

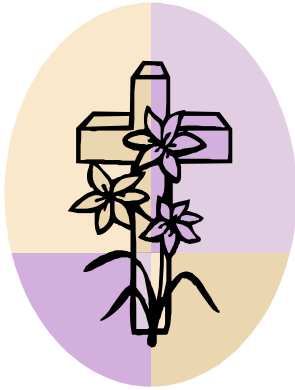


# Council Works

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## Happy Easter!



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## What Does It Mean to Be An Officer

Now that we have the nominating committee going, I thought I would describe the officers of the Council and their responsibilities so those that are interested would have more information. Please note, these are my definitions, and go beyond that in the formal guidelines.

- Chaplain – this one takes a lot of preparation, and involves a few minor qualifications, such as Holy Orders. If you are interested in this one, see the Chancellor, as he chairs the vocations committee.
- Grand Knight – Besides trying to keep the meetings under control, the Grand Knight is effectively the CEO of the Council. However, there are a few limitations to this parallel – he can't fire anyone, and all his staff are volunteers. Also, he has to deal with a panel of past CEOs, who are always willing to give massive quantities of advice! However, he gets paid in seeing great works done, which is worth much more than money.
- The Deputy Grand Knight can be thought of as the COO – his job is to keep things running. He is the head of the Program Committees, chairs the Directors meetings, and steps in when the Grand Knight is absent or incapacitated. He is in charge of bulletin announcements and staffing events.
- The Trustees are responsible for the Financial Health of the Council. They perform all audits, and address any financial questions of the Council. They also serve as the heckler's gallery during meetings.
- The Chancellor is responsible for recruiting. He staffs the coffee and donuts, and ensures members know when degrees are available in the district.
- The Warden takes care of the food and setting up the chamber. He also runs the 50-50 in our Council, and is subjected to the varying suggestions of the Council for the menu (especially the Grand Knight, who really likes Pizza!).
- The Financial Secretary is the only position that is compensated. This is because he is bonded and handles dues, membership roles, cards, and the books. He also has to help decipher our vouchers.
- The Treasurer handles all council funds. He is our banker, and writes all our checks. He also helps in deciphering our vouchers!
- The Advocate is the parliamentarian for the Council – all questions regarding the appropriate way to proceed and all legal issues are his domain.

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## *The Grand Knight's Message...*

I am very excited about the last quarter of our Columbian Year. Not only because you will soon no longer be subjected to my articles, but that we have a lot of great events going forward. Look to the DGK's articles for details.

The Lenten Meals are going with a bang, and at the last directors meeting, we decided to add a child-entrée to each meal from now on. Several parents informed us that while they would have enjoyed the seafood pasta, they didn't come because their kids would not eat it. Therefore, we will do something simple like noodles or Macaroni and Cheese for each meal from now on. Hopefully, this will increase the turnout, which has actually been phenomenal this year. We actually ran out of food at the last one, and I didn't have to use our clean up crew (a.k.a. the Ray Kenna Family).

By the way, for those of you who don't know, the Directors meeting occurs the second Wednesday of each month and is chaired by Deputy Grand Knight (when he can get me to keep my mouth shut, that is!). We have been holding them at my house, and all are welcome. At these meetings, we discuss upcoming events and perform a lot of planning. At the last one, we even had Tom Trudeau on speaker phone, which just shows the technology lengths we will go to include everyone.

Another great part of this year is that at State Meeting on March 6, I turned in just about all the forms for the year. There are a few left, but the vast majority is complete. I am sure our Deputy Grand Knight is looking forward to taking over this chore. Finally, my last State Meeting as GK will be on April 30-May 2 at Richmond. If you are interested in attending, let me know.

I would also like to congratulate Al Saccomano for his 50<sup>th</sup> Year anniversary as a Knight on 2/1/2004. Al has been a Grand Knight (for 3 years I think!) and has been a great contribution to our Council. Let's all give Al a hand and hope we get more outstanding Knights like him. Other 50+ year Knights in our Council are:

- Robert Bermphol – 50 years
- Jerome Kidd – 56 years
- Antonio Menez – 57 years

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Grand Knight  
Financial Secretary  
Fraternal Director  
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[www.fathernudd.org](http://www.fathernudd.org)



## From the Pen of the Worthy Chaplain...



Dear Brother Knights,

Holy Week begins in just a few days. During this time we will relive the passion and death of Our Lord. I pray that each of you will have the opportunity to reflect on the true purpose behind the events that occurred during the last few days of His life on earth.

Easter Sunday is on April 11. It is the day for which we have anxiously waited, since Ash Wednesday back in February. Let the Resurrection of Our Lord be a constant reminder of the eternal life with God the Father that we have anxiously awaited, since our Baptism.

I thank you for serving Lenten Meals to our parish community again this year. I had the opportunity to meet many of our parishioners, our Brother Knights, and their families. I also enjoyed the food. I also wish to thank all of you that will help with the services on the Easter Tridium, as well as on Easter Sunday.

Again, thank you for all of your hard work. May God bless each and every one of you and your families this Easter Season.

*Fr. Weymes*

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I also activated the nominating committee for next year. This committee is responsible for developing a recommended slate of officers. If you are interested in running for an office (and I highly recommend it) you need to let one of the committee members know. The committee members are Tom Trudeau (Advocate), Richard Zacofsky, Paul St. Laurent, and Byron Beall (Trustees), and myself.

Our schedule is as follows:

April 1-19: Interview and select recommended nominees for publication in May CouncilWorks

April 21: Read recommended nominees at regular business meeting

May 19: Elect slate of officers for next Columbian Year

Again, never hesitate to bring any concern or suggestion to me at my home (703) 814-8153, cell (571) 212-0822, or at [Grand\\_Knight@kofc-council7369.org](mailto:Grand_Knight@kofc-council7369.org).

Many Thanks and God Bless,

*C.J. Staton*



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- The Recorder has the envious job of trying to keep up with documenting the activities of our meetings – especially hard since our current Grand Knight likes to try and set land speed records for meetings. However, this job will be easier next year as the current Grand Knight will no longer be running the meetings.
- The Inside and Outside Guards ensure only appropriate members are admitted to the chamber, and watch for the pizza guy when we have pizza at the meetings.
- The Lecturer calls the attention of the Council to current events that are noteworthy. He edifies the Council (and yes, I had to look that word up, too) with his information.

While this may be a tongue-in-cheek overview, I do encourage you to talk to current officers about running for office. It is very rewarding and will bring you closer to a great group of gentlemen.

Vivat Jesus,  
C.J. Staton, Grand Knight

## Fr. Nudd Council Resolutions

The following resolutions will be voted on at the regular business meeting on April 7:

### 25TH ANNIVERSARY RESOLUTION

**Whereas** Father Robert E. Nudd Council celebrates its 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in June, 2004;

**Whereas** the Council has served the Church, Parish, Priests and Community faithfully for 25 years;

**Whereas** the Council has served our Order faithfully for 25 years;

**Whereas** the Council is composed of its members and families, past and current;

**Whereas** a 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary is an event to celebrate;

**Therefore be it resolved** the Father Robert E. Nudd Council shall appropriately celebrate its 25 years of faithful service;

**Be it further resolved** that in furtherance of the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, the Council be authorized to expend an amount not to exceed \$6,000.00.

Resolution presented by:  
Tom Trudeau

Resolution seconded by:  
Paul St. Laurent

Date: March 3, 2004

### KITCHEN RESOLUTION

I make a motion to designate up to \$600 of Council Project TBD (Budget Line item 1009 previously approved) plus an additional expense of up to \$400, for a total of up to \$1,000, towards the purchase of miscellaneous much-needed new and replacement kitchen supplies.

Resolution presented by:  
Jim Frazer

Resolution seconded by:  
Paul St. Laurent

Date: March 3, 2004

### POLISH NIGHT RESOLUTION

**Whereas** Father Robert E. Nudd Council traditionally celebrates a Polka dance and food night;

**Whereas** this event is traditionally supported by the Council, Parish and Community;

**Whereas** the Council may be able to realize a profit on this event;

**Therefore be it resolved** the Father Robert E. Nudd Council shall celebrate a Polka dance and food night;

**Be it further resolved** that in furtherance of this event, the Council be authorized to expend an amount not to exceed \$2,500.00 to cover advance expenses.

Resolution presented by:  
Tom Trudeau

Resolution seconded by:  
Paul St. Laurent

Date: March 3, 2004

## Fraternal Benefits

### **Three Life Insurance Myths**

**Myth No. 1: I don't need life insurance once my children are self-supporting and my mortgage is paid off.**

Perhaps, but if you died today, your spouse would still be faced with daily living expenses. And what if your spouse outlived you by 10, or even 30 years, which is certainly possibly today? Would your financial plan, without your insurance, enable your spouse to maintain the lifestyle the two of you have worked so hard to achieve? And would you be able to pass on something to your children and grandchildren.

**Myth No. 2: I'll take the term insurance I bought when I was younger and convert it to permanent insurance when I'm older.**

While term insurance may have been quite affordable when you were young, premiums increase as you age, and you may not be able to afford to renew or convert the coverage once the term expires. Permanent insurance, though more expensive than term when first purchased, allows you to lock in the premium rate for the rest of your life, while term rates continue to rise. So think ahead, and discuss with your Knights of Columbus Field Agent a program that you can afford and that protects you when you need it.

**Myth No. 3: Life insurance costs too much to buy when I am older.**

Purchasing insurance when you are older can be costly, but it still may be worthwhile to consider coverage. Say, for example that the annual premium for a \$100,000 permanent policy is \$4,000 per year when you are 65 years old. If you died when you turned 66, your spouse would receive \$100,000 in death benefits, tax-free. Had you not purchased the life insurance, your spouse would still have the \$4,000 but would not have the additional \$96,000 that could make a world of financial difference. In judging whether insurance costs too much, balance your need for coverage with the cost of premiums.

**Joe Jones, (703) 817-1002  
Your Knights of Columbus  
Field Agent**

## **Help Needed for KOVAR Weekends**



It is time once again for KOVAR! KOVAR is a Virginia Knights of Columbus Charity established in 1971 to provide financial assistance through grants and home loans to tax exempt organizations providing training and assistance to citizens with mental retardation.

The Fr. Nudd Council will be taking donations and handing out Tootsie Rolls on the weekends of April 3-4 and April 17-18. Please contact Peter Reyda at [parchantilly@aol.com](mailto:parchantilly@aol.com) or (703) 968-3282 if you can help out.

## **Polish Night on April 17!**

Father Nudd Council, in cooperation with Saints Andrew and Clare Council, will hold a fabulous Polish Night on Saturday, April 17, in Father Nudd Hall in the St. Timothy School. The traditional Polish dinner will include pirogi, galumki, kielbasa, and kapusta. Draft beer, setups, and dessert are also included.

The Joe Shelko Combo will provide plenty of traditional polkas and other dance favorites, and maybe even a line dance or two, for those less inclined for the excitement of the polka.

Come enjoy the music and dance and see some of the finest polka dancers this side of Baltimore, and probably even Pennsylvania. Once the music starts and the dancers hit the floor, you'll want to join in the fun. This is always a great time of fun, music, dancing, and good fellowship.

Make your reservation now. This dance is reservation only. Don't miss out by not calling today. Cost is \$55 per couple.

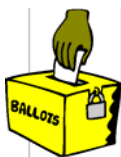
Doors open at 6:30 p.m., dinner is at 7:00 p.m., and dancing from 8:30-11:30 p.m. Call Tom Trudeau PGK, (703) 378-7373, or e-mail [trudeau7369@yahoo.com](mailto:trudeau7369@yahoo.com) for reservations. Reserve early to ensure your favorite spot, near the food or near the band.



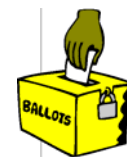
## Fr. Nudd Council Activities April – June 2004



Month	Date	Event	KOC Contact	Contact Tel.
<b>April 2004</b>	2	Lenten Meal No. 6	Tom Trudeau	378-7373
	3-4	KOVAR	Peter Reyda	968-3282
	7	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	14	Director's Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	17	Polish Night	Tom Trudeau	378-7373
	17-18	KOVAR	Peter Reyda	968-3282
	18	Coffee and Donuts	Chris Moniz	378-7145
	21	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
<b>May 2004</b>	5	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	12	Director's Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	15	Seniors Luncheon	Jim Frazer	802-6905
	16	Coffee and Donuts	Chris Moniz	378-7145
	19	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
<b>June 2004</b>	2	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	9	Director's Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	16	Council Meeting	C.J. Staton	814-8153
	27	25th Anniversary Celebration	Tom Trudeau	378-7145



### Grand Knight Appoints Nominations Committee for Officers for the Next Columbian Year



At the regular business meeting of March 3, the Grand Knight appointed the Nominations Committee to make recommendations for a slate of officers to be elected for the Next Columbian Year. Anyone interested in serving the council as an officer may submit their name or may nominate another Brother Knight. Nominees must be a Third Degree member in good standing in order to serve as an officer. Elected officer positions are listed below. (Other positions are appointed or have a prerequisite, such as being a Grand Knight or Past Grand Knight.)

**GRAND KNIGHT**  
**DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT**  
**CHANCELLOR**  
**WARDEN**  
**TREASURER**

**RECORDER**  
**ADVOCATE**  
**INSIDE GUARD**  
**OUTSIDE GUARD**

If you are interested in nominating someone, including yourself, submit the name(s) to one of the Trustees: Richard Zacosky (703-631-2023), Paul St. Laurent (703-322-9199), or Byron Beall (703-304-8299).

The Nominations Committee will make its report of proposed nominees at the regular business meeting of April 21. These names will be posted in the May issue of CouncilWorks. Elections will be held at the regular business meeting of May 19.

Although the Nominations Committee proposes the slate of officers for the next Columbian Year, any Third Degree Brother Knight in good standing can be nominated for elected office from the floor at the time of the elections.

## Knights of the Month

The Knight of the Month for March was **Brad Allen**. Brad has shown up to clean up for just about every event this year, and has done a great job at this often thankless task. This is especially true when some of our chefs get a little wild and crazy with the French Toast batter!

## Family of the Month

The Family of the Month for March was **Tom Trudeau Jr.**, his wife Jill, and their daughter. If you haven't noticed, we now have great new professional signs for our meals courtesy of this family, and Tom Jr. has been a great help at all our Parish Breakfasts. Plus, how can we not recognize anyone who can raise a child that can make Tom Sr. smile!

## Time to Celebrate!

This June Father Robert E. Nudd Council will celebrate 25 years of faithful service to our Church, Parish, Priests, Order, and Community. Supported by an array of Brother Knights and their families, the Council has flourished while maintaining its faithfulness to the ideals of the Order. Through its many service programs, the Council has supported, assisted, and promoted the ideals of our shared Catholic religion and of our Order.



A grand 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration is planned for Sunday evening, June 27. This will be our time to reflect on past and current successes and to look forward to our next 25 years.

The celebration will be held at the Good Samaritan Council Home on Holly Avenue in Sterling, Va. Cocktails and appetizers start at 5 p.m., with dinner at 6:00 p.m. Dinner will consist of the Chef's carving line with two choices of meat, vegetables and salad. Draft beer, wine, soft drinks and coffee are included. Cost for the evening is \$75 per couple. Please make your reservations early.

Reservations and payment can be sent to Tom Trudeau, 4102 Gumwood Court, Chantilly, Va. 20151. For questions please call Tom or Jeri at (703) 378-7373, or e-mail at [trudeau7369@yahoo.com](mailto:trudeau7369@yahoo.com).

## FR. NUDD COUNCIL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS 2003-2004 COLUMBIAN YEAR

### OFFICERS:

Chaplain	Fr. Gerald Weymes	378-7461
Grand Knight	C.J. Staton	814-8153
Deputy Grand Knight	Jim Frazer	802-6905
Chancellor	Chris Moniz	378-7145
Warden	A.J. Zadrozny	502-3061
Financial Secretary	Jim Copio	327-3290
Treasurer	Michael Lynch	
Recorder	Peter Reyda	968-3282
Advocate	Tom Trudeau <sup>PGK, FDD</sup>	378-7373
Lecturer	Tom Donegan	803-9045
Assistant Lecturer	Steve Sanders	263-1023
Inside Guard	Art Hebert	378-7825
Outside Guard	Robert Leydon	222-8252
Outside Guard	Vicente Valeza	803-6553
Trustee 1-Year	Richard Zaczofsky <sup>PGK</sup>	631-2023
Trustee 2-Year	Paul St. Laurent <sup>PGK</sup>	322-9199
Trustee 3-Year	Byron Beall <sup>PGK</sup>	304-8299

### DIRECTORS:

GENERAL PROGRAM	Jim Frazer	802-6905
COUNCIL	Joel Parfitt <sup>PGK</sup>	968-2484
Fraternal	Tom Trudeau <sup>PGK, FDD</sup>	378-7373
Fundraising	Tom Donegan	803-9045
Recycling	Byron Beall	304-8299
Budget	Kevin O'Malley	815-1404
CHURCH	Bill Gott	378-5059
Vocations	Chris Moniz	378-7145
Pro Life	Mark Schaad	968-7859
Ushers Program	Byron Beall	304-8299
Pamphlet Rack	Joe Jones Sr. <sup>PGK</sup>	817-1002
COMMUNITY	Charlie Gioglio	266-7944
KOVAR	Jacob Manning	815-5250
Senior Citizens	Al Saccomano	263-9767
Mass Transportation	Paul St. Laurent <sup>PGK</sup>	322-9199
Manor Care Bingo	Robert James	802-8081
Special Olympics	Bob Britton	471-5409
FAMILY	Tom Wiedemer	818-2761
Family Activities	VACANT	
Ladies Social Auxiliary	Joan Jones and Jeri Trudeau	266-3633 378-5604
YOUTH	Jim Ho	378-9143
Squires	Jim Ho	378-9143
Squire Roses	Linda Gott	378-5059
MEMBERSHIP	Chris Moniz	378-7145
Recruiting	Paul St. Laurent <sup>PGK</sup>	322-9199
Recruiting	Byron Beall	304-8299
Recruiting	Robert James	802-8081
Recruiting	Richard Zaczofsky <sup>PGK</sup>	631-2023
Retention	Joe Burke <sup>PGK</sup>	815-3498
Degree Team Captain	Charlie Gioglio	266-7944
Fraternal Benefits (Insurance)	Joe Jones Sr. <sup>PGK</sup> <a href="mailto:INSKC@cox.net">INSKC@cox.net</a>	817-1002
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Webmaster	A.J. Zadrozny <a href="mailto:webmaster@kofc-council7369.org">webmaster@kofc-council7369.org</a>	502-3061

### DISTRICT OFFICERS:

District Deputy	George Fontaine <sup>PGK</sup>	366-3822
District Warden	Carl Hebert <sup>PGK</sup>	378-4761
District Marshal	Tom Trudeau <sup>PGK</sup>	378-7373

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**RETURN SERVICES REQUESTED**



<i>April 2004</i>						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2 6:00 PM Lenten Meal	3 KOVAR WEEKEND
4 KOVAR WEEKEND	5	6	7 7:30 PM Council Meeting	8	9 6:00 PM Lenten Meal	10
11 † EASTER SUNDAY	12	13	14 7:30 PM Directors Meeting	15	16	17 Polish Night KOVAR WKND
18 KOVAR WEEKEND	19	20	21 7:30 PM Rosary and Council Meeting	22	23	24
25 Parish Breakfast	26	27	28	29	30	