



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Pius X, Fr. Charles J. Kerscher Council 10004

Nov 07

Chaplain <b>Fr. John Kieran</b> (770) 483-3660	<b>GRAND KNIGHTS LETTER</b>
Grand Knight <b>David Collins</b> (678) 413-0733	<p><b>Dear Brother Knight,</b></p> <p>November is a month to be proud of. We had so many activities going on this month! Our council hosted a 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> degree ceremony. Congratulations to brothers Suchet Loois and Tony Marques on making their 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> degree. There were around 65 candidates and we ended up feeding around 110 people. Thanks to the many that helped make this a success. The same day we held our local and district Soccer Challenge at St Pius. We had 3 district champions from our council that went to the state competition. Congratulations to Maria Harding, Josh Harding and Kyle Rice for winning the district competition. Maria and Kyle also took state honors as they won their age group in the state competition. Thanks to Armand, Mike, Rick, Joe, and Al for your help with the Soccer Challenge. Our annual Tootsie Roll drive was held at 3 locations in Conyers this month. Although staffing was a little shy we still were able to raise around \$900. Thanks to Ernie for contacting the stores and Bob for organizing the schedule. Thanks to those who stood out in front of the stores collecting that day. We could not have done this without you. We cooked for the Health Fair this same day. Thanks to Kevin, Rick, Louis, and Joe who manned the kitchen and prepared and served a healthy meal for those that went to the fair. Turkey burgers and fruit cups were enjoyed by all. The next day we had our monthly breakfast. We had a pretty good turn out. This was the last breakfast at the old mass schedule. We handed out a survey to see what the regular breakfast crowd would like going forward. We will have to see what December brings. We had a good crew of guys helping out again this month. Thanks to all of you that help make our breakfast a success. This was also Veterans Day so we took the opportunity to have the dedication ceremony for the flagpole that day. We had the Boy Scouts raise the flag while Bryan Ashmore played Revelry. We had a 4<sup>th</sup> degree Honor Guard present in full regalia with other 4<sup>th</sup> degree members present in support. Father John blessed the flagpole and had a nice reading and we finished with a song. It was a nice ceremony. The following Friday we had a mass for the deceased members of our council. This was held in the day chapel. It was a small gathering but an important one. We met afterwards in the small hall and had cake and coffee. Thanks to Mark Saksefski for putting this together. As with many organizations there is a core group a people that participate in most of the events. I am asking that those of you that haven't been able to help in any of our activities please find one that you would like to do. We have some activities that we only see certain members at once a year and that is great. We know we can count on them for this event. With 170 plus members we should be able to find enough Brother Knights to handle any activity we have. This is what the Knights are all about; this is why we are Knights.</p> <p>Vivat Jesus David Collins Grand Knight</p>
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November 30	Officers Meeting following 5:30 mass.
December 2	10:00 a.m. Breakfast in Greensboro
December 7	Icon arrives at St. Pius
December 8	Atlanta Boys Choir at the Monastery, chair setup and parking
December 9	Monthly Breakfast – Saint Nick to be present
December 13	Regular Business Meeting 7:15 pm room 13/15 probable 1 <sup>st</sup> degree ceremony
December 15	4 <sup>th</sup> degree Christmas Party at St. Pius 7:30pm

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2007 – 2008 Soccer Challenge State Competition  
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Veteran's Day Flagpole dedication 11/11/2007