

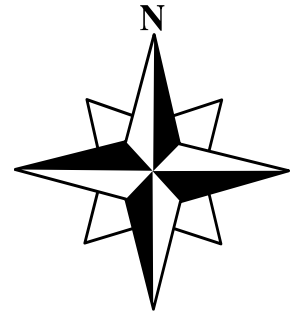


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## Grand Knight's Message FIVE THINGS TO BE THANKFUL FOR

Asking my secretary the other day what she planned on giving up for Lent led to the notion that instead of doing without something she enjoys, she does something more. This includes completing a spiritual reading at least once a day, and thinking of five good things that happened that day and listing them in her "Daily Lenten Journal". I think this is a great idea and I intend to start my daily journal of "Five good things that happened today" tomorrow. But, be that as it may, I easily can think of five good things that have happened to Council 4618.

First: Charity Dinner. We changed the name of the "Charity Ball" to "Charity Dinner" in recognition of the fact that in the recent past, virtually no one has stayed to dance and it is not much of a "Ball" any longer. Therefore, it made sense to call it what it is – a dinner.

Along with that, since there is not going to be any dancing, it seemed a good idea to have our entertainment during cocktail hour and during the dinner - so we will have a small music group provide some soft classical music during this time. Finally, our experienced Charity Dinner committee of Tom O'Connell, Barney Quinlan and Dave Uerz, led by Andy Weidman is managing this event superbly and they are hopeful of record contributions this year.

Second: thanks to Jeff Rothwell, we will be holding a Soccer Challenge next year. Jeff is a coach of a youth soccer team in Ontario and has contact with many other teams and youth soccer entities. We look forward to this event next year early in the season. Everything that Jeff manages does well, and we anticipate an excellent turnout for this event next fall.

Third: C & B Sales: We were recognized at the Quarterly Finger Lakes Region meeting on February 20 for our achievement of selling over 400 C & B Books – actual number 493. To this end, we received a beautiful certificate, and then a rebate check for \$986 which will go back into our C & B fund to aid with our participation in the Special Olympics, Pierce Street activities, the Annual Christmas and Picnic parties for our DDSO residents and their caregivers, as well as our annual summer picnic for our members and their families. Thanks to Joe Dilal, Don Bell and the rest for this great effort. Congratulations. We were the only council in our region to sell over 400 books!

Fourth: Purging our membership rolls of inactive members. Our council had been carrying inactive members on our rolls for several years. The retention committee has been in the process of cleaning out our membership rolls of inactive members over the last three years and is now approaching closure of this difficult task. This is an effort which began under PGK Dave U., former Trustee Tom Freundsuh and FS Ed Wynne. The committee is also comprised of Trustees Bob Leschhorn and Don Bell and myself.



Fifth: The Big Brother and Council Handbook Programs initiated by Brother Jerry Ryan. As some of you may know, we have had a spurt of increased membership over the last few years, however, some of our new members have sometimes been “kind of left in Limbo” and we have suffered some attrition because of this. Jerry’s programs address these pressing needs in an exemplary and highly functional way.

Fifth: Friendliest Council. Our “Friendliest Council in New York State Campaign” seems to be bearing fruit. It is rare to see a member standing alone during cocktail hour any longer. Our members, new and longer term, are becoming very conscientious about going up to and saying hello to persons standing by themselves and starting a conversation. Congratulations to all! Keep up the good work. Certainly our Big Brother Campaign taps into this very well too.

Fifth: OK, so I lost count a while ago. One could go on all day listing the recent good happenings of our council. But fifth again, anyway - is our incredible newsletter which is an everyday thing, easy to take for granted. Awesome. Nothing more needs to be said. Thanks Tom F. and Paul Fetter.

Circling back to the beginning, I’ll jot these items down in my daily journal – tomorrow. But I’ll have to add one more, and that is that Trinity Council 4618 is indeed a remarkable Knights of Columbus Council. A lot good things are happening. I’ll need a bigger journal. Thanks everyone for all that you do. Keep a good Lent.

Vivat Jesus,  
Joseph D. Kozelsky, Grand Knight



## Thursday, April 1st Dinner Meeting

Chicken and Shrimp Pasta Primevera  
over Linguini  
Salad  
Vegetables  
Dessert

**\$14.00**

**Reservations are a must !  
by March 28st!  
Call or e-mail Tom Hoffend.**

 **872-5788**

 **thoffend@frontiernet.net**

**NOTE: If you make a reservation, you are expected to pay for the meal.**

### Trinity Council continues to support Mt. Carmel Food Cupboard

The *Mount Carmel Food Kitchen* is located in the inner city and is administered by *Sr. Karlein Bach*. Her doorbell rings day and night by children or adults asking for food or basic needs. She rations out just enough to go around and yet still provide. They could use our help. It is our hope that as we meet monthly for our dinner meetings, that we think also of people in need of basic nutritional and hygienic items that we can bring along for collection.

*Dan and Margaret Milner* will take responsibility to deliver our donations and can be reached at **671-4391**

to answer questions and provide additional information and suggestions for personal contributions.

Typical needs or suggestions are:

- Children’s Cereal
- Fruit Cups
- Juice Boxes
- Cheese or Peanut Butter & Crackers
- Any Ready-to-eat food
- Rice (Uncle Ben’s converted)
- Canned goods w/easy open lids
- Disposable diapers
- Toilet paper
- Hats, gloves, mittens
- Individual pre-made pasta cups (Chef Boyardee)
- Anything nutritious and portable



### March Council Birthdays

James	Kubrich	0301
Larry	Lochner	0301
Norman	Knitter	0303
Mauro	Buzzelli	0304
Robert	McNeill	0304
Jerry	Waehner	0304
Bernard	Quinlan	0308
Carl "CJ"	Zimmerman	0310
Richard	Jester	0314
Joseph	Zelazny	0314
John	Flannery	0315
Mark	Ludington	0316
Matteo	Disanto	0318
Richard	Doser	0319
Ronald	McNinch	0320
Thomas	Swovick	0320
Deacon Leo	Kester	0321
Timothy	Runyan	0321
Francis	Ferland	0328
Kevin	Ciarkowski	0329
Hon. Donald	Mark	0331
Richard	Prinzing	0331

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5	6
March	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
2010	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31			

### Key Dates for upcoming activities

- 3/04/10 Regular Council Dinner Meeting – WCC—6PM
- 3/18/10 Council Officer’s Meeting – WCC – 7:00 PM
- 3/19/10 Euchre Tournament — WCC — 6:30 PM
- 3/27/10 Bishops Burse and Third Degree Exemplification  
St. Jude’s Parish Center 4100 Lyell Avenue Rochester
- 4/01/10 Regular Council Dinner Meeting – WCC—6PM
- 4/15/10 Council Officer’s Meeting – WCC – 7:00 PM
- 4/17/10 Charity Dinner– WCC—6PM
- 5/02/10 Religious Appreciation Dinner
- 5/06/10 Regular Council Dinner Meeting – WCC—6PM

*Editor’s Note:* Many of you have asked to list the actual birthdates in in case you may wish to send a card. I am happy to oblige. The Council database does contain most everyone’s dates. If any information is in error, please contact Karl Steigerwald at 265-9396 or by e-mail at: [kjsteig@aol.com](mailto:kjsteig@aol.com)



**Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Trinity Council KofC**  
**Fourth Thursday**  
**Holy Trinity Parish**  
**7:00 to 8:00 PM**





## Ladies Auxiliary of Trinity Council

**Meeting:** March 8, 7:00 pm

**Program:** Michael Miller Floral Demo  
(Floral Pieces are won by purchasing raffle tickets)

**Hostesses:** March meeting  
Marilyn Wolfe, Dorothy Simpson

### March Birthday Wishes

4<sup>th</sup> Mary Driscoll  
17<sup>th</sup> Kathy Pritchett  
19<sup>th</sup> Donna Goundry  
29<sup>th</sup> Julie Ellender

### February Donations:

None due to Dinner meeting

Many thanks to all who helped with setup for the dinner and to all who attended for bringing such grezt food. A good time was had by all.

### Please keep these Prayers of Intention in your hearts:

Mary Driscoll, Mary Senecal and Jean Dewey on the death of her husband.

### REMINDERS/SAVE DATES:

**Monthly Offering:** We will still be collecting for Hope House.

Dinner Entrée: Chicken Pot Pie  
Pls call Kathy Uerz with your reservation

**BINGO:** Set-up and Workers are still needed. Please consider helping at least once per year. This would greatly help our present over worked volunteers. The support through our concession stand helps us accomplish the work we do through our continuing monthly monetary donations.

**SUNSHINE REQUESTS:** Is there an Auxiliary member that needs some cheering up, ill, has or is going to be hospitalized? 1<sup>st</sup> time mommy, 1<sup>st</sup> time grandparent or moving to a new home?? Pleas contact Donna McNinch, 265-1526

**MONETARY REQUESTS:** Must be submitted in writing by an Auxiliary member prior to the next board meeting for discussion and review. Please provide the name of the organization/person for donation, along with a brief description of needs. Forms are available from the Auxiliary President.

**CALENDARS:** Ronnie Zawacki thanks everyone for the calendars but the Ministry doesn't need anymore.

### Auxiliary Board Meeting:

March 4<sup>th</sup> at Julie Ellenders - 7:00 PM

### April Board Meetins:

April 8<sup>th</sup> at Judy Pellittieri's - 7 PM

April Meeting – April 12th

*A speaker on Liturgical Bread used in Eastern Catholic Churches*

**Dinner Entrée: Roast Beef**

**HOSTESSES: Nora Doser, Linda Kozelsky**





## LAWN MOWERS NEEDED

YEP IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN TO SIGN UP FOR THE BEST LAWN MOWING POSITIONS AVAILABLE WITH THE KNIGHTS.

THIS IS A TEAM EVENT, NEED TWO HARDY MOWERS EACH MONTH. USUALLY TAKES 3 HOURS TO MOW AND GENERALLY IT IS TWICE DURING THE MONTH.

LOOKING FOR MOWERS FOR MAY THROUGH OCTOBER. HELP KEEP THE COLUMBUS CENTER LOOKING GREAT!!!!

GIVE ME A CALL OR SEND E-MAIL IF YOU WANT TO SIGN UP.

MIKE DONOVAN, Home # 342-7316, Work # 342-4909 OR E-MAIL

[MDONOVA1@ROCHESTER.RR.COM](mailto:MDONOVA1@ROCHESTER.RR.COM)

THANKS IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR HELP!



## CHARITY DINNER VOLUNTEERS ON THE PROWL FOR ADS

*Andy Weidman , PGK*

The Charity Dinner solicitors are hard at work obtaining ads for the Charity Dinner Program Book from area businesses and professionals. Under the direction of Barney Quinlan, PGK Dave Uerz and Tom O'Connell (who are leading by example, by the way) they are pounding the sometimes snow-covered pavement in search of ads before the St. Patrick's Day cutoff date. "They" include Art Schuth, Bob Leschhorn, Bruce Brauch, Chris Joy, Dan Scalzo, Dave McCoy, PGK Dave Stein, Dean Hamingson, PGK Dick McHale, PGK Dick Wagner, PGK Don Bell, Gene VerSchneider, PGK Jim Rousseau, GK Joe Kozelsky (can you believe it!!!), Karl Steigerwald, Mark Luddington, Roger Ellender, Steve Dwyer, Tom Dole, PGK Tom Sweeney, Dave McLellan, David Samuelson, John Bastian and Joe Bradbury.

The **March 17<sup>th</sup> deadline** also applies to ads from members of the Trinity Council family. Council family members must be self-starters; they will not be contacted by the solicitors.

Watch your mail in early March for your invitation to the **April 17<sup>th</sup> Charity Dinner**. Enter the date on your post-Lent calendar today. The Council's 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Dinner will benefit the Veterans Outreach Center of Rochester.

## CHURCH OF THE COVERED DISH by Thom Tapp



"Due to the current economic condition of our church, we are now providing 'first class' seating for all tithers."



First Annual Holy Trinity  
St. Patrick's Day Party  
Saturday, March 6  
6-10pm



Music by Meyer and McGuire  
Dancers from Young School of Irish Dance  
Irish Food and Spirits

Guinness, Beer, Wine, and Irish Coffee  
will be available with a donation.



Adults \$15  
Kids 12 and Under \$5  
Kids 5 and Under Free

Call the Holy Trinity Church office to reserve tickets at 265-1616,  
1460 Ridge Rd, Webster, NY 14580.

Donations will be for a new nurse's office at the  
Nativity School in memory of Tristan Hanna.





# Let Us Pray

**For our Veterans**, that we always remember those who have given their lives for our freedom and that we support our troops as they return home. We pray especially for Josh Steinhilber, a fellow Brother Knight from Trinity Council.

**For our Seminarians**, that the Lord gives these men the strength to remain committed to answering God's call to serve Him and his people in a special way.

**For members of the Permanent Deaconate Program**, especially Rick Rall from Trinity Council. That the Lord will encourage them in their studies and help them find the right balance in their lives for their studies, their families and the Lord's calling to do his work.

Our Council Brethren and family members and who are ill, under treatment or recovering..

Carmen Basilio  
Marilyn Bowman

Chris Cannito  
Ann Ceranowicz

Sue Cook  
Camille Dilal

Sam DiSalvo

Deacon Stan Douglas & Joanne  
Susan Douglas-Doyle (daughter of Deacon Stan)

Mary Driscoll  
Rosalie Fabbi

Catherine Fremut (twin sister of Peter Breidt)  
Carolyn Hafner

Tom Jarvis

Jack Keubel

Leo & Helen Kester

Iris Kilgor (sister of Dean Hamingson)

Rosalie Mark

Donna Martin (daughter of Jean Chappell)

Rev. Donald McCarthy

Joe Nagel

Laurie Pellittieri

Mike Pellittiere

Art Schuth

Peter Steigerwald (son of Karl and Pat)

Theresa Sweeney (Daughter of Tom Sweeney)

Carl and Ann Tiberio

Bill VerSchneider (brother of Gene)

Ken Warren

Sid Webster

Evelyn Young

All Requests of the Trinity Council Prayer Chain



**Brother André Bessette,  
Humble Son of Quebec, to  
Become a Saint**

*From www.kofc.org*

2/20/2010

On February 19, 2010, Pope Benedict XVI presided at a consistory at the Vatican for the canonization of six blessed, including Brother André Bessette, a humble native of Quebec, Canada.

Brother André was orphaned at the age of 10, and worked in mills and on farms in New England, returning to Quebec when he was 22. He took a job as a custodian at the College of Notre Dame in Montreal and was ordained a lay brother of the Congregation of the Holy Cross at 29.

**DEADLINE FOR THE**

**April** issue of  
**THE COMPASS**  
Is **March 16th!**

Contact Paul Fetter  
217-9653  
pffetter@aol.com

He served for the next 40 years as porter of the school, and along the way gained a reputation as a healer. When students fell ill, they came to Brother André and together they prayed to St. Joseph, the patron saint of Canada.

In 1904, Brother André was instrumental in getting a small chapel built across the street from the school, and there he met and prayed with those who were sick.

In 1924 construction of a much larger church began, but work on it stopped during the Depression.

When Brother André died in 1937 at the age of 91, an estimated 1 million people came to pay their respects. Eventually work on the church resumed, and the magnificent St. Joseph's Oratory was finally completed in 1967. Two million people visit the Oratory every year.

On October 17, 2010, Brother André will be canonized – Canada's first male saint.

Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson said of the decision to declare him a saint, "The Knights of Columbus share in Canada's joy over

the canonization of Blessed André Bessette. Brother André is a shining example for the Knights and all Catholics in Canada of faith, humility and charity to those most in need. By allowing himself to be the instrument of God, he touched the lives of thousands of people. May we always follow in his footsteps of faith, humility, devotion to St. Joseph, and charity to his neighbors."



Brother André Bessette

*(Editors note: The above news item caught my eye as my uncle, Brother Andre Lechtenberg is in the Congregation of the Holy Cross, having recently completed 70 years in the order.)*

**March 2010**

2-March-10

D. Milner, Captain Team 6

9-March-10

K. Steigerwald, Captain Team 7

16-March-10

D. Wagner, Captain Team 8

23-March-10

K. Steigerwald, Captain Team 9

30-March-10

A. Weidman, Captain Team 1

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6-April-10

B. Brauch, Captain Team 2

13-April-10

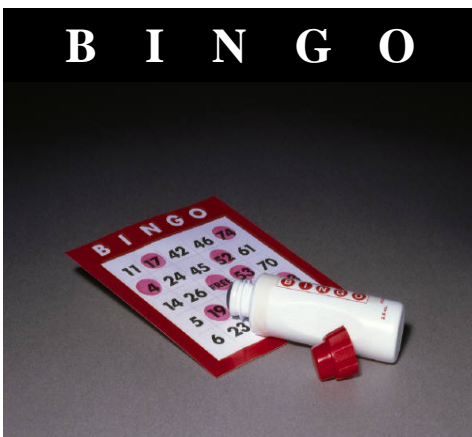
J. Rousseau, Captain Team 3

20-April-10

D. Jester Captain Team 5

27-April-10

D. Milner, Captain Team 6







# WCC News

Dan Milner – President, WCC

## WCC Mortgage Fund –

As you may know, we are approaching the end of our 10-year Mortgage Fund Drive Pledge. To date, we have received over \$110,000 which helped us to pay down mortgage and loans totaling almost \$300,000.00 ten years ago. We now have just over \$36,000.00 to go and hope to have this debt retired by late 2011.



I'd like to remind you that even though our mortgage and capital debt will be retired, we still have capital needs just as when your home mortgage is paid off – there are still capital improvements, repairs and renovations. I hope that we can continue a capital fund drive and invite those members who did not participate in the 10-year plan and also new members over the past few years, plus all new members (after say, a year or so). These funds can be set aside for capital needs that can include major repairs (roof, parking lot, etc), improvements and renovations. For instance, we could start thinking about installing some windows. Perhaps a nice covered pavilion out back. How about a Lounge renovation? We need to start

thinking about how we want to look and how we want to operate in the future. We will be asking for your input in the coming months. Start thinking about it!

The WCC Board is busy reviewing and updating policies and overseeing the operation. When you come into the facility, it is typically set up for whatever event is going on. Usually, the lavatories, walls, carpet and the floors are clean. This is no accident. Our House Manager, **Bud Shura**, coordinates all the activities that make our facility clean, set-up, maintained and available. **Joe Frate** and **Dick Jester** have been busy repairing and painting. **Don Bell** has been helping Bud with seminars and set-ups. **Walt Kowalski** has helped Bud with a new water heater and woman's lavatory, to name a few. There are many others that freely give their time and their talent which we will spotlight in the future. They are much of the reason our council home looks good!

Feel free to send your comments or ideas to me or any board member (I'm [MilnerAir@aol.com](mailto:MilnerAir@aol.com)).

### Monthly Bell Jar Report – Jan. 2010

Number of Deals Sold	12
Gross Profit	\$1,757.00
Cost of Deals Paid	\$0.00
Net Profit for month	\$1,757.00

Note: 1/3 of Net Profit is reserved for Charity and Worthy Causes.

Dan Milner - Chairman

## Knights deliver 100,000 more prayerbooks to Military Archdiocese

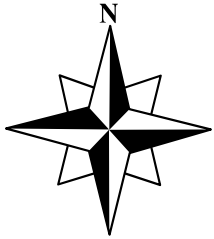
Knights of Columbus, including Military Affairs Director Charles Gallina and DC area college Knights, delivered a shipment of an additional 100,000 copies of the Order's prayerbook for those serving in the American military recently.

This latest printing of *Armed With The Faith: A Catholic Handbook for Military Personnel* brings the total number printed and donated since 2003 to half a million copies.

The version provided to members of the armed forces are spiral bound, printed on special coated stock, and are sized to fit in the pockets of uniforms worn in the field.

Another version, printed on regular paper, is offered through the Knights of Columbus Catholic Information Service to the families of service members. Last year, the Knights of Columbus also produced *Armour of Faith: A Catholic Handbook for Canadian Military Personnel*, and 30,000 of that version have been printed and distributed for Canadian soldiers.





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