



# MOUNTAIN NEWS

CHRIST ON THE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL 7640  
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March 06

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## WHEN, WHAT, WHERE

### Mark your Calendars

#### March

- 9<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm Rosary and Council Business Meeting  
13922 W. Utah Ave.
- 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm Lenten Fish Fry, COTM church basement
- 17<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm Lenten Fish Fry, COTM church basement
- 18<sup>th</sup> 7:30am Rosary for Life, E.20th Ave. at Vine St
- 19<sup>th</sup> 12:00pm 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification, St Louis Church,  
Englewood
- 21<sup>st</sup> Precinct Caucus meetings
- 23<sup>rd</sup> 7:00pm K of C Social, COTM church basement
- 24<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm Lenten Fish Fry, COTM church basement
- 31<sup>st</sup> 5:00pm Lenten Fish Fry, COTM church basement

#### April

- 6<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm Mountain News Deadline.
- 7<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm Lenten Fish Fry, COOTM church basement
- 13<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm Rosary and Council Business Meeting  
13922 W. Utah Ave.
- 14<sup>th</sup> Good Friday
- 16<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday

## REPORTS AND MEETINGS

### The Grand Knight's Report

By Ken Krug, Grand Knight

As we come into another Lenten Season and prepare to celebrate the Death and Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. We also prepare for another season of our own, the Fish Fry season. It is a good time to be a Knight. Not because of the work, but because we come together and work together. Unfortunately, I will not be able to be there with you for at least the first couple of dinners, since I am needed by my wife back in New Jersey, since she still cannot drive. But, I believe JR White has it all under control and I trust you will be as helpful to him as you were to me last year. This is our yearly chance to show the Parish just what the Knights are all about.

The Fish Fries are a parish tradition and a Knights tradition. But, they are also a unique opportunity to share both a meal and some time with others in the parish. With our busy lives we don't often get this kind of time to sit and talk with one another. These dinners are a very important community event in our parish. I still believe we should continue to run them as First Friday events throughout the year.

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I also think we need to have some social time together as Knights. So, I will again try to have a social meeting on Thursday March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00pm in the lower lounge. Please come and join in for some beer and sandwiches and a social hour. We can talk more about our upcoming events and just socialize.

The State Convention is also coming up early in April and Ken Riedel and I will be representing our council at the convention. As always if you have any concerns or ideas or comments please e-mail me at [JKKrugSr@alo.com](mailto:JKKrugSr@alo.com) or call me at home (303-989-8090) in Colorado or (856-782-1872) in New Jersey

Thanks Ken Krug

### **FAMILY AND KNIGHT OF THE MONTH**

By Mike Delp, Family and Knight of the Month Chairman

#### **March 06**

- Knight of the Month – Don Ferega
- Family of the Month – Greg & Ginger Brinkhaus

### **It is Time To Pray**

Prayers are welcome for:

The monthly intentions of Pope Benedict XVI,  
Our Service Personnel serving our nation in countries around the World,  
Ending abortion.

*Please submit names to be included in this item of the News Letter via e-mail, [mdelp6@comcast.net](mailto:mdelp6@comcast.net) or any other means available to you. We can't pray for those needing spiritual help unless you tell us who they are. I personally know prayer works in times of illness or pain.*

## **ATTEND YOUR PRECINCT CAUCUS ON MARCH 21**

Our State legislature has been taken over by a mean spirited majority that is attempting to undermine traditional marriage, legalize harmful drugs, financially bankrupt The Catholic Archdiocese and continue the legalized murder of unborn babies! If that isn't enough to stir you into action then **you must be dead!!**

**Call your political party county office and find out the place and time for your precinct. When you go, don't be intimidated by anyone. Don't be afraid to speak up! Encourage your like-minded neighbors and friends to come as well. In that way you can easily become your precinct's delegates to the County, Congressional, and State Assemblies where candidates for the ballot are decided.**

Participation in some precincts is so poor that no one represents that precinct at the assemblies! In addition to being a delegate, you can submit written resolutions to strengthen your Party's statement of values. **Participating in your precinct caucus is not too much to ask of yourself. It only occurs once every two years!!**

Call Leo Mantei at 303-985-7637 if you need help.

### **Fourth Degree Exemplification**

There will be a 4th Degree Exemplification Sunday, March 19th, 2006 starting at noon at St. Louis Catholic Church in Englewood. If you wish to join the 4th Degree please ask any 4th Degree Knight. Ken Riedel, Ken Krug or Ron Day can help you.

### **Name Tags and Vests**

By Bill Longan, Trained Tailor par excel once for Council 7640 vests.

I have three new XXL vests available for those members of our council who want them and enough materials for a dozen additional vests. The best way to order is come to the business meeting so I can take your measurements and money. Thought they were free didn't you. No way Jose! Twenty dollars is the price for a lined vest. The alternate method for obtaining a vest is to have your wife do the measuring. She needs to measure your chest, girth, back width and back length. Mail your dimensions and with twenty dollars to William Longan, 733 S. Beech St., Lakewood, CO, 80228-3005.

### **Experience of a Lifetime**

By Ken Riedel – Membership Director

This current membership recruitment program continues for the current fraternal year ending June 30, 2006.

**MARCH**  
**BLITZ II**

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It's time once again for an all out recruitment **BLITZ!** Councils have seen the success that comes with conducting a **BLITZ** before and it is time to reach out to as many prospects as possible during March's "A Recruitment Madness".

**Newest Members Listing & Roster**

Ken Riedel – Financial Secretary & Membership Director

Knowing that many aspects of our council depend upon knowing who is in Christ on the Mountain Council 7640 and who all the new members are, is one of the most important aspects for both the membership director and the financial secretary. Therefore, I respectfully request that all the membership have patience for at least one more month while our council finally determines several of our efforts in these two offices.

## WEB SITES

**Council's Website**

By Ken Riedel - Financial Secretary

**5105** hits (as of the writing of this article). That's how many times that someone has logged on to Christ on the Mountain Council 7640 on the Internet at [www.kofc7640.org](http://www.kofc7640.org). Check it out and fill in our guest book. We know it's a bit hard to find; but if you click on "Contact Us" on the home page and look near the bottom where it reads, "If you like, you can see and sign our guest book as well." We'd like to here from all of you who have access to the Internet. What was the count when you logged on?

## ANNIVERSARIES

**Birthdays**

**March**

6<sup>th</sup> Carlton Johnson, 15<sup>th</sup> Romane Kaiser, 18<sup>th</sup> Alexander Jamieson, 19<sup>th</sup> Warren Howard, Joseph Volk, 20<sup>th</sup> Greg Brinkhaus, 21<sup>st</sup> Joseph Simmons, 25<sup>th</sup> Donald Heithoff, 27<sup>th</sup> Frank Contreras, Sr, Ken Krug, Peter Sullivan, 28<sup>th</sup> Joseph Hogan, 29<sup>th</sup> Joel Livingston

**April**

4<sup>th</sup> Berry Brewster, 12<sup>th</sup> Emmanuel Sogah, 13<sup>th</sup> Joseph Tritchler

**Weddings**

**April**

4<sup>th</sup> Diane & Michael Belter, 9<sup>th</sup> Angie & David Anderson, 11<sup>th</sup> Barbara & Leo Mantei, 13<sup>th</sup> Lupe & Eugene Vigil

**Do You Use Email?**

By Ken Riedel - Financial Secretary

The Council's monthly newsletter, *Mountain News*, could be emailed to you saving the council over \$0.53 per issue. I know you're thinking that's not much of a savings, but multiple your issue by the 148 total members in the council (and continuing to grow). You may call Financial Secretary Ken Riedel, 303-988-9049 or email Ken at [kdriedel@comcast.com](mailto:kdriedel@comcast.com) with your email address. Also, **if you change your mailing address or telephone (home and/or work)** please call or email Ken with the changes.

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Any member of the Knights of Columbus may contribute items for publication in this newsletter. If the item is publicizing an event be sure to answer the Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How questions and include any digital photos that may have been taken. **The e-mail address is [mdelp6@comcast.net](mailto:mdelp6@comcast.net)** Notice; the article and photograph submitted may be sent to the "KNIGHTS IN ACTION" editor of the "Columbia" magazine. The editor does reserve the right to correct

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**The April issue deadline is 5:00 PM April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2006.**

**State Officers 2005 - 2006**

State Deputy: Jay Nothstine  
State Chaplain: Rev. Richard Ryan, CM  
State Secretary: Claude Trujillo  
State Treasurer: Jerry Sauter  
State Advocate: Roger Muller  
State Warden: Chuck Page  
Immediate State Past Deputy: Jim Conlan

**District 25 Deputy & Councils List**

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4844 SW Denver  
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12763 St. Rose of Lima  
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