



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ATLANTA COUNCIL 660

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

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## Reminders:

- Fourth Degree Exemplification is up coming on November 7. Contact Dan Quinn for more information.
- There will NOT be a Third Friday Supper in November or December Due to the Holidays.
- CBA and Council Business Meetings are on the second Wednesday of each month. CBA starts at 6:30 PM and the Council Business meeting starts at 7:30 PM. The Meetings are followed by a light supper.

## Message from the Grand Knight



Grand Knight  
Mike Vonck

Greetings Fellow Knights,

During the past month of October our brother knights were very busy with our membership drive that included cooking burgers for the CTK Life Teen, participation in the Festival of Ministries and cooking for the CTK church picnic. A big thanks to all of our brother Knights that helped with these events. We accepted 8 new members and 3 transfers at our last business meeting.

There are a number of events, programs and activities that need someone to lead. If you are a new member or someone who would like to take a leadership in role, please contact me or one of our officers to find out more on what is needed. We need people to help lead activities within the church and community as well as to help with fundraising events for the Council. We also need help to organize a clean up day at the council hall prior to our Holiday party.

We accepted a Hall rental for the 3rd Friday in November and so we will not have a dinner in November. In December our 3rd Friday dinner will be replaced by the Holiday party on December 20th. The party starts around 1:00 for the kids, Santa will make a visit and a dinner will be served around 6:00. Keep the day open and I will have more details next month.

I would like begin a schedule for the third Friday dinners that we can publish a month prior to the dinner. Anyone interested in cooking for a third Friday dinner should let Ken Prevost or myself know. I am looking forward to the third Friday Dinner in January.

## New Members and those on the Move

Gordon Calley of the Membership Committee has reported that we have three new brothers in 660: Toby Carr, Kevin O'Neill, and Carter Rude. Toby and Kevin went through there first degree at All Saints Church on the 22nd of September and Carter was exemplified on the 31st of October at St. Brigid's Church. Be sure to give these new brothers a hearty welcome.

In addition to the new members, Nelson Shaffer took his second degree on the 26th of September and Jonathan Annua, Luis Franco, Edward Gay, Bill Letts along with 117 other knights went through their 3rd Degree exemplification on the 12th of September at All Saints Church.

Our thanks goes out to the membership committee for their hard work in working to increase and appreciate our order.

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## Changes to Council By-laws

From our Worthy Advocate:

Your Worthy Officers are undertaking a process to update and modify our Council's By-Laws. During the regular business meeting held on Wednesday October 14th, your Worthy Advocate read six (6) resolutions that will support a change to the current By-Laws. The next step in the process is to inform our members in writing of the resolutions, which the Worthy Advocate read during such meeting. We do so here in this publication. We ask the membership to carefully consider these resolutions and be ready to cast your vote for each of them during our regular business meeting on November 11, 2009. Future resolutions may also be proposed to support other changes to the By-Laws for which the membership will have an opportunity to consider before a vote is taken.

### RESOLUTIONS TO CHANGE THE BY-LAWS OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 660

Regular Business Meeting

October 14, 2009

WHEREAS, the current By-Laws were written in 1974; and

WHEREAS, the officers of Council 660 wish to modify and update the By-Laws;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration hereby acknowledged, the following resolutions are made for consideration by the membership of Council 660 and its subsequent vote:

1. The annual membership fee shall be \$75 for members, with the exception of the following: Active and retired police officers, firemen, and military personnel and their spouses shall pay two-thirds this amount.
2. The annual membership fee for those members under 26 years of age shall be \$25.
3. Except for those members under 26 years of age whose initiation fee shall be \$15, the initiation fee for members shall be \$25, which is due and payable along with the appropriate membership fee.
4. Any notices that are required to be given to the membership may also be given by e-mail or other electronic communication method.
5. The Council's regular business meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of each month.
6. At any regular business meeting, the reading of the meeting minutes for the regular business meeting held the month earlier may be suspended if an electronic version of the meeting minutes is sent out to the members at least 5 calendar days prior to such next regular business meeting, or are substantially included in the Council's monthly newsletter, and copies of such minutes are made available at such next regular business meeting.

## Pancake Breakfast at CTK

You (and your families) are invited to this year's Pancake Breakfast at Christ the King. The Breakfast will be held on Sunday, November 15 in the Hyland Center Gym. Breakfast will be served after the 7:30a, 9:00a, and 10:30a masses (which last about an hour each). CTK is fortunate to once again have the Head Chef from the Piedmont Driving Club, Jay Yarbrough, preparing the food. You all know what a great job he does!

The CTK Pancake Breakfast is sponsored and funded by the CTK Men's Club. There is no charge to those who come.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Since they expect to serve between 600 - 800, they are looking for VOLUNTEERS to help out after each of the masses. Assistance is needed in helping cook, serving food, running food from the kitchen to the servers, pouring coffee and OJ, and keeping the place clean. It will take about 45 - 60 minutes of your time. Those who have done it in the past know how much fun it is. It gets crazy and it's all the food you can eat! Also, please bring your sons and daughters to help out and receive service credit.

To volunteer, please contact Mike Penney at [mapenney@ups.com](mailto:mapenney@ups.com) or (770) 457-5327 or (678) 557-4294. Please let him know what mass you wish to volunteer for. The most help is needed after the 9:00am and 10:30am masses (about 10 - 15 people each). As the date is fast approaching, please let Mike Penney know by November 11. Of course, it is perfectly fine to just show up and help. Thanks!

## Council 660 in Service to All

On Sunday, September 13, 2009, 13 Knights of Council 660 (plus 2 Knights' ladies) & 1 Knight of Crossville, TN, Council 8152 served 282 plates including 180 burgers/cheeseburgers, 200 hotdogs, 250 bags of chips, 30 lbs of potato salad, 3 gallons of baked beans, 5 watermelons and 25 gallons of drinks for the LifeTeen program at the Cathedral of Christ the King. This service was featured on the Knight of Columbus website in the "[Knights in Action](#)". Scroll down to GA and we're on it.



On Sunday, October 3, 2009, a total of 30 Knights, their ladies, sons & daughters of Atlanta Council 660 prepared 300 hamburgers / cheeseburgers and 320 hotdogs for the 500 parishioners attending the parish potluck picnic at the Cathedral of Christ the King.

## Let Us Hear from You

Is there something you would like to share with the council? Do you know of a brother sick or in distress? Comments about the newsletter? Let us know by emailing us at [council660.newsletter@gmail.com](mailto:council660.newsletter@gmail.com). All the news that's fit we print.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	4	5 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	6	7 4th Degree Exemplification
8	9	10 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	11 CBA/Council Business meeting	12 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	13	14
15 Pancake Breakfast @ CTK	16	17 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	18	19 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	20	21
22	23	24 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	25	26 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	27	28
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		1 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	2	3 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	4	5
6	7	8 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	9 CBA/Council Business meeting	10 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	11	12
13	14	15 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	16	17 Bingo Club - 7:30 PM	18	19
20 Holiday Party Club - 1:00 PM	21	22 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	23	24	25	26
27	28	29 Weekly Rosary Club - 7:00 PM	30	31		