



*Knights of Columbus
Deacon Lee R. Hurst
Assembly No. 2183*

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April, 2008

Navigator's Log

Officers for the Year 2007/2008.

Faithful Friar	Rev. Stephen Kenny
Faithful Navigator	John E. Stratman
Faithful Captain	David Zwissler
Faithful Admiral	Joe Orsak
Faithful Pilot	Patrick T. Casey
Faithful Scribe	Jay G. Cotton
Faithful Purser	Tony J. Neri
Faithful Inter Sentinel	George D. Poprik
Faithful Outer Sentinel	Jose Ibarra, Jr.
Faithful Comptroller	George R. Yohanek
Faithful Trustees:	
One-Year	J "Dan" Martini
Two-Year	Ike J. Davidson
Three-Year	Paul J. Di Bartolo
Color Corps Commander	John E. Haluska

ATTITUDE

A Native American boy was talking with his grandfather.

"What do you think about the world situation?" he asked.

The grandfather replied, "I feel like wolves are fighting in my heart.

One is full of anger and hatred; the other is

full of love, forgiveness, and peace."

"Which one will win?" asked the boy.

To which the grandfather replied, "The one I feed."

(Origin Unknown)

This simple story provides the essence of a life-changing law of the universe... *You become what you think about.* The words are almost too simple to "feel important." However, if you "get it," if you truly understand their meaning, you can forever harness the power of a positive attitude.

Simply stated...if we choose to think positive thoughts, we'll get positive results; if we think negative thoughts, we'll get negative results. Pretend for a moment that every thought is a seed you sow in your fertile mind. Therefore, as I once heard someone say, "If you plant crabapples, don't expect to harvest Golden Delicious." You will reap the fruit of the thoughts you sow.

"The Power of Attitude" by *Mac Anderson*

**Respectfully Sir Knight,
John E. Stratman
Faithful Navigator**

FOCUS TIME

Patriotism consists not in waving the flag, but in striving that our country shall be righteous as well as strong ~ James Bryce

COMMITTEES

The goal of these committees is to strengthen our past accomplishments and to gain fraternal momentum through personal and written communications, programs, visibility and participation.

Our momentum and strength is visibility through participation. To do nothing takes us no where and benefits no one.

WORK-IN-PROGRESS

CHURCH - Mike Mc Cusker 753-0159

Support for religious vocations and needs, programs assisting in restoring old churches and schools, , vocation programs, speaking against assisted suicide and support Right to Life.

COLOR CORPS - John Haluska 757-4368 Terry Glaser 382-0459

Sir Knights with full regalia please contact Dan Martini to confirm your correct e-mail and telephone number. Special requests for the Color Corps or Honor Guard for church services, special Masses, wakes, funerals, dedications, parades, exemplification and Patriotic community and business ceremonies.

COMMUNICATIONS - John Duffy 937-4154

Web-site www.deaconleerhurst.org Up-dating our E-mail directory, phone tree, mail list, member survey, Assembly meeting time and activities for publication in church bulletins, magazine, newspaper, KC Councils and Assemblies, where appropriate in the media.

COUNTRY - Ed Wiseman 388.2496

Veterans Program, free flags for churches and schools, supporting and promoting our National Flag, the Pledge of Allegiance, sponsoring an essay contest on patriotism, donating books, records and other educational materials to schools

SOCIAL - Barton Joseph 380-1630

Wives Appreciation and Award Dinner, Christmas Right To Life Pot Luck Dinner, Tunica trip, ball game, speakers at meetings or dinner, special social activities.

THE ORDER - James Montgomery 266-0300

The Eucharistic Celebration, Marion Adoration 40-Hour Devotion, Corporate Mass, Blue Mass, Mass of Thanksgiving, and Veterans Memorial Mass, visiting the sick, presenting a "Resolution of Condolence" to deceased family members, spiritual retreats and increase membership/admissions.

This outline is not intended to be all-inclusive. It needs additional ideas from the total Assembly. Your help and suggestions will be greatly appreciated. Please give the committee Chairman a call and offer a few minutes of your talents and skills.

RECENT EVENTS

1-April 13, Honor Guard for Bishop at St. Benedict of Auburndale, for the close of their Youth 2000 Retreat.

2-Name of Honor Guard participants at St Ann for Holy Thursday.

CJ Burti, Frank Hess, Bob McCurdy, Tom Willett, Joe Orsak, Pat Casey, Ed Wiseman, Tony Mulrooney, Ike Davidson, John Ross, Norm Hamby, Jerry Orcheski, Terry Glaser

for Palm Sunday: Frank Hess, Joe Orsak, Ed Wiseman, Tony Mulrooney, CJ Burti, Terry Glaser

3-April 3, Color Guard, Vietnam War Symposium at Cordova High School.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please keep in your prayers, Sir Knight Ed Kitts, Sir Knight James Ward (Chuck's uncle), Fr. Mike Morgera is having cataract surgery, Sir Knight Joe Orsak's nephew Donald Klock has an infection that has spread from his mouth to his lungs due to his teeth being removed as a result of smoking and chewing tobacco. Pray for the repose of the soul of David Lawrence's wife Sherri.

COMING EVENTS

1-April 25-28 Tennessee State Convention

2-- Read the Bible from your computer.... <http://www.drbo.org/>

3- St. Ann will have a Corporate mass every quarter

4- May 18, Marian Devotion at St. Philips in Somerville after the 9:30 AM Sunday Mass

5-Pray for our seminarian Kevin Stockbridge.

6- June 7, Wives Appreciation and Awards Dinner, 6:30 PM, Macaroni Grill.

HONOR GUARD COMING EVENTS

All events will be at the direction of John Haluska, Color Corps Commander

Happy Birthday to all those noted below

Chuck Ward-3rd; Leo Kearns-5th; Scott Reed-9th; Jim Sdoia-9th; George Poprik-10th;
Joe Clara-13th; JL Fisk-17th; Anthony Salvat-1-18th; Ray Duff-20th; Bill Hardy-22nd;
James Quinn-23rd; David McIntosh-24; Miles Merwin-29th; Martin H. Dolan-29th;
Lamont Burns-30th; Bill Smith DDS-30th.

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This Budget to be approved at the April business meeting.

**DEACON LEE R. HURST ASSEMBLY
BUDGET 2008-2009**

	2006-07	Proposed 2007-08	Proposed 2008-09	
FUNDS RECEIVED:				
GENERAL RECEIPTS:				
Dues	6,090.00	4,500.00	4,800.00	160 Paying Members
Social Refreshments at meeting.	1,150.00	440.00	180.00	
50/50 Meeting Activity			175.00	
Interest	12.00	50.00	30.00	
Sub Total	7,252.00	4,990.00	5,185.00	

EVENT RECEIPTS:

Exemplification:

Dinner Fees				
Advertising		100.00		
Co-Host Donations			100.00	
Candidates Fees				
Wives' Appreciation		200.00	1,000.00	50 @ \$20.
Christmas Dinner		200.00	1,000.00	50 @ \$20.
Seminarian Rebate		100.00	100.00	
Sub Total		600.00	2,200.00	

Grand Total Receipts		5,590.00	7,385.00	
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EXPENDITURES

ASSEMBLY OPERATING EXPENSES

Navigator's Discretionary	200.00	200.00	200.00
Color Corps/Honor Guard	300.00	150.00	150.00
Comptroller's Fee	537.00	410.00	384.00
Purser's Fee	50.00	50.00	50.00
Bank Chg/Adjustments	24.00	25.00	
Newsletter Printing	300.00	250.00	250.00
Newsletter Postage	390.00	330.00	492.00
Supplies Comptroller/Purser	500.00	300.00	200.00
Administrative Postage/copies	400.00	300.00	123.00
Flag Replacement	200.00	300.00	150.00
Name Badges	300.00	150.00	200.00
Sub Total	3,201.00	2,465.00	2,199.00

CONTRIBUTIONS:

District Master Fee		150.00	165.00
State Convention Program	200.00	150.00	100.00
Bishop's Open Program	100.00	100.00	100.00
Seminarian		500.00	500.00
VA Annual Program	200.00	200.00	300.00
Sub Total	500.00	1,100.00	1,165.00

MEMBERSHIP EXPENSE

Meeting Refreshments	1,400.00	720.00	500.00
Recruiting & Retention	100.00	150.00	85.00
Exemplification:			
Master's Fees			0.00
Dinner Expense		100.00	0.00
Printing/Mailing		400.00	0.00
Misc	100.00	100.00	100.00
Corporate Masses	100.00	100.00	75.00
Gifts and Awards	600.00	600.00	500.00
Awards Dinner		500.00	1,500.00 50 @ \$30.
Christmas Dinner		200.00	1,500.00 50 @ \$30.
Masses	300.00	100.00	100.00 4 * 5 masses @ \$5. ea
sub Total	3,600.00	2,970.00	4,360.00
Grand Total	7,301.00	6,535.00	7,724.00

Proposed slate of 2008-09 Assembly Officers

Faithful Navigator---David Zwissler -----Faithful Captain---Pat Casey -----

Faithful Admiral---John Stratman -----Faithful Pilot---Ray Meadows

Faithful Scribe---Jim Montgomery -----Faithful Comptroller---Bill Brickhill

Faithful Purser---Donnis Edwards -----Faithful Inner Sentinel---Charles Belak

Faithful Outer Sentinel---Jose Ibarra -----3rd Year Trustee---Dan Martini

These candidates to be voted upon at the May business meeting.



DEACON LEE R. HURST ASSEMBLY

April Meeting

Monday the 28th

St. Ann, Bartlett, TN

Fr. McGivney Hall

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