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**Our Lady of Perpetual Help**  
**Catholic Church**

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Upcoming Events

1/5 Business Meeting 7:00pm  
Carroll Center (dinner at 6:15)

1/11 Pancake Breakfast after the  
8:30am Mass – Carroll Center

1/22 36<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Roe v  
Wade Rosary, Mass, March  
Steps of the State Capitol

1/25 Free Throw Contest  
1:00pm, East Carroll Center

2/2 Business Meeting 7:00pm  
Carroll Center (dinner at 6:15)

2/8 Pancake Breakfast after the  
8:30am Mass – Carroll Center

2/14 Valentine's Dinner after  
the 5:00pm Mass – Carroll  
Center

2/21 First Degree Initiation  
9:00am – Carroll Center

## ***Knights of Columbus News January 2009***

**Chili Cook-off** – Thank you to all those who came out for the first annual Chili Cook-off. There were 14 great chili dishes to be sampled and money raised from the event went to help the Georgia Knights of Columbus purchase ultrasound machines for pregnancy resource centers in the state of Georgia. We hope more “tasters” will join us next year for a good evening of fellowship and chili.

**Georgia State Council Soccer Champion** – Congratulations to Julie Lloyd, the Georgia State Knights of Columbus girl's 10-year-old winner at the November 9, 2008 state competition in Griffin. Julie won her age group in both the Msgr. Regan Council 8731 competition September 21, 2008, and the District 18 competition October 19, 2008, to advance to the State Finals.

**Military Troop Support** – Again this year Msgr. Regan Council sent care packages to troops serving in Iran and Afghanistan. As any vet will tell you, care packages from home are manna from heaven. We thank all those parishioners who donated goodies for the packages. We couldn't do it without your support.

**Council Christmas Dinner** – Council members and their spouses joined together for the annual Christmas dinner. The dinner again this year was on the UWG campus. Unwrapped toys were collected for St. Vincent de Paul Society. Lincoln De Villier and Eddie Fazio were recognized as members of the Knights of Columbus for 67 and 62 years respectively.

**KofC Free Throw Championship** – The council will conduct a Free Throw competition for boys and girls ages 10 – 14 at the East Carroll Center in Carrollton Sunday, January 25 starting at 1:00pm. Winners of the Council competition will advance to the District competition at East Carroll Center Sunday, February 15 with winners at that level advancing to the Georgia State Free Throw Championship at Philips Arena beginning at noon on April 4. All competitors are eligible for a FREE ticket, with one paid admission, to the Atlanta Hawks vs Orlando Magic game following the State Competition. Get your order forms at the Council competition. For more information see the flyer in the parish bulletin.

***Want to become a Knight or learn more about the Knights of Columbus?*** All practical Catholic men, 18 years of age and over, are eligible for membership. See any Knight at one of the upcoming parish functions or contact Gene Brannon at 770-562-8278 or gmbrannon@yahoo.com.

