

St. Michael's Council 9246 NEWSLETTER



October 2011

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Pancake Breakfast** Our next pancake breakfast will be on **Sunday**, **November 6th**, after the **8:30** and **10:00** Masses. Set-up will be on **Sunday morning** starting at **7:30** am.
- **Pot-Luck Dinner** There will <u>not</u> be a pot-luck dinner this month. Our next Dinner will be in December.
- *Our Regular Monthly Meeting* Will be on **Tuesday**, **November 8**th, at **8:00 PM**, after Rosary for the Sick and Mass.
- Charity Appeal 2011/2012 There will be no Mall sales in November, however our campaign is still on. If you have not yet received any tickets to sell please contact Michael De Faria-Neves and he can supply you some. If we all pitch in it will be another successful year of Charity Appeal and we can again support those in need. Plus they are the best deal in town.
- **Shrine Room Clean-up** We will be clearing out the unwanted furniture and chairs currently in the Shrine Room on Saturday November 5th starting at 10:00 AM. If you or anyone you know would like to take any of the chairs etc., please be there on Sat. morning, otherwise they will be disposed of. We also will do some minor maintenance to the church if the help is there.

CATCHING UP:

Grand Knight's Report:

Hello Brother Knights,

As I look out my window and marvel at the beauty of God's creation, with the fall colours and all, I'm reminded that we really do live in a wonderful part of the world. We have so much to be thankful for, not just the beauty of our surroundings but also the standard of living that we enjoy and that we have the means to help others. Thank you to all who helped others in the last month through your involvement in our Council's activities such as the Pot-Luck dinner, Pancake Breakfast, Book Sale, Charity Appeal and the Ford demo program. Also to those involved in Church maintenance, those who serve as ushers, lecturers, who are involved with St. Michael's School and those who help in the greater community, seen and unseen (except by you know who), a sincere thank you.

In the month coming up we will have our usual Pancake Breakfast. On Saturday the 5th we will do what we can to clear out the Shrine room of unwanted chairs etc. Please come out and help if you can. There will not be any mall sales for Charity Appeal but we can all help the program by selling tickets to our lucky friends and associates. As I noted last newsletter, we will hold a membership drive on a weekend near the end of Nov. Remember that we do not have to wait for a membership drive to ask someone to join the Knights. If you know of someone who would be a candidate to join the Knights but don't feel comfortable asking, please pass on their name to a member of the executive.

Enjoy the autumn.

Calendar of Events:

- Nov. 5th Help needed in clearing out unwanted furniture from the Shrine Room.
- Nov. 6th Pancake Breakfast after 8:30 & 10:00 Masses. Set-up at 7:30 AM.
- Nov. 8th Regular monthly meeting.
- Nov. 19th/20th Membership Drive (tentative)
- Dec. 10th Set-up gym for Breakfast with St. Nick 10:00 AM.
- Dec. 10th Set-up for Pot-Luck Dinner Pot-Luck Dinner @ 6:00 PM
- Dec. 11th Breakfast with St. Nick after 8:30 & 10:00 Masses.

Eye Glass Collection:

As you may or may not know the Knights of St Michael's have been sponsoring a used eye glass collection program in conjunction with St. Michael's Parish. There is a collection box at the back of the church where parishioners can deposit used glasses. Brother Enrico Garrone has been the chairman of this effort and been collecting used glasses for a number of years now. It is with pride, that with the latest collection, Brother Bruce McLean will be delivering to our Brother Tony Viani another 197 pairs of regular glasses with 53 pairs of sun glasses. Brother Tony is Program Coordinator of the Dispensing Optical Program at Douglas College in Coquitlam. Tony has the students go over the glasses; identify the prescription and repair the frames so that they can be sent to third world countries. This is an on going program that works, thanks to all who donate, collect and compile.

Your 2011-2012 Executive:

Grand Knight: -Gary Jeannotte Advocate: -Bob Murphie Deputy Grand Knight: -Michael De Faria-Neves Warden: -Gilles Deschenes -Monsignor Rossi Inside Guard: Chaplain: -Warner Fernandes Chancellor: -Doug Carr Outside Guard: -Paul Rossi Recorder: -Tar Rossi Trustee - 1 Year: -Bruce McLean Financial Secretary: Trustee - 2 Years: -Dave Fremantle -John Cabana Treasurer: -Enrico Garrone Trustee - 3 Years: -Brian Ennis Lecturer: -Tom McClosky

REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Please keep in your prayers our deceased member brother Michael Glavin whose birthday would have been on Nov. 6th.



Kay Blair; Al Boire; Dr. Walter & Jean Kazun; Pat and Eileen Cassidy; Mary Glavin; Leo Gaucher; Bill Kathrein; Stan March; Tom, Pat, Jamie & Paul McCloskey; Mary Klikach; Kenneth Klikach; Lucy Luterbach; Peggy MacDonald; Gordon Zelko; Pat Welsh; Anne Whittey; Brian Ennis's Brother Tony; Fathers Basil Foote, Stan Frytek, Joseph Thoai Le, and Bill Somerville.

MARY, HEALTH OF THE SICK; PRAY FOR US