



Monsignor Stephen Foerster Council 6024 Maryhill

The little Council with the



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The Knightly Informer

Grand Knight's Message



Do you remember, growing up as a child, that if we lost something, we were encouraged by our mothers to pray to St. Anthony and he would help us find the lost article? It never ceased to amaze me, that, after my mother had told me to pray to him, the lost item would show up. To a child, it was mysterious. But my mother **would always say “pray to St Anthony and he usually comes through for you”.** I recently read an excerpt from a homily that our Supreme Chaplain, Archbishop William Lori gave at a mass in New Haven on the feast of St. Anthony of Padua. **He said “that the popular saint should be invoked for more than finding lost objects.** Since St. Anthony is often depicted holding the child Jesus, Knights should also ask Him to find **Jesus in their lives”.** He went on to say **“It is not that we don’t know or love Jesus, but somehow he slips from the center of our lives”.**

How can we, as Brother Knights, find time for Jesus in our lives? This is not just by going to mass each week, or saying a quick Hail Mary. Can we do individual or collective acts of charity? Can we set the right example by our acts of goodness? Our moral courage? There are so many ways of finding time for Him. One of these ways would be to come out to our church in Maryhill on Saturday September 13th at 10 am to pray the rosary at the National Day for Remembrance for Aborted Children. We must all work together to find the time for Jesus and to show our moral courage in praying the rosary in public – K of C, Holy Name and CWL. Please mark this on your calendars. I ask that our Brother Knights come out – not just one or two – and support our parish and parishioners.

On November 1st, we are pleased to bring the Black Family to Maryhill for an evening of Old Time Music. The family consist of 8 brothers and sisters singing and dancing. They are a Christian family from Markdale Ontario. All reviews

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from those who have seen them perform are **fantastic. Don’t miss this event! It will be held at the Bridgeport Rod and Gun Hall.** More information contained in this Issue of the Informer. Finally, we are having our membership drive this month – September – and will be making a brief presentation after the masses on Saturday 5 pm September 27th and 10 am Sunday September 28th. I invite all current members to attend one or both of these two masses to show your support of our initiatives. By your presence, let’s come together to be recognized to prospective members. We have many men that are relatively new to the parish and community and by demonstrating our **raison d’être , we can invite them to join our Knightly journey.** We desperately need to grow our membership. Regretfully, through the summer, three Brother Knights from our Council passed to their final reward. Our sincere condolences to the families of Br. Herb Bruder, Br. Paul Waechter and Br. Paul Kurtz. R.I.P.

VIVAT JESUS! George Isley GK



Chaplain's Message

Sacramentals are sacred and holy things that remind us of our faith and religion. Candles at the alter signify the light of Christ. You may have two, four, or six. A corporal is the square cloth on the altar, used at Mass to place the body and blood upon. A Paten is the round gold piece where the host, at Mass, is placed. A Chasuble is the vestment the priest wears at Mass while the Alb is the white garment under the vestments. The Stole is the sign of the priest. It is a scarf around his neck. The cincture is the cord around the waist to hold the Alb in a neat place. Laying on of hands is usually the Bishop ordaining a man to the priesthood.

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The sanctuary light, when lit, tells us that Jesus is in the Tabernacle. The Tabernacle is merely the resting place to have Jesus in the Church.

Father Voisin



Car Show

It couldn't have

been a nicer day on Saturday, June 21st for all car-buffs that just enjoy being involved with cars. There were 75 cars for people to see and enjoy. The Maryhill Knights of Columbus hosted their 6th annual Car Show and Shine from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre Complex which is also wheel chair accessible.

When you entered the park – Simon Huber, Mathew Thaler, Aaron Weigle and Dawson Inglis were busy collecting entrance fees from spectators. Entrance fees for cars were \$10 for the 1st car and \$5 for each addition car with a complimentary lunch voucher with each car. Also helping that day were Lucas Huber and Brendan Grant, Mike Weber, Danny and Diane Strickler, Jake and Connie Wilkinson, Tim and Tery Runstedler, Bob Brown, Mike and Pat Runstedler, Gerry and Donna Seifried, Nick Wetzel, Ron Fehrenbach, Gerry and Donna Seifried, Theresa Zinger, Jerry Goetz.

Grand Knight George Isley presented trophies to Bob and Carol Taylor for first place in the people's choice, Gord Beal took second place and third place went to Gord Chambers.

This year's show also featured motorcycle trikes, motorcycles, old army vehicles and race cars.

There were many prizes presented to winner of raffles throughout the day. Thank you to the Corporate sponsors – Town & Country Fencing, W.S. Bell Cartage, Kar-Rite, Gord Kaster Auto, Mark Shields Mechanical, Dave Rider Garage, Ariss Fencing, Conestogo Mechanical, Wellington Motors, Kitchener Ford, Alliance Roofing, Van-Del Contracting, We-SellIt, Barry Cullen Buick-GMC, Azores Bakery, P. & H. Milling and Unicorn Truck Wash for their dona-

tions.

The live entertainment was supplied again this year by the popular Swan Creek Jammers.

Several new vehicles were also on display from Kitchener Ford with a 4x4 Super Crew and a 2014 Mustang convertible and their Silverado truck. Robinson Buick had two of their Sierra trucks on display and Barry Cullen Chev-Cadillac had an Impala which rounded out the new vehicles.

The food booth kept Chris Collins and his crew of Dan & Kevin Collins, Barb Vodicka, Cassie Keil and Ken Feeney busy selling hamburgers, sausages and bags of chips and pop while Tye Zinger was busy keeping the fryer going for French fries. Behind the bar, John and Ron Kennedy and Carol and Bob Taylor looked after the other refreshments. All the proceeds from this day will be going to local charities and the Maryhill Park.

It took dozens of volunteers to make this day a success.

Chairman Doug Zinger and wife Sandra.



George Isley presents cheque to Jane Hosdil representing Michael House in Guelph, \$1503.18

Pro Life



Dr. Schaman is presented a cheque to his Cardiac fitness association from proceeds of the Vegas Night \$1503.18

Calendar of Events

- Executive Meetings first Tuesday of the month
 General Meetings, third Tuesday of the month
 Sept 13 Pro Life Rosary at St. Boniface 10:00 am
 Oct 7 K of C Information Night all Welcome
Bishop's Dinner at St. Agnes Church,
 75 Bluevale St N Waterloo
 Nov 1 Black Family
 Nov 22 Vegas Night

In Memoriam

Include in your prayers our brother knights who went to meet our creator God—

Herbert Bruder July 11, 2014
 husband of Phylis, brother Elmer,
 Art brother in law Simon Reinhart
 and

Paul Waechter August 13, 2014
 husband of Frances.

Also Paul Kurtz passed away on
 August 24/14 husband of Joan
 And

Willard Brohman sept.5/14 hus-
 band of Betty

God of power and mercy, you
 have made death itself the
 gateway to eternal life. Look
 with love on our brother
 Knights and make them one
 with your Son in His suffer-
 ing and death, that sealed
 with the Blood of Christ they
 may come before you free
 from sin.

Amen



At appreciation night GK George Isley(left) recognized Ross McDonell as Knight of the year Pat Runstedler was recognized along with all wives of knights for the support they given their husbands . Mike Runstedler received his **past Greand Knight's Ring and Jane Hosdil Michael House** representative.



Below members of the Melody Train sang while above audience members took the opportunity to dance (Tyler Runstedler with his mom Pat).



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God Bless you and your family and thank you again for your confidence in me as your Fraternal Advisor.

Vince Longo



GK George Isley presents Dennis Flaherty his Honorary life card.

Publishers Note

I want to thank Jerry Goetz for the effort on every Informer he makes to gather material and especially to edit the **mistakes out of the draft copies. He also does the lion's share of keeping the mailing list information up to date. This publication would not look as good as it does, nor get to as many people, without Jerry's help.**

Tim Vegh publisher



Corpus Christi is still celebrated with a procession in Maryhill



GK George Isley, Bob Brown left) and Bob Weiler and Dan Baran right played an honest game.

Golf



Above and below some of the hole sponsors at the golf tournament



On August 23, 2014, the Maryhill Knights of Columbus had our third annual golf tournament. It was held at the Grand Valley Golf and Country Club and we had approximately 30 people participate. After a fun afternoon of golfing we were treated to a delicious three meat buffet hosted by Grand Valley Golf and Country Club. There were prizes for all the participants and each golfer also received a goodie bag. Many thanks goes out to all the golf hole sponsors and all other donors. Through their generosity we were able to raise approximately \$3000 for our charity account. Thank you to my brother knights that offered their help and support. I would like to also sincerely thank all of our 2014 hole sponsors:

♣ATN Mechanical ♣Building Resistance ♣Guelph City Mazda ♣DC Foods ♣Air Wave Climate Care
 ♣Olympic Honda ♣Ariss Fencing ♣Jar Jewellers ♣HomeLife Power Reality Inc (Brendan Clancy)
 ♣Nancy Buttorm RMT ♣Portugal Auto Body & Restorations Inc. ♣Preston Travel ♣Reitzel Heating & Air Conditioning ♣Russell Roy Entertainment ♣Silver Maple Farms Meat Products Inc. ♣CIBC Wood Gundy ♣Knights Of Columbus Insurance (Vincent Longo) ♣Fackoury Family Holdings Corporation

I would also like to sincerely thank Ted Dietrich from TMT Incorporated who was this year's cart sponsor.

Again I would like to sincerely thank everyone and look forward to continual support for our fourth annual golf tournament.

Terry Runstedler Chairman

Council Executive for 2014/ 2015

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	Tim Vegh
	Gerry Goetz

At the beginning of March this year I was approached by Sister Thérèse Turcotte, who is a Sister of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin, a religious missionary community in Northern Ontario. Since 2002 she has been commissioned by the Diocese of Hearst to present a travelling religious art exhibit to Catholic School Boards throughout Ontario and parts of Quebec. Created by Canadian artist Maurice Gaudreault, the art exhibit brings the life of Christ alive through impressive and evocative coloured clay sculptures.

I first saw the impressive collection last summer when Sister Thérèse brought the trailer to be viewed by St. Boniface School in Maryhill through the week and then the parish after mass on the weekend. Unfortunately Sister came to me in March not knowing if the program would be able to continue and having to cancel the rest of the viewing dates in the

Cambridge and Guelph area because the trailer was no longer able to pass a safety. This exhibit creates a

lasting positive impression and I know that it is a very powerful expression of our faith. This is a project that has gone on for 12 years simply because of the donations of those who have viewed the exhibition, and I knew deep down that this program must continue. I decided to take this project under my wing and working with Sister Thérèse, the Knights of Columbus, Erb Transport, and other members of the community we have been able to build a completely refurbished and updated trailer so that this program can continue. Erb transport has generously donated the trailer and made several modifications which included adding a door to the side and stairs at the back. We have taken a considerable amount of time and thought to ensure that the trailer is wheelchair accessible and inside we have installed a display case down the center of the trailer. However due to the nature of shifting loads while driving, we had to take extra care during the installation phase to ensure that the display case and none of the sculptures move, which did increase our costs considerably. While the trailer and some of the other renovations were donated there were many other costs that were not. The diocese of Hearst has provided a minimal yearly budget for the trailer, however, this does not cover a complete renovation of the trailer to keep this program ongoing. Any and all donations will be accepted. Please consider donating.



Give to the Diocese of Hearst PO Box 1330 Hearst Ontario P0L 1N0 specify "The one they call Jesus "Programme. Thanks for your consideration

and God bless!!!

Mike Runstedler



The Black Family Old Time Fiddle Music November 1st

The Bridgeport Rod and Gun
Tickets \$12.50 in advance
\$15.00 at the door
Call George @ 519-572-7176 or
Mike @ 519-648-3394