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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Officers Meeting	January 10
Bishop Campbell Installation	January 13
Assembly Meeting	January 20



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If you know of any Sir Knight or Lady who is sick or in distress, please contact Marcia or Walt Chadwick at 476-2130.

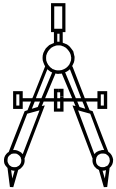
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There will be a new monthly activity starting with our January Assembly meeting. At 6:45pm, the Assembly will begin saying the Rosary. Faithful Admiral Bob Peters will lead us. Please try to arrive early and join us before we sit down to our monthly Assembly dinner.

Now that the new year has arrived, we need to step up our efforts to recruit new members into the Fourth Degree. The exemplification will be here before we know it. Every member is encouraged to contact their brother knights in the Third Degree and urge them to become a Sir Knight. The fact sheet included with last month's newsletter should be helpful. As noted previously, Faithful Admiral Bob Peters, Faithful Captain Steve Wieland and I plan to attend Third Degree meetings, make a short presentation on the Fourth Degree and distribute the fact sheet. We can use all the help we can get from other Sir Knights.

The proposed changes to the By-laws that were published in last month's newsletter were discussed and approved at the December Assembly meeting.

Believe it or not, now is the time to start thinking about elections for next year. I will be appointing a nominating committee in March. Nominations will be announced in April with elections in May according to the recently adopted by-law. Between now and March, various offices and their duties will appear in this column. We will need volunteers for many of our elected offices. Please review the duties and consider volunteering to be a candidate. Let the nominating committee know if you would like to be a candidate.

Faithful Inner and Outer Sentinels – Responsible to see that all in attendance at meetings are in possession of appropriate valid Third and Fourth Degree membership cards and perform such other duties as directed by the Faithful Pilot.

Faithful Purser – Responsible for keeping records in a bound book furnished for that purpose by the Assembly, give receipt for funds received and pay all orders lawfully drawn on him.

Faithful Scribe – Responsible for keeping records of minutes of all regular and special meetings in a bound book furnished for that purpose by the Assembly.

Installment Number Seven

Freedom Isn't Free

Remembering Those Who Paid

THOMPSON, WILLIAM. - Private First Class, U.S. Army, 24th Company M, 24th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division. Place and date: Near Haman, Korea, 6 August 1950. Birth: New York, N.Y. 2 August 1951. Citation: Pfc. Thompson distinguished himself by conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity above and beyond the call of duty in action against the enemy. While his platoon was reorganizing under cover of darkness, fanatical enemy forces in overwhelming strength launched a surprise attack on the unit. Pfc. Thompson set up his machine gun in the path of the onslaught and swept the enemy with withering fire, pinning them down momentarily thus permitting the remainder of his platoon to withdraw to a more tenable position. Although hit repeatedly by grenade fragments and small-arms fire, he resisted all efforts of his comrades to induce him to withdraw, steadfastly remained at his machine gun and continued to deliver deadly, accurate fire until mortally wounded by an enemy grenade.



**Faithful Captain
Steve Wieland
(614) 457-5434**

January Monthly Dinner Meeting

Our monthly social dinner will be at the Rusty Bucket in New Albany. The date for this dinner will be January 10, 2005. This is one week later than normal to give us a slight break from the Christmas Holidays. The tavern is so new I do not have an actual address. It is located on Market Street south of Dublin Granville Road. Market Street runs off Dublin Granville Road at the traffic signal immediately east of the Church of the Resurrection. Faithful Navigator George Butzer will hold a short business meeting.

January Assembly Meeting

Date: January 20, 2005

Time: 8:00 pm Rosary at 6:45 pm, Dinner at 7:15 pm)

Place: St. Elizabeth Church
6077 Sharon Woods Boulevard

The Assembly will provide a light meal prior to the business meeting and the Ladies program.

The Ladies program will be a speaker from Touching Little Lives for the January meeting. Touching Little Lives could use a package of newborn diapers from those who may wish to donate.

February Dinner Meeting

The February social dinner meeting will be at W. C. Gathers Restaurant on February 7. The Restaurant is located at 5617 North High

Street in Worthington across from St. Michael Parish. Dinner will start at 7:00 pm.



**Faithful Comptroller
John Arata
(614) 855-0311**

Your Directive

All new Sir Knights as well as current Sir Knights need to complete your directive. This is the document that instructs the assembly on the presentation of the Chalice and Sword upon your death. Having this done in advance eases the burden on you family. A directive may be changed at any time. Blank directives are available from our Faithful Comptroller. If you can't make our meeting, please call the comptroller at the phone number above and he will be glad to mail you a form.



**Faithful Pilot
Mark Steele
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Thank you for your recent support at the Veterans Hospital in Chillicothe, the Veterans Day Parade, and the Memorial Mass.

Calling Tree

Here is the current calling tree contact list. If you are NOT receiving phone calls about wakes, please contact your council's "Contact Person" or Mark Steels at the telephone number above.



Council	Contact	Phone
Assumption Council 3727	Paul Rea	(614) 885-6968
Pope John XXIII Council 5429	Earle Sherburn	(740) 927-4376
Westerville Council 5776	Don Wetzel	(740) 548-7991
St. Jude Council 5801	Art Wohlfrom	(740) 965-2072
St Joan of Arc Council 10765	Thomas Bulcher	(614) 436-6979
New Albany Council 10941	Ed Yingling	(614) 891-5675
St. Elizabeth Council 11193	Howard VanOss	(614) 436-7956
St. Patrick Council 11207	Scott Violand	614) 891-6701
St. Peter Council 11216	Tom May	(614) 888-6304
Fr. Sheldon Kelly Council 11224	Doug Eakins	(614) 879-7757
St. Andrew Council 11275	Ed Dagenfield	(614) 451-3305
St. Michael Council 11445	Gene Gabalski	(614) 885-2031

I will be collecting the e-mail address of the members of the calling tree contact list. This will allow for a faster communication to all Sir Knights.

Events and Dates to Remember:

Installation of the Bishop Frederick Francis Campbell on January 13, 2005 at 2:00 PM

Church of the Resurrection – Girl and Boy Scouts – January 23, 2005 – 3:00 PM Mass

Church of the Resurrection – Confirmation Mass – February 12, 2005 – 5:00 PM Mass

Clergy Appreciation – February 20, 2005

St. Matthew – Confirmation Mass – February 27, 2005 3:00 PM

St. Peter – Confirmation Mass – April 9, 2005 1:30 PM

St. Joan of Arc – Confirmation Mass – April 17, 2005 2:30 PM & 6:30 PM

Church of the Resurrection – First Eucharist – April 16, 2005 – 5:00 PM

St. Elizabeth – Confirmation Mass – April 23, 2005 5:30 PM

Church of the Resurrection – First Eucharist – April 24, 2005 – 2:00 PM

St. John Neuman – Confirmation Mass – April 26, 2005 7:30 PM

St. Andrew – Confirmation Mass – May 1, 2005 5:00 PM

St. Andrew – First Eucharist – May 7, 2005 11:00 AM

St. Michael – First Eucharist – May 7, 2004 10:00 AM & 1:00 PM

St. Michael – Confirmation Mass – May 14, 2005 2:00 PM

Please plan to arrive 30 minutes to 1 hour prior to Mass for the general instructions.

Requests for Honor Guard and Color Guard

As a courtesy to your brother Sir Knights please inform the Pilot at least two weeks prior to any upcoming event requesting any involvement for either the Honor Guard or Color Guard. Wakes and funerals are the exception.



Faithful Commander
Ed Dagenfield
(614) 451-3305

Manual of the Sword Practice

Manual of the Sword Practice will be held upon request of any Sir Knight. Please call our Faithful Commander to set up a time. All new Sir Knights should try to attend at least one manual of the Sword Practice.