



KNIGHTS News

Council 1214 Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

In these days of sectarian violence, bitter partisan politics, widening class divisions, and increasing divorce rates, unity is hard to come by. Think of what our Lord Jesus was able to accomplish, unifying people from different sects, different economic classes, different nationalities, sinners and the righteous, all together for the greater Glory of God the Father. The price of this unity was His life. Unity is a prize that must be won over & over because the forces of evil continue to try to tear apart what has been unified. Unified we can accomplish greater acts of charity. Unified our fraternity is stronger. Unified we can protect and guide our country. Unified we exemplify the universality of our Catholic faith.

The theme and focus of my time as Grand Knight is UNITY. Unity within the 1214 council, the councils of Fort Collins, with state, and with supreme. Unity with our parish, other parishes of Fort Collins, and our school. Unity with our physical neighbors at the hall, and the community of Fort Collins. All of this will require effort and sacrifice, but ultimately glorifies God and diminishes the power of evil in our midst.

I will begin this journey to unity by contacting ALL of the Knights of 1214, beginning with those I know least well. You can help me by contacting me first, GrandKnight@kofc1214.org or 970-430-5176. Let me know what is on your mind. How the Knights can help you and how you can help the Knights. I look forward to talking to you.

VIVAT JESUS!!

Michael Roberts (with Wife Jessica
Grand Knight & Daughter
& Son)



Take time to make our new Priest Father Steven Voss feel welcome at St. Joseph parish. See his picture inside on page 2. Plan to attend the picnic at St. Joseph on Sunday August 22; call Brother Wayne Carroll, 484-9782, to help out. Finally, keep EJ Reed & family in your prayers.

HAVE HIGH SPEED INTERNET? SEE BELOW!

If you can receive the Council 1214 Newsletter online (about one megabyte in length) and do not need a printed copy in the mail, please notify the editor. To sign up for email delivery of your newsletter, send an email address to carlprat@gmail.com or leave a message at 495-1866.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Fort Collins
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Recurring Events

Columbus Club & Council Planning meetings: First Wed of each month, 6:30PM; all members welcome.

Regular Meetings, 2nd & 4th Wed each month w/7PM Rosary and meeting at 7:30PM

1st Degree Exemplification listed below in black:

Wed. Aug 25th is our next 1st Degree-7:30 PM

w/Scrutiny at 6:30 PM

Upcoming Events

1st Degree <u>Team</u> training at SEAS Seton Hall	22 July
Beer brewing Day at K of C Hall, (POC): Matthias Klaer 2 PM	21 Aug
St. Joseph Picnic K of C volunteer Point of Contact (POC): Wayne Carroll	22 Aug
1st Degree at K of C Council 1214 Hall	25 Aug
Bus to Rockies Game leaves K of C Hall at 5 PM	27 Aug
Get your St. Joseph Parish pin — see details inside & in the bulletin	Now



Council 1214 Contact List

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Council 1214 Elected Officers

Chancellor: Matthias Klaer

Warden: Bob Chapman

Treasurer: Tom Hirn

Recorder: Duane Rothers

Advocate: David Pinedo

Inside Guard: Frank Guzman

Outside Guard: Bob Cheatam

Trustee 3rd Yr:
John Glanz

Trustee 2nd Yr:
Dan O'Brien

Trustee 1st Yr:
Dan Schroeder



Welcome Fr. Steven Voss, 3rd Degree Knight



Newly inducted Council 1214 Officers



Scouts present flagpole & flag to Knights



Food, fun & fraternity at picnic at Giefer's

Have you seen the limited edition 2010 St. Joseph Parish pins on various Knights and parishioners? Council 1214 has purchased these beautiful pins and are presenting them as a gift to anyone who makes a generous contribution to the St. Joseph maintenance fund. This fundraiser is an attempt to help payoff the sizable loan to replace the heating system in the original St. Joseph school building. @\$3200 has been raised w/32 pins! Our goal is \$20K.....we need everyone's participation!!



Knight of the Month
May 2010
Jon Fairchild
June 2010
Shawn Vogel



Council 1214 Directors

Directors are responsible to see that Council 1214 activities are assigned and carried out.

Program Director	Jon Fairchild
Bingo Director	Michael Roberts
Council Director	Duane Rothers
Church Director	Greg Reynolds
Community Director	Wayne Carroll
Family Director	TBA
Youth Director	TBA



Your Knights of Columbus Insurance Representative is Brother Steve Huard. Contact him at 970-231-0257 for your estate planning and life insurance needs. Steve's email address is Steven.Huard@kofc.org. Get free advice without any pressure to buy. Check www.coloradokofc.org for more info.

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CONGRATULATIONS to our new Council 1214 Officers for the 2010-2011 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight-Michael Roberts Treasurer-Tom Hirn Warden-Bob Chapman Trustee 1st Year-Dan Schroeder & appointed by the Grand Knight	Deputy Grand Knight-Jon Fairchild Recorder-Duane Rothers Inside Guard-Frank Guzman Trustee 2nd Year-Dan O'Brien Lecturer-Shawn Vogel	Chancellor-Matthias Klaer Advocate-David Pinedo Outside Guard-Bob Cheatam Trustee 3rd Year-John Glanz
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Charitable words to live by:

Tune into FM 88.3, "God's Country" a station that provides songs/lyrics to consider in our every day lives.

Get to Know your Brother Knight

As Council 1214's Treasurer, I, Tom Hirn was born in Denver in June 1966. I am the eldest of three children with a sister (Barb) and brother (John). Our parents, Dick & Bonnie Hirn, purchased a house in 1967 in Northglenn, CO where they still reside and call it home. My wife, Amy and I will be celebrating our 16th Anniversary in October, after originally meeting on a blind date. We have two daughters, (Elizabeth, age 13) and (Laura, age 10). I graduated from Northglenn High School in 1983, then completed a B.S. in Accounting at Colorado State University (CSU) and earned an M.S. in Tax/Accounting. I passed the Certified Public Accounting (CPA) exam right out of college then went to work in public accounting preparing tax returns for 4½ years. I worked for Waste Management in Denver for 2½ years (handling the Ft. Collins division). I have since been the Chief Financial Officer (CFO) for Nebraska Plastics for 13 years working out of our house the last seven years. I would most like to be remembered as a good husband, good father, and a Knight that maintains honesty and integrity in all things. One of my favorite places is Hughes Stadium on game day. Tailgating with friends at the base of



the Rocky Mountains always makes for a good day. If the Rams win, it makes for a GREAT day! I joined the Knights in 1999 in Cozad, Nebraska (our previous residence). I joined because in a small town just about every male parishioner is a Knight. I truly admire all of our elder Knights in Council 1214 who continue volunteering for activities. The younger Knights can learn so much from these gentlemen. Just to be in the presence of these gentlemen is one of the reasons I continue to stay active and volunteer. I am interested in railroads and how they helped build The West. I also volunteer helping our youngest daughter's softball team, wherever they need help. Some of my other favorite pastimes include listening to classic rock; I also enjoy listening to big band music. We enjoy going to the Rockies baseball games, especially with the Knights.

Angels' Officers for 2008-2009

Eileen Pinedo	President
Connie Lecheler	Vice President
Irene Kasal	Treasurer
Kathi Manriquez	Secretary
Eva Guzman	Historian

For more information, contact
Eileen Pinedo at 482-2284

ANGEL's Corner

The Knight's Angels will have their annual picnic at Irene Kasal's home on Saturday, August 7th starting at 4:00 p.m. We hope to see you all there for an evening of fun and fellowship. Our first monthly meeting this Fall will be on Wednesday, September 8th at 7:30 PM. We will install our new Secretary at this time too.

Do you want a Council 1214 denim vest?
 Contact Chuck Washington at 226-5493.
 Also note: Mention that you are a Council 1214 member
 and become eligible for wholesale costs at Interstate
 Batteries in Old Town at 484-1307.



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July/August 2010

Sunday Evening Bingo Teams

Games Managers: Mark Coleman	Michael Roberts	Dan Schroeder	Carl Przekurat
Callers: Jerry Ross	Ric Hattman	J. Doug Wree	Roberto Armendariz
Callers: Bob Chapman			Ken Ohlheiser
Cashiers: Joe Campanella	Matthias Klaer	Dan O'Brien	Bill Gargan
Cash Register: Michael Sanchez	Carl Przekurat	Ron Hoff	Ed Stevens
Specials Table: Jon McDonnell	Tom Speshock	Glen Geilenkirchen	Bill Irvin
Pickles1: Derrick Weigel	Michael Blaskowski		Bob Cheatam
Pickles2: Grant Kaster	Carlos Madriz	Bob Chapman	Lynn Wendt
Floor Worker1: Chuck Hehn	David Vigil	Ray Velasquez	Francisco Flores
Floor Worker2: Frank/Eva Guzman	Jim Kelley	Barb Wree	Andy Rankin
Floor Worker3: Jimmy Cervelli	Jack Griffin	Casey Bradshaw	Leo Bayer

Thursday Evening Bingo Teams

Games Managers: Jon Fairchild	Duane Rothers	Bernie Giefer	Bridger Parsons
Callers: Roberto Armendariz	Matthias Klaer	Scott Harris	Brad McDonald
Cashier: Duane Rothers	Martha Rothers	Gordie Bauhs	Irv Lieser
Cash Register: Tom Selken	Bill Craig	Michael Sanchez	Tom Hirn
Specials Table: John Glanz	John Glanz	John Glanz	John Glanz
Pickles1: Ken Carr	David Pinedo	Mike Whittington	Nick Offerman
Pickles 2: Robert Weaver	Jim Herning	Norm Kelly	Ron Segul
Floor Worker1:		Frank/Eva Guzman	Chuck Washington
Floor Worker2:	Ken Payne	John Young	Jacob Nazeck
Floor Worker3: Wayne Carroll		Bob Carrera	

We're on the Web
www.kofc1214.org

Upcoming Calendar

July/August 2010

REMINDER

- Anyone interested in becoming a member of the 1st Degree Team should plan to attend a training session at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (SEAS) Seton Hall on Thursday evening 22 July 2010 at 7 PM, Contact Carl "P" at 495-1866 or when you see him to get more details.
- Come and learn how to brew beer on Saturday 21 August 2010 at the K of C Hall beginning at 2 PM. Brother Matthias Klaer is going to be conducting a brewing session for anyone who is interested.
- The St. Joseph Parish Picnic is Sunday 22 August 2010. Our Community Director, Brother Wayne Carroll (970) 484-9782 is the Knights' Point of Contact (POC). Give him a call if you can help in any way. The Knights have always been the backbone for set-up and clean-up and under Brother Paul Pellegrino's direction have a big hand in the cooking and serving of all the food and drinks. It is a GREAT time!
- Approach your fellow Catholic parishioners and tell them we would be honored if they would join us and become a fellow Brother Knight. The next 1st Degree is Wednesday 25 August 2010, w/scrutiny at 6:30 PM.
- Bus to Rockies baseball game. Plan to be at K of C Hall by 4:45 PM on Friday 27 August 2010 as we plan to depart as close to 5 PM as possible. Great family opportunity. Contact Brother Tom Hirn (THirn@nebplastics.com) for details.
- Brother Duane Rothers is the POC for the annual Football Frenzy tickets. At the August Planning meeting we will discuss possible ways to increase revenues on this fundraiser.
- Let's pitch-in to do our part, buy merchant cards! Also get your St. Joseph pin!!! Please contact our Grand Knight Brother Michael Roberts @ 430-5176 if you have any suggestions, solutions or inputs.

