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The Beacon

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UPCOMING EVENTS

2015

December

25 - Friday - Christmas Day!

2016

January

1 - Friday - New Year's Day!

4 - Monday - Executive Meeting 7:00PM Grandin Room

10 - Sunday - Pancake Breakfast following 9:00AM & 11:00AM Mass

20 - Wednesday - General Meeting 7:00PM Grandin Room

23 - Saturday - Chilly Chili Bang Bang following the 5:00PM Mass

Notices:

The January General Meeting will include an election for the position of Advocate.

Br. Gerry Woodlock has been assigned the position of Lecturer.

Your Executive!

Chaplain

Grand Knight

Daniel Chauvet

780-966-3658

Deputy Grand Knight

Brian Wolbert

780-460-8294

Chancellor

Terrence (Terry) Sperling

780-459-5479

Financial Secretary

Tony Csilics

780-458-0065

Treasurer

James Van Horn

780-569-4022

Recorder

Glenn Fritz

780-460-2216

Advocate

Warden

Marc Lambertus

780-458-2218

Lecturer

Gerry Woodlock

780-459-2435

Outside Guard

Bernie Hryciw

780-458-8198

Inside Guard

Robert Pampu

780-460-6740

Trustee 1

Gerry Buccini

780-459-7384

Trustee 2

Maurice Douville

780-459-9487

Trustee 3

Leon Husereau

780-458-5072



Grocery Cards...A Special Christmas Gift

Your Knights of Columbus Council 4742 is encouraging you to consider the purchase of Grocery Gift Cards. You can use the cards to purchase your own groceries or you can give them to others as gifts for Christmas. The cards make perfect "stocking stuffers"! In the past, many companies/business owners have purchased the grocery cards and given them to employees at Christmastime. If you are a business owner or manager, please consider this idea as a gift for your employees. Purchases result in an eight per cent profit for the Knights, enabling us to carry out the many charitable contributions we make to our own parish and to Catholic organizations within our diocese. Are you aware that: -the Knights sponsor a young seminarian on his way to the priesthood?

- the Knights have made financial contributions to the Church renovation project?

-the Knights provide assistance to scholarships and award events and the purchase of Bibles at our local Catholic schools?

Please help us to continue assisting with these great projects by purchasing some grocery cards. To buy cards, call Gerry (780-459-7384) or Frank (780-459-7941). Cards will be available at each month's Pancake Breakfast following the 9 & 11am Masses. The next Pancake Breakfast is

December 6th.

Pancake Breakfast

The Pancake Breakfast is on January 10, 2015 following the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 am. Mass.

Recent new members:

Br. Jonathan Cruz

Br. Sylvain Dupere

Br. Jeremie Gravel

Br. Robb Heit

Br. John Holden

Br. Albert Van Domselaar

Br. Scott Venne

Recent transfer ins:

Br. Christopher O Sullivan

Br. Kenneth Kully

Br. Albert Menard

Br. Dennis Sokul

Br. Michel Boucher

Fr. Ignacy Warias

Br. Brian Huxley

Good of the Order

Please include in your prayers the following people who are ill:
Br. Mauri Maynard, Br. Bob Pompu and Br. Moe Douville.

Please pray for the following members who passed away this year:

Br. Clarence Sadler, Br. Guy Bremault, Br. Arthur Quinn, Br. Elwood Shell and Br. Albert Geeraert

Columbus Club Corner

The officers elected for 1965, of the St. Albert Columbus Club, as reported to the Registrar of Companies of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, as per the annual meeting held on December 21st, 1964 was;

President, Gerard LeBlanc of Edmonton, Alberta (Occupation, Welder) Secretary Treasurer, Donald England of St. Alberta, Alberta (Occupation, Grain Buyer) Directors; George Lee of Edmonton, Alberta (Occupation, Construction Superintendent) Gerald Tory of St. Albert, Alberta (Occupation, Insurance Salesman) Clifford Gallant of St. Albert, Alberta (Occupation, Farmer)

DID YOU KNOW

The Registrar of Companies very nearly forced the Columbus Club of Council 4742 to dissolve only two short years after it was incorporated! A notice dated July 30, 1964 and a second notice dated January 21, 1965 were sent to the St. Albert Columbus Club requesting file returns which had not been received for the past two years. The matter was cleared up when the Columbus Club sent the required returns to the Registrar on January 26, 1965.

Br. Terry Sperling, President