



Pope John Paul The Great Be Not Afraid



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The Grand Knight's Corner

From the GK:

With all the accomplishments our Council has made since the beginning of our Fraternal Year, I look forward to attending the State Mid-Year Meeting in Northern Virginia. We have crossed all the t's and dotted all the i's in regards to recruiting and administration of necessary reports. We even have the lower case j's dotted when it comes to the "just do it" attitude of making good things happen.

Our financial audit should report that we are strong enough to begin supporting outside programs and assistance on a case by case examination. We have been greatly assisted financially by the Ladies Auxiliary and supported by their kind deeds by providing hard work and fellowship when we required that extra help. Thank you Ladies of Pope John Paul the Great.

The Mid-Night Mass with the 4th Degree Members in Tux's was a very nice touch. Many people made positive comments and several members were approached by men requesting information on joining our Brotherhood. With Father's permission, this should be done at least twice during the year. Thank you all who planned and assisted during this event.

We've accomplished much these past six months and we must remain ready to help where assistance is needed. WE ARE NOT AFRAID...Press on men!

Peace; Jim

Products for All Knights

We always talk about insurance and other products to and for all of our Brother Knights. But have you thought about your spouse after you have passed away. What if she wants to purchase insurance, long term care or an annuity? It may be hard for a Brother Knight to realize this while he is alive, but rest assured, I meet with the spouse's, the widows, and more often than not they want to purchase something for themselves.

Unfortunately most widows do not qualify for the opportunity to buy something for themselves because the husband, the Brother Knight did not have the foresight to purchase insurance or any product on themselves. You see the rules are very clear that if an insured Knight passes away then the spouse has all the right to purchase any products for one full year following the death of her husband.

If the Brother Knight is not classified as an insured Knight, then the widow is not eligible to purchase any products.

So the moral to the story is that if you are not an Insured Knight then you are limiting the ability for your spouse to take care of herself after you are gone.

Do not let this happen to your wife. Give us a call we can help you put a plan in place. Our office is open Monday through Thursday 10:00am to 4:00pm. Phone 642-4340.

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Recent Accomplishments

More to come

Future Projects

More to come

Upcoming Events:

1st Degrees:

- Jan 17th – Norfolk Council 367
- Jan 17th – Father Habets Council 4632 in Virginia Beach.
- Feb 6th – Father Kealy Council 3548 – Ocean View.
- Feb 7th – St Matthews Council 10601 – Norfolk.

2nd Degrees:

- Feb 16th – Kempsville Council 10515 – Virginia Beach

3rd Degrees:

- Mar 11th – Norfolk Council 367

For more information, contact Grand Knight Jim, 635-2582

December

Family and Knight of the Month

The December Family of the Month is the Ed Malixi Family. The November Knight of the Month is PGK Joe Leyes.

Congratulations to all of them.

Thank-You

Thank-You Ladies Auxiliary for your very generous financial gift. You can be assured that your contribution will be passed on to a worthy project.

THANK YOU SO MUCH.

Jim

Social / Game Night !!!

Our next scheduled Social Night will also be Game Night! Bring the kids!!!

The Great Council

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