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Please NOTE!!

General Meeting 2nd Tuesday at St. Peter's Hall at 7:30 pm after Mass

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Grand Knight's Message



Nominations for 2020-2021 Executive for Council 11891

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Deputy Grand Knight: Bill Dillon, George Bruette, Andrew

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Guards: Marcus Gleeson, Cam Sullivan, Dan Sullivan

Trustee: Ralph Roels, Dan Sullivan

Further Nominations and elections will occur when we meet again after the Covid-19 virus crisis has settled

down.

If you will not be able to attend that meeting please let Grand Knight Luc Gagnier know if you wish to have your name stand for the position you have been nominated.

Deputy Grand Knight's Message

Dear Brother Knights

Its the end of the month already, how time flies. Hopefully we will get back to some sort of normalcy soon.

Once we get more of us vaccinated the greater it will be. Until then stay safe and pray for those less fortunate.

Bill Dillon
Deputy Grand Knight

PRETTY WILD HOW WE USED TO EAT CAKE AFTER SOMEONE HAD BLOWN ON IT... GOOD TIMES...

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Financial Secretary

Dear Fellow Knights and Families,

It is May 26, 2021 and my wife, Barb, tells me that as of tomorrow Chatham-Kent Health Unit expects to have 60% of the population in our area vaccinated with at least one shot. The light at the end of the tunnel is getting brighter. The CBC news reports that Ontario is sending help to Manitoba to help that province with its third wave which makes me think that Ontario thinks it coming out the other side of this third wave. If the counts continue to go down, we should start working through the different phases of the reopening around June 14th.

What this means to me is that we should start planning the reopening of our churches and having our Knights meetings. We also need to plan some kind of social event for our parishes as soon as we are able.

The other item we need to address is a new executive for our Council. So far, I have heard from our Worthy Grand Knight Luc, Deputy Grand Knight Bill and Trustee George that they all will not be running for the Grand Knight position. I have not heard from anyone else concerning any of the executive positions. Are you all going to let our Council fold? That is what will happen if you don't start thinking of the future of our council. It is going to take a bit of work to get things up and running again at our churches and it would be helpful if our Council were there to lend a hand. We have done so much in the past; it would be a shame to give up now.

Starting July 1st, we will be part of the Lakes Erie and St. Clair Catholic Family of Parishes with 2 new priests. We will have to work within this Family with 3 other Councils. I have

been working on the Transition Team to help organize and make this grouping of 4 parishes (and Shrine) go as smooth as possible. St. Peter's and the Shrine are going to need help. That is our Council's job. Please let me know if you are interested in helping. We should have a new executive by the end of June. Right now, I don't see it happening.

I thank all those that have sent me their dues. There are a few who still need to do that, some of which just live a few houses away from me. Just saying.

Let me know what you think. If you think I may be out of line with this article give me a call and we can discuss it. I am open to any ideas

Stan Powell, PGK, FS 519 401-2034





Chancellor Report

Dear Brother Knights

We are asked to pray for Matthew Sylvester and his family. Matthew is in Hospital in London. Some of you may know Matthew as he is one of our Knights of Columbus Insurance agents and worked closely with many councils in our area. Matthew contacted Covid 19 over three weeks ago and things continued getting worse for him. He is a young man married to Dannielle and has 3 daughters. I received an update this morning from Danielle. Please keep Matthew and his family in your prayers.

AM Check In (May 27th)

24 days total in Hospital / 18 days on ventilator life support / 16 days on ECMO life support

Matthew Sylvester had a restful night! They didn't wean any sedation, but did wean down some other drugs. Sooo, progress. I am praying that he will be awake by Fathers Day (June 20th). It would be quite the blessing to talk to him on his special day, plus Gracie Graduates grade 8 on the 21st. Kind of a double whammy. Praying he can view her graduation, make her special moment even more special with her Daddy watching.

"Dear God, you are almighty, the evidence of your presence is all over our lives. Thank you for giving Matthew the ECMO, he wouldn't be here without it, thank you for giving us favour. Please continue the full healing and restoration of his lungs, mind and body. To God be the glory! I know that you are God, and ask for these continued blessings and miracles in Matthew, the health teams lives, other patients and even in our own lives. Shine your face upon us, find favour in all of us God! Thank you for healing Matthew, his life will be a walking testament to who you are. Thank you, In Jesus' Precious name Amen."

Please remember all those who are sick or in distress. May we pray and give them support in their time of need.

Please notify me if you hear of any of our members or their families who have died, are sick or in hospital. I can be reached at 519-365-7294 or emilybb231@gmail.com

Please stay safe.

SK Roland Bellemore
AdvocateChancellor and Advocate



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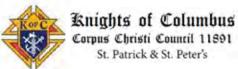




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Because of the COVID-19 virus, the Knights of Columbus have been unable to raise money for the many great causes we support in the community. Due to a generous donor, we are in possession of the board game *PHARAOH'S QUEST*.

PHARAOH'S QUEST

PREFACE

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From Our Deacon

Here Comes the Sun

The Beatles recorded the song "Here Comes the Sun" in 1969. I referenced as my theme song in my high school graduation yearbook in the 80's because I would sing or whistle it in the halls most days. There really isn't much to the song, just a few references that we have been a long time waiting. We have been waiting over a year to gather in families and as a family of faithful parishioners. This year's planting season has been decent for most. Time to focus on what the "sun" and the Son will bring us in June.

We activate our Family of Parishes at the end of this month in July. Lots discussion, tough decisions considering the entire family had to be made to get to where we are now, in order to get to where we need to be in July. Decisions will continue to need to be made once our new Family sprouts up. To continue with the farming reference, farming does not stop when things start to grow. Each new season presents new possibilities, regardless of how the past seasons or year(s) have gone. We have been given everything we need to do what we need to do as a new Family. We still need to continually read the climate in our parishes and in our families. Bad weather is sure to come. Anticipating when and how allows us to prepare, to whether we want to work with it instead of against it. Every challenge is an opportunity to demonstrate our true Christian nature.

I continue to hope & pray that we can gather in person as soon as it is safe and responsible to do so. When that time comes, maybe we can all sing the song out loud (the ban on singing is only during mass for the moment — so start practicing) .

God Bless, keep safe and well. Dcn Raymond +++

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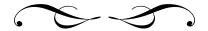
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