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March 2019 Newsletter

Brother Knights,

... February was a little slow compared to most months, but the Lenten season is fast approaching and our activities will pick up. Don't forget your prayer, fasting and almsgiving. We had our Valentines/Mardi Gras Dance and Pot Luck Dinner on February 16. A fun night was had by all those who attended. The Polar Plunge benefitting Special Olympics was also held on the 16th and we had several brother knights who either took the plunge or cooked Gumbo. Donations were collected by those who jumped and cooked the gumbo. Our brother knights raised over \$1,000.00! We completed the purchase of a Chalice for Our lady of the Holy Rosary Church in "Loving Memory of the deceased members of Knights of Columbus Council 6389". The District Free Throw Contest was held on February 10 and our council had a district winner to move on to the Diocesan level. Father Josh requested our help in praying intercessory for the Parish School of Religion students, teachers and staff. We began that endeavor on February 13 and have had lots of volunteers to make this a success. Finally, we were scheduled to cook for the PULSE Youth Event on February 23 at the Governor's mansion but unfortunately, it was canceled. Thanks for all your help this past month!

Please read the newsletter sections below for our March events. Hope to see you at some of them.

Congratulations to Brothers Donald Alleman and Jerry Gautreaux for being named Knights of the Month for January. Great job!! The February winner/s will be announced at our next meeting.

Small pot drawing winner was Charles Powers \$9.00, Large pot was \$19.00 and the name drawn was Kenneth Pitre who was not present. Congrats to the winner/s!

We could still use volunteers for Bingo on Sundays and Tuesdays, as well as Friday Night Adoration. Let me know if you are interested.

Please don't forget our monthly general meetings. They are held on the first Wednesday of every month (unless it falls on a holiday) with the rosary beginning at 6:00 PM followed by a meal around 6:30 and meeting starting at 7:00. This month we meet on Thursday, March 7th due to Ash Wednesday.

Be sure and check the attached calendar for other upcoming events and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Vivat Jesus, Joseph H. (Harold) Jarreau Grand Knight



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Council Activities

Our next officer's meeting will be March 20 at 7:00 PM. The next Admissions Degree will be March 21 at St. Marks and the next Knighthood/Formation Degrees will be March 30 in West Monroe. Our Annual Founders Day Banquet will be at the hall on March 2 at 6:00 PM. There will be a Pot Luck dinner followed by a few lively games of Left Right Center. Finally, our annual Lenten Fish Frys will be at Holy Rosary on the following Fridays in March. 8, 15 and 29. Plenty of help will be needed.

Point of contact for **Council Activities** is Arthur Shepheard.

Family

Congratulations to Raymond and Theresa Settoon on being named our Family of the Month winner for December and Ben and Becky Lewis for January. Family of the Month for February will be announced at our next meeting.

Point of contact for <u>Family</u> is Donald Alleman

Bingo

We are still in need of KC and Ladies Auxiliary members to help with various positions at our weekly bingo games. So, if you're able, please volunteer. You don't have to commit to every week. Any time you can come would be great.

Point of contact for *Bingo* is Michael Heath

Blood Bank

Our next blood drive will be April 14th at Holy Rosary. If you know of someone that needs blood, please have them provide their name and birthday to the Blood Bank Chair Couple at 287-8962. They cannot release any blood until they have the proper information to give to the Blood Bank.

Point of contact for the <u>Blood Bank chair couple</u> is Jerry and Denise Gautreaux

Community

Rotary Taste Fest will be on March 26. Point of contact for *Community* is Arthur Shepheard

Columbus Club

Next Mtg. is April 17 at 6:30 PM.

Point of contact for Columbus Club is Donald Alleman

Charity Fund

If you know of someone or even yourself in need please feel free to contact us. Point of contact for *Charity Fund* is Arthur Shepheard

Knights of Columbus Insurance

Field Agent – Randy Clouatre Jr. -806-4469

I welcome the opportunity to present you and your family my personal quality service that, under the same situation, I would apply to myself and my own family. We offer Life Insurance, Annuities,



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Long-Term Care, and Disability Insurance plans. Please contact me anytime for any questions or answers. Randy.clouatre@kofc.org.

Church Director

The Knights and Ladies Auxiliary will be leading the Rosary at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary and St. Anne's church the first full weekend of each month.

- Point of Contact for Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Church is Harold Jarreau
- Point of Contact for St Anne and St Anthony is Mike Heath.

We also have Adoration every Friday at the Holy Rosary Chapel from 7:00-8:00 PM.

Point of Contact is Charles Powers.

Finally, We are now praying intercessory prayers for the Parish School of Religion students, teachers and students. This takes place in Room 10 of the Center. We pray for two sessions. 4:30-5:30 PM and 6:00-7:00 PM. We only have two dates left for this school year. March 13 (Knights) and 20 (Ladies Auxiliary).

Points of contact are Harold Jarreau and Doloroes Acosta.

Prayer Line

Please pray for the following: Melvin Delatte, Rose Villar, Virgie Villar, Marilyn Welch, Brandt Babin, Mara Petit Bourgeois, Jared Shepheard, Gabrielle Himel, Carey Frederic, Sister Mary John, Thomas Heath, JC Petit, Billie Petit, Evelyn LeBourgeois, Ester Powers, Ina Smiley, Clifton Melancon, Lawrence Powers, Cheryl Waguespack, Michael Heath, Cliff McCain, Steve Thomas, Rhonda Carr, Darrell Ward Family, Father Juel, Rick LeBlanc, Nina Eldridge, Doug Simpson, Byron Tanner, Patricia Zeringue, Kris Frederic, Lorraine Watts, Pam Ruemker, Charlotte Smiley, Jamie Landry, Taylor Labardo, Julia Rayford, Sonny Hartman, Hart Bourque, Kathy Lambert, Nancy Roig's Mother, Mike Lee, C. J. Powers, Ester Powers, Geneva Powers, Elton Crochet, Evelyn Cox, Ory Duplessis, DeDe Duplessis, Lawrence Cannon, Raymond Prejean, Alvin Daigle, Pam Coutee and Addie Cason. The success of Ms. Rachel Dutchmann on her ministry, The Fla. Trip, Peace, The less fortunate in our community, Vocations, Pro-Life, Servicemen, Deceased members of our Knights of Columbus Council 6389 and the Ladies Auxiliary.

Men's March Birthdays- Barry Babin, Mike Besselman, Matt Broussard, Dennis Cullen, Jim Fletcher, Ronald Hebert, Juel Kandulna, Craig Landry, Homer LeBourgeois, Michael McGuire Jr., Lyn n Savoy, Larry Templet and Charles Villar