue to pray for Dave Erickson's father afflicted with ALS and Bruce Carr's mother-in-law suffering from a fracture of her lower spine. If you have a seriously ill family member please let members of the council know so that prayers can be offered for their intention.

We have not heard from several members in regard to their membership status. As you are aware any member who fails to pay his dues to his council within three months after being levied, ipso facto, forfeits his membership in the Order. The process of losing

membership involves suspension of the

member and a break in service. Realizing the benefit of unbroken service to a member, Our Lady of Light Council has carried the cost of membership per capita costs assessed by Supreme and State Councils for many members for several years. The costs to the contributing members are approaching \$1000 per year. This is unfair to contributing members and takes away from the benefit our service works can provide to the community we serve.

Council News

Honorary Life Membership -- **Jim Seymour**

Knight of the Month for October: **Ron LeFranco**

Family of the Month for October:

Ed and Peggy Roggemann 2nd degree -- Gary Kroeger on 9/14 Withdrawals--D. T. Hawkins, L. A. Villafana, A. R. Tesone, C. A. Carter Transfer In -- Denis Benoit. Dennis

Cantwell

The following members of our council were installed on October 14 as officers of the 4th degree for 2005-2006 in Our Lady of the Rosary Assembly 2542: Faithful Pilot — **Dave Erickson** Faithful Admiral -- **Jim Stathopolous** Faithful Comptroller -- **Bob Hudson** Faithful Purser -- **Joe Enos** Inner Sentinel -- **Ed Mikovich** 1 Year Trustee -- **Don Joerger**

Happy Birthday!

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Edward Sedillo	11/02
John Sullivan	11/03
Daniel Angelo	11/05
Alexander Miller	11/06
James Sines	11/06
Richard Malone	11/06
Cass Swamba	11/11
Greg Arabie	11/13
Stan Walker	11/13
Alan Lukomski	11/14
Michael Puckett	11/14
Roy Eidem	11/15
Mark Trenkamp	11/15
Peter Thompson	11/15
Gary Krueger	11/17
Richard Benoit	11/17
Ronald Willing	11/19
Brian Farrar	11/22
Tony Cilluffo	11/23
Gunny Mathews	11/26
Sean Salmon	11/30

Knights for Life News

The K of C Color Corps added a touch of dignity to the Respect Life Sunday

celebration during and after the 10:30 Mass October 2nd. Following a procession after Mass to our memorial garden special prayers of remembrance were offered near the headstone of the unknown unborn child.

October 26 is the deadline for public input to the FDA regarding extending the availability of the "morning-after" pill by changing from prescription only to over-the-counter status to anyone over the age of 16.

The UN Population Fund, one of the world's loudest proponents of abortion, recently failed in their efforts to have their view of "reproductive rights" become part of the Millennium Development Goals when they were rejected by the UN General Assembly. President Bush is to be congratulated once more for withholding US funding for the UN Population Fund. The Bone Marrow and Cord Blood Therapy and Research Act of 2005 (S.1317) uses stem cells from umbilical cord blood to treat patients. The House

has already acted and passed this

important bill. It's time for the Senate to do the same. Contact your Senators and urge them to pass this life saving legislation! Already, thousands of people with 65 different diseases have been successfully treated and cured with adult stem cells. Embryonic stem cell research has led to zero cures for life- threatening diseases such as Parkinson's or Alzheimer's, yet proabortion groups ignore this important fact.

At the death of a Brother Knight, notify the Grand Knight or the next in charge, who will then contact the family and offer sympathy and help from the Council. The Council member contacting the family should ask whether a wake will be held and if so, whether the family would like the Council to do a rosary service. If a Mass will be offered the family should be asked if they would like a resolution of condolence to be presented. Any ceremonial presentation requested should be done only with permission of the clergy. If the deceased Brother is a 4th Degree member, the Grand Knight will notify the Insurance Field Agent and the Faithful Navigator of the Assembly.

Our Newsletter Boosters

JAMES ANGERS, CAMILLE AUCREMANNE, LARRY AUGUSTYN, JOHN BAKER, WILLIAM BANNON, PATRICK BECKER, JOHN BENOIT, RICHARD BENOIT, JACK BERG, LEO BERGER, JOHN BRADFORD, GLENN BRIGHT, JOHN BROWN, GEORGE BRUSH, JOSEPH BUCH, MICHAEL BURSZTYN, LAWRENCE CANTWELL, BRUCE CARR, MICHAEL CATHELL, ANTHONY CILLUFFO, MICHAEL CONLEY, JOHN COPPAGE, JAMES CORNEILLIE, JOHN COSTA, GARY CRAWFORD, JOSEPH DRAGO, JOE ENOS, DAVID ERICKSON, JEFFREY ESTLER, PAUL FARR, BRIAN FARRAR, PATRICK FORTUNA, EVERETT FOSTER, TIMOTHY FREELAND, MICHAEL GARVIS, DAVID GED, JOSEPH GROHAL, ARTHUR HABIGHORST, JAMES HAWKINS, DEAN HINDERMAN, ROBERT HOFFMAN, WILLIAM HOOGLAND, JAMES HOWELL, ROBERT HUDSON, RALPH HUTCHINS, GORDON JIRAK, DONALD JOERGER, ROLAND JOLIE, DANIEL KERINUK, THOMAS KINSELLA, KENNETH KIRGIN, TODD KLARE, SCOTT KLARE, JOSEPH KLEMPKA, GARY KROEGER, GARY KRUEGER, NICHOLAS KRUEGER, ROBERT KREUTZER, BRENT LABRECHE, RALPH LACIVITA, ANTHONY LEONARDI, WILLIAM LEWIS, JOHN LIPRIE, RONALD LO FRANCO, JEFFREY MAAS, RICHARD MALONE, JERRY MARTIN, ALVIN MC CARTHY, JOHN MC GRELLIS, EDWARD MC QUILLAN, EDWARD MIKOVICH, ALEXANDER MILLER, WYMAN MILLER, THOMAS MORTON, MATTHEW MULLEN, DAVID NOLAN, RICHARD NUCKOLS, GREGORY PEARL, VINCENT PERFETTO, JOSEPH PERKOWSKI, JOHN PICONE, MATT PIERSON, ANTHONY PIETRONIRO, THEODORE PIZZA, RAYMOND POTHIER, LEON QUESNETTE, CHARLES RISCH, EDWARD RILEY, EDWARD ROGGEMANN, FRITZ ROKA. RAYMOND ROSS, GLENN SABATKA, JAMES SAUERWALD, SYDNEY SCHOFIELD, LLOYD SCHULTENOVER, EDWARD SEDILLO, JAMES SEYMOUR, DAVID SILER, WILLIAM STANLEY, JAMES STATHOPOULOS, JOHN SULLIVAN, PETER THOMPSON, EDWARD TRIMNER, JAVIER UBARRI, JOHN UZDILLA, JAMES WAHLIG, STAN WALKER, RONALD WILLING, ALAN YOUNG, GERARD ZORNOW