



# The KNIGHT'S FLAME

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## Grand Knight Message

I am writing this early as my family prepares to leave on a tent-camping vacation at various Minnesota State Parks July 14-31. It's the way our family likes to unwind and spend time together. I hope all of you are getting an opportunity to spend some time relaxing with family and friends during the summer months. Especially with children, remember you are making the memories that they will revisit many times in the future!

And speaking of relaxing, please join us for our annual Family Picnic at 6:00pm on Thursday, August 10. Mike Riester and many helpers will be providing a great barbecue picnic feast for all the family. And besides coming with your family and other KC families, please personally invite another non-KC family you know to come and join in the celebration.

Another reason to celebrate is it appears we have met all the qualifications for Star Council this past fraternal year. My thanks to all the members who have put in so much time and effort to make this council the strong force that it is, as evidenced by this award.

I would like to thank Gary Moore for agreeing to take the lead scheduling pancake breakfasts, coordinating with the organizations asking for pancake breakfasts for their causes, and lining up KC workers for those days. Brad Brech has done an incredible job handling this for the past several years, and we certainly thank him for all the great work he has done. Brad Brech and Jerome Lensing will continue actually leading the kitchen crew and getting supplies etc., but Gary will free him up from the other responsibilities.

Remember there is no regular meeting in August – hope to see you at the Family Picnic instead! Vivat Jesus!

*Dave Hubka, Grand Knight*

## Get-to-Know-a-Knight

Paul Daley was the winner this month. Paul and his lovely wife, Ruth, have 4 children: Alyssa 13, Spencer 12, Logan 8, and Olivia 5. Paul and his brothers have a dairy farm in the Mantorville area. Paul has been a Knight for 6 years and is currently our Youth Director, Chancellor, and member of our First Degree Team.

## Milestones

The following Knights have birthdays in August: John Attinella, Raymond Bressel, Karl Corrigan, Galyn Grad, Robert Loechler, Mike Madden, James Mathews, Gary Miller, Stephen Nelson, Tom Sand, Fr. Don Schmitz, Eric Van Norman, Randy Walker, Maury Zipse, Dean Fox, Dale Brucki, Tim O'Keefe, and Curtis Louwagie.

Congratulations to Megan Zipse (daughter of Maury and Deb Zipse) and Zane Shelley, married on 7/29.

Gabriel Isaac Germann was born to Phil and Julie Germann on 6/29.

## Family Picnic

*Mike Riester*

The KC Family Picnic takes the place of our August meeting. Come join us on the 10th at 6:00 for some good food and a chance to chat with friends. Contact Mike Riester (536-7468 or [miguelster@hotmail.com](mailto:miguelster@hotmail.com)) if you can help supply a grill; set up; be a star chef with the burgers 'n' dogs; serve; or clean up. **We Need You!**

## Calendar

KC Family Picnic . . . . .	Holy Spirit North Courtyard. . . . .	Thursday, August 10 . . . . .	6:00 PM
Family/KC Day at the Twins . . . . .		Sunday, August 13, . . . . .	10 AM - 6 PM
Youth Ministry Appreciation. . . . .	Valleyfair . . . . .	Tuesday, August 22 . . . . .	8 AM - 7:30 PM
Youth Ministry Kick-Off. . . . .		Saturday, August 26 . . . . .	after 4:30 PM Mass
HS Founders Day. . . . .		Sunday, September 10 . . . . .	TBD
Golf Tourney . . . . .	Northern Hills GC . . . . .	Wednesday, September 20. . . . .	noon

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## Big Toy Update

*Greg Kapraun*

Thanks to the Knights and family members who help spread all the woodchips for the Holy Spirit Big Toy. While we were asked to help spread 30 yards of woodchips come to find out they actually had 50 yards delivered. Even so it was still knocked out in about an hour and a half between rain drops by an efficient crew consisting of the following: Jim Decker, Kenny & Adam Lentz, Rich & Erica Dettinger, Greg, Alex & Kyle Kapraun, Frank Vondrashek, Michael Wehr, Scott Helt, Steve Nowakowski, and Jerome Lensing. Thanks again everyone!

## Youth Ministry Appreciation

*Mary Nowakowski*

In appreciation of service to their various ministries at Holy Spirit, Youth Ministry and the Knights of Columbus would like to invite all our youth volunteers on a trip to Valleyfair on Tuesday, August 22. Cost of \$20 will cover ticket for all Valleyfair attractions (except Challenge Park) and coach bus transportation. Participants need to bring their own lunch. We'll meet at Holy Spirit at 8 AM and arrive back at Holy Spirit at about 7:30 PM. Registration is limited, so please sign up as soon as possible. Registration forms are available outside the Youth Ministry office in the church office area.

Finding a good time to schedule a summer event is never easy. Many school sports activities will have already begun, but hopefully youth will be able to miss one day of practice for this trip.

Adult chaperones are also needed, see the registration form to volunteer.

## Adopt-A-Highway - County Road 14

Dave is looking for a group to head up the Summer/Fall cleanup of our section of road. It would be great if we could get several lined up. The road we work on (County 14 near Genoa) doesn't get too bad and two sweeps per year seem to be sufficient. Call Dave Nissen (252-1096) if you're a member of a group interested in a service project.

## WIN TWINS!

*Mary Nowakowski*

Join us for a trip to the Dome to watch the Twins take on the Toronto Blue Jays on Sunday, August 13. Game time is 1:10 PM but since it's autographed bat day we plan to arrive early. If there is enough interest, we'd leave Holy Spirit parking lot at 10 AM and return at about 6 PM. Cost is \$25 per person which includes an upper club ticket, hot dog and beverage and coach bus travel to and from the game. This is a family or parent/child activity. Sign up on the Twins board in the Narthex and join us for Knights of Columbus day at the Dome.

## Youth Ministry/Youth Choir Kick-Off

*Mary Nowakowski*

This kickoff is for all youth in grades 6-12 and is scheduled for Saturday August 26 following the 4:30 PM Mass. The youth of our parish will be able to tour fair displays, have pizza, take part in some outdoor contests and listen to a band (Acting on Impulse). We need some volunteers!

- Make phone calls and/or personally invite youth to the event. Mary can provide contact information.
- Help with set up
- Help serve meal (probably pizza & pop)
- Help with outside activities- soccer and football kick off contests on soccer fields
- Help chaperone/ security while the band plays in the gym
- Help with set up Saturday afternoon 8/26
- Help with clean up after the event
- Please contact Mary Nowakowski, Youth Ministry Coordinator, at 280-0638 ext. 17, [youthministry@holyspiritrochester.org](mailto:youthministry@holyspiritrochester.org) or 252-1012.

## Golf Tournament

Jeff and Aaron should soon be sending out the details for this fall's Golf Tournament within the next couple of weeks. Look for them in the mail. Door prizes are always needed so contact your friends at area businesses for a donation of a gift certificate or an interesting item, or if you're feeling generous think about providing a little something yourself. Contact Jeff Block for some ideas.

Please make sure you get your entries in early. Any entries received after 9/13 are not guaranteed to have a cart. Last year we received over half of the entries within the last 5 days! This makes it very difficult to plan. Help us out and get those entries in as soon as you can. Thanks!

## Roses for Baptism

*Brad Brech*

We no longer schedule a Knight to present the Rose at the end of Mass. If you are at a Mass with a baptism, please make sure someone presents the rose. If you do not see someone doing it, step forward and do so. It's very easy. The certificate and rose will be in the sacristy. All you need to do is read the certificate and hand it and the rose to the parent or Godparents. Thanks.

## Words from the Lecturer

*Dave Rossman*

Brother Knights, lets pay attention to the message that recently came out of the Vatican concerning the recent outbreak of violence between Israel and Lebanon. The Holy Father called for all Church members to pray for peace. Each of us should keep this in mind during our morning prayers and family prayers around the table.

# Knights of Columbus Council #11460

## July 13, 2006 General Business Meeting

*This is a synopsis of the official minutes of the General Council Business Meeting submitted by Jerome N. Lensing*

### Lecturer Program

Before the June Meeting, PossAbilities receive their check from the Tootsie Roll Drive and provide an update. Before the July meeting, SPRED, the Arc, and Hiawatha Homes received their checks and provide a brief update. All thanked us for our continue support of their programs.

### Eagle Scout Presentation

Kevin Mulligan present his Eagle Scout project asking for possible funds. He will be building a fence at Victory Camp.

### Opening

Grand Knight Dave Hubka called the meeting to order at 7:55 PM in the Library of Holy Spirit Parish. Dave led the group in the Lord's Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance. The Role of Officer's was called. Grand Knight Dave Hubka; Deputy Grand Knight Greg Kapraun; Chancellor Paul Daley; Recorder Jerome N. Lensing; Financial Secretary Jim Decker; Lecturer Dave Rossman, and Warden DeWayne Gallenberg were present. The minutes of the June, 2006 meeting were approved. No Form 100s were read.

### Officers Reports

Grand Knight Dave Hubka indicated that St. John's will be the home parish for 1013.

Jim Decker, Financial Secretary, presented income and expense reports for July, 2006 (Receipts - \$75; Payments - \$1067.85). Dave Hubka will talk with Deacon Dick on who to send to the Guest House event. We provided a \$50 donation to American Cancer Society on behalf of Jeremy Bodensteiner for achieving Eagle Scout Award. We donated \$50 to Father Don for his MS Bike Fund Raiser. Memberships paid - 165; not paid -10, 11 withdrawals.

### Directors Reports

**Membership Director** - Dave Hubka indicated that we have enough insurance policies and all paperwork sent in to make Star Council! Each office and director should try to invite someone who is not a Knight to the August Picnic.



Call Jerome Lensing for the opportunity to join the First Degree Team, he is waiting for your call at 507-251-5626!

**Program Director** – Greg Kapraun has finished the final paperwork for the Columbian Award.

**Church Director** – VBS set up and takedown went very well. Thanks to all the helped!

**Community Director** – Thanks to all for help on Rochester Fest Parade, many Tootsie Rolls were handed out. 1013 had 20 people helping as Parade Marshalls with 11460 having 15.

**Council Director** – Mike Riester indicate that all is set for the Holy Spirit Family Picnic will be August 10th.

**Youth** – Paul Daley discussed the Server Appreciation Event. He mentioned that Mary Nowakowski will be including all youth ministers for the Valley Fair Trip on Tuesday, August 22nd. Joe Kluck will be contacted about driving the bus. The council will pay for a portion of the bus cost. A motion was made, second and approved to provide \$400 for the Valley Fair Trip. Paul mentioned that the Youth Group would like to work with us on a possible Family Twins outing. They are still discussing the Rock Concert on August 12th that we provide workers for last year. On August 26th, the Youth Group will be setting up booths for a Youth Fair. It was suggested that we have one also have one to promote the Free Throw Contest, Soccer Challenge and the Essay Contest. Jim Decker will order Soccer Challenge material to be held between September 2 – 10.

### Old Business

Jeff Block updated the council on the Golf Tournament. Thanks to Aaron Berg for stepping forward as the Co-Chairman! Aaron and Jeff are looking for your help with door prizes. Golf Tournament is September 20th.

At the present time, it looks like we will not need to help at the Founders Day function.

After the meeting, Knight of Year and Family of Year will be decided for presentation at the August Picnic.

### New Business

Need help to spread 30 yards of wood chips around the Big Toy on Wednesday, July 19th at 6 PM. Greg will email for help.

Gary Moore has stepped forward to help with the scheduling of the Pancake Breakfasts. Thanks Gary!

Discussion on Kevin Mulligan's Eagle Scout Project for Camp Victory. Motion made, second and passed to fund up to \$175 for the project.

### District Items

**Field Agent Report** – No Report.

**District Deputy Report** – No Report.

### Good of the Order

Prayers were offered by the Grand Knight. Meeting adjourned at 9 PM