Knights of Columbus: “Get One Step Closer to God and Have Fun Doing It”  
Bishop Charles P. Greco

Grand Knight: Clyde Martin

As I write this the fair has just finished, it was a great success! Thanks to all who made this such a great event.

Counting the income from the sale of sausage poorboys, we made more money for the church than last year! Great job by everyone! Friday through Sunday we did four major events. Cooking all the food for the fair, putting on the Nah Nah Sha dance, cooking for the Arc airplane pull, taking a small but always significant in the Silver Rose Mass, and cooking in the area gumbo cook off. Four events and our brothers did them all and did them well. Good job, brothers. Coming up we have the get out the vote election campaign, the Order does not want us to actively work in politics but we can encourage all Catholics to consider the choices and vote their consciences, also we are going to provide rides to the polls for those who need them. We’re on a roll, let’s keep it going. Vivat Jesu I love all my brothers Clyde

October Family of the Month: Jerry and Rose Marie Cronin

October Knight of the Month: Anthony Vicknair

Please come to the November meeting to pick up your award.

Ladies Auxiliary: Shirley Bonaccorso,
This is being written prior to the fair to make the editorial deadline. I do want to thank everyone who helped in any way with the Church Fall Festival.

Thanks to those who participated in the Bake Taste Contest held at the October business meeting. There were 4 cakes and 3 pies and the entries were served for dessert following the meal. First place winners were: cakes – Barbara Sanders with a Peanut Butter Fudge Cake, and pie – Cheryll Thomas with a Layered Turtle Cheesecake. These lucky ladies will be competing in the LLAA Bake Taste Contest on Saturday, November 3rd at St. Louis Bayou Blue near Houma.

Also happening in October was the LLAA Horseshoe Tournament on Saturday, October 13th in Crowley. Fr. Hurst Auxiliary was represented in the Co-ed doubles by your president and her husband Ernie. Suffice it to say we had a good time. The Auxiliary was also represented in the Doubles category by sisters Katie Bonaccorso and Florence Folse. They had a little more fun as they took 3rd place in the competition. Congrats to them.

A reminder, we will once again be doing pillows for the foster children. This year’s activity will take place in the Parish Activity Center on Tuesday, November 27th at 6:30 PM and, as usual, bring Polyfil, needles, thread, and scissors. Refreshments will be served. Other activities for the month of November include the Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass on November 1st; the monthly Rosary for Life and Council Family Mass on Sunday, November 4th as well as the monthly bingo at Flannery Oaks.

Looking ahead to December, as was previously announced, the Council and Auxiliary will be joining the Usher’s for a combined Christmas Social on Wednesday, December 5th at the UCT Hall off the service road parallel to Florida Boulevard. The meal will be catered and there will be a per person charge. See elsewhere in this newsletter for more information.

For those Knights and Ladies who may be worried there won’t be the usual fun gift exchange this year, don’t fear - such an activity has been planned for Saturday, December 8th in the Parish Activity Center following the 4:30 PM Mass. Those individuals wishing to participate are asked to bring a nice gift, wrapped and in the $10 price range, and finger foods to share with the group. We’ve had 40+ people in the past few years, so it should be a good time. Another activity early in December is the meal at Bishop Ott Shelter on Sunday, December 2nd provided by the Auxiliary. Volunteers are welcome – both guys and gals. These activities and others will be discussed at the November business meeting. Speaking of which, the business meeting is Thursday, November 8th with the Rosary at 6:30 PM, followed by a meal, and the meetings thereafter. See you there!!!!
**Forth Degree**

Anyone interested in the Patriotic Degree contact Steve Thomas at 752-0294 or Russell Ruh FM at 273-1137 or Joe Rickels at 272-0389.

**OFFICERS & DIRECTORS MEETING:**
Always on the Monday BEFORE the business meeting at 7 PM. Brother Clyde urges all directors and officers to attend.

**BINGO: FIANNERY OAKS NURSING HOME** on the first Sunday each month. It is sponsored by the KCA and help with the players is really needed. The Auxiliary donates $20.00 in quarters and play starts at 1:30 and finishes in less than an hour. Please come out to help.

**Sick and Distressed:** Please pray for our sick and distressed whether in mind or body, that God will heal them according to His will. …. Pray for the military in harm’s way that they return home safely. Pray for our Priests & Religious throughout the world. Pray for the unborn and those affected by abortion. Please keep in your prayers: Nick Bravata; Jason Villemarette; Cecile Stadeker, Joe Rickels, Ed Landry, Joe Accardo and Sybil and Alex Hunt. Pray for the repose of the soul of Patsy Spiars the sister of Betty Rickels.

**Target Dat:**
- Nov 4 Pro Life Rosary 9 AM
- Nov 4 Day Light Savings Time Ends
- Nov 8 Business Meeting 6:30 Rosary
- Nov 11 Veterans Day
- Nov 22 THANKSGIVING DAY
- Dec 2 Pro Life Rosary 9AM
- Dec 10 Officers & Directors Meeting
- Dec 13 Business Meeting 6:30 PM Rosary

**BY-LAWS VOTE:** Brothers, a vote will be taken at the December meeting on the council by-laws. Please attend the November meeting to discuss this.

**Patrick Craven FIELD AGENT:**  
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**Life Insurance, Annuities, Long Term Health Care.**

Brothers, for all of your insurance needs Brother Pat Craven is ready to serve. Give him a call or e mail. Insurance is protection for your family. Help him to help you.

**PLEASE WELCOME A BRAND NEW KNIGHT:** Brother David Boudreaux, a PGK from Houma has joined our ranks and looks forward to many long years to our version of Charity, Unity and Fraternalism. Let us make him feel welcome.

**BLOOD DRIVE:** December 9th from 8:30 to 1:30 is the date and time for the next blood drive. All Knights and their families and anyone else, for that matter, is invited to give a pint for the parish. Come to the PAC and sign in please. No, it doesn’t hurt, it kind of tickles.

**SOCCER:** We are a council of winners as we have two youngsters from our council who have advanced to the Area Competition; they are: 12 year old Nicole Armanini and 12 year old Chase Trellis. We will report their progress in the next bulletin. Congratulations to both of them, their parents and our beleaguered Youth Chairman Mike Connors.

**KC AND USHERS CHRISTMAS DINNER:** will be on December 5th ,at the UCT Hall on Florida Blv. Time 6:00 PM social and Dinner at 7:00 PM, Tickets will be sold at all Masses, (see head usher) or contact Clyde Martin Grand Knight. Price is $15.00 per Person. No tickets will be sold at the Door. Deadline for tickets will be November 25; in order for the cater to have a count, Any Question contact Clyde Martin or Herman Scallan, Hope to see all of you at the DINNER. MERRY CHRISTMAS.

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS STATE BOWLING TOURNAMENT** Since last year’s bowling tournament was such a success we have been asked to participate in the event again this year. The state games for this area will take place on MONDAY, DECEMBER 3rd and WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5th from 9:30am till12:30pm at ALL STAR LANES on Airline Hwy. The same place it was located last year. Volunteers are needed to assist with registration, lane monitoring, score data input and award presentations. If interested in learning more about the event or volunteering for
some duties, please call FRANK ZAERINGER at 769-2799. It is for only a short period of your time and you will get more out of seeing these kids enjoying themselves than you put in.

JUST READ THE FACTS AND MAKE UP YOUR MIND

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JUST WHAT IS AN ABORTION AND WHY SHOULD IT MATTER!

SUCTION-CURETTAGE
This is the most used abortion procedure during the first 12 weeks of pregnancy. The first step is to force open the tightly-closed muscle at the neck of the uterus (the cervix) with a series of metal rods called dilators. A suction curette which is attached to a powerful vacuum (approx. 20 times more powerful than a household vacuum) is then used to scrape and pull the fetus and placenta from the wall of the uterus. A curette (a sharp, spoon-shaped knife) is then usually passed over the inside of the uterus to make sure it is clear.

D & E (DILATATION & EVACUATION)
The cervix is forced open; the doctor then alternates between cutting the fetus and vacuuming it out of the uterus. The skull must be crushed with forceps and pulled out carefully so the bone doesn't cut the mother. This form is used between 12 and 18 weeks.

SALINE (SALT POISONING)
After 16 weeks, a long needle is inserted through the mother's belly into the baby's sac and a solution of concentrated salt is injected. The baby breathes in and swallows the salt and is poisoned by it. It takes over an hour to slowly kill the baby. The mother will go into labor about 24 hours later and deliver the dead baby.

PROSTAGLANDIN ABORTION
This drug causes the woman to go into labor at any stage of pregnancy. It is used in middle and late pregnancy to induce abortion. It's major "complication" is "live birth." It also can cause serious maternal injury. Recently it has been used with RU-486 to increase its "effectiveness."

HYSTOROTOMY
(Usually used when other methods fail.) The doctor cuts through the belly and uterus of the mother and removes the live baby. The baby is then allowed to die by neglect.

RU-486
This is an abortion pill, used along with a prostaglandin drug. It is "effective" in 90 - 95% of the time when used between one and three weeks after she has missed her first period. It functions by starving the tiny embryo by depriving him or her of a vital nutrient hormone, progesterone. It kills a developing baby after his or her heart has begun to beat.

PARTIAL BIRTH ABORTION (D & X: Dilation and Extraction)
In this procedure, the doctor forcibly turns the child in the womb into a breech position, pulls the living child by the leg, out of the mother, until only the head is left in the birth canal; stab child in the base of the skull, and sucks out his or her brain the way out of the mother.

An abortion can be performed throughout ALL nine (9) months of pregnancy.
If you want to learn more of the right to life movement go to [www.Louisiana Right to Life Federation](http://www.Louisiana Right to Life Federation). You may join the Baton Rouge Right to Life Chapter

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DUES ARE $5 A YEAR.

Please take the time to write our Representatives and Senators.

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### PRO LIFE REPORT: LOUISIANA LIFE

MARCH to take place on Saturday, January 12th from 1 to 3 PM. Please make arrangements to join in the largest group to state-wide express their solidarity for the Pro-Life Movement. This will be the third annual March for life. We cannot all go to our nation’s capital for the “Grand March”, but, we can certainly attend the march at our own state capital especially when it is in our own city.

- **12:00 PM:** Gather behind Old State Capitol (100 North Blvd)
- **1:00 PM:** Program begins and participants march from Old State Capitol, up North Blvd, then down Fourth Street to State Capitol (Walk is 0.8 of a mile).
- **1:50 PM:** Prayer and Inspiration on the steps of the State Capitol lead by religious, government, and community leaders.
- **2:45 PM:** Life Ministry Mobilization Area near Capitol where you can find out how to get involved.

### Council Officers

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- Rafael Reyes Nov 1  
- Tim Gomez Nov 4  
- Simeon Onwuzuligbo Nov 4  
- Mervin Simoneaux Nov 5  
- Stipo Matkovic Nov 7  
- Ed Falgoust Nov 10  
- Jeanine Landry Nov 20  
- John Hauler Nov 20  
- Barbara Sanders Nov 22  
- Cecilia Stadeker Nov 23  
- Jackie Hernandez Nov 26  
- Robert Villemarette Nov 27  
- Violet Norris Dec 2  
- Sharon Mannino Dec 2  
- Charles Clardy Dec 2  
- Michael Miller Dec 2  
- Joe Giacone Dec 5  
- Glenn Curtis Dec 8  
- Greg Vice Dec 8  
- Ryan Phistry Dec 10  
- Betty Baughman Dec 9  
- Lenny Hargrove Dec 12  
- Mark Oakley Dec 15  
- Chad David Dec 16  
- Ed Landry Dec 17  
- Patsy McLaughlin Dec 21  
- Lena Moran Dec 23  
- Curlin Terrio Jr Dec 25  
- Ivy Alford Dec 26  
- Elva Buuck Dec 27  
- Pat Ryan Dec 28  
- Buddy Ricaud, Jr Dec 28  
- Jonathan Ruh Dec 29  
- Tom Sylvester Dec 31  

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- Joe & Mary Ann Accardo Nov 8  
- James & Mary Ann Catha Dec 19  
- Sal & Geraldine Garafola Nov 20  
- Orville & Margaret Howes Dec 26
40 DAYS FOR LIFE: Many thanks to all those who came out to pray and display an outward manifestation to their commitment to stop the evil of abortion on demand. Those good people are Page Meyer, Joe Mannino, Elise Moran, GK Clyde Martin, Deacon Ricky Patterson, Sarah Dugan, David Ledet, Jerry and Rose Marie Cronin and John and Elaine Hauler.

CHALICE CHALLENGE: The challenge is for the Chalice board members to choose officers so paper work may be properly filed so that work can get done.

In God We Trust 11/12

Pro Life Rosary is on the First Sunday of each Month at 9AM at St. Louis Church
MEETING NOTICE
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 9016 Meets
Where: St. Louis Activity Center
When: November 8, 2012
Time: 6:30 PM Rosary
Clyde Martin III GK

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39 Years of Abortion: Stop The Killing