



knights of columbus

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May 2009

DATES AND THINGS TO REMEMBER:

Meetings:

May 11– Regular Meeting

May 18 – Special Social Meeting for Members and Non-Members

Corporate Communion:

Sunday, May 17 at the 8:00 a.m. Mass

May Crowning Honor Guard

May 17, 7:00 p.m. in St. Thomas More Church

Corn Roast at St. Thomas More Festival:

June 22nd through June 27

Baseball Game

July 20

TOOTSIE ROLL SALE

Call Larry at 836-2155 if you can help

Pray for Our Sick:

Fred Benbenista's wife, Ann

Willis Miller

Ken Kors



BROTHER KNIGHTS

Reinforcements required.

We need a transfusion of fresh blood — Yours!

Enlist now

Report to the Garden Club bunker next to the rectory.

Formation at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesdays & Fridays.

Fatigues are the uniform of the day.

Physical requirement: Your breath on a mirror!



HAVE YOU DONE YOUR PART?

Have you recruited a new member into our fraternal order yet? If you are not a member of the 4th Degree, have you filled out an application to become a member? Time's a wasting!

VISION TO ACTION!

That was the theme for the 2009 Indiana State Convention. And what a convention it was! There were many who claimed that it was the best state convention that they have ever attended.

Personally, I agree!

We were edified to hear from the convention speakers: Matthew Kelly, Chris Godfrey, David Bereit, Bill Brenner, Jessica Crook, and representatives from Notre Dame Council #1477.

There was an overwhelming emphasis on life issues and the value and sanctity of life. During these times, that emphasis was extremely important and timely.

A resolution was passed supporting the bishops as they stand against Notre Dame's decision to give an honorary doctorate to President Obama.

A resolution was passed to make Mother Theodore Guerin the patroness of the Indiana Knights of Columbus.

A resolve was made to supply 50 buses for the Right to Life March in Washington, D.C. in January of 2010.

A spirit of camaraderie was palpable at the convention that gave us all an incentive to put our words and our vision into action.

And, finally, the moment came when we heard those words: **The time is now!**

Brother Knights, the time is now. It is time to put into action the words we so often speak. It is time to put into action the very grist of our thoughts and prayers. It is time to stand up and be counted.

It is also time to invite as many people as possible to join our cause as fellow Knights. It was said that the Knights of Columbus might be the best kept secret of the Church. It is time to let that secret out. To let everybody we meet know about our fraternal organization and about our passion to perform the works of Christ in and for a world that so desperately needs direction.

We all have a job to do.

Let us make sure that we perform that job with joy and grace and hope. In doing so, we will not only encourage our brother Knights; but, we will inspire others to join us as well.

I felt proud and honored to be with my brother knights at the state convention and look forward to our continued work in the future.

Mother Theodore Guerin, Patroness of the Indiana Knights of Columbus, pray for us!

Rev. Michael J. Yalco