



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



**Rerum Novarum (Of New Things)**

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## GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES

*Tim Helmer, Grand Knight*

Improvements to the new hall are continuing and many thanks go out to all that have helped.

Thanks to all who helped at the ESU welcome back block party recently.

Mark your calendar for the Ice Cream Social, August 21; we are planning to do Bingo.

We are actively seeking a new Treasurer, can you spare a couple hours a month?

## FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Ron/Vickie Dinkel



## KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Roger Scheve



## FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

*Contacts: Rick Moore or Vince Hammerl*

The new fraternal years brings a change in officers. Ray Ryan from Burlington is the new Faithful Navigator and Rick Moore is the Faithful Comptroller.

Upcoming Fourth Degree exemplifications:

Sept. 10 Colby  
Nov. 12 Garnett

The local assembly has a goal of 10 new Sir Knights in 2011. Now is the time to think about becoming a Fourth Degree Knight. For information, contact Rick Moore or Vince Hammerl.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Planning is underway for the council's annual Family Picnic on Sunday, Oct. 2, at the Grape Arbor in Peter Pan Park from 12:30 to 3 p.m. We'll eat at approximately 1-1:30 p.m.

Hamburgers, hotdogs and beverages provided. Please bring a covered dish to share. If your last name begins with: A - H – salads;

I – P – vegetables/casseroles; Q -Z – desserts

Please note the change in starting time and length of the picnic from past years. Mark Runge is chairing the event but many hands are needed. Don't wait for Mark to call you – contact him to volunteer: 342-5446, [mrunge@emporia.edu](mailto:mrunge@emporia.edu).

## ADOPTED SEMINARIANS

The council's adopted Sacred Heart seminarians for the 2011-2012 fraternal year are:

### **Thomas Vehige**

Mundelein Seminary  
1000 E. Maple Ave.  
Mundelein, IL 60060

### **Oswaldo Sandoval**

Kenrick Glennon Seminary  
5200 Glennon Dr.  
St. Louis, MO 63119

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- Aug. 21 Parish Ice Cream Social
- Aug. 22 Regular meeting – Rosary at 6:30 p.m., followed by meeting at 7 p.m.
- Sept. 12 Officer's Meeting – 5:30 p.m.
- Sept. 26 Regular meeting – Rosary at 6:30 p.m., followed by meeting at 7 p.m.
- Oct. 2 Family Picnic – 12:30 – 3 p.m.

## WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

Rolland Trahoon joined the council as a First Degree member at the July meeting. William Splitter has transferred his membership to our council from Ransom. Welcome!

## MEETING HALL REMODELING

Work continues at the Knights Hall. Many people have been working inside and outside and their time and expertise is greatly appreciated! Many worked inside during the heat of the summer but now the A/C is cooling the work area. If you're not receiving the regular progress reports via email, contact Carl Antes for information on work days and/or to volunteer.

## KNIGHTS NOTES

- Council web site: [www.KofCEmporia.org](http://www.KofCEmporia.org)
- Want to receive the newsletter via e-mail? Contact Mark Runge ([mrunge@emporia.edu](mailto:mrunge@emporia.edu)). It can also be viewed on the council's web site.
- During the recent Red Cross Blood Drive in July, 13 Knights and family members donated blood to "Give the Gift of Life." The next drive is scheduled for mid-September.



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