



# Knight Letter



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## SEPTEMBER

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**Wednesday 6th**  
CANCELLED/Lunch  
Social

**Wednesday 6th**  
\* Rosary  
6:30pm-7:00pm  
\* Board Meeting  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

**Saturday 9th**  
ProLife Mass  
8:00am  
St. James Cathedral

**Monday 11th**  
\* Officer's Meeting  
6:00pm  
\* Council Meeting  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

**Monday 18th**  
Fraternal Night  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

**Monday 25th**  
1st Degree  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

## A Message from the Grand Knight

As we start this new year, there are some new developments coming from Supreme. The most important for us , is they are backing off the need to have a council in every parish. This means that we have the ability and responsibility to encourage all the many parishes in Seattle , that do not have a council , to consider to have Council 676 as their prime council. We need volunteers to contact each parish, informing them of our desire to be their council of record. Let us know if you would like to join in this drive for new members.

We have many events with special dates. Look at these dates and make it a point to attend these events, as they are being held for everyone's benefit. These events are where you can bring friends to learn more about who the Knights are and the programs that we support.

Fraternally,  
Tom Joyce GK

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

**Lunch Social — Wednesday October 4th at Noon.**

**Oktoberfest — Monday October 16th at 7:00pm.**

**Memorial Mass — Monday November 6th at 7:00pm.**

**Grand Knights Christmas Party —**

**Saturday December 9th Social Hour 5:00pm Dinner 6:00pm**

Knights of Columbus  
Seattle Council 676  
722 East Union Street  
Seattle, WA 98122  
Monday • Friday  
8am — 2pm

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Thomas Joyce PGK	Grand Knight	Thomas Joyce PGK	Grand Knight	2017-2018
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**Happy Birthday to our SEPTEMBER born Brother Knights**

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|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Dr Mark Doherty | Rev Joseph McGowan | Lawrence Henriksen |
| Roy Cotton      | Henry Kaczka       | Dominick Amoroso   |
| Richard Perry   | Ambrose Broussard  | Joseph Kessler     |
| Steven Pouley   | Benito Lim Jr      | John Alfano        |
| Michael Donohue | Steve Masmela      |                    |

You're invited to our Fraternal Night dinner on **MONDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2017 at 7:00PM in the COUNCIL CHAMBERS. Social hour is at 6:00PM.** Included on your birthday card will be a ticket good for two meals. Cost is **\$10.00 p/p. RSVP for dinner by SEPTEMBER 15TH** at 206.325.3410 so we can have an accurate headcount.

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All Knights at 676 are invited to an event that is taking place all over the country. On Sep. 9th at Calvary Cemetery we will be remembering the aborted children buried in our cemeteries. The National Day of Remembrance for the Aborted Children is our day to pray and ask for God’s mercy on all of them. The service begins at 11:00am and will last about an hour in prayer and so we hope you will take an hour on Sep. 9th and join those who care enough to remember these little ones and their mothers.

National Day of Remembrance for the Aborted Children, Sep. 9th at Calvary Cemetery, 5041 35th Ave. NE (206) 522-0996

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Update Your Beneficiaries

Sometimes it is easy to overlook the simplest of things.

Take, for example, the beneficiaries on your life insurance policies. If your policy was applied for and issued several years ago, it may very well be that the person you originally selected as the beneficiary is no longer the person you want to receive the policy proceeds. If you bought the policy when you were single, for example, you may have named your parents as beneficiaries. If you have since married, your policies should be updated to reflect your spouse as beneficiary. Maybe you’ve had children since, who aren’t named on the policies.

Most people list a primary beneficiary, who is specifically designated as the first in priority to receive policy proceeds. We also encourage the name of a contingent beneficiary, an alternate person designed to receive policy proceeds, in the event that the original beneficiary pre-deceases the insured.

I routinely call all of my policyholders for annual review appointments, usually near the anniversary date of your policy—that is, the date it was originally issued. One of the matters that I’ll discuss during this review is the status of your beneficiary designations. If they need updating, and they often do, I can complete the paperwork during that appointment.

I look forward to meeting with each of you to discuss your family’s needs.

Larry Devlin - Field Agent

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**PRAYERS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR AILING BROTHERS AND FAMILY MEMBERS**

**Matt Ulrich; Jainie Philbrick; Roman Miller; Archbishop Sartain; Father Robert Egan; Amadeus Amador; Albert Freedman; Don Luby; Paul Heneghan; Mac Henderson; Edgar Pitre; Tom Hoagland; Walter Brazelton; John Costello; Joe Robinson PGK PFN PDD; Bridget Dobson; Ann Heneghan, daughter of Paul; Archbishop Emeritus Brunett.**

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