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Knights of Columbus

Chisholm Trail Council 9368, Round Rock, TX

St. William Catholic Church

September 2017 Monthly Newsletter

Brothers,

Please keep in prayer all those involved in the historic Texas flooding. If you would like to help financially, the Texas State Council Charities is accepting donations at https://www.tkofc.org/fundraising/donate/project/disaster-relief-fund. If you want to physically help, you can email Catholic Charities at Claire-Bordelon@ccctx.org. Volunteer roles will range from administrative to direct work with families impacted by the flood.

In Council news, the 2017-2018 fraternal year is off to a great start. The Casino Night fundraiser exceeded our projections and will help fuel our program support and charitable giving this year.

That support and charity has already begun. Last month, the council contributed \$2500 to a diocesan-wide effort to purchase a new sonogram machine for the St. John Paul II Life Center. Did you know the Knights have purchased every one of their sonograms, which have been instrumental in saving over 600 lives. We also voted to become a sponsor of the St. William Harvest Moon Gala.

It has come to my attention that our bylaws are in need of an update. In order to ensure consistency across the Order, the Supreme Council has implemented an online bylaws template for local councils to use. Local councils are free to set certain policies with accepted parameters, such as dues level, quorum number and initiation fee. A council must use the online template in order to amend its bylaws. At the September meeting, we will read a resolution to amend the bylaws, and vote in October. The proposed bylaws draft will be posted on the council website in September, www.kofc9368.org.

I hope to see you at our meeting on September 6 at 7:30 in the Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion at St. William. Come early for the rosary at 7:00.

Vivat Jesus! Viva Cristo Rey!

Michael Barnett

Grand Knight

Chisholm Trail Council, No. 9368

Please remember to send your prayer request to: prayerline@kofc9368.org

Pray for our brothers and family members who have gone home to be with our Lord.

Calendar

September 6

KC 9368 Council Business Meeting Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion

7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Contact: Michael Barnett – 512-560-4751

September 13

First Degree Exemplification Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion

7:30 pm-9:00 pm

Contact: Greg Castro – 512-217-4717

September 20

KC 9368 Officers Meeting

Exfluor, 2350 Double Creek Drive

7:30 pm-9:00 pm

Contact: Michael Barnett – 512-560-4751

October 4

KC 9368 Council Business Meeting Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion

7:00 pm-9:00 pm

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October 11

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October 18

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November 1

KC 9368 Council Business Meeting Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion

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November 8

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7:30 pm-9:00 pm

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November 15

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7:30 pm-9:00 pm

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November 22

Annie's Way – Turkey Prep

Fr. Michael J. McGivney Pavilion Kitchen

7:00 am-10:00 pm

Contact: Michael Barnett – 512-560-4751

Scheduled EIM Classes

Registration in advance is required. To register, click <u>here</u>. Or you can simply Google "Austin EIM."

Holy Family Catholic School, Austin

9/6/2017 8/18/2017

9:00am - 11:00pm

St. William Parish, Round Rock

9/7/2017

7:00pm - 9:00pm

St. William Parish, Round Rock

9/9/2017

9:00am - 11:00am

St. Thomas More Parish, Austin

9/12/2017

7:00pm - 9:00pm

St. John Neumann Parish, Austin

9/13/2017

7:00pm - 9:00pm

Catholic Charities of Central Texas, Austin

9/14/2017

2:00pm - 4:00pm

Annunciation Maternity Home, Georgetown

9/15/2017

9:00am – 11:00am

St. Mary Cathedral, Austin

9/16/2017

9:00am - 11:00am

St. Thomas More Parish, Austin

9/18/2017

7:00pm - 9:00pm

St. Helen Parish, Georgetown

9/21/2017

7:00pm - 9:00pm

St. Albert the Great Parish. Austin

9/30/2017

10:00am - 12:00pm

Officers

Michael Barnett, Grand Knight
Rev. Dean Wilhelm, Chaplain
Joe Gonzales, Deputy Grand Knight
Louis Gonzales, Chancellor
Mike Goertz, Financial Secretary
Stephen George, Treasurer
Kevin Furey, Recorder
Frank Alvarez, Jr., Advocate
Gabriel Lujan, Warden
Rick Mara, Inside Guard
Eli Santiago, Outside Guard
Tom Bernhard. Trustee 1
Ken Madsen, Trustee 2
Gerald Boyer, Trustee 3

Directors

Marvin Felux, Church Director
Victor Mendoza, Community Director
Open, Council Director
Rob Prybyla, Culture of Life Director
Allen Hebert, Family Director
Open, Youth Director
Greg Castro, Membership Director
Kevin Furey, Retention Director