



*Compass Points—E edition
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Serving our Church and Community Since 1957



Welcome Father Christian Amogu.

Fr. Christian is the associate pastor at Corpus Christi parish and has agreed to serve as Spiritual Advisor to all the Knights and their families of Holy Family Council

4386. We are thankful for his generous response, and pray that the time he will spend here among us will be rewarding for himself and a blessing to all of us here at the council. Please make him feel welcome.

District Deputy's Report

Worthy brother Knights of Holy Family Council I bring you greetings from your Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson and your State Deputy David Peters.



It was a pleasure installing your Council Officers on July. 16. I am

looking forward to working with your Council this fraternal year 2019-2020. I have set a tentative date for the DD meeting for Saturday Oct. 19 at 7:30pm. Jesmond Tabone the MIO, Membership Information Officer for Windsor will be present at this meeting. At this meeting the Grand Knight and Financial Secretary should be present. You may send someone in your place if you are not able to attend. I will be relaying the information that I received from Ontario State at the DD Organizational meeting held on the weekend of July. 5-7 in Toronto.

There has been a realignment of the District's in Ontario to correspond with Family of Parishes. Jesmond Tabone has worked with the State Deputy David Peters to complete the realignment.

I will mention the changes in District 10. We have Holy Family Council 4386, St. Peter's Council 13335, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Council 13405 and Archbishop Denis O'Connor Council 14969. There was St. Charbel Council 17266 and St. Alphonsus Council 17305 that were newly formed at the end of the past fraternal year. Lionel Belanger Council 11090 is no longer in District 10 and has been moved to District 76.

I would also like to mention the Re-Opening of Our Lady of Assumption Church on Sept. 8th after a new copper roof was installed during the summer months by Papatello and Sons LTD. Asbestos was also removed from the crawl space and a new heating system will be installed.

If you are looking to support the Church as it is the oldest Parish West of Montreal, please purchase a copper shingle for \$250. Right now there have been 600 people who sponsored shingles, raising \$150,000. I have included a link to the Copper Shingle Campaign. <https://assumptionparish.ca/roof>

Archbishop Denis O'Connor Council will be having an upcoming Chili Cook Off on Saturday Oct. 26 at 6:15pm at Holy Name of Mary Church. Cost is \$10 each and a portion of the proceeds will support Dominic Thechuk from Net Ministry.

I look forward to visiting your Council in October.

Vivat Jesus, Sammy Sleiman DD 10



Installation of Officers July 16th, 2019

Grand Knight's Report

Dear Brother Knights;

Where oh where did our good summer go? I hope everyone had a relaxing and enjoyable summer. Now It's time to hit the ground running and get back into action for our new fraternal year.

I look forward to working with all of you and the executive by continuing the good works of charity we provide in our community.

I am very pleased to announce that Fr. Christian Amogo has agreed to take on the position of Chaplain for our council.

Our program director Deputy Grand Knight Justin Artale has a complete list of program directors. I thank all of those brother knights for taking on these important positions. They are vital to the success of our council. The complete list is located on page 2. If you are contacted for assistance in a specific program please consider it seriously and offer your talents for the good of our Order and community.

I want to express appreciation to PGK Gary Norman and all the volunteers who worked on this year's Tootsie Roll Campaign. As you know the \$ numbers are not like they were in years gone by, but the effort and enthusiasm was there just the same.

Let us continue to work together in order to keep our Council growing and strong in Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism

Vivat Jesus
 Larry Lamont GK

**Knights of Columbus
Holy Family Council 4386
Service Program Directors 2019/2020**

Director - DGK Justin Artale
Faith Director - Brother Jeff Rivard
Community director - Brother Gary Norman PGK
Family Director - Brother Mark Lambert
Life Director - Brother Shawn Jones
Membership Director - Brother Larry Breault PGK
Recruitment - Brother Gary Norman PGK
Brother - Shawn Jones
Brother - Mark Lambert
Retention - Brother Justin Artale DKG
Insurance - Brother Eric Sylvester
Vocations - Brother Shawn Searcy PGK
Health Services - Brother Denis Lortie PGK
Public Relations - Brother Larry Breault PGK



Bishop's Dinner

The Bishop and the Diocese of London will celebrate the 16th Annual Bishop's Dinner on October 24, 2019 at the Cio-ciario Club. This dinner benefits St. Peter's Seminary and the Windsor St. Vincent de Paul Society, tending to the poor and needy. This year's Honorary Co-Chairs are Bill and Andrea Altenhof. Please join the Bishop to celebrate and thank him for his 16 years of service to the flock of the Diocese.

For tickets, please contact Frances Barnard at the Welcome Back! Seminary Foundation at 1-888-548-9649.

Annulment Awareness

If you are divorced, separated, or civilly remarried, consider applying for a declaration of nullity (an "annulment"). The Roman Catholic Diocese of London would like to help you. If you are interested in a Declaration of Nullity or if you simply have questions, please call 519-439-1553. The process is free of charge.

Saint Vincent de Paul of Corpus Christi Parish

Would like to thank everyone for your continuing generosity. Our clothing drive is on going. We will be collecting linens and household items. Time to clean out closets! If you are able, the foods most needed are peanut butter, tuna and salmon, rice, canned tomatoes, and kid's snacks. Always appreciated are cereal, pasta sauce, canned meat, canned vegetables and dried or canned beans (kidney, chick peas, etc.). If you have any questions, call Pauline 519-966-8421

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA at Corpus Christi and Our Lady of Mount Carmel parishes will begin again in September, 2019. If there is anyone in your life, family or circle who would be interested becoming Catholic— call the office. If there is anyone who would like to journey along and grow in their faith joining the RCIA team— call the office. 519-969-5292

Deputy Grand Knight's Report

Greetings my brother Knights and fellow officers of Holy Family Council.

I hope everyone had an enjoyable \ restful summer, we have lots going on @ Holy Family council this fraternal year, I encourage everyone to continue to stay active, involved, and dedicated to the principles of our order. There will be a committee list provided in this newsletter. If you would like and are able to take on any capacity it is greatly welcomed and appreciated. Thank you in advance.

Dates To Remember: Tues Oct 1st Exec meeting

~ Saturday Oct 5th is the Deadline for R.S.V.P. to PGK Gary Norman for the Membership appreciation dinner. If you wish to bring a guest the cost is \$10 + 1 can good donation for K OF C member and guest. Please provide P.G.K. Gary Norman with your name, as well as the name of your guest.

This event takes place Sun Dec 1st @ Windsor Sportsmen's Club, 2401 Dougall Ave. Doors will open @ 4 pm dinner 5 pm.

~ Mon Oct. 14th Happy Thanksgiving !!!

~ Tues Oct 15 GEN MEETING

-*** TENTATIVE MEMORIAL MASS DATE Nov. 18th 2019 ***

Thanks to efforts of Dan at Hallmark Memorial, Ms Pat Simone Heavenly Rest Cemetery, Former DD John Paul Seaman, Worthy Faith Navigator Paul Brownlie (#0862) and Worthy GK Larry Lamont (#4386) the Unborn Child Monument which was located at Columbus Centre has found a permanent home. It is now located adjacent to the Fr Michael J McGivney site at Heavenly Rest cemetery.

A proper new home for this beautiful and important monument.

On Behalf of our council and the communities that we serve I wish to thank the Rivard family and PGK Gary Norman for

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the tireless work, time and dedication to our community garden. The food grown in that garden went to individuals in need at The Downtown Mission.

PGK Gary Norman has also been spearheading our Tootsie Roll campaign for as long as I can recall. The proceeds from the program have been a benefit to many local programs including the I.C.H.A. (Italian Canadian HandiCapable Association)Harmony in Action, Windsor Community Living, Make A wish Foundation and many others.

The Council extends its most heartfelt thanks and appreciation for your endless contribution to all council duties, functions and causes. THANK YOU Worthy Past Grand Knight Gary Norman !!!

Vivat Jesus

Sir Knight Justin Artale DGK



Memorial Mass

**Our Memorial Mass is scheduled for Sunday November 17th
Mass Time 10:00 AM
Corpus Christi Church
1400 Cabana Rd W**

**Breakfast will follow after mass in the parish hall
Freewill offering**

**And
A non perishable food item for
The St. Vincent DePaul**

Welcome Our New Sir Knights Sunday June 23, 2019

S.K. Pete Annyschyn , S.K. Justin Artale S.K. Vennie Jayoma



In Memoriam



Richard Zajac
June 17, 2019



Janette Roehler
June 23, 2019



Colleen McCann
July 24, 2019



Bill Franz
July 26, 2019



Bea Santamaria
Sept. 13, 2019



FUZZY THOUGHTS

I once thought that
Sixty might be getting older
The new forty would take longer!!
But 9:00 is the new midnight

T- is it True?

H- is it Helpful?

I- is it Inspiring

N- is it Necessary?

K- is it Kind?



The 2019 membership appreciation dinner will take place Sunday December 1st at the Windsor Sportsmen's Club 2401 Dougall Ave. Doors will open at 4:00 PM and dinner will be served at 5:00 PM.

Cost; paid up member FREE guest \$10.00 members and guests are also asked to bring a non perishable food item for the St. Vincent DePaul food bank.

If you plan to attend please contact Gary Norman before Sat. October 5th @ 22-348-0876 or rose-gary79@hotmail.com With your name and the name of your guest..

Tootsie Roll Report

Brothers, this year's Tootsie Roll drive has wrapped up with approximately \$1500. raised. We held the drive at the Canadian Tire Tecumseh Rd east location for 4 hours in June and at the Canadian Tire Tecumseh Rd West location for a total of 8 hours over two weekends in June and July. Thank you to the members who sold at the stores this year.

Unless a member would like to take over the duties, this will be our last year of Tootsie Rolls. It is getting harder each year to obtain locations. We are told too many charities hosting fund raising events at the doors of businesses. Also, we are lacking participation from our members possibly due to our older membership???

With the proliferation of debit and credit cards we are finding people do not carry cash thus donated amounts have decreased.

Over the past years this event has raised a tremendous amount of money which was returned to our community. Hopefully someone with new ideas and energy will be willing to take on this important work of charity.

I would like to thank all former chairmen, volunteer members and friends who helped over the years.

Vivat Jesus

PGK Gary Norman – Tootsie Roll chair



A Message from the Ont. State Deputy

Dear Brothers:

As State Deputy, I have identified an area of service that requires our special attention. It's the **Seniors and Widows** in our Councils and Parishes which often lead lonely and isolated lives. Considering our humanity, this often leads to depression and creates pressure for euthanasia.

Protecting People by caring

Initiating contact, visiting, spending time and caring for them will expand their sense of worth and re-affirm their purpose in life. It will provide them comfort when suffering, reduce their loneliness and isolation. But more than anything, it will show them that someone really cares about them. Inter-connectedness is essential to the human person. God created us to be with others, not to be alone. Brother Knights remember that being with others, you can make a difference in their lives.

This is **YOUR** opportunity to change the world one person at a time. For this purpose, the Ontario State Council will be offering training sessions to its members and spouses.

The first training session for the Seniors Program will take place at 1pm on September 28, 2019 at Holy Trinity Parish in Woodstock. For more information contact Alex Schadenberg, our Life Director at: alex@epcc.ca

Knights of Columbus members and their wives will receive training on how to connect and visit elderly members of the parish. **We are using the Compassionate Community Care training program.**

In order to provide care for our seniors and widows, you will agree that it's important to establish more training sessions throughout Ontario. In order for this to take place, we need Councils/Districts/Diocesan Associations to sponsor a training session and defray the nominal costs for members and their wives to attend.

We need your help to schedule training sessions throughout Ontario. For more information on available dates to run a Seniors Program in your community, contact Alex Schadenberg at: alex@epcc.ca

David Peters

State Deputy

**Compassionate
Community Care**

**Being With
Volunteer Workshop
& Training Session**

Gain the confidence to journey with those who are suffering, socially isolated, sick, or dying, to renew their hope and purpose in life.

Saturday September 28, 2019 9:30 am-3:00 pm
Holy Trinity Parish Life Centre
14,20 Devonshire Ave Woodstock, ON N4S 7V9

Cost is \$20 + freewill offering for lunch
Please make cheques out to Compassionate Community Care

Speakers are Kristina Hodgetts, RN, Compassionate Community Care Director, Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition and Mary VanVeen, Executive Director of Oxford County Right to Life.

Every volunteer will care for someone in need.

* Register by Monday September 23: call 519-421-0029

This session is sponsored by Oxford County Right to Life

Compassionate Community Care:
383 Horton St. E. London, ON N6B 1L6 • info@beingwith.org • www.beingwith.org
CCC Helpline #: 1-855-675-8749 • Charitable registration # 824667869RR0001



Brother Knights, many of you may not have heard of Matthew House Refugee Centre. This centre was opened in Windsor in 2003 in a 3 bedroom house on Drouillard Road,

Since opening the faith based Matthew House has assisted 639 claimants in finding housing, employment, education, banking and building community involvement. A claimant is a person who has fled their homeland due to religious persecution or war. They receive no monetary assistance from either the Canadian or their own government.

Earlier this year Matthew House moved into the former A.L.P.H.A on Forest Glade Drive. ALPHA was opened in 1978 as a housing facility for Physically Disabled persons. It closed 6 years ago. The building has 12 single bedroom units with a two piece bathroom and 2 common kitchen areas and common showering facilities on the east side. On the west side are 6 single bedroom apartments with a kitchen, living room and a 3 piece bathroom. There are also 5 double bedroom apartments with similar rooms. Some of the former office space has been transformed into education areas and children's play areas.

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Matthew House relies solely on donations to renovate and run their programs. The former common meeting area, now houses a church on the weekend. Other rooms have been updated through sponsorship from church groups and business groups.

A fair amount of updating to the basic plumbing, electrical and paint is needed to be done due to the fact the facility has sat empty for six years.

Our Knights of Columbus council was able to donate \$500 toward the purchase of electrical switches, receptacles, lights and smoke detectors for 6 of the single bed units, 5 of the double bed apartments and some of the office and common areas to bring it up to a safe standard.

I am happy to say I was able to donate approximately 80 hours toward the electrical upgrades. There is still a lot to accomplish.

I have sent out a challenge to the other councils in Windsor to see if they can come on board with donations badly needed. I have included a couple of pictures of the building. This is just an update to let you know where our donation went and what it was used for.

Vivat Jesus

Brother Gary Norman



Matthew House
Refugee Welcome Centre - Windsor



ABOUT US

Matthew House Windsor brings hope by providing a temporary home and settlement supports for Refugee Claimants, empowering them to become contributing members of the Canadian community



OUR WORK

Our vision is to see every Refugee Claimant in Windsor-Essex feel welcome and have access to the services and supports they need to thrive.



GET INVOLVED

There are many ways you can help "welcome the stranger," from becoming a Canadian Friend, to making a donation, or helping maintain our property. Get Involved today to help rewrite life stories!

Financial Secretary's Report on Dues

Here we are already almost time for our 2020 dues. Unfortunately we still have 40 members who have not paid last year's dues and back. Please be advised that the Council cannot remove a member from the Supreme roster until the council has received a signed and dated letter of resignation from the delinquent brother.

Without the letter of resignation our COUNCIL MUST PAY PERCAPITA TO STATE AND SUPREME for each year the member is delinquent.

These unnecessary payments to State and Supreme could otherwise stay with our Council to support our works of Charity within our community.

If you are having a problem paying your dues please give me a call at 519-948-2196 I'm sure we can work something out.

If you wish to terminate your membership please submit a letter of termination to;

Fin. Secretary Wayne Talford, Council 4386, 1400 Cabana Rd. W. Windsor ON N9G 1C4

Vivat Jesus

Brother Wayne Talford PGK FS

Columbus Centre Bd. Of Trustees 2019/20

Shawn Jones 1 yr.
Gary Norman 1 yr.
Denis Lortie 1 yr.

Larry Lamont 2 yrs.
Justin Artale 2 yrs.
Luke Norman 2 yrs.