



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Newsletter of the Bishop Maurice Schexnayder 1882 Assembly

**Next Meeting: June 18, 2007 at 7:00 pm**

## Assembly 1882

*Continue Praying for our troops, President Bush, & our Clergy.  
Pray for the unborn, and an end to abortion.*



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### Dates to Remember:

**June 17, 2007** Father's Day

**June 23, 2007** Fourth Degree District Meeting 10:00 a.m. at Fr. Veillard Assembly  
2087 of Sulphur, need Faithful Navigator, Faithful Comptroller, Color Corp Commander,  
ERE Chairman, Membership Chairman, and Patriotic chairman to attend.

**July 4, 2007** Independence Day

## Come Join Us!



Support the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree

KC 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Installation

Mass & Banquet is set for  
Saturday, July 21, 2007.

Please make your meal  
reservations with SK. J.T.  
McBride. Cost per person is  
\$10. Mass is at 4:00 at St. Eds.  
and banquet is at the Fatima  
Hall at 6:00 P.M. Dress if  
Tuxedo or Black suit.



### Prayers for our Country

*If we forget those who have sacrificed their lives to defend our freedom, we risk forgetting that our freedom is worth dying for in the first place.*



As our Father, you know how essential dads are. Children need a daddy who not only provides for them but loves them and gives wise direction to their lives. Lord, you know how many families in our nation are missing fathers. Death, divorce, and misaligned priorities steal men away from their families.

I ask that you would turn the hearts of the fathers toward their children. Please remind them of their responsibility. Help them see the great opportunity to make their families strong. And for the fathers who have accepted their noble duty, Lord, I ask you to give them strength. Grant them wisdom to know how to instill strong values in their kids. Grant them patience. And grant them the ability to communicate love and acceptance. God, make America's fathers strong and loving. Amen

Special thanks to Sir Knights Mike Malagarie, Glenn Ray, Jason Comeaux and Miguel Macias for attending the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Bishop Jarrell, who was ordained a priest for the Lafayette Diocese in 1967. Your commitment to the 4th degree Honor Guard is appreciated.

## BUDGETS & COOK SCHEDULES

2007-2008

Maurice has the cooking detail for the June meeting.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNOUNCE RECIPIENTS OF PATRICK DANIEL TILLMAN AWARD

The Knights of Columbus of the Bishop Maurice Schexnayder Assembly of Lafayette are very proud to present the second ever Patrick Daniel Tillman Award. Patrick was the 27 year old National League Football player who put his football career on hold while he enlisted into the US Army Rangers serving his country in the war against terrorism. After the events of Sept. 11, 2001 Patrick had decided to serve his country turning down football offers to continue to play for the Arizona Cardinals. He was willing to give up the football jersey for the uniform of the Army Rangers. Joining the service in 2002 Pat would soon find himself in the mountains of Afghanistan. It would be there that Patrick Daniel Tillman would lose his life in April 2004 .

The award is designed to recognize a high school senior young man and young lady from each area high school who possessed similar qualities as did Patrick. Each entrant was automatically a winner. Our criteria were simple. 1<sup>st</sup> the recipients had to be seniors. 2<sup>nd</sup> they had to be scholarly as was Patrick who graduated from the prestigious William S. Carey Marketing School at Arizona State University in 3 1/2 years, Summa Cum Laude. 3<sup>rd</sup> they had to have played sports as did Patrick who had played all his little league years, later played football for Arizona State and eventually making it to the professional ranks. 4<sup>th</sup> they had to have done something Patriotic during their high school career as did Patrick who left everything behind to serve his country.

This years recipients are ; Acadiana, Whitney Duplechin, Joshua Keith Leblanc (boys Master Winner)  
Carencro, Lindsay R. LaGrange, Louis A. Stephens  
Comeaux, Clair E. St. Amand, Brandon M. Prejean  
Lafayette, Aislinn R. McCloskey, Bau Pham  
Northside, Diane R. Chavis, LaBradford, Fuselier  
Teurlings, Emma M. Allain (girls Master Winner), Bradley S. Ortego,  
Best wishes to these graduates and the entire class of 2007



*Let us remember these men on their special day...*

*We hope you gentlemen have a super birthday and wish you many, many more!*

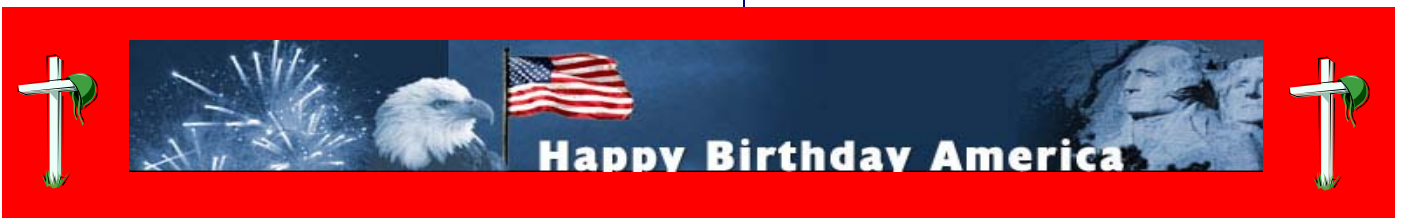
Gregory Bonin, Joseph Burley, Patrick Daly, Richard Duchamp, Karl Guidry, Tom Grote, Romain Laborde, Ivan Landry, Kenneth Leathwood, Jerome Meaux, Rev. Bill Melancon, Alvin Menard, Joe Primeaux, Frederick Vallot Sr.

### KC COUNCIL 7557 INSTALLATION MASS

Sir Knights, Please join us in an installation banquet for the KC Broussard council 7557 at the 5:00 p.m. mass June 15, 2007, at Sacred Heart Church in Broussard, LA. Please be there at 4:30 p.m. in full Regalia. There will be an installation banquet after church in the SCS gym. We are asking for a lot of support from our Sir Knights.

**Assembly Elections: We will continue our nominations at the June meeting with elections to occur. Must be present to be nominated. I encourage all to run for an officer position.**

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY



On July 4, 1776, we claimed our independence from Britain and Democracy was born. Every day thousands leave their homeland to come to the "land of the free and the home of the brave" so they can begin their American Dream.

The United States is truly a diverse nation made up of dynamic people. Each year on July 4, Americans celebrate that freedom and independence with barbecues, picnics, and family gatherings. Through the Internet we are learning about and communicating with people of different nations, with different languages and different races throughout the world.

Bringing the world closer with understanding and knowledge can only benefit all nations.

We invite all nations to celebrate with Americans online this Fourth of July.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AMERICA!**

*A Special "Thanks" to Father Simon*

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**Jubilee of the 50th Year of Ordination**

**June 8, 1957 - June 8, 2007**

**Reverend George H. Simon**



The Greek word for fish is IXΘΥΣ. When you take the first letter of each word in *Jesus Christ, Son of God, Savior* and put them together, you have IXΘΥΣ or fish. Early Christians used the fish as a sign for their secret meetings during the times of persecution of the church.

**Jesus Christ, Son of God, Savior  
is the same yesterday, today, and forever.**

*Hebrews 13:8*

**Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church  
Scott, Louisiana**

The following brother knights joined the St. Pius, Bishop Dubourg, and the Knights of Peter Claver to stand honor guard for Father Simon's celebration, SK's Richard Yandle, Kim Broussard, Jason Comeaux, Mike Malagarie, Robert Mire, J.T. McBride, Glenn Ray, Alvin Broussard, Jorge Villagomez, Harold Foote, J.D. Martin, Blaise Malagarie, Wilbert Bodin, Pete Martin, & Hugh Mouton. If I missed anyone, I apologize. Thank you Sir Knights for offering up your personal time to honor such an admirable priest.

## *Flag Pole Dedication at Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Mire, LA.*

*Special thanks to Sir Knights, Joe Besse, Blaise Malagarie, J.T. McBride, Wilbert Bodin, Glenn Ray, Joe Gautreaux, Harold Foote, Robert Mire, Jason Comeaux, Richard Yandle, J.D. Martin and Jorge Villagomez for standing Honor Guard at our Presentation. Our Assembly would also like to thank Msgr. Harrington and all the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish for allowing our Knights to fulfill one of our Patriotic programs.*

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