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CALENDAR

June 2009

- 2 – Council Meeting, SJB Parish P.A.C. Room, 7:00 PM, a first degree is planned.
- 10 – Holy Hour for Vocations 5:00 PM, St. Clement Parish, 522 York Avenue Sheboygan.
- 13 – Council serves at Sargento Employee Picnic.
- 17 – Assembly Meeting, 6:00 PM, social hour and dinner meeting to follow, Sheboygan K.C. Center.
- 17 – Council hosts a picnic for retired Notre Dame Nuns in Mount Calvary.
- 28 – Celebration Sunday at SJB after all Masses at SJB and St. Thomas Aquinas, SJB Grounds.

July 2009

- 9 – Council Meeting, SJB Parish P.A.C. Room 5:30 PM installation of Officers followed by pot-luck dinner in cafeteria. Bring your favorite dish or dessert. Meat Entrée will be provided.
- 8 – Holy Hour for Vocations 5:00 PM, St. Clement Parish, 522 York Avenue, Sheboygan.
- 22 – 4th Degree Assembly No Meeting

Congratulations to our Chaplain – Council wishes to congratulate our Chaplain, the Very Reverend Dennis Van Beek, on celebrating the 40th anniversary of his ordination. We appreciate your service to the Knights and to Saint John the Baptist and Saint Thomas Aquinas Parishes.

Our Lady's Message of May 2009 - "Dear Children! In this time, I call you all to pray for the coming of the Holy Spirit upon every baptized creature, so that the Holy Spirit may renew you all and lead you on the way of witnessing your faith – you and all those who are far from God and His love. I am with you and intercede for you before the Most High. Thank you for having responded to my call."

Thought for the Month – Start by doing what's necessary, then what's possible and suddenly you are doing the impossible.

– Francis of Assisi

Officer Elections – Many thanks to our outgoing officers for their past service and welcome to our new officer's for the 2009-2010 fraternal year:

Grand Knight – Francis Kohlmann;
Deputy Grand Knight – William Rusch;
Chancellor – Dennis Gruenke;
Advocate – John Pfankuch;
Recorder – John Daul;
Treasurer – Richard Burbach;
Warden – Wayne Keyes;
Inside Guard – Allen Arndt;
Outside Guard – Cornelius VandePas;
Trustee 1st Year – Harold Meyer;
Trustee 2nd Year – DeWayne Gideon;
Trustee 3rd Year – Norm Halloran;
Financial Secretary – Bill Hand;
Lecturer – James Faller.

Sargento Picnic – Fourteen volunteers are needed to serve at the Sargento Employee Picnic on June 13th from 10:15 to 5:00. Call Bill Hand if you can assist.

Notre Dame Nuns Picnic – Council will host a picnic for retired Notre Dame Nuns in Mount Calvary from 3:00 – 6:00 on June 17th. Call Gerry Brunner to volunteer. This is a fun time for all.

Celebration Sunday June 28th – Volunteers (4-6) needed from 7:30 – 2:00 to cook and serve at Faith in Our Future Campaign picnic at SBJ. Call Terry Evans at 892-2243 if you wish to volunteer.

Fraternal – Keep in your prayers, Jim Anhalt, Joanne Arndt, Bob Brigham, Aaron Greisen, Francis Kohlmann, Frank Kozlowski, Harold and Betty Lehmann, Bryan Smith's son Ben, Brian Rammel, Ron Stehpanie, Gerry Brunner's Aunt, Leonard and Larry, friends of Jim Faller and special intention of DeWayne Gideon. Also, remember all of our Brothers who have died.

Knights Activism – We hope that we didn't inconvenience anyone by rescheduling our June meeting to Wednesday night so that Members could voice their opinion at the Town of Plymouth meeting. Public opinion does work. Over two hundred turned out to protest the request by a local restaurant for a "Gentlemen's Club". The request was withdrawn.

Membership Degrees – Brothers, put on your recruiting hats. Remember that membership is the lifeblood of our Council.

Rocky Knoll – Help is still needed on the 4th Sunday of each month to assist residents at Rocky Knoll to attend 10:00 AM Mass at their facility. Please contact Harold Meyer at 892-8176 if you can help.

Annual Dues – If you have forgotten to pay your annual Council dues, please, do so ASAP. Membership is the lifeblood of our Council. If you have moved or are planning to move, please notify our Financial Secretary, Bill Hand.

Pro-Life – As Knights of Columbus we believe that life begins at conception and ends with natural death. Make Congress aware of your pro-life positions.

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