



KNIGHT NEWS



The newsletter for the Church of the Visitation Knights of Columbus Council #13902
 144 County Road 3000 Lott, Texas 76656

2017-2018 Council Officers

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Grand Knight's Report –Thanks to all who helped with the highway cleanup, cleanup around Father's house, church and the pit at the hall. Everything looks great for the picnic. Set-up of the stands will start Thursday afternoon. If you can help with the set-up Thursday or Friday, that would be great. I am sure everyone will share their time and talents for the event next Sunday and make it a wonderful day for all our visitors. Have a blessed month.
 —**Gary Herwald, Grand Knight.**

CHURCH PICNIC

Please check the work schedule for your assigned work times on Saturday and Sunday. Any volunteers to help with the stands set-up Thursday and Friday are appreciated. Auction items can be dropped off after 8am on Sunday.

FALLS COUNTY YOUTH FAIR

Congratulations to all those from our parish who entered exhibits and showed animals at the recent youth fair in Marlin. The council pays add-ons to the sons and daughters of KC members in good standing who make the sale at the fair.

LIFE CHAIN RALLY

The annual life chain rally was held yesterday, October 1st in Lott (This was fittingly "Respect Life Sunday.") Thanks to all who came and showed their support for the helpless unborn babies by holding up signs and praying for an end to this murder of innocent lives. Your prayers and support make a difference in protecting these little ones.

FOOD DRIVE

We have sponsored a food drive the last two weekends. Thanks to all for your donations to help the food banks in the local area. If you missed bringing a donation, there will be another drive in the near future.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Members assigned to visit the sick for October are as follows:

- 10-02 thru 10-08 – Michael Meyer
- 10-09 thru 10-15 – Mike Meyer
- 10-16 thru 10-22 – David Michalewicz
- 10-23 thru 10-29 – Charles Moeller
- 10-30 thru 11-05 – Raymond Moeller
- 11-06 thru 11-12 – Clifford Neumann

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Brother Knights who have birthdays in October are: Robert Brenek (10/1), Tim Hoff (10/2), Deacon Charlie Wright (10/3), Craig Kahlig (10/4), and Calvin Wilde (10/9). Terry Frenzel (11/2), Jeff Hering (11/3) and Kenneth Jezisek (11/4) have birthdays before our next meeting in November. Happy birthday to all of you and God's blessing be upon you.

MEMBERSHIP (Chairman-Marvin Meyer)

Our membership goal for 2017-2018 is eight new members. We are looking for Catholic gentlemen who would like to join the Knights of Columbus. Please contact one of the Knights if you are interested.

Contact our field agent Clinton Hajovsky for any insurance needs. He is available at clinton.hajovsky@kofc.org or 254-295-0430.

MEMBERSHIP ATTENDANCE PRIZE- Kenneth Jezisek's name was drawn for the October prize of \$35. He was not present so the prize goes to \$40 for November. **Horest Weaver** was the winner of the 50/50 drawing.

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES (Chairman-Perry Petru)

The **KNIGHT OF THE MONTH AWARD** for October was not announced at the meeting. It will be announced at the meeting in November.

COMMUNITY/FAMILY ACTIVITIES (Chairman-Kenneth Jezisek)

FAMILY OF THE MONTH AWARD for October went to **Dave Alexander and Amanda Arney**. Thank you both for your many works of charity for the council, church and community.

PRO-LIFE (Chairman- Bill Reid)

Each month the council has a Mass said for pro-life. Every meeting begins with a decade of the rosary for pro-life. A donation was made Our Lady of the Angels Maternity Shelter in Temple to help with their daily needs.

DATES TO REMEMBER

10/08/17	Annual Picnic
10/11/17	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -6pm
10/31/17	All Hallows Eve
11/01/17	All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)
11/02/17	All Souls Day
11/06/17	Monthly Meeting – Council #13902

Thanks to Cliff Neumann, Jr. Hering, and Gary Herwald for the wonderful meal of chicken spaghetti, bread, salad and for dessert peach cobbler with ice cream.

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Remember to keep any members or members' family who are sick or recovering from surgery in your prayers. Also pray for all those on the prayer list in the church bulletin. May God bless them with His healing power.

Vocation Intercession: Let us pray that those who open their minds and hearts to Christ's call be encouraged and strengthened through our prayers and the zeal to serve.

Act of Love

O my God, I love you above all things, with my whole heart and soul, because You are all good and worthy of all love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of You. I forgive all who have injured me, and ask pardon of all whom I have injured. Amen