



The Knights Table

St. Peter's Council, #9515 - LaGrange, GA

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August 2018

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Greeting Brother Knights!

Too Much Noise . . .

The world seems noisier than ever.

There is more than just audible noise that our ears pick up, but noise that each of our senses can detect and respond to. To a musician, noise might be called sound distortion. To a mechanic, it might be engine vibration.

No matter what it's form, noise can tend to drown out what we really ought to hear, sometimes . . . the *Word of God*.

Technology has given us many opportunities, but with them, an abundance of *noise*. It has evolved so quickly in the past 30 years or so, that it has increased the amount of *change* in the world, the *pace of our lives*, and our level of *stress*. It seems that we all have so many things to do, it is hard to focus on the important ones.

For many of us, our priorities have shifted inward, trying to survive, in a fast-paced secular world. We tend to keep busy reacting to all of the *noise out there*, rather than focus on the really important things like *our relationship with God*, and with *our families and neighbors*.

The Knights of Columbus strives to provide opportunities for us to leave this cycle, and redirect our focus from *self* to *helping others*, and to *hear God's voice*.

Our progress has been impressive. Come join us to help others.

Vivat Jesus!

Patrick J. Link, GK

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2017 was a record-setting year for Knights of Columbus charitable work with an unprecedented \$185.6 million in donations and 75.6 million hours of volunteer service provided worldwide.

K of C in the Community	
Disaster Relief	\$7.5M
Christian Refugee Relief	\$6.3M
Coats for Kids	\$2.5M
Food Drives	\$7.6M
Special Olympics	\$14.7M
Habitat for Humanity	\$0.6M
Global Wheelchair Mission	\$1.6M

MEETING NEXT SUNDAY!

August 12th @ 9:30 a.m.

(in the Multi-Purpose Room.)

See You there!

Coffee & Donuts will be served!



Our Chaplain!

Fr. Tim's transfer into Council #9515 is complete, so he is now *officially* our Chaplain.



Please offer him your congratulations!

Upcoming Degree Dates

1st Degree: Monday August 27th, 7:00 pm,
St. Peter's Parish MPR

2nd Degree: Saturday August 28th, 7:30 pm,
Lawrenceville, GA

Call or Text Ed Sacco for details: 706-402-6044

Our Membership Director!

Ed Sacco has agreed to be our Membership Director again for the 2018-19 Fraternal year. I am delighted to have Ed's help and experience in attracting new members, & helping them advance up through the 3rd Degree.



Please offer him your congratulations!

Meet Our New Program Director!

Deputy Grand Knight Rickey Basko has agreed to be our Program Director for the 2018-19 Fraternal year. He will help plan & coordinate our events, as well as, steer us to Star Council Award. We are very lucky to have his help.



Please offer him your congratulations!

Church Socials Are Back!

Our latest Social Meeting was held on Saturday evening, July 28th in the Parish Hall. Pizza and assorted drinks were served. 50-60 people attended and had a great time.



Thank you to Dominick Maniaci, Rickey Basko, Rocky Jabaley & Bill Weckman!



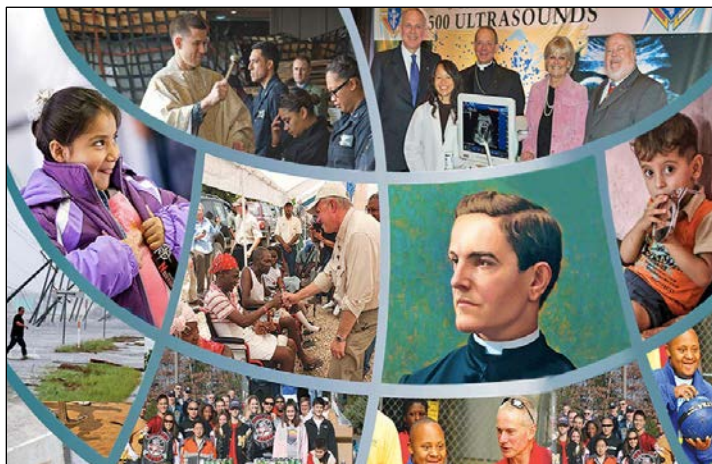
PICTURES by Steve Gaines!

New District Deputy

Mark Hofmann, the K of C Georgia State Secretary, has announced that our Council #9515 will remain in District #18, but with the Worthy Greg Shaw as our new District Deputy, out of Dallas, GA after the resignation of our former DD, Michael Barrett.



Greg Shaw
District Deputy



*The best way to get someone to join the
KNIGHTS . . . is to ask him!*



“All You Can Eat” Pancake Breakfast!

The Knights held a FREE “All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast”, on Sunday, July 29th, thanks to Tony Palmer who ran the event.



Lee Baker, Damien Hopster, Rocky Jabaley, Bill Leis, Dominick Maniaci, Marshall & Tyler Murray, & Ed Sacco all helped to serve HOT Pancakes to 54 parishioners.



Chairman Tony Palmer presented a check for \$145, from donations, to Fern Bergeron that will provide school supplies for Troup County underprivileged children. The 4th Degree Knights donated 20 backpacks, also!

New Insurance Field Agent

With pleasure, I'd like to introduce our new Insurance Field Agent, John Schmidt.

John can be reached at:

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John Schmidt
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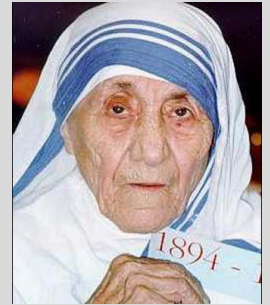
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A Word from Mother Teresa:

“The Missionaries of charity are firmly convinced that each time we offer to help the poor, we really offer to help Christ.”



Beyond August

Be sure to mark your calendars:

- **Sep. 22nd : Church Social**
- **Sep. 15th: CCW Yard Sale**
- **Oct 28th: Fall Festival**
- **Nov. 10th: International Night**
- **Dec. 31st: Casino Night**



AUGUST 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Officer Mtg 7:00 pm	7	8	9	10	11
12 Business Mtg 9:30 am	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Church Social?? 7:00 pm
26	27 1 st Degree 7:00 pm	28 2 nd Degree, Lawrenceville	29	30	31	

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