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**Message
from the
Grand
Knight**



**Brother
Knights,**

The year ahead looks full of promise with new programs! We are looking at an Amazing Parish incentive to reach outside our parish with a community fest.

We are considering many other new initiatives: reaching out to couples with a dance, with the men of the parish with a tailgating get together, and to the youth of our parish with competitive gaming with parents teaming up with their sons and daughters. Here is a breakdown of just some of the great ideas tossed around at our recent officers meeting:

- Set up a video game challenge using the new cafeteria TVs between parents and children.
- Have a community health fest with free medical screenings tied in with a Blood Drive or a parish community picnic.
- As a fund raiser, sponsor a 1960s themed parish dance (you remember the 1960s?) on St. Valentine's Day.

These are big and bold initiatives for our Council to take on. Like any of our other projects it will take a lot of volunteer effort to pull them off successfully.

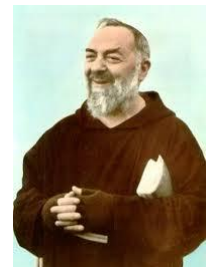
This means that the help of all of our members will be needed to accomplish these program ideas. I and your newly elected officers are confident that by working together we can get it done – That's why we are Knights. Many hands at work make the job easier for everyone.

I am looking forward to serving the Council as your Grand Knight. If you have any ideas you would like to share, I am always excited to hear from you.

God Bless,

Ed Price, Grand Knight

**St. Pio of
Pietrelcina
(Padre Pio)
1887-1968
September
23**



Born Francesco Forgione, **Padre Pio** grew up in a family of farmers in southern Italy. Twice (1898-1903 and 1910-17) his father worked in Jamaica, New York, to provide the family income.

At the age of 15, Francesco joined the Capuchins and took the name of Pio. He was ordained in 1910 and was drafted during World War I. After he was discovered to have tuberculosis, he was discharged. In 1917 he was assigned to the friary in San Giovanni Rotondo, 75 miles from the city of Bari on the Adriatic.

On September 20, 1918, as he was making his thanksgiving

after Mass, Padre Pio had a vision of Jesus. When the vision ended, he had the stigmata in his hands, feet and side.

Life became more complicated after that. Medical doctors, Church authorities and curiosity seekers came to see Padre Pio. In 1924 and again in 1931, the authenticity of the stigmata was questioned; Padre Pio was not permitted to celebrate Mass publicly or to hear confessions. He did not complain of these decisions, which were soon reversed. However, he wrote no letters after 1924.

Pio rarely left the friary after he received the stigmata, but busloads of people soon began coming to see him. Each morning after a 5 a.m. Mass in a crowded church, he heard confessions until noon. He took a mid-morning break to bless the sick and all who came to see him. Every afternoon he also heard confessions. In time his confessional ministry would take 10 hours a day; penitents had to take a number. Many of them have said that Padre Pio knew details of their lives that they had never mentioned.

Padre Pio saw Jesus in all the sick and suffering. At his urging, a fine hospital was built on nearby Mount Gargano. The idea arose in 1940; a committee began to collect money. Ground was broken in 1946. Building the hospital was a technical wonder because of the difficulty of getting water there and of hauling up the building supplies.

A number of people have reported cures they believe were received through the intercession of Padre Pio. Those who assisted at his Masses came away edified; several curiosity seekers were deeply moved. Like St. Francis, Padre Pio sometimes had his habit torn or cut by souvenir hunters.

One of Padre Pio's sufferings was that unscrupulous people several times circulated prophecies that they claimed originated from him. He never made prophecies about world events and never gave an opinion

on matters that he felt belonged to Church authorities to decide. He died on September 23, 1968, and was beatified in 1999.

Be A Man!

The OLP Knights of Columbus are proud to sponsor this fall's all new Saturday



morning men's program **Be A Man!** by **Father Larry Richards**. The 10-week program will begin **September 10th at 7 AM** in the old rectory. This free program is open to all men. A continental breakfast will be served from **6:30-7:00 AM** followed by a video presentation by Fr. Larry and small group discussions pertaining to the topic of the week.

The program will inspire men to find strength in faith and love to become men of authentic courage, compassion, and integrity!

Online registration for the program is available at:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eafab2ca1fa7-olpsaturday>

Said by the Pope

"Science can purify religion from error and superstition. Religion can purify science from idolatry and false absolutes. Each can draw the other into a wider world, a world in which both can flourish."

Pope John Paul II



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**OLP
Blood
Drive**



**The Next
OLP
Blood
Drive will**

be held on Sunday, October 23, 2016. If you are able to help with set-up or clean-up you can sign up to work one of two shifts 7:15 – 8:00 AM or 2:00 to 2:30 PM. Four Knights are needed for each shift.

You can sign up to help at the following link:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eafab2ca1fa7-redcross>

**New
Council
Officers
Installed**



On Tuesday, August 23 the new officers for OLP Knight Council 14282 were installed by District Deputy Brett Gissel and Monsignor Johnson. **Please welcome your new officers for the 2016/2017 fraternal year!**

**From the
Editor's
Desk**



The deadline for submitting information for the

newsletter is the **1st of each month**. Let me know if there is something you wish publicized. You can reach me by email at FCoolavin@aol.com or by phone at **614-268-4166**.

Announcements!

Brothers, Please Join Us!



Please try to attend the monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. **Please join us at the monthly meeting and share your ideas.** The General Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at **7:00 PM** now in the **Old Rectory**. **Mark your calendar or log the dates in your smarty phone!** **The dates for future OLP Council meetings are:**

September 20, 2016
October 18, 2016
November 15, 2016

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration at Our Lady of Peace has begun.

Adoration will be held on the first Thursday of every month through May 2017.

The next one will be held **Thursday, October 6, 2016** from 9:00 AM until 9:00 PM. Spend an hour with the Lord!

“Happy is the soul that knows how to find Jesus in the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in all things!” - St. Peter Julian Eymard



Wanted – New Members

The Grand Knight has asked each member to bring in one new member this year! ASK – “**Why aren’t you a member of the OLP**



Knights?” Share the experience of a lifetime. A new member needs to complete a **Form 100**. Help us continue to grow our Council. If you need applications or recruiting information, please contact **Trustee Bob Brehm at bbrehm5859@gmail.com**

Catholic History Timeline



1543: A full account of the heliocentric Copernican theory titled, *On the Revolutions of the Heavenly Spheres* is published. Considered the start of the Scientific Revolution.

December 13, 1545: Council of Trent convened during the pontificate of Paul III, to prepare the Catholic response to the Protestant Reformation. Its rulings set the tone of Catholic society for at least three centuries.

December 4, 1563: Council of Trent closed. The decrees were confirmed on January 26, 1564, by Pius IV in the Bull “*Benedictus Deus*”.

1568: St. John Chrysostom, St. Basil, St. Gregory Nazianzus, St. Athanasius and St. Thomas Aquinas are made Doctors of the Church.

July 14, 1570: Pope St. Pius V issues the Apostolic Constitution on the Tridentine Mass.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Timeline_of_the_Catholic_Church



Continued prayers are requested for Past Grand Knight **Lou Griffith** and his family.

Please pray for the sick and deceased members of our Council and for the members of the OLP Parish community who may be ill.

Please pray for our retired priests and religious. They need our prayers and support.

Please continue to pray daily for the many Christian victims of religious persecution around the world.

Mother Teresa Declared a Saint

Mother Teresa, who devoted her life to helping India’s poor, has been

declared a saint in a canonization Mass held by Pope Francis in the Vatican on **September 4, 2016**.

Speaking in Latin, Francis said that “after due deliberation and frequent prayer for divine assistance, and having sought the counsel of many of our brother bishops, we declare and define Blessed Teresa of Calcutta to be a saint, and we enroll her among the saints, decreeing that she is to be venerated as such by the whole church.”

