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September Meal Reservations

Please contact Dick Leonard by 6:00pm on Sunday, September 13th

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Anchors Aweigh

Summer is almost over. As some of you are reading this, the schools will already be filled with children and the only thing remaining from summer will be the memories. Labor Day weekend is the unofficial end of summer and I hope that everyone has a chance to enjoy the last few days of summer with family and friends. I pray that each of you have safe travels if you are doing any traveling on this holiday weekend.

September marks the first business meeting of the new fraternal year. Please come out to Holy Family in Kasson and join us! We will have either mass or a rosary at 6 pm, followed by a meal and fellowship at 6:30. Please RSVP to Dick Leonard (info provided above) so the meal team can provide the right amount of food. We will then start our

business meeting at 7:30 pm.

Speaking of food, SK Mark Zangs volunteered to put together meal teams for this upcoming fraternal year. The teams are listed on page 3. Please let me know if you are unable to be on the meal team for the month you were assigned. Also, our goal this year is to avoid catered meals due to the cost, but also due to the fact home cooked meal taste better many times! Team leaders, take a look at those on your team and reach out to them soon to confirm their availability. Contact me with any issues.

September brings upon more council and assembly activities. Please be talking to your brother knights about the Major Degree coming up at the

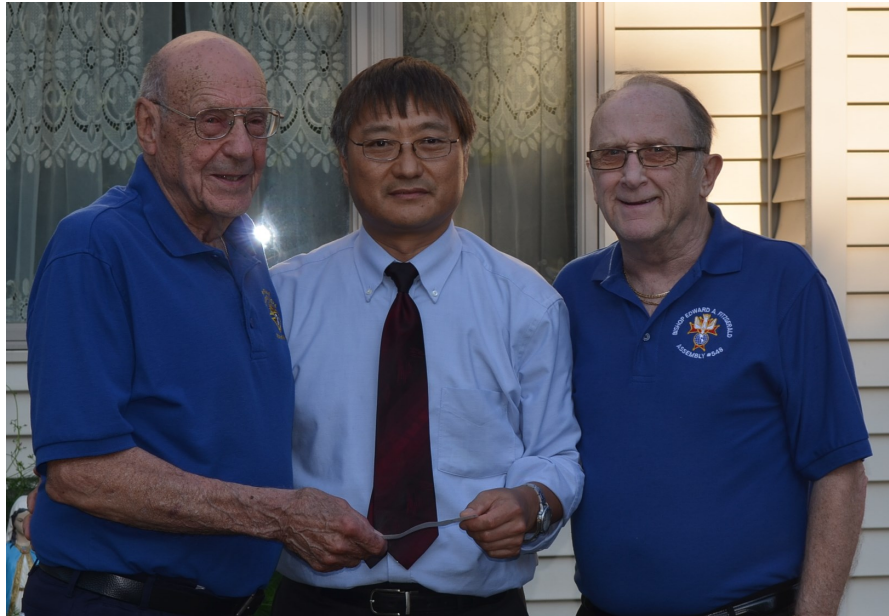
end of September and also the Fourth Degree Exemplification on Halloween this year. It will be held in Duluth. I am working on a local priest to be our Faithful Friar and if we finalize things, he will be attending in Duluth. It would be great to have a great group of new members to join him at the ceremony. Also, it would be great to have a good showing of our current members to support Father!

If you have any questions or comments during the next year, please do not hesitate to contact me. Email is the best way to get in contact with me, but you can always call and leave me a voicemail as well.

Thank you and Vivat Jesus!
Bou Gazley

Chalice Program Check Presentation

In the picture (l to r) Sir Knight Ambrose King, Seminarian Joseph Liu and Past Faithful Navigator Sir Knight Tommy Carey. Seminarian Liu was very happy to receive the funds and asked us to convey his sincere thanks to members of our Assembly.



Written by SK Tommy Carey, PFN

Members of our Assembly met with Diocese of Winona Seminarian Joseph Liu for dinner in Rochester on Friday, August 22. Past Faithful Navigator Tommy Carey introduced a revised Chalice Program during his term in office (2014-2015) that provides financial support to Seminarians when they complete pre determined phases of their preparation for ordination as a priest. Joseph is currently nearing the end of his pastoral year and as such qualifies for a \$500 award from our Assembly. Funds are provided to each Seminarian and can be used for any purpose the Seminarian determines is needed.

Major Degree Ceremony

Sunday, September 27 at St. Francis Church.

First Degree candidates arrive by 5:00 pm, Ceremony begins at 5:30 pm

Second Degree candidates arrive by 6:00 pm, Ceremony begins at 6:30 pm

Evening should conclude around 9:00 pm

Meeting Schedule

The Assembly Officer's met in July and discussed the schedule for our monthly meetings. Here is the format that our monthly meetings will follow most months:

6:00 Mass, Rosary, or Presenter (depending upon availability of priest)

6:30 Social time/Meal

7:30 Assembly Meeting



Calendar of Events

September 7	LABOR DAY		
September 13	Holy Spirit Founders Day Celebration (25 year celebration)		
September 13	District 31 Soccer Challenge District Event	Holy Spirit	
September 15	Assembly 548 Meeting	See Page 2	Holy Family in Kasson
September 25	Major Degree	See Page 2	St. Francis
October 2	Anchor Article Submission Deadline		
October 10	Holy Hour for Men	See Page 4	St. Francis in Rochester
October 20	Assembly 548 Meeting	See Page 2	St. Francis in Rochester

Meal Teams for 2015-2016 Fraternal Year

SK Mark Zangs, PFN, volunteered to put together the meals team for the 2015-2016 Fraternal year. I provided him with a roster and this is what he came up with. If you are unable to be on the meal team for the month, please let me know as soon as possible. Those indicated with a * are the team leaders. Team leaders will want to verify with your team as soon as possible to verify their availability. Please let me know if there are any issues.

This year, our goal is to avoid catered meals. Catering meals often cost more than the money received for that meal. Also, a home cooked meal always tastes better! If you unwilling or unable to avoid catering your meal, please let me know and I will try and find a replacement. Lastly, all plates, napkins, and cutlery is provided. Please do not buy any additional. If you have any special needs, please let me know and I will work on getting any special items.

<p>September (Kasson) Dick Leonard Don Sheehan Joe Mathias Paul Daley</p>	<p>January Rick Andrist* Jim Lundholm Jim Fritsch George Paulik Joe Rademacher</p>	<p>April (Mystery Trip) Jeff Bagniewski* John Hunt Gerald Krznarzick Bill Brooks</p>
<p>October Mike Wolter* Bob Pyferoen Steve Freese Rich Siglow</p>	<p>February Tim White* Bob Degnan Art Mueller James Motz</p>	<p>May Chuck DeVos* Tom Furr Brian Willaert Bob Voss</p>
<p>November Mark Zangs* Mike Sheehan Gene Liefeld Tom Doyle</p>	<p>March Ken Peters* Tommy Carey Jim Arendt Mike Long Tom DeRienzo</p>	<p>June (Byron) Ed Robinet* Paul Leska Bob Lewis Paul Mertes Paul Prond</p>
<p>December (Christmas Party) Jim Lundholm* Mike Kleinschmidt Bill Dorsey John Robinson</p>		

Please Remember in Your Prayers



† Jim Cox	† Our Police and Military
† Ellie Cox	† Victims of Abortion
† Ambrose King	† All Personal Intentions
† Fr. Tom Loomis Family	

Monthly Dedication

State Chaplain Fr. Raul Perez-Cobo

This month of September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrow. The obligatory memorial celebration is on September 15th. Let us pray together the prayer of St. Bridget to our Lady of Sorrows:

O Blessed Virgin Mary, Immaculate Mother of God, who didst endure a martyrdom of love and grief, beholding the sufferings and sorrows of Jesus! Thou didst cooperate in the benefit of my redemption by thy innumerable afflictions and by offering to the Eternal Father His only-begotten Son as a holocaust and victim of propitiation for my sins. I thank thee for the unspeakable love which led thee to deprive thyself of the Fruit of thy womb, Jesus, true God and true Man, to save me, a sinner. Oh! make use of the unfailing intercession of thy sorrows with the Father and the Son, that I may steadfastly amend my life and never again crucify my loving Redeemer by new sins; and that, persevering till death in His grace, I may obtain eternal life through the merits of His Cross and Passion. Amen.

Mother of love, of sorrow, and of mercy, pray for us.

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Holy Hour for Men

Holy Hour for Men led by Winona Bishop Emeritus Bernard Harrington at St Francis in Rochester on Sunday, October 11.

7:00 PM - Holy Hour start - O Salutaris Hostia

7:05 - Sermon by [Bishop Harrington](#)

7:15 - Rosary Start

7:30 - Silent Prayer and Confession

8:00 - Benediction, with Tantum Ergo

8:15 - Social time in lower level of the Church (drinks and food)

Happy Birthday

Fr. Mark McNea	Sept 1
Mark Stadtherr	Sept 1
Michael Blanchard	Sept 3
Paul Klockeman	Sept 6
Richard Plunkett	Sept 6
Charles Mosier	Sept 7
Bou Gazley	Sept 8
Mark Oldenburg	Sept 13
Timothy Fague	Sept 16
Paul Prond	Sept 16
Richard Leonard	Sept 17
Paul Daley	Sept 18
Thomas Doyle	Sept 19
Dcn Tom DiRienzo	Sept 22
Michael Kleinschmidt	Sept 22
Roger Wenger	Sept 26
Dcn Richard Mangan	Sept 29

September Meeting

Join us September 15 at Holy Family Church in Kasson. Mass/Rosary at 6:00pm, followed by socialization and meal at 6:30. The business meeting will start at 7:30 pm.