



# The Knightly News

Council 10362  
September 2007 Edition

## Recognition Mass Scheduled for Alter Servers

Brother Knights,

Council 10362 is hosting a special Recognition Mass for all Transfiguration Alter Servers at the 5:00 mass on Saturday, Oct 6th. (That's next weekend!) with a 4th degree honor guard in attendance. A pizza and ice cream social for the alter servers and their families will follow the mass in Bishop Hall. Recognition certificates will be handed out to all the alter servers in attendance.

All Knights are strongly encouraged to attend the mass and social. We need 8-10 Knights to server pizza and ice cream in Bishop Hall. Please contact Justin Randall (770-591-1851 or [jrand916@bellsouth.net](mailto:jrand916@bellsouth.net)) to volunteer a few minutes of your time for this worthy event and show your support for our Alter Servers.

Vivat Jesus!

Justin Randall

## Council Soccer Challenge

Brother Knights and Volunteers,

On Sunday, September 23, 2007 Council 10362 held our first ever Soccer Challenge. Although the numbers were low, there was fun time had by all that attended. Most importantly, all of the children that participated had lots of fun. We have planted a seed for future Soccer Challenges. I am in the process of creating a PowerPoint that reports the good things from the event and the things we need to improve on. In addition, I will be placing in the slideshow pictures from the Challenge. I would like to present this 5 minute slide show to our council, so everyone is aware of what we accomplished.

Lastly, I would like to thank everyone that assisted in bringing this event together. Volunteers included brother Knights, the Ladies Auxiliary, and teens from ChrisTeen.

Well done and God Bless.

Peter Manson

## A Day & Time to Remember

by

Dan Carfang

There was a somber, reverent tone that prevailed during our Council meeting on this second Tuesday of September....Sept. 11th, six years after the horrific, terrorist attacks on our American soil, as we watched, prayed, cried & mourned, in shock & anger, as the twin towers of our World Trade Center came crashing down...! A day and time we will never forget and yet, should always remember, that despite the evil & hate that manifested itself on that day six years ago, God was still with us, giving us comfort & hope that we will never be denied our freedom, faith, peace & pursuit of happiness...!

In keeping with Supreme Council's 2004 resolution to observe September 11th, each year, as a World Day of Prayer for Peace, and remember those who have died and continue to serve to protect our freedom and keep us from harm, we took time during our Council meeting to reflect, as we viewed the Heroes Fund video and closed the meeting with the following Prayer for Peace...

With you, O Mother of the Redeemer, may the hymn of the humble and the poor rise to almighty God: may He, the merciful one, bring peace to earth, reconcile brothers at enmity, confound Cain, make Abel rise again; may He bring all of creation to the design He had at the beginning in love of the Son, in the grace of the Holy Spirit. Amen

\* Pope John Paul II

Please continue to pray for peace..."and let it begin with me"!

Vivat Jesus,

Dan

## **It's time to get (Tootsie) rolling again!**

My Brother Knights and Ladies Auxiliary,

It is that time of year again. We will be handing out Tootsie Rolls and collecting donations after all masses during the month of October.

For those of you that are not familiar with the drive or are new, it is very easy work. Those of you that are familiar know that all we do is stand outside of the church after mass and give Tootsie Rolls away. The parishioners are not required to give us anything, however, most will.

We had an awesome year last year, collecting over \$3,000 for the benefit of those with mental and physical handicaps. It is the core of what we do and exemplifies our first order of Charity. The work is easy and the rewards are great.

We will need coverage after all masses (yes, even the 2pm for those that can speak Spanish), so please check your calendars and sign up early and often. I will bring sign up sheets to our next meeting on September 11th. I will also make sheets available to the Ladies Auxiliary, who were a tremendous help last year.

We will need on average 12 people for each mass (4 courtyard, 2 library, 2 back door and 4 Bishop Hall) to maximize our efforts.

Please, please, please prayerfully consider which mass(es) you will be able to help with and sign up during our meeting on the 11th. Sign your Lady up to work with you and have fun!

This is one of our most important responsibilities each year that needs to be taken very seriously, I believe we can do better than last year and look forward to the challenge.

For those of you that won't be at the next meeting, feel free to email me at gmb1124@bellsouth.net and let me know what masses you can work. It only takes about 20 to 30 minutes at most after mass. I will also be needing a "Captain" or responsible Knight/Lady that will volunteer to collect all the money and put everything out before and away after each mass.

Thanks in advance for your help and I look forward to an incredible drive!

Vivat Jesus and God Bless,

Gary Buck

## **The Ladies Stay Busy**

By Pat Kirn

We are taking off with a running start this year.

We have already been Welcome Ministers, and helped the K of C with the Parrot Heads, the Seminarian Dinners and the upcoming Soccer Challenge.

We are still selling License Plates and another big project this year will be our Ladies Cookbook sales. Think of this as a gift to someone special, we expect sales to be great, so plan ahead. These profits will be going to Sponsor a Seminarian, and the Monsignor's Family Assistance.

Our Socials, dues and Fish Fry dessert sales this year will bring in money to support several charities. We have decided several of these charities to be, Habitat for Humanity, Rosary Making, St. Vincent de Paul, and Pancreatic Cancer.

We always have something going on to help out anyone in need.

We have a very active prayer email and a fantastic Sunshine Lady who sends out cards and Mass cards to those in need.

This year we have an annual commitment to sponsor a child in Haiti, give to Chris Teen, and support a Thanksgiving and Christmas family in need.

We do Coffee after Mass once a month and our Rosary making is an on going project. We have made rosaries for all the new Communicants, and sent rosaries to Haiti and soldiers in Iraq.

We are a terrific fun filled organization, who openly give to those in need and readily help those who ask. We have grown by leaps and bounds as Ladies and as a group in only 4 years since our inception.

It is a pleasure to serve this Catholic Christian Community.

Pat Kirn

## **American Colonial History: Not Catholic Friendly? The Penal Age: 1645-1763**

Evidence of anti-Catholic attitude can be found in laws passed by colonial legislatures, sermons preached by colonial ministers, and various books and pamphlets published in the colonies or imported from England. (8) For example, even though no Catholic was known to have lived in Massachusetts Bay in the first 20 years or more of the colony's life, this did not deter the Puritan government from enacting an anti-priest law in May of 1647, which threatened with death "all and every Jesuit, seminary priest, missionary or other spiritual or ecclesiastical person made or ordained by

any authority, power or jurisdiction, derived, challenged or pretended, from the Pope or See of Rome."

When Georgia, the thirteenth colony, was brought into being in 1732 by a charter granted by King George II, its guarantee of religious freedom followed the fixed pattern: full religious freedom was promised to all future settlers of the colony "except papists," that is Catholics. (10)

Even Rhode Island, famous for its supposed policy of religious toleration, inserted an anti-Catholic statute imposing civil restrictions on Catholics in the colony's first published code of laws in 1719. Not until 1783 was the act revoked. (11)

To have an idea of how this prejudice against Roman Catholics was impressed even among the young, consider these "John Rogers Verses" from the New England Primer: "Abhor that arrant whore of Rome and all her blasphemies; Drink not of her cursed cup; Obey not her decrees." This age of penal restriction against Catholics in the colonies lasted until after the American Revolution.

Someone recalling a lesson from his Catholic history classes might pose the objection: But what about the exceptions to this rule, that is, the three colonial states of Maryland, New York, and Pennsylvania, where tolerance for Catholics existed in the colonial period? Once again, this impression comes from a very optimistic and liberal writing of History rather than the concrete reality.

From an Article by Marian T. Horvat, Ph.D

Submitted by Al Heflin, Your Friendly Historian

## For the good of the order

Please keep Dom & Judy Saulino in your prayers. Their niece was killed recently in a car accident.

At 12:47pm on September 26<sup>th</sup>, Mr. Jonathan Andrew Shillinglaw was born at a healthy 7lbs, 6oz, 20in long with a head full of light brown hair. Both APGAR scores were >9 of 10. The family and the Council want to thank all the Brothers and Ladies who helped and prayed to welcome this little guy into the world and our Council family.

**[Editor's note:** Many of you know that I fractured my wrist and a couple of ribs two weeks ago. I have a full arm cast which made typing this newsletter more fun than usual. But it made me realize how my temporary cast and mild pain makes everything more inconvenient and difficult. Then I realized that many of our military come home in much worse

shape - and much more permanently! So I ask you all to give a prayer for all these brave men and women.

On a not so somber note, I received the following link with attribute to those in uniform. I hope you take time to watch and appreciate it- and them!

<http://www.iwo.com/heroes.htm>

- Ken]

## Transfiguration CareerCare Ministry

Supports:

- Job Seeker Workshops/Networking meetings on Monday evenings 7-9 PM
- Industry Guide Program - network with a volunteer of your choice by Industry & Company.
- Daily Job Distribution – I receive 20-30 jobs daily from companies, agencies, other job networking groups, Department of Labor/Veterans from all over Metro Atlanta. I send them to the people who come through the Monday night meetings. Also, if they are a Georgia job they are formatted and put on the Church Online Job Board
- Spiritual Support
- Check our Web site – <http://www.transfiguration.com/ministry.careercare.htm> for links to –
  - The Online Jobs Board-Supporting jobs from Marta, the Archdiocese of Atlanta, Parishioners, and regular jobs.
  - Job Seeker Resources.
  - Event Schedule and Workshop descriptions.
  - Web Sites for Saint Catherine's of Sienna, Saint Anne's, Gödel (Job Seekers Bible) and others.

Our next meetings:

Monday, October 1, 15, 22

MARKETING PLAN – Identify the elements, source, construct and model.

HOW TO SELECT YOUR OWN RECRUITER – How to evaluate, communicate, and motivate your recruiters.

THE INTERNET! – How the Internet can help you get your job! How the Internet can be used as a Job Search tool and a research tool to locate information on available job openings.

PREPARING AND EVALUATING YOUR RESUME - Bring A Copy! What types of resumes work best for different backgrounds and jobs? Have your resume reviewed and critiqued.

SELLING YOURSELF & POWER CALLING! – Improving Your Sales Skills! Learn how to develop an

effective elevator speech. Learn how to script your calls to get results. Your keys to success.

INDUSTRY GUIDE – Volunteers who are available to help you in your job search, network with you in your Industry – Company.

CareerCare supports ALL those who are in career transition either through unemployment, misemployment, or a desire to change their present situation. Contact: mike@lang.net or 678-642-3727 (C) for information.

CareerCare Ministry Web Site:  
[http://www.transfiguration.com/ministry\\_careercare.htm](http://www.transfiguration.com/ministry_careercare.htm)

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often as possible!**



## Some more church signs:

- \* If you pause to think-- You'll have cause to thank!
- \* As sure as God puts his children in the furnace, He will be in the furnace with them.
- \* God won't be looking for your medals, degrees or diplomas-- He'll be looking for your scars.
- \* Give God what's right--, not what's left!
- \* When you get tired talking to your friend about God--, talk to God about your friend.
- \* It's hard to stumble when you're on your knees.
- \* "Will the road you're on get you to my place?"  
....God
- \* 'Pray' is a four letter word that you can say anywhere (except in a public school).
- \* Make your eternal reservations now--- 'smoking' or 'non-smoking'?
- \* Jesus built us a bridge, with 2 boards and 3 nails.
- \* Count your blessings! Recounts are OK---
- \* Don't be God's weakest link!

## Permanent Reminders

**Council meetings** are held at 7:30 on the second and fourth Tuesday of every month.

The Knights are responsible for **donut sales** at all morning masses on the **third Sunday** of each month. Please help us out.

**The Knightly News** is published monthly by Ken Sadeckas. Please e-mail any and all news to him at [ken\\_sadeckas@yahoo.com](mailto:ken_sadeckas@yahoo.com) or call him at 770-977-8957. Submission deadline is the Friday after the first meeting of the month.

## State Council Website

You can access the Georgia State Council's website at following link. <http://www.kofcgastate.org/> The site contains a lot of good information – directories, degree dates, other upcoming events, and more

## Council 10362 2007-2008 Officers

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## Council 10362 Yahoo e-mail Group

As most of you know, we have set up a group message address in Yahoo.com. This allows us all to send messages to all of our Brother Knights by addressing your e-mail to a single address. You don't have to maintain all the separate e-mail addresses; the group will manage that for you.

If you do not think you are in the group (because you only get the newsletter and no other Knight's e-mail) or you know of a Brother Knight who is not in the group, here are the instructions to join:

To get set up, send a blank e-mail to [KC10362-subscribe@yahoogroups.com](mailto:KC10362-subscribe@yahoogroups.com) (if after a week or so, you do not receive acknowledgement, check to see if **your** e-mail server has sent the KC10362 e-mail to its spam folder (some programs do this automatically for e-mail from groups) and then tell your e-mail that KC10362 does not send spam.

To send a message, address it to:  
[KC10362@yahoogroups.com](mailto:KC10362@yahoogroups.com)

To leave the group, send a blank e-mail to: [KC10362-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com](mailto:KC10362-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com)

Only members of our Council will be allowed to join and send messages to the Group. Contact Bob Sheehan at [rjsheehan@comcast.net](mailto:rjsheehan@comcast.net). if you have any questions. He will NOT accept a blank email. Please give your name. He will check with Bill Colclasure if he don't recognize the name or they can send me an email at and I will set it up.

## Did you know a Brother Knight (or his Lady) can help you....

As a Brotherhood of Catholic gentlemen we need to help each other out when we can, so if one of us needs a plumber, lawyer, accountant, etc., we ought to see if one of our Brothers can help us out before we hire some stranger out of the Yellow Pages.

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