

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

David Kenny	Victor Uniat	Jaime Lao
David Webber	Ben Denomme	Allan Mikus
Paul Coulombe	Roniell Romero	Chris Gulliver

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lature, and included men, women and children from all walks of life and from many corners of our province. They were welcomed by St. Andrew's High School choir. Four excellent speakers addressed the crowds, including: **Bishop Gary Gordon, Jared White, Tamara Jansen, Brett Powell** and **Alissa Golob**. 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!

Cemetery Work Bees

Starting on April 28, and having to finish about a week later due to the rainy terrible weather, and then again on May 14, brothers of our council tackled the daunting task of cleaning up the parish cemetery and church grounds. With weed-eaters and lawnmowers Bros. **Brian King, Greg Large, Art Powell, Dan DePape, Guy Doiron, Claude Francoeur** and **Bob Nielsen** worked and sweated for several hours on each occasion to bring the cemetery and grounds back to respectability! As you might imagine, these work-bees were especially challenging since they were the first ones of the season! Again, thank you Brothers.

Scholarship Applications

Applications for the annual **KofC Councils #3842/9990 Scholarships** for students continuing their post-secondary education are now available from: St. Peter's and Trinity Parish offices, Bros. **Claude Francoeur** (250-754-2425), **Donn Sherry** (250-758- 5639), and from our website. Deadline for submissions will be **June 30, 2018**. For full rules and requirements, as well as an online application form see our website at: <https://www.kofc3842.com/scholarship>

On the Lighter Side

Donald Trump is walking out of the White House and heading toward his limo when an assassin steps forward and aims a gun. A secret service agent, new on the job, shouts, "Mickey Mouse!" This startles the would-be assassin, he runs, but is soon captured. Later, the secret service agent's supervisor takes him aside and asks, "What in the hell made you shout Mickey Mouse?" Blushing, the agent replies, "I got nervous. I meant to shout, "Donald, duck!"



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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 (Sept.-June) in St. 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 both Masses in St. Peter's Parish hall

Officers for 2017/2018

Grand Knight	Gregory Large	250-753-6091
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Trustee 3 Years	Al Schickerowsky	250-753-7813

*A good time to keep your mouth shut is
when you're in deep water!*

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March for Life, May 10, 2018, Victoria, B.C.

Approximately 2000 people gathered on a cool, wet spring day in Victoria, BC for the **11th Annual Western Canada "March for Life"**. Even though the heavens were slightly open to let the sun through in the morning, in the afternoon, during the actual march and rally, the sky turned dark and opened up and dumped rain in buckets! (Just look at the sky in the picture!!). 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 numerous priests. The marchers assembled at Centennial Square, and from there, began their trek at 1:45 pm with banners and hundreds of "We choose life" posters. The march stretched well over six blocks in length, took about 30 minutes to reach the Legis-



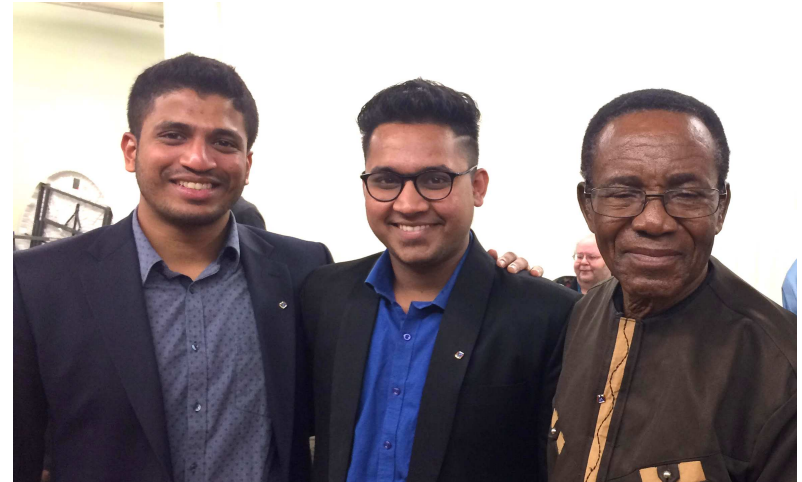
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REMINDER

1. **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>
2. Please pray for all who are sick especially: Bros. **Rick Jones, Rich Pistone, Peter Gibb, Dwain Ingram** and his wife **Maureen, Ben Denommé, George Ives, David Sawatzky** (formerly of Nanaimo), **Ted Kelly** and wife **Olga**, and **James Wolfgang**. Also, keep in your prayers all who have passed away, especially our brother **Don Kingsley**, and **Araceli Estrada**, mother of State Youth Director, **Ariel Estrada**.

Congratulations!

On Sunday, April 15, 2018, we hosted a **Formation Degree Exemplification** for our district. Six brother Knights received the honours of the 2nd Degree, three of which were for our council: (in picture l to r) **Zozimus Fernandes, Vincy Macwan, Poulinus Ihezouh**. We wish to



thank the members of the Second Degree Team for putting on the Degree with such great dignity and inspiration, and all the brothers of our council who helped in so many ways to make this such a great success. Our congratulations go out to our new 2nd Degree members, and we extend our very best wishes for a long and fruitful service to our Order and Council.

Hanging Flower Baskets

We extend a big "thank you" to all those who came out to deliver the 130+ hanging flower baskets for the parish fundraiser on Friday, May 11. The following bother Knights came out with their trucks, vans, or SUVs to make the delivery project relatively quick and easy: **Louis De Pagie, Guy Doiron, Hans Fadum, Claude Francoeur, Richard Jones, David Kenny, Brian King, Greg Large, Robert Nielsen, and Dan DePape**. Our very special thanks goes out to Bro. **Dan** for organizing the deliveries so very efficiently. To one and all, thank you very much for another job well done.

News bytes.....

- A **Patriotic (4th) Degree Exemplification** will be held in Victoria on Saturday, June 16, 2018. Specific time, location, etc., will be announced as soon as it becomes available. Any 3rd Degree member interested, please contact F.N. **Al Schickerowsky** (250-753-7813 : schickerowskyj@shaw.ca) for details.
- The Spring 2018 State Newsletter is now available and accessible at the following: <http://kofcbc.org/news/newsletter>