

MARCH 2018 NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL 2018

Day	Event	Location	Time
2	Council Meeting	St. John's MPR	7:00 p.m.
7	Blood Drive	St. John's MPR	6:00 a.m.
9	4 th Degree Assembly Meeting	St. John's MPR	7:00 p.m.
15	Pancake Breakfast	St. John's MPR	6:00 a.m.
16	Council Business & Officers Meeting	McMullen Center (TBD)	7:00 p.m.
29	Healing Rosary	St. John's Sanctuary	After 9:00 a.m. Mass

MAY 2018

Day	Event	Location	Time
7	Council Meeting	St. John's Sanctuary	7:00 p.m.
14	4th Degree Assembly Meeting	St. John's MPR	7:00 p.m.
17	Formation Degree Exemplification	St. John's MPR	6:30 p.m.
21	Council Business & Officers	McMullen Center	7:00 p.m.
	Meeting	(TBD)	
27	Healing Rosary	St. John's Sanctuary	After 9:00 a.m. Mass

Visit our $\underline{\text{Website}}$ for a full schedule of events for the next calendar year including any changes or updates.

THINGS GOING ON

FISH FRY

Thank you to all the Knights that participated in the 2018 annual Lenten Fish Fry. Because of your amazing effort (along with some hungry parishioners) we were able to raise over two thousand dollars! Way to go!

THIRD DEGREE DINNER

For all you Knights who are considering taking the plunge into the fourth degree! We will be having a 3rd degree dinner on April 13th. We'll have 4th degree Knights on hand as well as live music. Please come along and bring your loved ones for a fantastic evening of music and entertainment.

CATHOLIC MENS CONFERENCE

The title of this year's conference is **Iron Sharpens Iron**. It will be held at St. Stephen the Martyr on Saturday, April 14th. The event starts with Mass at 8:00 a.m. and runs until 4:00 p.m. There will be plenty of guest speakers including our own Archbishop Peter J. Sartain. You can browse on over to the <u>official site</u> to learn more and sign up.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS

Evangelization – Formation in Spiritual Discernment

That the church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.



Let me take a few minutes to share with you what's going on with these men they call Knights as we move into the New Year. As we approach Easter and the completion of Lent, we can look back with satisfaction on three great Fish Fry dinners we held, which helped the Parish to build a sense of community during this season of preparation. We were also able to raise \$2200, which has been divided equally among four important purposes. First we gave a portion to the JROTC cadets who once again provided terrific service to our guests; they'll use the money for educational program activities for the cadet corps. Next, we set aside a portion to buy equipment for food storage and preparation in support of our HOME ministry work to help care for the homeless. Third, we are contributing to the Catholic Community Services PREPARES program (http://www.preparesforlife.org/) which supports pregnant women and families with children up to age five, including clothing, cribs, layette baskets and more. Last, we used part of the proceeds as our contribution to seminarian Edgar Quiroga who is preparing for ordination as a priest. So from the work our Knights did on the Fish Fry events to the use of funds, we're helping to build the Kingdom of God in many ways.

We have a first-of- its-kind event coming up on April 13, a Third Degree Dinner. As you might expect, we'll have Sir Knights on hand to talk about the Fourth Degree, as well as the same terrific band who made the Crab Feed such a fun time. Please bring your wives or significant others for an evening of socializing and music!

I hope you will consider attending the Seattle Catholic Men's Conference, Iron Sharpens Iron, to be held on April 14 at St. Stephen the Martyr. This all day event features Archbishop Sartain, Fr. Jack Shrum, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers and Jesse Romero, and will be a life-changing day of prayer and deepening our understanding of what it means to be Catholic men in today's society. Go to http://www.seattlemensconference.org/ to learn more and register.

Next up, we will hold a pancake breakfast on April 15. This is a great opportunity to pitch in and help with your brother Knights – contact Mark Rosenberger (mrkentwa14@gmail.com) or just show up. This is a great way to get up to your elbows supporting parish life!

We continue to support the Habitat for Humanity store in Southcenter and will soon help at their new store in Auburn. Knights from our council are working in the mornings of the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. If you'd like to participate, please get in touch with Mark Rosenberger (mrkentwa14@gmail.com).

Our next meeting will be Monday, April 2, and I hope we'll see you there – especially if we haven't seen you for a while.

Kevin Jenné

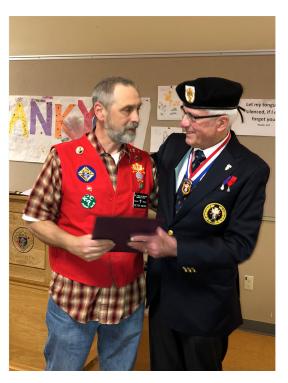
Grand Knight

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR MESSAGE, ST. EUGENE DE MAZENOD, ASSEMBLY 3414



I missed the newsletter for February so we have two Sir Knight of the Month selections to present. Our Sir Knight for January was **Keith Angus** pictured on the top. Keith stepped up to join the volunteers at Tahoma National Cemetery in Covington. He has been doing an outstanding job with traffic management and control for the last several months. The picture was actually taken at the Public Information Center at the cemetery. Thanks Keith.

For February Sir Knight **Peter Berg** is our selectee and is pictured on the bottom. Since his return to the Assembly from the Portland, Oregon area Peter has been a great support to the Color Corps taking part in the many ceremonies we are asked to do. Additionally, Peter has volunteered to take command of our Color Corps for the next fraternal year beginning 1 July. Thanks for all you do my brother.



Doug Johnson and I have been busily planning an upcoming 3rd Degree Appreciation Dinner scheduled for 13 April to be held at St. John the Baptist. All 3rd Degree Knights from both the St. Barbara and St. John the Baptist councils and their spouses or significant others are invited as well as all 4th degree members of Assembly 3414 and their partners. This is a free event and will include a baked lasagna dinner with garlic bread and a green salad. There will also be a bar serving beer and wine selections on a free-will-offering basis. As an added attraction we are hoping to have the same band that played at the SJTB crab feed held last month. Invitations will be emailed out in the very near future. Please come join us in this event and see how many folks we can recruit to join us in the wonderful work being conducted by our Assembly. For the leadership in both Council 11736 and Council 11780 I hope you to take advantage of the 2nd and 3rd degree exemplifications being

conducted in our area. The last 4th Degree Exemplification for this fraternal year will be held at St. John the Baptist on June 9th and we hope to have as many candidates as possible from both Councils.

In His name, David Foley, FN 3414

GOOD OF THE ORDER



Please pray for those brothers that have passed and pray for the brothers and family members that are sick. If you have any good of the order that you wish people to pray for send a message to Kevin Jenne' at kevin.jenne@hotmail.com.

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- Pete Cunningham
- Sabah Jabbouri and Family
- Doug Jenne
- Barbara Rhine
- Diane Cornelius
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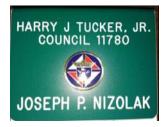


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