

Knights in Action

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Grand Knight's Report

Richard Carlson, PGK

My Brother Knights,

The January Council meeting was certainly a long one, with little accomplished. A revision to the By-Laws, changing the meeting day from Tuesday to Thursday, was passed. A motion to continue meeting in the house was also passed, which made the By-Law-revision unnecessary. The issues of the removal of the Bingo equipment and the Silent Auction of the hall's equipment were discussed at length, with no concrete resolution. In other words, it's going to be business as usual, but on a different day.

This seems like a very appropriate time for me to include Cardinal Richard Cushing's '**Prayer for Bad Times**' in this report:

"Dear God: Help me be a good sport in this game of life. I don't ask for an easy place in the lineup. Put me anywhere you need me. I only ask that I can give you 100 percent of everything I have. If all the hard drives seem to come my way, I thank you for the compliment. Help me to remember that you never send a player more trouble than he can handle.

And help me, Lord, to accept the bad breaks as part of the game. May I always play on the square, no matter what the others do. Help me study the 'Book,' so I'll know the rules.

(See Grand Knight - Page 3, Col 1)

Deacon's Corner

Rev. Mr. James McGarry

Brother Knights and Columbiettes,

I received from a priest friend and spiritual advisor who is studying the **Satan**

Movement with a breakdown on their agenda. Upon reviewing it I realized how this agenda is still very much Alive in today's world. This article stems from when the **Satan movement organizers** called a world wide convention which is happening today. They have been trying to harness all those who consider themselves far left extremists and radicals from the far right. This may sound fictitious but it is truly real.

The convention had this statement as the opening address;

"We cannot keep the Christians from going to church. We cannot keep them from reading their Bibles and knowing the truth. We cannot even keep them from their conservative values. Nevertheless, we can do something else. We can keep them from forming an intimate, abiding relationship with Christ. If they gain that connection with **Jesus**, our power over them is broken. So, let them go to church, let them have their conservative lifestyle, but steal their time, so that they cannot gain that relationship".

It was further stated how to keep them (Christians) from gaining a relationship with Christ, the following, "Keep them busy with non-essentials

(See Deacon - Page 3, Col 2)



Upcoming Events

- Feb 1st - Breakfast at OLG
- Feb 3rd - 4th Deg Mtg - Sebring
- Feb 9th - 1st Degree
- Feb 10th - Columbiette Mtg (7PM) at house on Prospect Ave.
- **Feb 12th - Council Mtg (7 PM) house on Prospect Ave. THURSDAY NIGHT !!!!!**
- Feb 21st - Divine Mercy Conference at National Shrine of Mary, Queen of the Universe church in Orlando, FL
- Feb 28th - Diocese of Venice Catholic Men's Conference at Bishop Verot High School in Fort Mevers

Vocations Are *Everybody's* Business

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNOUNCE CONTINUATION OF ACTIVITIES IN SEBRING AND AVON PARK. - Dick Carlson, GK

Pope John XXIII Council of the Knights of Columbus announces the continuation of all council activities for the coming year. There has been some confusion in the community caused by the closing of the K. of C. hall and the termination of our long running BINGO program. Many people only know the K. of C. through the BINGO program and our large hall on Route 27.

It was with a heavy heart and great regret we were forced to close the hall and consequently terminate the BINGO program. The financial burden of maintaining the building and land has proven to be too difficult to sustain. The building needs repairs and BINGO is not as profitable as it once was.

The Knights of Columbus is much more than a "brick and mortar" organization and more than a mere sponsor of BINGO games. The K. of C. is a Fraternal Order of Catholic Men, loyal to Holy Mother Church and dedicated to the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. It is international in scope and by far the largest organization of Catholic men in the world.

The Pope John XXIII council has been in Sebring since the early 1960s and the hall was built in 1972. Since that time, the council has contributed many thousands of dollars, earned through its very successful BINGO program and has given generously to many charities in A von Park, Sebring, Highlands County and elsewhere. These charities include but are not limited to :

Association for Retarded Citizens, Gabriel Project, Veterans Organizations, College Scholarships, Red Cross, New Testament Mission, Hig.1.lands County Health Dept., Civil Air Patrol, Covenant House and several Hurricane Relief Drives.

The hall has been used, free of charge, by the County Health Dept., Civil Air Patrol, Scouts, Santa Claus and other community service organizations.

Charity is the First Principle of our order. It has always been and always will be.

God willing, our council will continue in the full spirit of Columbianism. As evidence, the council recently sponsored a visit of Santa to the Boys and Girls Club in A von Park and provided many gifts for disadvantaged children. Preparations are being made for the annual Fund Drive for the Mentally Disadvantaged. This is a long standing charity the Knights of Columbus has supported nationwide as well as in Highlands County.

We thank the community, with all our hearts, for their unflinching support of our good works. With God, all things are possible and Pope John XXIII council will continue to do God's work on Earth. Please stay tuned.

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Finally, God, if the natural turn of events goes against me and I'm benched for sickness or old age, help me to accept that as part of the game too. Keep me from whimpering that I was framed or that I got a raw deal. And when I finish the final inning, I ask for no laurels. All I want is to believe in my heart that I played as well as I could, and that I didn't let you down."

Please take it to heart and know that God is always there to help us.

Dick

Veterans Corner

Mike Basile, Veterans Chairman

The Veterans Council is hosting its third annual Military Ball on Saturday, March 7th at the Elks Lodge in Sebring. The menu includes roast beef & turkey, twice-baked potato, corn, salad, coffee and tea, and desserts. The tickets are \$30.00 dollars per person. There will be door prizes and a 25-25-50 raffle, a silent auction. Dress for the evening is formal, semi-formal or military uniform (if it still fits).



We are also conducting a drawing for a trip to the Ashville North Carolina Biltmore estate. Tickets are \$10.00 each. Please consider supporting these two major fund raisers, as they are the primary source of our annual funding.

This our only fund raiser of the year. Please help! You will enjoy the evening. Formal or Semiformal or Military uniform. For additional information call Mike 382-4550.

The new Veteran's Service Office is under construction - expected to be completed Memorial Day.

Mike

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of life. Invent schemes to occupy their time. What follows is their guidelines;

- Tempt them to spend, spend, then borrow, borrow, borrow. Convince their wives to go to work for long hours, 10-12 hours a day, so they can afford their lifestyles. Keep them from spending time with their children. As their family fragments, soon their homes will offer no escape from the pressures of work. Also;
- Super-stimulate their minds with demoralizing material so that they cannot hear that "*still small voice*," of their conscience.
- Entice them to play the radio or cassette player whenever they drive, and to keep the TV, VCR, CD/DVD players and PCs going constantly in their homes.
- See to it that every store and restaurant in the world is blaring secular music constantly. This will jam their minds and break that union with **Jesus Christ**.
- Fill their coffee tables with secular magazines and news papers.
- Pound their minds with the news, 24 hours a day.
- Invade their driving moments with billboards.
- Flood their mailboxes with junk mail, sweepstakes, mail order catalogs, and every kind of newsletter and promotional offering, free products, services, and false hopes.
- In their recreation, let them be excessive. Have them return from their recreation exhausted, disquieted, and unprepared for the coming week.
- Do not let them go out in nature to reflect on *God's* wonders.

Send them to amusement parks, sporting events, concerts, and movies instead.

- When they meet for spiritual fellowship, involve them in gossip and small talk so that they leave with troubled consciences and unsettled emotion.
- Let them be involved in soul-winning, but crowd their lives with so many good causes they have no time to seek power from **Christ in prayer**. Soon they will be working only with their own strength, sacrificing their health and family and their relationship with **Christ** for the good of the cause.

Many things to think about as we prepare for Lent !

Blessings Deacon Jim

Bowling Tournament

Jack McLaughlin, Program Director

The 56th Annual Florida State Bowling Tournament will be hosted by Dr. Lawrence J. O'Rourke Council 4726. The bowling tournament will be held at Orange Lanes and AMF Lanes in Lakeland. FL the weekend of 18-19 April 2009.

The tournament events are: Team, Singles, Doubles, and All Events. The total registration fee is \$58.00, with an entry deadline of Wednesday, April 1, 2009. For additional information, contact Jim Read at (863) 442-1959 or by Email at jhread122845@yahoo.com. Additional information is also available on the Florida State Council website (www.floridastatecouncil.com).



God Bless America

Columbiettes

Marie Carlson, President

Dear Sister Columbiettes,

Our December meeting was well attended at St. Catherine's Music Center. Since the closing of the hall, we need more than ever to support our Columbiettes.



On December 14, there was a Corporate Communion at St. Catherine's 10:30 Mass. Thank you to all the Knights and Columbiettes who came to support our organization, and receive Communion together.

The Knights and Columbiettes sponsored a surprise Christmas party on December 19th. It was held at the Boys & Girls Club of Avon Park. There were approximately 80 children who visited Santa, received gifts from Red Hatters, with the food provided by our Columbiettes. Ed Cronin (Santa) and his lovely wife, Diane (Mrs. Claus), did an exceptional job. "Santa" took time with each child, asking if they has been good, if and how they helped their moms, and what they wanted for Christmas. He also asked the children to be sure and tell their moms what they wanted because Santa always checks with moms before bringing gifts. The children just loved their surprise party and their gifts! For some of them, it would be the only gifts they would receive. My Tanglette Red Hatters donated gifts for the second year in a row to poor and needy children. The Boys & Girls Club takes care of these children every day after school. Homework has to be completed before they are allowed to do anything else. Thanks to all these good folks who work daily with these children and who helped us at the party. The children were polite and well behaved. It took two hours for all of them to talk with Santa and receive their gifts. After that, they all enjoyed the delicious food provided by our

Columbiette ladies. We felt very blessed to be a part of this.

A lovely Christmas dinner was held at the Elks for all Knights and Columbiettes on the evening of December 19th. For those who came, it was a real nice meal and a delightful time of fellowship. It was so nice to be waited on and have delicious food that we did not have to prepare or clean up after! As long as we don't have our own hall, this certainly could become a Christmas tradition.

Rita Harrington, our Sister Columbiette, lost her husband, William, on December 24th. There was a memorial service held at Dowden Funeral Home by Father Gerald Grogan. We send Rita our deepest condolences. May Jesus hold you and your family in the palm of His Hand, comforting you in your sorrow.

On January 4th, we had our monthly breakfast at Our Lady of Grace. The Knights and Columbiettes work hard to accomplish this. Thanks to all of you who are so faithful and giving of yourselves to labor and bring this to fruition. We served approximately 320 people this month!

May all my ladies have a blessed, happy, healthy, and holy New Year. I ask the Blessed Mother, St. Theresa, St. Joan of Arc, and Venerable Fr. Michael McGivney to bless and guide us every day.

Marie

Good of the Order

Remember in your prayers and thoughts Deacon Max & Gladys Severe, Rudy Cecere, Raymond Whitlatch, and Jim Hollywood.

Remember our Brother Knights, Columbiettes and their spouses in need of prayers and our military men and women who are serving in harms way protecting your freedom.

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Pope John XXIII Council Sponsors Santa Claus visit to the Boys & Girls Club in Avon Park

Ed Cronin, (aka Santa Claus)

Our council arranged to bring Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus to visit the children at the Avon Park Boys and Girls Club on December



19,2008. The surprise visit was made possible with the help of Wally Randall, Executive Director of the Highlands County Boys and Girls Clubs and his assistant Anthony Connor. Grand Knight Dick Carlson and Marie Carlson, President of the Columbiettes, assisted in the arrangements and served sandwiches, cookies and snacks to the children. All the food was made and donated by the Columbiettes.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus (aka Ed and Diane Cronin) found all the boys and girls on their best behavior and all claimed to be perfect or near perfect the whole year. Santa was very pleased to learn all students were doing "good" or "fine" in their school work.

Each child received a stuffed Santa doll or a teddy bear from the K. of C. Marie Carlson and the Red Hat Ladies group at Tanglewood (Tangletts) provided Christmas gifts for many of the children. Some of the boys and girls submitted Wish Lists prior to Christmas and the Tangletts did their best to satisfy those requests. (No ponies were supplied) All presents were beautifully wrapped and the children were very pleased.

This act of Charity and community service is in keeping with the finest traditions of the Knights of Columbus and our council. We have sponsored visits of Santa Claus to children and provided them with gifts for many years. This is the first time we have held the Children's

Christmas Party outside of the council's hall. It proves we can continue to function as a vibrant, successful council without the hall. The Knights of Columbus is not merely a "brick and mortar" organization. As you know, it is a Catholic men's Fraternal Order, loyal to Holy Mother Church, and dedicated to the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. Where else can Catholic men help bring Christ into the world as well as they can through the Knights of Columbus?

There is a degree of discontent in the council over the loss of the council hall.

GET OVER IT ! Christ lives and He looks to us to bring Him into the world. Offer to help the council - call Grand Knight or Deputy GK. The title of this publication is "Knights in Action". Prove It !

Ed

Insurance Corner

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic men's fraternal organization with insurance programs only available to members!

Do you insure the goose that laid the golden eggs or the eggs?

Most of us insure our "stuff" but not ourselves. You have homeowners and car insurance but not life and long term care insurance. But if you look at the odds, you realize that stuff comes and goes but our life and health is most important. 100% of us will die. 50% will end up in a nursing home. .5% will have a car accident. .1% will collect on our homeowner's policy. You are the goose and when you die, you stop producing golden eggs "income". Before you die, you may cost your spouse and kids \$150,000 in nursing home expenses. Insure yourself first and for larger amounts than you think. Call brother knight Mike McDonough 941-228-5656. Retirement annuities also available.

A Time for Change

Don Sliwicki, FDD

We have all heard the word "change" used extensively during the past couple of months. Now it appears that it applies to us. I believe most of you are aware of the fact that the council has canceled Bingo and closed the hall because revenue could not keep up with expenses.

We also own the house behind the council hall on Prospect Avenue, which we've used as office space for the Council, Fourth Degree and Columbiettes. At the present time it is also being used for meetings, but is not adequate, due to the building's configuration and space.

The Pastors of both Our Lady Of Grace in Avon Park and St. Catherine's have offered us space to conduct meetings in their parishes, but the meetings would have to be on Thursdays. We voted to change the By-Laws to move the monthly council meetings to Thursday at our January 13th business meeting, but could not come to a consensus as to a location for next month's meeting. It seems members closer to St. Catherine's are reluctant to travel to Our Lady Of Grace for a meeting and vice versa. As a result the next meeting will again be held in administrative office building on Prospect Ave.

Since both Pastors are receptive to having a Council in their parishes, the District Deputy and the Florida State Council are pursuing instituting a new council at Our Lady of Grace. This will take some time as stated by the District Deputy at the January meeting.

At this time we would like to get a feel for how many of our members want to transfer to a newly formed Council in Avon Park at Our Lady Of Grace, or would stay at Pope John



XXIII at St. Catherine's in Sebring. Father Nick has agreed to include the news of a new council being formed in the church bulletin, which would be followed by a recruitment drive for new members in the near future. It takes 30 members to form a council, so we assume that we would need more than whatever new members we could recruit.

Please fill out the questionnaire below to indicate which of the two council's you would likely join: Pope John XXIII at St. Catherine's or a new council at Our Lady of Grace. This form is non-binding and will only be used for the council officers to get a feel for how a two-council plan would breakout.

The questionnaire may be sent by mail, email or telephone to:

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***Don Sliwicki, FDD
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Navigator's Report

Jack McLaughlin, Faithful Navigator

Our next meeting will be on February 3rd in the administrative office building of Sebring Council 5441 at 7PM. The building is located directly behind the hall on Prospect Ave. Park in the council lot and go along the right side of the building and enter through the open garage side door.

The next Exemplification will be held at the Marriott hotel located at Tampa International Airport the weekend of April 3rd & 4th. Any Knight who has been a member for 6 months and is currently a 3rd Degree member is eligible to take the 4th Degree. If you are interested please let me know as soon as possible.

Candidates and Sir Knights dress for the Exemplification will be:

- Black Tuxedo, Plain White Tuxedo Pleated Shirt (with lay down collar - NO wing tips allowed), Black Bow Tie, Black Socks, Black Shoes, and Black Cummerbund.
- Members of the Armed Forces may wear their full dress uniform instead of the Black Tuxedo, but no K of C Jewels.

Dress for the banquet will be formal wear with the ladies wearing evening dress suitable for the occasion.

No Banquet or Ladies Luncheon tickets will be sold at the door or after the cut-off date of March 6th, 2009.

Hotel Rates:

- The room rates are \$112.00 plus tax, per night
- The hotel is located in the Tampa Airport, Tampa FL.
- Reservations can be made by telephone at (800) 564-3440. You must mention they are with the Knights of Columbus for this rate.
- Cut Off Date for Room Reservations – March 6th, 2009

The Exemplification will take place on Saturday morning, April 4th, and you could make it a one-day trip, but you would need to be there before 8 AM. Complete information and schedules are listed under Fourth Degree at the Florida State Council website (<http://floridastatecouncil.com>). I have an Email from Vince Federico, the Aide to the Master with additional websites that contain detailed information. If any candidate or member would like this information send an email to jack.mclaughlin@embarqmail.com.

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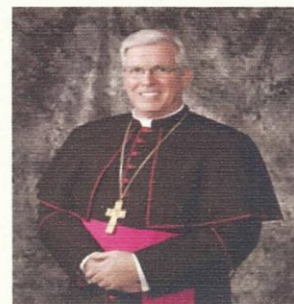
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My Brother Knights,

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Vivat Jesus!

+ Frank J. Dewane

Bishop of the Diocese of Venice in Florida



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