



## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

### OCTOBER

- 3 – Council Meeting  
(7:30 PM) 1<sup>st</sup> Deg.
- 4 – 4<sup>TH</sup> Degree Meeting  
(6:00 PM)
- 5-7 – LAMB Drive
- 7 – Columbus Mass
- 14 – Walk for Hunger
- 17 – Officer's Meeting  
(7:30 PM)
- 25 – Knight's Lantern  
Inputs Due

### NOVEMBER

- 6 – Election Day
- 7 – Council Meeting  
(7:30 PM)
- 8 – 4<sup>TH</sup> Degree Meeting  
(6:00 PM)
- 17 – Admirals Hockey

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**REMEMBER TO  
ALWAYS CARRY A  
FORM 100. YOU  
NEVER KNOW WHEN  
YOU MAY NEED IT.**



**Join Us**



## GRAND KNIGHT'S GREETING VIVAT JESUS!

Brothers,

It's October already and I think we are starting to gear up. We have a busy fall ahead of us with many events planned. The Knights will need your help to make these events successful.

We had a Spaghetti dinner on September 21st. Thanks to all who helped to set up, serve, cleanup and especially the wives and Catholic Daughters because without your help, Jack could not have put on such well run event. THANKS!!

Coming up, we will have a 1<sup>st</sup> Degree at our next meeting and on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup> we will be honoring our namesake Christopher Columbus. On that Sunday I would like Knights and their families to sit together during mass and hopefully we won't have enough room. After mass, we will have a social at Montero's.

John Woodard is looking for people to man a LAMB drive the first weekend in October at the new Food Lion on Halstead Blvd. Please help as much as you can!

On December 13 and 15, we will be bell ringing for the Salvation Army. Jack Ireland and John Purcell will be coordinating this event.

We are selling Christmas cards after Mass and Magnets that say Keep Christ in Christmas. A never ending Drive for the Knights.

By now you should have received a card announcing a survey from the Dioceses to gather information for a possible school at Holy Family. Please fill it out even if: you don't have children; have children; have grown children; are for the school or against it. They need everyone's input to make a decision, which will affect our parish. Please fill it out and return it as quickly as possible.

Since our last Lantern we have had two sad events brother Sonny DiGirolamo lost a Daughter and PDD Bill McCarter lost his Wife. Please keep them in your Prayers.

Fraternally yours,

*Jim J. Riley*  
**JIM RILEY**

Mary Queen of the Knights  
**PRAY FOR US**



**SICK, MEMORIAL:**

Please keep all our members and families in your prayers, especially:  
AMANDA BROWN, BRAEDEN WELCH (Lamothe), Small Olds, Hank Daidone, Joanne Dorsey, Bill Nolan, Dana Himelwright, Mike Bischoff, Fr. Bill Ruhl, Sylva Langevin, Foye McLemore, Fr Joe Klaus, Des Barclay, Mary McLemore.

**CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP  
IS FOR GROWN-UPS  
LIKE YOU!**

*Vocations Are Everybody's Business*

**Membership:**

"THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DO THINGS'  
Our recent Fraternal Survey report of more than \$143 million donated to charity and more than 68 million volunteer hours demonstrates better than any words ever could that "The Knights do things." We can be proud of this record of accomplishment. But we must do more. We must reach out to our fellow Catholic parishioners to join in our works. We must ask ASK men 18 years of age and over to join.

Fraternally,

Rob Wetzel  
Membership



**ANNUAL DUES**

Council dues are \$30. Please make an effort to return payment promptly. Please respond or get in touch with me at your earliest convenience.  
Thanks,  
John Purcell

**RECYCLE**

**ALUMINUM CANS,**  
aluminum, brass & copper  
are always accepted at  
church or call John  
Purcell. Even with  
construction at church,  
we are still active with  
our collections!

**PLEASE, keep up the good work!**

**HOSPITAL BED:** The Council has available an electric hospital bed, this can be had by anyone with such a need, please contact the Grand Knight or Financial Secretary.



This is a good program for free funds, please designate your card to the KofC 7547 or a Charity. I am willing to register any number, just pass on the info. *Thanks to all who participate.*  
John Purcell



## COLOR CORPS NEWS

The Color Corps will not be participating in the "Peanut Parade" in Edenton due to a lack of interest by the Edenton Council.

The "Flag Raising", normally held at the Camden Courthouse on the morning of November 11th will not be held this year because SK Hank Daidone, who has made all of the arrangements in previous years is unable physically to do so at this time.

We will be placing a wreath during the Memorial Service to be held at Westlawn Cemetery on Monday, November 12 th at 1:00 PM.

Vivat Jesus  
SK Frank Willsey  
Commander Color Corps

## FOURTH DEGREE NOTES

Just a reminder that the Fourth Degree Exemplification to be held on October 20<sup>th</sup> in Concord Mills, NC is fast approaching. The cost to register is \$70. Form 4's along with the Observers' names and checks to cover the same should be in by October 1, 2007. Reservations for the Banquet and the Ladies' Luncheon are due by October 13, 2007.

I would again appreciate input from the membership regarding co-sponsoring a Knights / Shriners Ball as a benefit fund raiser for sending our seriously wounded and amputee servicemen, who are in hospitals at Camp LeJeune and Fort Bragg, home for Christmas. I know this cannot be accomplished this year but could be done in the Spring for Christmas 2008.

Please remember in your prayers all of our deceased and ill Knights and their families. Particularly SK Bill McCarter who recently had heart surgery and his wife Carolyn who passed away on September 22, 2007.

Our next meeting will be on October 4<sup>th</sup> at the Albemarle Plantation Club House in Hertford. The November 1<sup>st</sup> meeting will be at the Dragon Buffet in Elizabeth City. All meetings begin with dinner at 6pm and are followed by our business meeting at 7:30pm.

VIVAT JESUS!

SK Frank Mizak

Faithful Navigator





# 2007-08 Officers

## Council 7547

Grand Knight	Jim Riley 335-0474
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Chancellor	Brian Denison 331-1927
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Recorder	John McLaughlin 330-7120
Treasurer	Don Witosky 338-5739
Advocate	PGK Frank Willsey 264-2617
Warden	Ed Pelis 338-1989
Inside Guard	Brad Gardner 330-3535
Outside Guard	John Woodard III 267-6613
Lecturer	Rick Brooks 232-2133
Trustee 1 yr.	PGK Dave McGuire 338-9619
Trustee 2 yr.	PGK Joe Lamothe 335-1242
Trustee 3 yr.	PGK Jack Ireland 336-2436

### Member birthdays

10-01 Donald Witosky  
 10-01 David Lawyer  
 10-02 John Brennan  
 10-04 Michael Hammond  
 10-06 Douglas Gardner  
 10-06 Rev William Robinson  
 10-06 Bradley Gardner  
 10-10 Donald McCabe  
 10-11 Matthew Gardner  
 10-12 John Bohne  
 10-18 Raymond Donnelly  
 10-18 Daniel Ferland  
 10-24 Francis Cuzzo  
 10-25 Richard Dempsey  
 10-26 John Lamberson  
 10-31 Victor Nwamara

### Wife Birthdays

10-01 Mary Anne Hammond  
 10-03 Dot Barber  
 10-07 Dottie Mizak  
 10-09 Lindia Leone  
 10-13 Paulette McLaughlin  
 10-14 Dottie Ireland

### Anniversaries

10-18 Michael & Patricia Kurz  
 10-31 Rev.Mr. George & Suzanne Stonikinis  
 10-27 Small & Elsie Olds  
 10-27 PGK Frank & Dottie Mizak  
 10-28 James & Pam Lucas  
 10-29 James & Carolyn Jackson  
 10-30 Terence & Angela Boyd  
 10-31 PGK Brian & Patsy Williams





# October 2007



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3 Council Mtg 7:30 PM	4 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Mtg 6:00 PM	5 LAMB Drive Begins	6 LAMB Drive
7 LAMB Drive Columbus Mass	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 WALK FOR HUNGER	15	16	17 Officer's Mtg 7:30 PM	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Knight's Lantern Input Due	26	27
28	29	30	31	Always carry a form 100!!!		



***From Your Family Director:***

Vivat Jesus:



Brothers, our next family affair is brunch at Montero's after the Columbus Day Mass on Sunday the 7<sup>th</sup> of October. Please let me know ASAP so that I can let the restaurant know just how many are coming.

Our November outing is a Norfolk Admirals Hockey game on the 17<sup>th</sup>. That's a Friday night. I have the seat layout for the Scope Arena, and will have it at the October & November meetings so that we can pick out the best seats. We need 20 or more to get a reduced price on the tickets.

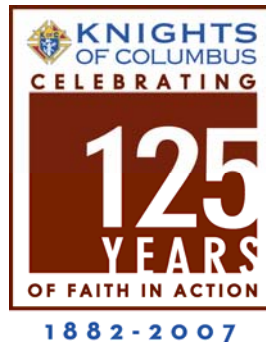
I know that we don't get many inputs from the brothers about activities but it sure would be nice to hear from you as to the type of activities that you prefer.

Fraternally,

Dave McGuire  
Family Director

On Saturday, [September 15th](#), seven brother Knights cleaned up half of our our allotted two mile stretch of the Camden Highway. On Wednesday, [September 19th](#), six Knights completed the trash pickup of the remaining portion of the road. Thanks for all who participated. Our next cleanup is scheduled for December.

Don Witosky  
Executive Vice-President  
Highway Cleanup



**COMMUNITY**

Brothers,  
Contacts with the Taranovas regarding the Walk for Hunger have been well received. They will have two teams - young CCD and older TYM students getting pledges and walking as part of their faith formation instructions. This may qualify us for a Youth activity also. I hope we will be able to get a few more Knights to get pledges and walk. If not, please sign a pledge sheet with your donation to the Albemarle Food Bank. The walk is scheduled for Sunday, [October 14](#). Registrations are at 1:00 and the Walk starts at 2:00. The place is Charles Creek Park.

Fraternally Yours,  
Frank Heath  
Community Director



**FOR MORE INFO ON THE WALK, SEE PAGE 8!**



# INSURANCE CORNER

## Roth IRAs: A Less Taxing Way to Save

Did you know that you can establish a Roth IRA through the Knights of Columbus? If you haven't set up a Roth IRA for this year, there's still time to take advantage of this great way to save for retirement.

You can now save up to \$3,000 per year, minus the amounts contributed to other IRAs. The limit is \$3,500 for people over 50. The total you can contribute also depends on your income, but you can do so regardless of whether you participate in a pension plan.

Although your contributions aren't deductible, the long-range benefits of a Roth IRA should be compared to those of a traditional IRA. For starters, many people earn too much for a traditional IRA to be a tax deduction. And with a Roth IRA you avoid the age-70 1/2 minimum distribution requirements that come with a traditional IRA.

You can establish a Roth IRA, and make your yearly contribution; up to the date you file your tax return for that year (excluding extensions). But annual contributions to a Roth IRA aren't required. All the interest you earn is federal income tax-free, provided you withdraw your funds under certain "qualified distribution" rules

If you'd like more information about Roth IRAs – or traditional IRAs - I can help. But do it soon. Saving as much as you can for retirement is always a wise move, and the earlier you start, the better.

Call me today.

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All KNIGHT'S LANTERN articles or reminders should be submitted by the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month for the following month's publication. Please submit to:

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If you would like to be added to the email distribution list, please let me know!!

Thanks!

Joe

## The Chaplain's Column



Brothers, thank you for your support of the Mission Appeal for the Archdiocese of Tororo the weekend of September 22-23, 2007. Your works of charity are evident. You can find out how your donations are being spent by clicking [www.hereintown.com/tororo](http://www.hereintown.com/tororo).

God Bless,

Father Jim



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



On October 14, 2007, rain or shine, the Food Bank of the Albemarle will hold its 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk for Hunger. Walkers will leave at 2:00 PM from Charles Creek Park in Elizabeth City and cover about 4.1 miles. The walk is the major fund raiser for the Food Bank, and they rely on the traditionally superb support and enthusiasm from our local communities, churches, businesses, organizations, and individuals to help provide the funds they need to serve the hungry in northeast North Carolina. Once again, there will be games for the children, camaraderie, “tall tale” telling, and a great lunch hosted and provided by **Montero’s**. T-shirts will be available for adult walkers who raise \$100 or more, and they will be given to elementary and high school walkers who raise \$50 or more. The Food Bank needs your support and this is your invitation to participate in Walk for Hunger 2007. Whether you participate as a walker, a team organizer, or a sponsor, your help will go a long way and make a great impact. For each dollar that is raised by the walkers and their sponsors the Food Bank is able to provide about six pounds of food. That is the equivalent of about five meals. Please circle October 14, 2007 on your calendar and dust off the walking shoes. You can download the forms from the Food Banks website, [www.afoodbank.org](http://www.afoodbank.org).



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