



# Pope John Paul The Great

## Be Not Afraid



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### The Grand Knight's Corner

From The Grand Knight:

Brothers,

The purpose of Lent is the preparation, through prayer (justice towards God), almsgiving (justice towards neighbor) and self-denial or fasting (justice towards self), for the commemoration of the Death and Resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Some people give up a vice, do something that will bring them closer to God, or give time or money to charitable organizations. It is an important time for soul-searching and repentance. It is a season for reflection and taking stock. We seek to open ourselves up before God and to recognize and respond afresh to God's presence in our lives and in our world; to place our needs, our fears, our failures, our hopes, our very lives in God's hands, again; to abandon ourselves in Jesus' death and to allow His transforming grace to work in us once more. As Knights of Columbus, this is the path they should aspire to follow all the time, not just during Lent.

Peace to you and your families,

Mike

### Recent Accomplishments

- Church Chair Repair
- Italian Night
- Building Fund Donation
- Special Olympics/  
Polar Plunge Donation
- Soup Supper
- Church Cleanup
- Confirmation Donations
- Baptismal Font Donation

### Future Projects

- State Meeting  
(1 March)
- Business Meeting  
(5 March)
- Church Garden Cleanup  
(8 March)
- Adopt-A-Highway  
(15 March)
- HAPPY EASTER!  
(23 March)
- FR. McGivney Assembly  
Hockey Game Social  
(29 March)

### Degree News

Brothers,

Upcoming Degrees:

#### March

- 5th - Second Degree
- 8th - Third Degree
- 13th - First Degree

#### April

- 16th - First Degree

#### May

- 14th - First Degree
- 27th - Second Degree

#### Fourth Degree

There will be two Fourth Degree Exemplifications this year - May 17th at St. Timothy's in Chantilly and November 8th in Richmond.

The candidate fee will be \$70.00, as established by Supreme. This will include the candidate's banquet ticket. Applications are due no later than 15 March so they can be processed by the Assembly. Attached is candidate information.

Check the Council Planning Calendar (link on website) for details on Degree locations and times.

#### Membership

Membership Director position is vacant - let the Chancellor, DGK or GK know when you can schedule your next milestone.

We are in the process of initiating suspension procedures for members not in good standing. Contact a Brother Knight that you haven't seen in awhile and invite him to an event!

Carry an application (Form 100) with you and give it to someone that will help us carry on the great work we do for the church and community.

Honorary Life membership applies to those who are 70 years of age and have 25 consecutive years of service or 50 consecutive years of service regardless of age.

## **COUNCIL NEWS**

### **First Degree Team**

We are making progress toward our First Degree Team. Many thanks to Jess Dabu (Chancellor). Lito Magsombol (Grand Knight) and Ivole Sexton (Warden?) for volunteering. Still have positions open. Notify the Grand Knight or Financial Secretary if you wish to be part of the team. We will schedule practice sessions beginning next month.

### **POPE BENEDICT XVI VISIT**

Tickets for the Holy Father's Mass on April 17th will be distributed via lottery. There are 400 tickets for the whole Diocese - see attachment for details.

## **Council Elections**

Election for next Fraternal Year will be here shortly. The Trustees and Deputy Grand Knight will be forming a Nomination Committee. If you are interested in serving as a Council Officer next year, let one of them know. If you are not sure about what some of the positions entail, contact the Grand Knight. Additionally, if you would like to be an Activity Director or Standing Committee Chairman, see the GK or DGK. Nominations will be announced in April with election in May.

The Council needs you!!! Be part of the **TEAM** - **T**ogether **E**veryone **A**ccomplishes **M**ore!!!

## **KOVAR**

Special Update from the KOVAR Board:

At the request of the Supreme Council and in an effort to comply with the current thinking among psychiatrists and social workers, the KOVAR Board of Directors recently voted to replace use of the term "mental retardation" with the term "intellectual disability". The new terminology acknowledges the sensitivity of people with intellectual disability and their families and appreciates the dignity and potential of all God's people.

Council KOVAR drive will be scheduled in April after locations are approved.

## **VKCCI**

Since 1994, Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc. has given over 400 grants totaling more than \$500,000. The major source of income is the mailing label program. Each Knight should have received a set of mailing labels within the past few weeks, yet only 12% have responded with a donation. Please support the Label Program and the new License Plate Frame program and let the Grand Knight know of any brother that might be in financial distress.

## **Father Bader Scholarships**

This year's Father Bader Scholarship Program has been expanded to 8 scholarships. Details follow:

That time of year is once again upon us. High School Seniors are beginning to think of Graduation and their plans for Higher Education. With this in mind, they need to be aware that now is the time to apply for a Father Bader Scholarship. These scholarships are available to children of Knights who are in good standing in their council, or deceased Knights that were in good standing at the time of their death, and are graduating from High School, and are pursuing their first year of higher education. The application forms can be obtained only from me and

the requests for forms must be by phone, mail, or email (the contact information is at the end of the article). There are three forms to be filled out; the student and family complete one; the Financial Secretary of the Father's council completes another; and the student's principal completes the third.

Winners of the scholarships are determined by the student's involvement in Church, Community, and School, along with Grade point averages and financial need.

It is imperative that all three forms are completed and returned to me to arrive no later than March 14th, 2008. Any applications received after that date will not be considered. Also, any applications received that do not have all three forms will not be considered. All applications will be reviewed and judged to award the scholarships. The winners will be announced at the State Convention in May, 2008.

If you have any questions about the scholarship please contact me.

Kevin E. Legge,  
FDD, PGK, PFN  
Chairman, Father Bader  
Scholarship Fund  
1804 Windhurst Drive  
Hardy, VA 24101-3767  
Phone: 540-890-3352  
Email: [kelegge@aol.com](mailto:kelegge@aol.com)

### **Ladies Auxiliary Scholarships**

The Ladies Auxiliary is accepting scholarship packages from parish seniors. Applications are available in the church office. Deadline for submission is 30 March.

### **State Convention**

108th Annual Convention is in Roanoke May 1-4, 2008 (see attachments).

### **Supreme Convention**

The Supreme Convention will be in Quebec, Canada next summer. You will need to have a passport if you are interested in attending. There is currently is about a four month lead time required to get a passport application processed by the State Department so apply now.

### **Month of January**

Knight of the Month is Edwin Malixi and Family of the Month is Remy and Cely Varias.

Congratulations to all of them.

### **Membership Drawing**

Last meeting the name drawn was Basil Orciga. The next "pot of gold" will be \$80. Just show up at the meeting (5 March) and you could be a winner!

### **COUNCIL WEBSITE**

Visit the council website and use the link to the planning calendar to get information on upcoming activities.

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## **Pope John Paul The Great Council #13784**

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### ***Grand Knight***

Mike Maliniak

### ***Deputy Grand Knight***

Bob Evans

### ***Chancellor***

Mars Marcelo

### ***Financial Secretary***

Roger Martinez

### ***Treasurer***

Art Fritz

### ***Advocate***

Mars Maxino

### ***Warden***

Remy Varias

### ***Recorder***

Atlee Ladao

### ***Outside Guard***

Brandon Newsham

### ***Inside Guard***

Ivol Sexton

### ***Trustee—One Year***

PGK Edwin Malixi

### ***Trustee—Two Years***

Kenn White

### ***Trustee—Three Years***

PGK Jim Newsham

### ***Lecturer***

Ted Dumont.

### ***Membership Director***

Vacant

### ***Church Director***

Jess Dabu

### ***Community Director***

Art Fritz

### ***Council Director***

Lance Spencer

### ***Family Director***

Gil Fontimayor

### ***Youth Director***

PGK Jim Newsham

\*\*\* Please email Lance Spencer for any information not correct or missing. [spencelr@cox.net](mailto:spencelr@cox.net) \*\*\*

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*Knights of Columbus*  
*Fourth Degree*  
*Calvert Province – Virginia District*



Worthy Knight of Columbus:

Congratulations. You have been Knighted as a Third Degree member of the Order and are now known as a full Knight of Columbus. There are, however, four points on the Compass of Virtue. The fourth point on the Compass is Patriotism. To complete your journey to Knighthood, and earn the title of Sir Knight, there is one final step in our Order that you are entitled to pursue. The lesson of Patriotism is exemplified in the Fourth Degree, the highest and most prestigious degree within the Knights of Columbus.

The Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus was established in 1900, on the principle of patriotism – love for, and devotion to, one's country. Fourth Degree members compose a brotherhood united in their dedication to patriotism enlightened by the Catholic faith. The patriotic spirit of every Knights of Columbus member can be enhanced if he chooses to join the Fourth Degree.

As the Master of the Virginia District of the Fourth Degree, it is my pleasure to invite you to join the 300,000 Sir Knights who demonstrate their patriotism and pride in our Nation by being members of the Fourth Degree. As a member of the Fourth Degree, you would be entitled to become a member of the Knights of Columbus Color Corps, the visible arm of our Order that provides honor guards at civic and religious functions.

The Fourth Degree is organized into Assemblies. In Virginia, there are currently 33 Assemblies. The Grand Knight of your Council can get you information on the Assembly in your area.

Enclosed you will find an information flyer on the Fourth Degree and a membership application (Form 4). There will be two Exemplifications of the Fourth Degree in 2008 – one on May 17<sup>th</sup> in Chantilly and one on November 8<sup>th</sup> in Richmond. To be eligible to take your Fourth Degree, you must have received your First Degree at least one year prior to taking the Fourth Degree. A six month waiver can be granted if a waiver application is filed in a timely manner. You are encouraged to contact your Grand Knight and your Council's Fourth Degree liaison as soon as possible to get more information and to process your application.

I again congratulate you on completing your Third Degree and ask that you give careful consideration to joining us in the Fourth Degree.

Fraternally,

Richard G. Head  
Master of the Fourth Degree  
Virginia District

## Knights of Columbus Emblem

The Emblem of the Order dates from the Second Supreme meeting, May 12, 1883. It was designed by James T. Mullen, a New Haven native and Civil War veteran, who served the Order as its first Supreme Knight from 1882-1886.

The emblem incorporates a shield mounted upon a formée cross (having the arms narrow at the center and expanding toward the ends). The shield is associated with a medieval knight, and the formée cross is an artistic representation of the cross of Christ, through whom all graces of redemption were procured for mankind. This, then, represents the Catholic spirit of the Order.



Mounted on the shield are three objects: a fasces (a bundle of rods bound together about an ax with the blade projecting) standing vertically and, crossed behind it, an anchor and a dagger or short sword. The fasces is from Roman days, carried before magistrates as an emblem of authority. The anchor is the mariner's symbol for Columbus. The short sword is the weapon of the knight when engaged in an errand of mercy.

Thus the shield expresses Catholic Knighthood in organized merciful action, and with the letters K. of C., proclaims this specific form of activity. The red, white, and blue are the colors of our beloved country. As such, red is the color of stout-hearted courage, of pulsing activity and a full measure of devotion. Blue is the symbol of hope, of calm tranquility under God, and of confidence in the protection of our country, established under God. White is the symbol of nobility of purpose, of purity of aim, and of crucible-tried ideals to be carried out.

But there is another symbolism of color in red, white, and blue. This is the ecclesiastical symbolism in which red becomes the reflection of the drops of Christ's redemptive blood, shed upon Calvary, and of the Martyr's blood shed in defense of the faith. Red, then, is the symbol of Faith.

White is the color of the Eucharistic Host, pledge of God's Eucharistic presence among men, of the infinite love God had for man, and of the overwhelming affection which the God-man had for each individual. White then is the symbol of Christ-like Charity.

Blue is the color of Our Lady's mantle, in which she draped her beloved Son, through whom salvation came to a sinful world. Blue is then the symbol of Hope.

## The Emblem of the Fourth Degree

The Triad Emblem of the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus features: the Globe, the Cross, and the Dove.



A Blue Globe with the lands of the Western Hemisphere in White  
A Red Cross with gold borders, and gold knobs at the ends of the Cross  
A White Dove.

The Dove, the classic symbol of the Holy Spirit and Peace, is shown hovering over the orb of the Earth or Globe. Both are mounted on a variation of the Crusader's cross, like that which was found on the tunics and capes of the Crusading Knights who battled to regain the Holy Land.

Our Honored Order cherishes as its patron Christopher (Christ Bearer) Columbus (Dove of Peace), symbolizing the Paraclete.

Spiritually, the sacred symbols on the emblem typify the Union of the Three Divine Persons in one Godhead...the most blessed Trinity.

The Globe God the Father, Creator of the Universe  
The Cross ... God the Son, Redeemer of Mankind  
The Dove God the Holy Spirit, Sanctifier of Humanity

The colors of the symbols are Red, White, and Blue, the colors of the flag of the country in which our Order originated. They are used to stress the basic principle of the Fourth Degree: **Patriotism.**

Bearers of this emblem are committed to conduct themselves honorably as Christian gentlemen in their private and public lives, as well as acting patriotically for the good of their nations. Likewise, the Fourth Degree sword represents the bearer's reverence for the Eucharist and the Pope, bishops and hierarchy of the Church, and displays publicly his willingness to protect his Church and priests.

Considered under a religious aspect, we have the honor and privilege of wearing on our swords and our lapels the sacred symbol of the Most Blessed Trinity. This should always remind us to live a good Christian life, and that we should never bring dishonor on the emblem we have been privileged to wear. By this, others may see our good works, through which we will glorify our Holy Religion, our Honored Order and our Beloved Country.



**Knights of Columbus  
Fourth Degree Exemplification  
Saturday, May 17, 2008**



**In Honor of Richard C. Bowman, Major General, USAF, Retired**

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<b><u>Exemplification, Ladies Program, Mass and Banquet</u></b> Fr. Robert E. Nudd Council 7369 St. Timothy's Catholic Church 13807 Poplar Tree Road Chantilly, VA 20151	<b><u>Hotel</u></b> Spring Hill Suites by Marriott 5920 Trinity Parkway Centreville, VA 20120 888-287-9400 or 703-815-7800
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**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES, GUESTS AND CURRENT FOURTH DEGREE MEMBERS**

**Eligibility:**

Candidates must be a Third Degree Knight and be in the Order for at least one year prior to May 17, 2008. Waivers may be granted for candidates that have been in the Order for at least 6 months but less than 1 year (i.e., a First Degree date between May 17, 2007 and November 16, 2007). Navigators must submit all waiver requests to the District Master no later than May 7, 2008.

**Fees:**

The candidate fee is \$70.00 (includes one banquet ticket for the candidate, social baldric, Fourth Degree Pin, certificate and processing fees). All fees are to be paid to the local Assembly.

**Candidates with special needs** are to be identified when their application is submitted. Special needs may be diabetics, Sir Knights in wheel chairs, etc. I will make arrangements for them to take the Degree by observation. They do not go into the antechamber. Instead, they report directly to the District Secretary who will take them into the chamber. The Assembly must escort those with special needs to and from the Exemplification Room.

**Fourth Degree Dress Code:**

All candidates must wear a Black tuxedo with a flat collar formal shirt (*NO RUFFLES OR WING COLLARS*), black bow tie and cummerbund, black socks and black shoes. A candidate will not be allowed to participate in the events if there is any deviation to this dress code. Active duty military may wear formal dress dining uniform. Policemen and Firemen may wear their Dress Uniform as well.

**Clergy:**

No fee is charged. Assemblies are asked to assume their cost of \$60.00. Members of the Clergy are invited to assist in the Mass if their schedule permits. However, they must bring their alb and stole with them.

**Banquet: Cost:** \$23.00 (each candidate receives his banquet ticket as part of his fee). The cost of additional banquet tickets is to be paid to the local Assembly. The entree is Boneless Pork and Boneless Chicken, served buffet style, including salad, potatoes, vegetable medley, dessert, iced tea, coffee and hot tea.

**Ladies Program:**

Cost: \$12.00 (will include lunch and a program). The lunch will be a buffet including a chicken salad sandwich or seafood salad sandwich, potato salad, pasta salad, pudding, iced tea and punch.



**Knights of Columbus  
Fourth Degree Exemplification  
Saturday, May 17, 2008**



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**Schedule of Events:**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Time</b>
Exemplification	12:00 Noon ***
Ladies Program	12:00 Noon ***
Mass	4:00 PM ***
Doors open for banquet	5:00 PM ***

\*\*\* All times subject to slight changes as the schedule is finalized

Please confirm with your Assembly representative when and where you should meet to get your tickets for the Exemplification, the banquet and the ladies program and to be escorted to the Degree. Note that all candidates need to report to the antechamber no later than 11:15 AM.

**Cancellation Policy:** No refunds ***AFTER May 10, 2008***

**Hotel Reservations:**

Please call the hotel direct at 888-287-9400 or 703-815-7800. You **MUST** request the Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree rate when making your reservations. **The cutoff date for reservations is April 25, 2008.** The rate is \$79.00 per room plus tax.

**Special Notes:**

- All events will be held at Fr. Nudd Council which is located at St. Timothy's Church in Chantilly. Directions can be found in the State Directory under Council # 7369.
- There will not be a hospitality room at the hotel for this Exemplification.
- All reservations for candidate tickets, extra banquet tickets and ladies program tickets need to be made through the local Assembly and payment made to the Assembly.
- A vigil Mass will be held between the end of the Exemplification and the beginning of the banquet. This will fulfill your Sunday obligation. Refreshments and light snacks (chips, etc.) will be available after the Degree ends.



# Knights of Columbus Virginia State Council

My Brother Knights,

January 2008

As you know, your 108<sup>th</sup> Virginia State Convention is being held in the Star City of the South Roanoke, Virginia, the “Home of Southern Hospitality”. This 3-day and 2-night conference will be held May 1<sup>st</sup> through May 4<sup>th</sup>. All of the sessions and most of the activities will be within the confines of the Roanoke Plaza Hotel located off of I-581 on Thirlane Road. Enclosed you will find information sheets which pertain to most of the scheduled events for the weekend as well as your official 108<sup>th</sup> Virginia State Convention Registration form that must be completed and returned by April 15<sup>th</sup>.

**HOTEL RESERVATIONS:** The Roanoke Plaza Hotel will commence accepting reservations on January 15<sup>th</sup> and continues to do so until April 15<sup>th</sup>. The rooms are at a special rate of \$89.00 a night plus tax. To make your reservations please call 1-540-563-9300 and mention the Knights of Columbus. Unfortunately, after April 15<sup>th</sup> neither the room rate nor the room availability can be guaranteed.

**CONVENTION PROGRAM and ADVERTISING:** Fortunately Councils Districts, Assemblies, and friends of the Knights of Columbus have always been supportive and generous when it comes to supporting the convention program. However, we can always use additional support because the profit from program helps offset some of the convention expenses. So why not solicit additional advertisements from neighbors, acquaintances, or patrons? As you look at the advertisement options, you will see that one is bound to fit your Council, Assembly, or District budget. The deadline for your advertisement is March 15<sup>th</sup>; an earlier submission would be greatly appreciated as it gives us additional time to work on the format and layout.

**FRIDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT:** Come and meet Mr. Paul Todd who has guaranteed us that his performance will blow you away. Paul has opened for such celebrities as The Pointer Sisters, Rich Little, The Gatlin Brothers, and Joan Rivers. He is most famous for his unique concerts which include original, classical, popular and Broadway selections. Paul is first and foremost a Christian artist. He has composed the theme songs for many prominent organizations which include “Make a Wish” for the Make a Wish Foundation, “Christmas is for Children” for the Toys for Tots programs as well as many others. His performance is sure to be one you won’t want to miss.

**LADIES SATURDAY PROGRAM:** Christy’s Apparel & Accessories, one of Roanoke’s premier boutiques, will put on a fashion show and allow attendees to purchase clothes after the show.

**HOSPITALITY SUITES:** Yes we have hospitality suites; yes they have an adjoining bedroom. They are available on a first come first served basis. We have five Executive Suites at the rate of \$830 (\$415 per night). Please just fill out the enclosure by March 15<sup>th</sup> to secure one of these suites.





## Knights of Columbus Virginia State Council

**GOLF OUTING:** A different place, a different course; one sure to challenge all golfers at all skill levels. Bring all your clubs – you’ll need every one. Warm ups commence at 7:00am followed by a shot gun start at 8:00am. Lunch will be served after the round. Please consult the enclosure for all particulars as they pertain to this year’s golf outing.

**FLOWER ORDERS:** We cannot think of a better way to say thank you to your lady/ladies than to buy them a beautiful carnation corsage which they can wear to the Banquet Saturday night. Realizing they are due much more than this but this is the best we could come up with and still remain within the Convention budget. So please don’t be that Brother Knight who didn’t buy his wife a corsage.

**CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM:** By far the most important attachment is the Convention Registration Form—no registration form, no Convention activities. Please complete the attached form and return it with your check by April 15<sup>th</sup>. Each member is responsible for his own convention expenses, his lady and guests. However, the cost of the Convention 2008 package for State Officers, District Deputies, State Staff, Directors, Chairman and all delegates will be paid for by the Virginia State Council and deducted from their mileage and per diem expense checks.

**Convention 2007 SWEEPSTAKES** (separate envelope): The sweepstakes this year is for week-end “GETAWAYS” at various hotels, motels and bed & breakfasts throughout the state. We ask you to please support this fundraiser as the profits go to offset the cost of the convention.

In closing, this entire weekend May 1<sup>st</sup> through May 4<sup>th</sup> will be packed with lots of work and fun for all. If you have any questions call Harry Cheney 540-397-1217 or 540 989-7902 or Dave Gilday 540-293-3950.

Fraternally,  
Lenny Pulizzi  
State Deputy

Fraternally,  
Dave Gilday  
Convention Co-chair

Fraternally,  
Harry Cheney  
Convention Co-chair





*Knights of Columbus*  
*108th Virginia State Convention*



As most of you have heard, the Virginia State Council will hold its annual convention at the Roanoke Plaza Hotel, May 1 - May 4, 2008. We are requesting all Brother Knights to please make a conscious effort to sell advertisements to be incorporated into the 108th Virginia State Convention Program. This will help defray the cost the program and possibly a portion of the actual convention. This is a unique opportunity for Brother Knights and/or their acquaintances to advertise their products and or services to other Brother Knights throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia for a nominal fee. This technique is very similar to the one presently in practice at many of our parishes. The parishes ask their parishioners to advertise in their Sunday bulletin and encourage parishioners support those companies who advertise in the Sunday bulletin. However, there are a few significant differences since. This is a one-time publication and is distributed to every Convention delegate and their families attending the Convention in Roanoke. Plus, once they return home, they will share their program with the other Knights of Columbus families throughout the Commonwealth.

In addition, we request the continued support by the many Councils, Districts and Assemblies that routinely support and advertise in the Virginia State Convention Program. Although many of the Councils, Districts and Assemblies throughout this great Commonwealth have been extremely supportive and generous in their support of the program, we have never achieved 100% participation. We have a wide range of advertisement options for Councils, Districts and Assemblies; hopefully one will fit your budget. You can also list your business card or start a patron listing page within your Council or Assembly.

Advertisement options are available as follows with contracts on the next page:

<b>SIZE</b>	<b>DIMENSIONS</b>	<b>COST</b>
Full Page	8 ½" x 11"	\$300
Half Page	8 ½" x 5 ½"	\$150
Quarter of Page	4 ¼" x 5 ½"	\$100
Eighth Page	2" x 3 ½"	\$60
Business Card		\$60
Patron Listing		\$10

So in closing, please ask that acquaintance, neighbor and/or patron for an advertisement to be incorporated into the 108th Virginia State Convention Program. The deadline for submitting your advertisement is **March 15, 2008** (an earlier submission would be greatly appreciated). Should you have any questions or require additional information concerning advertising, contact Convention Chairman Harry Cheney 540-989-7902 or 540-397-1217. Thanking you in advance for your consideration and continued support.

Fraternally,  
Harry Cheney & David Gilday  
Co-Convention Chairmen

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
108<sup>TH</sup> VIRGINIA STATE CONVENTION  
FRIDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT**

**Meet Paul Todd**

A critically acclaimed prolific writer, entertainer, composer, arranger, and singer, Paul Todd has been amazing crowds since he won the prestigious National Yamaha Keyboard Contest at the young age of fourteen. His career began with classmate singer Linda Eder as “The Paul and Linda Show”, playing clubs and opening for such celebrities as The Pointer Sisters, Rich Little, The Gatlin Brothers, and Joan Rivers. After beginning his own solo career, Paul has experienced all facets of the music industry, and has headlined in theaters and concert halls worldwide. His Broadway performances include the Beacon Theater, where he performed in a special production of “A Night on Broadway”, with Broadway greats: Hinton Battle, Carla Burns, and Danielle Furland. As a Christian artist, he has worked with some of his favorites, including; Amy Grant, Michael W. Smith, and Phil Driscol.

Paul is most famous for his unique concerts. The experience of a Paul Todd concert is totally different from anything anyone has ever seen before. Although Paul is first and foremost a Christian artist, his concerts also include original, classical, popular, and Broadway selections. Paul accompanies himself by playing six keyboards simultaneously. His fingers and feet move at lightening fast speed, which the audience can see on a large mirror set up behind the keyboards. Known also for his smooth and powerful vocals, he combines talent with a sparkling wit to help make his concerts an unforgettable family night out. Columnist Jack Moss said it best, “I’ve seen Todd do his thing in concert and I think he’s impossible to top as an entertainer.”

The admission cost for this unbelievable performance is just \$20.00 per person. Please annotate the number of attendees and corresponding cost on your 108<sup>th</sup> Virginia State Convention registration form. As far as your attire for the evening’s performance, please come dressed comfortably and ready to be blown away by Paul Todd.





I \_\_\_\_\_ if chosen to attend Mass celebrated by Pope Benedict XVI, commit to attending and preparing spiritually for this graced moment in the life of the Catholic Church in the United States.

Due to increased security procedures, all who will be attending the Mass will be required to be seated 2-3 hours prior to the start of the liturgy.

**\*IMPORTANT\***

**YOU MUST LIST THE NAME, ADDRESS, DATE OF BIRTH AND PHONE NUMBER FOR EACH PERSON FOR WHOM YOU ARE REQUESTING A TICKET. UNLESS THIS INFORMATION IS PROVIDED, YOUR REQUEST WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE LOTTERY.**

I request: \_\_\_\_\_ 1 ticket \_\_\_\_\_ 2 tickets

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY MARCH 7, 2008 TO:  
OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL  
DIOCESE OF RICHMOND  
7800 CAROUSEL LANE  
RICHMOND, VA 23294-4201**