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In Honor Of Our Troops and Veterans This Memorial Day

Dear Brother Sir Knights and Ladies:

Well the Spring Exempt has just been completed. It was a lovely ceremony and was the first time I have had the opportunity to see the new format. It was very well done and the presentation was moving. I encourage all of you that have yet to see the new format for the Exemplification to make time to see it next time. Our Assembly is proud to welcome two new members. Please be sure to attend the May meeting and welcome them and their Ladies to the Assembly. I wasn't able to attend to 1st Annual Father McGivney Dinner and dance but I understand it went very well, and that the hospitality suites were opened that evening as well for those that didn't wish to dance after the dinner. Thanks to Brother Dave and Lady Kathy for taking care of our hospitality Suite. They certainly went above and beyond the call of duty in keeping it open through late Friday night and still ready for breakfast early on Saturday. As an additional bright point, during the dinner our Worthy Master called out special recognition for our very own Norbert in appreciation for all of the Ads he sold in support of the Exemplification, please be sure to congratulate him yourself.

Our Meeting should be pretty quick this month but the election of officers for the next fiscal year will be at this meet so please plan to attend and put in your vote. If you have additional nominees or would like to volunteer for a position please contact Jerry Lowery or Shawn Ansbro who are collection the nomination list. There will also be an opportunity to place additional nominations at the meeting.

Thanks to all who have taken the time out of their busy schedule to help with all of the 1st Communions, Confirmations, Honor Guards and other 4th degree events this past month. Spring is always a busy time and any help at these events is always appreciated. May is still a very busy month so please be sure to check your schedule, look over the pilots report and assist with any events that you can. The appreciation at seeing the Knights in full regalia we get from those attending these events always amazes me.

Last but certainly not least please clear your calendars for Saturday June 13th. This is the date of the annual Past Faithful Navigators Dinner Dance. This year the event will be hosted at Seton Parish so let's all help to make the event a success and enjoy a great social event. The Cost is \$60.00/couple and includes dinner and dancing. Music is being provided by Music you Remember DJ Entertainment. The registration form is on our Assembly website, www.kofcassembly2900.org. Everyone is invited so please feel free to invite friends and family and get a group together.

Thanks again for a wonderful month.

Terry Reine

Faithful Navigator

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Business Meeting Minutes

Meeting opened at: 7:30 pm

Roll of Officers: Faithful Friar, Faithful 2 year Trustee—Excused.

Reading of the minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes as published. Motion was seconded and passed by all.

Faithful Friar's Report: No Report.

Faithful Navigator Report: Thanks to everyone for being here tonight. Thanks to the Dave & Kathy the ever popular pizza. The Spring exemplification will be May 2nd at Cherry Valley Lodge. It will be preceded by the 1st annual Father McGivney Dinner Dance on Friday evening. The Dance is an open event so bring your friends and their wives. Please take the time to invite any potential new members new because as an added incentive any member with forms and money turned in by April 17th will get 1 free ticket to the dance. Is support of the exemplification please start considering any ad sales now.

Reading of Bills & Communications:

Communications:

- Thank you letter from Mary Ann Winger (Military Outreach Program).
- Letter for Donation from Knights.
- Letter from Rodolfo Palacios, MSGT, USAF Task Force Med NCOIC Emergency Dept., Bagram Air Field, Afghanistan.
- St. Johns Villa letter needing donations.

Bills: Food: XX.XX, Supreme Bill: XX.XX, Pennies for Heaven donation: XXX.XX. A motion was made to submit bills to Trustees for payment. A motion was first made by Eugene Ebert and seconded by Tom Denning. The motion was passed by all.

Faithful Captains Report: Captain thanked everyone for coming. The meal for May will be Cynco Di Myao Mexican. Bring something seasonal. Bring any beverage to Dave Baker and Terry Reine. Beverage Pop or Beer or snacks.

Faithful Pilots Report: Faithful Pilot summarized events for April, May and June. Very busy time. Check the website for other calendar events.

Faithful Admiral's Report: Only have one candidate, Scott Banaski, St. Pius X, Council 5253.

Faithful Comptroller's Report: Dues paid up for all except for one individual and was dropped from the rolls. Offering XX.XX Fr. McGivney Dinner for 1 May Exemp. He has the list. XXX.XX for both dinners.

Faithful Purser's Report: Went over Fund Record for month ending 31 Mar 09 and Revenue Expense for 31 Mar 09 also. Copy of both were provided.

Faithful Scribe's Report: No Report.

Report of Committees:

PFN Dinner – update. Jerry Lowery went over arrangements with contractor for \$30.00 per person for June 13, 2009 PFN Dinner.

Golf Outing—The Course has been contacted and date set for October 4th. Awaiting callback on the final price. We have to reserve the PAC yet. Still looking for volunteers for Hole Spon-

sors, Advertising/recruiting, and Prize chairman. Shaun has volunteered for Food, Gene Ebert will help with registration.

Unfinished Business:

Report of Trustee's: No Report except for Bogomir Glavan said formed our budget for next year. Went over notes from last months ideas concept. Bogomir Glavan went over the proposal also.

Challenge Coins cooperation with other assemblies. No report.

New Business:

Nominations of Officers-

F. Navigator – Dave Baker
F. Captain – Tom Denning
F. Pilot – Bogomir Glavan
F. Admiral – Terry Reine
F. Scribe –
F. Purser – Gordon Burke
F. Comptroller – C. W. Higdon
F. Inner Sentinel – Cary Hisey
F. Outer Sentinel – Allen Deloye
F. 1st Year Trustee – Jesse Garcia
F. 2nd Year Trustee – Jerry Lowery
F. 3rd Year Trustee - Shawn Ansbro

Let Shawn Ansbro or Jerry Lowery know if you want an officer position. There will be a final selection and elections in June for officers to take effect in July.

Patron Report: No report.

Report of the 3rd degree - 2nd/3rd Degree Last Sunday of April at St. Andrews. Last one until October.

Having Ordination Anniversary for Msgr Fairchild on 31 May 09.

Norbert Smithberger thanked everyone for their prayers on his accident and health.

Good of the Order: Gary Eckstein, All of our Priests and Lay ministers, All those serving in the military, Tom Bernens, Bishop Campbell, Alfreda Copec, Charles Higdon, Jr., Siedlecki Family, Hans Bauer, John DeBoy, Charles Brown, Maureen Patterson.

The 50/50 Winner Drawing: Tim Kujawa. Winner was not present to receive money.

50/50: XXX and Pennies for Heaven: XXXX.

Meeting ended at 8:32 PM

Steve McClellan

Faithful Scribe



Captain's Report

Greetings to all and welcome to the Sir Knights and Ladies who were exemplified the weekend of May 2-3. A Special **"Thank You"** to all that donated food, beverages or alcohol to the hospitality suite. We had a great weekend at Cherry Valley Lodge and made new friends and shared old stories.

Last month's meeting was a simple feast of pizza, but the side and desserts made the meal special. Thanks to everyone that bought some sides and desserts.

Come celebrate **Cinco de Mayo** with us on **May 20th**! We might be a few days late, but we will have some fun and enjoy **"Tacos and Spanish rice."** Bring your favorite sombrero or your poncho (no tequila though) and enjoy some tasty food. We will provide the taco meat, lettuce, cheese, salsa, onion, sour cream and the Spanish rice. Please bring a side to share or a dessert. For the Ladies – Kathy is currently working on a speaker for the May and June meetings. Details to follow!



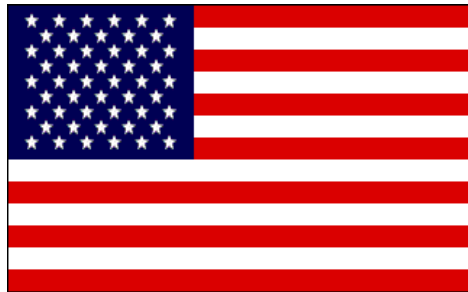
Are you ready for summer? We thought we start the summer off by having a picnic for our **June 17th meeting**. We will be serving **hot dogs with all the fixings** you can think of and **potato salad**. We will also be serving lemonade as a special treat. Please consider a side dish or a dessert to complete the dinner. Please leave all ants, mosquitoes and bees at home!

We are almost done with our year of serving as Captain and Captain's wife! We continue to have a great time preparing dinners and entertainment for the Assembly. If you have any questions or need to reach us, please call Lady Kathy at 614-861-1580 or 614-216-0216.



SKS. David Baker and Lady Kathy

Faithful Captain



Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900 Shirt Order Form

Make Checks Payable to "Quality Stitch" and place in Jesus Garcia's church mailbox

NAME _____

	<u>QTY</u>		<u>Cost</u>		
Polo	_____	x	\$30.00	=	_____
Dress	_____	x	\$30.00	=	_____
Dress only	Long Sleeve	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	Short Sleeve	<input type="checkbox"/>			
				Total	_____
Size	Med	Lrg	XL	2X	3X (circle one)

Past Faithful Navigators Dinner Dance



The Pope Paul II Assembly 2900 and the Father Huber Assembly 809 are hosting the 2009 Past Faithful Navigator Dinner and Dance on Saturday, June 13th, 2009 At the St Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Activity Center, 600 N. Hill Rd. Pickerington Ohio 43147.

Everyone is invited ...Formal Wear or Business Attire for the Men, Evening Wear for the Ladies, Tux/Social Baldric for Sir Knights. (You are welcome to invite Family Members and Friends to attend with you.)

"Come One, Come All"

Time: Cocktails & Munchies @ 6:00 PM
Dinner @ 7:00PM, Dancing @ 8:00PM

Cost: \$ 60.00 per couple \$ 30.00 per individual

Easy Listing and Dance Music provided by:
"Music You Remember - DJ Entertainment"



Dinner Menu – Maple Peach Glazed Pork Tenderloin, Caesar salad, Scalloped Potatoes, Roasted Vegetable Blend, Fresh Hot Dinner Rolls w Butter

RSVP - If you Plan to attend, please RSVP with your payment and reservation form below prior to **June 1st, 2009.**

Mail Reservation & Payment to:

SK Jerry J. Lowery,
349 Gnarled Oak St.
Pickerington, Ohio 43147-1240

Make Checks out to:

Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900.

For further information Email jlowery@insight.rr.com, or Phone (614) 920-0066

===== **RESERVATION FORM** =====

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Assembly Number _____ Current or Past KofC Office _____

Number in Party _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Holy Mother Mary

The last General Audience held by Pope John in the Vatican Basilica he asked us to:

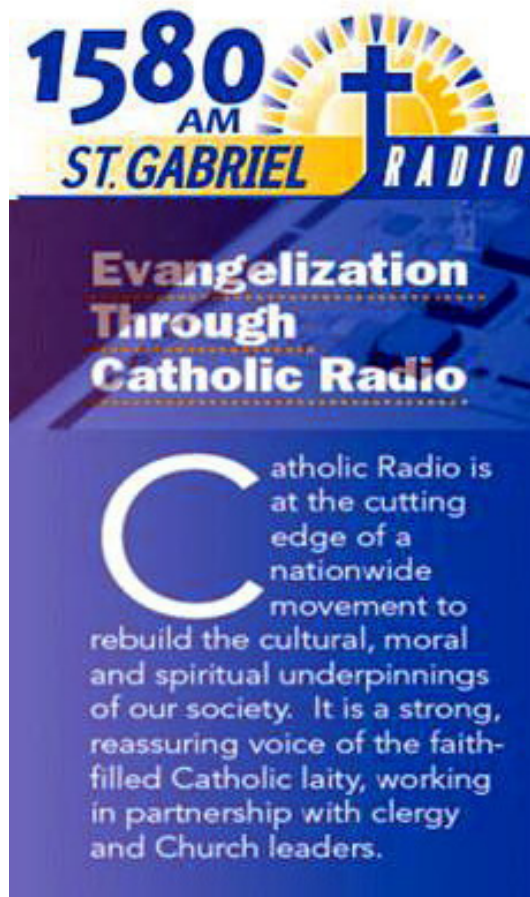
LOOK TO MARY

Is it possible for a Christian not to love the Holy Mother of Jesus, whom he has regarded with affection since his childhood, to whom he prayed with the first words he ever uttered, and to whom he has trustfully turned for help in the difficult moments of life? All find in her and for her a tender expression of confidence and gentleness; this is a great comfort to us, a great comfort at all times.

In this month of May good Christians increase a hundredfold their tributes of profound veneration for Mary.

We must cherish in our hearts a fervor that will strengthen us and enable us to look to Jesus and Our Lady with great confidence, so that we may not only await but hasten the triumph of the Lord's charity and grace, by our enthusiasm and virtuous living and through our apostolate. This fervor must promote brotherly love and induce us to reject all motives for division among us, because the Lord came to redeem the whole world, and continued his work of salvation, mercy and peace.

SK Bud Joos



Pilots Report

DATE	LOCATION	TIME	EVENT	REQUEST
Monday 18 May 2009	St Pius X Parish, 1051 Wagner Road, Reynoldsburg OH	6:30PM	Confirmation Mass at 7:00PM	Honor Guard
Wednesday 20 May 2009	Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Grove City	6:30PM	Confirmation Mass at 7:00PM	Honor Guard
May 22-24 2009	Cincinnati Ohio		KofC Ohio State Convention	Honor Guard
Saturday 23 May 2009	Church of the Ascension	5:00PM	Council 4324 request Honor Guard directly after Mass, drive to St Joseph Cemetery to remember the fallen and Living Veterans of our Country.	Honor Guard
Monday 25 May 2009 Memorial Day	Veterans' Memorial, Village Green Park, behind 47 Hall Street, Powell Ohio	11:00 AM	City of Powell Memorial Day Ceremonial St Joan of Arc's KofC is point of contact	Honor Guard
Monday 25 May 2009 Memorial Day	Meet VFW at rear of Maplewood Cemetery on SR 605 South of New Albany Ohio	9:15 AM	KofC and VFW Memorial Service.	Color Guard

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Comments or articles contact
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UPCOMING EVENTS

May 2009	
20	Social/Business Meeting 6:30 pm
25	MEMORIAL DAY
June 2008	
17	Social/Business Meeting 6:30 pm
21	FATHER'S DAY

Meeting Reminder - OFFICERS

Any Officer who cannot attend any up-coming meeting needs to call or email me. If no call or email is received, you will be marked as unexcused/absent.

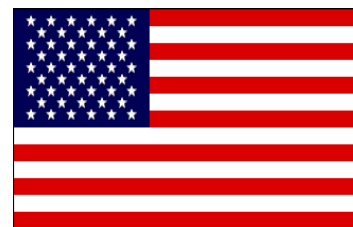
Terry Reine
 Faithful Navigator

2008/2009 Officers Phone List

<u>Faithful Friar</u> Deacon Hector Raymond	833-0671 x 243
<u>Faithful Navigator</u> Terrence Reine	837-6077
<u>Faithful Captain</u> David Baker	861-1580
<u>Faithful Admiral</u> Shawn C. Ansbro	759-7876
<u>Faithful Pilot</u> Tom Denning	751-8069
<u>Faithful Scribe</u> Steve McClellan	(740) 927-5084
<u>Faithful Comptroller</u> CW Higdon	868-0365
<u>Faithful Purser</u> Gordon Burke	861-1191
<u>Faithful Inner Sentinel</u> Allen Deloye	530-1184
<u>Faithful Outer Sentinel</u> Steve Valentine	(740) 927-1464
<u>3 Year Trustee</u> Jerry J lowery, PFN	920-0066
<u>2 Year Trustee</u> Jesus V. Garcia III, PFN	577-9016
<u>1 Year Trustee</u> Bogomir Glavan	837-0651
<u>Faithful Commander</u> Cary Hisey	868-9002
<u>Faithful Patron</u>	



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Prayer Corner



Gary Eckstein, All of our Priests and Lay ministers, All those serving in the military, Tom Bernens, Bishop Campbell, Alfreda Copec, Charles Higdon, Jr., Siedlecki Family, Hans Bauer, John DeBoy, Charles Brown, Maureen Patterson.