

# The Anchor



**MSGR. PAUL J.  
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**COUNCIL 4916**

**CAMBRIDGE,  
ONTARIO**

**FALL 2013**

## 2013-2014 COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Chaplain	Rev. Philip Sherlock	653-6123
Grand Knight	Paul O'Neill	658-4079
Deputy Grand knight	Paul Logel	654-9296
Chancellor	Stephen Sharma	653-3278
Recorder	Gary Foran	658-5292
Financial Secretary	Bernie Legault	748-2841
Treasurer	Walter Koluk	622-1968
Advocate	Joe Levai	653-5954
Warden	Andy Benninger	653-7339
Trustees	William Potts (1)	905-639-9952
	Colin MacDonald(2)	653-1221
	Bill Villeneuve(3)	7407525
Guards 1	Tim Eaton	658-4371
2	Ray Grubb	208-5697
Lecturer	Wilf Rettinger	653-6097
District Deputy	Daniel Schmalz	650-5523

## 2013-2014 SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL

Program Director	Gary Foran	658-5292
Church Director	Anthony Da Costa	650-5070
Community/Pro Life Director	Joe Levai	653-5954
Council Director	Dan Schmalz	650-5523
Family Director	Anthony DaCosta	650-5070
Youth Director	Daniel Schmalz	650-5523
Membership Chairman	Joe Beke	653-1221
Recruitment Chairman	Stephen Sharma	653-3278
Insurance agent	Neil Bouvier	877-497-4935

## 2013 – 2014 Speed River Community Hall Inc.

Grand Knight	Paul O'Neill	658-4079
Appointee	Rudy Bauer	653-7576
Appointee	Tim Eaton	658-4371
Elected 3 year		
Elected 3 year		
Elected 1 year		
Elected 2 year	Wilf Rettinger	653-6097

## 2013 – 2014 Preston Knights Inc.

Elected 2 year		
Elected 1 year	Carl Soloman	658-4729
Appointed	Bernie Legault	748-2841
Grand Knight	Paul O'Neill	658-4079
Appointed	Joe Levai	653-5954

*Hall phone: 519 – 653 -6903*

## CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE:



For the first time in 700 years a successor to St. Peter resigned from the Papacy. Pope Benedict, in doing so, told the Cardinals gathered in Rome to elect his successor, that they should choose the holiest one among them. Their choice, who chose the name Francis, has already made his presence felt.

Pope Francis has captured the hearts and minds of people of different faiths and no faith by his simplicity, his humility and his holiness. During Holy Week he visited a prison for juveniles in Rome and washed the feet of boys and girls, of Christians and Muslims. He has called on people everywhere to build a community where everyone belongs and no one is excluded. He has emphasized the responsibility of everyone to reach out to the poor and all those in need. He, by his actions, invites Knights of Columbus everywhere to join in and continue their efforts to build a world where everyone matters.

Father Philip Sherlock  
Chaplain

## GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:



Brothers:

As we begin this new Fraternal year let me say that it is a great honour for me to be your Grand Knight. When I was proposed as a Knight many years ago by Brother Patrick Murphy I did not know a lot about the Knights but thanks to the many great Grand Knights I have served with I have come to know and appreciate the wonderful work of our Order. It is my hope that I can continue this great legacy handed down to me and that I earn your respect and can help you to stay or become active Knights.

Father McGivney's mission will live on if we do our part. Our hope lies in the greatest participation of our membership. Herein is the challenge. This is where we need ALL our members to contribute and become involved. We need more ideas, input and activities to meet the ever-growing challenges of today's world.

If each Brother Knight would commit **to just 12 hours of service- only one hour a month-** our Council could significantly increase the role it plays.

To this end I have included a Member Interest survey that I would

ask you to return either by email, mail or drop off at the hall. This will give the executive an idea of where your interest and assistance can be best utilized.

It is my objective to increase member activity and socialize while carrying out the objectives of our founder, Father Michael McGivney. This can only be accomplished with your help.

John F Kennedy once said *“Do not ask what your country can do for you but rather what can you do for your country”*.

Let us take these words to heart as we consider our involvement in our Council.

We look forward to meeting you at our monthly meeting and functions.

Paul O’Neill  
Grand Knight

### NEW EXECUTIVE:



We thank those members of your executive who have agreed to take on the roles of leading your Council this year. We look forward to working with them as we move forward. A complete list is located on the cover page. Feel free to contact any executive with your questions or comments.

I thank all those who served us well this past year especially our Past Grand Knight Dan Schmalz who now moves on to be District Deputy for District 7. Well done.

### JUNE AWARDS DINNER:



On June 26 we had a very successful Awards dinner during which a number of awards were presented:

#### **25 year recipients:**

Harry Newinger  
Stephen Hannusch  
Donald Ciuciura

#### **Volunteer of the Year recipients:**

**Joe Beke:** Joe is a PGK, PDD and for over 20 years has been running our Car raffle. Thank you Bro. Joe .well done

**Rudy Bauer:** Rudy is PFS, has run a number of fundraisers as well as working on the Car Raffle for the last number of years. Rudy leads our First degree team and also looks after the LED sign at our entrance. Thanks Rudy

#### **Family of the year:**

**Anthony DaCosta:** Tony is our dedicated hall manager who runs fundraisers and ensures things are running smoothly. His entire family gets involved assisting at the hall. Well done Tony. Thanks

#### **Knight of the Year Recipients:**

**Joe Levai:** Our Treasurer, PGK, PDGK and regular attendee at meetings and events and is always there to help. Thanks Joe

**Danny Schmalz:** our GK for the last 6 years has been involved in every function planning many of them. Danny is involved at the district level

as North Diocesan Chair. On top of all this Danny spends countless hours looking after St. Clement Church. Dan now takes on the responsibility of District Deputy for District 7. Thanks Dan.

**NEW MEETING TIME:**



Please note that at our July meeting a motion was passed to change the starting time of our General Meetings in order that members may have more family time. *Therefore effective Sept. 11 our General Meeting will be held the Second Wednesday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.* The Executive meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. prior to the General Meeting. It is our hope that this will accommodate more members being able to become involved in your Council.

**GOOD OF THE ORDER:**



***"If you know of a member of this Council or an unassisted Brother of the Order, either sick***

***or in distress, please let either the Grand Knight or the Financial Secretary know"***

Brothers:

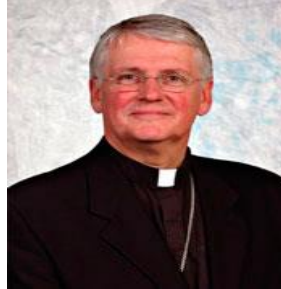
Please remember in your prayers a number of our Brothers who have lost family this last while in particular:

*Charles Renner, grandson of Brother Wilf Renner, Sarahan Galway, wife of Brother Richard Galway and Ivadell Goad, mother of Brother Tim Goad.*

*May their souls Rest in Peace.*

We also remember a number of brothers who are in need of our prayers.

**BISHOP'S DINNER:**



This years' Bishop's Dinner will be hosted by Maryhill Council on Sunday September 29. Tickets are available by contacting the Grand Knight, Paul O'Neill.

**FEATHER PARTY DEC. 4:**

Doors open at 6:00 pm. Draws start at 7:00 pm

Come join in the fun and win your



Christmas Turkey.

Everyone welcome - free admission

See you at the K. of C. Centre

Your support is needed.

## CHRISTMAS POT LUCK:



Plan now to attend our **Council Pot Luck on Friday Dec. 13 at 6:00 p.m. for Social, Dinner at 7:00 p.m.**

This is always an enjoyable evening with lots of door prizes.

Join the fun and camaraderie.

Just a reminder to bring your favourite Pot Luck dish as well as *your own place setting and cutlery.*



### SEPTEMBER 2013:

**Wed. Sept. 11 Executive Meeting 6:30p.m.**

Wed. Sept. 11 **General Meeting** 7:00 p.m.

**Sat. Sept.14 Regional Soccer Challenge Finals – St. Benedict 10:00 a.m.**

Sun. Sept. 15 ROSARY SUNDAY, Martyr's Shrine 12:00 p.m.

**Wed. Sept.18 SRCH Inc. Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

Sat. Sept. 21 Diocesan Mtg. Maryhill 9:00 a.m.

**Sun. Sept. 29 BISHOP'S DINNER, Maryhill, 4:00 p.m.**

Mon. Sept. 30 **Installation of Officers** at K of C Hall 7:00 p.m.

### OCTOBER 2013:

Wed. Oct. 9 Executive Meeting 6:30 p.m.

**Wed. Oct 9 General Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

Monday Oct 9 Thanksgiving Day

**Wed. Oct. 16 SRCH Inc. Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

Sun. Oct. 27 **3<sup>rd</sup> Degree** Exemplification St. Francis Xavier, Stoney Creek

### NOVEMBER 2013:

Mon. Nov. 11 Remembrance Day

**Tues. Nov.12 Memorial Mass St Gregory Church, 7:00 p.m.**

Wed. Nov. 13 Executive Meeting 6:30 p.m.

**Wed. Nov 13 General Meeting 7:00 p.m.**

Wed. Nov 20 SRCH Inc. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

### DECEMBER 2013:

Wed. Dec. 4 **FEATHER PARTY** 6:00 p.m.

**Wed. Dec. 11 Executive Meeting 6:30 p.m.**

Wed. Dec. 11 **General Meeting** 7:00 p.m.

**Fri. Dec. 13 Council Pot Luck 6:00 p.m.**

**Wed. Dec. 25 MERRY CHRISTMAS**



**CHANGES OF ADDRESS:**

If you change your mailing address or email address it is important that you let us know in order that we keep our lists updated to keep you informed.

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If you are receiving a printed copy of "The Anchor", please email me, Paul O'Neill at [pon@golden.net](mailto:pon@golden.net) so we can add YOUR email address to our roster, thereby reducing the costs of having to mail the bulletin.

If you have an item that our Brother Knights should be notified about please contact me. We will send out regular emails to our members, to inform them of last minute news, or remind them of coming events. Emails are sent BCC or Blind Carbon Copy, so your email address is kept confidential. If you don't have a personal email, perhaps a family member could receive these emails, print them, and give them to you

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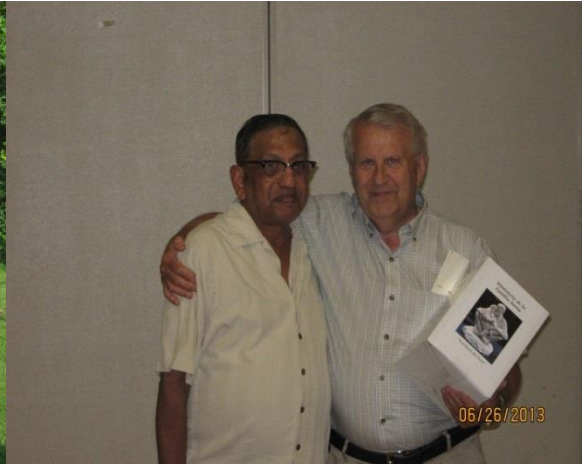


St Joseph School enjoyed the use of our Lounge for their June Graduation party.

**Awards and Steak Dinner June 2013**



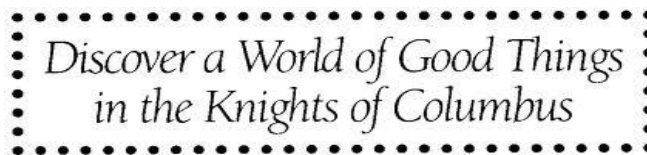
Chefs Stephen, Ron and Wilf



Family of the Year Tony da Costa Family



Volunteer of Year Joe Beke (Rudy Bauer-abs). Knights of Year Dan Schmalz, Joe Levai



**August 2013 Member Interest Survey**

As a member of Preston Hespeler Knights Council 4916, you are our greatest asset. We value your judgment, we appreciate your opinions, and we rely on your participation for continued success. Since joining the Knights of Columbus, you have undoubtedly become familiar with many of our varied programs of involvement – programs where you can personally apply your talents and fulfill your ambitions. In an effort to satisfy your desires and interests, we ask that you complete the following survey and return it to the Hall either personally or mail to:

Council 4916, 333 Speedsville Road, Cambridge, N3H 4R6

Email: [prestonknights@yahoo.ca](mailto:prestonknights@yahoo.ca)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please check your preferences for possible involvement:

- Vocations     Parish round table     Christ in Christmas
- Roses for life     Pro-life     Social activities     Phone committee
- Fundraising events     Free throw basketball     Soccer Challenge
- Coats for Kids     Tootsie rolls for Special Olympics     Essay contest
- Substance abuse poster contest     Christmas poster contest
- Communion breakfasts     Family events     Cultural events
- Recreation     Memorials     Ceremonials
- Other (specify)

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How can we improve our programs?

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On behalf of the Executive thank you for your attention to this request.  
Paul O'Neill, Grand Knight

