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## JULY

### Monday 3rd

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

### Wednesday 5th

Lunch Social  
12:00 noon  
Colonial Room

### Saturday 8th

ProLife Mass  
8:00am  
St. James Cathedral

### Monday 10th

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

### Monday 17th

Fraternal Night  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

### Monday 24th

1st Degree  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

### Monday 31st

2nd Degree  
7:00pm  
In Council Chambers

July 2017

Charity • Unity • Fraternity • Patriotism

July 17th Frat Night will be a picnic with fried chicken and fixings.

Remember to RSVP so that we have enough food for all.



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### Congratulations to our 2017-2018 officers.

Thank you for stepping up to make sure that our council stays strong and well represented.

- Grand Knight - Thomas Joyce PGK
- Deputy Grand Knight - Paul Heneghan
- Chancellor - Alan Bonaci PGK
- Warden - Ben Noma PGK
- Recorder - Phil Philbrick
- Treasurer - Albert Freedman
- Inside Guard - Kevin Kessler
- Outside Guard - Drew Dungan
- Advocate - Don Luby PGK
- Lecturer - Henry Rathbun PGK
- Trustee 1 year - Alan Bonaci PGK 2015-2018
- Trustee 2 years - Joe Kessler PGK 2016-2019
- Trustee 3 years - Albert Freedman 2017-2020

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### Mark Your Calendar:

- August there will be NO Frat Night.

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

Council 676 Officers

K of C Club Officers

Thomas Joyce PGK	Grand Knight	Thomas Joyce PGK	Grand Knight	2017-2018
Paul Heneghan	Deputy Grand Knight	Lawrence Kessler PGK	At Large	2016-2019
Alan Bonaci PGK	Chancellor	Ben Noma PGK	At Large	2015-2018
Ben Noma PGK	Warden	Phil Philbrick	At Large	2014-2017
Phil Philbrick	Recorder	Alan Bonaci PGK	Trustee	2015-2018
Albert Freedman	Treasurer	Joseph Kessler PGK	Trustee	2016-2019
Kevin Kessler	Inside Guard	Albert Freedman	Trustee	2017-2020
Drew Dungan	Outside Guard			
Lawrence Kessler PGK	Financial Secretary			
Henry Rathbun	Lecturer	Chaplain	Father Lyle Konen	
Don Luby PGK	Advocate			
Alan Bonaci PGK	Trustee 2015-2018			
Joseph Kessler PGK	Trustee 2016-2019	Fraternal Benefits Advisor	Larry Devlin	
Albert Freedman	Trustee 2017-2020	Facility Manager	Penny Kessler	

**Happy Birthday to our JULY born Brother Knights**

Jonathan Mylius	Daniel Schweitzer	Mark Gerling
Christopher Mooney	Joseph Zaffiro	Ernest Hickox
James Madden	Alex Nguyen	Paul Heneghan
Rev Lyle Konen	Brian Aleshire	Thomas Barbano
Steve Kessler	Thomas Farkas	Michael Murray

You're invited to our Fraternal Night dinner on **MONDAY JULY 17, 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 JULY 14TH** at 206.325.3410 so we can have an accurate headcount.

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**We'd love to see you for lunch at noon on Wednesday July 5th.  
Not sure what we're having yet but it's sure to be filling.**



Doctor Willie Parker, traveling abortion doctor was recently in Seattle to promote his book and his abortion business. “A Life’s Work: A Moral Argument for Choice” is a book about his reasoning for abortion for those under no reason not to do so, because God would not judge the woman for wanting to be the best version of herself. The abortionist makes it his goal to travel to areas where women do not have easy access to an abortion facility. That would not be a problem in Washington state, because we have more than 25 locations, and he would probably not come here to do abortions. Some people feel provoked by the fact that Willis Parker’s values are based on his religious beliefs. They are but he blames the government for their oversight—the law requires them, like bad little girls, to prove to authorities that they have thought carefully about what they are about to do. The abortion law is not about authorities telling you what you must do---that’s why they call it a choice right.

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**A Founding Notion: Protecting the Breadwinner’s Income**

While jobs may be safer in 2017, accidents, injuries, and illnesses that can impact your ability to work still happen. Most, in fact, do not happen on the jobsite or place of employment. Did you know that a 2011 study revealed that more than 95 percent of the long-term disability claims on file were not work related? The Knights have always sought to protect members’ families from the “loss” of a breadwinner. I’m sure you know all about Father McGivney’s vision for our insurance program. But you may not know that Father McGivney also wanted to find a way to help members who couldn’t work because of an illness. After all, the “loss” of the breadwinner does not have to mean that person’s death; it can also mean the loss of the breadwinner’s income. Consider that for a moment. How would your family fare if a source of income suddenly stopped? Could a double-income family manage on one income? What about your families with a working father and a mother who cares for the children? What if his income halted due to an accident or illness? I’ve heard some people say they have coverage at work but too many aren’t sure what this coverage entails, how much income it would provide or for how long. Having this protection counts for something, certainly, but it isn’t “yours”, it’s provided by the company for which you work at their discretion. It could be eliminated tomorrow. That’s were a personally-owned disability income insurance product, like Income Armor, comes into play. It can offer valuable income replacement in the event of an injury or illness. If you have a job, you must know about this coverage.

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**REST IN PEACE**



**Jerome Mathews passed away March 26, 2017**

**Father Joseph Petosa; former 676 chaplain; passed away May 5, 2017**

**Jim Kessler passed away May 25, 2017.**

**Douglas Fiechtner passed away June 10, 2017**

**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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