

The Emblem



Gramercy KC Council No. 1817

August 2025

Brother Knights and Families,

Thanks to everyone who attended the July meeting.

The meeting this month will be Wednesday, August 13th. The rosary will start at 6:30 PM, meal at 7:00 PM and the meeting will start at 7:30 PM.

July winner of the 50-50 was Brother Todd Bland. The amount was \$84.00

Please pray for our brothers who are sick or in distress, especially Brothers, Mac Veron, Charles "Sonny" Detillier and Patrick "Rosebud" Tramonte.

Sunday Dinner will be on August 31st. Proceeds will benefit St. James Parish ARC (Association of Retarded Citizens).

We are updating our records. If you have a new phone number or email address please let us know.

There is a Knights of Columbus link on the church web site. Go to www.rivrdcat.org/kc-bulletin.

Blessed are they who can laugh at themselves, for they shall never cease to be amused!

Vivat Jesus

Barry

Barry Weber – Grand Knight



August Birthday Wishes

- 1st - Wilbur Reynaud
- 4th - Christopher Poche'
- 8th - Paul Zeringue
- 8th - Dale Hymel, Jr.
- 9th - Mac Bordelon
- 12th - Hubert Cazentre
- 13th - Lennis Cormier, Jr.
- 14th - Wade Faucheux
- 14th - Robert Millet, Sr.
- 16th - Malcolm Peytavin
- 19th - Robert Dufresne, Jr.
- 19th - Brent Duhon
- 24th - Terry Toland
- 25th - Todd McClung
- 26th - Alton "Cook" Bourgeois
- 27th - William Coles
- 28th - Richard "T-Rich" Bourgeois

Congratulations!

July Knight of the Month
Brother Todd Bland

July Family of the Month
Brother Emery Forsythe Family

Insurance Agents Report

Brother Matthew Maurin

Brothers,

Many people believe their children will take care of them if they experience an extended care event someday.

- ▶ Who do you envision providing care for you in 30-40 years?
- ▶ Is your family prepared to take on the role of caregiver?
- ▶ How will you pay for an extended care event?

An extended care plan can help your family be there when they can, not when they must.

Now is the time to prepare for your family's future needs. As your Knights of Columbus agent, I can help you review your financial goals and ensure you have an extended care plan in place. Come talk to me to set up an appointment.

Fraternally,

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MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITIES

(Brother Gordon Jenkins, Director)

Supreme has instituted on line exemplifications. This initiation can take place in the candidate's home on his computer. Through this process the candidate is initiated into the 3rd degree of our order. Any 1st degree member can register, attend the online ceremony and become a 3rd degree member. This process is available 24/7. The link is <https://files.constantcontact.com/716460b3001/a025d4a5-5f59-4cef-9382-65291bb31716.pdf>

If you need help Brother Emery Forsythe or I can email the link to you.

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Father Laz has transferred into our Council. Welcome Father Laz.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

(Brother Brien Louque, Director)

Several Brother Knights and I will be attending our annual retreat at Our Lady of the Oaks in Grand Coteau on September 25, 26, 27 & 28. If any Brother Knight would like to join us get up with your Grand Knight ASAP.

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES



Father Laz Reception Euchre Champs
Brothers Wendell "Duke" Bourgeois & Brother Williamson



July Sunday Dinner Euchre Champs
Cousins, Brothers Ralph Borne & Kerry Dufresne



E.T. Call Home

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES Cont.

Bingo, Thursdays at 7:00 PM. All help is appreciated!

Bible study group meets at 5:15 AM every Thursday at the KC home. Everyone is welcome.

Knight of the Year is Brother Willie Keating

Family of the Year is Brother Emery & Regaina Forsythe

Nominated for home board are Brothers Jason Amato, Todd Bland, Kerry Dufresne & Keith "Cap" Hymel, for a two year term. We will elect 3.

Nominations will be reopened at the August meeting and election will take place.

Brothers Byron Jacob, David "Boo" Louque, Roger Louque & Kelly "Toby" Keller have 1 year left on their term.

A shout out to our Brother Knights who 90+ years of age: Brother Alton "Cook" Bourgeois, 97 years old, member for 75 years, Brother Willie Louque, 90 years old, member for 70 years, Brother Carl Poche' MD, 93 Years old, member 65 years and Brother Eldrige Zeringue, 97 Years old, member 65 years. Congratulations Brothers!! Hold it together!!

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Sunday dinner will be on August 31st. Proceeds will benefit St. James Parish ARC (Association of Retarded Citizens).

STUDENTS

A little girl was talking to her teacher about whales.

The teacher said it was physically impossible for a whale to swallow a human because even though it was a very large mammal its throat was very small.

The little girl stated that Jonah was swallowed by a whale.

Irritated, the teacher reiterated that a whale could not swallow a human; it was physically impossible.

The little girl said, 'When I get to heaven I will ask Jonah.'

The teacher asked, 'What if Jonah went to hell?'

The little girl replied, "Then you ask him."

Children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Christian school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. Someone had written a note and put it next to the apples. It read, "Take only one, God is watching."

Moving through the line, to the other end of the table, was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies.

One little boy wrote his own note and snuck it next to the cookies, "Take all you want, God is watching the apples."



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Wilbur Reynaud	2
3	4 Christopher Poche'	5	6	7 Bible Study 5:15 AM Bingo 7:00 PM	8 Paul Zeringue Dale Hymel	9 Mac Bordelon
10	11	12 Hubert "Doc" Cazentre	13 Lennis Cormier, Jr. KC Meeting 6:30 Rosary 7:00 Meal 7:30 Meeting	14 Bible Study 5:15 AM Bingo 7:00 PM Wade Fauchaux Robert Millet, Sr.	15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	16 Malcolm Peytavin
17	18	19 Robert Dufresne, Jr. Brent Duhon	20	21 Bible Study 5:15 AM Bingo 7:00 PM	22	23
24 Terry Toland	25 Todd McClung	26 Alton "Cook" Bourgeois	27 William Coles	28 Bible Study 5:15 AM Bingo 7:00 PM Richard "T-Rich" Bpougeois	29	30
31 Sunday Dinner Benefit St. James Parish ACR						

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Knights of Columbus

HAVE YOU SIGNED UP A NEW MEMBER?

Reminder!

KC Meeting
2nd Wednesday
every month.
6:30 pm

Rosary
Meal
Meeting

Please join us!