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## Upcoming Events



Council Meeting  
 November 11, 2015



KofC 1st Degree  
 November 28, 2015  
 Ascension Parish



KofC 3rd Degree  
 November 10, 2015  
 St Cecilia 18:30-20:30



Blood Donor Clinic  
 November 6, 2015  
 4:00-8:30 pm  
 VIVO (Cardel)  
 4-6 Volunteers  
 kindly requested.  
 Contact Br. Kevin  
 @ 403-992-3151

## Fraternity Ascension Council Family Hike



On Sunday, September 27, Ascension Council held its annual Family Hike. This year's event featured a hike to the Lake Agnes Tea House at Lake Louise and wrapped up with a hearty fireside bbq dinner. Thank you Br. Joe and Br. David for organizing a fantastic day and for preparing a gourmet cookout meal.

Brother Knights, this activity is a terrific opportunity to introduce and integrate our families in the Knights of Columbus Fraternity. Please feel welcome and consider participating in future council family activities.





Wills and Estates Seminar

*Wed 4 November 2015  
7:30pm Ascension Parish  
contact Br. Joe for more  
information  
403-510-5667*

***A little humour...***

A priest, who shall we say was “humour impaired,” attended a conference to help encourage and better equip priests for their ministry.

Among the speakers were many well known and dynamic speakers.

One such boldly approached the pulpit and, gathering the entire crowd’s attention, said, “The best years of my life were spent in the arms of a woman that wasn’t my wife!”

The crowd was shocked! He followed up by saying, “And that woman was my mother!” – The crowd burst into laughter and delivered the rest of his talk, which went over quite well.

The next week, the priest decided he’d give this humour thing a try, and use that joke in his sermon.

As he surely approached the pulpit that Sunday, he tried to rehearse the joke in his head. It suddenly seemed a bit foggy to him.

Getting to the microphone he said loudly, “The greatest years of my life were spent in the arms of another woman that was not my wife!” The congregation inhaled half the air in the room.

After standing there for almost 10 seconds in the stunned silence, trying to recall the second half of the joke, the priest finally blurted out, “...and I can’t remember who she was!”

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**K of C Golf Windup**



On Saturday, September 26, the Wednesday K of C Golf Group held its windup tournament at The Canal at Delacour Golf Club. There were 20 participants including Bishop Henry and Fr. Edmond Vargas. The winning team (and no surprise here..) consisted of Bishop Henry, Al Soloski, Chris Rappel and Leonard Fabbes. Other notables were:

- Chris Rappel – Low Net Individual
- Most Honest golfer – Winston Bruce-Alleyne
- Most Honest Team – Tom Keelan , Andy Ilnyky, Doug Ollis, Russel Todd
- Long Putt – Pete Jemus
- Long Drive – Chris Rappel
- Ball in Sand – Stephen Parris
- Ball in Water – Dan Federick
- Closest to Pin – Larry Cox
- Closest to Line – Les Smith
- One Ball – Alan Stewart
- Low Gross – Dale Rundell

Thanks to Br. Joe Faubert for organising us every Wednesday. Thanks also to the following who supplied prizes and gifts: Al Soloski, Russel Todd, Ross Szentmiklossy, Larry Cox, Joe Faubert and Randy Reinbolt.

Special Thanks to the Delacour Marshals and starters who donated their rounds of golf to keep our costs for the tournament very low: Pete Jemus, Randy Reinbolt, Dwayne Moulding, Greg Isherwood

And thank you to The Canal at Delacour Golf Club.



“Counsel involving right and wrong should never be sought from a man who does not say his prayers.”

— *ArchBishop Fulton J. Sheen*



"Courage is almost a contradiction in terms. It means a strong desire to live taking the form of a readiness to die." – Orthodoxy

--- *G.K. Chesterton*



## Contact Us

Email us at [kofcnewsletter10065@shaw.ca](mailto:kofcnewsletter10065@shaw.ca). Please let us know if you have a December Birthday or Anniversary you would like acknowledged in the December Newsletter.

## First Degree Ceremony Team Looking for Members

Br. Pete Jemus acting as the Outside Guard for the First Degree which was held on September 26th at Ascension Parish. Our First Degree Team Members are: Br. Joe Faubert (Chancellor), Br Dan Federick (Deputy Grand Knight),



Br. Larry Cox (Financial Secretary), Br. Pete Jemus (Outside Guard), and Br. Dale Rundell (Warden). If you would like to become involved in the Degree Ceremonies, please contact Br. Joe. Our next First Degree is Saturday, November 28.

## UNITY - Don't Forget Your Monthly Council Meeting



Your participation adds strength to our Council's commitment to growing in **Charity, Fraternity and Faith.**



We look forward to seeing you on November 11th, in the small hall.



## BBQ Tent Set-Up



Thank you GK Karl, Br. Carl, Br. Ron, Br. Phil, Br. Paul, Br. Ben and Br. Paul's brother Neal.

## Links to K of C Publications

**Columbia Magazine** <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/columbia/index.html>

**Knightline** <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/publications/lc/knightline/index.html>

**Chaplain's Report** <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/officers/chaplains/index.html>

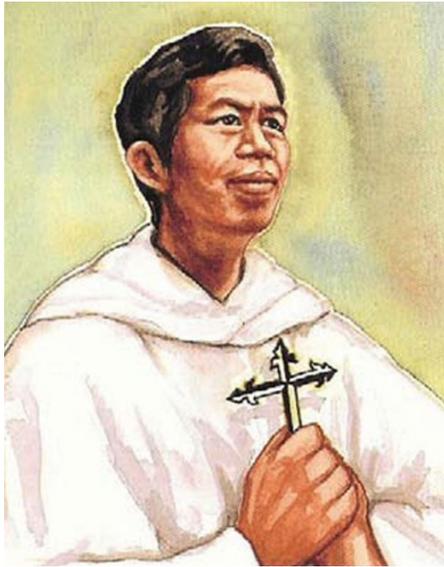
## Faith

*St. Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions*

*Feast Day - November 24*



There are 117 martyrs in this group and although they died at different times, they were all canonized by Pope John Paul II on June 19, 1988. Of the group, 96 were Vietnamese, 11 were Spaniards, and 10 were French.



There were 8 bishops, 50 priests and 59 lay Catholics in the group. Of the priests, 11 were Dominicans, 10 belonged to the Paris Mission Society, and the rest were diocesan priests plus one seminarian. Certain individual martyrs were mentioned by name in the process of canonization: Andrew Dung-Lac, a diocesan priest; Thomas Tran-Van-Thien, a seminarian; Emmanuel Le-Van-Pung, father of a family; the Dominican bishops Jerome Hermosilla and Valentine Berrio-Ochoa; and John Theophane Venard.

St. Andrew Dung-Lac's name was originally Dung An Trân, and he was born about 1795 in a poor and pagan family in Bac-Ninh in North Vietnam. When he was twelve the family had to move to Hà-Nôi (Hanoi) where his parents could find work. There he met a catechist and got food and shelter from him. He also got education in the Christian faith for three years, and was baptized in Vinh-Tri with the Christian name Andrew (Andrew Dung). After learning Chinese and Latin he became a catechist, and thereafter taught catechism in the country. He was chosen to study theology, and on March 15, 1823 he was ordained a priest. As parish priest in Ke-Dâm

he was tireless in his preaching. He often fasted and lived a simple and moral life, he was a good example for the people, and many were baptized. In 1835 he was imprisoned under emperor Minh-Mang's persecutions (he was called Vietnam's emperor Nero), but his freedom was purchased by donations from members of the congregation he served. To avoid persecutions he changed his name to Lac (Andrew Lac) and moved to another prefecture to continue his work. But on November 10, 1839 he was again arrested, this time with Peter Thi, another Vietnamese priest whom he was visiting so that he might go to confession.

Once again Andrew was liberated, along with Peter Thi, in exchange for money. Their freedom was brief. They were soon re-arrested and taken to Hanoi, where both suffered dreadful torture. Finally they both were beheaded December 21, 1839

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**Knights' Reflection:** Andrew and his companions were given many signs that they could be martyred, yet still they remained and continued with their mission to preach the Faith. Would we have stayed, or would we have tried to save our lives? Let us pray for the grace to live for Christ alone so that, laying down our lives for him, we may find the true and everlasting life

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*It is often said that second thoughts are best. So they are in matters of judgment but not in matters of conscience.*

*-John Henry Cardinal Newman*