

NEWSLETTER



Knights of Columbus Council 13181, 67 Frost Hill Ave., Lisbon, ME 04252

July

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Grand Knight's Corner

Dear Brother Knights,

June proved to be a busier month than I had originally thought it would be, but once again, I have an amazing Council that stepped up and delivered when it mattered most. In particular, I want to thank everyone who helped make our first Baked Bean and Casserole Supper and Fraternal Benefit Event at Holy Trinity a success. While we were hoping for greater numbers, we did see a lot of new faces, and that was certainly part of the mission. Our Insurance Agent, John Shively, was pleased as well and we discussed ways to reach out to the younger families in the church. More on that later.

I also want to thank those who participated in the annual Corpus Christi procession from Holy Family to the Basilica. It was a warm but a most blessed event and I observed a number of people that either came out of their houses to greet us or offered encouragement or prayers from their cars. It as a beautiful thing to see so many people proclaiming the miracle of the Eucharist!

I was unable to join the Council for the Bean Supper on Saturday as I was in Bangor for the annual summer District Deputy Meeting. There was a lot of great information communicated to us and I will be sharing more of it at our upcoming District Meeting and Installation of Officers. I haven't settled on a date for that yet, but it will likely be later in July. Stay tuned for more information on that.

I hope you receive this message before Sunday, June 29. This will be the last mass celebrated at Our Lady of the Rosary and Holy Cross. We hope that we can all come together to celebrate this last mass together and I am requesting that we treat it like a Corporate Mass—please wear your badge and let's all sit together. I have requested that we have some pews reserved for this. We will have at least two Honor Guard present and we are talking about supporting the rosary before the mass as well. Following the last mass at Holy Cross, there will be a reception and celebration for parishioners of both churches at the Pinette Funeral Home, Alfred Plourde Parkway in Lewiston at noon. Please join us to celebrate our church community.

Lastly, I want to thank all of the Officers from this past Fraternal Year, and to congratulate the newly elected

officers for the new Fraternal Year. I look forward to working with all of you.

Please note that due to a scheduling conflict, we are moving the July Council Meeting to Monday, June 30 at 6:30 PM at Holy Trinity. July is relatively quiet, but we will begin planning for our annual Chicken BBQ. I hope to see you there.

Yours in Christ,
Robert Michaud — Grand Knight
gk@sabattuskofc.org

Upcoming Activities and Council Needs:

- ◇ June 29—Final Mass—OLR—8:30 AM
- ◇ June 29—Reception—Pinette Funeral Home—noon
- ◇ June 30—Council Meeting—HT—6:30 PM

Prayer Corner

Prayer Devotion to the Precious Blood

Most Precious Blood of Life Eternal, price of sinful man's redemption, by whose saving streams the thirst of souls is quenched, and their stains are washed away, Thou Who dost plead the cause of man before the throne of infinite mercy, from the depths of my heart I adore Thee and desire, as much as lies in my power, to make atonement for the injuries and insults that are constantly offered Thee by mankind, and especially by those who

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rashly dare to blaspheme Thee. Who will not bless and praise this Blood of infinite value? Whose soul would not be inspired with love for Jesus Who shed It all for us? What would be my fate, had I not been redeemed by this Divine Blood? And what drew Thee from the veins of my Saviour even to the last drop? It was love! O boundless love, which has given us this saving balm! O priceless balm, welling from the fount of immeasurable love! Grant that all hearts and tongues may praise Thee, magnify Thee, and give Thee thanks, now and throughout all ages. Amen.

Dan & Anita Bouffard—to their support of the Council and Church in all activities.

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Upcoming Degrees

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Birthdays This Month

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Robert Gladu
Kelly Hunter
Robert Michaud
John Wright

Knights of the Month

Jim Daigle—for his hard work and leadership as our DGK

Family of the Month





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29	30	1	2	3	4	5		
	6:30pm - Council Meeting 6:30pm - K of C 7:30pm - Officer's Meeting							
6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
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