Rummel Reader

Sept 2012

Grand Knight's Message

I am Knight; I am Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism

As I write this reader, I am torn in two directions; I am grateful to God that my family and I came through the storm without any major loss. I am saddened by the news that others have had their homes flooded, again. Our Worthy DGK Cisco Gonzales had his home flooded up to the 2nd floor. Our hopes and prayers go out to him and his family during this time of trial. We also need to keep all the families that lost property and lives during this storm in our prayers.

On the positive side, a team of volunteers has come down to help by cooking meals for those in need. They are set up at St. Bernard Church on Bayou Rd. and will cook there. The meals will be served from the Church's grounds and down the road at Toga. Please pass the word along. Also, there is a clothing drop-off and distribution center at Lynn School gym. Please let anyone you know who needs clothing to go there. If you have clothes, toys, car seats and jackets that you can donate, please bring them to Lynn Oaks School. We should all pause and thank God for all his blessings. Remember, all good things around us are gifts for our God.

Congratulations to the following awardees for August: **Knight of the Month -** Giovanni Miserendino; **Family of the Month** Francisco and Claire Hernandez.

Remember to Pray for Vocations and for the Beatification of Fr. Michael McGivney

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DISTRICT DEPUTY'S NEWS

The Worthy DD, Brother Darrell Gonzales is our membership Director. If you have a Form 100 for a proposed member, please give it to him. Darrell will alert the Admission Committee and will meet with the candidate and his wife on the 1st Thursday of the month at our Council home. 1st. Degrees are scheduled for the 3rd Thursday of the month.

You can contact the Worth DD; his email is (Darrell Gonzales at <u>darrelgonzales1958@yahoo.com</u>) Vivat Jesus!

AUXILIARY NEWS

I hope everyone is getting back to normal in the aftermath of Isaac. Our meeting is Sept.8th at 10:30. My sister of the month for Aug. was Irma Beltram. Sept. 23rd. PGK/Past Ladies Pres. Social. Sliver Slipper Sept. 30th Sunday. Leave KC hall at 9:00 am return 4:00 pm. \$15.00 per person will get \$15.00 on your player card. We need 35 people or more to go. Please call me @ (504) 432-8710.

GOD BLESS Debbie Buuck President

Pro-Life Couple Francisco and Claire Hernandez

At the PGK Social on Sept 23rd we will have a guest speaker who will speak on Pro-Life and the implications of the new health bill and know the answers to common questions in our minds: Is the rationing of our health care

in the future or present? Is the assisted suicide movement gaining traction in the US? Is Louisiana vulnerable to the expansion of these attacks on the ill and disabled? Are you educated on advance directives and the "Will to Live" document? Our speaker for this forum is the Director of the Center for Medical Ethics, Ryan Verret.

Note from GK: Please plan to attend and be prepared to hear Ryan's address to us. It will help us to understand how much we **WILL** affected by this new and mysterious health care "reform."

Important Dates in September

Business Meeting	Thursday	Sept13,	7:00pm - 9:00pm
Ladies Auxiliary Meeting	Saturday	Sept 8,	10:30am -11:00am
Council Social – Past GK Social	Sunday	Sept 23,	1:00pm - 5:00pm
Trip to Silver Slipper Casino	Sunday	Sept 30,	9:00am – 4:00pm
Karate and Exercise Class	Monday/Wednesday	Each Week	7:00pm - 8:30pm
Line Dancing Class	Tuesday	Each Week	7:00pm - 8:30pm

Louisiana Crawfish Festival Dates for 2013

March	18	Monday	Crawfish Festival Construction Begins	8:00 AM	Sigur Center - Parking Lot
March	21	Thursday	Crawfish Festival Opens Tonight	5:00 PM	All hands on deck
March	24	Sunday	Crawfish Festival Ends Tonight	10:00 PM	All hands enjoy crawfish

Prayer of St. Vincent Pallotti

Not the (material) goods of the world, **<u>but God</u>**; Not riches, **<u>but God</u>**; Not honors, **<u>but God</u>**; Not distinction, **<u>but God</u>**; Not dignities, **<u>but God</u>**; Not advancement (of self), **<u>but God</u>**; **<u>God</u>** always and in everything.

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