

Fwd: In God We Trust - event on 28 September

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Brother Knights,

This event is for veterans so you might want to pass on this information even if your not participating.

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Brother Knights,

Over the past two months, District Master Roger Muller has provided information on the “In God We Trust” event that will be held on September 28, 2019 at the Colorado Freedom Memorial at 756 Telluride Street, Aurora. The event is to reunite veterans with Christ at a Special Outdoor Mass celebrated by Bishop Jorge Rodriguez followed by a reception where veterans can connect with others who have served and others who can help with the journey back to their faith.

On the day of the event, the program looks like this:

- set up at 7:30AM,
- pre-event music at 10:30AM
- military Honor Guard presenting Flags w/National Anthem at 11:00AM
- Invocation by priest at 11:15AM
- introduction of two speakers at 11:30AM who will speak for 5 minutes each
- Mass celebrated by Bishop Rodriguez at 12:00PM
- then close ceremony with bagpipes and taps
- followed by a lunch reception & tour of grounds.

Help with clean-up will be needed at the end. It is hoped this can become an annual event reaching out to veterans, aiding them in their spirituality. As Knights of Columbus, we have been asked to assist the group of deacons with prior military service from the Archdiocese of Denver and provide a complimentary lunch to those who attend.

District Master Muller thought that a few assemblies from the Denver area could come together and put on a simple lunch of hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, and bottled water to serve about 500 people. That way no one assembly would incur the entire cost. So far a couple of assemblies and a couple of councils have donated some funds that may cover the costs and a few others have inquired about manpower needed. Time is getting short; here is what we need:

An Assembly or Council to step up and purchase the following:

1-Food

1a-Combination of hot dogs and hamburgers to feed 500

1b-Hot dog and hamburger buns

1c-Bags of individual size chips for 500

1d-Bottled water, bags of ice, coolers to keep water cool

1e-Individual packets of condiments, i.e. ketchup, mustard, relish

2-Charcoal, as the memorial site has 2 barbecues but they are charcoal. A few more gas grills would assist us in the ability to cook and serve faster and if a council or assembly has a large portable grill that would be even better.

3-Manpower, a minimum of 20-25 persons

The main need is for an assembly(s) or council(s) to coordinate this purchase and get the food/supplies to the venue. The District Master has an individual as point for recruiting persons for cooking and serving food but there are other areas at the event that are being manned by volunteers recruited by the deacons and they may need some assistance.

Like everyone else my time is severely curtailed this month as I will be attending the Provincial meeting out of state and my daughter is getting married the day of this event.

Please help make this event a success. Roger can be reached at rocoor@aol.com, 970-356-9207 or 970-371-6366.

Vivat Jesus,

Roger G Muller PSD

District Master

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