



# November 2011

## FAITHFUL FLOHRIAN

**Michael Flohr Council #766; PO Box 28, Walla Walla, WA 99362 [www.koc766.org](http://www.koc766.org)**

### Grand Knight Message

We have several important events coming up. First on Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup> we will be hosting at Ty Baffney Field the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus Holy Bowl football game between the DeSales Fighting Irish and Tri-City Prep Jaguars. A tailgate party has been scheduled for 4PM at DeSales HS. It would be great to get as many Brother Knights from Council 766 to come to the game and show your support for our Catholic Community and School. For more information or you would like to help, please call JP Kent at 629-7370.

We have also been asked by Walla Walla Community Hospice to bake cookies for so they can distribute them out to the area doctors and businesses to thank them for their support of hospice. The mission of Walla Walla Community Hospice is to provide compassionate care to patients in the final stages of life and support for their loved ones and caregivers. More detail information on this event is available in this newsletter.

Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> will be a very busy day for our Council. In the morning, we will be having our annual Memorial Mass at Assumption Church at the 8AM mass. We need all Knights, if available, to attend this memorial mass to honor those Brother Knights that have passed. That evening, we will be having our Annual Steak Feed @ DeSales High School from 4 to 6:30PM. Come and enjoy a great steak dinner and support your local Knights of Columbus. Any Brother Knights interested in helping in this event, please contact Paul Gerola at [paulgerola@gmail.com](mailto:paulgerola@gmail.com).

Also, in the month of November we will be conducting a membership blitz for new prospective Knights for our Council. We will be giving presentation at all three parishes on Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> after the masses. Start looking now and find those Catholic men in our parishes that would make a good Knight. Active membership is a key ingredient to the life blood of any council.

The calendar of meetings & events for 2011-12 year can be found on the KOC website at [www.koc766.org/uevents.htm](http://www.koc766.org/uevents.htm)

**Remember why we do this, "The Knights of Columbus Saves Lives and Changes Lives".**

Vivat Jesus, Paul J. Gerola, Grand Knight

### Events & Meetings Reminder

#### Friday, October 28, 2011 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual KOC Holy Bowl

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus Holy Bowl football game will be played between the DeSales Fighting Irish and the Tri-City Prep Jaguars. The tailgate party starts at 4PM at DeSales HS. Hotdogs, chili, soda and water will be available if you want to drink something else, you are welcomed to bring it but we ask that you be discreet (cups will be provided). The game starts at 7PM at Ty Baffney Field. Come to the game and show your support for our Catholic Community and School.

#### Thursday, November 3, 2011

We will be holding our general meeting and Installation of Officers on Thursday, November 3, 2011. Dinner (\$5 donation) is being served @ 6PM and one decade of the rosary will be recited at 6:50 pm prior to the general meeting that starts at 7PM.

#### Sunday, November 13, 2011 – Memorial Mass

On Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> our annual Memorial Mass will be held at Assumption Church at the 8AM mass. A rosary will be recited at 7:30AM prior to mass. After mass, the Knights will be serving coffee and donuts in the parish hall. Brother Knights interested in helping, contact Paul at [paulgerola@gmail.com](mailto:paulgerola@gmail.com).

#### Sunday, November 13, 2011 - Annual Steak Feed

On Sunday, November 13, 2011 from 4 to 6:30PM the Knights of Columbus - Michael Flohr Council 766 is having its Annual Steak Feed Dinner at DeSales High School. The steak dinner includes a green salad, 10oz ribeye steak, baked potato, green beans, mushrooms and ice cream. Steak dinner cost is \$15 and the children's dinner is \$4 (hamburger & chips). Come and enjoy a great steak dinner and support your local Knights of Columbus and your Catholic Community. Brother Knights interested in helping in this event, please contact Paul Gerola at [paulgerola@gmail.com](mailto:paulgerola@gmail.com).

#### Thursday, December 1, 2011 - Tom and Jerry Party

Mark your calendar for Thursday, December 1<sup>st</sup> for our annual Tom & Jerry Party at the KOC Hall. Brother Knights and wives are invited. Information on this upcoming event will be available in our upcoming December Newsletter.

### Annual Dues

Those Brother Knights that have not paid their 2011 annual dues, please mail your payment to Tom Vinti as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact Tom at 509-520-4345.

### Knights of Columbus Insurance

Dear Brother Knights and Brother Knight family's, I hope that this newsletter finds you and your family in good health, My name is Armando Villarreal, I will be your new insurance agent from here on out. If you have any questions before I call you, please call me seven days a week at 509-840-1218. Thank you for your support and God Bless you one all.

### Walla Walla Hospice Cookie Drive

We have been asked by Walla Walla Community Hospice to provide cookies for their cookie drive. The cookies will be distributed by Hospice staff to the area doctors and businesses to thank them for their support of hospice. If you are interested in participating, please send me an email at [paulgerola@gmail.com](mailto:paulgerola@gmail.com) or call me at 509-526-0328.

On Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> from 3-5PM, I will be at the KOC Hall to accept your cookie donation. Walla Walla Community Hospice depends upon our contributions of time and talent to make a difference to the care of patients.

### November Birthdays

Barry Balof – 19 <sup>th</sup>	Father Caffery – 2 <sup>nd</sup>
Keith Cochran – 24 <sup>th</sup>	Virgil Criscola - 4 <sup>th</sup>
Robert Dutton – 10 <sup>th</sup>	Juan Esquivel – 4 <sup>th</sup>
Dean Farrens – 9 <sup>th</sup>	Greg Fazzari – 19 <sup>th</sup>
Sam Fazzari – 16 <sup>th</sup>	Elto Fenno – 27 <sup>th</sup>
Berle Figgins – 11 <sup>th</sup>	Lawrence Gehlhausen – 30 <sup>th</sup>
Terry Hall – 19 <sup>th</sup>	Kevin Kaiser – 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Dr. Kelly Krizan – 16 <sup>th</sup>	Bob Locati – 25 <sup>th</sup>
Stanley Miller – 24 <sup>th</sup>	John Pao – 16 <sup>th</sup>
Fred Sproleder – 6 <sup>th</sup>	Victor Toppano – 18 <sup>th</sup>
Calvin Toyne – 21 <sup>st</sup>	Ryan VanDyke – 13 <sup>th</sup>
Jim Vinti – 10 <sup>th</sup>	Mike Vinti – 11 <sup>th</sup>
Mark Walery – 19 <sup>th</sup>	

### Monday Night Football Winners

<b>Week 3 – Sept 26<sup>th</sup> Winners</b>	<b>Harold Saxby, Walla Walla</b>	<b>Angie Spanish, Walla Walla</b>
<b>Week 4 – Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> Winners</b>	<b>Nicholas Brown, Walla Walla</b>	<b>Frank King, Fullerton, CA</b>
<b>Week 5 – Oct 10<sup>th</sup> Winners</b>	<b>Soloman Taylor, College Place</b>	<b>Don Towne, Lake Tapps, WA</b>
<b>Week 6 – Oct 17<sup>th</sup> Winners</b>	<b>Libby Arellano, Walla Walla</b>	<b>Frank Locati, Walla Walla</b>



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Outside Guard - Mark A. Brown	Inside Guard - Paul Didelius	1 Year Trustee – Frank Locati
2 Year Trustee - Curt Hayunga	3 Year Trustee - JP Kent	Insurance Agent - Armando Villarreal 509-840-1218

**Knight of the Month: JP Kent** *(2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Holy Bowl Game Coordination)*

**Family of the Month: Paul Didelius Family** *(Help with the Youth Picnic & KOC Dinner in October)*

**Prayer For Vocations**

Lord, I thank you for the gift of life and for your love. Help me to know myself better and to know my talents as I try to choose my life’s work. Help me to see and to understand all the paths open to me. Help me to choose a life work which will be in response to your love for me. Give me strength, Lord, to do well in whatever life work I choose.

Amen.

**Prayer Remembrances** Please remember those Brother Knights and other family members in our daily prayers.

**Need a Ride?** If there is any Brother Knight who would like a ride to and from a meeting or event, please contact Paul Gerola at 509-526-0328

**E-Mail Addresses** Thanks to all who have sent in their email address. If you changed your email addresses please send the changes to Paul Gerola at [paulgerola@gmail.com](mailto:paulgerola@gmail.com)

**Newsletter Deadline** To ensure timely delivery of the newsletter, information is due to the GK by the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday on each month. The newsletter is also available on our website [www.koc766.org/newsletter.htm](http://www.koc766.org/newsletter.htm)