

Blue Knights' Club News

December 2, 2009: The parents and boys of the Blue Knights met this December. The boys received their virtue of Love patches and continued watching the music video of the mystery of the rosary, which focused on the Annunciation in preparation for Christmas. Mr. Carl Monti was the virtue speaker and did a wonderful lesson on the virtue of the Fear of the Lord.

Joseph Suess began the discussion by saying he was confused about the saying “the fear of the Lord” – why should we be afraid of God when he is loving? Mr. Monti did an excellent job of describing that many words have more than one meaning, such as the word “bow”, which could mean a bow, as in a bow and arrow, or bow as in a type of knot. In this way we can understand that the word fear has more than one meaning. The first is to be afraid, and another is to be in awe (or awesome) and respect for God. It is with the latter meaning that the Fear of the Lord is to be understood.

Mr. Monti explained why God deserves our respect and how awesome He is by showing that God is larger than the universe and yet smaller than the smallest atom. In effect God’s love is all-present and sustains our world. We are called to reciprocate by loving Him and fear only disappointing God when we fail to live up to His ways. “The Fear of the Lord is the beginning of Wisdom.” Truly by meditating on creation and seeing how great and awesome God is do we start respecting and loving God which leads to Wisdom.

The boys created nice Christmas ball decorations for their Christmas trees.



Mr. Monti explaining the awesomeness of God.



Mr. Fry with his son Seth making Christmas balls during craft time.