



Serving Holy Family Parish in Sechelt & St. Mary's Parish in Gibsons  
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# KNIGHTLIFE

## Grand Knight's Report

Brother Knights,

Wow! We have sold 116 books of tickets to date - that is a third of our quota. Congratulations to the men on ticket sales. With this momentum we should be finished in November.

As well as the Charity Appeal ticket sales, we have a lot going on: a pancake breakfast for Holy Family October 21; five knights and two parishioners going to the Man Alive Conference on October 27 in Vancouver; laying Remembrance Day wreaths on November 11 in Sechelt and Gibsons; and Brother David and crew are busy with the Christmas play. As well, we will be working to involve both parishes in the Christmas Light-up on Dec. 4th. This action should help set minds and hearts on Advent. Brother Shiloh is working on an organized pitch to involve more knights and kids in the Free Throw event this year. Brother Tom Gregorchuk has great plans for a Ukrainian dinner fundraiser for January 5th. We hope to sell at least 150 tickets for this event. Then in February we will be holding our annual Charter Night.

There are nine activities involved and all need help for a given period of time. In order for these activities to succeed members will have to step up and lend a hand when and where needed. Brother David has called for help with the play and Brother Tom G. will be calling for help with prep for the Ukrainian Dinner, and then Shiloh will need a hand with the Free Throw. Then as time goes on there will be calls for replacements in the selling of Charity Appeal tickets. Once you are into these activities they always provide great camaraderie.

With Hallowe'en ending the month, please remember November first is All Saint's Day and November 2 is All Souls Day. Remember that we pray asking the intercession of the Saints as we petition for favours and on All Souls Day we pray for the departed souls most of whom are probably in Purgatory making reparation for sins.

At minimum, how about lighting a candle and saying a prayer for a deceased family member, a fellow knight, or a parishioner or for all three.

Vivat Jesus,  
Greg Gobbi, GK.

### EXECUTIVE OFFICERS for 2012 - 2013

**Grand Knight - Greg Gobbi**

**Deputy G.K. -**

**Chancellor - Gary Weber**

**Fin. Secretary - Thomas Cantley**

**Recorder - Travis McDonough**

**Treasurer - Rick Ross**

**Chaplain - Fr. Vincent Nguyen**

**Lecturer - Keith Brind**

**Advocate - Tom Gregorchuk**

**Warden - A. (Chewy) Seward**

**Inside Guard - Joe Brady**

**Outside Guard - Ken Huffman**

**Trustee 1 yr. - Peter Moonen**

**Trustee 2 yr. - Keith Brind**

**Trustee 3 yr. - David Short**

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CERC LINK:  
<http://www.catholiceducation.org>

SALT & LIGHT LINK:  
<http://www.saltandlighttv.org>

## Coming Events

Oct. 24	General meeting - Holy Family
Oct. 25	Archbishop's Dinner
Oct. 27	Man Alive Conference (Vancouver)
Nov. 1	All Saints Day
Nov. 2	All Souls Day
Nov. 14	Executive Meeting St. Mary's
Nov. 28	General Meeting St. Mary's
Dec. 1	Christmas Play - Seniors Centre
Dec. 4	Christmas Light-up
Dec. 8	Christmas Play - St. Mary's Hall

## Men's Breakfast

Saturday, November 3, in St. Mary's Hall at 8:30 to 10:00 am



## Pancake Breakfast

There will be a pancake breakfast at Holy Family Sunday, October 21. Please be ready to lend a hand.

## Membership Dues

Brother Thomas Cantley, our new Financial Secretary, has been surprised by a number of brothers paying their dues early. It would be nice to see the majority paid before January 2013. Just bring your \$40 membership fee to the next meeting.



## Pro Life Report

Pro Life AGM was September 29 and they elected Suzanne Diamond as President, Marie-Bernadette as Secretary, and Greg Gobbi as Treasurer for the coming year. Meetings for the year will be at St. Mary's on the third Tuesday of the month.

This year's Life Chain was held at Davis Bay and there were about 30 participants. Only 4 Brother Knights showed up. We can do better.

## First Degree

We have a candidate waiting to be welcomed into the First Degree of the Knights. Please plan on making this important occasion for him. Come out to the general meeting

Wednesday, November 28. To work in the First Degree we will be starting the degree at 6:30. Try to arrive by 6:20 pm.

## Charity Appeal

This years ticket sales got off to a great start. So far we have sold 116 books. That means that we have only 184 books left. And that was in only four days of selling! Make sure that you purchase your own tickets soon or you may end up without a chance to win the \$50,000. or one of the three vehicles!

If you have been left off the seller's list stop by and leave your name. It's a good time to share in doing something easy that is a benefit to the community at large as this is where our share of the profit goes.

## Ukrainian Dinner

# JOIN US!



The Ukrainian Dinner will be January 5th at Holy Family. Anyone having tickets for the Vietnamese Dinner may use them for the Ukrainian Dinner. This dinner will be a fundraising event to be shared between Holy Family and St. Mary's. Brother Tom Gregorchuk will make up a work schedule for the Friday and Saturday of the event as many hands will be needed. We need more volunteers so please think on it and contact Tom via email or phone. (885-3124) There will be a work party at St. Mary's on Saturday, November 10 from 6 pm to make up the cabbage rolls. He will see that 130 tickets are printed. Trade in your previous Vietnamese Dinner tickets when the Ukrainian tickets are released.



## Beef Dip

It is Beef Dip month at St. Mary's in November. Remember the 3rd Sunday is November 18th.

## Christmas Play

## *Miracle on 34th Street*

This year brother David and his players will be presenting another radio play. It is "Miracle on 34th Street". Auditions were held on September 29th at St. Mary's and rehearsals began early October and will run through November. Six helpers are needed, 2 for sound effects, 2 for advertizing, and 2 for tickets. Call David 886-8228.

CKAY-FM will be involved with recording and replaying December 24th and 25th.

## Man Alive



This is an exciting event in the Archdiocese that the Archbishop has spoken about recently as a means to inspire men to greater spirituality and leadership in the church. He has a short video on [rcav.org/manalive](http://rcav.org/manalive) in which he outlines the objectives. The website also gives a rundown on the speakers. The conference will be held at the Centre for Performing Arts, 777 Homer Str., from 9 am. to 4:30 pm., Saturday, October 27.

We have 5 Knights and 2 parishioners presently registered. We are car-pooling so if interested please contact Greg at 604-885-9188 ASAP. It is getting late.

## Fathers for Good

Seasoned dad, new dad, dad to be, or single guy wanting to

know more about fatherhood this site's for you!

*A FATHER IS ... A Protector ... Involved ... A Loving Husband ... AND SO MUCH MORE.*

*Welcome to Fathers for Good, an initiative for men by the Knights of Columbus.*

*Whether you are a seasoned dad, a new dad, a dad to be, or a single guy wanting to know more about fatherhood, this Web site is for you.*

*There is a role only a father can fill and gifts only a father can give. In a culture that often does not favor fatherhood or masculine virtue, we wish to highlight the unique contributions of men, husbands and fathers. The world would be lacking without them.*

*We also welcome wives who want to support their husbands in becoming the best fathers they can be.*

Source: [fathersforgood.org](http://fathersforgood.org)

### Kateri Tekakwitha - New Saint for Us (from Wikipedia)

**Kateri Tekakwitha** (pronounced [*ˈgaderi degaˈgwita*] in Mohawk), baptised as **Catherine Tekakwitha** and informally known as **Lily of the Mohawks** (1656 – April 17, 1680), was an Algonquin-Mohawk Catholic virgin and relig-

ious laywoman. Born in present-day New York, she survived smallpox and was orphaned as a child, then baptized as a Roman Catholic and settled for the last years of her life at the Jesuit mission village of Kahnawake, south of Montreal in New France.



Tekakwitha professed a vow of virginity until her death at the age of 24. Known for her virtue of chastity and corporal mortification of the flesh, as well as being shunned by her tribe for her religious conversion to Catholicism, she is the first Native American woman to be venerated in the Roman Catholic Church. She was beatified by Blessed Pope John Paul II in 1980. On February 18, 2012, Pope Benedict XVI announced at Saint Peter's Basilica that Tekakwitha is scheduled to be formally canonized on October 21, 2012. Various miracles and supernatural events are attributed to her name after her death.

### We Pray For:

- Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI
- Our Bishops and Priests
- For Tom Gregorchuk's surgery and a positive outcome
- For Gerry Gillis, Eva & Family
- For Sonny Dampier
- Kathy Roberts
- Bill Muskaluk
- For Travis neighbors: Annecka Vanderchaar & Martin Fletcher
- Patricia McDonough
- John & Patricia Myerscough & family
- Chewey Seward, and the Seward family
- Our wives and families

Special intentions for Travis and Patricia's friend, Ted Hanley and the Jesse Tree Project in Galveston, Texas

- Widows of our departed Brothers
- The Hergott Family

