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I hope everyone had a great summer and a good Labor Day holiday. We had a little bit of a lull during the summer (except for LAMB, of course), but now that we are into fall, our Knights activities are getting into full swing again.

On Saturday, September 8th, the Council conducted the soccer shootout for local youths at Shallotte Middle School. There were 8 participants this year and a number of them will be going to the district competition on September 29th at South Brunswick High School. For pictures of the participants, check the September 20th Brunswick Beacon, page 15B. Youth Director Wade Fulmer did a great job getting the event organized and publicized.

Brothers Jerry Scharoun and Joe Garbarino again collected used cell phones and returned them for cash to benefit the Special Olympics. Over 900 used cell phones were collected and we just heard that the Special Olympics received \$1,397 as a result of our efforts. Well done Jerry and Joe!!

The Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament was conducted in Jacksonville on the weekend of September 15th and 16th. Six Brother Knights in the Council participated and we came in second.

Construction on Brendan Hall will be starting soon. We understand that the ceremonial groundbreaking will be on Thursday, September 27th at 12:00 noon. Because of the construction, meetings will be conducted in the church, same day, same time. Speaking of meetings, the Officer Installation for this year will be during the Business Meeting on October 8th. Please plan on attending to support the Officers of your Council.

The Membership Blitz will be the weekend of October 6 and 7. Either Fr. Hector or I will be speaking after each Mass introducing Parishioners to the Knights of Columbus and what we do. There will be a table set up in the Gathering Space that will have information about the Knights of Columbus. We need Brother Knights to "man" the table after each Mass that weekend. If you are able to help out that weekend, please contact our Membership Director, Brother Bob Gelinis, at 910-755-7578 or gelinis@atmc.net. You can also sign up on the Council Website under the Events Calendar. Our new first degree team is getting up to speed and we are hoping to run our own 1st degree at the end of October for the new candidates. A firm date is not yet established.

Brother Ed Manz, the Council's Church Director, has scheduled a Corporate Communion on Sunday, October 14 at the 8:00am Mass. After Mass, there will be a breakfast at the Carolina Grill in Calabash. Cost for the breakfast will be \$10/person. Please join us for this fraternal event. It's a good way to show the solidarity of the Knights and to enjoy good company and a delicious breakfast. Please contact Ed at 910-579-1233 and let him know if you will be able to make it.

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Our Council Director, Brother Tom Davin, is planning an outing at the Coastal Carolina football game against VMI on Saturday, October 27th. Price will be \$8.00 per ticket if we get a group of 20 or more. To sign up, contact Tom at 910-579-9678 or via e-mail at tpdavin@atmc.net.

The final LAMB drive for the year will be the weekend of October 26, 27 and 28 at Wal-Mart. We have done very well so far and are within sight of the Council's goal as determined by the State Council. Please help us get there by signing up on our web-site (www.kofc-shalotte.org), or by contacting Brothers Tony Imondi (tel: 575-6151; e-mail: timondi@atmc.net), Jerry Scharoun (tel: 910-846-2985; e-mail: fscharoun@atmc.net) or Joe Garbarino (tel: 910-842-2972; e-mail: jgarbarino@yahoo.com).

We are hoping to again host a Halloween Party for kids and families on Sunday, October 28th after the 5:00pm Hispanic Mass, though we are still unsure of the location. Since we don't now have Brendan Hall available, a space large enough to hold the approximately 150 guests is required. One option is to do it outside in the parking lot, also using space in the Parish Center. This is, of course, dependent on weather conditions at the time. Another option being pursued is using the National Guard Armory in Shallotte. More on this will be promulgated later. Any other ideas are welcome!

Brother Tom Davin has also scheduled an outing at the Alabama Theater to attend their annual Christmas show on Monday, November 19th. The cost is \$29 per person and payment in full is required by October 10th. Make out checks to Knights of Columbus #9039 and send them to Tom Davin, 569 Westchester Place, Ocean Isle Beach, NC 28469.

For the last several years, our Council has assisted Brunswick Family Assistance at their annual Crop Walk by directing traffic at intersections along the route the walkers take. We have been asked to assist again this year. The Crop Walk will occur on Saturday, November 4th, and our assistance is needed from 1:30pm to approximately 3:00pm. This is an easy way to lend your support to BFA and help a worthy cause. If interested, please contact me at 910-287-7566, or jdambaugh@atmc.net.

Vivat Jesus,

Jack

Get your tickets for the KOC Communion Breakfast after 8:00 Mass on October 14th at the Carolina Grill in Calabash. Spouses and non-members are welcome. \$10 per person, "All you can eat buffet". See or call Ed Manz (910) 579-1233 or Bob Borstock (910) 579-1785.

Three men were shipwrecked—a doctor, a minister and a lawyer. They were in a tiny life boat; the sea was violent and the waters were infested with sharks. As the lifeboat began to flounder and take on water they began to bail furiously. Finally one of the men noticed a sign on the boats side that read "Maximum Capacity 2 Persons." They decided to draw straws to see which one would have to jump overboard. The lawyer drew the short straw and promptly jumped into the water. As he swam away from the lifeboat the sharks, rather than attacking drew back to make a path for him. Amazed at what he saw the doctor turned to the minister and exclaimed, "It's surely a miracle!" "It's no miracle," the minister replied, "Just professional courtesy."

OCTOBER ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

First Degree Practice	Oct. 1 st , 6:00pm, Church
Third Degree	Oct. 6 th , St. Marks, Wilmington
Membership Blitz	Oct. 6 th & 7 th , After Masses
First Degree Practice	Oct. 8 th , 6:00pm, Church
Council Business Meeting & Officer Installation	Oct. 8 th , 7:00pm, Church
Corporate Communion & Breakfast	Oct. 14 th , 8:00 Mass/Carolina Grill
First Degree Practice	Oct. 15 th , 6:00pm, Church
LAMB Collection	Oct. 16 th /23 rd , ELKS Bingo
4 th Degree Exemplification	Oct. 20 th
First Degree Practice	Oct. 22 nd , 6:00pm, Church
Officer's Meeting	Oct. 22 nd , 6:00pm, Church
LAMB Drive	Oct. 26 th , 27 th , 28 th , Wal-Mart
Coastal Carolina Football Game	Oct. 27 th
Halloween Party	Oct. 28 th , 6:00pm, Location TBD
First Degree Practice	Oct. 29 th , 6:00pm, Church

Pray for the following members and their families.



Bob Borstock, Deacon Tom Kronyak's Family, Hazel Grant, Jack Heneka, Sue Heneka, John Konen, Al Montbellier, Tom O'Reilly, Bev Pegoni, Tony Santino, Paul Schasney, John Stalnaker, Elizabeth Walsh, John Walsh, and George Weed



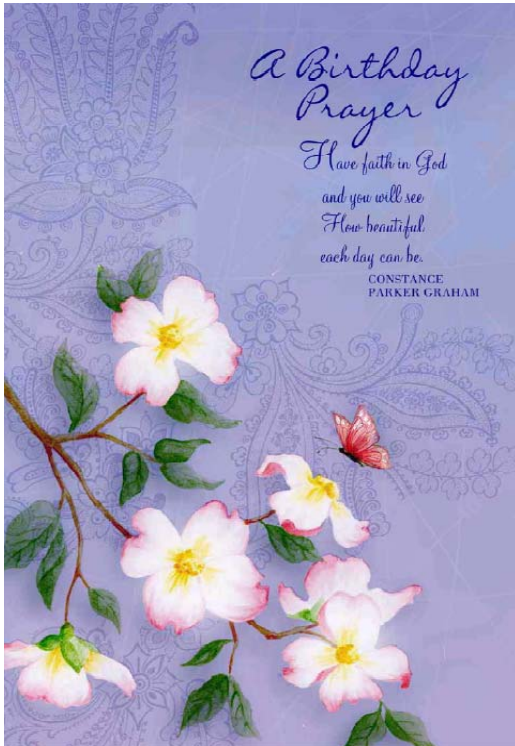
Please pray for our departed brothers-
Joseph Massey October 24, 2004
Walter Kobos October 28, 2001



Tony Imondi, Knight of the Month.

No Picture Available

Dellis and Myrna Griser, Family of the Month



John Arsenault
 Tom Davin
 Madeline Dubas
 Wade Fulmer
 Robert Gelinas
 Lorraine Hiester
 Louis Jaber
 Randy Johnson
 William Kenny
 Diana Montbellier
 Florence O'Shea
 James O'Shea
 Eileen O'Sullivan
 Walter Ouellette
 Bill Potter
 Pat Rismiller
 Dave Rosenfeld
 Donald Slover
 Robert Smith
 Gene Viviano
 Betty Zegan



Bob & Elsa Borstock
 Dick & Mary Connolly
 Bill & Joann Connor
 Tom & Frances Di Lieto
 Wade & Cathy Fulmer
 Bob & Linda Gelinas
 Tom & Noreen Gilmartin
 Martin & Wanda Green
 Bob & Ann McGahran
 Tom & Rosey O'Reilly
 John & Ann Powers
 Charles & Cecilia Stransky
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 Tony & Mary Zio

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Ask the Chaplain - I thought God loves all people equally and unconditionally -- the rich, the middle class, and the poor. So why does the Church have a “preferential option for the poor”?

Dear Knight,

“Preferential option” doesn’t mean God arbitrarily loves some people more than others. All are created equal and made in the image and likeness of God. Social class distinctions are neither willed nor established by God. These distinctions are manufactured by people who refuse to acknowledge the fundamental equality of all before God.

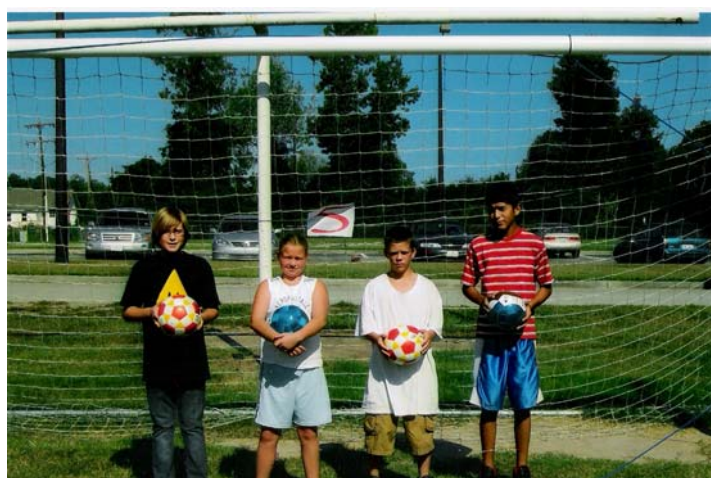
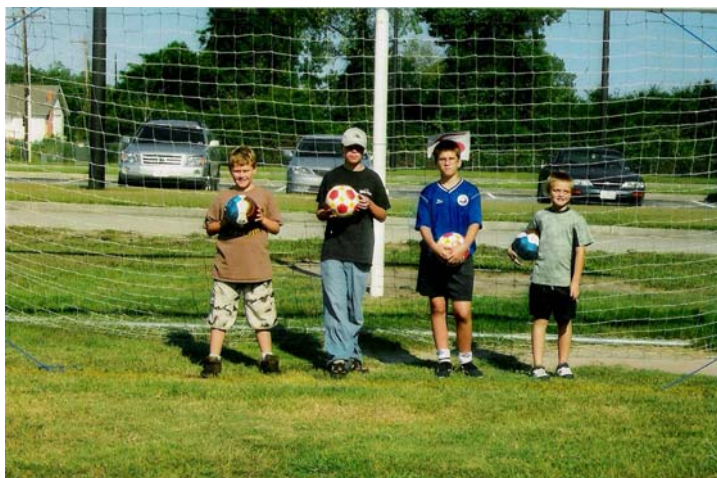
“Preferential option for the poor” is a phrase coined around 1968 when Latin American bishops presented to the world their historic document, “Poverty of the Church.” In it the Latin American Church dramatically shifted its official posture by backing the poor and oppressed masses. Up to that point many leaders in the institutional Church wittingly or not, had been aligned with the rich, powerful elite who controlled all aspects of society and maintained unjust situations through official policy. The Church could no longer stay silent in the face of this injustice.

Preferential option does mean that since the poor are hurting the most, they deserve the most attention and care. They are like the ailing member of a sick body. It may be a small and seemingly insignificant part, but because of the pain it commands the entire body’s attention. It’s also comparable to parents who spend more time with a sick child because that child needs them more during illness. Such parents do not love their other children less; they simply attend more to the ailing one.

Like a parent, the Church calls on every member and society at large to mobilize all their energies in a “preferential option” to eradicate the virus and bring the poor to equal value and equal health with the rest of society.



Knights who assisted at the Rosary on September 11th Day of Prayer.



Soccer Shootout participants



Chuck Fitzgerald, Bob Martin, Wade Fulmer, G.K. Jack Dambaugh, John Grant, Paul Lombardi, Norm and Betsy Melanson at the Soccer Shootout.

Tom White lived in the same house with his son and grandson. All three had the same given name - Tom. One day the wife of Tom the second answered the phone: "You want to talk to Tom? Which Tom do you want? - Tom the father - Tom the son, or Tom the holy terror."



Jim Guidas, Norm Melanson, Betsy Melanson, G.K. Jack Dambaugh, Mary Guidas, Jack Pegoni, Bev Pegoni, Bob Hack and Jane Hack at the State Golf Tournament.



Bob Hack, Mary Guidas, State Deputy John Gouldie, Jane Hack, Norm Melanson, Dave Rosenfeld, Jack Pegoni, G.K. Jack Dambaugh, and Jim Guidas.

On the staff of a large hospital in Wichita, Kansas was a young doctor who was an avid golfer. Everybody knew it especially the nuns in charge. It so happened that his young wife was expecting. In fact, it was the last moment he rushed her to the hospital. But they didn't make it, what with finding a place to park near the entrance and a few traffic delays. As a result the young mother had her baby on the little grassy plot right before the entrance. Everything went well.

When the doctor received a bill for emergency room service, he objected, partly in earnest, partly in joke. As he argued with the bookkeeper, Mother Superior came along. She was a canny individual with a keen sense of humor. She snatched the bill, scratched out 'emergency room service' and scrawled across the page in big letters: **GREEN FEES.**

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- 2 At Sea
- 3 At Sea
- 4 At Sea
- 5 At Sea
- 6 Hilo, Hawaii
- 7 Kailua Kona, Hawaii
- 8 Kauai (Nawiliwili), Hawaii
- 9 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii
- 10 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii
- 11 At Sea
- 12 At Sea
- 13 At Sea
- 14 At Sea
- 15 At Sea
- 16 Ensenada, Mexico
- 16 San Diego, California

ARRIVE DEPART

5:00 PM

12:00 PM 7:00 PM
8:00 AM 6:00 PM
12:30 PM 8:30 PM
9:00 AM
4:00 PM

1:00 AM 2:00 AM
7:00 AM

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