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CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE Fr. Paul Magyar



In the gospel of Mark 10:46-52 Jesus is walking out of the city of Jericho and by the gate there is a lineup of beggars. Two of the beggars are blind. One of the two blind beggars, Bartimeaus, cries out to Jesus by calling him by his full name, Jesus "Son of David." This is a unique detail, here we have Jesus' actual surname which would have been BarDavid, "Son of David," Bar means "son of" in Hebrew. Bartimeaus' name is son of Timeaus which is also translated as "honourable son." Christ is not Jesus' surname, it is his title as the messiah. In our modern way of writing names, Jesus' name would be, Christ Jesus BarDavid.

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE Eardley Adams



TEAZ Mission Statement: KEEPING COUNCILS AND CLERGY CONNECTED

Worthy Brother Knights - now entering our 20th month under the COVID-19 shroud.

To the Grand Knights, District Deputies, Faithful Navigators and leaders in the TEAZ community. Please share this with your Chaplain, Officers and your membership.

TEAZ Virtual Meeting Attendance. I will be the first to admit, the attendance at the last TEAZ meeting was low (less than half of the previous meeting). Whether this was due to the MS Teams rather than ZOOM, I don't know but I couldn't help but make the connection when the previous Zoom TEAZ meeting had a very good attendance. So, Brothers I plan to use Zoom at the next TEAZ meeting on Saturday March 5th, to help clear-up the question.

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Jesus' family lineage comes from the lineage of king David who unified the 12 tribes of Israel in the year 1000 BC. You can trace Jesus' family lineage by looking at the two genealogy accounts in the beginning of the gospel of Matthew and the third chapter in Luke. The scriptures in the bible that we have start to be written down around the year 1000 BC and it is completed by the year 120 AD. The bible consists 73 books and letters. The numerous authors of these books and letters are all inspired by the Holy Spirit. Only the books and letters that the church decided were inspired by the Holy Spirit have made it to the official canon of scripture that is today the bible.

The Bible is a library of the word of the Lord. The word is primarily a person and not a book. The Word is Christ. One can read the bible from cover to cover, like any collection of books. However my recommendation is to read the bible like an instruction manual. Place a bookmark at the start of the Old Testament and a bookmark at the start of the New Testament. Read 1 chapter from the Old Testament and 1 chapter from the New Testament. Try to remember it, receive some insight and then try to apply it in your life. The next day repeat the process. Consistency in reading the word of God is key.

Praying for all of you
Fr. Paul Magyar

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Fraternal Advisor Event (FAE) What it means to your Council. The FAE was a response to the lack of members who embraced the KofC Insurance Program. It came as much relief to Councils not to be held at gunpoint with the task of not only recruiting members to the Order but then to have them take out Insurance. But all that has now changed with the FAE, all Councils have to do is actively promote the FAE and attend it, but here is the rub, how many of us Brothers actually attend. You really don't want to know the answer because it is not good. Yes Brothers, you need to attend all FAE's. Let's face it, if you don't attend and you are a Knight, then why should anyone else who is not a Knight?

COVID Inactivity, Frustration and Action you can take. Brothers I am hearing some of you, the pain of inactivity, the frustration, dwindling support and brothers less than eager to help due to fear of getting Covid. The fact of the matter is that every Council is different, what works for one Council will not necessarily work for another, what is needed is Leadership and support of the Council. Brothers if you have those two things you have 90% or more to get, what feels like a Juggernaut, moving.

E Transfer Payment to TEAZ Now available. Councils and Assemblies may now pay their TEAZ Dues (Council Dues = \$50.00 / Assembly Dues = \$20.00.) using e Transfer. For additional information contact the Treasurer, Brother Philippe Yeung at: pmjyeung@gmail.com.

Vivat Jesus.
Eardley Adams, TEAZ Chairman

IMPORTANT AND USEFUL LINK FOR YOU:

Have you tried clicking on any of these links? It's provided for your benefit. Go to [www.kofc.org/Fraternal Leader Advisory](http://www.kofc.org/FraternalLeaderAdvisory) to open the entire encyclopedia of information of all kinds.

<https://cache.webcasts.com/content/citr003/1367879/content/583c787caaf6e83d930f542f586f8e88fedc6546/Best%20Practices%20for%20In-Person%20Exemplifications.pdf>

FAITH IN ACTION

FAITH MATTERS

Why do Catholics celebrate All Saints Day and All Souls Day?

The Christian celebration of All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day stems from a belief that there is a powerful spiritual bond between those in heaven (the "Church triumphant"), and the living (the "Church militant"). In Catholic theology, the day commemorates all those who have attained the beatific vision in Heaven.

When was this practice established?

First, let us be aware that most countries have a memorial day to remember those who had sacrificed their lives for their country. All Saints' and All Souls' Day is an opportunity for Christians to remember those they consider saints and martyrs who have died.

In the year 837, Pope Gregory IV (the pope is the head of the worldwide Catholic Church) established the Feast of All Saints as an annual commemoration on Nov. 1.

While All Saints' Day is a day that Catholics remember those who have already entered heaven, All Souls' Day, celebrated on Nov. 2. is a day to pray for all loved ones who have died. In particular, Catholics remember the souls of those who are caught in purgatory, undergoing a process of purification before entering heaven.

The Catholic Church teaches that "all who die in God's grace, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven."

How do we Celebrate these special days?

All Souls' Day is not a holy day of obligation, so Catholics aren't expected to attend church. However, if it falls on a Sunday, Catholics mark the day by attending a special Mass. Catholics also visit the graves of their loved ones, where they light candles, leave flowers and sprinkle holy water.

Although All Souls' Day is primarily a Catholic holy day, it is [also observed](#) by the Eastern Orthodox Church, the Anglican church and a few other Protestant denominations.

In Latin American countries and communities, All Souls' Day celebrations are often tied to Día de Muertos (also Día de los Muertos), or "the Day of the Dead," which falls on Nov. 1 and 2. Celebrations are elaborate and joyful, with observers participating in costume parades and visits to cemeteries. Some families [create altars inside their homes](#) to remember their departed relatives.

All Souls and Saints Days are civic holidays in the Philippines. Families gather at the cemeteries even days before, cleaning the plots, planting flowers, singing and having meals. In fact some people sleep in the cemetery or stay sleepless for about three days, from October 31 to November 2.

COMMUNITY MATTERS

COATS FOR KIDS (FEATURED)

A Higher Purpose. Councils across North America can purchase new winter coats at a discount to be distributed to the children in need in their local communities. A featured program, Coats for Kids counts for two credits toward the Columbian Award.

Overview. Provide warmth for children in need during cold winter months. The goal of the Coats for Kids program is to ensure that no child in North America goes without a

coat during the winter season. Through the dedication of councils across the United States and Canada, hundreds of thousands of new winter coats have been distributed to children since program inception.

LIFE MATTERS

UPDATE - CAMPAIGNLIFECOALITION PETITION

“As of Oct 13, Over 5,300 Canadians have signed their names in defence of our nation’s Crisis Pregnancy Centres and all the babies they work to save. Hundreds of folks have additionally selected the “postcard option”, whereby we mail a physical postcard to MPs on their behalf in order to provide an added impact.

Campaign Chairman David Cooke would love to see ten times more signatures and postcards! This is an absolutely vital petition, and I wonder if you would be willing to share it with your family and friends, along with your church community and your local right to life association?

Why is this important?

“In their 2021 Election Platform, the Trudeau Liberals issued a blanket condemnation of all pro-life groups across Canada. They falsely claimed: “anti-choice organizations are actively working to spread misinformation about abortion, putting the health and safety of young people and vulnerable women at risk.

“Without any facts to back up their libel, the Liberals then made this promise: “A re-elected Liberal government will... no longer provide charity status to anti-abortion organizations (for example, Crisis Pregnancy Centres) that provide dishonest counseling to women about their rights and about the options available to them at all stages of the pregnancy.”

“It appears that the Liberals are following the recommendations of a biased 2016 report from the Abortion Rights Coalition of Canada. In this report, a group of rabid pro-abort activists discuss the web sites of 166 Crisis Pregnancy Centres across Canada, picking apart everything they disagree with. They claim that CPCs are “dangerous” and “misleading” and should have their charitable status revoked. According to the Abortion Rights Coalition of Canada, any organization that does not promote or facilitate abortion is anti-woman and anti-choice.

“Not only would Crisis Pregnancy Centres be in jeopardy if Mr. Trudeau gets his way, but all pro-life organizations – and possibly all churches and ministries with a pro-life position – could lose their tax-exempt status and face the prospect of financial hardship or closure.

“Please share our petition today with those in your circle of influence. We need to get as many signatures as possible to raise the strongest possible defence for our nation’s Crisis Pregnancy Centres. This petition will be forwarded to Members of Parliament during their upcoming session.” - David Cooke

P.S. Please sign and share this important petition: <https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/petition/save-canadas-crisis-pregnancy-centres>

FAMILY MATTERS

What is a FAMILY PRAYER NIGHT

A Higher Purpose. Strengthen the bonds within our parishes and build faith-filled families. This is an opportunity for council members, their families, and the whole parish community to come together once a month for an evening of prayer, dinner, and fellowship.

Overview. Catholics often struggle with the reality that they do not have the opportunity to socialize and/or pray with other faith-filled Catholic families. It can be quite a challenge to raise our children in the faith when their only exposure comes from Mom and Dad. Put plainly, the majority of our time can easily be spent in secular circles unless we intentionally create ways to live out the domestic church.

Family Prayer Night is an opportunity for children to be exposed to regular people living their faith in a casual setting. Families of council members, as well as other Catholic families within the parish and community, will gather for prayer, dinner and fellowship. Multiple groups can be formed and families are encouraged to rotate between these groups.

- THE VATICAN

UPDATES ON THE RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL RECONCILIATION PROGRAM

Background

From the 19th century until the 1970s, more than 150,000 Indigenous children were forced to attend state-funded Christian boarding schools in a campaign to assimilate them into Canadian society. Thousands of children died there of disease and other causes; others never returned to their families.

Nearly three-quarters of the 130 residential schools were run by Roman Catholic missionary congregations. Others were run by the Presbyterian, Anglican and the United Church of Canada, which today is the largest Protestant denomination in the country.

Earlier this year, investigators in Canada have reported finding hundreds of unmarked graves at the sites of two residential schools for Indigenous children. More than 800 graves in two schools were found, reviving calls for the church to make a formal apology.

The Response

The Canadian government formally apologized for the policy and abuses in 2008. In addition, the Presbyterian, Anglican and United churches have apologized for their roles in the abuse.

On Oct. 27, 2021 Wednesday, Toronto Cardinal Thomas Collins said that his country's bishops had apologized earlier this year as they "sorrowfully acknowledged the historical and ongoing trauma and the legacy of suffering and challenges faced by Indigenous peoples that continue to this day."

Pope Francis had already agreed to meet in December with Indigenous survivors of Canada's notorious residential schools amid calls for a papal apology for the Catholic Church's role. The pontiff had invited the delegations to the Vatican and would meet separately with three groups — First Nations, Metis and Inuit — during their Dec. 17-20 visit. The pope will then preside over a final audience with all three groups Dec. 20.

In addition, Pope Francis has agreed to visit Canada to help ongoing efforts at reconciliation with Indigenous peoples following shocking revelations of the Catholic church's role in the abuse and deaths of thousands of native children. The pilgrimage could be the occasion for a papal apology that has been demanded by many in Canada.

The newly elected head of the Canadian bishops' conference, Bishop Raymond Poisson, expressed hope that the pope's visit to Canada "will be a significant milestone in the journey toward reconciliation and healing."

Excerpts source: Frances D'emilio, The Associated Press, Wed., Oct. 27, 2021

*Happy, Holy Halloween, everyone !!!
BOOOOO!!!*



COUNCIL and ASSEMBLY MATTERS

Basketball Free Throw Postponed for the 2022 season

"Hello my Brothers, I hope you and your families are doing well and are staying safe. Unfortunately due to the on going cases of Covid 19 and it's variant strain within Ontario and the current difficulties in acquiring school permits from various school boards across the province; Ontario State has decide to postpone the Basketball Free Throw for another fraternal year. They realize the difficulties that organizers at all three levels of competition would

face trying to bring everything together to run a free throw competition with so many uncertainties, new polices and shorten timelines."

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COME, PRAY WITH US ...

IN MEMORIAM

We remember those who have died and have gone before us, marked with the sign of faith, especially our family and council/assembly members for whom we now pray.

May they find in God's presence light, peace and happiness.

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...for our sick council/assembly and family members

For the complete healing and recovery of our brothers or family members who are sick, may they feel God's presence and peace.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

MESSAGE FROM OUR FIELD AGENTS

How would you like to have a career where you plan your own time, deciding where to go and when. You could make time to attend an important personal event like your child's first baseball game. You would be in complete control of your schedule.

How would you like to have a career where you can set goals, accomplish them and control your earning potential.

It does sound too good to be true, doesn't it? Yet, for the select few who choose a career as a field agent, it is true. It is almost like owning your own business and working with your friends on a daily basis.

We can help you determine if a career with the Knights of Columbus as a full-time insurance representative is right for you. Our selection system will take you through each step and help you make an informed decision about this career opportunity.

When your career is a labor of love, you look forward to going to "work." Is this the right opportunity for you?

Call me to discuss the very fulfilling role of a Knights of Columbus field agent.

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Canada's Menu

Training schedule

Invitation for Officers & members across Canada

Alain Cayer, TGD
Francis McKen, RTD
Pierre Pelchat, RTD
Paul Perry, RGD
Denis Belanger, RTD
Wayne Fink, RTD
Ryan DeHaan, RGD
Shawn Veters, RTD
Team/Équipe Canada, TGD, RGD, TGD
Special session from Supreme

November / Novembre

Eastern Time * (EST / EDT)

Heure de l'Est * (HNE / HAE)

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2021

Menu du Canada

Horaire des formations

Invitation pour les Officiers et membres du Canada

In case of difficulties :

Communicate with your trainer by email

En cas de difficultés :

Communiquez avec le formateur par courriel

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<https://www.facebook.com/KofC.Cdc>

Day	Date	Subject	Trainer	Time 1	Time 2	Web link
MON	1	Into the Breach - Masculinity	Denis	19:30	EDT	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/256021701044417808
TUE	2	Navigating Officers Online and KofC.ORG (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EDT	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5034296153707199248
TUE	9	Supreme Town Hall Meeting *** ALL INVITED ***	Team	20:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6347482145295474191
WED	10	Adapting our Recruitment to Today's Realities - Part 1 (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8403476530238976784
WED	10	Balloting and Retention (NEW)	Shawn	22:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1101821202323516479
THU	11	Adapting our Recruitment to Today's Realities - Part 2 (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/9828762574007984912
FRI	12	Navigating Officers Online and KofC.ORG (NEW)	Shawn	22:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/576560725525603085
MON	15	Understanding Safe Environment & Council Engagement (NEW)	Shawn	13:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/389047387933256461
MON	15	Understanding Safe Environment & Council Engagement (NEW)	Shawn	22:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5012591466176341261
TUE	16	Navigating Officers Online and KofC.ORG (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8314576675341384464
WED	17	Adapting our Recruitment to Today's Realities - Part 1 (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/560406251318640016
THU	18	Adapting our Recruitment to Today's Realities - Part 2 (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8707201502039978758
MON	22	Understanding Safe Environment & Council Engagement (NEW)	Denis	19:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7735769506877501312
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TUE	23	Understanding Safe Environment & Council Engagement (NEW)	Wayne	19:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/567125217684190736
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MON	29	Understanding Safe Environment & Council Engagement (NEW)	Denis	19:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/845282918466788674
MON	29	Balloting and Retention (NEW)	Shawn	22:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1338758079916232717
TUE	30	Navigating Officers Online and KofC.ORG (NEW)	Shawn	13:00	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/9089964311527799821
TUE	30	Navigating Officers Online and KofC.ORG (NEW)	Shawn	22:30	EST	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/416177664258732301

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Recording of : November 14, 2020 - SUCCESS STORIES

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/2570635506973577484>

Recording of : January 7, 2021 - FRATERNAL BENEFIT NIGHT

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/1702772288570958607>

Recording of : February 27, 2021 - SUCCESS STORIES, VOL. 2

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/311961548912916237>

Recording of : June 26, 2021 - SUCCESS STORIES, VOL. 3

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/3620690053776675597>

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LUN	1	Armatus, pour qui - pourquoi & Mobilisation des membres	Pierre	19:00	HAE	https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/840939101
MER	10	Naviguer sur le Site Internet POUR LES MEMBRES et sur Officiers en ligne	Francis	13:30	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8612317768836809483
JEU	11	Naviguer sur le Site Internet POUR LES MEMBRES et sur Officiers en ligne	Francis	19:30	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1985069706533260555
MAR	16	Adapter notre Recrutement aux Réalités d'aujourd'hui - Partie 1 (NOUVEAU)	Francis	19:00	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7456593609090828555
MER	17	Assemblée publique « Town Hall » du Suprême *** TOUS INVITÉS ***	Équipe	19:00	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/628655710648083339
JEU	18	Adapter notre Recrutement aux Réalités d'aujourd'hui - Partie 2 (NOUVEAU)	Francis	19:30	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3118127492327361803
LUN	22	Armatus, pour qui - pourquoi & Mobilisation des membres	Pierre	19:00	HNE	https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/622067517
MER	24	Comité d'admission et Ballottage	Francis	13:30	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4002874754130181643
JEU	25	Naviguer sur le Site Internet POUR LES MEMBRES et sur Officiers en ligne	Francis	19:30	HNE	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5848136740514953739

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Enregistrement du : 6 mars 2021 - HISTOIRES À SUCCÈS, VOL. 2

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