Important Dates to Remember

- **Family Social Friday, March 21, 2014 @ 7:30pm**
- **Cook Spaghetti March 19th @ St. Joseph Church for Altar**

Meeting Dates to Remember

Council Meeting – March 5, 2014 No meal will be served.
Auxiliary & 2nd Council Meetings– March 19, 2014

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I would like to thank everyone that participated and represented the council at this year's Bowling Tournament. I hope everyone had a good time.

The next meeting will be held on Ash Wednesday in keeping up with pass traditions no food will be served at this meeting. Also I would like to wish all a Happy and safe Mardi Gras.

It's time to break out the boiling pots and burners for our annual spaghetti cooking for St. Joseph Altar on March the 19th. If you have nothing to do on this day come join us and enjoy the fun with Brothers members. You might get a chance to taste test the spaghetti or stir the pot.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Knight of the Month Arnold & Rick Valladares
Family of the Month Louis & Katie Liljeberg

Arthur

MOTIONS

1. Motion was made to spend $400 on raffle tickets. The Council would receive half of the money back at the end of the raffle.
2. Motion to donate $1000 dollars to the Ladies Auxiliary to be voted on at the March 5th meeting.

Membership – George Wedge, PGK 504-912-0394

By their deeds you shall know them. Surely the knights of old were known by their deeds. The knights of today are also known by what they do.

In medieval times knights were called to serve the church in ways that could ultimately require them to lay down their lives in crusades. Today's knights need not go that far. However we do have the honor to be called the strong right arm of the church by Popes. We are also recognized by the community as the "Go to Guys" in service to the community.

Frankly we should not let that kind of recognition be wasted. It is incumbent on us to use every asset to recruit new members. Whenever we take part in a public activity we have opportunities to speak to other Catholic men. That is the time to make them aware of our order and its goals.

Speak out. Carry a Form 100 with you at all times. Be like a Boy Scout. Be prepared.

Insurance Field Agent , Chris Dufrene

504-689-8032

Contact me for all your insurance needs or if I can answer any of your questions. I'm here to help you. Chris Dufrene 504-689-8032

Happy Mardi Gras – Tuesday March 4th

Financial Secretary-Michael Arnold, Jr. 367-3892

Brothers: Dues for the first Quarter of the year are now past due. We have a large number of Brothers still owing there dues. If for some reason you can not afford them at this time, please contact either the Grand Knight or myself immediately as other notices are about to be mail .

Upon hearing of a death of a brother member please contact me so proper arrangements can be made.

You might have noticed in your church bulletins about the 50th Anniversary ceremony being held In June of those celebrating this occasion. We Knights also honor you, if you and your wife are in that number please sent me the date, names and parish attending.

Transferred into 1905: Lawrence Hallaron
2832 Burdette St., New Orleans,La.70125

Missed Birthday - Brenton Dufrene, III February 14

March Birthdays:

1 – Mark Hebert	1 – Tommy Tuminello
3 – Charles Buquoi	4 – John Patterson, Jr.
5 – Charles Boudreaux	7 – Louis Liljeberg
7 – Steven Weisler	8 – Earl Geiling, Jr.
11 – Eugene Ducote	11 – Daniel Gauthreaux
12 – Wayne LeBlanc	16 – Barry Breaux
16 – Dale Strohmeyer	18 – John Vlosich
22 – Keith Arbour	27 – Robert Rau
28 – John Harris.	

March Anniversaries:

11 – Rayland and Ann Carriere
17 – Gilbert and Gina Boudreaux, III
24 – Joseph and Dorothy Jambon
29 – Kenneth and Erin Haas
30 – PGK Anthony and Kathy Buckley, III

Council Director – PGK Joseph Tranchina, Sr. email: jptranchina@att.net 340-9609

We had several members participate in the State bowling tournament, but at this time do not know of the out come, but I'm sure Council 1905 was well represented and they had a good time.

March 19th is St Joseph Day and as we always do we help St. Joseph Church with their St Joseph Alter. So if anyone can help I know it will be appreciated.

Chancellor – Rory Cadres 361-8840

Keep in your prayers Fr. Lieu Van Nguyen of Infant Jesus of Prague and Fr. Richard Maughan of St. James Major parish both of whom have been battling recent illness. Pray for brother Albert Chauvin who is in the early stages of prostate cancer. Pray for Joshua Martinez the son of new member Duane Martinez who is battling stage four Non Hodgkin's lymphoma.

Say a special prayer for our Brother Knights on our prayer list for them to return to good health. Call me at the above phone number if you know of any brother who is sick and needs to be added to our prayer list.

Henry Holt, PGK	Louis Liljeberg	Russell Templet
Red Bartholomew, PGK	Chester Jones	Lloyd LeGrange
Adolph Lachmann, PGK	Roy Bush	Malcolm Hebert
Dr. Larry Hallaron, PGK	Michael Arnold	Barry Breaux
Glenn Esteve, PGK	Jerry Broome, Sr.	Perry Lobrano
Bob Mayville, PGK	Wally d'Hemecourt	Elmo Miller
George Wedge, PGK	Danny Wedge, Jr.	Terry Ryder
Ferd Webber III	David Uzee, Jr	Albert Chauvin

Pro Life Corner- Don & Dee Caskey H 341-4512 or C 884-0101

Gentlemen, we are on a roll. I have already reported on our Baby Bottle Campaign success at Infant Jesus of Prague. We have collected $1,126 to date and we still have bottles coming in. St. Martha has also demonstrated their belief in Pro Life; they have contributed $2,600 as of this writing and again we are expecting some stragglers. I am greatly moved that everyone has been so generous, every penny will work to save a baby or aid in both pre and post natal care.

We have two more campaigns scheduled and I am asking for help handing out the bottles at St. Joseph in Gretna on March 15th following the 4:00PM Vigil Mass and at St. Anthony on Franklin Ave. after the 10:30 AM Mass on Sunday, March 16th. I thank you and the generous donors for your continued support.

Yours in Christ,
Don Caskey, Pro Life Director Council 1905

St. Joseph Altar on March 19th – Help needed to cook spaghetti for Altar at St. Joseph Church.

Ladies Auxiliary – Vicki Fogarty President

400-2783 Email: vickimikie@gmail.com

Hello Everyone,

Our bake sale at the court house was a success. Thanks to everyone who baked and those who went to the court house to sell.

Our next event is on March 29th. We will meet at the KC Hall for 10am, and carpool to the Sliver Slipper Casino, eat lunch at the buffet when we arrive, then stay as long as you and your car occupants choose. We will discuss this again at the March meeting.

Our next meeting is on March 19th. Our meeting agenda will consist of the topic of elections, discussion of the March casino trip, and the BUNCO which will be on April 6th. Anyone who has prizes they wish to donate, contact Barbara Newby at 368-5007.

Have a safe and Happy Mardi Gras! See you at the next meeting on March 19th.

Pray to the Blessed Mother for Peace,
Vicki

Church Director – PGK Adolph Lachmann 361-8073

Brothers, March 5th is the first day of lent and Ash Wednesday. Remember to go to church and receive ashes. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are the only two days of the year we have to fast and abstain. Also remember we must abstain from meat every Friday in lent. Prayer, Fasting and Alms giving are necessary during lent.

T. J. Larkin Fourth Degree Assembly # 322
Cordell Parker, FN 504-428-1164 cordell.parker@yahoo.com

Worthy Sir Knights,

Our March meeting will take place after the 10:00am mass at St. Patrick Church in Port Sulphur on March 23rd. This is also a dress out.

The Fourth Degree Convention will take place in Baton Rouge on March 7th, 8th, & 9th, 2014

Dress Out for St. Joseph Day Procession – St. Joseph Church Gretna 6:00p & Mass March 18 & 10:00am Mass on March 19th.

Cordell Parker, Faithful Navigator:

Family Life **– Wally & Cheryl d'Hemecourt**
366-9486 or cheryldhemecourt@gmail.com

First we would like to give a big" THANK YOU" to Brother Bob Mayville for volunteering to cook for the February social. Looking forward the Lenten season is fast approaching. The first of our two lenten socials will be held on March 21, 2014. We have a tasty meal planned for both March and April. So we would like to have a good attendance at these socials to help finish off the Colombian Year on a good note. Everyone have a safe and Happy Mardi Gras and hope to see you in March.

STOP! PAUSE FOR A WHILE!! AND RECALL!!!

Times and times again we tend to be caught up in one Theological and Philosophical debate or another. Often times than not we tend to pay more attention to either the psychological or sociological enquiries on the Mysteries of the Church. But remember, **OUR FAITH, THAT WHICH MAKES US CATHOLICS** is clearly spelt out in; "**I** believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. **I** believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, **consubstantial** with the Father; Through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was **incarnate** of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. **I** believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. **I** believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen".

This is **OUR FAITH!** This has been the **FAITH OF THE CHURCH** throughout Her Two Thousand and Fourteen years of existence! Millions upon millions of people down the ages have gained salvation by living out this FAITH! By the grace of God, It can also gain us salvation!

Seminarian Francis Offia

Archbishop Blenk Council 1905
March 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Bingo
2	3	4 MARDI GRAS	5 6:30 Meal Council Mtg - ASH WEDNESDAY	6	7 Fourth Degree Convention in Baton Rouge this weekend	8 Bingo
9 Day Light Saving Time Begins - set clocks forward 1 hour	10	11	12	13	14	15 BINGO Baby Bottle Campaign St. Joseph 4pm Mass
16 Baby Bottle Campaign 10:30a Mass St. Anthony	17 St. Patrick Day	18 St. Joseph Day Procession @ St. Joseph Church 6pm	19 Auxiliary and 2nd Council Mtg - ST. JOSEPH DAY 10am Mass	20	21 Family Social	22 Bingo
23 10:00am Mass 4th Degree Mtg Port Sulphur & Dressout	24	25	26	27	28	29 Bingo - Auxiliary Field Trip to Silver Slipper
30	31					

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