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Grand Knights Report

My Brother Knights,

Well, we're off to a whole new year. You know, the new year's resolutions upon us and all. I hope Santa was good to you this year and I hope you didn't forget to send that card to Aunt Rita - you know, she was good to you last year and you really should return the favor.

I think the best part of the Christmas season is the chance to spend time with family, sharing stories of all that went on in the previous year and catching up on the latest happenings in the towns we grew up in. I spoke to my parents on the occasion of their 52nd Wedding Anniversary on Christmas Day, and while I was 2000 miles away, I was still able to talk with them for a good hour and they remained foremost on my mind. All in all, it was a good break from the everyday, and a chance to catch my breath. I hope you and your family also found some good new memories to share, and that you had

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Next Council Meeting:
January 8th at 7:30 PM



State Council <http://www.kofcnc.org>
Supreme Council <http://www.kofc.org>
Other Websites <http://www.catholic.org>
<http://www.catholic.net>

Upcoming Events

- ◆ Prayer Breakfast for Life
- ◆ Brunch with the Knights
- ◆ Good Shepherd Kitchen

Please visit our website to read the newsletter online:
<http://www.blessedsacramentnc.org/kofc>

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To submit an article for the newsletter, send an e-mail to:
knight_news@hotmail.com

You may also submit an article on our website.



Knight of the Month

Bill Sprague

Family of the Month

The Foleys

- ◆ January 2
Officers and Directors Meeting, Koury Center (Room 1-5)
- ◆ January 5
State Organizational Meeting - Hickory NC
- ◆ January 8
Council Meeting/First Degree - Koury Center
- ◆ January 13
Council Free-Throw Competition
- ◆ January 18
Alamance County Courthouse Vigil - Graham NC
- ◆ January 20
Brunch with the Knights
- ◆ January 30
Good Shepherd Kitchen



Good of the Order

Stella Bouderau	Flip Hogan
Katherine Eisermann	Janet Imrick
Salvatore Festa	Kevin Moore
Sarah Foley	Joe Shannon
Jim Harris	Nora Ward



9th ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST for LIFE

The Brownstone Hotel
1707 Hillsborough Street
Raleigh NC

January 12, 2008 10:00AM

\$20 per person (pre-registration necessary)

You can register using MC or Visa by calling 800-392-6275
or send your check or money order to PO Box 9282 Greensboro NC 27429-0282

Please arrive early to the Prayer Breakfast to facilitate check-in and registration.

Birthdays

- 02 Catherine Smith
- 04 Sandra Reed
- 05 Terry Ward
- 06 Melanie Vatter
- 08 Dee Spire
- 15 Pam Whitehouse
- 16 Rigo Lopez Flores
- 22 Melville Pais
- 23 Ann Hogan



- 24 Yvette Zannini
- 24 MaryLou Reinheimer
- 25 Michael Drozoowski
- 25 Brian Ward
- 27 Otis Prettyman
- 27 Margaret Blahuta
- 29 Daniel Wright
- 30 Jaime Moreno

Anniversaries

- 05 Donald and Teresa Merner
- 07 James and Catherine Smith
- 03 George and Norah Policastro (54 years)
- 27 Omar and Maria Gomez



Memorial Mass and Dinner
November 10, 2007

Graveyard of the Innocence

January 19 and 20, 2008
Blessed Sacrament Church

On the weekend before the March for Life in Washington, DC the Knights of Columbus is planning a Graveyard of the Innocence to mark the 35th Anniversary of the Roe v. Wade Supreme Court ruling. If you are interested in participating in the Graveyard of the Innocence please contact David Tamayo, John McCravey Jr. or Ron Imrick.

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your chance to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Now, we look forward to getting the house back in shape for school and work, and get ready to start up the routine again.

On January 5, our Worthy Deputy Grand Knight and myself are headed to Hickory, NC for the Mid-Year Meeting. Unlike previous years' meetings that took the entire weekend, this will be a one-day affair. We'll give you a report at the next Council Meeting.



Speaking of which, our next Council Meeting will include a 1st Degree Exemplification. Please come out in huge numbers to support our newest candidates as they begin their journey into Knighthood!

Finally, in January, I believe on the 19th, we will be hosting our first annual Graveyard of the Innocence project, in honor of the unborn. We will have details published on the website in the next few days. This will be a very quiet and prayerful event, beginning with a mass at 5:00 on Saturday. Those who wish to participate will be given a white cross after mass ends, to place on the church grounds near the Memorial to the Unborn in front of the Koury Center. I hope you will consider participating in this important event.

Once again, I hope you all had a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. God Bless all of you for what you do every single day of your lives, and to all our men and women in uniform, at home and abroad, that the Lord protect them and keep them from harm.

God Bless,
David

Kudos

❖ Graham Christmas Parade (December 1) ❖ Brunch with the Knights (December 16)

Dave McCusker

Jack Murray

Bob LeFebvre

Charles Hirsch

Howard Roberson

Paul Spire

Ken Cheek

Ray Cheek

Markus Bailey

David Tamayo

Flip Hogan

Joe Foley

John Constantine

Markus Bailey

Pat Love

John Wadiak

Bill Sprague

Don Merner

Brian Ward

Ken Cheek

Adam Cheek

Joe Bouderau

Nick Mazzuca

A special thanks to Courtney and Lynette Mazzuca!