



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

Father August W. Vandebilt Assembly 2322

St. Bernadette Soubirous Catholic Church 409 Funderburk Ave. Houma, LA 70364

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER November 2024

FAITHFUL NAVIGATORS MESSAGE

Fellow Sir Knights,

As we enter the month of November we have many things to celebrate and be thankful for. Not only do we celebrate All Saints' Day on 11/1 but All Soul's day on 11/2. We will also celebrate Thanksgiving on 11/28. There will be several projects going on thru out the month and would ask you just pay attention to emails and media reflecting on what the Assembly's are doing as well as what each of our different councils are involved in as well.

I know that on November 3rd at the 10:30 mass for St Gregory we will celebrate a bereavement mass for all their departed this year with a Honor Guard. We will also have a Honor Guard at St Bernadette on 11/9 at the 4pm mass in honor of the Silver Rose. As always if you are not part of the Honor Guard please wear a KC shirt of the 3rd or 4th degree so our presence can be observed.

We have a 4th Degree Exemplification on 11/16 in New Iberia. The deadline for this is quickly approaching so please get with me if you plan to attend or to go thru the initiation. St Bernadette will also have its Church Picnic on Sunday 11/17. I hope to see you all at these events.

I would also like for every one to pray for Brother Linwood Liner and his family as his Father passed away this last week. If you hear of any brothers that pass or any family passing please let Maurice or myself know.

As always I wish all of you a successful month and pray for each of your families. As our State Deputy always says: Be that good and faithful servant and be the fishers of men!

Mark K Bascle

Faithful Navigator #2322

Vivat Jesus!



FN Mark Bascle



HONOR GUARDS

One of the most important functions of the Fourth Degree is providing Guards of Honor at Mass, wakes, funerals, dedications and many other civic or patriotic functions. In full Uniform, the Knights of Columbus are always recognized in any public appearance. These Sir Knights add dignity and a pride of church and country to any event. By these public demonstrations, their loyalties bring credit to themselves and to the Knights of Columbus. Dress out requests should be made through the Faithful Navigator, Mark Bascle at 985-772-1268.

God is Good...All the Time and All the Time...God is Good!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS



November 2024

- 9th Church Clean Up Day - Meet at 8:00 AM in Herbert Hall
- 9th Silver Rose Mass—St. Bernadette Church - Rosary 3:30 PM - Mass 4:00 PM
- 12th Council 7355 Monthly Meeting - 7:00 PM in the Father O'Brien Center - Rosary 6:30 PM
- 19th Assembly 2322 Monthly Meeting - 7:00 PM in the Father O'Brien Center - Rosary 6:30 PM
- 26th Third Degree Exemplification for H/T Diocese - 7:00 PM in the Father O'Brien Center
- 28th Thanksgiving Day

December 2024

- 10th Council 7355 Monthly Meeting - 7:00 PM in the Father O'Brien Center - Rosary 6:30 PM
- 17th Assembly 2322 Monthly Meeting - 7:00 PM in the Father O'Brien Center - Rosary 6:30 PM



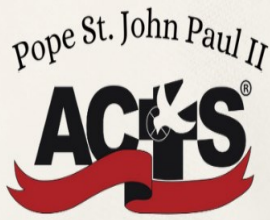
Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The Silver Rose will be at St. Bernadette on Saturday, November 9 will at Rosary at 3:30PM and Mass at 4:00PM.

Vandebilt Assembly Logo items are available from a local vendor. You can purchase the shirt or item from them or bring a item you already have. Please contact FN Mark Bascle for more info.



Keep up with all the upcoming Fourth Degree Honors Guards and Assembly News at:

<https://stbernadettekofccouncil7355.com/vandebilt-assembly-2322>



UPCOMING RETREATS

**January 30 -
February 2, 2025**

MEN'S

VISIT JPIIacts.com FOR MORE INFO
AND REGISTRATION DETAILS

**REGISTRATIONS
NOW OPEN**

From the Office of the State Deputy



Robert W. Boudreaux
December 5, 1951 - October 30, 2024

It is with a heavy heart that the Louisiana Council informs you of the passing of our State Office Administrator, Robert Boudreaux. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

Pray the Rosary!!



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FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16, 2024

IN HONOR OF:

FDM JOHN E. HAINS SR.
DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE

First in Faith, First in Charity.

Fourth Degree in Action - Public Rosary at Veterans Park in Honor of Our Lady of Fatima and Honor Guard Dress Out at St. Hilary Catholic Church



That's what the Knights of Columbus is all about. The Patriotic Degree allows Knights of Columbus members to take this one step further. "Sir Knight" is more than a title — it's an honor.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Who are the Knights of Columbus?

The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest Catholic family fraternal service organization with 1.7 million members. It provides members and their families with volunteer opportunities in service to the Catholic Church, their communities, families and young people.

What are the benefits in becoming a brother of the Knights of Columbus?

As a member of the Knights of Columbus you and your family enjoy many benefits, including 12 free issues annually of the Columbia magazine, the world's largest Catholic family magazine, eligibility to join the Knights of Columbus top-ranked life insurance program, and many more family and personal benefits.

How do I become a brother of the Knights of Columbus?

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to practicing Catholic men in union with the Holy See, who are at least 18 years old. A practicing Catholic is one who lives up to the Commandments of God and the precepts of the Church. Application blanks are available from any member of the Knights of Columbus.



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Faithful Comptroller - Maurice Evans

Faithful Scribe - Richard Daigle

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Faithful Inner Sentinel - Andrew Vedros

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Faithful 3 year Trustee - Al Hargis

Faithful 2 year Trustee - Mark Duplantis

Faithful 1 year Trustee - Stephen Boudreaux

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus is to inculcate a love of country and impress the duties of citizenship. Its motto is Patriotism -- a patriotism enlightened and informed by religion.

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Please remember in your prayers those who are ill or in need of prayer.