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The Family Council, New Port Richey

January, 2011

Grand Knight's Message

By Joseph Menicola, PGK, PFN

My Brothers/Sir Knights:

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

On Monday January 3rd we will have our officers meeting at the parish hall at 7:30 PM. Thursday

January 6th is our regular 3rd degree meeting at 7:30 PM

On Sunday January 9th we will have our Pancake Breakfast along with our Blood Drive. Brothers if you can, please donate a pint for life.

Sunday January 16th is Father Sebastian's 25th Anniversary of Ordination. Our council will be in charge of the food for the reception.

Thursday January 20th is our 3rd degree social meeting at 7:30 PM and Thursday January 27th Father Gerard E. Powers Assembly # 2882 will have their 4th degree meeting at 7:30.

I hope that 2011 will bring prosperity to our council.

God Bless, Fraternally, Joseph (Joe) Menicola, PGK, PFN Grand Knight

ALL OFFICERS

Please check the roster on Page 4 And make sure all your info is correct. If not, contact Tom Cleary at 727-846-0392 with any corrections Very Happy New Year

To all Brother and

Sir Knights

And their families



Breakfast with Santa and cooking Crew

Our Lady Queen of Peace Life Ministry will have a table at our next Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, January 9th to explain what they do and display their activities. Please take the time to stop by their table view their events.

Chaplain's Message

By Father Joseph A. Pastick



Each time I write this column I exhort you "TO PRAY!" In my report to you at most every meeting (on the First Thursday) I strongly urge you (verbally) to assist at daily Mass. At most three of you, brother Knights, are at daily Mass here at Our Lady Queen of Peace -- one with his spouse, one alone because he is widowed, and one alone because his wife

is not in the U.S.A.

When I write you encouraging you to pray, I have the idea that by your daily Mass you are making the ideal prayer (by uniting yourself with Jesus and receiving His Body and Blood). Maybe a few words on the daily liturgies (after Eucharist), your prayer, your Mass, will take on more meaning and bring you more love and strength to building up the Kingdom.

During Advent (time before Christmas) we prepared for Christ's Coming in Glory by slowing down through quiet and reflection. At Christmas we celebrated the human birthday of Jesus, our King-God and brother. On Saturday, January 1, we celebrate the Eighth Day of Christmas: The Blessed Virgin Mary, the **Mother of GOD.** This year (2011) this great feast is **not** a holy day of obligation.

On Sunday, January 2, the Epiphany (Manifestation) of the Lord Jesus, we "the nations" (gentiles) have been called to hear the "Good News" and through the Magi worship the long-awaited Lord and King with the gift of our lives.

January Copy Deadline

Please have your copy for the February, 2011 issue of the Knightly News to me by January 24 at the latest.

Any Chairmen of any committee that wishes to promote their projects are responsible to get their copy to me.

Tom Cleary, Editor

Please accept my apology for inserting the wrong birthday list in December edition.

December and January

List is printed on the next page.

On Monday, January 3, the Most Holy Name of Jesus ("Yahweh is Salvation") and pay Him homage as Savior by the power of His Holy Name.

On Tuesday, January 4, the holy nun Elizabeth Ann Seton, the first native-born American citizen, was canonized in 1975. She founded the first congregation for women religious (the Sisters of Charity) in the U.S.A.

On Wednesday, January 5, Bishop John Neumann, a very holy and learned man, promoted parochial schools. He was the first American Bishop, canonized in 1977.

On Thursday, January 6, Brother Andre, ("Miracle Man of Montreal"), was a great healer. Over one million people paid their respects at his death at the Oratory of St. Joseph.

On Sunday, January 9, we celebrate the Solemnity, The Baptism of the Lord; Jesus is the "Beloved Son" of the Father, the Light of the Nations and the Lord of all Creation. After this feast we begin **Ordinary Time**. This begins, Monday, January 10, and continues through Tuesday, March 8, the day before Ash Wednesday.

By your attending these Masses, and those following, you will be instructed on the various mysteries of our faith and the lives of those who lived it to the full. You will be inspired by their following of Christ, making His Kingdom happen. You will benefit by their intercession and more readily advance in the Kingdom.

May God bless you and yours, Fr. Joe

Our Lady Queen of Peace Knights of Columbus Council #11680 Presents for Everyone...

All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, January 9, 2011

Menu: Sausage patty, eggs, hash browns, grits, sausage gravy, Pancakes -- Coffee, tea, juice

Pancakes are ALL YOU CAN EAT

Stop at the Parish Center after each Mass and enjoy a hearty breakfast. Served from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

Enjoy the company of your friends and fellow parishioners

Adults \$4.00 per person -- Children (10 & under) \$3.00



JANUARY, 2011

JANUARY 1ST-- HAPPY NEW YEAR

JANUARY 3RD

Officers Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

JANUARY 6TH

3rd Degree Business Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

JANUARY 9TH

Pancake Breakfast, 8:00am to Noon, Parish Hall Blood Drive, during hours of Pancake Breakfast OLQP Life Ministry will have a table in the hall Explaining their activities and functions

JANUARY 16TH

Fr. Sebastian Earthedath's 25th Anniversary of Ordination, 3:00pm Mass, Reception to follow In the Parish Hall

JANUARY 20TH

3rd Degree Social Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

JANUARY 27TH

4th Degree Business Meeting, Parish Hall, 7:30pm

JANUARY 31ST

Officers Meeting, 7:30pm, Parish Hall

Thanksgiving Dinner report was a success, but we could have had a better attendance. It was only so successful because of good ticket sellers like Bob Fagan.

I want to thank the following good people that helped at the dinner and set up tables and decorated. The following:

Joe Williams, Bob Fagan, Bill & Theresa Fuhrmann,

Monica Wagner, Dannie Magner, Tony Especite, David

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Important, when having a dinner please make the food good, also have ticket sellers like Bob Fagan, keep the price so people can afford the dinner, give good amounts of food, make sure it tastes good, do not over season.

If any time you need some help or advice, I am always ready to help. Thank you, Lee Witt.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Richard H. Bourgeois

David Cruz

Vincent Dougherty

Anthony Esposito

Robert W. Fagan

William Fuhrmann

Keith Gosnell

Angel F. Jusino

Robert McLennan

John J. Oswald

Jack Petroski

Thomas Rose

Lawrence Scarpace

Robin Yates

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Ralph E. and Eleanor June Kenneth A. and Vanessa Schalk

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Antonio Alves

Donald J. Brosnan

George Cominsky

Joseph Froio

Arcadio B. Gonzales

Richard W. Hohenthaner Jr.

Ralph E. June

Albert Karrenberg

Joseph Oliver

Derwin Scalph

Bryan K. Sehl

Joseph Tengowski

Stephen V. Tillotson

John L. Valentin

Theodore Wunderlich

REMEMBER, SAVE THE DATE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 3:00 PM SWEETIES DANCE SPONSORED BY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY,

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