

Happy birthday to our Bro. Knights celebrating their birthdays in Apr.:

Desmond Glazewski
Ralph Van Wallegghem
Paul Gogo

Randy Wilkes
David Lorette

Robert Johnson
Terry De Abreu
Carlo Hoj

State Bursary Program

Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program

The annual British Columbia and Yukon Bursary Program is known as the Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program. The 2022 program is now receiving applications. We are privileged to offer fourteen (14) bursaries of \$1000.00 each to Catholic students across the Province of British Columbia. These bursaries are made available on a one-time-only basis to young practicing Catholic students who are in their second or subsequent year of post secondary education at a recognized institute of higher learning within the Province. Applications are accepted from January until June 30th, 2022 with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. Terms of Reference and requirements for application are found on web site: <https://kofcbc.org/state-bursary-program-for-2021/>

Requests for applications should be addressed to:

Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon

Herb Yang, Bursaries Chairman

2809 Mara Drive. Coquitlam, BC V3C 5T9

Or email: herbykofc@gmail.com

On the Lighter Side

First day back at school...and Council meetings..after Covid lockdown!!!



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Mid Knight News

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Executive meetings:

Last Wednesday of the month at 7:30 pm, virtual over Zoom

Regular meetings:

1st Wednesday of the month at 7:30 pm, St.Peter's Church hall

Church pancake breakfasts:

Due to Covid-19 cancelled until further notice.

Officers for 2021/2022

Grand Knight	Dan Bossert	250-754-5219
Past Grand Knight	Gregory Large	250-753-6091
Chaplain	Fr. Harrison Ayre	250-753-3570
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Financial Secretary	Hans Fadum	250-754-1694
Treasurer	Guy Doiron	250-619-2072
Lecturer	Claude Francoeur	250-754-2425
Advocate	Dan DePape	250-740-2521
Warden	Ed Campbell	250-754-7661
Inside Guard	Joseph Kong	778-886-1167
Outside Guard	Chris Jeffs	250-619-0848
Trustee 1 Year	Bill Ducey	250-755-1181
Trustee 2 Years	Tony Bucar	250-754-3146
Trustee 3 Years	Ralph Van Wallegghem	250-802-8292

Blessed Easter

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<https://www.kofc3842.com>

This bulletin is also available on our website at:

<https://www.kofc3842.com/bp3>

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Some thoughts for Holy Week and Easter

God won't ask the square footage of your house, but He'll ask how many people you welcomed into your home.

God won't ask about the clothes you had in your closet, but He'll ask how many you helped to clothe.

God won't ask how many material possessions you had, but He'll ask if they dictated your life.

God won't ask how many promotions you received, but He'll ask how you promoted others.

God won't ask what your job title was, but He'll ask if you performed your job to the best of your ability.

God won't ask what you did to help yourself, but He'll ask what you did to help others.

God won't ask how many friends you had, but He'll ask how many people to whom you were a friend.

God won't ask what you did to protect your rights, but He'll ask what you did to protect the rights of others.

God won't ask in what neighbourhood you lived, but He'll ask how you treated your neighbours.

God won't ask why it took you so long to seek Salvation, but He'll lovingly take you to your mansion in heaven, and not to the gates of Hell

REMINDER

1. Our **first quarterly fraternal report** is now due. A reminder to all brother Knights to please submit your fraternal activities for the last three months (January/February/March) no later than **Wednesday, April 13**. Just go to our website at <https://www.kofc3842.com/quarterly> or <https://www.kofc3842.com/> where you will find a link to an online form—click on the link, fill out the form, and submit it! It is very easy and quick! If you don't have a computer, call **Bro. Dan Bossert** at 250-754-5219. Thanks!
2. For those few members who have not yet paid their current **membership dues for 2022**, this is one more reminder that these are now three months overdue. Please, make your payment: **a)** by mail to Bro. **Hans Fadum** at **P.O. Box 426, Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5L3**, with cheques payable to **KofC Council 3842**; or preferably, **b)** via **Interac E-Transfer** directly from your bank account into our bank account at kc3842epay@gmail.com.
3. Please pray for all who are sick or in need, especially: the people of Ukraine; Bros. **Bob Nielsen, Joe Wyse, Ben Denommé, Oscar Clemotte, Louis De Pagie, Louis Curti, Jim Cassino; Daisy Mah**, our Bulletin proof-reader; **Laura**, wife of Bro. **Greg Large**; **Diana**, wife of Bro. **Joe Walker**; **Sandra**, wife of Bro. **Bill Ducey**; and, **Angela Noronha**, mother-in-law of Bro. **Carlos Soares**. Also, keep in your prayers all who have passed away, especially Most Rev. **Remi De Roo**, Bishop Emeritus of Victoria; Bros. **Peter Gibb, David Webber**, and **Al Schickerowsky**.

Saint Vincent de Paul needs your help!

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Peter's Conference

6234 Spartan Rd.

Nanaimo, BC V9T 2N9

April 2022

Dear Friends of SVDP

St. Peter's Conference needs your help, please!

For a number of reasons attendance at our meetings over the past couple of years has been very low. Fortunately, we have a larger number of very committed volunteers who are actively involved in the services that we provide to the poor. There is, however, a distinct reluctance among many current members to attend meetings and take on the responsibility of conducting the business of the organization.

Our president has reached the end of her allowable term of office and other executive members have indicated that, for various reasons, they cannot continue in their appointments. We have been unsuccessful so far in finding other members to take on these roles.

What this means is that without an executive group and at least a semblance of a quorum at our regular meetings, our Conference cannot continue in business and will have to be disbanded.

This is particularly sad as it would directly affect the families who depend on our support, as well as remove our critical funding support to the organizations that are providing food to schoolchildren, youth in care, and transition facilities.

We need your ideas and your support, please!

On **Sunday, May 1, at 2:00 pm at Holy Trinity Church** we will hold a gathering where we hope people will join us to share ideas, expertise, and support. The outcome of this activity will determine the future of St. Peter's Conference in Nanaimo. Father **Harrison Ayre** will provide a reflection. We hope you can be there. Please spread the word!

Thank you,

Donelda Lapointe

President, St. Peter's Conference

Contact info: 250-753-8500

News bytes.....

- Please see connections to the latest **State Newsletter**, our **State Debuty's** monthly **YouTube** messages, and his weekly **Advisory**, on our web site at: <https://www.kofc3842.com/news>
- We will be leading the Way of the Cross on Friday, April 8, immediately following Benediction at 7 p.m. We encourage all members to come out and take part in this powerful Lenten prayer.