

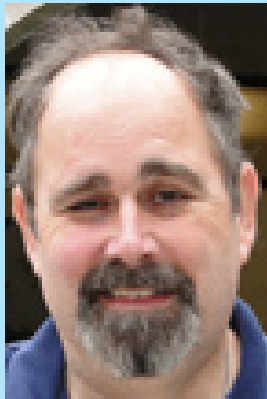


# FR. GERARD R. JOUBERT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF HOLY ROSARY PARISH

**Council  
11023**

August, 2010

## 2010-2011 Council Elections



*Don Payne, GK*

Brothers,

We would like to congratulate our new brothers who have recently joined the Knights or transferred from another council to our council. This increases our number of brothers to 85. Over the last year, we have qualified for 'Star Council. Your efforts in recruiting new brothers, participation in council activities and accumulating hours of service in assisting our parish church, community, and diocese have made it possible for our council to receive this honor.

Over the next two months, we have scheduled three major events and two projects that will require a great many man-hours to accomplish for our parish. These events include the Ministry Fair, Oktoberfest, and the Health Fair. Our hope is that, with the assistance of all of our brothers, we will be able to successfully perform these services for our church parish. Please volunteer an hour or two over the next two months. You'd be surprised how much fun you have when you participate.

Don Payne  
Grand Knight

## Changes to the List of New Officers

**ELECTION OF THREE NEW OFFICERS** – Three new officers were elected today as a result of brothers either moving away from the Houston area or not attending the meetings. All of these candidates were elected by unanimous vote.

Neil Miggins – Treasurer 713-560-9776 (Replaces Will Elliot)  
Karl Ullrich – Recorder 281-693-5892 (Replaces Neil Miggins)  
Ryan Anderson -- Outside Guard 425-785-4309

## Awards and Such

**AWARD PLAQUES** – Award plaques were handed out today to two individuals.

Neil Miggins for being Grand Knight from 2007-2009  
Wayne Andrews for being Knight of the Year in 2009-2010

### COUNCIL OFFICERS

**GRAND KNIGHT**

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**DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT**

Gary Loth  
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Anthony Adornetto  
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**CHANCELLOR**

Norman Thomas, PGK  
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**RECORDER**

Karl Ullrich  
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**TRUSTEE 1 YEAR**

Wayne Andrews  
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**TRUSTEE 2 YEAR**

James Eaton, PGK  
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**TRUSTEE 3 YEAR**

Bob Rogers  
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**INSIDE GUARD**

Joseph Kendall  
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**OUTSIDE GUARD**

Ryan Anderson  
(425) 785-4309



## The Coming Year at a Glance

### SEPTEMBER

- 09/11 Council Meeting
- 09/12 Ministry Fair
- 09/14 Monthly Diocesan Chapter Meeting
- 09/18 K of C Family Night At Minute Maid Stadium
- 09/18-19 Oktoberfest

### OCTOBER

- 10/09 Council Meeting
- 10/10 Health Fair/Blood Drive
- 10/12 Monthly Diocesan Chapter Meeting
- 10/17 Hot Dog/Tamale Sunday

### NOVEMBER

- 11/07 Market Day
- 11/09 Monthly Diocesan Chapter Meeting
- 11/13 Council Meeting
- 11/21 Hot Dog/Tamale Sunday

### DECEMBER

- 12/05 Feast of St. Nicholas/Market Day
- 12/11 Concil Meeting
- 12/14 Monthly Diocesan Chapter Meeting
- 12/19 Hot Dog/Tamale Sunday
- 12/24 Christmas Eve
- 12/25 Christmas Day

## We Welcome Our New Broters

Brother Karl Ullrich was introduced as a new Knight after receiving his 1st Degree Exemplification last month and his 2nd and 3rd degree exemplification on Saturday, August 7th.

Dr. John Hittinger was also introduced as a transfer brother from the University of St. Thomas Council.

We want to welcome both brothers into our council and hope that they will be active members throughout the coming years.

## Future Events

**PROPOSED PROJECTS** – Two projects were discussed at our meeting this month for our parish. They include the repainting of the yellow stripes in our parking lot and the replacement of the street numbers in front of our church. (Note: these are only tentative projects that need to be discussed with Fr. Ian before any work can commence)

**MINISTRY FAIR** – On Sunday, September 12th, from 9 AM to 3 PM, our council will sponsor a Ministry Fair. We are trying to get as many of our parish ministries as possible, to participate. This will encourage our parishioners to join and participate in parish events and organizations. We will be setting up tables for each participating ministry in the Community Center. Breakfast and regular tacos will be served for all those attending.

**OKTOBERFEST** – We'll be combining our Hot Dog & Tamale Sunday with our Parish's Oktoberfest festivities this year. Oktoberfest will be held on both Saturday evening and Sunday (September 18th and 19th). Our council will be serving the sauerkraut balls that Bob Rogers is well known for, along with sausages, potato salad, hot dogs (for the kids), and beer. The Special Events committee will also be serving their sauerkraut balls on Sunday.

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**CHURCH**  
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**VOCATIONS**  
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**COMMUNITY**  
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**PRO-LIFE**  
James Mallory  
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**HEALTH**  
James Easton, PGK  
(281) 580-4528

**COUNCIL**  
Gaspar Correa, PGK  
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**PUBLIC**  
William G. Elliot  
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**FAMILY**  
Frederick Kolb  
(713) 664-7863

**YOUTH**  
Thomas Dybala  
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**MEMBERSHIP**  
Neil Miggins, PGK  
(713) 560-9776

**RETENTION**  
Dennis Fishbeck, PGK  
(281) 494- 4610

**LECTURER**  
Wayne Andrews  
(281) 391-9610

**INSURANCE**  
Mauricio Manguia  
(713) 203-9966



## Future Events Cont'd

This is an enormous effort and we will need all of the assistance that you, the brothers, can provide for both days. Setup and food preparation are but two of the necessary function we must provide to make this a success both for our parish and for our parishioners. We are also asking for the help of our brothers from the University of St. Thomas and the University of Houston.

**NEXT EXEMPLIFICATIONS** – Our next 1st Degree Exemplification is scheduled for September 22nd at either St Vincent de Paul Church, 2403 Holcomb Blvd, Houston, TX or at the University of Saint Thomas on Alabama. Our next 2nd and 3rd Degree Exemplifications are scheduled for September 19th at the Regina Coeli Church on Madden St. All brothers are invited to attend these exemplifications to support our new candidates. Other dates may be scheduled before these dates at other locations throughout our Diocese.

**HEALTH FAIR & BLOOD DRIVE** – Jim Eaton has done a great job in recruiting medical personnel and organizations to man booths and make presentations to our parishioners. It's going to be on Sunday, October 10th from 9 to 3, and we hope to have a great turnout. Note that the Blood Drive had to be rescheduled for next year.

**MARKET DAY & ST. NICHOLAS DAY** – Both of these events are led by the Special Events Committee, but they have asked us to help out again this year. It's a lot of fun to get out there and participate. Market Day is scheduled for Sunday, November 7th and St. Nicholas Day is scheduled for Sunday, December 5th.

**VOLUNTEERS DAY** – We are providing a meal for all of the volunteers in our parish on Sunday January 9th. We will discuss this in greater detail in the coming month.

## Past Events Cont'd

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST** – Our council held a pancake breakfast on July 11th and we netted only \$90. For this reason it was decided to have no more pancake breakfasts in July. (Parishioners may have been on vacation or attending evening masses.) We have tentatively scheduled our next pancake breakfast for February 13th.

**HOT DOG AND TAMALES SUNDAY** – Our council held our usual monthly Hot Dog and Tamales Sunday, August 15. Again as with the pancake breakfast, the sales of hot dogs has declined over the last two months. We are assuming that this is due to the hot summer weather and parishioners being away on vacation. Our tamales sales, however, have increased over the last six months. We ordered 40 dozens for August and sold all of them.

**DIOCESAN CONFERENCE** – The semi-annual Diocesan Conferences were held on August 7th and 14th. Due to the 3rd degree exemplification last week and our meeting this week, no one from our council attended these meetings. Our District Deputy discussed some of the items brought up during the diocesan meeting.

## Brothers in Distress

**Cora Miller** Grandmother of brother Joseph Kendall

**Catherine Gilvary** Mother-in-law of brother Ralph Compton

**fr. Ron Henery, OP** and **fr Austin Green, OP**

Residents of Holy Rosary Priory; currently in Our Lady of Wisdom Nursing Facility in New Orleans.

**fr. Isidore Vicente, OP** Parochial Vicar, Holy Rosary

**fr. Victor Brown, OP**, Pastor Emeritus in residence at Holy Rosary

**fr. Joseph Konkell, OP** Pastor Emeritus, Holy Rosary

**Bros. Wayne Andrews, Julian van Pol, Emmitt Shorter, Norman Thomas, James Eaton, Sean Bordenave, and Ross Shales**



## Birthdays

### AUGUST

Julian M. Van Pol	08/04/39	71
Dominic Mendoza	08/07/56	54
James A. Mallory	08/10/64	46
Harvey F. Wagner	08/13/74	36
Robert Reeder	08/22/34	76
Mauricio A. Munguia	08/25/43	67

6 Birthdays August

### SEPTEMBER

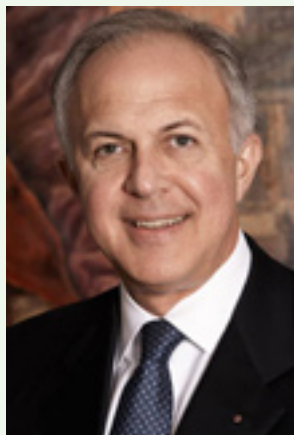
Dennis Rodriguez	09/03/43	67
Wayne C. Andrews	09/05/42	68
Rev Stephen A. Mandry	09/07/41	69
Ralph A. Compton	09/08/65	45
Matthew W. Luedke	09/11/79	31
Thomas F. Dybala	09/14/59	51
Lawrence F. Babbitt	09/25/31	79

7 Birthdays September

**Happy Birthday and God Bless our Brothers Celebrating Birthdays  
in the Two Months Covered**

## From Supreme

### In Service to One, In Service to All



**Carl A. Anderson**  
**Supreme Knight**

The phrase “In service to one, in service to all” has long been a motto of the Knights of Columbus. It simply means that Knights take seriously the two great commandments of Jesus Christ: to love God with our entire being, and to love our neighbor as ourselves (cf. Mt 22:37-40). A good explanation of why this motto reflects the Order’s purpose comes from the Second Vatican Council document *Lumen Gentium*, which truly serves as our mission statement:

“The laity, by their very vocation, seek the kingdom of God by engaging in temporal affairs and by ordering them according to the plan of God. They live in the world, that is, in each and in all of the secular professions and occupations. They live in the ordinary circumstances of family and social life, from which the very web of their existence is woven. They are called there by God that by exercising their proper function and led by the spirit of the Gospel they may work for the sanctification of the world from within as a leaven” (31).

The idea of working in this world “as a leaven” is not a new concept for the Knights. We know that we are called to be witnesses to Christ in our families, in our jobs and in our service to society. We know God’s plan and will for us through an informed conscience, and cultivate such a conscience by being faithful to the Church’s teachings. This requires solidarity with our bishops and priests, something we have been committed to since our founding by Venerable Michael McGivney.

For 128 years, the Order has been led by its first principle, charity. Every day, people witness the work undertaken by Knights as members work in thousands of communities around the world. Combined with unity — with our Church and with our neighbor — charity provides us with the means to fulfill Christ’s great commandments. This is what it means to be “in service to one, in service to all.” Lives filled with charity, motivated by faith and hope, are what will make Christ known to others.



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Reflecting on the Gospel story of the Good Samaritan, Pope Benedict XVI said in his July 11 Angelus address that the parable “must make us change our attitude following the logic of Christ, which is the logic of charity: God is love, and worshipping him means serving our brothers with sincere and generous love.” He added that this passage “offers the ‘standard,’ which is the ‘universal love toward the needy we encounter by chance, whoever they may be’” (cf. *Deus Caritas Est*, 25).

It is this spirit of the Good Samaritan that has always propelled the Knights of Columbus. This is the reason why our history is one of service: helping the widows and orphans of the late 19th century; providing necessities to the American troops in World War I regardless of their race or religion; publishing books on the contributions of African-, Jewish- and German-American citizens four decades before the civil rights movement; working in support of Catholics in Mexico when the government there persecuted the Church in the 1920s; protecting parents’ rights to send their children to Catholic schools; helping the hungry in the city of Rome during and after World War II; adding the words “under God” to the U.S. Pledge of Allegiance; pioneering nationwide blood drives; promoting the dignity of people with intellectual disabilities through Special Olympics and other programs; supporting mothers and their unborn children through our work with pregnancy resource centers and our Ultrasound Initiative; giving winter coats to poor children; providing mobility to people with physical disabilities through wheelchair distributions; providing food for families in need; and in general, being a force of love for our neighbors, wherever and whenever a need arises.

In practicing charity, in a spirit of unity, we lead by our witness, and we bring to life Christ’s words in the Gospel, that all will know we are his disciples by the way we love one another.

Vivat Jesus!



## From Rome

### VATICAN APPROVES ROMAN MISSAL TRANSLATION New Text Will Be Used for 2011 Advent

WASHINGTON, D.C., AUG. 23, 2010 (Zenit.org).- The president of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops announced the approval of the new English-language translation of the Roman Missal.

Cardinal Francis George, archbishop of Chicago, announced Friday that the text of the Roman Missal, Third Edition, has been issued for used in the dioceses of the United States.

In a letter sent Friday to the U.S. bishops, he stated: "The use of the third edition of the Roman Missal enters into use in the dioceses of the United States of America as of the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2011. From that date forward, no other edition of the Roman Missal may be used in the dioceses of the United States of America."

Along with this proclamation, the cardinal reported the receipt of documents from the Vatican regarding the approval. These included a June 23 letter from Cardinal Llovera Antonio Cañizares, prefect of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Sacraments, and a list of guidelines for publication of the missal.

The Vatican also sent approval for several adaptations to the missal, including additional prayers for the penitential act at Mass and the renewal of baptismal promises on Easter Sunday, a communiqué from the bishops' conference reported.

The approval included various texts of prayers for celebrations specific to the United States, such as: Thanksgiving Day, Independence Day, and the feast days for saints such as St. Damien of Molokai, St. Katharine Drexel, and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton.

As well, the Vatican officials approved the text for the Mass for Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life, which can be celebrated on January 22.

### FULL-SCALE CATECHESIS

Cardinal George stated, "We can now move forward and continue with our important catechetical efforts as we prepare the text for publication."

The bishops' conference communiqué noted that the date of implementation was chosen so as to allow ample time for the preparation of the texts and the education of Catholics regarding the changes.

The conference is urging pastors to begin now to prepare parishioners for the coming changes, using resources created for this purpose.

Monsignor Anthony Sherman, director of the conference's Secretariat for Divine Worship, said, "A great effort to produce the new Roman Missal for the United States, along with the other necessary resources, has begun." He added, "Even as that work is underway a full-scale catechesis about the Liturgy and the new Roman Missal should be taking place in parishes, so that when the time comes, everyone will be ready."

Bishop Arthur Serratelli of Paterson, New Jersey, chair of the conference's Committee on Divine Worship, affirmed, "I am happy that after years of preparation, we now have a text that, when introduced late next year, will enable the ongoing renewal of the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy in our parishes."

## Pascal's Wager

**If you believe and it proves not so, then you shall have lost nothing.**

**If you do not believe and it proves to be so, then you shall have lost everything**



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## Bits and Pieces and Items of Importance

**LENTEN FISH FRIES** – With Fr. Ian’s approval, we hope to schedule 2 or 3 fish fries on Friday nights during Lent. Since Ash Wednesday isn’t until March 9th this year, we have tentatively scheduled the fish fries on March 11th, March 25th, April 1st, and/or April 15th. (Note: These are just dates under consideration. We don’t expect to have that many total fish fries in 2011.)

**Our goal this year is to offer or to participate in two events each month. We missed our goal with only one event in August but we think we’ll make our goal for the remaining eleven months of our fraternal year. Please let us know if you have any new or different ideas about what we can offer our parish and its parishioners.**



*Tony Adornetto  
 Financial Secretary*

**DUES** - If you have not paid your dues, you may do so by mailing your check/money order to Tony Adornetto at 1212 Frost St., Rosenberg, TX 77471-3130. Tony has also asked that anyone paying (\$25.00 annual) dues please consider adding \$10.00 or more to help the council meet its State Charities contribution assessment.

**IF DUES AND CHARITIES CONTRIBUTIONS ARE MADE PRIOR TO JUNE, 2010, THE COUNCIL WILL ENJOY SAVINGS IN POSTAGE EXPENSES**

**COUNCIL WEBSITE** – Neil Miggins has volunteered to assist in the maintenance of our council website with Will Elliott’s recent departure. If you have any ideas concerning the website, please contact Neil.

**NEW VERSION OF QUICKBOOKS** – With our new treasurer, we have also purchased a newer version of QuickBooks. Our last version was from 1998. Hopefully, this will help Neil maintain the records as well as Bob did over the last few years.