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G R A N D K N I G H T R E P O R T

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS PARTY AND "CHRISTIAN SANTA"

SATURDAY NIGHT
DECEMBER 10, 2011

Saint Rose of Lima - Parish Hall 6:00 PM

Entries will be provided - Turkey and Ham
All others bring a covered dish.

"Christian" Santa will begin after dinner.

Gifts not to exceed \$10.00 dollars in value

Make gift tag for male or female

Make plan's to attend.

God Bless You,
John Church - Membership Chairman
via John Recke, GK

The Business Meetings have been very well attended the last few months. The Council Hall was full and that is a very good sign. We must continue to expand with those who are Knight's already and with the new Knight's we have yet to recruit. We need the participation of everyone. Contact the Knight's that you know personally that have not been attending meetings and invite them back. We need them and our Council needs them.

The Business Meetings have been quite lengthy. We are going to attempt to shorten the meetings to no more then 1 hour and thirty minutes. When we have something important we will take what ever time is needed. Some of our members can't stay for a long meeting due to many factors. We will try to accomplish this with your corporation.

The Christmas Party for the Knights of Columbus is December 10, 2011 at the Saint Rose of Lima Parish Hall. We will again have a "Crazy Santa". Value of the gift should be \$10.00. Please plan to attend.

May I extend to your family from my family a Holy and Blessed Christmas. We will be celebrating the Birth of Jesus.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Fraternally Yours,
John Recke, G. K.



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Sir Knight (PGK - FN), Daniel Arndt
Awarded the Knight of the Month
for his dedicated service to Milton Council 7027



FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR REPORT



Knights of Columbus
**FOURTH
DEGREE**
Patriotic degree of the Order.

“Let us not be satisfied with just giving money. Money is not enough, money can be got, but they need your hearts to love them. So, spread your love everywhere you go.” ~ Mother Teresa

Welcome Sir Knights to the most wonderful time of the year.

The celebration of the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
Oh how we adore Him.

We will be participating in the Milton Christmas parade on Dec. 3rd with our “Keep Christ in Christmas” float. We have also been asked to have our Honor Guard at the Feast Day Mass for Our Lady of Guadalupe on Sunday December 11, 10:30.

Plans are in the works to have Honor Guard at Barrancas Cemetery 10am, December 10 for Wreaths Across America ceremony.

Let me also wish you all a joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Dan Arndt, FN



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~ A Season for Giving ~

Now that the holidays are approaching, this is a good time to sit down with a Knights of Columbus agent and discuss your family's current financial circumstances - and your future plans.

Life insurance is truly one of the best gifts a member can buy for his family. Think about it: What else can you put under the Christmas tree that can:

- * Guarantee that the mortgage on your home would be paid off if you die?
- * Provide a way for you to ensure money is available for your children to attend college, whether you live or die?
- * Ensure your family's financial survival if you, your spouse, or both of you met an untimely death?

You probably know plenty of folks who overspend during the holiday season. Conversely, few people over-save, and plenty of folks are financially unprepared for the future. Yet, it's by doing the latter that people demonstrate true love for their spouses and children!



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Start early on some new resolutions for the new year. Save more. Allocate expenditures more wisely. Above all, ensure your family's financial protection - come what may. With a K of C life insurance program, your family will have the benefit of financial security for the years ahead... and be better able to celebrate future Christmases.

Financial hardship is something that you can prevent. By taking steps now, you protect your loved ones against the possibility of your death. What's more, the sooner you act, the greater the benefits will be for your family - and, possibly, for you as well.

I wish you and yours a blessed Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

May God bless you all,

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DEACON'S TEACHING ARTICLES

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Is the Papacy in the Bible?

by Deacon Christopher

In the Book of Isaiah (22:21-22) God promises that he will appoint a new master of the royal house-hold of his people: **"He shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and to the house of Judah. I will place the key of the House of David on his shoulder; when he opens, no one shall shut, when he shuts, no one shall open."**

The Book of Revelation (3:7) refers this prophecy to Jesus as the new master of God's household - the *"new Jerusalem"* (21:2), which is the Church. St. John calls him **"the holy one, the true, who holds the key of David, who opens and no one shall close, who loses and no one shall open"** (3:7).

These passages take on additional significance when we read in the Gospel of Matthew (16:18) that Jesus gives a special commission to his chief apostle: **"And so I say to you, you are Peter [literally meaning Rock] and upon this rock I will build my church"**. This is the most direct biblical reference to the papacy. In this moment, our Lord establishes St. Peter as the first pope and leader of the Church, whose role is indispensable to its mission.

Now notice what Jesus goes on to say to Peter at his commission: **"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven"** (16:19).



Here Jesus tells more about what it means for Peter to be the *"Rock"* of the Church: Peter, and his successors, will have a unique share in Christ's authority as the keeper of the *"keys."* Alluding to the prophecy in Isaiah, Jesus foretells the role of the pope as a father to God's people (the word *"pope"* literally means *"father"*), the head of God's royal household, the one with divine authority to open and close the way to the heavenly kingdom.

If such an office was needed in the first generation of the Church, then it is also necessary in every generation, as in the case of priests, bishops, and deacons. St. Peter became the first bishop of Rome, so his unique office in the Church has been passed down to his episcopal successors there.

In our next issue we'll look at: *Did Paul Challenge Peter's Authority?*



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CALENDAR

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DECEMBER 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				7:00 PM Council Planning Meeting KofC Bldg.	9:00 AM-5:00 PM Adoration 6:00 PM Holy Hour Benediction	KofC 7027 Milton Christmas Parade 4:30 PM Prepare Float 6:00 PM Parade Begins
4	5	7:00 PM Boy Scouts Meet in Parish Rm.	9:30 AM Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - KofC Building Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day	7:00 PM Council Business Meeting KofC Bldg.	5:30 PM Friday Night Social (No Business) KofC Bldg.	10:00 AM Honor Guard for Wreaths Across America 6:00 PM - Christmas Party & "Christian Santa"
10:30 AM Mass - Honor Guard for Feast Day Mass Our Lady of Guadalupe	12	7:00 PM Boy Scouts Meet in Parish Rm.	9:30 AM Ladies Aux. Mtg. KofC Bldg. VA Hot Dog Day	7:00 PM Assembly 4th Degree Meeting KofC Bldg.	5:30 PM Friday Night Social (No Business) KofC Bldg.	17
18	19	7:00 PM Boy Scouts Meet in Parish Rm.	21	22	23	24
8:00 AM Knights Corporate Communion Mass	26	27	28	29	30	31
Christmas				First Day of Winter		Christmas Eve New Year's Eve



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