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A MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAPLAIN...

(Due to Father McCool's recent illness, we are revisiting one of his previous columns)



Jesus has assured us that God will send us many good things if only we ask. A friend of mine keeps a list of all the special requests he makes to God and places the lists in a shoe box. From time to time he checks those lists to see what has happened. He told me recently that he was surprised to discover how many of them were answered but in totally different ways from what he expected.

For example one was answered by a change of attitude towards one of his nephews. My friend's experience invites me to ask: "When did God answer my prayer exactly as I asked?"

The answer is: rarely. But He does continue to send me good things every day. Then I remind myself that while God listens, it is essential that I listen to God every day.

God bless you all!

Fr. Naos McCool, C.S.Sp.
Chaplain

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS URGES PRAYERS FOR HEALING

Following a week of violence across the United States in July, the Knights of Columbus has called for a novena of prayer to heal the wounds and divisions afflicting this country.

NOVENA FOR NATIONAL HEALING

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi
Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;

where there is injury, pardon;

where there is doubt, faith;

where there is despair, hope;

where there is darkness, light;

where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not

so much seek to be consoled as to console;

to be understood as to understand;
to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive;

it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;

and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

Amen.

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAPTER PRESIDENT...

Brother Knights of the Pittsburgh Chapter,



In the sweltering heat of late July, 2016, I hope all Brother Knights in the Pittsburgh Chapter are taking solace that we enjoy seasons of the year in Western Pennsylvania – our gracious God and Father allows us to enjoy and bask in all the opportunities for recreation and reflection that each season brings. I hope and wish all Pittsburgh Chapter Brother Knights have opportunity to enjoy in some way the gifts of summer with family and friends.

Summer also brings our annual August Pittsburgh Chapter meeting at Council #2602 in Natrona. I can smell and taste the hot dogs and fresh corn on the cob as I write! Hope this is further incentive for additional Councils to join our Chapter meetings, which have been well attended of late!

As we enjoy picnics, vacations, and time spent with family and friends in

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CHAPTER MEETING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2016
7:30 PM – COUNCIL #2602
THOMAS P. CONROY
(NATRONA)

**DIRECTIONS TO
PITTSBURGH CHAPTER
COUNCIL MEETING AT
THOMAS P. CONROY
(NATRONA) COUNCIL 2602**

If you have a GPS,
enter 28 Garfield
Street, Natrona PA
15065



**From north or south of
Pittsburgh via Route 28:**

- ◆ Drive on route **PA-28**
- ◆ Take exit **14** toward **Tarentum**
- ◆ Merge onto **Bull Creek Rd/ PA-366/Red Belt**
- ◆ At top of hill, **get into left lane at the stop light**
- ◆ **Turn left on East 10th Avenue**
- ◆ You will pass **Duster's Funeral Home** at the first stop light & then **Krynicky's Funeral Home** on your left at the second stop light – **continue straight**
- ◆ You will pass through one more stop light. In one block, turn right on **Argonne Drive** (there will be Highlands Middle School at this turn).
- ◆ Follow this road **down the hill** into Natrona
- ◆ Turn right and cross the tracks and immediately turn right on **Blue Ridge Avenue**
- ◆ **Turn left** at Garfield Street Council home is on the right at **28 Garfield Street - DO NOT PARK IN THE PARKING LOT ON THE LEFT PAST THE COUNCIL HOME !**



**UPCOMING
EVENTS:**



**AUGUST CHAPTER
MEETING – AUGUST 2 –**
Thomas P. Conroy (Natrona)
Council #2602

**37th ANNUAL
PENNSYLVANIA KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS STATE
GOLF TOURNAMENT –**
Saturday August 20th, 2016, at
8:30 AM at the “Tam O’Shanter
of Pennsylvania” Golf Course,
in Hermitage, PA. (more info in
this newsletter!)

**JAMES J. PALMER AWARD
NOMINATIONS – DEADLINE
AUGUST 23rd –** Forms
available on the chapter website
(www.pittsburghchapterkofc.org)

**SEPTEMBER CHAPTER
MEETING – SEPTEMBER 6 –**
Holy Ghost Council #10812 –
Duquesne University

**OCTOBER CHAPTER
MEETING – OCTOBER 4 –**
North Hills Council #4229 –
Millvale

**NOVEMBER CHAPTER
MEETING – NOVEMBER 1 –**
Our Lady of Joy Council
#12219 – Plum

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the remainder of Summer 2016, let’s
always take note that of our Founding
Principle of Charity – let’s take time
each day to find ways to reach out and
help our brothers and sisters in Christ
in need.

Also, I would like to request all
Brother Knights of Pittsburgh Chapter
pray for our **First Vice President (and
District Deputy) Joe Ferruzza** – on
July 20th, Joe underwent bypass
surgery and as of this writing has
started his recovery. Many of you
know of Joe’s great Faith and love and
support of all things related to our
beloved Order; please have your
Councils pray for Joe, his wife
Rosemary, and family as he continues
his recovery.

Fraternally,

Jim Maochi
President, Pittsburgh Chapter
Knights of Columbus

REMINDERS!



**K OF C STATE
TOURNAMENT SIGNUP
DEADLINE JULY 31 !!!**



**DUE ON
AUGUST 15 !!!**



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TOTALING TO
\$25,000**

HIGHEST	\$400	15TH HIGHEST	\$300
2ND HIGHEST	\$300	16TH HIGHEST	\$200
3RD HIGHEST	\$200	17TH HIGHEST	\$100
4TH HIGHEST	\$180	LOWEST	\$150
5TH HIGHEST	\$150	2ND LOWEST	\$100
6TH HIGHEST	\$120	3RD LOWEST	\$80
7TH HIGHEST	\$110	4TH LOWEST	\$60
8TH HIGHEST	\$100	5TH LOWEST	\$40
9TH HIGHEST	\$90	6TH LOWEST	\$30
10TH HIGHEST	\$80	7TH LOWEST	\$20
11TH HIGHEST	\$70	8TH LOWEST	\$10
12TH HIGHEST	\$60		
13TH HIGHEST	\$50	PER WEEK	\$2,500
14TH HIGHEST	\$40	TOTAL	\$25,000

YOUR TEAMS FOR EACH WEEK OF THE 2016 SWEEPSTAKES

OCT 30	NOV 6	NOV 13	NOV 20	NOV 27	DEC 4	DEC 11	DEC 18	DEC 25	JAN 1
DEN	ATL	DAL	IND	DAL	CHI	DET	CHI	ATL	ATL
HOU	NYG	KC	OAK	JAX	GB	IND	DEN	NO	DEN
NYJ	SEA	MIA	TB	MIA	MIA	NO	SD	SEA	SEA
PIT	TEN	PHI	TEN	MIN	PIT	TEN	SF	SF	TEN

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\$2,500 IN WEEKLY PRIZES!!!

ONLY \$10 !!!!

COVERS LAST TEN WEEKS OF THE NFL SEASON !!!

Knights of Columbus Pittsburgh Chapter



SUGGESTED 2016/2017 BUDGET					
Starting Balance 2016-2017					\$8,588.01
RECEIPTS EXPECTED:					
Per Capita				\$3,400.00	
Programs				\$0.00	
Columbus Day Dinner Share				\$900.00	
State Convention Share				\$0.00	
Misc.				\$0.00	
TOTAL INCOME					\$4,300.00
EXPENSES EXPECTED:					
Printing & Mailing Costs				\$50.00	
Program Activities				\$525.00	
Charitable Donations Totalling:			(see below)	\$2,330.00	
	PCUC Donation		\$500.00		
	Angels' Place		\$120.00		
	Bishop's Project		\$1,000.00		
	Misc:		\$710.00		
State Convention (including printed report)				\$400.00	
Columbus Day Dinner				\$240.00	
Squires Convention & 4th Degree Exemption Ads				\$150.00	
Miscellaneous				\$405.00	
Administrative Expenses (including officer stipends)				\$300.00	
Bishop's Project Donations / Host Council Incentives				\$600.00	
President's Expense for State Convention/Honorarium for State Officer(s)				\$600.00	
TOTAL EXPENSES					\$5,600.00
NET GAIN OR LOSS					(\$1,300.00)
BALANCE FORWARD					\$7,288.01
Date Prepared	29-Jun-16				



AUGUST 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Pittsburgh Chapter Meeting 7:30 PM	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Assumption of Mary (Holy Day); ***	16	17	18	19	20  PA State Golf Tournament
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31		*** Family of the Month Report for July Due	

SEPTEMBER 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	*** Family of the Month Report for August Due			1	2	3
4	 5 Labor Day	6 Pittsburgh Chapter Meeting 7:30 PM	7	8	9	10
11 Patriot Day;	12	13	14	15 ***	16	17
18	19	20	21	 22 Autumn Begins	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	