

## WE WILL BE PRAYING THE ROSARY IN THE LIBRARY OFF THE HALLWAY LOCATED NEXT TO THE MUSIC ROOM AT 6:30PM BEFORE OUR JUNE GENERAL MONTHLY MEETING

## COUNCIL MEETING JUNE 13, '19

The meeting of the Council will take place in the Library located off the hallway next to the parish offices & music room. The meeting will begin at 7:00pm.

## FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT:

Brother Knights,

**T**wenty four months ago I was elected to be Grand Knight of our Council. I was initially fearful of how I would be able to lead an already successful Council. I quickly learned that my biggest challenge would be keeping up with the hard working members of our Council.

**B**ecause of your efforts last year our Council earned the prestigious "Star Council" award. The Star Council award is like winning the Triple Crown of the horse racing world by meeting and exceeding our insurance goals, program goals and membership goals. Thanks to our Directors for ensuring we accomplished all of our program goals and thanks to our Membership Recruiter, Rob Schultz, for his tireless efforts to help our Council to grow, we now have over 200 members and of course thanks to everyone that purchased the Knight's insurance products this past year. Once again we finished first place in the state during the 2018 Developmental Disability Drive raising the most funds of all the Councils in the state. Thanks to Jim Ressler for Chairing the DD Drive for the past three years and thanks to everyone that took part in the Drive. **S**upreme gave us two new Faith initiatives, Building the Domestic Church and Faith in Action. Jerry Burmeister and our Council took this to heart by leading small men's faith groups at Jerry's house that developed into a parish wide faith and leadership

program "That Man is You" with over 100 men meeting every Saturday morning at 6:30 AM over a 26 week period.

**A**bove are just a few of the highlights over the past two years, but our Council has accomplished so much more in the parish and community by leading faith programs, donating thousands of dollars to local charities. to Incarnate Word, feeding the poor, leading blood drives, praying together for life and religious vocations, performing evangelization efforts with book and CD giveaways, upgrading the school lighting, performing youth competition events, helping at Felice Coures dances and taking a little time to have a few social events together. I'm proud to have been the Grand Knight of our Council for the past two years and would like to thank all our Directors, Officers and Members for their hard work and support over the past two years.

God Bless,

Chris Williams Grand Knight

## LADIES AUXILIARY MEMBERS:

Greeting Ladies,

The Ladies Auxiliary is on a hiatus for the summer so there will not be а newsletter article Ladies concerning the Auxiliary until we reconvene in September. Ladies, have a wonderful summer and enjoy yourselves.

Save the Dates: Rosary for Vocations After 8:45am Mass Sunday, June 16, 2019

Communion 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

After 8:45am Mass Sunday, June 30, 2019

#### **Family Picnic**

- The Knights family picnic on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- The Golf tournament is coming up on Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**H**ave a safe and enjoyable summer. See you all in September.

Sincerely,

Joan Mengwasser President

## LADIES AUXILIARY BIRTHDAYS:

#### June

Kay Villagran



Happy Birthday to You!

## KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Ladies Auxiliary Members:

Dolma Forgety Kay Villagran

Please keep them in your prayers.

## **BENEDICTION:**

Join your fellow Knights for Benediction at 8:45p.m. preceded by the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Sacred Heart Litany at 8:30p.m. every Wednesday at Incarnate Word Church.

## Rosary For Vocations: June 16, '19

**W**e will pray our rosary for Vocations on Sunday, June 16, after the 8:45am Mass. All members are welcomed to spend an extra 15 minutes after Mass to recite the rosary, so please plan to join us.

## KNIGHTS BIRTHDAYS:

#### <u>June</u>

Christopher Williams Thomas Zak Keith Bollinger Dr. William Sippo Bryan Hewing Steven Lohe



Jeffrey West Timothy Ney Horace (Buz) Peek Richard Miskell Jr.

*Happy Birthday* to you all and may you have many more to come.

## KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Father Timothy Vowels Lou Juranas Richard Rahubka Donald Mohrmann Larry Hoepfner Arsenio Receniello Al Villagran Que Purnell Nick Carter Charlie Shikany Kevin O'Sullivan

**P**lease pray for your brother Knights and may their illnesses and pains subside and may they get on the road to a speedy recovery very soon. May God be with you and guide you to a full recovery.

#### **FELICE CUORES:**

The dances are over for the first part of 2019.

See you in September!

<u>\*\*\*THANKS ARE</u> <u>EXTENDED TO ALL OF</u> <u>THE VOLUNTEERS THAT</u> <u>GAVE THEIR TIME. YOU</u> <u>ARE WHAT MAKES THESE</u> <u>DANCES WORK\*\*\*</u>

## Communion $5^{TH}$ Sunday:

**O**n Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, all Council members and their spouses along with the Ladies Auxiliary are invited to gather at the 8:45am Mass and celebrate Mass together.

**T**he Council's Honor Guard will be present for the Mass so plan on attending this Mass.

**A**fter Mass, please join us in the lower church hall and enjoy some fellowship along with bagels, donuts, coffee and juice.

## Patriotism Degree - Holy Spirit Assembly Notes:

The Fourth Degree Holy Spirit Assembly 3588 holds their meeting on the fourth Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm. See you on Wednesday, June 26, 2019 at Incarnate Word Church in the lower church hall for the next Assembly meeting. Incarnate Word is located at 13416 Olive Boulevard, Chesterfield, MO. 63017.

Visit the website: HOLY SPIRIT ASSEMBLY, ASSEMBLY #3588 at www.kofcassembly3588.org for more information.

## COUNCIL FAMILY PICNIC:

Mark your calendars!

Location: Creve Coeur Park at the Greensfelder
Memorial Shelter.
Date: Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Starting at 12pm – until the food and drinks are gone. **Cost**: \$12 per family or \$6 per individual. **C**ome enjoy a picnic with your fellow Knights and families. Invite someone vou know that may be interested in joining the Knights of Columbus. Brats/Burgers/Hot Dogs/Baked Beans and drinks will be provided. **P**lease bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will have yard games to play and plenty of food to enjoy. **C**all or email Eric Bergmann to make reservations or if vou have any questions at 636-532-7017 or bergy2844@sbcglobal.net

## 2019 GOLF TOURNAMENT:

#### SAVE THE DATE!

The Council's Annual Golf Tournament for 2019 will be held at *Links at Dardenne Golf Course on Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019.* 

The Links of Dardenne is located at 7000 Brassel Drive off of the South Outer Road of Highway K which is approx. 3.5 mi. north of Hwy. 40/64.

It will be a 4 Man Scramble with a shotgun start time of 1:30pm.

We are in need of gift certificates, tickets to sports venues, golf related door prizes and auction items. We are also looking for company sponsorship and hole sponsors. Please ask your employer or if you are an employer, please consider sponsorship. We need all the Council membership's help and participation in regards to the above. This should be a great tournament. Remember that all proceeds from the tournament will be distributed to MAKE A WISH, Friends of Kids with Cancer, the Academy of St. Louis and the Incarnate Word One Classroom Program.

We will be doing the Bucket Of Booze again this year at the tournament and we are asking all of the members to donate a bottle of your favorite spirits, beer or wine and bring those to the Council meetings leading up to the tournament. We are also looking for gift certificates from local restaurants for the silent auction.

## GREATER ST. LOUIS CHAPTER NEWS:

Brother Knights and Ladies,

The "Chapter" consists of 4 Fourth Degree Assemblies, 11 Districts and 56 Councils located in St. Louis City and St. Louis County – hence the Greater St. Louis Chapter. Conservatively, the Councils' membership totals more than six thousand Third and Fourth Degree Knights. Upon payment of dues, each Council is allowed 3 delegates and 1 alternate for voting on business matters and election of officers. **T**he Chapter meets on the 4th Monday at the Epiphany of our Lord Parish, Assumption Room, 3164 Ivanhoe Avenue, 63139 (Near Arsenal and Jameson) The Knights begin by praying the Holy Rosary of our Blessed Lady at 7:15 PM. A light meal and beverages are offered and a one hour interactive general business meeting follows with dismissal by 9 PM. There are no meetings scheduled in May and December due to Memorial Day and Christmas commitments. **T**he Chapter is designed to educate and inform District Deputies, Faithful Navigators, Grand Knights, Council leaders and delegates about programs, goals, resources and opportunities for Assemblies and Councils to survive and thrive while evangelizing and spreading the messages of Knighthood and our Catholic faith. Our Chapter Chaplain shares valuable reflections and prayers during the meeting. **M**issouri State Officers and Chairmen address the meeting participants on matters key to the success of our State, Assembly and Council programs. Knights are thus equipped to take the messages and resources to their Brother Knights. Speakers vary from meeting to meeting. Topics are seasonal and handouts are generous and valuable for reproduction and dissemination to all your fellow Knights and Ladies.. **A**nnual Chapter dues are \$50 payable by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

The link to the Greater St. Louis Chapter website is <u>https://sites.google.com/sit</u> <u>e/stlchapterkofc/home/me</u> <u>mber-councils-1</u>.

Peace,

Stan Mengwasser, Trustee Greater St. Louis Chapter Knights of Columbus 314-469-1713

## IW KNIGHTS FACEBOOK:

If you have anything you want posted on the IW Knights Facebook page, please place at the top of the email "PLEASE POST ON IW KNIGHTS FACEBOOK" so I will know to post it on our Facebook and not have to guess as to whether the email I get is to be posted on Facebook or not. Thanks for your cooperation and understanding.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Mr. Bryan V. Hewing New Media Coordinator, & Webmaster, Incarnate Word Knights of Columbus Council #9981 (Chesterfield, MO)

# TO THOSE THAT ARE RETIRED:

#### Knights, are you retired?

#### Then let's do lunch!

If you are a Knight and have retired, you are invited to join us for lunch on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month. We meet at a local pub for a bit of food, conversation, laughs and fellowship.

There are no dues and no structure. That means coming to lunch when you are available. The conversations are open to any subject you want to discuss including politics and religion.

We meet at Harpo's Bar &

**Grill** (in the Hilltown Village Center at the corner of Olive Blvd. and Chesterfield Pkwy. East). The time is **1:00 pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month**.

If interested, contact Buz Peek (tel:314-576-4033; email peekstl@gmail.com) to receive a monthly notice. We also like to know how many are coming so the pub can place extra tables together for us

## ADORATION CHAPEL:

**T**he Adoration Team needs you! Please prayerfully consider joining us to ensure that Jesus is never alone in the chapel. We have lost several adorers recently and continue to need help with several hours that do not have anyone assigned to them along with other hours where Adorers are looking for prayer partners. **S**pending time with Jesus is a great way to enrich your spiritual and personal life. You will leave the chapel feeling renewed and healed. **W**e are desperately in need of ADORERS see the parish bulletin for a list of SOS time slots that need to be filled.

The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic Adoration. Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love." ~ Pope John Paul II wrote, "You can make a difference for yourself and the world!!!" When you can't make it to your hour, please contact your partner if you have one, or call a sub to ensure someone will be there. Sub lists are on the back wall of the Chapel.

**P**lease contact Julia Lewis @ 314-974-4548 or by email at julielewis@sbcglobal.net for questions or to sign up.

# PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:

**P**lease remember the following prayer whenever possible for the benefit of Church Vocations. **H**eavenly Father, bless your

heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters.

**G**ive those you have called to the married state and

those you have chosen to live as a single person in the world, the special graces that their lives require.

**F**orm us all in the likeness of your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him, we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere.

**W**ith Mary, we ask this through Christ our Lord.

## FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER:

If any Knight knows of any Brother Knight who is sick or if there was a death of a member in a member's immediate family, please contact Buz Peek at 314-576-4033 to organize support.

The Knights are committed to assist any widow of a deceased Knight. If you know a widow of a Brother Knight or a member in need, please contact our Grand Knight, Chris Williams at 314-576-0878.

## MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:

know a Catholic You gentleman who would be a fine addition to our Council!!! Have you invited him to join? If please extend the not. invitation ----- if you have asked ----- please again invite him to join. You are providing an opportunity for entry into the finest Catholic Fraternity in the

world. If you wish assistance, contact Rob Schultz, Membership Director, 314-205-8135.

## **EDITOR IN CHIEF:**

**P**lease help in assisting me in the publishing of this newsletter by providing me feedback on the newsletter and by submitting your monthly column as early as possible.

Any member of the Council can submit articles for the monthly newsletter. If you have an article to submit, please forward it to me by the deadline for newsletter articles.

Jeff Grotegeers 1255 Richland Meadows Dr. Ballwin, Mo. 63021 or e-mail to: <u>gcgrote@gmail.com</u>

## **DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES:**

**F**or the July 2019 newsletter, the deadline will be June 27, 2019.

## BITS & PIECES:

#### TEN THINGS GOD WON'T ASK ON THAT DAY.

1.... God won't ask what kind of car you drove. He'll ask how many people you drove who didn't have transportation.

2.... God won't ask the square footage of your house, He'll ask how many people you welcomed into vour home. 3.... God won't ask about the clothes you had in your closet, He'll ask how many vou helped to clothe. 4.... God won't ask what your highest salary was. He'll ask if you compromised your character to obtain it. 5.... God won't ask what your job title was. He'll ask if you performed your job to the best of your ability. 6.... God won't ask how many friends you had. He'll ask how many people to whom you were a friend. 7.... God won't ask in what neighborhood you lived, He'll ask how you treated your neighbors. 8.... God won't ask about the color of your skin, He'll ask about the content of vour character. 9.... God won't ask why it took you so long to seek Salvation. He'll lovingly take vou to your mansion in heaven, if You've asked Him into your heart, and not to the gates of Hell. 10.... God won't have to ask how many people you forwarded this to, He already knows your decision

## Why the student received 0% on the Test

Q1. In which battle did Napoleon die? Ans. his last battle

Q2. Where was the Declaration of Independence signed? Ans. at the bottom of the page Q3. River Ravi flows in which state? Ans. liquid

Q4. What is the main reason for divorce? Ans. marriage

Q5. What is the main reason for failure? Ans. exams

Q6. What can you never eat for breakfast? Ans. Lunch & dinner

Q7. What looks like half an apple? Ans. The other half

Q8. If you throw a red stone into the blue sea what will it become? Ans. It will simply become wet.

Q9. How can a man go eight days without sleeping? Ans. No problem, he sleeps at night.

Q10. How can you lift an elephant with one hand? Ans. You will never find an elephant that has only one hand.

Q11. If you had three apples and four oranges in one hand and four apples and three oranges in other hand, what would you have? Ans. Very large hands

Q12. If it took eight men ten hours to build a wall, how long would it take four men to build it? Ans. No time at all, the wall is already built.

Q13. How can you drop a raw egg onto a concrete

floor without cracking it? Ans. Any way you want, concrete floors are very hard to crack.

## Fraternal Years of 2019 – 2020 Slate of Council Officers For Election

Chaplain	Fr. David Hogan
Grand Knight	Jim Ressler
Deputy Grand Knight	Jason Thurmond
Chancellor	Bud Avery
Recorder	Kevin Stanley
Treasurer	Jeff West **
Advocate	Vince Throckmorton
Warden	Denis Dementer
Inside Guard	Nick Copeland
Outside Guard	Bryan Hewing
Trustee 1yr	Don Mueller
Trustee 2yr	Bill Davis
Trustee 3yr	Chris Williams
Financial Secretary	Gene Fallert **
Lecturer	Nicholas Zak

#### \*\* Would like to be replaced within 12 months

#### Recording Secretary Meeting Notes Of Thursday, May 09, 2019 Council #9981 Meeting

Dan Huss described an opportunity to work with the Incarnate Word Youth Group. He suggested that we participate in Christ Power week, working side by side with the kids. Grand Knight, Chris Williams, called the meeting to order at 7:13 pm.

Chaplain Grand Knight	Fr. Hogan Chris William	Excused Present
Deputy Grand Knight	Jim Ressler	Present
Chancellor	Bud Avery	Present
Recorder	Kevin Stanley	Present
Treasurer	Jeff West	Excused
Advocate	Vince Throckmorton	Present
Warden	Denis Demeter	Excused
Inside Guard	Ronald Weiss	Present
Outside Guard	Ed Ferder	Absent
Trustee 1yr	Bill Davis	Excused
Trustee 2yr	Don Mueller	Excused
Trustee 3yr	Dave Goetz	Excused
Financial Secretary	Gene Fallert	Present
Lecturer	Nick Zak	Present
District Deputy	Jerry Lamoureux	Present

The minutes from the April meeting were accepted and approved by the Council.

#### Grand Knight Report: Chris Williams

- Annual election of officers reading of the names will be tonight and again in June, followed by a vote.
- Deacon Ritter will be ordained Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>. The Knights donated \$500 to assist him with expenses.

#### Membership: Rob Schultz

• Next Thursday's Admissions Degree is at Ascension Parish.

#### Treasurer: Jeff West - Excused

• As of end of April 2019

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0	Prev. Balance:	\$
0	Deposits:	\$
0	Less Check Clear:	\$
0	Bank Balance:	\$
0	Net Funds Avail:	\$36,400

#### Finance Secretary: Gene Fallert

• As of end of April 2019

0	Income:	\$19,656.00
0	Disbursements:	\$12,037.58

• Savings: \$26,455.00

#### Trustees Report: Dave Goetz, Don Mueller & Bill Davis

• No report

#### Holy Spirit Assembly No. 3588: Dave Goetz

- Assembly
  - Meeting is twice a month.
  - $\circ$  Trivia night is October 26<sup>th</sup> this year.
  - There are 280 members currently.
  - Fourth Degree will be March 7, 2020

#### Fourth Degree/Honor Guard: Stan Mengwasser

- Convention Report
  - Met in Jefferson City
  - Jerry Herbert Elected Treasurer
  - Victor Vendor Elected Warden
  - Two delegates from our Council attended
  - Holy Spirit Assembly Choir sang at the Mass

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification: Jeff Grotegeers

- Exemplification for 2020 will be March 7<sup>th</sup>
- Need 3 more candidates by the end of June to get enough to qualify for Star Assembly (26 total)

#### Deputy Grand Knight - Jim Ressler

#### **DD Drive:** Jim Ressler

• Need new participants to assist in the DD Drive as Jim will be stepping down as coordinator.

#### Pro Life & Building the Domestic Church - Jerry Burmeister

- May 21<sup>st</sup> will be the Thrive Parent University Graduation at 6pm at Grace Church in Maryland Heights
- Thrive Annual Dinner at St Charles Convention Center on Saturday Sept 28<sup>th</sup>.

#### Third Sunday: Dave Goetz

• Rosary for Vocations is Sunday, May 19, following the 8:45am Mass

#### Faith Director: Ted Juen

- Thanked all for assistance in distributing the books.
- Have distributed about 33K books and CDs since we started

#### Chancellor: Bud Avery

• Had invited a guest speaker, Al Villagran, for tonight who fell and hit is head so he was unavailable for tonight. Will potentially speak next week.

#### Community Director: Jason Thurman/ John Owens/Vince Throckmorton/Tom Schneider

- John Owens Approx 250 coats were distributed.
- Tom Schneider

- Youth group Christ Power week of June 10-14 to work with the kids.
  - Consideration of providing some financial assistance to help defray cost for those who cannot pay.
  - Tom will distribute the information about the options to participate
- Vince Throckmorton Roadside cleanup will be May 11<sup>th</sup>

#### Felice Cuores: Ron Weiss

- The next dance will be on
- Saturday, May 11. This is the last dance of the season until Sept. Starts at 7pm and ends at 10pm.

#### Family Director: Eric Bergmann

- Family picnic on Sunday, July 28th
- Fifth Sunday Mass and breakfast on June 30<sup>th</sup>

#### Council Director: Andy Dyszlewski/Jeff Grotegeers

- Blood Drive will be May 18<sup>th</sup> from 7:30am to 1pm.
  - Need help for setup and for teardown
  - Clipboards after Mass this week
- Admissions Degree in July (date TBD)
- Golf Tournament will be Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>

#### **Condolence Director:** Buzz Peek

• Dick Thomas passed away April 18th.

#### Life Director: Steve Dickhut

- \$3K from the Mardi Gras to go to Cardinal Glennon
- Need help painting pipes on the roof of the church- Call Denis Demeter or Jim Kloeckner

#### District Deputy #54: Jerry Lamoureux

• Challenge to invite someone out to coffee or to the Parish and tell them what you love about the Catholic faith.

#### Chaplain's Remarks: Fr Hogan

• Not in attendance.

#### **Request Prayers for Special Intentions**

• Prayers were said for members' special intentions

#### Unfinished Business:

• None

#### **New Business:**

• Reading of officer nominees

#### Field Agent Report: Patrick McNeil

• No report.

#### Good of the Order:

• Happy Birthday to all brothers celebrating their birthday in May.

#### 50/50 Drawing

Closing Prayer: Three Hail Mary's and a Glory Be for the end of abortion

Meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm. Next Council meeting to be held on June 13 at 7:00pm

## 2017 - 2019 Council Officers

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## **District Deputy**

Jerry Lamoureux

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## **Insurance Resource**

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State Website located at: http://www.mokofc.org

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## Calendar of Events

Council Meeting	Thursday, June 13 <sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM
Prayer for Vocations	Sunday, June 16th after 8:45AM Mass
Deadline for the July '19 Newsletter	June 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
Benediction	8:45PM Every Wednesday
Communion 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Sunday, June 30 <sup>th</sup> after 8:45AM Mass
Family Picnic	Sunday, July 28 <sup>th</sup> at 12:00pm
Golf Tournament	Saturday, September 14 <sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm