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A MESSAGE FROM THE FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR

We had a good meeting in Cameron last month and we would like to thank the Cameron council for their hospitality. We had several members show up for the meeting. The Raffle Tickets for our Annual Fund Raiser were introduced and handed out to those members who were in attendance and the rest were mailed out the following week, so everyone should have their ticket. We are asking that everyone please return their money for their tickets as soon as possible. The drawing for the raffle will be at the Christmas Party, so don't put off sending your money and tickets back and miss out on some great prizes. The money we raise from this raffle will be used in part to fund some worthwhile causes. Also at the meeting we voted to make a \$500.00 donation to the dinner and auction at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish to benefit the seminarians at Conception Seminary.

The next item on the calendar is the Annual Weiner Roast on October 17th at 5:30pm and the home of Ron and Bonnie Orcutt. You will find the address and directions in the article on the second page. We hope that everyone will be able to attend and if you do, we would like you to bring a covered dish and the Assembly will provide the service and beverage as well as the Hot Dogs.

Also, remember that on November 22 the Assembly will attend Mass at Conception Abbey at 10:30am and we will eat lunch afterwards. The cost of the lunch will be \$8.00 per person. We will need some idea of how many people will be attending and since this is a family event, we need to know how many there will be in your party so that we can turn in our meal reservations. Here again, we hope that everyone will at least try to attend the Mass.



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Highest degree of Knighthood.

UPCOMING DEGREES IN THE ASSEMBLY

An Exemplification of the Second and Third Degrees will be held January 31, 2010 at Conception Abbey. The Candidates will need to be there by 12:30pm so that the degree work can begin promptly at 1:00pm. This is a good time to get that Catholic Gentleman involved in the Knights of Columbus. You can start your candidate on the road to the Fourth Degree by getting him involved now

WANT A WEENIE ROAST

The Assembly's Annual Weenie Roast will be at Ron and Bonnie Orcutt's place again this year and will start at 5:30pm. Ron and Bonnie's address is 1401 South Second Terrace, Savannah, Missouri. To get there from St. Joe, take Business 71 Highway north to Swenson Street and turn left and go west to S. 2nd Ter turn left and go south. When you come to the end of the street you are there. Remember we are asking the everyone bring a covered dish and we certainly hope to see many of you there for some fun and fellowship.

COMPTROLLER'S CORNER

We are coming to the end of the calendar year and now is the time to start thinking of and planning for the payment of your annual dues. If you would like to help the Assembly with the postage again, consider paying you dues before we send out the billings. If you do this, we would ask that you wait until December to pay your dues. Remember, if you still owe your dues for past years, please send them to Gordon Carmichael ASAP. If you have a GREEN travel card, you owe \$15.00 and if you have a WHITE travel card, you owe\$30.00. Please send your dues to **GORDON CARMICHAEL, FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER, 3410 SENECA ST., ST. JOSEPH, MO 64507**. Please mail it TODAY before more suspensions are sent to Supreme.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Please keep in your daily prayers the families of all our Brother Sir Knights who have passed away. Please continue to also pray for all Sir Knights and their families who are ill and infirmed. Also pray for the leaders of our country and military, that they make the right decisions for our country and people. Pray for our men and women in our armed forces, especially those who are serving abroad in harms way.

THE HONOR GUARD REPORT

The following is the list of Gentlemen who have served on the Honor Guard in September. The first Honor Guard was for the Special Olympics Bowling and Sir Knights Leonard Amos, Ron Orcutt and Joseph Lysaght. Sir Knights Leonard Amos Ron Orcutt, Joseph Lysaght, Leo Stock, Joe Mazur and Marcenlio Canchola served on the Honor Guard for the celebration of the Anniversary of the St. Francis Xavier Church Building. The last Honor Guard was for the Special Olympics Football was Sir Knights Leonard Amos, Ron Orcutt and Joseph Lysaght.

The Assembly would like to thank these gentlemen for their time and effort for the Honor Guard. If you would like to serve on the Honor Guard, please contact SIR KNIGHT Leonard Amos at 816-

FUTURE MEETINGS

Just a reminder about the upcoming meetings for the Assembly so that you can mark your calendars now.

November 22nd a Mass and Luncheon will be held at Conception Abbey. Remember there will a charge of around \$8.00 per person and is intended to be a family event. We need to have you let us know if you will be attending this Mass and Luncheon.

December will be when we hold our Annual Christmas Party at Council #5067 in St. Joseph. We will keep you advised as to the exact date.

January 25th will be held at the St. James Council in St. Joseph.

We hope that you will try to make at least one of those meetings, but better yet, try to make all of them, we would like to see you again.

DO YOU KNOW A FUTURE SIR KNIGHT

The Knights of Columbus is an organization that is always growing, especially in this area. We are an organization that works hard for Special Needs children, our Church, our Communities and our Country. To that end we still need to search our parishes for that Catholic gentleman who has yet to be asked to join us in our quest to make our Churches and communities.

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

“Lord, please hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need.
Amen”

Prayer Request: When you receive this, please stop for a moment and say a prayer for our troops around the world. Of all the gifts you could give a US Soldier, Sailor, Airman, Marine and others deployed in harm's way, Prayer is the very best one!

OUR MILITARY

LCDR Matthew Wilcox, USN

Son of Frank & Suzie Wilcox

Captain Kevin M. Chunn, USMC

Son of Phil & Charlotte Chunn, Retired USMC

Captain Craig W. Drummond

Son of Tony & Theresa Drummond

SSG James E. Wiederholt, MANG

SGT Joseph M. Wiederholt, MANG

SPC Thomas W. Wiederholt, MANG

Sons of Dale & Diana Wiederholt

Sgt. Chad Simon, USMC

Son of Larry & Paula Simon

Cpl Matthew Korte, USMC

Son of Michael & Rose Korte

St S 2 Michael D. Apgar

Grandson-In-Law of Joe & Jean Mazur

PV2 Clinton Grueb, US Army
Grandson of Joe & Jean Mazur
PFC Jacob Jung, USAF
Grandson of Byron & Sarretta Jung
LCPL Nicholas M. Shelton, USMC, Sir Knight
Son of Richard & Ronna Shelton
Grandson of Richard F. & Jeanne Shelton
and Frank Thomas
Petty Officer First Class Donald R. Odette, Jr.
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Please let Ed Anderson if you know of anyone else who should be on this list.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that having your newsletter delivered by E-mail is saving the Assembly money. That's right, we save a little better than \$20.00 a month on just postage alone. When you factor in the cost of printing the newsletter, we are saving over \$30.00 a month. So we encourage everyone to send us your email address to stjosehassembly0569@yahoo.com as soon as you can. The Assembly is trying to do their part to hold down expenses and you can help us do that. Send us your email address so that we can use the internet to get out the Assembly's information without spending to print and mail the bulletin, YOUR HELP IS NEEDED.

Also I still need the E-mail addresses and contact numbers for our officers. This will allow our members to get information they from them.

*******REMINDERS*******

**YOUR FOURTH DEGREE DUES ARE DUE, SEND THEM TO SIR KNIGHT
GORDON CARMICHAEL**

**THIS MONTH THE MEETING WILL BE OCTOBER 17TH AT RON AND
BONNIE ORCUTT'S PLACE FOR OUR ANNUAL WEINER ROAST**

**THE NEW OFFICERS NEED TO SEND THEIR EMAIL ADDRESSES TO ED
ANDERSON FOR THE NEWSLETTER**

**KEEP LOOKING FOR THAT NEW
SIR KNIGHT & WELCOME OUR NEW SIR KNIGHTS**

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY