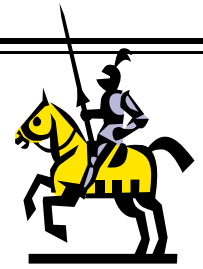




# St. Joe Knights



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## CALENDAR

Nov. 4	Feast of St. Charles Borromeo
Nov. 6-7	Knights pray rosary before Masses
Nov. 7	Council 13366 meeting, 11 a.m. 2nd floor, RE building
Nov. 10	Feast of St. Leo the Great
Nov. 11	Veterans Day Feast of St. Martin of Tours
Nov. 12	Feast of St. Josaphat
Nov. 13	Feast of St. Frances Cabrini
Nov. 17	Feast of St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Nov. 20	Work day at St. Vincent de Paul thrift store
Nov. 21	Feast of Christ the King Council 13366 dinner, 5 p.m.
Nov. 22	Feast of St. Cecilia
Nov. 25	Thanksgiving
Nov. 28	First Sunday of Advent
Nov. 30	Feast of St. Andrew, Apostle
Dec. 3	Feast of St. Francis Xavier
Dec. 4-5	Knights pray rosary before Masses
Dec. 5	Second Sunday of Advent Council 13366 meets
Dec. 6	Feast of St. Nicholas

# Council to hold dinner this month

**C**ouncil 13366 will be serving a dinner after the 4 p.m. Mass Sunday, Nov. 21. The dinner will be served in the parish hall. Council members will determine the menu at their Nov. 7 meeting.

Helpers are needed to cook, serve, set up for the dinner and clean up after the dinner. A sign-up sheet will be passed out during the meeting.

Members voted to hold dinners instead of breakfasts during the months the St. Joseph Old Cathedral religious education classes are in session.



## Kennedy gravesite work under way

### Knights of Columbus News Service

ARLINGTON, VA.—Restoration work started in late October at the gravesite of President John F. Kennedy, where the words of his inaugural address, engraved in a granite wall opposite the eternal flame over his tomb, have become difficult to read after decades of weathering. The restoration of the lettering is being underwritten by the Knights of Columbus, of which Kennedy was a member from 1946 until his assassination in 1963.

On Jan. 20, 2011, the nation will mark the 50th anniversary of his inaugural address, which is perhaps best remembered for the phrase, "Ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country." That quote, as well as others from the inaugural address and additional speeches, is inscribed in the gravesite wall. The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring an essay contest on the inaugural address for U.S. high school students this fall, ensuring that this generation of students will gain an appreciation of Kennedy's legacy.

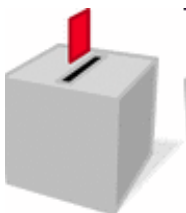


### Mark your calendars

Remember to set your clocks back one hour Saturday night, Nov. 6.

# Officer elections

Council 13366 will elect officers for the 2010-11 fraternal year. Here is the slate of candidates the council will consider at its Nov. 7 meeting.



Grand knight:	Sergio Correon
Deputy grand knight	John Richard
Warden	Dan Watkins
Chaplain	Fr. Bruce
Chancellor	George Frame
Advocate	John Leon
Recorder	Mike Schuman
Inside guard	Jorge Alarcon
Outside guard	Frank Kellert

Nominations also will be taken from

## Knights needed to pray rosary

Council 13366 members are encouraged to lead the reciting of the rosary before Masses on the first weekend of the month.

Members are also asked to attend the praying of the rosary to show support for this ministry.

If you can volunteer to lead in the praying of the rosary, call Brother Knight Karl Filer at 720-7015. Please consider helping with this.

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**Council dinner set this month**  
**Election of officers Nov. 7**

# My Corner

*Michael McNutt*

**R**alph and Alice came to be a part of my life unexpectedly. Their departure was even more stunning. And devastating. Outliving your dogs is about the hardest thing for a pet owner. Making a life-or-death decision is the toughest.

I didn't plan to adopt them both. I came across Alice, a blue-spotted English setter, on a website about the breed in May 2001. She was in a shelter in Raleigh, N.C., and her days were numbered. I made the call to the woman who was trying to find a home for her and agreed to fly the dog out here. Everything was in place, except a last-minute hitch—she had a brother in the same shelter.



**Ralph**

So I ended up with both—one of the best decisions I ever made. The woman in North Carolina rescued a bunch of dogs and named them after TV characters. Kathy and I had names picked out for them, but when we saw them their TV names of Ralph and Alice (after The Honeymooners) seemed perfect.

Ralph, an orange-spotted setter, was kind of a big galut. He was easy-going, gentle and liked going outside to patrol our fence line and watch birds and then dash inside to lay on an old bed in my office. Alice was smart and nimble. She could walk on two legs and liked to run up from behind me and gently put her front paws on my back. She helped me in the mornings to rustle Ralph out of his slumber for his walks and let me know if any dogs were still outside before I left for work.



**Alice**

They were almost 11 years old when they both died almost within 24 hours of each other in late October. Ralph laid down on my office floor by his beloved bed and died; Alice died the next day when it was discovered a large tumor along her spine was blocking her breathing. Surgery was impossible and there was no remedy.

Ralph and Alice seemed to always be grateful I rescued them. I will forever be grateful for the love and many laughs they gave me.

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