

**Knights of Columbus -
St. Bonaventure Council No. 12240 Davie, FL
Monthly News Letter**

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CALANDAR OF MEETING DATES AND EVENTS 2008

Date	Council Hall – Agenda
February 4, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – Carolina Ale House 7:30 pm
March 5, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – TBA
April 2, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – TBA
May 7, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – TBA Reading of the slate of nominations for office – 2009-2010 term
June 4, 2009	Regular Business Meeting After May 15 th – Election of officers for the 2009-2010 term
July 2, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – New officers take the chairs

Council 12240 Family of the Month TBA

Council 12240 Knight of the Month TBA

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - CURRENT OFFICERS ST. BONAVENTURE
COUNCIL NO. 12240 2008-2009 FRATERNAL YEAR**

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A SALUTE TO OUR PAST GRAND KNIGHTS:

SK William. Braun, Jr. PGK, (Founding GK) 1998-2000 and 2002-2003

SK Denis Mello, PGK, 2000 - 2002

SK Scott A. O'Connor, PGK, PFN, DD 2003 - 2005

SK Kevin Carey, PGK 2005 - 2007

SK James Suffern, PGK 2007-2008

SK Elio Garcia, GK 2008 -

Grand Knights Report

No Report

DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

Deputy Grand Knight's Report
01/28/2009

1. Thank you to all who helped with the coating process of the new basketball pavilion.
2. The next 3rd degree is in Miami on February 21st 2009 please contact Al Fradette at 954-347-4589 or email at afradett@hotmail.com if you would like to attend.
3. Pancake Breakfast is Sunday February 8th after mass until 12:00 pm.
4. Also we are still trying to get a 1st degree team together and would like to know if there are any members who want to learn a part. Please let Kevin or I know if you are interested.

Thank you and God Bless,

CHAPLIN'S REPORT

Father Ed – See this weeks Church Bulletin

CHANCELLORS REPORT

FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

Bill Braun – No report filed...

FOURTH DEGREE

The February meeting will be the annual Blessing of the Swords Mass at All Saints Catholic Church. Refreshments will be served following the event. All Knights regardless of degree are invited along with their families.

PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES REPORTS

Thank you all who worked on behalf of the Unborn during the past election campaign. Through the efforts of the K of C and members like you, we have made progress. Please continue to support this worthy cause.

INSURANCE AGENT

K of C Whole Life Insurance Provides Value that Lasts a Lifetime

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- Provides a guaranteed death benefit for life
- Offers guaranteed increase in cash values each year
- Only product guaranteed to create cash at the exact moment it is needed
- Dividends have historically lowered the net cost considerably (future dividends are not guaranteed)

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Angelo Bavaro 954-437-4467

DISTRICT DEPUTY REPORT

Dear Brother Knights –

I wish to thank everyone who participated in our project to coat the new sports floor in the multi-purpose covered area. The new addition to the school covers 14,000 sq. ft. of space. We worked over five days to prepare, coat and paint lines on the new surface. The church saved over \$40,000 on this project by having it done by volunteers. This project should be noted in the annual survey as a major accomplishment by the council.

Please remember that the nomination for delegates to the Florida State Council Annual Convention are due soon. At the next meeting the delegates must be voted on by the council and the report submitted. Also the advertisement for the state convention book is now being put together. This year the cost per council will be \$65.00 Please make a check out to the Florida State Council for advertising. I will collect the checks and submit them with the advertisement.

In January we had the Spelling Bee, On February 7; St. Bonaventure will host both the District and Regional Basketball Free-throw competitions. We need a volunteer to bring a portable basket and backboard as the new facility will not have them installed by this date. If you can bring a regulation sized hoop, please contact DD Scott at (305) 790-2041. On February 21 a 3rd Degree of the Order will take place. Please check the website for updates.

Vivat Jesus,

Scott O'Connor, PGK, DD#58

[Sickbay](#)

Tony Fontana, SK Frank Mastrarrigo, need your prayers.

Taps

The report will be updated next month

COLUMBIETTES

The Columbiettes are an independent Catholic Women's organization that works closely with the Knights of Columbus, with the Blessed Mother, St. Therese the Little Flower and St. Joan of Arc as patronesses. The Columbiettes host programs that include works of Charity, devotion and promotion of Catholic Values.

Meetings for Columbiettes are held the 3rd Wed. of each month. Bunco is the 2nd Tues. of each month with contributions donated to worthy charities. For more information, contact our President, Camille Berringer at (954) 846-7473.

Columbiettes assist with the raffle booth --- The Columbiettes have helped the Knights each year and will do so again. Juan Carlos needs help in recruiting Knights to fill time slots. Please donate a few hours during our festival to help the Raffle Booth.

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