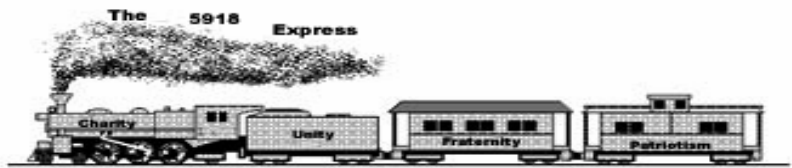




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Brothers:

At our last meeting I played a DVD on Membership Recruitment. One of the points discussed was participating in parish activities, which we have done on various occasions. At this time I would like to concentrate on becoming more active and visible in our parishes.

I would like to see us take a more active role in Hospitality Sunday. We would need to have at least one or two Brothers per Mass serving coffee, food and talking to parishioners. Wearing our Knights shirts would increase our visibility. There are only eight Hospitality Sundays a year, which means we would only have to work once or twice a year.

I would also like to see us have a membership table at each Hospitality Sunday with someone available to answer questions. The more visible we become, the more men will see us as a part of the parish. This would also be a great opportunity for everyone to recruit a new member and earn their Shining Armor Award.

Remember, one member per council, per month.

Vivat Jesus!
Jim Leifel
Grand Knight

Notice

Our next meeting will be held
Wednesday, February 26
At St. Scholastica
Starting At 7:00 p.m.



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My Brother Knights and Ladies:

Next week on March 5, 2014 Ash Wednesday we enter into the Holy Season of Lent.

During this holy season, God offers us a very special opportunity to grow in our relationship with God and with one another. In the "busy-ness" of our everyday lives, these 40 days give us a chance to pray more deeply, experience repentance for the good we have failed to do and to

be generous to those in need.

Getting ready for Lent is as simple as stop, look and listen: Stop your activity for a few minutes; take a look at your life; listen to the Spirit within you. When you do that, you will be able to tailor your resolutions to your own needs.

1) Start by asking God to tell you what to do (or stop from doing) during Lent. We all have a stock list of "resolutions" in the back of our head, but God might have something in mind that will surprise us.

2) Jot down ways you can build into your life the three traditional Lenten practices: Fasting - Praying - Almsgiving (acts of charity).

3) Write down some other possibilities tailored to your life.

After you have done this, think about your resolutions and look at them again later. You might want to make revisions.

This is a great way for us to prepare for the celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus on Easter Sunday.

Vivat Jesus!
Deacon Tom



Leonard M. Jarka Honorary Scholarship

Students planning on attending a Catholic high school or accredited university, college or trade school are eligible to apply for the Leonard M. Jarka Honorary Scholarship.

The scholarship application and full eligibility requirements can be obtained from the Christ the Servant or St. Scholastica parish offices, downloaded from our website www.kofc5918.org or by contacting our Scholarship Chairman Jim Schmidt at 630-728-4784.

All applications must be submitted by April 15, 2014. Applications can be submitted via e-mail on our website, printed and mailed to our Post Office Box 5511 Woodridge, IL 60517 or given to any council 5918 officer or our scholarship chairman. The scholarships will be awarded at the end of May.

Happy Birthday Knights

Please extend birthday wishes to your fellow Brother Knights who were born in March.

Joseph Adler	3/27
John Ambrose	3/25
David Anderson	3/25
Robert Baldwin	3/29
Albert Daniele	3/4
Anthony DiMaria	3/29
Darren DiMaria	3/15
Richard Esky	3/22
Timothy Hutton	3/20
Arthur Janowiak Jr.	3/29
Joseph Ligas	3/8
Joseph Mendrick	3/30
Michael Mihelich	3/3
Richard Miller	3/8
Matthew Mimnaugh	3/5
Carmen Mugnolo	3/31
James Phillips	3/31
Robert Pluta	3/19
James Rielley Jr.	3/9
Steven Saul	3/25

COUNCIL 5918 CALENDAR

MARCH 2014

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
						1 Bingo Team 1
2	3	4	5 Ash Wednesday	6	7	8 Bingo Team 2A
9 Daylight Saving Time Begins	10	11	12	13	14	15 Bingo Team 3
16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19 St. Joseph's Day	20 First Day of Spring	21	22 Bingo Team 1
23	24	25 Annunciation of the Lord	26 Council meeting 7 p.m. St. Scholastica	27	28	29 Bingo Team 2A
30	31	Bingo Team 1: Lux, Ckaussen, Kubacki, Kutilk, Lickteig, Reding, Stephen, M. Wagner, S. Wagner Bingo Team 2A: Miller, Stock Bingo Team 2B: Miller, Stock, Smith, Fricke Bingo Team 3: Apanavicius, Arthurs, Bannon, Bejnarowicz, Labak, Mehelich, Swidergal, Sheppard, Samoska, Walsh				



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