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Executive Meetings: Every First Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Hearth Room. General Meetings: Every Third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Hearth Room.

OCTOBER 2011

2011/2012 COUNCIL 9553 EXECUTIVE



CAR RAFFLE THANK YOU

Br Don Benassi, Car Raffle chairman and GK Jim Hannam presented an award of appreciation to Mr. Nino Gallo, Fortino's store manager for allowing us to sell tickets at their Mall Rd. supermarket. This coming series of sales we will need your assistance once again take a shift at all designated locations. It is VERY important that we sell all tickets if we are to continue with our charitable works.



UPCOMING EVENTS OCTOBER

28th - Mass for the

deceased Brothers of Council 9553 - 7:00 pm. 28th - Set up for Parish Bazaar 29th - Parish Bazaar 30th - Third Degree @ Council 5860 on Upper James

NOVEMBER

1st - Executive Meeting
5th - Memorial
Mass for Deceased
Members of Knights
of Columbus @ St.
Eugenes Church 10:30
15th - General Meeting
18th - Priest
Appreciation Night
@ Council 1454 on
Qeenston Rd.
DECEMBER

Worthy District Deputy
Dan Lohin

6th - Executive Meeting

13th - Christmas Social

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SERVICE:

Bazaar

Thanks to Br. Paul Morais for helping Joe Radassao with the delivery of the new bazaar tables. GK Jim Hannam and Br. Don Benassi replaced the casters on the bazaar shelves and on a couch in the Hearth Room.

Knights are needed to set up, clean up and sell turkey roll tickets at the Parish Bazaar on Saturday Oct. 29th.

Spaghetti Supper

Thanks to the Knights who helped with the setting up and taking down of the tables for the Parish Spaghetti Supper.

Church

An Engraved Name Tag has been ordered through Br. Fabian Almeyda for the two new church kneelers donated by our Council.

COMMUNITY:

Rose Sunday

Thanks to Br. Mario Salvatore, the chairman of the "Rose, Right to Life" Campaign and all the Knights who helped sell the roses at the following parishes: - Sacred Heart, Blessed Sacrament, and St. Margaret Mary.

Car Raffle

Br. Don Benassi and GK Jim Hannam presented a plaque to Mall Rd. Fortinos Store Manager, Mr. Nino Gallo in appreciation for providing space to sell car raffle tickets.

FRATERNITY:

Membership

Thanks to the Knights who helped with the Recruitment Weekend on the 15th and 16th.

A First Degree was held on Oct. 11 at Council 1454. A Second Degree was held on Oct. 17 at Council 9553. A Third Degree is scheduled for Oct. 30 at Upper James Council 5860.

Memorial Mass

Mass for the deceased members of Council 9553 will be held at St. Margaret Mary on Oct. 28 @ 7:00 pm.

Memorial Mass for deceased Knights Of Columbus Members will be held at St. Eugene Church on Nov. 5th @ 10:30 am. Our Br. John Sexton passed away this past year. His family will be notified of the mass.

Rose Sunday October 1-2, 2011

Sacred Heart

Saturday @ 5pm

Bruce Coughlan, Jim Hannam, Gary St. Germain

40 roses sold -\$166.10 collected - Average \$4.15 per rose

Sunday @ 10am

Bruce Coughlan, Jim Hannam, Herb Dixon

20 roses sold - \$155.40 collected - Average \$7.77 per rose

Total roses sold-----60

Total collected-----\$321.50

Average \$5.36 per rose

Blessed Sacrament

Saturday @ 5:30pm

Don Benassi, Frank Russell, Vince Colonna

33 roses sold - \$72.10 collected - Average \$2.18 per rose

Sunday @ 9am

Don Benassi, Frank Russell, Tony Del Fiacco

43 roses sold - \$93.00 collected - Average \$2.16 per rose

Sunday @ 11am

Don Benassi, Frank Russell, Gregory Watson

52 roses sold - \$106.00 collected - Average \$2.04 per rose

Total roses sold-----128

Total collected-----\$271.10

Average \$2.12 per rose

St. Margaret Mary (420)

Saturday @ 7pm

Don & Bev Stacey, Paul Stacey, Dr. Harry Andry, Hernando Lopez

72 roses sold - \$192.10 collected - Average \$2.67 per rose

Sunday @ 8:30am

Bob Chwalyk, Eric Fobler, John Capostagno, Mario Salvatore

57 roses sold - \$136.79 collected - Average \$2.32 per rose

Sunday @ 10:15am

Mike Cusick, Rudy Fasser, Red McDonald

89 roses sold - \$208.23 collected - Average \$2.47 per rose

Sunday @ 12pm

Don Goulet, Gary Gallant, Garry Thomas

102 roses sold - \$236.08 collected - Average \$2.31 per rose

Total roses sold----320

Total collected-----\$773.20

Average \$2.42 per rose

100 roses left

Total Roses sold 508
Total collected \$1365.00
Total expense \$295.58
Total Profit \$1070.22

Submited by Rose Sunday Chairman Br. Mario Salvatore

Motions

No Motions have been tabled or brought forward at this time.



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Two new Priests are walking down Fennell Ave nearing their new Parish of St Margaret Mary. They see a sign that says, "Aces Old Timers Bar - ALL drinks 10 cents." Father Bill & Father Mike look at each other and then go in, thinking, this is too good to be true.

The old bartender says in a voice that carries across the room, "Come on in and let me pour one for you!

What'll it be, Fathers?"

There's a fully stocked bar, so each of the Priest orders a beer. In no time the bartender serves up two ice cold beers, and says, "That'll be 10 cents each, please."

The Priests stare at the bartender for a moment, then at each other. They can't believe their good luck. They pay the 20 cents, finish their beers, and order another round. Again, two ice cold beers are produced, with the bartender again saying, "That's 20 cents, please." They pay the 20 cents, but their curiosity gets the better of them. They've each had two beers and haven't even spent a dollar yet.

Finally Father Mike says, "How can you afford to serve beers as ice cold as these for a dime apiece?"

"I'm a retired steelworker from Stelco," the bartender says, "and I always wanted to own a bar. Last year I hit the Lottery jackpot for \$125 million and decided to open this place. Every drink costs a dime. Wine, liquor, beer—it's all the same."

"Wow! That's some story!" Father Bill says.

As the two Priests sip at their beers, they can't help noticing seven other people at the end of the bar who don't have any drinks in front of them and haven't ordered anything the whole time they've been there.

Nodding at the seven at the end of the bar, Father Mike asks the bartender, "What's with them?"

The bartender says, "They're Knights of Columbus from your Parish"

"They're waiting for Happy Hour when drinks are halfprice."