



# St. Cecilia Assembly

## St. Cecilia Catholic Church

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Assembly 3113

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### From the Faithful Navigator Walt Jones, FDD, PGK

#### Greetings:

November is a month of reflection for our departed friends and family as well as a month for thanks for God's blessings upon us. Please make some time to honor those that have gone before us.

- **Raffle Progress:** Just 3 weeks are left in our Raffle. To date we have met payment for our printing and mailing fees and we have the prizes paid for. There is not much, if any profit, beyond that. We still have a ways to go and we still need your help your help. Please take a moment today and send in your ticket stubs and check. The premise behind lowering our dues this year to \$25 was with the mindset that we could make money during a raffle. I hope those of you that have not yet helped with the raffle will do so soon.

#### **Drawing – 22 Nov.**

- **By-Laws Vote:** The By-laws were approved at the October meeting. Faithful Pilot Eliot Deters voluntarily offered to print hard copies for each of the members of the Assembly. Those will be handed out (as much as possible) at meetings and Masses beginning this coming month.
- **Steak Fry:** Our Steak Fry is on Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> (Feast Day of St. Cecilia) at church. Start time is 2:00 p.m. following the Corporate Communion Mass (Council Anniversary) and our Honor Guard participation. Cost is \$12 per person. Wives/Guests and potential members and wives for our Assembly are invited. **RSVP to me NLT 15 November.**

- **Corporate Communion:** Our Council's 7<sup>th</sup> Charter Anniversary aligns with our Patron St. Cecilia Feast Day on Nov 22. In celebration of this event and in memory of our departed Brothers we will have an Honor Guard at the 11 a.m. Mass. All SKs are invited to wear their tuxes and sit with their wives as well as Council family in the front pews at church. Please contact me or Color Guard Commander and Faithful Comptroller LeRoy Horvath if you can participate in the Honor Guard.
- **Priesthood Sunday Weekend Masses:** Our weekend Honor Guard presence in honor of Fr. Joe and all priests went very well. Many thanks to SKs Gary Gorrell, Spencer Chapman, Roger Dettenmeier, Eliot Deters, Mike Mrvos, LeRoy Horvath, Rick Tutka, George Gonzalez, Brian Heal, Gary Sutter, and Dennis Liliensiek for your visible support. I offer special gratitude to SK LeRoy, our Color Guard Commander. In coordinating this effort I did not ask for or expect LeRoy to be present at all the Masses. However, LeRoy took this upon himself to fulfill his duty as Color Guard Commander in an exemplary way. LeRoy made us look good.
- **March to the Glen Carbon Veterans Memorial:** Our next Honor/Color Guard obligation is the Glen Carbon March to the Veteran's Memorial in Old Town Glen Carbon on Sunday, November 8th. We will gather at 12:10 pm or earlier for the 12:30 parade. Please let me know if you can participate. Those with Regalia should wear it and those with just tuxes are encouraged to wear their 4th Degree attire. *Let's show our total support for active and former members of our Armed Services!!*
- **First Friday Adoration:** Have you signed up yet for First Friday Adoration? If not, try and make a special effort to do so. This is a wonderful time to quietly and without distractions reflect on all the

things God has given us. It is a time we can bring our concerns to Him.

### November Happy Birthdays

Thomas J Kowalski 11-01  
Thomas J Hoppenrath 11-02  
Jonathan H Hicks 11-05  
Michael G Mrvos 11-07  
John C Smith III 11-18

### November Happy Anniversaries

Richard & Debbie Tutka 11-05 (26<sup>th</sup>)  
George & Mary Ann Gonzalez 11-22 (40<sup>th</sup>)  
Donald & Janet Hilmes 11-23 (41<sup>st</sup>)  
Fr. Joseph Kerber (Ordination) 11-26 (21<sup>st</sup>)  
Brian and Neyln Heal 11-27 (15<sup>th</sup>)

### Upcoming 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplifications

- Rockford, Holiday Inn, Rockford – November 21, 2009
- Effingham – (tentative) August 21, 2010

### **The Good of the Order**

*Knights & family members Sick or in Distress*  
SK George Gonzalez's wife Mary Ann  
Br. Ed Twesten's wife Elaine  
SK Joe Michelletto  
Br. Tim Lupton's daughter Nicki  
SK Stan Welch, PFN (Assembly 0225)

### June 2009 Color Guard Report

**SK LeRoy Horvath, Color Guard Commander**

Known upcoming Color/Honor Guard activities include:

1. **Nov 8** - March to Veterans Monument
2. **Nov 11** - Edwardsville Parade (SKs w/regalia)
3. **Nov 22** - Corporate Communion/Feast Day of St. Cecilia (SKs with and w/o Regalia)

### 2009/2010 St. Cecilia Assembly 3113

#### Officers

**Faithful Navigator** – SK Walter R. Jones, PGK, FDD  
**Faithful Friar** – Rev. SK Joseph P. Kerber  
**Faithful Captain** – SK Brian K. Heal  
**Faithful Admiral** – SK Gary R. Gorrell, PFN  
**Faithful Pilot** – SK Eliot Deters, DGK  
**Faithful Comptroller** – SK LeRoy L. Horvath, GK  
**Faithful Purser** – SK Gordon C. Wright  
**Faithful Scribe** – SK Thomas J. Kowalski  
**Faithful Inner Sentinel** – SK Frank A. Dunn  
**Faithful Outer Sentinel** – SK David S. Rinaldi  
**Faithful 1 Year Trustee** – SK Joseph E. Snyder  
**Faithful 2 Year Trustee** – SK Spencer R. Chapman  
**Faithful 3 Year Trustee** – SK Steven W. Moore, PFN

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO OUR FAITHFUL  
FRIAR

*FATHER JOE KERBER*

21<sup>ST</sup> YEAR SINCE  
ORDINATION  
NOVEMBER 26

**STEAK FRY – 2 PM – SUNDAY,  
NOV 22, 2009  
WIVES INVITED  
\$12 per person  
RSVP NLT NOV 15**

### Upcoming Events

#### November

Nov 1 – All Saints Holy Day  
**Nov 5 - Assembly Meets 7 p.m., Social 6 p.m.**  
Nov 6 - First Friday Adoration  
**Nov 8 – March to Veterans Monument – Glen Carbon, 12:30 p.m.**  
Nov 11 – Council Meeting, 7:30 p.m.  
**Nov 11 – Veterans Day Parade – Edwardsville**  
Nov 22 – Christ the King Holy Day  
**Nov 22 – Feast Day of St. Cecilia & Council 13216's 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary ALSO:**  
- **Corporate Communion/Honor Guard 11 a.m.**  
- **Assembly Steak Fry – 2 pm**  
- **Assembly Raffle Drawing – 4 p.m.**  
Nov 29 – First Sunday of Advent Holy Day

#### December

Dec 2 – Light Up For Christ – 8 p.m.  
**Dec 3 - Assembly Meets 7 p.m., Social 6 p.m.**  
Dec 4 - First Friday Adoration  
Dec 8 – Immaculate Conception Holy Day  
Dec 25 – Christmas Day

#### January

Jan 1 – New Years Day  
Jan 7 - **Assembly Meets 7 p.m., Social 6 p.m**