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Next Meeting October 1st at 6:45PM, please plan to attend

From the editor, Brian Murrey

Thanks for reading this very first issue of the Council Crier, our newsletter of the Santo Rosario Knights of Columbus Council. In my efforts to distribute timely information on a quarterly basis, I will be depending on you, my Brother Knights, to keep me current on what is happening in your corner of the council. I am very happy to see so many taking an active part in this issue. If you have anything to add or submit, please send it to me in email brian.murrey@gmail.com at least two weeks before the end of the quarter.

Parish Picnic - A huge success and good time.

The second annual **Holy Rosary Parish Picnic** was held Sunday, Sept. 12, in Edna Balz Lacy Park (south of our parking lots) immediately after the noon Mass. It is estimated that over 400 folks were able to attend, and feast on the delicious, grilled to perfection, tidbits and assorted covered dish contributions. It appears that a good time was had by all, and the council managed to collect several applications for membership and at least one transfer request. The day started out at 7AM, with our Chaplain hearing confessions before the 7:30AM Extraordinary Mass. Once Mass was over about 20 volunteers from the council started setting up the location with tables, chairs, drinks, and a fabulous mobile grill from Grand Knight Don Murphy.



You're Invited to the 2010 Adoption Picnic

The picnic is a great opportunity for adoptive parents to meet others who have adopted and share stories, support, food, and fun. It is an opportunity for your children to meet other kids who may have a similar experience. For prospective adoptive parents, you will have a chance to speak with those who have gone through the experience, as well as our team! Please bring with you anyone who is interested in adoption or orphan care, including all family and friends too!

Drinks, main dish and activities will be provided. All in attendance are asked to bring a side dish or desert. Last names beginning A-R, please bring a side dish. Last names beginning S-Z, please bring desert.

The Picnic will be held on September 18, 2010 at Forest Park, 701 Cicero Road, Noblesville IN, in Shelter #1, from 4PM to 7PM. RSVP via email to nicole@mljadoptions.com

Ask Father Magiera

Q: When taking part in the sacrament of Reconciliation, what happens with the sins we fail to confess, because we just can't remember them? Our intentions are to have a good confession, and leave the confessional with a clean conscious, there has been no intent to not seek reconciliation for these sins, but how can we confess what we don't recall?

A: Though it would be most imprudent to conceal venial sins, venial sins do not "break" our friendship with God, i.e., the soul is still infused with Sanctifying Grace. That Grace is only lost when one commits a mortal sin. A limping analogy would be to go to the doctor for a serious problem say, a bleeding ulcer, and not tell him about a case of athlete's foot. Very imprudent. To conceal any sin willfully is simply, not only imprudent, but stupid. Yet, the Sacrament of Penance only requires us to confess mortal sins. Concealing even one invalidates the confession and adds yet another mortal sin "to the account." Yet, people can forget things. Hence, there should always be a good examination of conscience. One may never conceal a mortal sin. If one forgets to confess other sins, i.e., venial sins, no problem, they are taken care of, i.e., absolved, as well, so long as there is contrition (the church only requires "imperfect contrition" or attrition) and a firm purpose of amendment. Venial sins are absolved, even if not confessed due to forgetfulness. A good practice is frequent confession - better for the memory - and to confess such sins as they are remembered in later confessions, though this is not required. I have rarely encountered this, though people will tell me of mortal sins they've forgotten. This is required. Prudence should always be the ruling virtue.

Respect Life Sunday – October 3rd

Respect Life Sunday will be observed throughout the United States on Sunday, Oct. 3. Msgr. Joseph F. Schaedel, vicar general, will be the celebrant for the Respect Life Mass at 1 p.m. at SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral, 1347 N. Meridian St., in Indianapolis. Representatives will march in the opening procession at the Mass and carry banners identifying their parish, school or group. The symbolic procession highlights the fact that in order to build a culture of life, Catholics must unite in pro-life ministry and be rooted in the Eucharist.

At the conclusion of the Respect Life Mass, Msgr. Schaedel will present the Archbishop Edward T. O'Meara Respect Life Award and the Our Lady of Guadalupe Pro-Life Youth Award. The

award recipients will be recognized for their outstanding service in promoting the dignity and sanctity of all human life. For more information and to register your parish, school or group for reserved seating call Patty at 317-236-1569 or 800-382-9836, ext. 1569, or parthur@archindy.org. Following the Respect Life Mass the inter-denominational Central Indiana Life Chain will be held along Meridian St. from 2:00-3:00 P.M.

Upcoming Events

09/15 Social Meeting at Mike Deals 7PM
09/19 Soccer Challenge at Downey Field 2PM
09/20 Red Mass 6PM St. John
10/03 Respect Life Sunday 1PM Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul
10/03 Life Chain 2:30PM
11/03 Memorial Mass for Council 5:45PM Holy Rosary
11/09 4th Degree Memorial Mass and Dinner at Holy Rosary
11/12 Family Movie Knight - Priori Hall
12/18 Night of Reflection - Holy Rosary

40 Days of Life runs from September 22 to October 31st, 7AM to 7PM each day.

New Officers for the 2010-2011 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight	Don L. Murphy
Deputy Grand Knight	Bob Evanich
Chancellor	Jay Stanley
Chaplain	Fr. Michael Magiera
Recorder	Brian Murrey
Treasurer	Carlos Rivas
Advocate	Steve Watt
Warden	Nino Morone
Inside Guard	Craig Wenzel
Outside Guard	Edwin Barron
3 Year Trustee	Don Benson
2 Year Trustee	Frank Oliver
1 Year Trustee	Fred Feld
Financial Secretary	Kurt Hostettler
Past Grand Knight	Jay Stanley

Program Chairs: These Committees NEED volunteers

Membership Director	Frank Oliver
Program Director	Jay Stanley
Church Director	Gary Willen
Community Director	Jerry Friederick
Council Director	Edwin Barron
Family Director	Marcus Shutta
Youth Director	Bob Evanich
Pro-Life Director	Jerry Mattingly