

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

David Kenny
David Webber
Paul Coulombe

Victor Uniati
Ben Denommé

Jaime Lao
Allan Mikus
Roniel Romero

Scholarships/Bursaries

Our Council

As of the beginning of June, applications for the annual **KofC Council #3842 Scholarships** for students continuing their post-secondary education will be available from: St.Peter's Parish office, Bros. **Claude Francoeur** (250-754-2425), **Hans Fadum** (250-754-1694), and our website. Deadline for submissions will be **June 30, 2019**. For full rules and requirements, as well as an online application form, see our website at: <https://www.kofc3842.com/scholarship>

State Council

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 2019 program is now receiving applications. Once again we are privileged to offer thirty bursaries of \$500.00 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, 2019 with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. Terms of Reference can be found on web site: <https://kofcbc.org/files/2018/12/Terms-of-Reference-2019.pdf>

Requests for applications should be addressed to:

Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon

Attn: **Edgardo Panes**, Bursaries Chairman

11260 3rd Ave. Richmond, BC V7E 5A1

On the Lighter Side

Six retired Irishmen were playing poker in O'Leary's apartment when Murphy loses \$500 on a single hand, clutches his chest, and drops dead at the table. Showing respect for their fallen brother, the other five continue playing standing up. O'Conner looks around and asks, 'Oh, me boys, someone's got to tell Murphy's wife, Fiona. Who will it be?' They draw straws. Gallagher picks the short one. They tell him to be discreet, be gentle, don't make a bad situation any worse. 'Discreet??? I'm the most discreet Irishmen you'll ever meet. Discretion is me middle name. Leave it to me.' Gallagher goes over to Murphy's house and knocks on the door. Fiona answers, and asks what he wants. Gallagher declares, 'Your husband just lost \$500, and is afraid to come home.' 'Tell him to drop dead!', says Fiona. 'I'll go tell him.' says Gallagher hurriedly....

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Executive meetings:

Last Wednesday of the month (Aug.-June) in St.Peter's Church, Resource Room, at 7:30 pm

Regular meetings:

1st Wednesday of the month in Peter's Parish hall, at 7:30 pm

Pancake breakfast:

4th Sunday in Jan., Mother's & Father's Day (May-June) and every 3rd Sunday (Sept.-Dec.; Feb-Apr.) after 10:30 Mass in St.Peter's Parish hall

Officers for 2018/2019

Grand Knight	Gregory Large	250-753-6091
Past Grand Knight	Brian King	250-591-4223
Chaplain		
Deputy Grand Knight	Dan Bossert	250-754-5219
Chancellor	Barry Webb	250-585-4812
Recorder	Bob Nielsen	250-754-6298
Financial Secretary	Hans Fadum	250-754-1694
Treasurer	Guy Doiron	250-753-0307
Lecturer	Claude Francoeur	250-754-2425
Advocate	Dan DePape	250-740-2521
Warden	Louis Curti	250-758-5255
Inside Guard	Mike Loos	250-716-5893
Outside Guard	Chris Jeffs	250-619-0848
Trustee 1 Year	Jim Cassino	250-754-8472
Trustee 2 Years	Al Schickerowsky	250-753-7813
Trustee 3 Years	Bill Ducey	250-755-1181

When you get to your wit's end, you'll find God lives there.



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This bulletin is also available on our website at:

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

Our Email address: kc3842@shaw.ca

March for Life, May 9, 2019, Victoria, B.C.

Approximately 2000 people gathered on a beautiful warm spring day in Victoria, BC for the **12th Annual Western Canada "March for Life"**. The event began at 12:00 noon at St. Andrew's Cathedral with a Mass presided by Bishop of Victoria, **Gary Gordon** and concelebrated by nu-

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'marchers' assembled on the lawn of the Legislature at around 2:00 p.m. As in past years, the crowd included men, women and children from all walks of life and from many corners of our province. They were welcomed by a St. Andrew's High School musical group and were addressed by six very excellent speakers, including: Archbishop **J. Michael Miller** of Vancouver; **Stephanie Gray**, international pro-life speaker and author; **Autumn Lindsay**, spokesperson for Students for Life of America; and **Rod Taylor**, of the Christian Heritage Party; **Anna Nienhuis**, researcher for the national campaign 'We Need A Law'; and, Rev. **Ted VanSpronsen**, pastor of the Yarrow Canadian Reformed Church. Each speaker, in his or her own way, exhorted the crowd to keep spreading the pro-life message and to continue to press governments for greater support of End of Life and Palliative Care initiatives. Our very sincere 'thank you' to all the **people from St. Peter's** who participated, including the Knights from our Council. Thank you one and all!

REMINDER

1. Please pray for all who are sick or in need, especially: Bros. **Bob Nielsen, Joe Wyse, Peter Gibb, Ben Denommé, Oscar Clemotte, Louis De Pagie, James Wolfgang, Tyler Chamberlin, Margaret**, mother of G.K. **Greg Large, Diana**, wife of Bro. **Joe Walker, Karen**, wife of Bro. **José De Borba**, and District Master Sir Knight **Frank Visentin**. Also, keep in your prayers all who have passed away, especially Bros. **Patrick Hanney, Dwain Ingram, and George Ives**.

Cemetery Work Bees



On April 25, and then again on May 24, brothers of our council tackled the daunting task of cleaning up the parish cemetery and church grounds. With weed-eaters and lawnmowers Bros. **Ed Campbell, Greg Large, Barry Webb, Jim Cassino, Claude Francoeur, Michael Loos**, and (not pictured) **Guy Doiron**, and **Hans Fadum** worked and sweated for two hours on the first occasion to bring the cemetery and grounds back to respectability! The second work bee however, was even more challenging since only five of our brothers were available to pitch in, namely, Bros. **Greg Large, Dan Bossert, Guy Doiron, Michael Loos, Barry Webb**

and **Claude Francoeur**. It took them three whole hours to complete the task—but at least they were rewarded with a great lunch afterwards! As always, thank you very much Brothers for a tough job well done!

Hanging Flower Baskets

We extend a big "thank you" to all those who came out to deliver **285** — an all time high!— hanging flower baskets for the parish fundraiser on Friday, May 10. About 10 bother Knights came with their trucks, vans, or SUVs to make the delivery project relatively quick and easy. Our very special thanks goes out to **Denise Jameson** and Bro. **Dan DePape** for organizing all the sales, and to four friends of the Knights, **Gilles Brouard, Len Kennedy, Luke Francoeur**, and **Colin Jerome** who also came along and pitched right in! To one and all, thank you very much!

News bytes.....

- **Father Michael McGivney Guild**. All members and their families are urged to join the Guild to advance the beatification process of our founder. It's free and its easy! For full details and application form see our website at: <https://www.kofc3842.com/guild>
- **WANTED: 40 golfers** for a social afternoon at Pryde Vista Golf Course, 155 Pryde Avenue. Date: Sunday, June 23rd from 1-4pm, followed by a BBQ of hot dogs, hamburgers and salads. The cost is \$30.00 per person. Golf carts available to rent. If interested, please contact **Pat** or **Agnes Geiger** at 250-753-6940 or 250-740-1450..