



CP Herald

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The Knights of Columbus



ASSEMBLY ACTIVITIES



January 21 - Business meeting @
7:30 PM, St. James in Concord

January 27 - Honor Guard
request for St. Thomas Aquinas
Feast Day Mass @ 7:00 PM

February 18 - Business meeting
@ 7:30 PM, St. James in Concord

March 13 - St. Patrick's Day
Parade and Festivities in
Charlotte

March 17th - Biennial District
Meeting in Greensboro

March 18 - Business meeting @
7:30 PM, St. James in Concord

April 15 - Business meeting @
7:30 PM, St. James in Concord

April 24 - Exemplification at St.
John the Evangelist Church in
Waynesville, NC

June 13th - Assembly 3158 will
host the Joint Installation of
officers for area Assemblies



From the Commander

Sir Knights,

We have started a new and very busy calendar year. On January 4th, the Honor Guard participated in the funeral mass at Sacred Heart in Salisbury for SK Joe Urban.

On January 5th, we received word that SK Vic St. Pierre's wife passed away. We attended her requiem Mass on January 9th at St. James. Please keep Barbara and Joe in your prayers.

We have received a request for our Honor Guard to support the St. Thomas Aquinas Feast Day Mass on Wednesday, January 27th at 7:00 PM. Sir Knights should be there by 6:30 PM. As I will be out of state on business, I am asking SK Tom Kurzel and SK Bob Kachmarik to coordinate our involvement.

It is never too early to start recruiting active Third Degree Knights for the 2010 Exemplifications. This year, there are going to be two Exemplifications in the western part of the state.

There will be a one-day Exemplification planned for Saturday, April 24th, 2010 at St. John the Evangelist Church in Waynesville, NC. The candidate fee of \$70 includes his social baldric, Fourth degree pin, certificate in holder and his lunch. The cost for lunch for all non-candidates is \$15. The class will be limited to 45 candidates. If there are any candidates in your councils, get a Form-4 filled out and forward to our FC Ron Babbitt. Contact Ron or I with other questions.

The St. Patrick's Day Parade and festival will be on March 13th this year. More information at our January 21st Business meeting.



Navigator's Notes

Sir Knights and readers,

Happy Birthday to Assembly 3158. We had a very productive first year and are looking forward to a great second year. The success of any Assembly or Council is a function of active members and we thank those of you who have contributed to our success.

Our FC Ron Babbitt has sent out dues letters to our membership that do not qualify for exemption. Please either send your payment to Ron or bring it to the Business Meeting on January 21st.

Besides our request for Honor Guard support, we have the following activities so far for this calendar year:

- * Spring and fall races at Lowes Motor Speedway for fundraisers
- * Color Guard and Honor Guard to lead the St. Patrick's Day Parade on March 13th
- * Assembly to man a booth at the St. Patrick's Day Festival as a fundraiser
- * The Biennial District meeting to be held on March 17th in Greensboro
- * On April 24, the Regional Exemplification to be held in Waynesville, NC
- * We will have elections for Assembly officers in May. Anyone interested in holding an office should contact the FN or any of the Trustees.

* On June 13th the Assembly 3158 will host the Joint Installation of officers for Assemblies 780 and 2208 in Charlotte, Assembly 2531 in Gastonia and Assembly 3158. The Installation will be done by our District master SK Robert J. Grabasky at St. James Church followed by a banquet at the Parish Hall.

* Assembly 3158 will host the Fall Exemplification that will be held in Charlotte in early November. We will host the Hospitality Room at the Exemplification.

* In December we will have our Second Annual Assembly Christmas Party as the Assembly shows its appreciation for the members and guests.

At our January 21st Business Meeting, we will discuss the above activities and in this year of "Support Our Priests" we will vote on our first RSVP candidate.

Also to be discussed is our goal of having quarterly rotational Assembly meetings at our participating Councils.

See you at the Business meeting on January 21st starting at 7:30 PM in Gill Hall in Concord.

Yours in **Christ and Patriotism**,
SK Art Fitzgerald, FN



Other News and Notes

Assembly Newsletter

Information to be included in our newsletter should be sent to the Editor S/K Terry Sippel at twisippel@yahoo.com at least one week before the next scheduled Business Meeting. We encourage anyone to send council information on activities and fundraisers as well. Please cc: to Art Fitzgerald @ afitzgerald1@carolina.rr.com

Assembly Web Page

We have a Web Site! The URL is www.kofc-assembly3158.org. Any ideas for content would be greatly appreciated and can be sent to rbabbitt@carolina.rr.com.

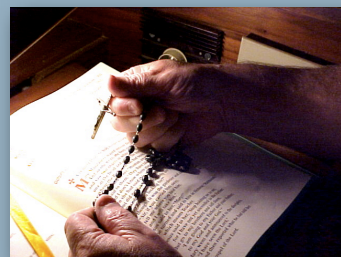
Catholic Cemetery

Sacred Heart in Salisbury has cemetery plots available in their new church cemetery. Call the church office at 704-633-0591 for more information.



GOOD OF THE ORDER

Let us pray for all members and member families in need of God's healing and helping hands.



† Barbara St. Pierre
 † Joe Urban
 Msgr. Bellow (State Chaplain)
 Phyllis Selario
 Ken Kiesznowski
 Leona Smith
 John Eury
 Barbara Gioie
 Jack Mullens
 Dennis Durand
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Assembly 3158 Parishes / Mass Schedule

Please double-check Mass times as there are seasonal and other periodic changes.

Albemarle/Annunciation 416 North 2nd Street Albemarle, NC 28001-3911 (704) 982-2910	Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 9:30 AM, 12:15 PM (Hmong), 1:30 PM (Spanish)
Concord/St. James 139 Manor Avenue Southwest Concord, NC 28025-5742 (704) 720-0600	Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 8:00, 10:15, 11:30, 1:30 PM (Spanish), 5:00 PM
Kannapolis/St. Joseph 108 Saint Joseph Street Kannapolis, NC 28083-6346 (704) 932-4607	Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 8:00, 10:30, 12:30 PM (Spanish)
Salisbury/Sacred Heart 375 Lumen Christi Lane Salisbury, NC 28147 (704) 633-0591	Saturday 5:30 PM Sunday 8:00, 10:30, 12:00 PM (Spanish), 4:00 PM

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