



THE KNIGHTLY NEWS

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

East Hanover Council 6504



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Brothers, I want to thank all of the officer's who were installed and to the brothers that stood in for our officer's at the Installation on Sunday September 21st. Thanks to Father Owen, Deacon Vin, our Worthy District Deputy, George Coppola and to fill in Warden, Joe Milano for an excellent ceremony. I want to thank Chris Virginio for another great job in preparing some light refreshments after the ceremony. Although we did not have as many brothers as we thought we were going to have, it was a nice gathering and a good time had by all.

I also want to thank all of the brothers who rode the float in the Columbus Day Parade and also to those cheered us on as we passed by. Also, special thanks to Freddie Hogh from Hanover Floral who loaned us the beautiful mums for the float and to Charlie Napoli, of C&L Towing who provided the float. It was a great day sunny warm day for the Columbus Day parade.

Our most important goal is membership. We will be having a membership blitz on October 25th and October 26th. Our membership directors are Joe Carvagno, Tony Giuliano and of course our Deputy Grand Knight Tony Bronzino. By the same token we every Member of this council are also part of the membership team, we should be asking all of our friends who are not brother knights to join us to become a Knight in the best Council in the Paterson Federation the

East Hanover Knights of Columbus . Remember, the strength and the growth of our Council depends on our ability to recruit new members. Building on a strong foundation has held our Council together for the past 35 years we look to continue to grow to have a bright future in our community. Here is what we need. We have Brother Knight speakers that will address Parishioners after each Mass On that weekend. What we will be looking for are brothers to be at each of the masses to help recruit new members as they either come into Church and after Mass as they leave. This year's goal is to bring in at least fourteen (14) new members.

We must continue to show the importance of what the Knights of Columbus stands for in the community and to ourselves. Our principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism help us to build on our commitment to family, faith and friendship.

We will be having our 50's Dance on Saturday November 22nd. Music will be provided by Desire, the same band we had last year. All of you that attended will remember that they were awesome. So spread the word this function is open and we anticipate over 200 people to attend. The price of a ticket is \$25.00 per person and it includes a hot buffet, beer, wine, soda and coffee. It's starts at 7:30 PM and goes to 11:30 PM. There will be prizes and don't forget to wear that 50's outfit.

Co-Chairs Chris Virginio, Tony Giuliano, and myself have tickets so give us a call. We expect a sellout crowd.

I have to announce a change in our annual Christmas Party. With many scheduling conflicts for some reason this year, we will have our Christmas Party on WEDNESDAY December 10th, in Lacbrecque Hall. This is different please mark your calendars. We hope everyone can attend. More details to follow.

Now let me tell you about some of the upcoming activities that we have scheduled:

- MEMBERSHIP BLITZ WEEKEND on October 25th and 26th at all Masses.
- DECEASED BROTHER'S MASS has been set for Monday November 10th at 6:30 PM. Dinner for the Deceased Brothers wives will be held right after mass. Invitations will go out soon.

Check out our new Web Site:

Get added to our growing Electronic Mail program by going to our website www.kofc6504.org and subscribe to our mailing list.

Here is this month's quote:

"All of our dreams can come true, if we have the courage to pursue them.

Walt Disney

Fraternally yours in Christ,

Ron

FROM THE PULPIT:

RENDERING unto CAESAR

"Is it right for us to pay taxes to Caesar or not?"

He saw through their duplicity and said to them, "Show me a denaris. "Whose portrait and inscription are on it?"

"Caesars' they replied" He said to them" Then give to Caesar what is Caesar's and to God what is God's.

Perhaps nothing represents a Christian businessperson' spiritual values more clearly than that person's attitude toward paying taxes. No one likes to pay taxes; even those people who recognize the necessity of collecting taxes for roads schools and defense rarely count taxpaying as a privilege. (After all, they claim their deductions, and reduce their tax burden like every one else.) But to actually cheat on income or any other tax due is a sin, and sin separates us from God.

Unless you believe that your relationship with God is the most important asset you have, in this world, sin will easily ensnare you.

Over the years I have probably heard just about every possible way to cheat on

taxes. I have met professing Christians who never paid their apportioned amount and rarely if ever, thought of their as a sin. Many of these people were generous givers of God's causes. Many did wonderful jobs of speaking out for the Lord and working to spread the gospel. Not all of them had one characteristic in common—a lack of peace, and fulfillment in their spiritual lives. They might fake being dynamic Christians when they were among others who fed their theatrical abilities, but when they were alone they realized that something was missing from their relationship with Jesus . . .

I believe that cheating on income taxes is one of the most common sins among Christian business people. I also believe that someone who cheats on income taxes (or in any other aspect of our business) is no longer useful to God's plan. Until they confess and repent from their sin... God will simply pass them by

**Larry Burkett,
Business by the Book.**

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I'm at 973-539-0109 or
john.stabile@kofc.org. Call me – let's talk

Birthdays:

Happy Birthday! To all Brother Knights.

George	Hanley	10	2
Joseph	Pisano	10	2
Richard	Truzzolino	10	3
Sal	Bruttaniti	10	4
Albert	DiAntonio	10	6
Carmine	Fischetti	10	6
Ronald	Forino	10	6
Brendan	Kelly	10	11
Louis	Catalano	10	12
Frank	Nolan	10	13
Joseph	Palombo	10	13
Gregory	Flora	10	14
Pat	De Deo	10	16
Patsy	Montello	10	18
Howard	Doscher	10	19

Joseph	Cusano	10	20
Nicholas J.	Rello	10	20
Alfred	Testa	10	23
Thomas	Quinn	10	26
Peter	Wells	10	29
Owen B.	Moran	10	29
John	Deep	10	30
George	La Vecchia	10	30
Harry	McCann	10	31

IN NEED OF PRAYER:

Good of the Order:

Prayer does work so please pray for the following that are in need. Prayer does work!

Father Owens, Father – Lives in Ireland, Past Grand Knight Larry Colasurdo mother Marie, Dolores Angelo Mother of Ron Angelo, Debbie Edson Daughter of Des and Ann Brennan has two babies Kayliegh a girl, and Miles a boy both babies in need of prayer. 3 Special Intentions, Anthony Stabile Brother of John Stabile our insurance person, Genny Malgeri, Diana Rickert, Kevin and Joan Gardiner, Jack Citarelli, and Marie Citarelli's daughter Andria Ottaiano, Vivian Baxter Mother of Neal Baxter, Al Lasso, Doris Friedholm, John Librizzi, Angie and Charlie Del Fava, PGK. Joe Larena, Tony Giuliano's Sister Mickey Gingselski, and Gary Howanic Husband to Judy Gingeleski, Delores Di Antonio wife of Vito Di Antonio, Henry Smolen, Father of Charlie Napoli, of C&L Towing, Al Rosania, Karen Brown, Carmen Malgieri, Irene Holmes, Sheila Gallo

and for baby Cara Guerine, Mike Ganinni, Ernie Esposito, Philip Esposito, Balnjina Fernandez, Chris Knapik and Rose Knapik wife of Andy Knapik, Nick Rello, Pat Manna, R. Barton PGK, Anthony Fiscetti, Linda Miele, Friend of Peter Esposito and Jean George Mannor, Micheal Tria, Terry Pizzano Dorthy Sikora John Hoffman, John Spain, Angela Cavado, John Dunderman, Al Rosina, Special intentions. Barbera Gassner, Joann Musso, Josephine Musso, Clara Sodowski, Cora a friend of Barry Halloran

Pray for our troops that are in harms and are protecting our way of life in These United States. Pray that God will grant them safe return to their families. Pray for everyone's, "Special Intentions" - **and we mean everyone. God must be Infinite the proof is that he does listen to each and everyone's intentions and then with his unique senses of each individuals need handles all problems in ways we could only hope to understand.**

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