

# KNIGHT Watch

The Knights of Columbus

Council #6386

at St. Rose of Lima, Short Hills

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## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES FEBRUARY 2000

- 1<sup>st</sup> Monthly Bus. Meeting  
8:00 PM Ryan Hall
- 4<sup>th</sup> First Friday Holy Hour -  
SRL Church 8 PM
- 8<sup>th</sup> Committee Meetings  
8:00 PM Ryan Hall
- 15<sup>th</sup> St. Mary's Soup Kitchen  
Cook fest 12:30 PM  
Officer's Meeting  
8:00 PM Ryan Hall
- 16<sup>th</sup> Soup Kitchen St. Mary's  
Elizabeth 9:30 - 2:00
- 20<sup>th</sup> 8 AM Council Mass &  
Corporate Communion  
9 AM Parish Men's  
Communion Breakfast  
6 PM Dinner at Libretti's
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Social night
- 29<sup>th</sup> Leap Year Bonus Social  
Night



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## HIGHLIGHTS OF JANUARY

Deacon Joe Persinger and Vern Bremberg continue to get our month off on the right foot with the First Friday Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration. But it would be even better if more Brothers could take an hour out of their busy schedules and join in.

Tom Kovach, our Youth Committee Chair, conducted our Annual Free Throw Contest on Sunday January 9<sup>th</sup> in the school gymnasium. He drew a total of seven participants and had 3 winners, who will be eligible to go on to the Regional Championships.

On the 18<sup>th</sup>, Joe D and his merry men, a band that makes music in the kitchen (Bob Keating, Jim Smith, Kevin Tighe and Jake D) cooked ziti and sauce and barbequed chicken plus some sausage and peppers for the Wednesday January 19<sup>th</sup> soup kitchen at St. Mary's, Elizabeth. One hundred thirty hungry people showed up and did justice to our offerings. (Maybe we should cook for the Holy Hour and the Free Throw contest!!)

On the 24<sup>th</sup>, a bus left St. Rose's parking lot at 7:30 AM for the 27<sup>th</sup> annual March For Life in Washington, D.C. carrying 30 people (15 from St. Rose's and 15 from Our

Lady of Sorrows in So. Orange).

As to the march, it was an orderly and well behaved crowd. In our immediate vicinity were several Catholic H.S. boys' groups; they recited the Rosary as they marched as well as raising their voices in song. A great show of faith and belief in their purposeful demonstration. A Baptist Church group from Montclair was well represented with young men who toted 10 large signs (10' wide x 4' high) depicting abortion results.

I'm sure Our Lady was responsible for the beautiful weather we enjoyed while there. Witness the 14 to 17 inches of snow in the area the next day! Snow forced the cancellation of our social night and Bob Vogt's program on investments. It will be rescheduled on one of the February social nights.



## SPIRITUALITY COMMITTEE

We would like to assess the membership's interest in forming a prayer and study group. The objective of the this group would be to educate ourselves on the subject of *indulgences*, the new norms and grants established in 1967, and specifically to obtain plenary indulgences for:

- 1) the deceased brothers of Council #6386;
- 2) deceased family and friends of Council members; and
- 3) faithfully departed special friends of the Council.

In this Jubilee Year, the Pope has made available to the entire faithful opportunities to gain plenary indulgences for specific actions such as a pilgrimage to a Cathedral. Additionally, in 1967 the Church revised the old norms and grants, updating them in recognition of modern times. Within these new grants, the Church encourages the faithful toward charity and good works by granting indulgences for many acts that we either now perform or could without undue efforts.

If you would like to know more about this group, please call Frank Alexander at 379-2867. We will provide you with current information about

how the group will function.

## SOUP KITCHEN NEWS

If you read this newsletter regularly, you may recall we told you about a certain Brother who has been a big supporter of this soup kitchen through his purchase of 10 tickets each time we run the 50/50, but who had not yet had the good fortune to be a winner. I said I wouldn't guarantee a number that starts with "8", but 80-89 had to come out soon. Check out December 31's winner and see for yourself.

And now for the names of the most recent winners of the \$100 weekly prizes:

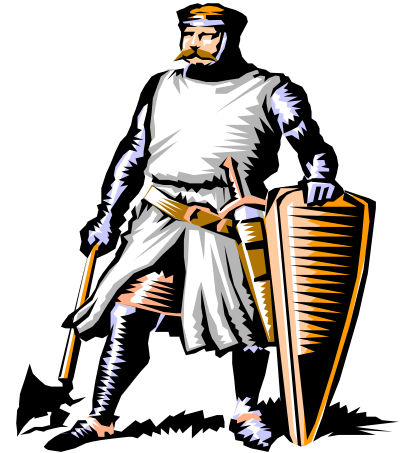
Dec. 24	Ray Torres
Dec. 31	Gary Venturi
Jan. 7	John De Voy

Remember, to win it, be in it. Tickets for the Feb-April 50/50 are on sale now.

## COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Knights and their families are invited to march in together to the 8 AM Mass on Sunday, February 20 to a reserved area on the front left side of the main aisle, facing the pulpit. Since some of our members will be busy preparing the breakfast that will follow it is important that the rest of the Council members be present at the Mass. Msgr. Trabold, our Chaplain, thinks it would be a nice touch if Knights who are Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Altar Servers volunteer to handle the duties at this Mass. Our Brother Deacon

Joe Persinger was already volunteered as the homilist. (He arrived late to a meeting!)



Also on February 20<sup>th</sup>, but in the evening, will be a Dinner at Libretti's in Orange to honor the Fourth Degree Assembly's Past Faithful Navigator, Darren Dangler and four new members from the West Orange Council. Charlie Trabold's letter in the January issue of the **KNIGHTWATCH** gave the full buffet menu. Cost is \$37.50 per person, tax and gratuity included. Those interested can contact Charlie at (973) 275-0630 or Jake Dalton at (973) 376-2103. We are trying to make up tables of eight.



### FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Our Grand Knight, Bill T. and our Membership Chair, Frank Alexander, are both doing very well, both are behind the wheel again. Keep them in your prayers because neither one of them is a good driver. Keep Tony Ocone in your prayers also.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of "Micky" Bufo, mother-in-law of Rich Dolansky and sister-in-law of Tony Bufo. Tony is in King James Nursing home in Chatham and could also use your prayers.



### UPCOMING COUNCIL EVENTS

**February 4<sup>th</sup>** – First Friday; 8:00 PM  
Eucharistic Adoration sponsored by the Knights.

**February 8<sup>th</sup>** – Committee meetings...  
Committees needing to be in gear at this time:

- ❑ *Communion Breakfast*
- ❑ *Finance Committee*
- ❑ *Retarded Citizens Drive*

**February 20<sup>th</sup>** – 8:00 AM Corporate Mass and  
Parish Men's Communion Breakfast  
6:00 PM 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Dinner  
honoring Assembly Past Faithful Navigator

**February 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>** – Social nights



## FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS


Topping the list is our Grand Knight, Bill Tortoriello; Jack Ariminta; Bernard Loizzo; Clayton Downs, whose life has just begun; Fr. Bill Mellilo; Jon Hetherington, a new member whose life has also just begun; Vincent Visceglia, who on Washington's Birthday celebrates his 95<sup>th</sup>! Congratulations and Best Wishes; Vince La Vecchia; John Paynter; Raymond M. Torres; Ted Powell; Dr. Cesar Samson and Nick Rizzo, who on the 28<sup>th</sup> becomes an Octogenarian. Just think, Nick, if you were born a day later, you'd only be 20 now!!

*Find the mistake in your name and claim the prize. The first Knight whose birthday is in the current month that calls Jake Dalton with the identification of the error and the correction to it will win a prize. The prize will be awarded at the next regular Tuesday business meeting.*

Editor's Note: There were four mistakes in the January list, but either the four can't spell their own names or they don't read the **KNIGHTWatch!!**

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**MEMBERSHIP DOCUMENT**  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
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COUNCIL SECTION

<b>1</b>	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RANK OR TITLE	<p>MEMBERSHIP NUMBER</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NEW MEMBER      <input type="checkbox"/> REACTIVATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> JUVENILE TO ADULT      <input type="checkbox"/> REINSTATEMENT</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> TRANSFER      <input type="checkbox"/> READMISSION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> READMISSION FEE PAID (\$7.50)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> WITHDRAWAL CARD ATTACHED</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> REAPPLICATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> HONORARY MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> WITHDRAWAL CARD (IN GOOD STANDING)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SUSPENSION</p> <p>REASON _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> DATA CHANGE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> DEATH _____ DATE _____</p> <p>NEXT OF KIN _____</p> <p>RELATIONSHIP _____</p> <p>ADDRESS _____</p> <p>CITY _____</p> <p>STATE _____ ZIP _____</p>	
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	* ARE YOU A PRACTICAL CATHOLIC IN COMMUNION WITH THE HOLY SEE?		NAME OF PARISH			
<b>3</b>	DID YOU APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP PREVIOUSLY?		DEGREES REC'D AND DATES	1. (DATE) 2. (DATE) 3. (DATE) 4. (DATE)		
<b>4</b>	NUMBER OF LAST COUNCIL	LOCATION: CITY		STATE/PROVINCE		
	DATE OF TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP	REASON:				
<b>5</b>	<p>ONLY NEW MEMBERS AND THEIR WIVES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE INSURANCE DESCRIBED IN THIS DOCUMENT I HAVE BEEN GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO APPLY FOR THE LIFE INSURANCE DESCRIBED ON THE BACK AND I HAVE DECIDED:</p> <p>TO APPLY FOR MYSELF <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO      * TO APPLY FOR MY WIFE <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</p> <p>FOR INSURANCE ON MEMBER . . . COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE OF ORIGINAL      FOR INSURANCE ON WIFE . . . COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE OF DUPLICATE</p>					
<b>6</b>	I HEREBY RECOMMEND THE ABOVE APPLICANT FOR MEMBERSHIP		I HEREBY DECLARE THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT I WILL UPHOLD THE CHARTER, CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AND ANY OF ITS COUNCILS IN WHICH I HOLD MEMBERSHIP AND AGREE THAT THE DECISION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL CONTROL IN ALL MATTERS.			
	PROPOSER'S SIGNATURE		SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT			
	MEMBERSHIP NUMBER					
	DATE	FINANCIAL SECRETARY SIGNATURES	GRAND KNIGHT			

\*THESE QUESTIONS DO NOT APPLY TO PRIESTS AND RELIGIOUS

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This is the **FORM 100**, the application/membership form for new members. Keep this form handy for when your son or nephew, cousin or neighbor asks about the Knights. If you aren't sure about what to include, call Charlie Gosling, our Financial Secretary, for details. Oh, yes. When you get this filled out and you've signed it, we'll need a \$15 check for processing this. You may combine the processing fee with the first year's prorated dues.

**New members**  
**are the future of the organization.**  
**Sponsor someone you know**  
**who will be a good member.**

