

# 73<sup>rd</sup> Spring Exemption - April 18, 2009 - The Northland Inn, Brooklyn Park MN

## Current Members

|  |       |
|--|-------|
| Sir Knights Registration \$5.00 each       | _____ |
| Friday Event \$19.00 each<br>Dinner/Social | _____ |
| Saturday a.m. Buffet \$15.00 each          | _____ |
| Main Banquet \$32.00 each                  | _____ |
| Vegetarian Banquet \$32.00 each            | _____ |
| Ladies Luncheon \$20.00 each               | _____ |
| Total                                      | _____ |

## Candidates

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Exemplification Fee<br>(Includes One Banquet Ticket) | <b>\$70.00</b> |
| Friday Event \$19.00 each<br>Dinner/Social           | _____          |
| Saturday a.m. Buffet \$15.00 each                    | _____          |
| Main Banquet \$32.00 each                            | _____          |
| Vegetarian Banquet \$32.00 each                      | _____          |
| Ladies Luncheon \$20.00 each                         | _____          |
| Total  | _____          |

Make checks payable to: **GoodSheperd Assembly**  
**Submit by March 25, 2009** 538 Cross St  
 Anoka, MN 55303-2568  
 (Please Print)  
 Member/Candidates: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Schedule

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| <b>Friday, April 17, 2009</b>  |                    |  |
| Registration   | 4:00 pm-8:00 pm    | Lobby, Northland Inn                             |
| Social/Dinner  | 6:00pm-8:00 pm     | Minnesota Room -- Northland Inn                  |
| <b>Saturday, April 18, 2009</b>  |                    |  |
| Breakfast Buffet   | 6:30 am-10:00 am   | America's Harvest Restaurant --<br>Northland Inn |
| Degree Team Practice   | 8:30 am            | Northland Ballroom                               |
| Registration   | 9:00 am-11:30 am   | Lobby, Northland Inn                             |
| Candidate Registration   | 11:00 am-11:45 am  | Pre-function Area --<br>Northland Ballroom       |
| Exemplification  | 12 Noon-3:00pm     | Northland Ballroom                               |
| Ladies Luncheon  | 11:30 pm-2:30 pm   | Minnesota Room -- Northland Inn                  |
| <b><u>Please do not serve alcohol in the hospitality rooms before Mass</u></b> |                    |  |
| Mass   | 4:00 pm            | Northland Ballroom                               |
| **All Sir Knights are welcome to be part of the Honor Guard.**                 |                    |  |
| Banquet<br>(Doors Open)  | 7:00 pm<br>6:30 pm | Northland Ballroom                               |

**Thank you for attending!**



**Knights Formal Wear**

**\$165.00**

**Tux Includes:  
Studs & Cufflinks  
Shirt  
Cummerbund**

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ASSEMBLY NO. 2604  
INVITES YOU TO JOIN**



**THE FOURTH DEGREE  
KNIGHTS  
OF  
COLUMBUS**



# Good Shepherd Tidings

## Fourth Degree

### *Knights of Columbus*

Anoka MN 55303-2568



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### Faithful Navigator Message

Dear Sir Knights & Ladies,  
Greetings, I hope that things in your life are going well this Lenten season. One of the many gifts God has given us is the gift of prayer. It is something we can do by ourselves or with others. We can do it outside or in, quietly to ourselves, or out loud for others to hear. We must make the time in our busy lives to spend time with him, to give him praise, to say thank you for all he has done for us and our loved ones. But, one of the things we must remember is to take time to listen to what he says.

April is a busy month for all of us, and no different for the Knights here at Good Shepherd Assembly. The first Sunday of the month is already Palm Sunday, where has the time gone? Our April meeting on Tuesday is a dinner and Mass with our Ladies. (Please make your reservation with our Faithful Captain). Holy Thursday and Good Friday follow, and then we celebrate the great gift God gave us: *Eternal life through his son Jesus dying on the cross for our sins.*

The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification is on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> at Northland Inn in Brooklyn Park. Please come and participate in the new degree and to welcome our Brother Knights into this great part of the Knights of Columbus, the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. Remember what William James said, "Act as if what you do makes a difference." It does!

*SK Bob Mathewson*  
*F. Navigator*

Good Shepherd Dinner Meeting  
Fridley Hall — April 7, 2009  
6:00 P.M. Mass — 7:00 P.M. Dinner  
Roast Beef -- Cost \$12.00  
Sir Knights and Ladies  
Reservation by Wednesday, April 1, 2009  
Please Call F. Captain Raymond Schelonka  
(763-786-6730) and please leave a  
message if I am not available.



### WE CARE

Please pray for: SK Don Allan, SK Clarence Ranollo, SK John Powers, and Sir Knight John Bachand's wife Shirley is suffering with cancer.

If anyone knows of a Sir Knight or Lady who is ill or injured, Please call Jack Hunt at 612-788-2189.

*SK Jack Hunt*



## Captains Message

Sir Knights and Ladies:

I pray that you are having a very Blessed Lenten Season. When we meet next time for Mass, Dinner and meeting it will be Holy Week. I would like everybody to try to attend the services which are held on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter. This is our faith.

The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification will be held in Brooklyn Park at the Northland Inn on April 18, 2009. We have a number of candidates for the Exemplification and it would be nice to support them by coming to this event.

April 7<sup>th</sup> will be our next Mass, Dinner and meeting. Our Faithful Friar Father Bernard Reiser will be sharing about Haiti. Please call Raymond Schelonka for your dinner reservations at 763-786-6730 by Wednesday, April 1, 2009.

*SK Ray Schelonka*  
*F. Captain*



## Faithful Admiral

Our prayers and sympathy to the family of SK Fred Mulvihill and his wife Elaine over her husband's death who died on February 20<sup>th</sup>. His service was held at St. Charles Borromeo Church with the rosary conducted by Fridley Knights of Columbus Blessed Virgin Mary council. The Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus Good Shepherd Assembly being the honor guard.

Our next dinner meeting will be April 7<sup>th</sup> with Mass at 6 PM.. Dinner following and meeting afterwards. Honor Guard will assemble at 5:30.

Our last meeting was poorly attended. Please try to attend this meeting. They are very important and we need your input.

Let us not forget this month is for St. Joseph and his feast day is the 19<sup>th</sup>. Please remember him and ask for his intercession for us and our assembly.

April 18<sup>th</sup> will be the installment of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. We will have 11 new members joining the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. Lets all show up and give them our support.

Inclosing:

God our Father,  
teach us to find new life through penance.  
Keep us from sin,  
and help us live by your commandment of love.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever.

*SK Jack Hunt*  
*F. Admiral*



## Guard Commander's Report

Please Honor Guard members, remember to come to attention when you are called to fall in and cease talking. We have new information to share with you and cannot do so effectively if you are still talking. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Recent Honor Guard Events:

February 19, 2009, there was an Honor Guard at Fridley Hall. It was a Vocations' Mass with Council #4381 and the Serra Club. We had eight Sir Knights in attendance.

The Good Shepherd Memorial Mass for deceased member Fred Mulvihill had eight Sir Knights in attendance—only

# GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GOLF GET TOGETHER K of C MEMBERS and FRIENDS

## VIKING MEADOWS GOLF COURSE

1788 Viking Blvd., East Bethel



**Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

Tee-off: 10:00 AM

Dinner: 5:00 PM Fridley KC Hall  
6831 Highway 65 NE  
Fridley, MN 55432



**\$80.00 ENTRY FEE (Pre-paid)**

Includes: Green Fee, Cart and Dinner

This event will be "A Four Person Scramble"

Dinner only - \$20.00

**ABSOLUTE** Deadline for making GOLF reservation is:

May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Note: If Golf Tournament is cancelled because of inclement weather, dinner WILL still be held

Make checks payable to: **GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY**

Mail to:

Clyde Paul  
2742 Lindsey Court  
New Brighton, MN 55112

For additional information, call:

Clyde Paul - 651-631-0235  
Orlin Wicks - 763-754-6787  
Bob Mathewson - 763-754-2892  
Ray Schlonka - 763-786-6730

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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five Sir Knights from our assembly and three from Nicollet Assembly.

Upcoming Honor Guard Events:

Saturday, May 30, 2009  
Epiphany Church  
Assembly: 7:30 AM  
Mass: 8:00 AM

Saturday, June 6, 2009  
St. Joseph Church  
Lino Lakes  
Assembly 10:00 AM  
Mass 10:30 AM

The Golf Tournament is scheduled for June 8, 2009, at Viking Meadows Golf Course. It's a four person scramble. Get your teams together now! The cost is \$80.00 per person. Prepaid includes golf, and dinner at Fridley KC Hall. Dinner is at 5:00 PM. **The registration deadline is May 29, 2009.** To registration your teams call: SK Orlin Wickes at 763-754-6787, SK Ray Schelonka at 763-786-6730, SK Bob Mathewson at 763-754-2892, or SK Clyde Paul at 651-631-0235. You can ask a neighbor, friend, or relative to be on your team.

Guard Commander  
SK Clyde Paul



*Minutes*

GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY  
MINUTES  
BUSINESS MEETING 03-MAR-09  
Fridley KC Hall

The Faithful Navigator Bob Mathewson called to order the Business Meeting at 7:30 PM. Open with an Our Father and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Faithful Inner Sentinel Robert Peterson reported that all in attendance were in possession of a current membership card. Faithful Comptroller Jim Gavlas reported officer attendance.

Attendance:

| Officer                               | Present | Absent |
|---------------------------------------|---------|--------|
| F. Friar: Rev. Bernard Reiser         | X       |        |
| F. Navigator: SK Bob Mathewson        | X       |        |
| F. Captain: SK Ray Schelonka          | X       |        |
| F. Pilot: SK Pat Shannon              | X       |        |
| F. Comptroller: Jim Gavlas            | X       |        |
| F. Scribe: SK Rick Jacobson           | X       |        |
| F. Purser: SK John Wilcox             |         | X      |
| F. Admiral: SK Jack Hunt              | X       |        |
| F. Inner Sentinel: SK Robert Peterson | X       |        |
| F. Outer Sentinel: SK Frank Perry Jr. |         | X      |
| F. Trustee 3rd Yr: SK Jerry Reitter   | X       |        |
| F. Trustee 2nd Yr: SK Pat Eames       |         | X      |
| F. Trustee 1st Yr: SK John Bachand    |         | X      |

The minutes were read from the 03-Feb-09 Meeting. Minutes approved.

Faithful Comptroller Jim Gavlas reported financial data:

Bills:

- Newsletter
  - US Postmaster
  - State Farm Ins.
  - Ray Schelonka (Flowers)
  - Bob Mathewson (Refund)
- Moved, seconded, and approved to pay bills.

Five New Candidates were approved and are as follows:

- Thomas L Hoffelder
- Arthur Roskowiak
- Donald L Sparks
- Fr. Shane A Campbell
- Jeffrey J Sands

The Faithful Captain gave the Pursers report in the absence of the Faithful Purser. Reviewed current balances in Checking, Savings, & CD's.

Faithful Guard Commander Clyde Paul gave his report and was disappointed in the attendance at recent Honor Guards re: Vocations Mass at Fridley KC, and the

Funeral of Sir Knight Fred Mulvihill. Faithful Trustee SK Jerry Reitter brought up that a file had been maintain in the past for Sir Knights Funeral Wishes, and that the file should be updated. Faithful Admiral Jack Hunt took this as an action. A discussion on whether the Good Shepherd Assembly should fund part of the cost of Regalia in order to get more members involved with Honor Guards. This was taken under advisement and will be discussed further at future meetings. (See Guard Report) A Practice session for Honor Guard will be held Tuesday 3/10/09 at St. Clements church at 7:00 P.M. All Members with regalia are asked to attend.

**The Faithful Guard Commander also announced the Annual Fourth Degree Golf Outing will be held Monday June 8, 2009 at Viking Meadows. The cost will be \$80 dollars again this year, and is the only Fund Raiser we Have!!!**

The Faith Navigator Talked about the Spring Exemplification to be held at the Northland Inn on Saturday April 18, 2009, and that he has been able to secure a Hospitality room. Needs volunteers to help, so please contact Bob. There will be an Informational Meeting on Monday March 16, 2009 at the Northland Inn at 7:00 P.M. Sponsored by the Nicollet Fourth Degree Assembly.

**Thanks to all members that recruited a New Member this year!! If all candidates recruited receive their Fourth Degree, I believe that will make (10) new members.**

The Faithful Captain and Trustee's have formed a Committee and a slate of officers for next year is being compiled.

Faithful Captain Schelonka brought up for discussion the availability of Meeting Places for next year, because of the tentativeness of the Fridley Knights of Columbus Hall. Therefore, with the availability of the Anoka Knights of Columbus Hall and discussion of keeping a standard meeting place rather than alternative Churches, etc. it was moved and approved to schedule next years' Meetings// Dinners at the Anoka KC Hall, starting in Sept. 2009.

Faithful Pilot Patrick Shannon brought up for discussion whether we should start a Permanent Dinner list for the

Good Shepherd Assembly. This was seen as a good idea, and was left to him to implement.

Conclusion 9:00 PM: Faithful Admiral Hunt lead closing Prayers.

*SK Rick Jacobson  
F. Scribe*

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**GOODSHEPHERDASSEMBLYOFFICERS  
2008-2008**

|                               |               |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>F. FRIAR</b>               |               |
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| SK Ray Schelonka              | 763-786-6730  |
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| SK Jim Gavlas                 | 763-427-4671  |
| <b>F. SCRIBE</b>              |               |
| SK Richard Jacobson           | 763-572-1403  |
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| SK Jack Hunt                  | 612.-788-2189 |
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| SK Robert Peterson            | 651-690-3708  |
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| SK Frank Perry Jr.            | 763-757-6241  |
| <b>F. TRUSTEE 1st YEAR</b>    |               |
| SK John Bachand               | 763-571-5125  |
| <b>F. TRUSTEE 2nd YEAR</b>    |               |
| SK Pat Eames                  | 763-422-1707  |
| <b>F. TRUSTEE 3rd YEAR</b>    |               |
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| <b>GUARD COMMANDER</b>        |               |
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## EVENTS

### March

**25<sup>th</sup> Applications and Payments due for Candidates**

### April

**7<sup>th</sup> 6:00PM Mass 7:00PM Dinner Sir  
 Knights & Ladies - Nominations of Officers**

**18<sup>th</sup> 73<sup>rd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Spring Exemplification -  
 Northland Inn, Brooklyn Park, MN**

### May

**5<sup>th</sup> 7:30PM Business Meeting  
 Sir Knight Only - Election of Officers**

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### Good Shepherd Assembly

Dear Patrick:

Thanks for your submission. We will include your report AND/OR photo in the next online posting of Knights in Action ([www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org)) on April 1, 2009. Your report will appear online only and will be viewable on the web site for approximately one month. Due to the volume of reports that we receive and the limited number of pages available in the magazine, the Columbia editorial staff has chosen to make certain reports available only on the Internet.

The Knights of Columbus web site has become an invaluable tool for councils throughout the world in the past several years. In view of the popularity of the Internet, the online edition of Knights in Action also has the potential to reach a much broader readership than the printed edition of Columbia, which is sent primarily to members. Your

submission helps the Order in our continuing task of building a strong Internet presence.

We look forward to receiving additional reports of your council's charitable activities in the future, which we will consider for inclusion in the printed edition of Columbia. Thanks again and please feel free to contact us with any questions.

*Pat Scalisi*

*Associate Editor - Columbia/Knightline  
 patrick.scalisi@kofc.org*

### Financial Hardship

If any Sir Knight cannot pay their dues due to the current economic conditions -- instead of being suspended, please let F. Navigator Bob Mathewson or F. Comptroller Jim Gavlas know. You can still be a Fourth Degree Knight in good standing -- you can pay the dues in the future when you can.

SK Jim Gavlas  
 F. Comptroller