



Sword and Baldric



James Shields Assembly 1168
4th Degree Knights of Columbus
FEBRUARY 2015

James Shields Assembly Officers 2014 - 2015

Thomas Joyce PGK	Faithful Navigator	Deacon Roy Harrington	Faithful Friar
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John Heider	Honor Guard Commander	Unassigned	(3) Trustee

Officers' Meeting First	Thursday 6 PM	Dinner Meeting	125th Street Grill
Assembly Meeting Third	Thursday 7 PM	Assembly Meeting	K of C Hall 722 E Union

My fellow Knights;

Brother Knights of the Fourth Degree, I am asking all able bodied members to faithfully consider joining the Honor Guard. Since last month's Sword and Baldric, we have had the request for an Honor Guard for three funerals, but we only had 1 to 3 available honor guard members. This is not acceptable for this great assembly of ours, come to our next assembly meeting and get the regalia you need. Our next meeting date is Thursday February 19th in the 676 council chambers.

Lent starts on Ash Wednesday February 18th and it is a good time for members to gather and prepare to do good works for fellow members. If you or any fellow member has been in distress, for any reason, please let us know. This is an excellent opportunity to show others what a true meaning it is to be a Brother Knight of Columbus. Keep track of your time, as it will add to the yearly report of our activities as Knights.

Tom Joyce
Faithful Navigator

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A Prayer for Ash Wednesday

Gracious God, today begins a period of inner reflection and examination. The days stretch before me and invite me inward to that silent, holy space that holds your Spirit. This special time beckons me to see my life through Christ's eyes and the truth and reality of your love incarnate. Give me the grace to enter the space of these days with anticipation of our meeting. And, when I open my soul to your presence, let your loving kindness flow over me and seep into the pockets of my heart. I ask this for the sake of your love. Amen.