



# Knights of Columbus Monthly Newsletter

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## Our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

I would like to personally invite you to join with your brother knights and families as we celebrate our twentieth anniversary this July and the establishment of a new assembly at Pax Christi. The schedule of events on Saturday July 28<sup>th</sup> is:

- 5:00pm Attend Mass (4<sup>th</sup> degree knights in tuxedo and social baldric, other knights in suits)
- 6:15pm Dinner in Christi Center (catered by Rising Roll Gourmet Sandwiches)
- 7:00pm A brief history of the council and introduction of Past Grand Knights
- 7:30pm Installation of Council officers
- 8:00pm Installation of Assembly Officers

Cost is \$20 per family.

**Paul Sciera, Grand Knight**

## •Grand Knight's Message

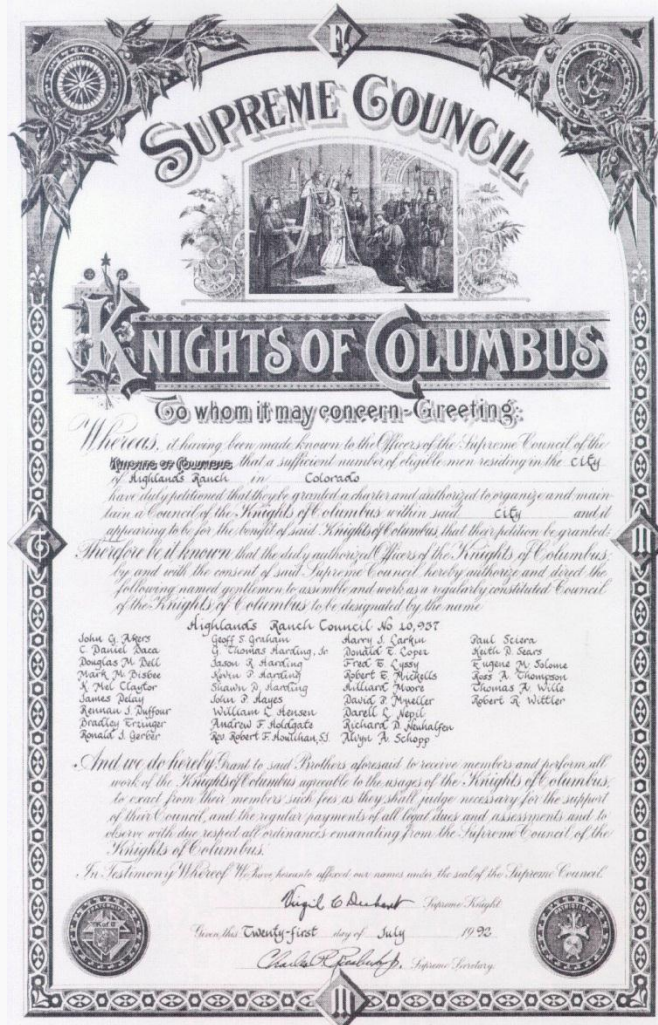


Paul Sciera

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Brothers: Our council was formed in 1992. Thomas Harding, who was the immediate past State Deputy, was the prime driving force behind getting the council started. Three of his sons, Jason, Kevin, and Shawn were among the original 33 members. Thomas Harding was our first Grand Knight and Ron Gerber the Deputy Grand Knight. Paul Sciera, John Akers, Mel Claytor, Ron Gerber, Hilliard Moore, Richard Neuhaufen, and Keith Sears were just a few that are still around in Pax Christi. Some of the original Brothers (Brad Erzinger, Andrew Holdgate, Rev. Bob Houlihan, Dave Mueller, Gene Solome) have passed away over the years. Here is a copy of our original charter followed by the roster of original members:



Last	First	Middle	Wife	City	St	Zip	Status
Akers	John	G	Linda	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	3rd degree member of 10937
Baca	Daniel	C	Terri	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No info, not a member of 10937
Bell	Douglas	M	Kathy	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No info, not a member of 10937
Bisbee	Mark	M		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Transferred out in 2006
Claytor	Mel	K		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	4th degree member, council 10937 and assembly 3353
Delay	James	P	Patricia	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Transferred out in 1997
Duffour	Rennan	J		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No info, not a member of 10937
Erzinger	Bradley	F		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Deceased
Gerber	Ronald	J	Deanne	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	4th degree member, council 10937 and assembly 3353
Grahan	Geoff	S		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Transferred out in 2000
Harding	Jason	R		Littleton	CO	80160	Transferred out in 2003
Harding	Kevin	P	Pamela	Niwot	CO	80544	Inactive member since 2004
Harding	Shawn	D		Littleton	CO	80160	No information
Harding,Jr	Thomas	G	Patricia	Littleton	CO	80160	Transferred out in 2004 to 1498, St. Mark
Hayes	John	P	Neva	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Transferred out in 2003
Hensen	William	L		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	3 <sup>rd</sup> degree member of 10937

Holdgate	Andrew	R	Barbara	Highlands Ranch	CO	8/0126	Deceased
Houlihan, Rev	Robert	F		Sedalia	CO	80135	Deceased
Larkin	Harry	J		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No information
Lopez	Donald	E		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Suspended in 1997
Lyssy	Fred	E	Cathy	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No information
Mickells	Robert	E	Lorraine	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	3 <sup>rd</sup> degree member of 10937
Moore	Hilliard		Marcia	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No information
Mueller	David	P	Patricia	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Deceased
Nepil	Darell	L	Mary	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No information
Neuhalfen	Richard	D		Lakewood	CO	80227	4 <sup>th</sup> degree member, council 10937 and assembly 3353
Schopp	Alvyn	A	Joanne	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Transferred out in 2004
Sciera	Paul		Jennifer	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	4 <sup>th</sup> degree member, council 10937 and assembly 3353
Sears	Keith	D	Ann	Denver	CO	80231	3 <sup>rd</sup> degree member, council 10937
Solome	Eugene	M	Donna	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	Deceased
Thompson	Ross	A	Sue	Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	No information
Wille	Thomas	A		Highlands Ranch	CO	80126	3 <sup>rd</sup> degree member of council 10937
Wittler, Dr	Robert A			Littleton	CO	80122	Transferred out in 1997

**The awards wall tells of our rich history. Our council has received dozens of awards over the years for the good works we have done in the name of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. On our 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary, I hope every Knight takes the time to stop by and see where we came from.**



**Paul Sciera**

**Grand Knight - Council 10937**



## Financial Secretary News



**Roger Giudici**

[Rogerguidici@comcast.net](mailto:Rogerguidici@comcast.net)

Brother Knights,

This weekend we will begin peach sales. As this is the largest fundraiser we do each year, it is vital that we have presence at all masses between now and when the peaches arrive.

As Sue has just retired, she does not have a need to be at as many masses, so she has requested that I not be the sole representative of the Knights at all four masses.

So I am asking that two people volunteer at each mass to be a mass captain and that any other knight attending a mass check with the captain before mass to see where his help is needed. As we get into the thick of selling peaches (mid-July to mid-August), I'd like to see three teams of at least two knights each be prepared to sell peaches.

Team 1 in the link or Great Hall

Team 2 on the plaza outside the link

Team 3 by the back door

I have made tickets and sign-up sheets for the sale already and will be at the masses this weekend.

If you can volunteer to be one of the eight mass captains, please let me know and I will train you. With two captains, hopefully one will always be at mass.

I'd like to keep this going, at a lower level, through much of the year to sell coffee, Christmas cards, collect Thanksgiving basket donations and pledges, sell fish fry tickets, and sell coffee.

Roger

## Treasurer Report

### Barney Meyer

As of 5/31/12:

Bank Balance	\$16,153.15
Outstanding Checks	\$2,122.02
Hailey Funds	\$933.00
Lady Knights' Funds	\$327.10
Available Funds	\$13,188.13

## Church News



**Ron Rietch**

*(Reconciliation Dinner, Christmas and Easter Parking, Seminarian Support, Beer and Brats, Adoration, Donuts)*

[rrgirles@msn.com](mailto:rrgirles@msn.com)

## Beer & Brats

Our next Beer & Brats is Saturday, July 14th after the 5pm Mass. Parishioners are asked to bring a side/salad to share. The Knights will provide the Beer & Brats.

## Parish Picnic

Well, the parish picnic is now history for this year. Judging from the attendance and the amount of food eaten, all had a great time. The Knights did most of the exterior setup,

including the canopies and cooked the meat.







Our Grand Knight, Paul Sciera also presented Father Brian with a traveling Mass kit. He no longer has to use a King Soopers shopping bag to tote his Mass items.



This was a special day for Sue Giudici and Christi Felcyn who were presented with a going away gift by Father Brian, on their retirement.



Chris Kenedy and Herb Engler then conducted tours of our new Rosary Walk.

Here are more pictures to enjoy.



The food line.

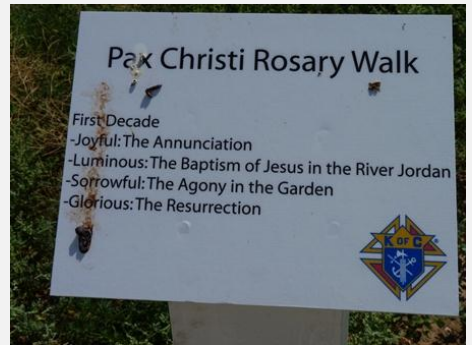




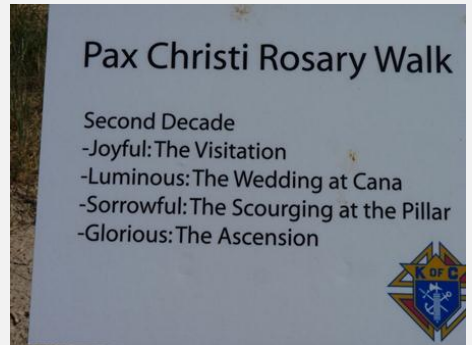
## The Rosary Walk is Finished!



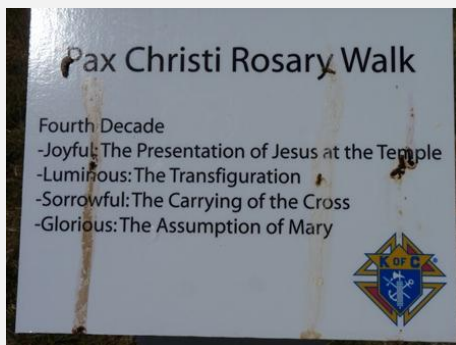
These signs were generously donated by Dodge Sign and we thank Wayne Dodge, Shawn Beebe and Kristein Chagnon for all of the great work on the signs.



For those of you who have been wondering what has been going on in the property just east of the Church. Members of the Knights of Columbus and the Youth Group have put in a Rosary Walk. The rosary walks consist of 60 paving stones, 250 yards of weed barrier and over 12 tons of gravel. We hope that his walk will be well used by our parishioners to help them in their prayer life. The last part of the prayer walk was installed this weekend when we put the signs up to designate the Mysteries associated with each Decade of the Rosary.







Chris

## Community News

### Bob Luckner

*(Adopt-a-Highway, Tootsie Roll Drive, Bicycle Drive, Fr. Woody's, Denver Rescue Mission)*

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### Denver Rescue Mission

(by Max Gramly)

Community outreach has always been a strength of the Knights of Columbus and it will soon be expanding. May, 2012 the Knights began helping serve food to those in need at the Denver Rescue Mission one Saturday lunch per month.

The Denver Rescue Mission offers family services, rehabilitation and the most basic of needs which is food. The Knights will coordinate and foster this effort (see the

attached electronic link for sign-up dates and details).

[http://www1.mysignup.com/cgi-bin/view.cgi?datafile=pax\\_christi\\_kofc\\_drm](http://www1.mysignup.com/cgi-bin/view.cgi?datafile=pax_christi_kofc_drm)

The goal is to have parish members and ministries participate with the Knights. Volunteers will be serving food that has already been prepared, while offering an encouraging word or smile. Community means all are welcome, and families or friends are encourage to participate together. It's also a great way to meet others in the parish in a giving way. All that's needed is your time.

The Denver Rescue Mission has a motto, "Changing lives in the name of Christ."

As a parish we hope to be part of this meaningful goal. It's also a great fit for our Parish Mission: "To make God's presence visible by ministering to our families and our community, which includes the poor and those not welcomed by our society; to be good stewards of the many gifts God entrusted to us."

We are scheduled to serve again on **Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup>**. Mark your calendar now to help in this rewarding activity. Use the above link to sign up.

### Highlands Ranch 4<sup>th</sup> of July

Dear Brother Knights and Brother Sir Knights (see all of you 1st, 2nd, and 3rd degree knights if you become 4th degree Knights you will be addressed as Sir Knight, at least in some e-mails)

We are once again marching in the Highlands Ranch 4th of July Parade. The Parade Starts promptly at 9:00 so if folks are interested in marching please be in attendance by about 8:30. We would love to have as many sir Knights in Regalia as Possible but if you don't have regalia and would like to walk along with the float all are welcome.

The starting spot for the parade is by the Target store at Highlands Ranch Parkway and Lucent Blvd. We are entry #20. The St. Mark Guys are making a float so our staging area will be on Highlands Ranch Parkway.

Hope to see everyone there.

Chris

## Communications News

This is a new category with this issue. Even though we no longer have a communications committee, there may occasionally be items of a communications nature that need to be made known. So, if you have a communications item, please let Herb Engler know and he will include it here.

### Calendar of Events

All of our upcoming events are published on a Google Calendar. This allows us to do the following things:

1. Show both a list and month view on our Website:

Click on the following links to see our calendar:

<http://kofc10937.org/index.php>

<http://kofc10937.org/Calendar.php>

These do not need any maintenance and are dynamically generated each time the page is loaded.

2. Allows access in any web browser (read only), by following this link:

<https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=kofc10937%40gmail.com&ctz=America/Denver>

3. Allows everyone to subscribe read only on their calendar programs, smart phones, iPads and other tablets and devices. You do not need a Gmail account to do this; all that is required is to subscribe to the CalDAV address here:

<https://www.google.com/calendar/ical/kofc10937%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics>

While the instructions differ from device to device, this is generally quite simple, for example:

IPhones/iPads:

- Go into settings
- Select Mail, Contacts, Calendars
- Select Add Account
- Select Other
- Select Add Subscribed Calendar
- Press Next
- After validation completes, press Save

You'll now be able to see the calendar on your device, but you will not be able to edit the events.

Please try these out and let me know if you have any problems. Can someone with an Andriod device, please reply with the steps for adding on one of those?

In addition, can you help me keep the calendar up-to-date and improve it by doing the following:

1. Let me know about any mistakes or omissions.
2. Provide me with the following detail to include on an event - Start and end times, location and contact for the person running the event.

Thanks

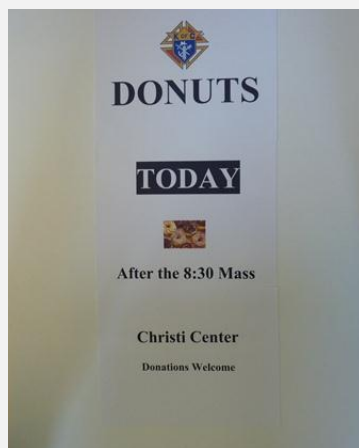
Guy Hopkins

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## A Frame Signs

The A frame signs are stored in the Knights closet.

If you plan on using them, you will have to put on your creative hat and create your own sign. It would be a good idea to keep your creation for future recurring dates, i.e. donuts and breakfasts.



Place the signs where people will see them but not block their way into the building. And remember to take the signs down after the event and place in the closet.

## Council News



### Leonard Leyba

*(Family Social Hour, Monthly Pancake Breakfast and Burritos, Peaches, Fish Fry)*

[Lenrd2001@yahoo.com](mailto:Lenrd2001@yahoo.com)

We will start pre-selling peaches on the weekend of June 30<sup>th</sup> for delivery in August. We will again offer full and half cases of peaches.

There will be no Family Social Hour in July because of our Council's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary function. Be sure and RSVP if you haven't already.

## Please Help Earth Friendly Coffee

The Earth Friendly Coffee company founded by Diane Hughes has the roasting facility right here in Denver until Maya Ixil community in Guatemala can raise enough money for roasting equipment.

Leonard Leyba, chairperson for 4 years, needs your help selling the coffee after all the Masses. If you can help, please contact Leonard at 303-794-7797 or [lenrd2@yahoo.com](mailto:lenrd2@yahoo.com). There are 2 ways you can help the indigenous people of Maya Ixil.

Either by buying Earth Friendly Coffee (\$10 for a full lb.bag) or help sell after Mass.

Integrated Commercial  
Cooperative Maya Ixil, R.L.

History of Associates

Santa Avelina, San Juan Cotzal,  
Quiché, Guatemala

**Antonio Pérez**, entered the Maya Ixil cooperative in 2005. Before this he had no knowledge of compost or organic production. Now he proudly feels part of the cooperative and organic coffee production. He initially produced 7 quintales (quintal is 100 lbs) of pergamino coffee, but now produces 25 quintales. He has increased his production through the training and support offered through the cooperative and has improved the living conditions of his 5 children, who are now able to go to school. With the implementation of the coffee roaster project, he will earn even more.



Bob Blanchette  
720 245 1097

VIVA Cristo Rey!!

### Brothers in Need

The following Brothers have special needs in their lives and request our support:

#### Bob Blanchette

I am a 3rd degree Knight @ Pax and also involved in several other ministries. I am unemployed and not having much luck with the "on-line" application game. Two kids, a house and the whole thing.

We live in Lone Tree. Fr. Ken knows me well as do the Gramlys (Max and Jeri). I have great faith, but am wondering if my brother knights might know of employers or opportunities that I could pursue. Good credentials: I have an undergraduate degree in Business Administration, 20+ years of experience in managing people, running a marketing department, special project coordination, sales support, etc. I am a good leader as well as a good follower.

Somehow I feel my next opportunity might come through my brother knights. I know the newsletter is not intended for this purpose, but I'm unsure of how to get the word out.

If you would like access to my resume, please contact me.

Blessings,



### Youth News



**Dennis Thumann**

*(Free Throw Contest, Soccer Shoot out, Scholarship, Financial Planning for Youth)*

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### Youth Meet Seminarians

Forty nine youths and 21 adults met with visiting Priests and Seminarians after the 5PM Mass on June 10th in the Christi Center.

Upon registration attendees were given a Special Guests form to collect autographs.

A "Who am I" contest was held to guess which fact relates to which religious. Each Religious gave a 2 to 3 minute speech on answering the call. Rewards were presented to those with correct answers.

Father Brian thanked our guests for sharing this evening with us and offered a closing prayer.

Each of the 6 guests spoke about their backgrounds and individual calling to the church. Their backgrounds are as diverse as ours. Everything from growing up in questionable neighborhoods to strict catholic upbringing.

Special guests were:

#### Deacon Jason Keas;

Had to fly to Hawaii to take a test – Spent time in Alaska visiting a Tilingit Indian Village – Once worked many days outside in 125 degree weather.

#### Seminarian Peter Morgan;

Has ridden 6 times in the back seat of the F-16D fighter jet – Likes fast cars and electronic music

#### Seminarian Tomislav Tomic (Bosnia);

#### Mateusz Ratajczak (Poland);

#### Father Louis;

Favorite animal is the horse - Has dislocated his shoulders over 20 times - Can't float in water

#### Father Ulrich;

Studied in the Dominican Republic - Is a fan of Argentina's Soccer team - Is a member of the Neocatechumenal Way



Tomislav Tomic is in the Blue shirt with Tie. Mateusz Ratajczak is in the light colored shirt. Seminarian Peter Morgan is between them and Deacon Jason Keas is on the right.





## Join the Pax Christi Team

It's time to sign up for the Pax Christi Relay for Life Team. By taking part in American Cancer Society Relay For Life, we have a chance to join 3.5 million people from across the United States to celebrate the lives of people who have battled cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against a disease that takes too much.



Bring your whole family. We will be camping out overnight and taking turns walking around the track. Feel free to join us for a few hours or all night. The Relay begins at 6 pm Friday and continues until 8:45 am Saturday morning. Relay is a life-changing experience. It's a night full of fun, hope, and remembrance.



Sign up for the Pax Christi Team at: [www.RFLHR-LT.org](http://www.RFLHR-LT.org) please select "Sign Up", then "Join a Team" and select the Pax Christi team. You will be asked for a \$10 registration fee. If you have any questions, call Dennis Thumann at 303-790-7990 and look for us in the Great Hall the weekends of July 21-22, July 28-29 and August 4-5.



We will need KC volunteers to cook the hamburgers and hotdogs for the team about 6pm August 10th, please let Dennis know if you can help.

Pax Christi Relay For Life Team

Anne and Dennis Thumann

John and Nancy Rawls

## Family News

### Your Name Could be Here

*(Spaghetti Dinners, Take Dad to the Ball Park, Family Hikes, Air Force Football, Christmas Party)*

Matt Yeagle and Dennis Thuman's Daughters.

**Relay For Life August 10-11  
at Cresthill Middle School  
Track**

## Needed, Wanted, and Appreciated - Family Program Director

Our Council is looking for a new Family Director !!!.

Over the last couple of years we have had 2 wonderful Family Program Directors, Bob Luckner and Shawn Conley. Bob is now our Community Program Director and Shawn's travel schedule is not allowing him to make the commitment to the program that he would like.

We are coming into a good time for the family program because of the outdoor activities we like to do. Shawn has already completed 2 of the bigger events, the spaghetti dinner for Mother's Day and our Colorado Rockies event that took place on June 29th.

We do need to complete 2 more events this summer. In the past, Bob, Shawn and John Starke have put on wonderful fishing, hiking camping events for the entire family but any new ideas are certainly welcomed and encouraged.

Please consider becoming our new Family Director.

Vivat Jesus!

Joe Musso

## Pro Life News



**Mike McGinnis**

*(Ultra Sound Project, Walk for Alternatives, Pro Life Rosary, Right to Life Mass)*

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## Alternatives Pregnancy Center

### 500\$ Donation Presented to Center

Mike and Denise McGinnis and Herb and Vonnie Engler visited the Alternatives Pregnancy Center on Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. The primary purpose of the visit was to present a check of \$500 to the center from our council. We met with Janice Vogt, Director of Church Mobilization, who gave us brief history of the center, its purpose and goals.



Denise also presented some knitted blankets to the center for distribution to new mothers..



Janice then took us on a tour of this main downtown Denver facility.



Last month, we announced that the Walk for Alternatives was canceled. Here is an article from Janice on the reason.



### Walk Repurposed

During the past year, we at Alternatives have been increasingly aware of how important it is to listen and keep our focus and energy dedicated to our mission.

And, after 30 years of ministry, we can't just be reactive to what is about to happen in May—we have to be proactive. We have to provide Alternatives now.

### Teen Pregnancy Soars after Prom in May

Every year during the month of May we see a surge in unplanned pregnancy after Prom and in requests for STD testing. It's heartbreaking. However, we are unable to adequately and aggressively provide resources to our community and churches while actively promoting the Walk for Alternatives.

Although the Walk has been one of our largest fundraising and community awareness events because of your support, this year, we are

repurposing our focus during May to enable and encourage our churches and high schools to help teens choose life and a promising future.

**This year instead of Walking we put our foot down and made a stand against teen pregnancy after Prom.**

We know you dedicate your time, talent and treasure to Alternatives because you too believe in our mission and have lovingly been our voice and Ambassador to your church, high school and home. And we need you now more than ever.

Alternatives After-Prom Campaign was held Saturday, April 28 at the Alternatives Pregnancy Center Downtown Office.

Together we can take important steps and do something now that can save lives in our community by enabling and encouraging our churches with Alternatives.

Gratefully,  
Janice Vogt

Director of Church Mobilization

Even though this event took place in May, its message is clear as stated in their mission statement:

**Alternatives Pregnancy Center exists to care for Denver-area women and men in pregnancy-related crisis and offer them a meaningful alternative to abortion.**

**Following the example of Christian love, we seek to meet emotional, physical and spiritual needs, enabling and encouraging women and men to choose life every day.**

### Alternatives Pregnancy Center Prayer Requests – June 26, 2012

1. Please pray for a client who has young children, is pregnant and has little support. Please pray that her



support system increases and her new relationship with God continues to grow. Please pray for peace for her as she communicates the news of her pregnancy to her significant other.

2. Please pray for an abortion-minded client who took a negative pregnancy test but is still concerned she could be pregnant. Please pray for this client to be open to talking with her Alternatives' Client Advocate about how to make healthy life-choices, leading to a promising future.

3. Please pray for a pregnant client who is struggling with tough life situations and is thoughtfully considering making an adoption plan for her baby. Please pray for guidance and peace as she considers her options.

4. Please pray for a young client who is questioning her sexual choices and fears the consequences of being sexually active. Please pray that this client remains open to talking about her sexuality and for resolve and support towards her goal of abstinence.

5. Please pray for an abortion-minded client to connect with her pregnancy. Please pray that she finds support and seeks counseling for previous abortions.

6. Please pray for a pregnant client who is scared and overwhelmed with her choice of parenting. Please pray for peace as she shares the news with the father of her baby.

7. Please pray for a client who is adjusting to life with children while studying and working.

8. Please pray for a client whose pregnancy test was negative. She is also experiencing other medical concerns. Please pray for clarity on these issues and for healing.

9. Please pray for a pregnant client who is fearful due to health concerns from previous pregnancies. Please pray for peace and support as she progresses through her pregnancy.

10. Please pray for a client who is overwhelmed by her responsibilities. Please pray that she finds strength and support to keep going forward. Also pray for client's husband to continue to find work where he can.

11. Please pray for a woman who is struggling through an abusive situation and then discovered that she is pregnant. She is very abortion minded. Please pray that she will gain support in her relationships as well as a heart to make a life-giving decision for herself and her baby.

12. Please pray for a client as she finds support to rehabilitate and stop her long-term drug use.

You will keep in perfect peace him whose mind is steadfast, because he trusts in you. Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD, the LORD, is the Rock eternal.

#### **Isaiah 26:3-4**

### **Pro Life Rosary**

Eight people attended the Right to Life Rosary on June 10<sup>th</sup> in the Chapel. Led by Mike McGinnis, we prayed to save babies from death through abortion. The next Pro-Life Rosary will be on our usual 2nd Sunday of the month, July 8th. Again, please stay after the 8:30 Mass or come early for the 10:30 Mass. We start the Rosary at 9:40 in the **Chapel** (please note the change of venue). Thanks to all participants. Hopefully, more Knights and their families will join us for coming Rosaries.

### **Right to Life Mass**

I chose to leave this article here in the hope that more Knights will be motivated to attend this very moving and meaningful Mass. This weekly event takes place across the street from the Planned Parenthood Center on Centennial Avenue in Colorado Springs at 8:00AM. Mass is normally attended by about 100 people. If you never attended Mass on a street corner, this will be a totally different experience.



### **Membership News**



**Max Gramly**

*(Membership Drive, First Degree Team)*

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**Moving on up:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Degree**



Nate Pray at Pax Christi on June 9.





### **First Degree Team:**

(From the left☺)

Bob Manzi – Inside Guard

Ben Stancati – Warden

Tom Odle – Financial Secretary

Chris Kennedy – Chancellor

Tom Whyte – Grand Knight

Mike Bolin – Deputy Grand Knight

Dick Neuhalphen – Sound Man

### **2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Degree**

Nick Detmer at Our Lady of Loreto on June 16



### **4<sup>th</sup> Degree**

Herb Engler, Joe Beckers and Bernie Byrne at St. Frances Cabrini on June 9.



### **New to the Council':**

#### **James Grady**



My wife Sanchaita (Rani) our son Avinash and I moved here last June from Rahway, NJ. I am originally from Queens, NY and my wife has lived all over the world including India, Terre Haute IN, and Puerto Rico. I work for Charles Schwab in Centennial where I manage our Fixed Income Trading Desk. My wife is a stay-at-home Mom; she worked as a Pharmaceutical Engineer before having our son. We love living in CO and are really enjoying the activities at the Church and with the Knights.

### **Membership**

Our membership quota is 12 and we are at 14 with 4 more to read-in. Our council was recognized for Star Council at the last state meeting. Six more by the end of June and we could be at Double Star.

We are at 225% insurance quota. Nice work as that generates the bulk of revenue for the Knights of Columbus.

Any member sponsoring a new Knight receives 1000 point bonus for recruitment as well as the "Be Not Afraid" commemorative coin from the Pope.

Fr Brian gets a "Be Not Afraid" plaque from the Pope if we hit one a month through June.

We have lots of events to talk to eligible men about joining our order; donuts about every Sunday, spaghetti dinners, pancake breakfasts, beer and brats, parish picnic.

Keep a list of friends that you would like to see join.

Talk to them about why you joined and how you benefit.

Fill out the Form 100 for them and have them sign it.

### **Vocations News**



**Gary Mayfield**

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### **Prayer Line**

Please pray for the following Brothers, and/or their families:

John Starke (Shoulder surgery)

Dennis Cullen (Will have surgery this week.)

Colleen Herskovit ( bike accident- broken arm)

Jim DeRose, Chris Kennedy's father (cancer)

### **Fourth Degree News**

Brother Knights,

I am pleased to announce that The Pax Christi Assembly 3353 has been chartered by Supreme as of May 11, 2012. We had our first meeting on June 9<sup>th</sup>. Here is the current roster of Sir Knights:

Last	Middle	First
Alfeld	H	John
Becker	D	Joseph
Burkett	J	Mike
Byrne	Bernard I	George
Claytor	M	Mel
Cullen	S	Dennis
Curcio	A	James
DeRose	M	James
Engler	A	Herbert
Gerber	J	Ronald
Giudici	U	Roger
Gramly	R	Max
Haley	Keith	Brian
Herskovits	D	Jonathan
Hilton	J	John
Kennedy	J	Christopher
Klayer	E	George
Leyba	E	Leonard
Luckner	C	Robert
Manzi	A	Robert
Mayfield	J	Gary
Mosley	R	Christopher
Murphy	J	Brian
Musso	C	Joseph
Neuhalfen	D	Richard
Ogunmodede	A	Victor
Odle	H	Thomas
Petteys	M	Dave
Pimmel	M	Timothy
Rietsch	J	Ronald
Schley	H	Charles
Sciera		Paul
Starke	E	John
Suhr	M	Dave
Thumann	W	Dennis
Walsh	T	Jerome
Whyte	E	Thomas
Yeagle	E	Matthew

#### Fourth Degree Knights:

- Are committed to the preservation of the Church and the Order
- Act on what is right and honorable
- Lead and serve our brother Knights
- Foster patriotism

[Visit this link to learn more about the Fourth Degree.](#)

## Lady Knight News

### Jennifer Sciera

The Lady Knights is an informal group of Knights wives. We do what we can to support the Knights activities and charitable causes.

We meet every other month. If your wife would like to receive our email communications, please send an email to [jsciera@q.com](mailto:jsciera@q.com).

Thanks

Jenny

### Knight of the Month

James Grady Membership# 3378638  
10726 Riverbrook Cir

Highlands Ranch, CO 80126

James is a 3rd Degree Knight with 16 years of service as he became a new Knight in 1996.

James is a new transfer to our Council. He has been quick to jump right in to support both the Parish as well as our Council.

James has volunteered to sell 1#bags of coffee after mass. The proceeds of coffee sales go to the Pax Christi building fund which is used to pay down bonds.

He was a huge help to the Council this month by volunteering to handle the grocery shopping for our monthly pancake breakfast. This may seem simple but it is a big project when you are sent to buy food to feed 300 people breakfast. The list is extensive and quantities are big.

His contribution came at a really good time for the Parish and the Council as we needed someone to perform these duties for us.

We are thrilled when our newest Knights actively participate in council activities which make James our clear choice for Knight of the Month.

## Family of the Month

For the month of March, 2012, the **Michael Callahan** family was selected as the Family of the Month. Michael and his family, Andrea, Alyssa 3, Isabella 5 and Damon 7 live at:

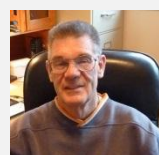
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We are blessed to have Mike and his family as members of our council. Mike has been a Knight since 2009 and is currently a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Knight. This month, we had a spaghetti dinner for the families of our parish. The dinner occurred the evening before Mother's Day and Mike's son gave each Mother a rose in honor of their commitment to all of us. Our Mother's enjoyed the gesture.

It is our pleasure to have the Mike Callahan family as our Family of the month.

## Colorado Knight of the Month



**Our council was honored with the selection of Herbert Engler as the Colorado Knight of the Month for April. Here is the announcement that appeared in the June issue of the Colorado Knights Call:**

### Colorado Knight of the Month

Fraternity is the principle manifested by the State Knight of the Month for April 2012. He is Brother Herbert Engler of Council 10937 in Highlands

Ranch. Brother Herb only joined our Order in December 2010 and became a 3rd Degree Knight in May 2011.

Last month, he dedicated himself to producing a new monthly newsletter for his council. It was designed to keep council members fully aware of all the monthly activities of their parish and council. Award winners were published as well as the background and careers of various council members. This allowed all members to better know and appreciate the skills and talent available for both council and personal needs. The newsletter is packed with information, is very easy to read and highlighted with headlines and captions for pictures.

For his time consuming effort in reaching out to all members of his council, the State Council is pleased to name Brother Herbert Engler its Colorado State Knight of the Month for April 2012.

**Joe McAleer**

Joe McAleer  
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