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Grand Knight's Letter

Dear Brothers,

The Columbian year is slowly winding down, officer nominations in May and elections in June. We will keep you posted as they develop.

In the somewhat shorter term, however, we have some activities worthy of note. Five Council 1106 have been accepted as candidates for exemplification in the 4th Degree. The Exemplification ceremony was April 18. We'll let you know how they made out.

The Knights of Columbus State Conference is in May, The conference will be electing a new State Deputy and slate of State Council Officers, again we'll let you know the results.

I can't stress enough the importance of the Knights of Columbus prayer rally on the steps of the State capitol building. This year the rally is May 12, so cold weather ought not be a factor. Issues of concern, but limited to, include:

Reproductive Health and Privacy Protection Act

Same sex unions

Taxpayer funding for human cloning and stem cell research

At the National level The FOCA (Freedom of Choice Act) is again rearing its ugly head. This bill, originally introduced in 2004 has strong support from President Obama, a Senatorial co-sponsor, and some of our New York congressional delegation. Please make your opinion know to your congressional representative.

Nomination for Council Officers will be announced at our May meeting and subsequently published in this newsletter. Council election will be held at our June meeting. If any Third degree member wants to be considered, please contact Rick Sloat, Ben Matalucci or Jack Cusack

Please, keep in your prayers, the sick of the Council and the parish, and also pray for the early and safe return of our men and women serving in the armed forces.

Sincerely,

John F. Carey, M.D.

Grand Knight

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Council Officers

Columbian year 2008-09

Grand Knight:	Dr. John Carey
Deputy Grand Knight:	Lidio Quaranta
Chancellor:	Joseph Giglio
Warden:	Dr. Joseph Napolitano
Recorder:	Jim Iaquinto
Treasurer:	Al Stipak
Lecturer:	Vin DeLuca
Advocate:	Wally Gantter
Inside Guard:	Iggy Kukelka
Outside Guard:	Jim Applegate
3 Yr Trustee:	Jack Cusack PGK
Byrd Trustee	Ben Matalucci PGK
1 yr Trustee	Rick Sloat PGK
<u>Appointed Positions:</u>	
Chaplain	Rev. Thomas Dicks
Financial Secretary	Dr. Jack Dermigny PGK

Meeting dates

Columbian Year 2008-09

May 4 June 1

**Meeting are held in the rectory meeting room
and start at 7:30 p.m.**

This and That

St. John's Assembly (Fourth Degree) is actively seeking members for the "Color Corps". This is the most visible arm of our order, The Corps take part in parish occasions and activities through the County. We were also present during the recent papal visit to NYC. If you're interested, please contact John Sanok or any Assembly officer.

We plan, once again, to participate in Goshen's "Great American Weekend" This normally occurring around the 4th of July weekend. "Taco's" will again be our fare. If you can help out in any way, please contact Rick Sloat. As importantly, spread the word to friends and relatives; customers needed. More information as the situation develops.

Degrees

1st Degree

Tuesday April 28

Msgr O'Carroll Council No. 444
53 Old Little Britain Rd, Newburgh
Candidate 7:30 PM Degree 8 PM

2d Degree

None presently scheduled

3d Degree

Sunday, June 7

Location TBA

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