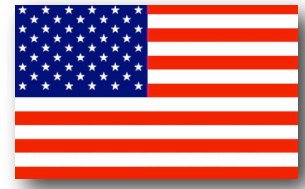




CP Herald

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The Knights of Columbus



ASSEMBLY ACTIVITIES



February 19
Business Meeting at St.
James - Gill Hall in Concord

March 14
St. Patrick's Day Parade and
Festival in Charlotte

March 19
Business meeting at St.
James - Gill Hall in Concord

April 16
Business Meeting at St.
James - Gill Hall in Concord

April 30
"4th on the 5th" Social –
Location to be announced

May 9
Honor Guard request from
OLL in Monroe for First
Communion Masses @
10:00 AM and 1:00 PM.

July 11
Honor Guard request from
Our Lady of the
Annunciation, Albemarle
@ 5:00 PM Mass. 75th
Anniversary Mass with the
Bishop.

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From the Commander

I would like to thank the Sir Knights that helped out at Saint Luke's on Sunday February 8th for Father Gay's 25th Anniversary celebration. Bishop Curlin and Father Gay appreciated the presence of the Honor Guard.

At our February 19th business meeting I would like all Sir Knights with Regalia to bring their Cape, Chapeaux, Gloves, Service Baldric and Sword. We are going to go over some of the changes in the new Color Corps Drill Manual.

If you would like to request the honor Guard for a function at your church, council or for a K of C members' wake or funeral contact me at 704/269-3158 or via e-mail at: afitzgerald1@carolina.rr.com



Navigator's Notes

Sir Knights and readers, welcome to the initial edition of the **CP HERALD** the Official Publication of the Central Piedmont Assembly 3158. I am sure you will agree with me that our editor SK Terry Sippel has put together a great format for our newsletter.

I would like to thank all the Sir Knights that have volunteered for the various committees that we have established. Additional information can be found on the Welfare Committee – Good Of The Order Committee latter in this newsletter. Future editions of the newsletter will contain information on other committees that have been established and their functions.

The great looking support materials that you will be seeing at our February 19th Business Meeting, for our Opening and Closing Ceremonies were made and donated by SK Jack Tierney and his son Patrick. Thank you to Jack and Patrick for their contributions.

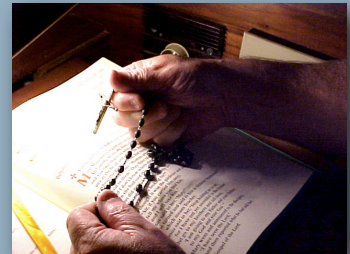
We are starting to get the typical spring requests for the Assembly Honor Guard. In addition we will be participating in the St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival in Charlotte which will be on March 14th this year. More information on these follow later in the newsletter. Assembly nametags have been ordered and may be here before our February business meeting. We will be handing out the nametags at the meeting. We will not be mailing nametags to members.

See you at the February 19th Business Meeting at Gill Hall in Concord.

Yours in **CHRIST** and **PATRIOTISM**,
SK Arthur H. Fitzgerald, Jr., FN

GOOD OF THE ORDER

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





Other News and Notes

Committees Formed

ADMISSIONS / MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The Admission Committee duty is to pass on all applications for membership in conformity with the provisions of Article IX, Section 28 of the Laws and Rules of the Fourth Degree. The Membership Committee is to encourage the increase of membership and encourage worthy Third Degree members to apply for advancement to the Fourth Degree.

We agreed to combine the above two committees as we start out.

<u>Committee Member</u>	<u>Tel; No.</u>	<u>e-mail address</u>
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WELFARE COMMITTEE – GOOD OF THE ORDER

The function of the Welfare Committee is to visit the sick of the Assembly and bring to the attention of the Assembly and editor of the newsletter any members or their family members that needs to be included in our Good Of The Order. If you have a request contact your Council representative who will forward the request on to Chairman Thomas Beckett. Thomas will present the request at the Assembly Business Meeting and coordinate with the editor to get the request into the newsletter. We will also accept request from the floor at our Business Meeting.

<u>Committee Member</u>	<u>Tel; No.</u>	<u>e-mail address</u>
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Lewis Reid – Kannapolis	704/938-4028	n/a
Greg Miller – Salisbury	704/213-6827	gregmiller@bellsouth.net



Dues

If you have not paid your Assembly 3158 - 2009 Dues of \$10.00 you should be getting a correspondence from our Faithful Comptroller, Ronald Babbitt, containing an invoice. You can bring your invoice along with your cash or check for \$ 10.00 to our February 19 Business Meeting or send it to FC Ron Babbitt whose address will be on the Invoice. Ron will have Membership Cards at the February meeting.

Assembly Newsletter

Information to be included in our newsletter should be sent to the Editor S/K Terry Sippel at twissippel@yahoo.com at least one before the scheduled Business Meeting.

Badges

At the January meeting it was voted that we would go with Red with White printing for our name tags. We are limited to 18 characters counting spaces. Officers will have their positions on their badges. Once badges are made there is no exchange or “do overs”. The next badge is on you.

Assembly Shirts/Hats - Vince Lombardo

At the meeting I will be taking orders for shirts and hats. The shirts will be exactly the same shirt we had at 2208. Be prepared to pay for your order at the meeting. You can make checks payable to me, Vince Lombardo, and I will make out one check to the vendor.

The cost of the shirts will be as follows:

Sm. To XL -----\$25.00 White or blue

XXL to XXXL---\$27.00 White or blue

4XL Blue only-\$27.00

Hats Blue or Beige—10.50

An order can be mailed with a check to:

Vince Lombardo

2323 Collins Dr.

Albemarle, NC 28001



4th on the 5th

On months that have five Thursdays, depending on the month, we will try to have a social night. Usually we try to get our members and spouses/invited guests together and to meet at a restaurant for dinner. We will rotate the restaurant selection between the four Councils. The dress code is usually casual.

Membership

We currently have 77 members on our roster!

St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival

This year the Parade and Festival will be on March 14th. The Parade will form on North Tryon Street between 9th and 11th Streets or the Hal Marshal Complex in Charlotte. It is the same location as last year except we are back to starting at 11:00 AM. Sir Knights in Regalia or Tux and Social Baldrics are encouraged to join us in representing the Fourth Degree. Once again we will have a Color Guard followed by the Honor Guard leading the Parade.

We have a lead banner that states, "Knights of Columbus"; we do not signify any one Assembly as we have members from Charlotte, Gastonia and sometimes Denver that join us.

The Festival starts at 10:00 AM and goes to 6:30 PM. Assembly 3158 will be manning one of the four beer booths as a fundraiser. We will discuss the Parade and Festival at our February Business Meeting.

Job Seekers - from Bob Grabasky, District Master

Need a Job / Need Help? - Hire Your Brother Knight!

The job web site is now ready for us. Here is all you have to do. It cannot get any easier.

To have your resume or job posted, email it to the web master at: Griley1@carolina.rr.com

SK Tom Riley will put it on the NC State Web Site. You may check the site at any time for updates.

- (1) Go to www.kofcnc.org
- (2) Go to the left side and click on Admin.
- (3) Go to the top and click on Job Search

Please use this site as it was created to help all our Brothers.



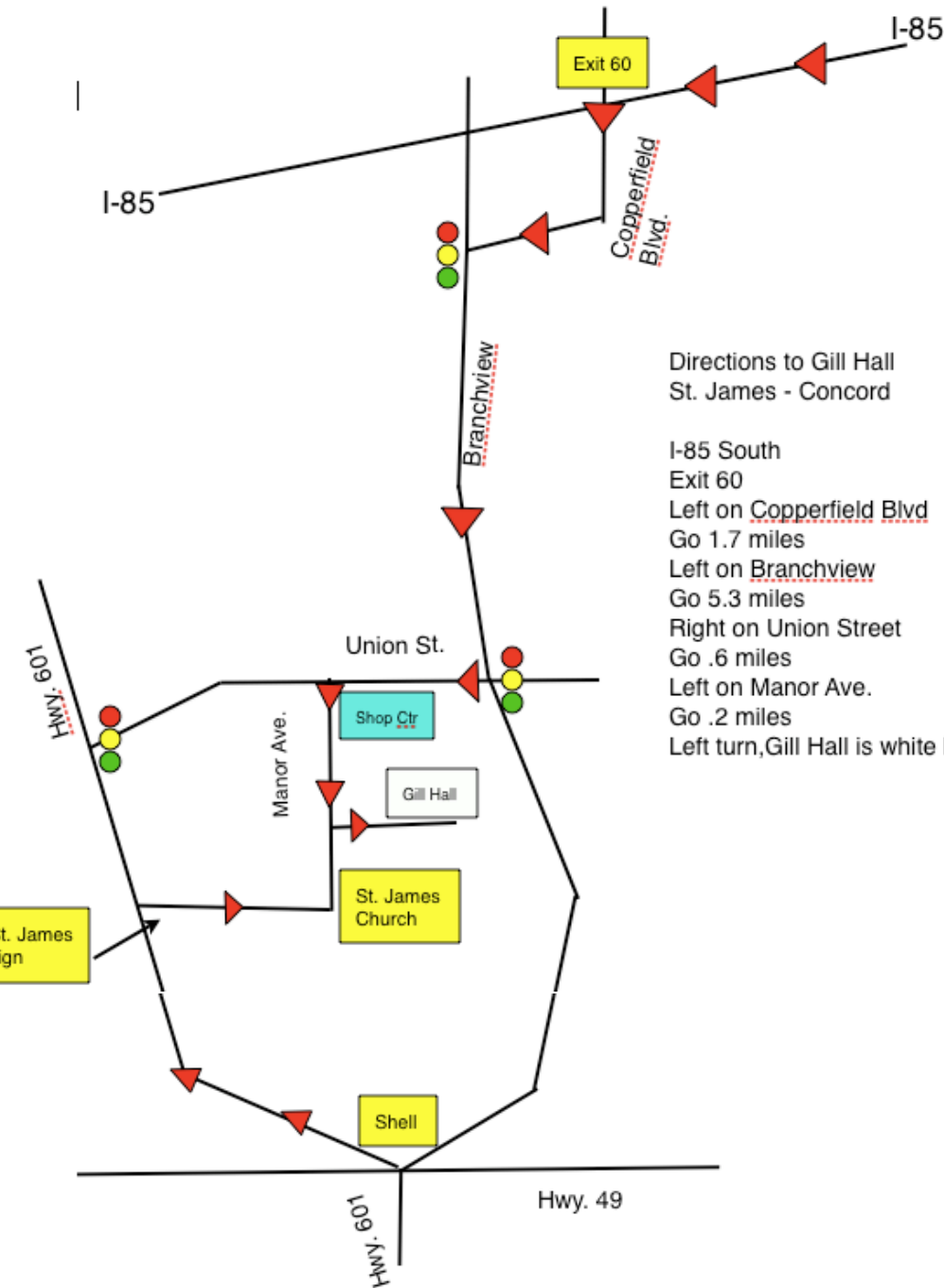
Meetings - 3rd Thursday of the month

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Directions to Gill Hall
 St. James - Concord

I-85 South
 Exit 60
 Left on Copperfield Blvd
 Go 1.7 miles
 Left on Branchview
 Go 5.3 miles
 Right on Union Street
 Go .6 miles
 Left on Manor Ave.
 Go .2 miles
 Left turn, Gill Hall is white bldg.



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