



MOUNTAIN NEWS

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WHEN, WHAT, WHERE

Mark your Calendars

July

10th 7:30 pm Rosary and Council Business Meeting
13922 W. Utah Ave.

19th 7:30 am Rosary for Life. Check with Leo for location.

August

14th 7:30 pm Rosary and Council Business Meeting
13922 W. Utah Ave.

16th 7:30 am Rosary for Life. Check with Leo for location.

REPORTS AND ACTIVITIES

Council Officers Elected

by John Bistranin

The following worthy brother Knights were elected as Council 7640 Officers for the 2008-2009 fraternal year at the last Council business meeting on Thursday June 12.

- Grand Knight - Donald B. Ferega
- Deputy Grand Knight - (Maj.) Antonio C. Jimenez
- Chancellor - Don M. Sena
- Recorder - Bill Longan
- Treasurer - Kenneth D. Riedel
- Advocate - Warran R. Howard
- Warden - John A. DeMaio
- Inside Guard - Scott F. Mitchell
- Outside Guard - Brent Schuller
- Trustee for Three Years - Brian Morman

Please express your gratitude for their willingness to serve by blessing them with your support in all Council activities throughout the entire fraternal year.

Welcome Newest Council Members

Please welcome into Christ on the Mountain Council 7640 with your congratulations and well-wishes the following new member who received the honor of his First Degree July 12th: Steven L., Janet Heisdorffer and family. Also transferring in were Lenn E., Jane Bailey and family from Council 12567, Light of the World; and, Decon Milton "Mickey" G., Beverly Webre and family from Council 6369, New Orleans, LA.

Also, please offer your congratulations and well-wishes to the following members who received the honors the their Second and Third Degrees, Full Knighthood, at Bishop Evans Council 10222, Queen of Peace Church, Aurora, Saturday, July 21st: Joe Furman, Tim Holbrook, Kelly Kaderka, and Mike Yost.

Beware The NEA -- National Education Association!!!

The NEA recently donated its facilities to an annual conference of the National Council of Women's Organizations, a group that counts among its members the National Organization of Women, Planned Parenthood, National Abortion Rights Action League, National Abortion Federation, Center for Reproductive Freedom, and others.

Equally shocking, the NEA shared its stage with notorious abortionist George Tiller, who has been charged with performing about 20 illegal late-term abortions! Tiller was honored with a standing ovation. To cap off his appearance, the Feminist Majority Foundation announced that it would devote its resources to keeping Tiller's Kansas abortion clinic open. Since the NEA's role in the event became public, the group has struggled to defend itself. When asked by pro-life members why it donates facilities for abortion activists, one NEA official said it has always allowed "like-minded groups" to use the building!!

This disgusting news was used with permission from the editor of the Caring Hands News, July 2008 edition. They credit the Family Research Council for the original information.

Don't be inclined to think that this might be a one-time case of bad judgment. The NEA has a history of misusing

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membership dues to support "pro-choice" candidates and causes. This like-mindedness almost surely gets passed down in some way to our sons and daughters in the public school classrooms! As you may know, Planned Parenthood has been involved directly in some of the school-based health clinics.

Leo Mantei
Pro-Life Advocate

Membership Campaign Overview

As we move down the paths of our lives there are moments that define us and become indelible parts of our memories. It could be a wedding, the birth of a child, the passing of a loved one, or something as simple as a sunset. These are the experiences that add up to become the sum of our lifetime's experience.

For the 2007-08 fraternal year, our council is asked to show qualified men that becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus will be the "Experience of a Lifetime." This campaign theme mirrors the goal of the Knights of Columbus to make a difference in the lives of our members and potential members and our families by offering them an opportunity to be of service to our Church and our communities.

There is a place in the Knights of Columbus for every qualified man, whether he have a huge amount of time to volunteer or only a couple hours a year, regardless of what his interests are, the Order something to offer him.

As we continue the celebration of our 125th anniversary under the theme of "Faith In Action" we continue to live the vision of our founder Father Michael J. McGivney. His vision has grown into an organization of more than 1.7 million members in over 13,000 councils throughout the world. Last year alone we donated more than \$139 million dollars and gave more than 64 million volunteer hours to charitable and Church causes. Continue our 125th anniversary celebration by inviting qualified men to join the Knights of Columbus in what will be for them an "Experience of a Lifetime."

Experience of a Lifetime

July: Officers Challenge



At the start of the new fraternal year during these normally slow summer months, give your recruitment efforts a jump by participating in the Order-wide "Officers

Challenge." Under this challenge every council officer is urged to recruit at least two new members during July and August to set the example that recruitment is everyone's job.

Carron Group Home Bingo

Each third Saturday of the month Council 7640, along with Council 12567, Council 13301, and family members of the group home aid Council 5161 work at Bingo City, 3820 So. Federal Blvd. **The concern is that only 1, 2, or 3 individuals of the various groups participate in this very worthy project. Due to a recent law change every bingo facilities are now smoke-free.**

Why not give a little of your time to help out. Call, fax, or email Ken Riedel at 303-988-9049, 303-987-3171, or kdriedel@comcast.net.

Mary's Maternity of Motherhood Wish List

- Grocery Certificates
- Cribs and Bassinets
- New Born Clothes
- Strollers
- Infant Car Seats
- Diapers: newborn — size 4-5

Contact Lynn Reid, SFO - Outreach director - 303-421-6092

It is Time To Pray

Prayers are welcome for:

Ray Scott,

Harry Bellegante,

The monthly intentions of Pope Benedict XVI,

Our Service Personnel serving our nation in countries around the World,

Ending abortion

ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

July

12th Dr. Francis Furman, David Mendias, 24th Dr. Kelly LeTourneau, 27th Ralph Dinkel, 31st Frank Baskiewicz

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August

1st Martin Kuhls, 4th Kelly Kaderka, John McLaurin, 5th Raymond Stevens, 7th William Tobin, 10th Brent Schuller, 11th Ed Sleeman, 13th Ernest Morahan,

Weddings

July

2nd Nicole & Robert Kern, 3rd Gale & Paul Stack, 7th Winnie & Raymond Scott, 9th Jan & John Garbarino, 10th Nadine & Anthony Malensek, 11th Sally & Antonio Jimenez, 13th Adela Chacon & Andre Taranto, 14th Kathleen & David Mendias, 16th Anna Mae & Robert Duffy, 22nd Deborah & Leon Campbell, 29th Kathy & Warren Howard

August

1st Carol & Douglas Kasel, Kathy & Kevin Harvey, 2nd Veronica & Scott Mitchell, 3rd Liz & Martin Kuhls, 4th Adelaide & Ryan Murphy, 5th Pat & Jack Swanzy, Mary Ann & Robert Fairbank, 7th Christine & Gerald Chafin III, 12th Elizabeth & Donald Ferega, Charlene & Charles Kelley

Note – Dates above start from the time of publication until the next monthly meeting (2nd Thursday of the month). Dates after that will be included in the next issue.

Do You Use Email?

By Ken Riedel – Membership Director

Emailing the council’s monthly newsletter, Mountain News, to you saves the council nearly \$0.60 per issue. I know you’re thinking that’s not much of a savings, but multiply your per issue unit cost by 167 current council members (and continuing to grow), that’s all most \$100 per month and \$1,200 per year and growing.

Please contact Ken Riedel, 303-988-9049 (H), 303-987-3171 (Fax) or kdriedel@comcast.net if you change your email address or obtain internet access and now utilize an email account to communicate with your friends and relatives.

Also, if you change your Mailing Address or Home, Work Telephone Numbers or Retire and no longer have need of such a number, please contact Ken Riedel at via any of the means as listed above.

What’s New On Council’s Website?

What is the count of visitors to Council’s website: <http://www.kofc7640.org> ? What’s the change made to our home page? What else is new on the other pages? When did you last take a look at YOUR council’s website? YOU should check it out at least monthly.

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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** Notice; the article and photograph submitted may be sent to the “KNIGHTS IN ACTION” editor of the “Columbia” magazine. The editor reserves the right to correct grammar, spelling, and punctuation errors; otherwise, all items will be printed as submitted.

The next issue deadline is 12:00 AM August 1st

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State Officers 2008 – 2009

State Deputy: Claude Trujillo
State Chaplain: Fr. Mark Bettinger
State Secretary: Jerry Sauter
State Treasurer: Roger Muller
State Advocate: Chuck Page
State Warden: Dave Jenkins
Immediate State Past Deputy: Jay Nothstine

District 25 Deputy & Councils List

Michael "Mike" Melo
3799 Queen of the Holy Rosary
4796 Bishop Tihen
4844 SW Denver
7640 Christ on the Mountain
12763 St. Rose of Lima
13301 Our Lady of the Luminous Mystery's

Metro District Officers 2008 - 2009

Chaplain: Rev. James Abosike
President: J. R. White
Vice President: Dan Kucrea
Secretary: Charles "Chuck" Moffat
Treasurer: Ken Riedel
Warden: Adolph Cordova
Trustee: Mike Phelan
Trustee: Gary Dawson
Trustee: Tom Peacock

7640 Home Association

President: Ken Riedel
Vice President: J. R. White
Secretary: Virgil Ranker
Treasurer: Carl Johnson

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Trustee for 3 Years: Brian L. Morman
Trustee for 2 Years: Ronald R. Day
Trustee for 1 Year: John H. Bistranin
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Lecturer: vacant

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