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## Newsletter

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

Our Annual Turkey and Dressing Dinner was a great success. We served over 1800 plates!! Thank you to all the members and wives who worked to make this drive thru successful. Our Community looks forward to that meal each year because of the great cooks we have.

Thanks to all you brother Knights that organized and helped lead the Rosary before all the masses in our Parishes during the month of October to honor our devotion to the Blessed Mother.

On November 10, 2015 we will be holding our Annual Memorial Mass at the KC Community Center. This is a beautiful celebration and remembrance of our CDA and KC members who have gone to their eternal reward. More information is inside the newsletter. Make plans to attend. RSVP by November 6th so we can get a head count for the meal.

Columbus Day Celebration was held on Sunday, October 11th. About 180 members and guests attended our family dinner. We made donations to Sacred Heart School, Sacred Heart CCD and to the Generations of Faith in Hostyn and Plum. Your many hours of dedicated service to your council made these donations possible. I would also like to tell all that were in attendance thank you.

Sunday, December 6th, our KC and CDA **Christmas Party** will be held at the KC Community Center. Social will begin at 4pm. Please come and enjoy the fellowship during this beautiful time of year preparing for the anniversary of the birth of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Thanks to all that donated your time, equipment and muscles to help get the wood split and stacked at the WOOD SPLITTING PARTY we had on Saturday, Oct. 17th. Thank you, this should keep our BBQ pits hot through the winter and spring.

On Wed., November 25th our K.C. BBQ Team will be offering FULLY COOKED/ BBQ TURKEYS to go. Ready to pick up for Thanksgiving. They are \$40.00 each, and turkeys must be picked up between 4:30 and 6 pm on November 25th. Pre-sales only, call the KC hall to reserve your turkey- 968-5117. Order cut off date is Nov. 18th.

Wishing you and your families a Blessed Thanksgiving! We all have so much to be thankful for. Count your blessing and bow your head in thanks and pray for His continued Blessings.

Until next time, May God Bless you and keep you.

Grand Knight,  
Randy Proske

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## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

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The month of November brings many great opportunities for prayer and reflection. As the days get shorter and the last of the leaves fall from the trees, we know that the earth around us is going dormant. Being reminded of death, we can reflect that in the light of Jesus Christ and His Resurrection, we know that death has been erased forever with the promise of eternal life. The temporary sleep of death of the earth teaches us many things: Life is stronger than death, light is stronger than darkness, and love is stronger than hate. At the same time that the earth slowly dies in this month of November, we dedicate it to all of our dearly departed. November 1st, the Solemnity of All Saints, reminds us that we are all created for and are all journeying toward Heaven. Not all will have a day dedicated on the church calendar for observance, but everyone in Heaven **is a saint**. The observance of All Saints Day praises the Communion of Saints who have come to inherit their eternal reward. Let us thank God for their lives, especially those who inspired us with their good example.

The church, likewise, gives us November 2nd to pray for "All Souls". Those are brothers and sisters who stand at the entrance of heaven, yet still need purification to fully inherit the fullness of heaven. They can be helped by our prayers, sacrifices and good deeds. November is a great time to visit the graves of our departed loved ones, have Masses said for them and keep their memory alive. November also reminds us to pray for those who continue to grieve and mourn. Perhaps, we can reach out to someone still grieving a recent loss and extend a kind word or a shoulder to cry on. Finally, let us pray for all our deceased Knights of Columbus and their families. Together with our local Catholic Daughters of America, we will remember all our departed members in the special Mass at the KC Hall on November 10. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace!

Sincerely in Christ,  
 Father Dan Kahlich, Co-Chaplain

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### ◆ ◆ ◆ BROTHER KNIGHTS HONORED WITH AWARDS ◆ ◆ ◆

The following Brother Knights were recognized at the Columbus Day Celebration. Congratulations and thank you for your years of dedicated service to our council. Perfect Attendance- Larry Sulak, and Pat Kalina. 25 Year Pins - Paul Janda, Christopher Urban, Craig Prause, Richard Hoffmann, James Kallus, Steven Kallus, Mike Maxwell. 50 year pins- Carlo Triolo, Chris Adams. Honorary Members-John D. Kana, Leroy Gaddes, Franklin A. Mozisek, William Drab, Warren Del Vecchio, Howard Muniz, Patrick Kocian, John Cernosek. Honorary Life-John W. White, Henry Reiss, George A. Rainosek, Gerald H. Pargac.

If you did not receive your pin or certificate please come to a meeting and we will present you with your certificate and pin.

### ◆ ◆ ◆ NO REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING ◆ ◆ ◆

We WILL NOT have our monthly meeting in November because of Memorial Mass. Rosary will begin at 6:30 p.m., Mass at 7:00p.m. and a meal will be served after Mass. Please make plans to attend the Memorial Mass for our deceased KC and CDA members. RSVP by Nov. 7th.

◆ ◆ ◆ ATTENTION KC OFFICERS ◆ ◆ ◆

There will be an officers meeting on November 24th starting at 6:00pm.

◆ ◆ ◆ BBQ TURKEY ◆ ◆ ◆

Order your KC BBQ turkey to go, for Thanksgiving Nov. 25th PRE-SALES ONLY \$40.00 ea.



*Happy Birthday To You!*

Our Council would like to wish the following members a "Happy Birthday" and many more happy, healthy years ahead. Enjoy your special day!

- Nov. 02 - Sidney Cernoch, Curt Harbers, Jared Surman
- Nov. 03 - Garland Hart, Ryan Adamcik, Bradley Ulrich
- Nov. 04 - C. E. Adams, Clarence Vaclavik
- Nov. 06 - Butch Bertsch, James Kothmann
- Nov. 08 - Andrew Srubar
- Nov. 10 - Brian Holub
- Nov. 11 - Christopher Driskell
- Nov. 12 - Ronald Keith, Matthew Taylor,  
Paul Kozel, John Kaminski
- Nov. 13 - Edward Kruppa, Andre Muniz
- Nov. 14 - Michael Cooper
- Nov. 15 - John Muras, Russell Weyand
- Nov. 16 - Harvey Oeding, Stephen Mazoch
- Nov. 17 - Henry Holub
- Nov. 19 - Rodney Beseda, Doyle Hall
- Nov. 20 - Robert Kallus, Frank Janda, Patrick Kalina Jr.
- Nov. 21 - Oscar Kuentler, John Kana
- Nov. 22 - Thomas Guenther
- Nov. 23 - Bryson Kolek, Erwin Skalka, Eric Janda,  
Elliott Kruppa
- Nov. 25 - Joe Olivares, Juan Gonzales
- Nov. 27 - David Kleiber, Gary Drab, Brady Bippert
- Nov. 28 - Eric Kollaja, Richard Pickett
- Nov. 29 - David Bailey, Steven Muzny, Christopher  
Baron, Michael Roensch, Arnold Zapalac
- Nov. 30 - John Cufir



**– Important Dates To Remember –**

**NOV. 10—**

**Memorial Mass, Rosary 6:30 pm,  
Mass at 7:00 pm**

**NOV. 24—**

**Officer's Meeting**

**NOV. 25—**

**KC BBQ Turkey to go**

**NOV. 26—**

**Happy Thanksgiving**

**DEC. 6—**

**KC and CDA Christmas Party**

**DEC. 8—**

**KC Meeting**

**A MESSAGE FROM YOUR KOFC FIELD AGENTS**

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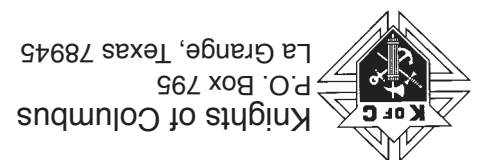
As Field Agents of the Knights of Columbus we are entrusted to assist Knights and their families with their wants and needs. We are asked to educate, activate & service the programs which are available to you and your family. In order for us to do this we'd like the opportunity to meet with you to discuss how our strength is your strength. Insurance is our business, but our focus is you.

While there are several ways to get in contact with us, we just ask that you take the time to do so. You are welcome to stop by our office at 130 S. College St. in La Grange, call us at (979) 968-5332 or email Doug at douglas.supak@kofc.org or Jody at jody.supak@kofc.org






We wish you and yours a very Happy Thanksgiving!!!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 GROUP 5	2	3	4 Youth Football (KC Catered)	5 1st Baptist Church	6	7 Hernandez Quinceanera
8 GROUP 6	9	10 KC/CDA Memorial Mass (with meal)	11	12	13	14 Mozisek Wedding (KC Catered) 
15 GROUP 7	16 Country Music Show 	17	18	19	20	21 Sanchez Wedding 
22 GROUP 8	23	24 KC Officers Meeting 	25 KC BBQ TURKEY TO GO	26 HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!!!	27	28
29 GROUP 9 NO BBQ Chicken	30	1 DECEMBER	2	3	4 Colorado Valley	5 Helms Private Dance (Bar Only)
6 GROUP 10 KC CDA Christmas Party	7	8 KC Meeting 	9	10	11 FEC Christmas Party	12
13 GROUP 11	14	15	16	17	18	19

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