

**Knights of Columbus -  
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Monthly News Letter  
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**CALANDAR OF MEETING DATES AND EVENTS 2008**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Council Hall – Agenda</b>
April 1, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – Meeting room 1 – Behind the School Cafeteria
April 5, 2009	Membership Drive – Pancake Breakfast All council members are requested to assist at this event. 7:00 am to 12:30 pm
April 16, 2009	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting – Council 5971 hall – reading of the slate of new officers
April 2, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – TBA Reading of the slate of nominations for office – 2009-2010 term
May 7, 2009	Regular Business Meeting – TBA Election of officers for the 2009-2010 term
June 4, 2009	Regular Business Meeting
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 2003 - 2005, PFN, DD #58

SK Kevin Carey, PGK 2005 - 2007

SK James Suffern, PGK 2007-2008

SK Elio Garcia, GK 2008 - 2009

**Grand Knights Report**

Work is under way on the 5k run project. If you want to help please let me know. We are also working on the dinner / dance. If you can help please contact Kevin Carey, Dinner committee chairman.

## **DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT**

Deputy Grand Knight's Report  
05/29/2009

Installation of Officers will be in August; date to follow.

New officers will take office July 1<sup>st</sup> at 12:01am

As the Grand Knight elect, I would like to say Thank You very much for your past service to our church and council. I welcome all new knights and ask you to get involved as soon as possible! I invite all to participate in the upcoming years activities, so as to make this one of the best years for our council and for St. Bonaventure Church. The need is greater now than it has ever been and as Brother Knights it is IMPARITIVE that we step up to the plate to help those in need.

This month's meeting is at St. Bonaventure School Meeting room #1 & 2 next to the basketball courts on Wed. June 3rd. Pizza and drinks will again be served at 7pm before the meeting. Come and enjoy your fellow brothers company!

May God Bless you all!

Thank you,  
Alain Fradette GK Elect, MC.

## **CHAPLIN'S REPORT**

Father Ed – See this weeks Church Bulletin

## **CHANCELLORS REPORT**

No report

## **FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Bill Braun – [The Financial Secretary will file his report at the next Meeting.](#)

## **FOURTH DEGREE**

The next meeting is on Thursday, June 18, 2009 at the St. John Neumann Council. The meeting starts at 8:00 pm. The Color Corp will have practice at 7:00 pm.

## **PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES REPORTS**

No report

## **DISTRICT DEPUTY REPORT**

Dear Brother Knights –

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the current officers of St. Bonaventure Council No. 12240 for their service and dedication over the past year, to the council and our Church. It has been my pleasure and honor to serve with you as your District Deputy in our fraternal mission dedicated to

Charity, Fraternity, Unity and Patriotism. As my time as your District Deputy comes to a close I hope and pray that you will continue to grow and prosper and support the core values set forth by our Supreme Council. On a personal note, I also pray that you give our incoming District Deputy, Brother George Hayek, PGK, your support and show him some compassion as he takes on his new leadership roll. I will be bringing the new District Deputy to the June meeting to introduce him to the council. I am sure you all will be pleased with his background and skill sets. I will be taking on a new roll in the Florida State Council but also will be involved as Membership Director for our council -- so expect to be getting a call from me in short order... Remember membership is everyone's business!

May God bless you all.

Vivat Jesus,

Scott O'Connor, PGK, PFN, DD#58

Florida State Council, Knights of Columbus

### Sickbay

Tony Fontana, SK Frank Mastrarrigo, need your prayers.

### Taps

We had one brother knight pass away in May

### 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. of each month. Bunco is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues. of each month with contributions donated to worthy charities. For more information, contact our President, Camille Berringer at (954) 846-7473.

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