



**SPALDING ASSEMBLY 0206
4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
MAY 2017**

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NOTICE!!

May Business Meeting

The next regularly scheduled meeting of Spalding Assembly 0206, 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will be **Wednesday, May 10, 2017**, at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Radnor Road in Peoria.

If anyone wants to bring a snack to share, please feel free to do so!!

ON COURSE...SIR KNIGHT JIM COPES



Greetings Brother Knights,

Hopefully, I am getting myself back on course. This winter-spring has been a mental challenge between work and caring for my father-in-law. His issues are nearing the two-year mark of which I have spent countless hours with him as his caregiver. He has now entered into Hospice Care, which brings about new challenges and stress that I never imagined. I ask for you prayers for my father-in-law.

It has been frustration for me, not being able to participate as I know I should be. Hopefully this will work its way out soon. I truly appreciate the support from the other current and past officers in my absence.

We are now past Easter, and I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter. The weather is getting warmer and the grass is growing, truly God's gift for the dreary winter months. Please be careful as you start back into the routine of yard maintenance, as it is so easy to get injured working outside.

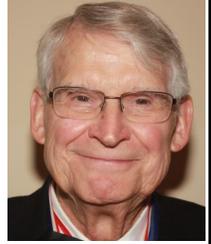
Yours in Christ,
Vivat Jesus
SK Jim Copes
Faithful Navigator

“Your love of liberty--- your respect for the laws --- your habit of industry --- and your respect of the moral and religious obligations are the strongest claim to national and individual happiness.”

-- George Washington (1789)

NOTE: Current Officers, please bring and turn in your Jewels of office at the May Meeting!!

MARCHING ORDERS SIR KNIGHT HERBERT BINGHAM



MAY HONOR GUARDS

Tuesday, May 9 - Confirmation at Blessed Sacrament in Morton - 7:00 p.m.
Dress at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 9 - Honor Flight Welcome Ceremony, Peoria International Airport -
Dress at 8:30 p.m. (Park at CEFCU parking lot)
Flight scheduled between 9:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 20 - Ordination to the Diaconate at St. Mary's Cathedral, Peoria - 10:30 a.m.
Dress at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 27 - Ordination to the Priesthood at St. Mary's Cathedral, Peoria - 10:30 a.m.
Dress at 10:00 a.m.

EARLY JUNE HONOR GUARD

Saturday, June 3 - Summer Institute Mass at Peoria Civic Center - 10:30 a.m.
Dress at 10:00 a.m.

SK Herbert Bingham, Faithful Captain

THE FOURTH WEDDING

The local news station was interviewing an 80-year old lady because she had just gotten married for the fourth time. The interviewer asked her questions about her life, about what it felt like to be marrying again at 80, and then about her new husband's occupation.

"He's a funeral director," she answered.

"Interesting," the newsman thought... He then asked her if she wouldn't mind telling him a little about her first three husbands and what they did for a living.

She paused for a few moments, needing time to reflect on all those years. After a short time, a smile came to her face and she answered proudly, explaining that she had first married a banker when she was in her 20's, then a circus ringmaster when in her 40's, and a preacher when in her 60's, and now—in her 80's—a funeral director.

The interviewer looked at her, quite astonished, and asked why she had married four men with such diverse careers.

"I married one for the money, two for the show, three to get ready, and four to go."