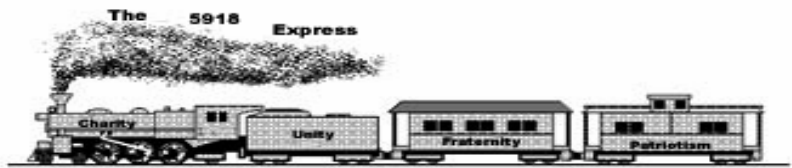




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Brothers:

Thank you to all who worked the Tootsie Roll bank sales at St. Scholastica and Christ the Servant parishes. All your help made the events a success. Also, thanks to all who participated in our membership drive this past month.

Please check our website every month for an update on "Building the domestic Church: The Family Fully Alive" initiative that began in October. I will update it each month with some activities that can also be found online at kofc.org/familyfullyslive.

AS I stated at our last meeting, I would like to update our website each month with appropriate links. If you have any sites that you feel would benefit fellow brothers, please email me the site at miamileif@comcast.net and I will post them on our links tab.

Our 50th year celebration will be in 2016. We are beginning to prepare for this event. If you know of brother knights who have lost touch with the council, please inform them that we would like to have them participate in this wonderful celebration. We will be contacting everyone as soon as final preparations have been made.

Remember: One member per council per month!

Vivat Jesus!
Jim Leifel
Grand Knight

Notice

Our next meeting will be held
Wednesday, Oct. 22
At St. Scholastica
Starting At 7:00 p.m.



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C My Brother Knights:

O The Supreme Council has introduced a new 12 month program entitled “Building the Domestic Church — The Family Fully Alive.” This program is designed to help our families become what they are called to be. Through this program, our families can realize more fully their mission to be an authentic domestic church through daily prayer, catechesis and Scripture reading, as well as through monthly charitable volunteer projects they can do as a family.

Through this program, the Order will undertake a yearlong preparation for the 8th World Meeting of families to be held September 22-27, 2015 in Philadelphia. Both our State Chaplain Bishop Siegel and the Associate State Chaplain Father Tuttle highly endorse this program and recommend that every Council in our Illinois Jurisdiction with the cooperation and assistance of their Council Chaplain adopt this new initiative into their Council programming.

The program is divided into twelve monthly themes inviting participating families to take part in three monthly events: a home based family project, a council-wide volunteer project and a movie night.

The theme of October is “Because the Lord is God of our ancestors we want to strengthen the relationship between our family’s generations.”

November’s theme is “Because God rested on the seventh day, we want to celebrate Sunday as a family.”

Because this program is rooted in prayer, it is suggested that this family prayer be said together:

Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of our family. Enlighten our hearts and our minds that we might live more fully this vocation of love.

In our daily life and work, may we reflect the self giving love which you, O Father, eternally show with your Son and the Holy Spirit. Let your love be evident with the peace that reigns in our home and in the faith we profess and live. May our family always be a place of generosity, understanding, forgiveness and joy.

Kindly give us the wisdom and courage to be witness to your eternal design for the family and grant that the Holy Family of Nazareth may always guide of path to holiness as a family.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

We will be getting one page monthly newsletter inserts about the activities of this program which will be included in the 5918 Express.

Vivat Jesus!

Deacon Tom

Letters asked for veteran

My uncle is going on the Honor Flight on Wednesday, Oct. 29. His name is Robert (Bob) Barber who is going on 92 years old. He served in the United States Coast Guard for five years and did see combat during World War II. One thing they do on the Honor Flight is have a “Mail Call” on the flight home. We are trying to get as many letters as we can that express our thanks and appreciation for his dedicated service to his country. I ask, if you could please put together a short note to him and send it to me by email efull@comcast.net no later than Wednesday, Oct. 15. I know it will go a long way in making his Honor Flight a very memorable event. This will be a great way of expressing our Patriotic Duty to a most deserving veteran.

Sir Knight, Ed Full

COUNCIL 5918 CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 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 2B All Saints Day
2 Daylight Saving Time ends	3	4 Election Day	5	6	7	8 Bingo Team 3
9	10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14	15 Bingo Team 1
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Bingo Team 2A
23	24	25	26 Council meeting 7 p.m. St. Scholastica	27 Thanksgiving Day	28	29 Bingo Team 3
30	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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