

The Beacon

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Brothers

The old saying "Time never stands still when you are busy with God's work" certainly applies to Council 4742. We introduced a new format for our General Meeting last month with an alignment to the Supreme "Faith In Action" program. The meeting is now one hour in duration:

- 20 minutes to address Council business
- 20 minutes to hear a speaker inspire our faith
- 20 minutes for fraternity (coffee with brother knights).

This makes it much easier for all brothers (young and old) to commit one hour per month to Council 4742. Certainly there are many opportunities within the Faith In Action program for you and your family to spend more time doing Council work, but we hope and pray that all brothers can commit one hour to Council 4742 per month.

To renew our commitment to serving the poor, your council is extending its support for our partner parish "Sacred Heart Church of the First Peoples" in Edmonton (Fr. Susai OMI is the pastor). Over the next three months Council 4742 and it's families (wives and children) are invited to assist Sacred Heart with a Garage Sale, the Children's Christmas party, and Christmas Food Hamper Program. Please contact me if you can help.

We are investigating the use of use debit and credit payments for the Council (grocery gift cards, pancake breakfasts, membership dues etc.). We hope to have this new payment program in place for the November pancake breakfast. Perhaps this new payment method will encourage more families to attend our events.

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In closing, brothers, I thank you for all your support thus far, but I really encourage all of you to come to our next General Meeting (October 16 at 7:00pm) to experience your new council. Together we can truly make things happen in our parish. Our pastor, Father Ignacy OMI will be the speaker that evening!

Vivat Jesus

Bernie Hryciw, Grand Knight

Reminder that our Memorial Mass is November 7th at 7PM.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Date

October

- 16 Wednesday - General Meeting, 7 PM Grandin Room
24 Thursday - Padre Night OLPH Sherwood Park

November

- 4 Monday - Executive Meeting, 7 PM Grandin Room
7 Memorial Mass - 7 PM.
11 Monday - Remembrance Day
20 Wednesday - General Meeting, 7 PM Grandin Room
Nov 30 - Dec 1 Sacred Heart Parish Garage Sale



Annual Knights of Columbus - Padre Night

Sponsored by Edmonton Chapter of Knights of Columbus
Host Council: Archbishop MacDonald Council 6083 Sherwood Park

Thursday October 24, 2019
OLPH Parish Hall , 13 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park, Alberta
Special Guest Speakers & Evening Entertainment

For Tickets Contact **Brother Brian Wolbert at (780) 690-4938 or**
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Good of the Order

Keep in your prayers those at the Youville and elsewhere: William Oshanyk, Ernest Sokolan, Rev. Louis Gendre, Leon Richard and recently departed Phil Dumontier.

We will visit our fellow Brothers who are ill and in continuing care. Some members of our council will visit them, preferably in the mornings. If you are able to participate please contact Br. Brian Wolbert at 780-460-8294 or Br. Tony Csilies 780-458-0065 e-mail kofc@stalbertcouncil4742.ca.

If you are aware of a Knight who is ill or who passed away please call Br. Tony Csilies.



Brother Richard, in his workshop, carving a plaque commemorating 60 years of 4742 in St. Albert. Inscribed on the plaque are the names of all Grand Knights from February 10, 1959 until June 2019. Worthy



Grand Knight, Br. Bernie receiving the plaque from Brother Richard. The plaque is now prominently displayed in the Grandin Room.

Please welcome our new Brothers, Carl Steinke and Graeme Kryzanowski

Faith in Action Plan

FAITH - Director Scott Venne	Responsibility	Date	Completed
Seminarian	Gerry B	Jan & Jun	
Grade 4 bibles	Bernie	Sept	X
OMI Mission	Bernie	Oct	
Pilgrimage	Mark L	Aug	
Padre Night - OLPH, Sherwood Park	Bernie	Oct. 24	
Recruitment & Retention Committee	Gerry B & Kevin P	yearlong	
Blue Sunday	Gerry K	May. 3	

COMMUNITY - Director Bernie Hryciw	Responsibility	Date	
Sacred Heart Church	Bernie	yearlong	
Coats for Kids	Kevin P	Fall/Winter	
Parish Expo	Shannon / Tony	Sep. 29	X
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	Ken	yearlong	
RS Ed Scholarship	Bernie	Oct. 23	
Pancake Breakfast Committee	Ken / Kevin	yearlong	
Grocery Gift Cards Committee	Gerry B / Scott	yearlong	
Phoning Committee	Gerry B	yearlong	

FAMILY - Director Terry Sperling	Responsibility	Date	
Archbishop Lori prayer		yearlong	
Pizza Pizza Splash Splash		Mar	
Memorial Mass	Gerry B	Nov	
Fish Fry		Mar / Apr	
Country Fair		June	
Welcome Back	Bernie B	Sept 21 & 22	
Christmas dinner	Terry	Jan. 4	
Year End BBQ	Terry	June	
Christmas Parking		Dec. 24	

LIFE - Director Tony Csilics	Responsibility	Date	
Mothers Day Roses	Brent	May	
Marian Center	Brian	May	
Youville Home Visits	Tony	yearlong	
Charity Appeal Committee	Brian	Oct - Feb	