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# Schools out for Summer!!!

### Dear Brother Sir Knights and Ladies:

Seemingly so quickly another fraternal year has passed. Our successes and accomplishments are due to you and our Ladies. It has been my memorable honor to represent you as Navigator during the past year. My special thanks to the officers and activity chairmen who gave us their extra effort and time.

There is always more that can be done. I trust that our next navigator will receive the same support in his efforts that I have enjoyed. May we continue to aspire to the high ideals of the Fourth Degree, develop our fraternal spirit through our activities, continue to focus our support for our veterans and increase our participation in regalia events.

This month we will hold our elections for the upcoming year. Please volunteer your services or at least nominate and encourage a brother to hold office.

Please join us Wednesday, June 8th at 6:45 PM for dinner followed by the Assembly meeting and ladies' social. Fellow Knights and Ladies: Help us recruit new members by inviting the wives and families of any 1<sup>st</sup>, 2nd or 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Knight to our dinners. For the latest information concerning news and events check the website www.kofcassembly2900.org, and your e-mail.

For information on upcoming state events check www.kofcohio.org.

## Bogomir Glavan

Faithful Navigator

Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900 meets at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish 600 Hill Road in Pickerington OH.

Meetings are held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month

#### ATTENTION:

As a reminder, articles for the newsletter are due by the 25th of each month. This allows time for layout and editing and allows the newsletter to be sent out before activities for the month take place.

Thank you for the help in this matter.

*Jesus V Garcia III*, pfn

Newsletter Editor

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#### **Business Meeting Minutes**

No minutes received

### Steve McClellan

Faithful Scribe

#### Nominations for 2011/12 Assembly Officers

Nominations for Assembly Officers for the 2011/12 Fraternal year are below:

Faithful Friar: - Appointed

Faithful Navigator: - SK Charles W. Higdon Faithful Captain: - SK Gordon Picket Faithful Pilot: - SK Phil Siedlecki Faithful Admiral: - SK Bogomir Glavan Faithful Comptroller: - SK Steve Valentine

Faithful Purser: - SK Gordon Burke
Faithful Scribe: - SK Mike Croyle
Faithful Inner Sentinel: - SK Frank Hare
Faithful Outer Sentinel: - SK Gene Ebert
Faithful Trustee 3 year: - SK David Baker
Faithful Trustee 2 year: - SK Terry Reine PFN
Faithful Trustee 1 year: - SK Shawn Ansbro PFN

Faithful Commander: - Appointed Faithful Patron: - Appointed

Please consider running for an office.

### SK Jesus Garcia, PFN

#### **Shirt Orders:**

We are trying a new method in ordering the Assembly Dress and Polo shirts. If anyone would like a shirt, we will need the order form (below) and check (made out to Quality Stitch) by July 1st, 2011. The order will then be placed on or about 6 July and hopefully make this a quicker turnaround the previous attempts.

We will order shirts twice a year, thus allowing a more timely response.

SK. Jesus Garcia, PFN

### Fr. Michael J. McGivney Guild

For information on the founder of the Knights of Columbus, please visit the following website:



http://kofc.org/about/history/founder/index.cfm

To join the Father Michael J. McGivney Guild, please visit the following website:

http://kofc.org/about/history/founder/participate/index.cfm

#### Captain's Report

"Dime-a-dog night' was enjoyed by thirty eight Sir Knights and their Ladies and other family members at our May social gathering. Although nearly constant rain and generally miserable weather has marked the entire spring, the spirit of those present was not dampened in the least. In addition to the "dogs", a number of desserts and other side dishes being available, everyone had their fill and thoroughly enjoyed the springtime theme.

We welcomed recently exemplified Sir Knight Frank and Lady Dianne Hare to our gathering this month and look forward to their continuing participation.

Among several activities, the ladies and family members continued their ongoing game of "Greedy". Lady Norma Higdon (who just happens to be my favorite contestant) came on strong toward the end and captured the win. Better luck next month to all the participants.

Sloppy Joes are planned for our June gathering. Everyone is asked to bring appropriate side dishes and desserts as well. We look forward to seeing everyone on June 15<sup>th</sup>.

## C W Higdon

Faithful Captain

#### June, 2011

Pope John Paul II's beatification to sainthood is meaningful not only to the world and to the Church but also to the Knights of Columbus. This month is the second in a series of eight addresses by John Paul II to the Knights of Columbus.

"Whenever I think of the Knights of Columbus. I am reminded with joy of a rich heritage of faith, fraternity, and service, and of a shining example of Catholic laity involved in the mission of the Church. And therefore...I, encourage you to carry on the worthy traditions which are yours, even as St Paul says, "to make still greater progress" (1 Thes 4:1), seeking to be ever more attentive to the word of God and completely disposed to carry out Gods will."

Message to 101<sup>st</sup> Supreme Convention, Columbus, Ohio. July 21,1983.

Also when we tend to feel that we do not get enough rest in our busy lives Pope John Paul II stated after he returned from a particularly wearing trip and someone pointed out that his schedule for the next day was already full of tiring commitments he said;

"We will have a whole eternity to rest"

**Bud Joos**, PGK

Lecturer

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



In Service To One. In Service To All.

#### **Summary of Officer Duties**

Faithful Navigator - presides at all meetings of the Assembly. In parliamentary and other decisions as presiding officer the FN will be strictly just and impartial; eliminate at once any attempt on the part of members for the control of the Assembly and its domination for selfish purposes. Insist at all times that the Assembly must be fraternal and patriotic in fact as well as in name. Enforce the laws strictly, but not harshly, keeping in mind at all times that the good of the Order of the Knights of Columbus comes before any individual member. With patriotism, charity, unity and fraternity practiced in our Order you need not fear for success.

**Faithful Captain -** In the absence of the Faithful Navigator will assume his duties, will assure a good attendance at meetings and other functions of the Assembly and to take direct charge of all activities social and otherwise under that portion of the order of business known as the Good of the Order.

**Faithful Pilot** - The duties correspond with the duties of the Warden of a Council, and require careful and diligent performance. The Faithful Pilot is responsible for the arrangement of the Assembly chamber, have charge of all prosperities except moneys, accounts and record books of the officers but including ceremonials. Direct and be responsible for the activities of the Inner and Outer Sentinels. Acquire and maintain a thorough knowledge of the policies, procedures and protocols governing the National Flag.

**Faithful Comptroller** - shall Maintain Records. Keep roll of member information, collect and receive all moneys due the Assembly, keep account of charges and receipts of each member, provided member and account reports and perform all other acts required by laws of the fourth degree, the order and the rules of the board os directors.

**Faithful Scribe** - will be expected to attend all meetings of the Assembly and truthfully and accurately record and report the proceedings of the meetings and conduct correspondence of the Assembly and perform such other duties as the Assembly of the order may direct.

**Faithful Purser** - shall be the custodian of all funds of the Assembly obtained from any source. At each meeting receive moneys from the Faithful Comptroller and provide written receipts, pay all orders drawn on him, keep separate accounts of moneys and provide his books for annual audit.

**Sentinels** - The Faithful Inner and Outer Sentinels are entrusted with the responsibility of seeing that all in attendance at the Assembly function are position of both the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> degree travel card and report so to the Pilot. They shall perform such other duties as may be imposed upon them by the Faithful Pilot.

**Faithful Admiral** - Preside at all meetings of the Assembly in the absence of the Faithful Navigator and Faithful Captain. In the absence of the Faithful Friar, perform his duties at Assembly meetings and perform all other duties assigned to home by the Faithful Navigator.

**Trustees** - Trustees shall be responsible to watch and guard the finances of this Assembly and to see that they are properly applied. Trustees shall audit the reports of the financial officers and periodically report to the members and to the Master of your District. keep this Assembly in a sound and healthy financial condition.

2011-2012 Nominees for Assembly 2900 Officers with summary of Officer Duties

(Reference Laws and Rules Governing the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus)

### Fourth Degree Assembly 2900 Shirts Are you looking to purchase the nice embroidered Pope john Paul II Assembly 2900 shirts soon to be worn by many of the members. No need to fret, fill out this form and return it to Jesus Garcia's mailbox with a check for the shirts and you too will look fashionable at all of the Council and Assembly functions. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: QUALITY STITCH Name QTY Cost <u>Total</u> \$30.00 Polo Dress Oxford \$30.00 x Oxford only: Long Sleeve Short sleeve Total Circle Shirt Size: MED LRG XL 2X 3X (circle size)

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# Meeting Reminder - OFFICERS

Any Officer that can not attend the up-coming meeting needs to call or email me. If no call or email is received you will be marked as unexcused/absent.

## Bogomir Glavan

Your Faithful Navigator



### Knights of Columbus Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900

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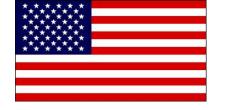
Comments or articles contact Jesus Garcia Phone: 614-577-9016

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2010/11 Officers Phone List			
<u>Faithful Friar</u> SK Deacon Hector Raymond	833-0671 ext 243		
<u>Faithful Navigator</u> SK Bogomir Glavan	837-0651		
<u>Faithful Captain</u> SK CW Higdon	868-0365		
<u>Faithful Pilot</u> SK Phillip Siedlecki	863-5284		
<u>Faithful Admiral</u> SK David Baker	861-1580		
<u>Faithful Comptroller</u> SK Steven Valentine	(740) 927-1464		
<u>Faithful Purser</u> SK Gordon Burke	861-1191		
<u>Faithful Scribe</u> SK Stephen McClellan	(740) 927-5084		
Faithful Inner Sentinel SK George A Schneider	833-1782		
Faithful Outer Sentinel SK R. Wayne Patterson	833-0980		
3 Year Trustee SK Terrence Reine, PFN	856-3653		
2 Year Trustee SK Shawn Ansbro, PFN	759-7876		
1 Year trustee SK Jerry Lowery, PFN	371-6924		
<u>Faithful Commander</u> SK Phillip R. Siedlecki	863-5284		
Faithful Patron SK Francis Joos	837-7211		



## **Prayer Corner**





Bill Saling, Maureen Patterson, George Yurt, Ryan Schneider, Jeff Samborsky, Charles Higdon, Jr., Msgr Bender, Martin Croyle, Chuck Dunkin, Debbie Boggs, Kemper Hensley, Kevin O'Neil, Margie Patterson. Our military, police and firefighters, all our religious and laypeople.