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**YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE
AMERICAN COUNCIL #8**

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American Council #8 meets the Second
St. Lawrence O'Toole's School Activity



Tuesday of each month at 8:00 pm in the
Center, 3695 High Street, Oakland, CA

~ THE PASSWORD ~

FEBRUARY 2017

Our FEBRUARY business meeting will be held on Tuesday February 14th at 8:00 p.m. in the school activity room.

DUES – Just a reminder for the Brothers who have yet to send in their dues. Please do so soon! Our Financial Secretary Brother Chris Mc Cann thanks all the brothers who have already sent theirs in.

Ash Wednesday this year is on March 1st, Lent begins.

Remember in your prayers Brother Joe Cunningham who passed away on Jan. 27th. Joe was Council President in the 1958 - 59 term and our Financial Secretary for many years. Our condolences to his wife Mary and family. Remember also our Brothers who are in poor health.

Please purchase or sell your Educational Foundation raffle tickets. This is an important fund raiser and the proceeds fund the prizes given out to the winners of the Essay Contest. The drawing follows the Red & White Mass.

The Red & White Mass, celebrating the YMI's 134th Birthday, will be held on Saturday March 11th at St. Rose Lima Church, 398 – 10th Street, Santa Rosa at 5:30 p.m. Mass. The banner procession will begin at 5:00p.m.

We do need three brothers to attend to represent the council, one to present our councils banner and two to bring up red and white roses to the alter.

Volunteers should call Brother Stu Mac Intyre at 510-451-2712.

There will be a dinner following the Mass

A good laugh and a long sleep are the two best cures

.....*Irish Blessing*

BIRTHDAYS:

Feb. 7 > Nick Moore, Jr

Feb. 14 > Phil Hickman

Yours for God and Country, Bob Berio, Recording Secretary