

Knightly News

Celebrating 115 years of service to the City of Concord



*In service to one.
In service to all.*

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Grand Knight's Message

It is an honor and a privilege to be elected Grand Knight of Concord Council 112. I understand that the membership will have high expectations of me and I will work very hard to meet those expectations.

No Grand Knight could function without the backing and support of his membership, and I humbly ask you for this. Our council will be successful only to the extent that our members are active and involved. To those who attend our business meetings and or help with our events, I wish to thank you and I ask for your continued involvement. To those who have not been recently active with the council, I invite you to attend a meeting or help out at an event, once again, it is your involvement and support that will make us a council that stands out among the many that are chartered in our state.



*Grand Knight
Jim Cailler*

We are one of the oldest councils in the nation and I would like us to be recognized and respected for our innovation and fortitude! I am open to new ideas and change, but it will take more than five or six members to accomplish the goals and objectives that we will soon be identifying, it will take the entire membership working together, a team of the "Venerable Father McGivney's Knights" striving to be the force of Catholic gentlemen that he envisioned:

Aiding one another in times of sickness or death, by means of a simple insurance plan, so that their wives and children would not face abject poverty.

Strengthening themselves and each other in the Faith.

Strengthening families and family life.

Being strong pillars of support for their priests and bishops.

Being of service to Church and community by coming to the aid of those most in need in society.

Father Peter Boucher was asked to become our Council Chaplin replacing Father Anthony. I am pleased to announce that he accepted the position, this is very good news for the Council since he has been a strong supporter over the years and his leadership will be invaluable.

I want to thank those men who have worked so hard over the past two years, especially David Dale for his leadership, and I know as the Past Grand Knight he will stay involved in Council activities.

Finally, my thanks to the other newly elected & appointed officers; thank you for agreeing to serve our council and my thanks and appreciation to those of you who serve everyday without any acknowledgment of your service! May God bless all of us and remember that by praying and working together we can become stronger and better Catholic men of God!

Council #112 Family Day 2010 Annual picnic and fun day

*** Wanted *** Wanted *** Hungry people looking to have fun!!!! *** Wanted *** Wanted ***



Mark your calendar to join us on Sunday August 29, 2010, when Council Brother Knights and their families and friends, gather for their monthly social, this month, to celebrate the "family". The day will be held at Elm Brook State Park. Meal is \$7.00 per person, or \$20.00 per family. Entry to the Park is \$1.00. Entry can be made at 9am with the days events (swimming, boating and games) to last all day long. Chicken, hot Dogs and hamburgers will be served starting around noon.

All are welcome to attend, members and non-members alike. Expect to have a GREAT time!



Council Updates



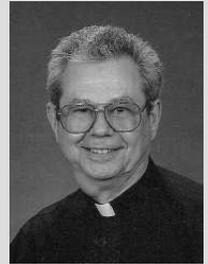
Chaplain's Message

I am truly humbled that I have been invited to be your Chaplain this year. I want to place myself at your service for whatever your concerns and needs may be. I may be reached at my office at 224-4393 and, in case of an emergency, my cell number is 723-2060.

Even though it is summer and many of us are going on vacation, it is most important that we never take a vacation from God. Please continue your daily prayer times (if you do not pray daily, then this is a great time to start).

On Sunday, August 15, the National Pilgrim Virgin Statue from Fatima will be at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish immediately following the 4:00 pm Mass. There will be a presentation by the Custodian, Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, enrollment in the Brown Scapular, and time for private veneration. I think this would be a fantastic opportunity to ask Our Lady to intercede with her Son to bestow His Blessings upon our country.

Yours in Christ, Fr. Peter.



Council Chaplain
Father Peter Boucher

Annual School Supply Drive

Council #112 will hold our Annual School Supply Drive to benefit the needs of our local children within the elementary school system. Chairman of this year's drive, Glenn Camley, along with his wife Jolene, will coordinate weekends that donations may be dropped off within our four Catholic Churches. Boxes will be set up at the entrances of the Churches, where the donations can be left.

Rather than benefiting an individual Elementary School, donations will be divided up and shared between the Churches, in an effort to assist our Pastors who have received many requests for support in this area over the years. Any donation, suitable for elementary school-aged children will be accepted, ranging from backpacks to paper and pencils, and from notebooks to rulers.

Monetary donations are also accepted. Make your check payable to KofC, #112 and mail to:
Knights of Columbus, Concord Council #112
School Supply Drive
52 Bradley Street
Concord, New Hampshire 03301



Please note "School Supply Drive" in the memo section of your check. Your support is greatly appreciated with this program, as with all of our efforts. Questions can be directed to gpcamley@gmail.com or by calling Glenn at (603) 682-5318.

State Wide Charity Raffle

Each year the State Council of the Knights of Columbus holds a state-wide Charity Raffle. Fifty percent of the net funds raised is retained by the State Council, this year to benefit its Kidney Fund, and the remaining 50% is returned to local councils to benefit their chosen charity cause.

Concord Council 112's portion of this year's sales will benefit our Seminarian Fund, to benefit the Seminarians and other aspiring Religious that we regularly support.

Tickets are \$1 each, or 6 for \$5. Eight winners will be drawn at the State Ball in October, and the following prizes will be awarded (*do not need to be present to win*):

1st Prize - \$3,000; 2nd Prize - \$1,000; 3rd Prize - \$500; 4th Prize - \$100 (5 will be handed out)

Arrangements will be made to sell tickets after scheduled masses at all our area's Catholic Churches, but in the meantime anyone who is interested in purchasing tickets can contact Council Ticket Chairman, Glenn Camley (603)682-5318 or by e-mailing your request to gpcamley@gmail.com.

Let's make this a successful drive to help support those who answered God's call.

New Hampshire Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Raffle			
1 st Prize	\$3,000	4 th Prize	\$100
2 nd Prize	\$1,000	4 th Prize	\$100
3 rd Prize	\$500	4 th Prize	\$100
4 th Prize	\$100	4 th Prize	\$100

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____
Council # _____

Drawing:
At the 2010 State Ball (October-November 2009)

Donation:
1 Ticket for \$1.00 6 Tickets for \$5.00



Council Updates



Insurance Agent's Corner



Field Agent
Matt Poulin

The laws and rules of our Order, as well as state (provincial) laws, specify that the Knights of Columbus may accept insurance applications only from Knights of Columbus members. As a member, you may apply for insurance on yourself, your wife and your minor children.

The Order's Board of Directors has taken action, though, to assure that a Knight's widow maintains the right to purchase additional insurance for a limited time. This can be of great benefit and comfort to those we leave behind.

This "right to apply" is available only to the widows of insured members. If a member has not availed himself of our highly rated life insurance program, or purchased an annuity or long-term care policy, this benefit is not available to his widow.

But if the member was an insured member, his widow has the right to apply for additional insurance on her life and on the lives of the member's minor children. This right can be exercised for up to one year following the Order's receipt of proof of the insured's death.

Know two things. First, I'll assist your widow and children in any way possible if you should die, both with your Knights of Columbus insurance and any other life insurance you may have. Second, I'll provide them my best professional advice and service, to assure that they continue to have adequate insurance protection.

As a professional agent and a brother Knight, I have no greater responsibility. I'm at 228-3029. Call me – let's talk.

Bus Trip to Boston

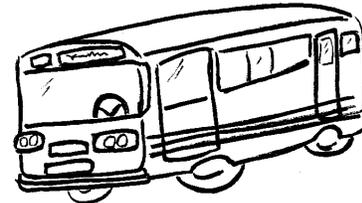
Knights of Columbus Council 112 is sponsoring a chartered bus for a **day trip to *** BOSTON ***** on Saturday, OCTOBER 2, 2010.

Enjoy a relaxing hassle free ride with no worries about parking or parking fees. Your whole day is free to shop, take in a play, walk the Freedom Trail, eat in the North End or whatever you choose to do.

We leave Concord at 8:00am and depart Boston by 5:00 pm to return home. Drop off and pick up at Faneuil Hall/Quincy Market. \$30.00 per person, round trip, no later than September 11. Make checks made payable to Debbie Thibeault.

For more information or to reserve a spot, contact Debbie at 753-9493 evenings or leave message at 340-0458.

This is a 55 passenger bus - reserve your space now before it fills!!!!



Rosary Before Every Business Meeting



Newly installed Grand Knight, Jim Cailler, has initiated a new tradition for Council 112: that a group rosary be said by brother Knights prior to the monthly business meeting. This devotion will begin at 6:30 on the second Monday of every month in the lower level of the Council Hall. The rosary will be completed in ample time to attend the Business meeting at 7:00 .

The rosary and the Knight's devotion to Mary is a cornerstone of our order. What a great way to demonstrate our continued commitment to her and her cause, in service to her Devine Son. **Please join us!**

2010 Council 112 Scholarship Awarded

Past Grand Knight Dave Dale awarded the 2010 Knights of Columbus Concord Council #112 Scholarship, in the amount of \$500, to Elise Luers, parishioner of St. Peters in Concord. Elise will attend University of Mississippi in Oxford, Mississippi and plans to pursue a major in Political Science with a minor in Intelligence and Security Studies. Congratulations Elise on your award and good luck with your studies.

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FATHER PETER BOUCHER

DEP. GRAND KNIGHT

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BRIAN HUTCHINS

RECORDER

JIM PREISENDORFER

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KEITH THIBEAULT

FIELD AGENT

MATT POULIN

STATE DEPUTY

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Our Council Home is available for rentals. For more information, call 228-8927.



Calendar of Upcoming Events



August

- 8/9 Monthly Business Meeting, 7:00pm, Council Hall & **Group Rosary, 6:30, lower level; Open to Brother Knights in good standing**
- 8/15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary / IHM Concord special devotions
- 8/29 Annual Family Day, All-day event, Elm Brook State Park. *Open to all.*

September

- 9/6 Officer's Meeting, 7:00pm, Council Hall
- 9/11 Cut-off date for reservations to the Ladies' Oct 2 Bus Trip to Boston
- 9/13 Monthly Business Meeting, 7:00pm, Council Hall & **Group Rosary, 6:30, lower level; Open to Brother Knights in good standing**
- 9/15 4th Degree Capital Sir Knights, Assembly 627 Meeting, Suncook, 7:00pm; *Open to 4th Degree Sir Knights in good standing*
- 9/20 Ladies Business Meeting, IHM Educational Center on Loudon Road, 6:00pm.
- 9/27 Annual Awards Banquet, 6:00pm social, 7:00pm dinner, Council Hall; *Fellow Brother Knights, family members and invited guests are welcome*

Please visit our website <http://kofc112.webs.com>
for more information on these events.

Fall Planning Underway

Members of the leadership of the Concord Council of the Knights of Columbus are actively planning activities and fundraisers for the fall and pre-Christmas season. October, in particular will be a very busy month, with the Boston Bus trip on October 2, Apple picking and sales over the weekend of October 16, and the Annual Craft Fair on October 23. All this on top of regular meetings, socials and continual Church and community involvement, will be a rewarding challenge for our volunteers.

As always, the success of any of our activities begin with the dedicated efforts of our members, families and friends. We are always looking for volunteers to aid in our activities; if you are available, please consider giving a hand on an activity or two that may be of interest to you.

August Devotion

The Church dedicates the month of August to the **Blessed Sacrament**, and increased adoration of the Eucharist is encouraged. We in the greater Concord area, are blessed to have convenient avenues to be in the physical presence of the Lord through Eucharistic Adoration:

- IHM has 24-hour adoration at its St. Padre Pio Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel
- St. John's has adoration every weekday morning from 6-8:00am and on Thursdays from 9:00pm to midnight

In this day and age, it seems most of our time is hurried and stressful. Give yourself a real treat and experience the peace and comfort that some time (*any time*) in front of the Lord will provide. If you allow, it can be an experience that can change your life.

August is also dedicated to the **Immaculate Heart of Mary**, and on August 15, the church celebrates the Assumption of Mary into heaven. Please take the opportunity to participate in the activities surrounding the National Pilgrim Virgin Statue visit described elsewhere by Council Chaplain, Father Peter.

