

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Council 2490

El Campo, Texas



May 2016

93RD YEAR OF SERVICE TO THE CHURCH AND COMMUNITY

Desk of the Grand Knight

Would like to extend a huge thank you to all the brother knights, their wives and children and to others in the community that helped out at the Annual Spring Picnic that was held on Sunday May 15th, without your help the picnic could not have been a success. I would also like to thank Mike Bolcik for mowing the ball field and blowing off the debris from the patio area and thank you to Harrison Linzza for mowing the back by the BBQ area. Also thank you to Billy Drapela and Harrison Linzza for the work being done on the parking lot rails around the hall and also thank you to any other brother knight that is helping out on this project as well. As a reminder at our May council meeting we will be electing officers for the 2016-2017 Fraternal Year. Listed below are the Recommended Slate of Officers for the 2016-2017 Fraternal Year:

Trustee Recommended 2016-2017 Slate of Officers

Grand Knight	Timmy Drapela
Deputy Grand Knight	Bradley J. Bethke
Treasurer	Raymond Viktorian, Jr.
Recorder	Stan Labay
Advocate	Philip Hundl
Chancellor	AJ Priesmeyer
Warden	Wayne Bard
Lecturer	Kevin Kresta
Inside Guard	Zachary Edwards
Outside Guard	Darrell Nohavitza
Trustees	James A Kocurek Larry Staff John Tumlinson

The council still has members that have not paid their council dues. Please pay you dues as soon as possible. Dues can be mailed to the following address;

Knights of Columbus, Council 2490
Atten: Joe Janda
P.O. Box 482
El Campo, Texas 77437

Needing as many brother knights and families to come out to Holy Cross Cemetery on Friday May 27th at 6pm to help put out flags on over 360 graves in honor of Memorial Day.



Council 2490 welcomed the following new members into the council of May 5th, Keith Skow, Jerry Shelton and Justin Soza.

• UPCOMING MEETINGS •

Regular Meeting:

May 24, 2016
7:30pm

Officers & Directors Meeting:

June 14, 2016
7:00pm

March Knight of the Month

Fr. Francis Nguyen

March Family of the Month

Joe Janda Family

Patriotic Rosary will be recited at 5:30pm on **Friday, June 3, 2016** at the Sacred Heart Chapel.

As a Council let us pray that God extends his healing hands on the following brother knights of the council: **Father Dan Morales, Johnny Hancock, Ray Viktorian, Mike Bolcik, Johnny Mican, Sylvester Cerny, Chuck Schwartzkopf, Tommy Turner, Bob Staff, AJ Hlavaty, Everett Clark, Edmund Kruppa, Francis Stock, Albert Wied, Allen Naiser, Doug Hlavaty, Andrew Rod, Ed Strnadel.** And as a council let us pray for soul of **Raymond Hlavaty**, brother of AJ Hlavaty, Father-in-law of Tommy Dluhos, Brother-in-law of Victor Balcar.

Needing all hands on deck for the council's **BBQ Chicken Meal Fundraiser** that will be held on **Sunday June 12.** Serving will start at 11:00am, plates to go only, \$10.00 plate.

Council Blood Drive Wednesday May 25th, 3-8pm.



Wishing everyone a Happy and Safe Memorial Day!

Dates to Remember

- May 24 Council Meeting 7:30pm
Election of Officers
- May 25 Blood Drive 3:00pm—8:00pm
- May 27 Set out Flags at Holy Cross
Cemetery 6pm
- May 30 Memorial Day
- June 12 BBQ Chicken Meal Fundraiser
11:0am \$10.00 a plate
- June 14 Officer's Meeting 7:00pm
- June 28 **Instillation of Officers**
7:30pm



2015-2016 Council Officers:

<u>Chaplin</u> Fr. Michael Rother	<u>Chancellor</u> AJ Priesmeyer
<u>Assistant Chaplin</u> Fr. Francis Nguyen	<u>Warden</u> Madsen Raun
<u>Grand Knight</u> James A Kocurek	<u>Lecturer</u> Kevin Kresta
<u>Deputy Grand Knight</u> Timothy Drapela	<u>Inside Guard</u> Zachary Edwards
<u>Treasurer</u> Raymond Viktorian, Jr.	<u>Outside Guard</u> Michael Orsak, Jr
<u>Financial Secretary</u> Joseph Janda	<u>Trustees</u> John Tumlinson Gregory Witcher Larry Staff
<u>Recorder</u> Daniel E Marek	<u>District Deputy</u> John Hrcir
<u>Advocate</u> Philip Hundl	

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