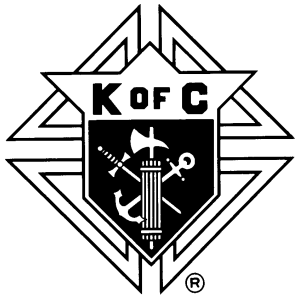
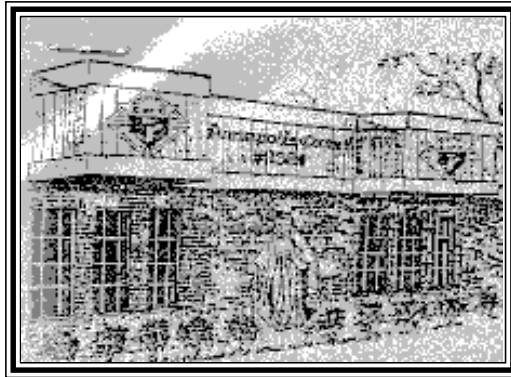


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GRAND KNIGHT'S CORNER

Brothers all,

July and August were busy months. In July we installed our officers for the year 2010-2011. Father Harrison provided us with a beautiful mass accompanied by the music of Brother Harry Thompson. Thanks to those that decorated the hall so nice. I almost forgot where we were. We then moved on to August which of course is dominated by the Annual Family Carnival. We had 8.5 great nights of weather and nice crowds. Thanks to all the Brother Knights and Ladies who came out to help. We can always use more help. Special thanks to our Carnival Chairman Jim Ryan and his family for their leadership and devotion. Jim has led our Carnival efforts for the past two years and has indicated he needs a break next year. What do we do?? Does Jim become Chairman Emeritus with the able assistance of a new Chairman? Let's here from you!



September is a crucial month for our Annual Car Raffle efforts. Please try to sell as many car raffle tickets as you can. The Council benefits by keeping 60% of all we collect. If you need car raffle tickets please contact the Grand Knight or the Financial Secretary. Please help out. We also kicked off our annual Tootsie Roll Drive on August 27-29 thanks to the leadership of John Gorman and assistance of Dale Voss and a few worthy volunteers. We need more help. All that we collect goes to local organizations which help the mentally handicapped. They really depend on us and these are tough times for those in need and for those who contribute. We have to work extra hard this year to be successful. Your volunteer house are critical to our success.

Our upcoming Business Meetings are September 7th, October 5th, November 2nd and December 7th at 8PM. This is the opportunity for you to have input into

Council activities. Please consider attending.

The rest of September: St. Mary's Parish Picnic on September 12th. Come help us recruit and have a good time. The September Social will be at 7PM on September 21st with a prayer of the rosary followed by an Octoberfest meal prepared by Papa Rolando. On September 26 and 27 we need your help at OLPH after all the masses to pass out tootsie rolls and recruit new members. Father Cosgrove has asked me to say a few words about the Knights after each mass and we need to follow up with interested candidates. Let Grand Knight Lee Heath, lrheath@verizon.net, know if you can help and with which mass, 5:30PM Saturday, 8:30AM Sunday and/or 11:00AM Sunday?

October is very busy as the Council will host a Maryland State Chaplain's Meeting on October 5th and a Financial Secretary Seminar on October 16th. The Columbus Day Ball is on October 9th in Glen Burnie, MD. We will find out who wins the 2011 Mustang! We will have a Social on October 19th and a Second Degree on October 28th.

Remember these future events:

November 7th

Annual Memorial Mass and Blood Drive at St. John Neumann 9:00AM

November 13th

Navy Tailgate and Football Game 1:00PM

November 16th

Thanksgiving Scottish Dinner and Boy Scouts Presentation 7:00PM

December 15th

The Providence Center Christmas Party 10:00AM

December 18th

The Council Christmas Party 7:00PM

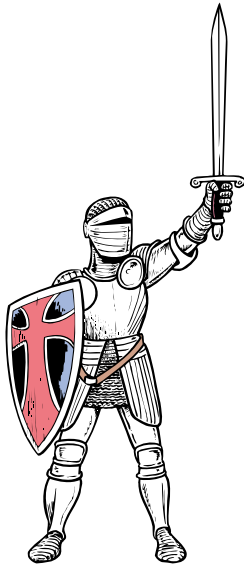
Vivat Jesus,
Lee Heath
Grand Knight

Chaplain's Corner

-Rev. John Harrison C.Ss.R.

This is a topic that many families do not want to talk about. It's called incorrectly, "Last Rites."

It's scary to a lot of people, and I daresay, Knights of Columbus members and their families are also occasionally frightened by the mere term. Unfortunately, because of the fear instilled in them when very young, thinking that once the priest is called for "Last Rites," Uncle Parphunsius (obviously, not his real name!) is going to die. Okay, if, as I mentioned just a moment ago, that calling the sacrament "Last Rites" is incorrect, what then is the correct term?



The II Vatican Council back in the 1960s recommended that all the rituals be updated and misunderstandings corrected. The correct term for this sacrament is "Anointing of the Sick."

Prior to II Vatican, it was called "Extreme Unction." The thought was that at the last possible moment, one was to receive this sacrament, hence the use of the term, "Extreme," which we associate the phrase, "In extremis," meaning "at death's door," or more literally, "at the end." As a result, many people died without the benefit of this sacrament, because they would wait until the loved one actually died before requesting the priest to come. Hence, when the priest was called, it invariably meant that someone died. II Vatican wanted to clear up a few misunderstandings. (1) The "Anointing of the Sick" is a sacrament for the living, not the dead. A person must be still alive to fruitfully take advantage of the sacrament. Of course, no one can determine the exact moment of death, so priests will usually conditionally anoint someone who is "dead," thereby giving every opportunity for the sacrament to be effective. (2) The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, is primarily for those who are sick, with serious illnesses. It is for those who are to undergo surgery. It is most appropriate to ask for the sacrament prior to entering the hospital for surgery.

It is received with great advantage by the person him/herself instead of a family member calling for the priest because the sick person is unconscious. When alert and responsive, the sick person can, and should, respond to the prayers. (3) The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick can be received more than once. Each time a person gets better and then relapses, it is appropriate to anoint again. Not in the same illness, though; we don't want to give the idea that it is something one is to receive every day in the hospital. No, once is enough for each hospital stay.

Now, let me backtrack just a bit. The term "Last Rites" still exists in the church. The term is plural, and refers to Reconciliation, Communion, and the Anointing. Obviously, if a person is unconscious and agonizing, they cannot confess their sins, nor receive the host as Viaticum. In this case, the person would just receive the anointing, and that would be the extent of the "Last Rites." Just think of the tremendous graces one could receive, were that person able to confess, receive Our Lord in Communion, and then be anointed. Three sacraments at once. Only God can judge, but if such a person were to die right then, I would think that God would be holding the doors of Heaven open to personally welcome them home!

Let me give you a perspective from the priest's point of view. We think it tragic when the families call the priest, but do not want to "scare" grandma by giving her "Last Rites." Or even more tragic, that when the person is visibly agonizing, and the priest happens by, offers to anoint, and the family refuses, for whatever reason. The ideal is to receive the sacraments long before coming to the last moment, all three sacraments, Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Anointing of the Sick.



THE OFFICER'S AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS PAGES

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES: ANDRE NOEL
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FAMILY ACTIVITIES: JOHN GORMAN
CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE: RAY SEARS
MEMBERSHIP: TOM HURD

Facts & Figures

Financial Secretary Report

Brothers,

I have tried to get delinquent members to send in their dues and pay only the current years dues. This was and is an attempt to get them to still be Knights and hopefully do one activity for the year. Since it has not worked I am begging you to send in your dues for THIS YEAR. If there is a problem paying then let me know and it can be taken care of. You still get the newsletter, have access to the web page, and are still considered by Supreme as in Good Standing until I send in the Intent to Suspend. By October 1 those letters will once again be in the mail

Remember, all they need to do is pay the \$38.00 for this year. The next step is for the Retention Committee to contact you then next step toward Suspension for NON Payment of Dues. We would really like to have YOU as a KNIGHT in good standing.

We have increased our membership this year again and the average age of our membership is now at 53 years old. We are getting new younger members in and they do have the same interests as most of our members. Come to a business meeting and/or a social meeting to find out for yourself.

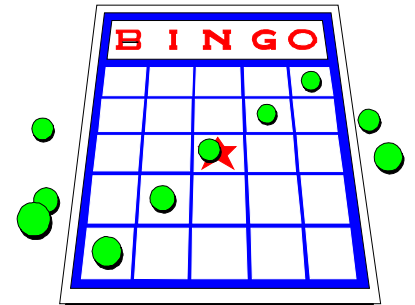
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Do not hesitate to give me a call, I have the resources at my fingertips to get the answers that you or your wife would need.

Vivat Jesus
Ray

BINGO REPORT



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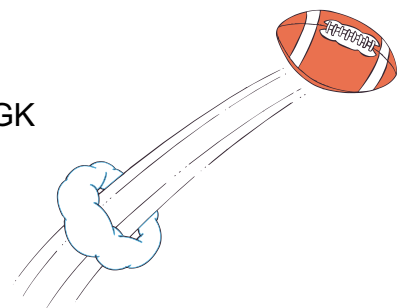
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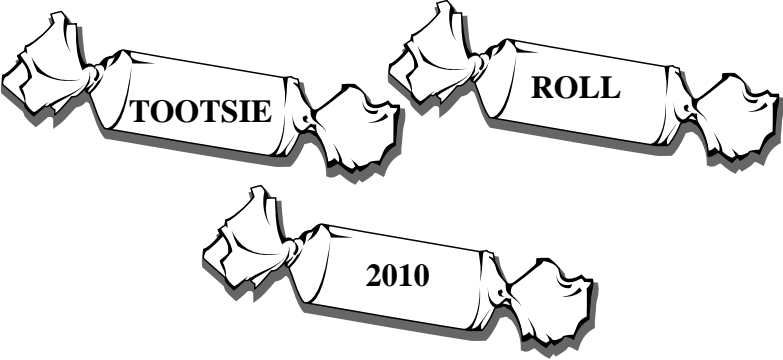
CASEY Bingo IS ALIVE, WELL AND THRIVING. The BALLS game is doing extremely well with Lee Heath, John Gorman, Andy Noel and Dave Brown selling the most for one night at 19 balls games. THANKS !!

Our Bingo Supplies, Atlantic Bingo, has repeatedly told us that CASEY Bingo is one of the only bingos that is continually surpassing all of the bingos he services. This can be seen since we have had an average of 114 players for this past month since the Jackpot number was the highest we have ever seen at 59. WHY, the food service under the direction of Bro. Roland Banscher is outstanding and consistent, the floor personnel are very helpful and we are consistent.

We do have one problem, however. We need workers to help tear down on Friday nights at approximately 10:15pm. We can get it done faster with more help!

Fraternally,
Raymond L. Sears, PGK
Co – chair





COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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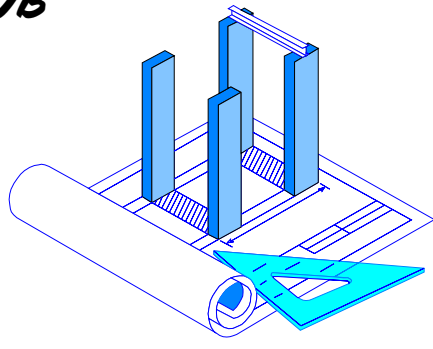
'Tis the season for the annual Tootsie Roll fund drive, proceeds of which go to three organizations that work closely with the Mentally Disabled in Anne Arundel County. Yes.... the funds collected stay in the county and go directly for work with the clients at those agencies. We need full Council support during September and October. We have annually collected at Giant Food Stores, Safeways, Grauls, and other selected locations. A grid is being prepared for members to volunteer for a three hour shift at these and the other locations. It will be available at the Sept. Business meeting after which members who have not signed up will be contacted for assignment to a shift.

A special appeal is made here to all new members who have been admitted since last year's fund drive. Make this one of your volunteer activities for 2010.



Just wanted to see if anyone is paying attention

COLUMBUS CLUB



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Brothers,
The Columbus Club is now an independent associate for Viridian Energy. Support us by switching to Viridian and lowering your BGE bill. You will save \$'s and we will earn \$2 every month when you pay your bill.

Why should you choose Viridian?

- ◆ No contracts to be bound to
- ◆ Competitive rates
- ◆ BGE still bills and services your account
- ◆ Columbus Club lowers Electric bill by \$2.00 per month per customer

To make the switch do one of the following:

- ◆ Go to www.virtidian.com/koc1384 and click on become a customer
- ◆ Go to www.koc1384.org and click on Viridian Logo then click on become a customer
- ◆ Bring your BGE bill to a meeting or before Friday night Bingo and we will help you switch over.

Any of the above options take less than five minutes to switch.





L-R: Annapolis Council #1384 Grand Knight Lee Heath (Edgewater) presenting a check to St. Mary's Royal Blue Club Past President John Magnolia (Annapolis) and St. Mary's Royal Blue Club Member Brian Benton (Arnold) for \$8,700 from the proceeds of the recent Bull Roast. The funds will be used to support the St. Mary's Athletic program.

Photograph courtesy of Ray Sears for the Capital

FRATERNAL BENEFITS

“Teach your children well ...”

If you're like me, you derive great joy from your children. It's a great feeling when a teacher, coach or fellow parent compliments you on your child.

We all know that raising children these days is no easy task, especially when the values we're trying to instill in them – concern for others, accepting responsibility for their actions, saving money rather than spending it – seem to run counter to what society is trying to teach them. Yet these are exactly the values that tend to draw compliments from teachers, coaches and fellow parents.

We also know that the best way to teach is by example. If you carry enough life insurance to protect your family, and you share it with those children old enough to understand why that's important, you're exhibiting and imparting many of the values you hope your children will absorb.

You'll show them that you love them and are concerned about their welfare. You'll show them that you take your responsibility to provide for your family seriously, and that you want to make sure they're provided for even if you're not around. And you'll show them that investing money in your life insurance protection is more important than the new set of golf clubs you might want, or the newest and best home theater system, or whatever else you might be sacrificing to pay the premiums.

Sure, they'll probably roll their eyes at you as you're explaining this, and they'll certainly moan and groan if they can't get the newest CD, video game or piece of clothing. But they learn from what you do – just like they learn from what you don't do. What lessons do you want to teach them?

I'd like to meet with you to review your existing coverage. Based upon that review, and on the comprehensive needs analysis that I'll perform, we'll be able to put a plan in place that will meet your needs, goals and budget.

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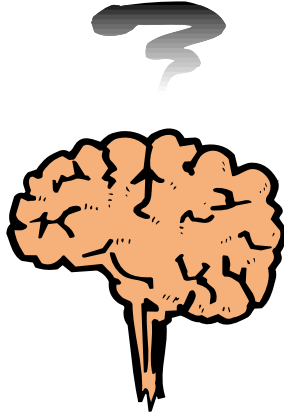
THE FOLLOWING IS A CHINESE GOOD LUCK TANTRA TOTEM.

ONE.

Give people more than they expect and do it cheerfully.

TWO.

Marry a man/woman you love to talk to. As you get older, their conversational skills will be as important as any other.



THREE.

Don't believe all you hear, spend all you have or sleep all you want.

FOUR.

When you say, "I love you", mean it.

FIVE.

When you say, "I'm sorry", look the person in the eye.

SIX.

Be engaged at least six months before you get married.

SEVEN.

Believe in love at first sight.

EIGHT.

Never laugh at anyone's dreams. People who don't have dreams don't have much.

NINE.

Love deeply and passionately. You might get hurt but it's the only way to live life completely.

TEN.

In disagreements, fight fairly. Please, no name calling.

ELEVEN.

Don't judge people by their relatives.

TWELVE.

Talk slowly but think quickly.

THIRTEEN.

When someone asks you a question that you don't want to answer, smile and ask, "Why do you want to know?"

FOURTEEN.

Remember that great love and great achievements involve great risk.

FIFTEEN.

Say "bless you" when you hear someone sneeze.

SIXTEEN.

When you lose, don't lose the lesson.

SEVENTEEN.

Remember the three R's: Respect for self; Respect for others; Responsibility for all your actions.

EIGHTEEN.

Don't let a little dispute injure a great friendship.

NINETEEN.

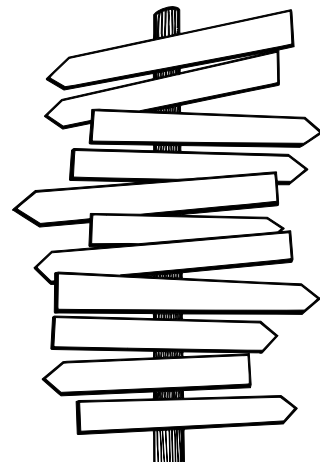
When you realize you've made a mistake, take immediate steps to correct it.

TWENTY.

Smile when picking up the phone. The caller will hear it in your voice..

TWENTY ONE.

Spend some time alone.



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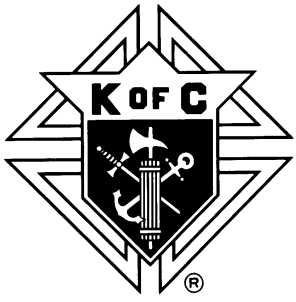


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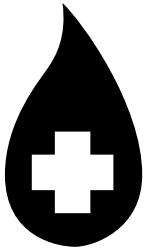
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