

Happy birthday to our Bro. Knights celebrating their birthdays in June:

Jaime Lao
Allan Mikus
Paul Coulombe

David Kenny
David Webber

Victor Uniat
Ben Denommé
Christopher Gulliver

Cemetery Work Bee

On May 11, 2016, brothers of our council once again tackled the daunting task of cleaning up the parish cemetery and the lawn around the church. With weed-eaters and lawnmowers Bros. (in picture) **Claude Francoeur, Greg Large, Angelo Petraroia, Dan Bossert, Barry Webb, Tyler Chamberlin, Bob Nielsen,** and (not in picture) **David Kenny, Brian King and Hans Fadum,** worked and sweated for several hours to bring the parish property back to respectability! Thank you very much Brothers for a very hard job well done!



Since more work bees will be needed during the summer, please call Bro. **Claude** (754-2425) if you are willing to help.

Hanging Flower Baskets

We extend a big "thank you" to all those who came out to deliver the 130+ hanging flower baskets for the parish fundraiser on Friday, May 6. About 15 bother Knights came with their trucks, vans, or SUVs to make the delivery project relatively quick and easy. Our very special thanks goes out to Bro. **Dan DePape** for organizing the deliveries so very efficiently. To one and all, thank you very much for another job well done.

On the Lighter Side

Here are some more 'memorable' newspaper headlines:

- * 17 remain dead in morgue shooting spree
- * Bridges help people cross rivers
- * City unsure why the sewer smells
- * Meeting on Open Meetings is closed
- * Study shows frequent sex enhances pregnancy chances
- * Parents keep kids home to protest school closure
- * Starvation can lead to health hazards
- * Total lunar eclipse will be broadcast live on Northwoods public radio



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Executive meetings:

Last Thursday of the month (Aug.-June) in St.Peter's Church, Resource Room, at 7:30 pm

Regular meetings:

1st Wednesday of the month (Sept.-June) in St.Peter's Parish hall, at 7:30 pm

Pancake breakfast:

4th Sunday in Jan., Mother's & Father's Day (May-June) and every 3rd Sunday (Sept.-Dec.; Feb-Apr.) after both Masses in St.Peter's Parish hall

Officers for 2015/2016

Grand Knight	Brian King	250-591-4223
Past Grand Knight	Rick Jones	250-756-3038
Chaplain	Fr. Krystian Golisz, SDS	250-753-3570
Deputy Grand Knight	Gregory Large	250-753-6091
Chancellor	Joe Walker	250-585-4007
Recorder	Louis De Pagie	250-740-1174
Financial Secretary	Hans Fadum	250-754-1694
Treasurer	Guy Doiron	250-753-0307
Lecturer	Claude Francoeur	250-754-2425
Advocate	Dan DePape	250-740-2521
Warden	Jerry Brown	250-323-3321
Inside Guard	Mike Loos	250-716-5893
Outside Guard	Bob Nielsen	250-754-6298
Trustee 1 Year	Rene Marchand	250-753-1657
Trustee 2 Years	Louis Curti	250-758-5255
Trustee 3 Years	Tony Bucar	250-754-3146

Please note: our regular **June general meeting has been moved to Thursday, June 2**, at 7:30 p.m. in the Church hall.



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Congratulations and Welcome!



On Sunday, May 29, 2016, Bros. (l to r) **Maciej Krok**, **Carlos Soares**, **Barry Webb**, **Art Powell** and **David Rochefort** received the honours of the 2nd and/or 3rd Degrees in an Exemplification hosted by Holy Trinity Council #9990. Our congratulations and very best wishes, brothers.

In addition, we are also happy to welcome two new brothers to our council. Bro. **Guy Lepage** re-joined our Order after many years of absence, and Bro. **Richard Pistone** transferred in from Holy Trinity Council #9990. Welcome brothers! We wish our new, and newly knighted members, many years of happy and fruitful service to our council.

REMINDER

1. **IMPORTANT:** Due to the Atlanta Boy's Choir performance on Wed. June 1st, our regular **June general Meeting has been moved to Thursday, June 2**, at 7:30 pm. in the Church hall. In addition, since many of our members are enjoying the summer away from home, please note that **there will NOT be a general meeting in July & August.**
2. The confirmed date for the **St. Peter's/KofC Annual Parish Picnic** is set for Sunday, **Aug. 14, 2016**, from **12:00 noon to 2:00 pm** at the upper picnic shelter, Bowen Park, Nanaimo. We urge all members and their families to come out and enjoy this great annual event.
3. Remember in your prayers all those who are sick: Bros. **Rene Marchand**, **Peter Gibb**, **Mark Gauthier**, **Chris Jeffs**, **Don Kingsley**, **Dwain Ingram**, **Ben Denomé**, **Bob Poulin** and wife **Audry**, and **Marilyn**, wife of Bro. **Marcel Casavant**. Also, pray for all those who have passed away, especially Rev. **Jack Sproule**; **Josephine**, wife of Bro. **Guy Doiron**; and the mother of Bro. **Eduardo Dagsaan**.

March for Life, May 12, 2016, Victoria, B.C.

Approximately 2000 people gathered on a sunny spring day in Victoria, BC for the **9th Annual Western Canada "March for Life"**. The day began at 12:00 noon at St. Andrew's Cathedral with a Mass presided by Bishop of Victoria, **Gary Gordon** and concelebrated by numerous



priests. The marchers assembled at Centennial Square, and from there, began their trek at 1:45 pm with banners and hundreds of "We choose life" posters. The march stretched well over six blocks in length, took about 30 minutes to reach the Legislature, and included men, women and children from all walks of life and from many corners of our province. Six excellent speakers addressed the crowds, including: Bishop **Michael Miller**, **John Hof**, **Joanna Krawczynski**, **Dr. Will Johnston**, **Anna Nienhuis**, and **Natalie Hudson Sonnen**. Each speaker, in his or her own way, exhorted the crowd to keep spreading the pro-life message after we all go back to our own communities.

Our very sincere 'thank you' to all the **people from St. Peter's** who participated, including the Knights from our Council. Thank you one and all!

News bytes.....

- A Special photo coverage edition of the **105th State AGM and Convention**, held at the Sheraton Vancouver Airport Hotel from April 29 to May 1, 2016 is available at this address: <http://vcn.bc.ca/kofc/newsletter/BC%20&%20YUKON%20State%20Newsletter%20-%20Special%20State%20AGM%20and%20Convention%20Edition%202016.pdf>