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### My Brother Knights,

**Thanksgiving and Christmas are coming upon us real soon and the tradition in our council has always been to celebrate both of these holidays with a dinner for all our members and their family. Even thou we are not at 2616 Louisiana we will still have our dinner at council 3077 hall at 420 Telephone Rd. As usual both of these dinners will be free for all of members and their family. This year the council has decided to cook the Turkeys and Hams and bring them to the hall. There are still plenty of things to bring for the dinner like drinks, rolls, and deserts. If anyone wants to participate in the dinner please contact Al LeBlanc for more information.**

**The Christmas Dinner has not been put together yet. In fact that will one of the main items to be discussed at the officer's meeting on the 2nd of November 2006. Also at this meeting Christmas baskets for the needy will be discussed. I am asking all members of the council to let me know if there is any family in need of a basket for Christmas. Remember that Charity is the first and foremost principle of our order and where there is plenty, charity is a duty in our organization.**

**One other item I wanted to bring up to the council and their family. I know that everyone like to bring joy at the Christmas season to one another and their family's. There are many organizations out there and I mean those who want to take the real meaning out of Christmas. We all know that it is the time we celebrate the birth of Christ. There many stores out there that wants to take any word or meaning out of Christmas or anything to do with it. For example Holy, Mary, or Christ out of the true meaning of Christmas. For this reason, Council 803 has Purchased 200 magnet decal in the shape of the nativity set that says put Christ back in Christmas. This is one way we can promote the real meaning of Christmas. Buy one and put it on your vehicle.**

**Fraternally yours,**

**John J. Maahs, Grand Knight**

**Council Meetings are now being convened at Council 3077 Hall at 420 Telephone Rd.**

**From Downtown**

east on Polk Street  
right on Lockwood/Ernestine  
3077 Hall is one block on right

**From I-10 East**

south on Lockwood  
one block past Polk Street  
3077 Hall is on right

**From I-45 North**

left on Scott Street  
right on Polk Street  
right on Lockwood/Ernestine  
3077 Hall is one block on right

**From 59 North or South**

South on I-45  
left on Scott Street  
right on Polk Street  
right on Lockwood/Ernestine  
3077 Hall is one block on right


**From I-10 West**

south on I-45 past downtown  
left on Scott Street  
right on Polk Street  
right on Lockwood / Ernestine  
3077 Hall is one block on right

**From I-45 South**

right on Lockwood  
1 ½ block past -  
Leeland / Telephone light  
3077 Hall is to the left on the  
continuation of Telephone Rd.

# NOVEMBER 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
			<sup>1</sup> All Saints  Holy Day of Obligation	<sup>2</sup> All Souls  Council 803 Officers Meeting	<sup>3</sup>	<sup>4</sup> CDA meeting 9:30 a.m. @ Sacred Heart Co-Cathedral	
	<sup>5</sup>	<sup>6</sup>	<sup>7</sup> Msgr. George A. Wilhelm Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting @ St. Vincent de Paul	<sup>8</sup>	<sup>9</sup> Council 803 Meeting	<sup>10</sup>	<sup>11</sup> Veteran's Day
	<sup>12</sup>	<sup>13</sup>	<sup>14</sup>	<sup>15</sup>	<sup>16</sup>	<sup>17</sup> 7 pm—H.C.C.I. Board Meeting  Thanksgiving Dinner/ Family Night at KC 3077 hall	<sup>18</sup>
	<sup>19</sup>	<sup>20</sup>	<sup>21</sup>	<sup>22</sup>	<sup>23</sup> Council 803 Meeting CANCELED  Happy Thanksgiving	<sup>24</sup>	<sup>25</sup>
	<sup>26</sup>	<sup>27</sup>	<sup>28</sup>	<sup>29</sup>	<sup>30</sup>		

- November 2—Council 803 Officers meeting (All members in good standing welcome)
- November 4—Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court 234 meeting - 9:30 am at Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart .
- November 7—Msgr. George A. Wilhelm Fourth Degree Assembly meets @ St. Vincent de Paul Church at 7:30 p.m.
- November 9—Council 803 Regular Business meeting (@ Council 3077 hall)
- November 17—6:30 pm - Family Night—Turkey Dinner (@ Council 3077 hall)
- November 17—7 pm - Houston Columbus Club, Inc. Board Meeting (All members in good standing welcome)
- November 23—Happy Thanksgiving—NO Council 803 Regular Business meeting

## Thanksgiving Dinner/Family Night



We will have a Family Night on November 17th for our Thanksgiving get together at the 3077 Knights of Columbus hall (printed directions on the front page; map available on the website - [www.kc803.org](http://www.kc803.org) ). We are in need of side dishes and deserts, please call Al Leblanc at 713-649-7873 to to let him know if you would like to bring something.



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston



## LET US STAND UNITED FOR CHARITY

HELP OUR ARCHDIOCESE BUILD THE NEW HOUSTON CO-CATHEDRAL BY FUNDING THE BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

### OUR GOAL - \$500,000 by OCTOBER 2007

IMAGINE LEAVING A LEGACY FOR THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS IN GALVESTON-HOUSTON BY HAVING OUR NAME AND EMBLEM ON THE CHAPEL FOR THE BLESSED SACRAMENT IN PERPETUITY.

**MAKE YOUR PLEDGE OR DONATION TODAY!**

FOR DETAILS OR A PLEDGE CARD, CONTACT:

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**PLEASE HELP US ACHIEVE THIS LEGACY**

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

to our brother knights celebrating  
God's gift of life this month!

Frank Weido  
 PGK James F. Hilbert  
 Joseph A. Yurri  
 Thomas P. Warden  
 PGK Albert L. Le Blanc  
 Hillary Espree  
 PGK James L. Connor  
 Joel Lara  
 Robert J. Chargois  
 Sam T. Restivo  
 Ruben Ontiveros  
 PGK Leon L. Eguia  
 John P. Caudillo  
 Rudy Guillen

Salvador O. Aguilar  
 Juan A. Maldonado  
 Cornelius J. Kehoe  
 Leo G. Gonzales  
 Ruben "Duke" Santillan  
 Fred J. Campana  
 Benny Munguia  
 Paul L. Flynn  
 Joe M. Gonzales  
 Adrien L. Flores  
 Matthew L. Gramann  
 James G. Theisen  
 Lawrence Hernandez

### OREMUS

Let us pray for the sick in our council family.

Paul Aguilar, PGK Jerry Jones, Frank Babineck, PGK Roy Sylvie, Jessica LaBove (daughter of Greg LaBove), Gloria LaChapelle, Estelle Maloney, Max Armijo, Special Intention of the Sylvie Family, PGK Norman Arguello, John Alexander, Rev. Nicholas Antle, Anthony Lucia, PGK James Conner, Ruben Santillan, Margaret Sheltz, Richard E. McGinty, Carl E. "Stoney" Stonecipher (father of Carl A. Stonecipher), Edwin T. Moudry, Wiley Johnson, James Ardoin, Wilbert Thibodeaux, and all others sick or in distress.

*We ask God to give them strength in their suffering.*

### IN MEMORIAM

Please pray for the repose soul of Carl Bernard Raia.  
Let's keep the Raia family in our prayers.

see - <http://www.kc803.org/deaths/Raia.pdf>

..... HOUSTON .....

## SALUTES



## HEROES

### Veterans Day Parade

"First, Last and Always... We're Proud of You"

**10:00 a.m.**

Ceremony 901 Bagby  
Hermann Square at City Hall, Downtown Houston

**11:00 a.m.**

Moment of Silence  
In Memory of the Eleventh Hour, Eleventh Day, Eleventh Month  
- Signing of the WWI Armistice

**11:30 a.m.**

Flyover  
Parade  
Smith@Texas

[www.houstonspecialevents.org](http://www.houstonspecialevents.org)

**SATURDAY**  
NOVEMBER 11th  
**2006**

HOUSTON CHRONICLE  
Supporting our Community



Veterans Day Event To Be Held in Downtown Houston November 11, 2006

HOUSTON — The 8th Annual Houston Salutes American Heroes Veterans Day Commemoration and Parade will be held on Saturday, November 11, 2006 in downtown Houston. The Houston VA National Cemetery, in conjunction with the City of Houston, is proud to continue the tradition of honoring the brave men and women who have risked their lives for our great nation. This year's theme is "First, Last and Always... We're Proud of You."

A Commemoration Ceremony will take place from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Hermann Square in front of City Hall, downtown Houston, 901 Bagby Street. Alan Hemberger, television anchor for KHCW-TV Ch. 39, will serve as master of ceremonies.

At 11 a.m., there will be a moment of silence to commemorate the Eleventh Hour, Eleventh Day, Eleventh Month, the signing of the WWI Armistice. A Parade of Heroes with a flyover will follow at 11:30 a.m. and begin at Smith and Texas, proceed down Smith to Lamar, right on Lamar and conclude at Bagby Street. The Parade Grand Marshals will be Major General (Ret.) John H. Bailey, II, City of Houston Vice Mayor Pro-Tem Michael Berry, and City Councilman Adrian Garcia.