



March 2011

Knights

Fr. Peter A. Welling COUNCIL 13576 NEWS

Grand Knights Report

Brother Knights: Lent begins Ash Wednesday, March 9th, and our annual St. Patrick's Day Festival is on Saturday, March 12th. The Knights will again help clean up after the event on Sunday, March 13.

Saturday, March 19th, we will have the annual Mass for the Unborn @ 8:00am, with Rosary @ 7:30 am. That same day our Council will be hosting the Regional Free-Throw competition in our gym with shooting starting at 10:00am. All four hoops will be used and we'll also run a concession stand so please help out if you can.

In April we will have three fish fries: April 1, April 8 and on April 15 (more information coming soon). Tootsie rolls will be handed out at Businesses on the weekend of April 2nd and 3rd and at Church the following weekend April 9th and 10th. Our annual spring Pancake feed will be on Sunday April 10th.

I would like to thank Del Ridder for another fine Pro-Life Education Series last Sunday. Our Speaker was Senator Tony Fulton with his talk: "Fighting for Pro-Life Legislation in the Nebraska Unicameral." The talk was well attended with more than 70 present. He spoke about how this year in our Legislature we have 6 new bills for Pro-Life, one is his own LB521; keeping Web-cam abortions out of our state. Iowa now allows web-cam abortions and we don't want them to get started in Nebraska. LB521, determining how certain drugs used to induce an abortion shall be administered, is up for hearing on March 9. Senator Fulton asked for people to attend in support, e-mail him, or simply pray for this bill.

We are looking for a new Family Program Director. Dave Densler would like to give somebody else the chance to help out. Give it some thought and talk to me or Dave about this rewarding position.

We have a lot of events coming up and opportunities to help, I hope to see some of you at them.

Fraternally,
Jim Petrzilka



Senator Fulton Fighting for Life

Over seventy attended Senator Tony Fulton's talk on pro-life legislation in the legislature. You'll no doubt read about them in the news, but Senator Fulton asked us to do more than observe: lend your vocal, physical and written support for the six bills being proposed in the unicameral. More details inside this issue. Also check his web site for more information:

www.tonyfulton.com

THREE FRIDAYS IN LENT

FISH FRY



**April
1, 8, 15**
Saint Patrick's
School Gym
5:00 ~ 8:00
Drive thru
welcome

MENU	PRICE
Fried Fillets	\$7 adults
Baked Fillets	(2 fish, 2 sides)
Brother Knights: Lent begins Ash Wednesday, March 9th, and our annual St. Patrick's Day Festival is on Sat- urday, March 12th.	\$5 kids (1 fish, 2 sides)
	\$1 dessert

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Pro Life Insights

▪ LB521 would prohibit so-called "web cam" abortions being practiced in Iowa by Planned Parenthood of the Heartland, which also operates abortion facilities in Omaha and Lincoln. This practice allows Planned Parenthood to do chemical abortions in more remote communities without the physical presence of a physician. (These abortions are also known as tele-medicine abortions.)

The way the practice works: a pregnant mother interacts with physician through an internet video (or 'web cam') connection. When interaction is complete, the physician uses his computer mouse to remotely open a drawer containing a dosage of RU-486. The pregnant woman then ingests the first drug which begins the abortion process. (She) takes home the second drug to be ingested later to complete the abortion.— ("Life Insight" Southern Nebraska Register January 28, 2011.)

"Imagine a teenage girl hemorrhaging at home or at school several days after she has started the RU-486 pill regimen, and delivering her tiny dead baby without any idea that she would be confronted with that image, pain or bleeding.

Planned Parenthood tells the women the drugs are 'safe and effective.' There is no mention on the video or on the website that at least 11 women are known to have died after the dangerous drugs or that at least a thousand women have suffered serious complications.— (Nebraska Right to Life newsletter December 2010. www.nerightlife.org or nebraskartl@gmail.com.)

Legislation Pending in 2011/2012

NRL Priorities (with last name of senator proposing bill)

- LB 521: Support (Fulton) Stop Web Cam Abortions,
 - LB 22: Support (McCoy) Opt-out of abortion funding in federal healthcare law
 - LB 461: Support (Pirsch) Freedom of Conscience Act
 - LB 599: Support (Campbell) Prenatal Funding
- Other Legislation
- LB 51: Support (Krist) Provide for hospital transfer agreements for health centers
 - LB 132: Support (Dubas) Opt-out of abortion funding in federal healthcare law

- LB 232 :Support (Christensen) Provide for use of force to protect unborn child
 - LB 590: (Status Pending) (Brasch) Provide for one parent consent prior to minor's abortion
- NRL "Support is pending until amendment added" which would remove provision which "opened up consent to" (non parent relatives.) (Concerns include only parent or guardian has legal - including financial - responsibility for the minor in the event of complications resulting from abortion.) "Senator Brasch will pursue the amendment."
- LB 540 (OPPOSE) (Health Committee) "Expands Medicaid family planning coverage" assists Planned Parenthood in freeing up other money for abortion.



St Patrick's' knights —with our banner—were among the 4,000 who attended the 37th annual Walk for Life at the State Capitol in Lincoln. After walking eight blocks to the UNL Student, attendees packed two rooms inside to hear keynote speaker Melissa Ohden. Ohden is the survivor of a 1977 saline abortion. (State Senator Tony Fulton's Feb. 20 talk at St. Pat's Gym was announced at the Student Union.)

ahead

March 19th ▪ Mass for the Unborn

Rosary at 7:30, Mass at 8 a.m. The Knights always have a good showing at this Mass. Please try to make it.

Free throw and Concessions

that same day. Head over after Mass to help out.

April 2-3 ▪ Tootsie Rolls for business.

Pick a buddy and get a hold of Terry Ryan if you haven't signed up.

April 8 ▪ First Fish Fry

Craig Arent can get you on the schedule to help.

April 10 ▪ Pancake feed

After Masses. See Minutes for your time.

Family of the Month

February **Rich & Sandy Hosek**



Rich and Sandy have been married 40 years and have been members of St Pats for 33 years. They have 4 children and 7 grandchildren. Rich is retired from Goodyear after 30 years. The now farm and take care of their rental properties.. They also help out with church functions and were one of the first couples to help start our festival. Rich is an usher at Mass. The Hoseks like to play cards, travel, and garden.

Family of the Month

January **George & Pat Riggs**



George and Pat have been married 54 years, and have been members of St. Pats for 51 years. They have 4 children, 4 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. George is retired from the fire department after 30 years, and Pat has always been a homemaker. George is a tremendous help with repairs, especially at the school, he is also a member of St. Vincent Depaul Society. The Riggs have no special hobbies, they just love helping out taking care of the great and grandchildren. Thanks again George, for your help on needy repairs.

Tax-Deferred Annuities

Expecting a tax refund? Even if you're not, you certainly wouldn't want to pay more in taxes than you have to, would you?

Yet, that's what you can expect if you have savings that aren't in a tax-deferred account. Examples include bank savings accounts and certificates of deposit.

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Calendar

MARCH 2011

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9 Ash Wednesday

- 14 Confirmation 7 p.m.
- 19 Mass for Unborn: Rosary at 7:30, Mass at 8 a.m.
- 19 Free Throw + Concessions 9 a.m., shooting at 10 a.m.
- 29 Officers Meeting

APRIL 2011

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1 Fish Fry. 5:30 p.m.

- 2-3 Tootsie Rolls / Businesses
- 6 General Meeting 7 p.m.
- 8 Fish Fry. 5:30 p.m.
- 9-10 Tootsie Rolls / Church
- 10 Pancake Feed after Masses
- 15 Fish Fry. 5:00 p.m.
- 24 Easter Sunday
- 26 Officer Meeting

* Lenten Stations of the Cross Fridays at 6:30pm with Rosary and Benediction.

Luncheon Committee

April

No Lunch During Lent

MAY

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Jenkins Lloyd
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From our Financial Secretary If you do not currently receive the Courier or Columbia Magazine, please let me know so that State or Supreme Records may be corrected. **John R. (Bob) Kely**

Information that you wish to have included in the next newsletter should be submitted by the Wednesday prior to the Monthly General Meeting, to:

Steve Bieber Visit our website: www.stpatknights.org