

popular with the parish as a whole. Each of us is asked to remember him in our prayers. He appreciates cards and letters and if any Knight would like to contact him, he is at Genesis Eldercare, 550 Glenwood Drive, Mooresville 28115. He also appreciates visitors.

NEW COUNCIL OFFICERS WILL BE ELECTED IN MAY. Nominated so far are: Grand Knight - Stewart McLamb; Deputy Grand Knight - Chris Baker; Chancellor - Ron Cortopassi; Recorder - Don Mayer; Treasurer - Phil Bischoff; Advocate - Miko Red Arrow; Warden - Jay Pick-erel; Inside Guard - Larry Paffrath; Outside Guard - Hank Brzoska; Trustees, First Year - Ted Bennell; Second Year - Clayton Brown; Third Year - Gary Tadwick.

A SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD WAS AWARDED to Larry Paffrath who took two more steps to full Knighthood by completing his second and third initiations last month.

APRIL'S KNIGHT OF THE MONTH award went to Paul Britton and Don Mayer and his wife, Barbara, were recognized as April's **FAMILY OF THE MONTH**.

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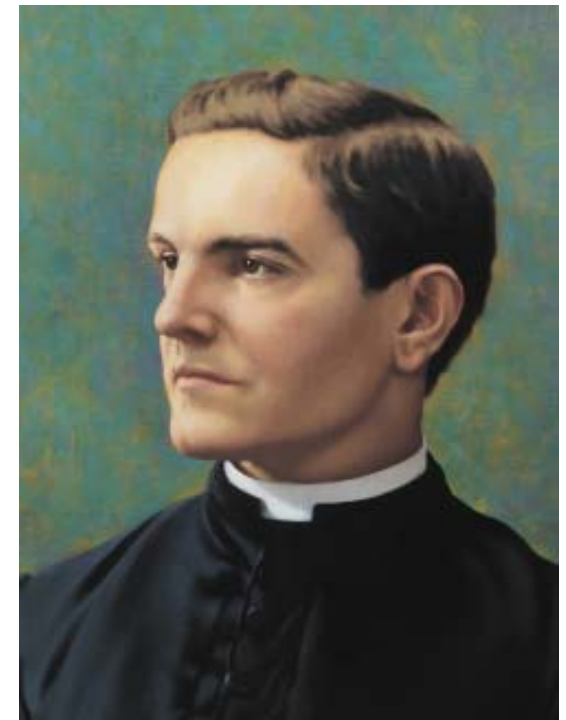
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Brothers:

At our last business meeting, I discussed Room at the Inn and the services it provides young women in crisis, meaning especially those who are pregnant and single. I believe that this effort is worthwhile and I have personally contributed to Room at the Inn. In addition, the Council is committed to financially helping support Room at the Inn. I would also like to encourage you to prayerfully consider making a donation. As Knights we stand for life, and as our new administration has only appointed individuals who are pro-abortion, we need to send a more positive message to women in crisis; that "there is hope". This facility, to be located on the grounds of Belmont College, will be one way we can save lives. Below is a form that allows you to make a donation; and remember it is tax deductible. Use this form for your donation so that our council gets credit.

Brother in Christ,

Gary Tadvick

GOLF CONTINUED TO BE BIG NEWS FOR THE COUNCIL as Golf Chairman Vince Greco announced that our second annual Golf Classic was a great success. Brother Vince announced that the Council netted \$3,040 from the April 15th event held at the Birkdale Golf Course. According to Vince, 64 golfers played in the classic and 32 local merchants contributed merchandise that was raffled off at the end of play. In addition, we received 16 cash donations ranging from \$25 to \$500 that totaled \$2,385.

Total value of the merchandise received was over \$2,500. One parishioner, Ralph Brownwell, contributed 30 dozen golf balls that were given to the players.

The Keffer Auto Group contributed a BMW convertible sports car as the hole-in-one prize on the 16th hole. Reports are that one golfer missed the cup by less than a foot.

The winning foursome was made up of Lee Ann Miller, Jay Miller, Steve Bodenheimer and Kelly Barringer. Second place went Sir Dave Koenders team, who also placed second last year. Third place went the foursome headed by Chairman Greco's daughter, Janice.

A SIDE BENEFIT OF THE KEFFER AUTO GROUP'S PARTICIPATION is an offer by President Jim Keffer that he is offering any Knight of Columbus a discount on a car bought from his dealerships. All the Knight has to do is call Jim personally on his cell phone ((704) 201-5912), identify himself as a Knight and Jim will then talk with the dealer manager concerning the KofC discount. This goes for both used and new vehicles. Further details, call Mark Daly at (704) 987-4316, or e-mail him at restondaly@yahoo.com.

FIRST DEGREE IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 11 as part of the social meeting. Any form 100s that have to be submitted should be sent to Sir Matt Reilly ASAP. Contact Matt at skma39@windstream.net

IN FINANCIAL NEWS, Treasurer Phil Bischoff reported during the April business meeting that the Council has a balance of \$11,106 in its checking

account. Included in the amount is \$3,013 that is set aside as a medical fund to help St. Therese parishioners with current medical bills. Sir Matt Reilly gave an update on the Council's current investment program. Through some very careful, conservative investing, our program, which is designed to finance a future home for the Council, has had a return of 6.5% since the first of the year.

THE PARISH EARTH DAY WAS CONSIDERED A SUCCESS and our Council had a hand in making it so. Brothers Paul Britton and Don Mayer were the chefs for the day, cooking and serving 175 hotdogs to the Earth Day participants.

COOKING WILL BE ONE COUNCIL RESPONSIBILITY AT THE UPCOMING RELAY FOR LIFE that is scheduled for May 29 at Mooresville High School. Through direct contributions and sponsorship of four-person teams, money is collected to help support cancer research.

Sir Stewart McLamb, our Deputy Grand Knight, is leading the effort to make this year's Relay another successful one and is asking for volunteers to help with various needs for the overnight Relay. Preparations for the Relay start at 9 on Friday morning. Volunteers are asked to donate whatever time they can from that hour through the night until Saturday noon as teams walk the high school athletic track. If you'd like to help, contact Stewart at stewartm@farnsworthlogistics.com. He needs three to five people with pick-up trucks. He'll be glad to hear from you, with or without a truck.

SAD NEWS FROM FATHER JOE, OUR CHAPLAIN. He reports that although Fr. Bill Lynch is recovering from his fall, it looks like his sustained injury will probably mean the end of his ministry as a priest here at St. Therese. Fr. Bill has been a supporter of our Council and is