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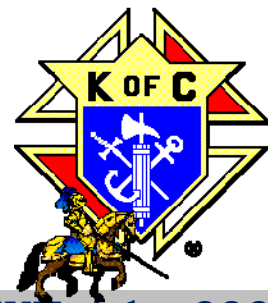
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COUNCIL MEETING JULY 11, '19

The meeting of the Council will take place in the Watson Room located in the lower church hall.

The meeting will begin at 7:00pm.

FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT:

Brother Knights,

I am honored to be Grand Knight of our Council and share the prosperous giving and service offered by our members.

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight." Prov 3:5-6 This verse has been an anchor for me when facing challenges (and fears). So I pray it again as Grand Knight. I look forward to serving with

you and seeing the good God does in our midst when we do what we can for God and each other.

Many thanks to Chris Williams for his leadership these past two years. I have learned much from his example, and have confidence that Council 9981 will continue our outstanding giving to our Catholic church and community.

We did very well serving the youth during the Christ Power week in June. Thank you all who served in any way. Combined with a Blues Stanley Cup victory, we join our youth in treasuring that special week of service and fellowship.

I hope you can participate in most of the activities coming up - picnic, TMIY, council golf tournament, and the DD Drive. We have many new members - try to meet someone you don't know and make a friend.

Let's keep trusting God and working together. We will be amazed by what is possible with God.

God Bless,

Jim Ressler
Grand Knight

LADIES AUXILIARY MEMBERS:

Greeting Ladies,

The Ladies Auxiliary is on a hiatus for the summer so there will not be a newsletter article concerning the Ladies 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, July 21, 2019

Family Picnic

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

Have a safe and enjoyable summer.

See you all in September.

Sincerely,

Joan Mengwasser
President

LADIES AUXILIARY BIRTHDAYS:

July

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: JULY 21, '19

We will pray our rosary for Vocations on Sunday, July 21, 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:

July

Barry Sullivan
Stan Mengwasser
David Kennedy
Joseph Bottini
Bud Avery



Bill Davis
Joseph Allison
Joseph Charnowski
Ed Ferder
Roberto Raimondi
Brian McFerron
Timothy O'Grady

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

Please 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.

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, July 24, 2019 at St. Clare of Assisi church in the cafeteria for the next Assembly meeting.**

St. Clare of Assisi is located at 15642 Clayton Rd., Ellisville, MO. 63011.

Visit the HOLY SPIRIT ASSEMBLY #3588 website 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 28th, 2019. Starting at 12pm – until the food and drinks are gone.

Cost: \$12 per family or \$6 per individual.

Come enjoy a picnic with your fellow Knights and families. Invite someone you know that may be interested in joining the Knights of Columbus.

Brats/Burgers/Hot Dogs/Baked Beans and drinks will be provided.

Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will have yard games to play and plenty of food to enjoy.

Call or email Eric Bergmann to make reservations or if you have any questions at 636-532-7017 or

bergu2844@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 14th, 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.

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 4th 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 4th 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:

The 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.

Spending time with Jesus is a great way to enrich your spiritual and personal life. You will leave the chapel feeling renewed and healed.

We 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.

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

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:

Please remember the following prayer whenever possible for the benefit of Church Vocations.

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

Give 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.

Form 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.

With 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:

You know a **Catholic** gentleman who would be a fine addition to our Council!!! **Have you invited him to join?** If not, please extend the 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:

Please 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
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Ballwin, Mo. 63021
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DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES:

For the August 2019 newsletter, the deadline will be July 29, 2019.

BITS & PIECES:

Patriotic Quotes

“Ours is the only country deliberately founded on a good idea.” ~ John Gunther

“There are those, I know, who will say that the liberation of humanity, the freedom of man and mind, is nothing but a dream. They are right. It is the American dream.” ~ Archibald MacLeis...

“A man’s country is not a certain area of land, of mountains, rivers, and woods, but it is a principle; and patriotism is loyalty to that principle.” ~ George William Curtis

“Those who won our independence believed liberty to be the secret of happiness and courage to be the secret of liberty.” ~ Louis D. Brandeis

“My God! How little do my countrymen know what precious blessings they are in possession of, and which no other people on earth enjoy!” ~ Thomas Jefferson...

“Loyalty to the country always. Loyalty to the government when it deserves it.” ~ Mark Twain...

“In the truest sense, freedom cannot be bestowed; it must be achieved.” ~ Franklin D. Roosevelt...

“Freedom is the oxygen of the soul.” ~ Moshe Dayan...

“Democracy is the government of the people, by the people, for the people.” ~ Abraham Lincoln...

“And so, my fellow Americans, ask not what your country can do for you; ask what you can do for your country. My fellow citizens of the world, ask not what America will do for you, but what together we can do for the freedom of man.” ~ John F. Kennedy

“True patriotism hates injustice in its own land more than anywhere else.” ~ Clarence Darrow...

“Patriotism is not short, frenzied outbursts of emotion, but the tranquil and steady dedication of a lifetime.” ~ Adlai Stevenson

“They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.” ~ Benjamin Franklin

“There is nothing wrong with America that cannot be cured by what is right with America.” ~ Bill Clinton



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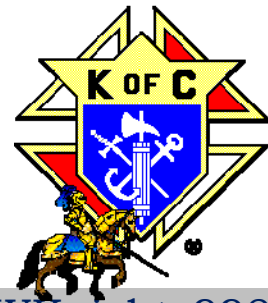
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Resolution to Allocate Funds for the "That Man is You" Program - July 2019

Be it resolved that Council 9981 plans to continue a second year of support to the "That Man is You Program" (TMIY) at Incarnate Word Parish in coordination with our Parish Clergy. TMIY is a weekly program with two sessions of thirteen weeks, each designed to develop men in the Catholic faith. TMIY is an ideal Segway from the Knights Faith in Action Program including our current Into the Breach study group. Data from others indicate that between 5-10% of the Parish men may become active participants.

Be it further resolved that Council 9981 hereby allocates \$1,000 to pay for the initial cost of books, banners and other small items needed to start the program. The participants will be charged \$10 per book to replenish the program funds which will be used to help fund the purchase of food for breakfasts on the mornings of the program.

Breakfast is one of the three parts of the weekly program – breakfast; video; small group discussions. Council 9981 intends to raise or collect additional funds to cover breakfast expenses from one or more of the following resources: (i) funds from performing fundraisers (such as pancake breakfasts); (ii) funds provided by the parish; (iii) funds collected through good will offerings from participants.

To have supplies available to meet the scheduled start date of the TMIY Program, this resolution requests the temporary withdrawal of \$1,000 from Council 9981's General Fund. The amount of \$1,000 will be deposited back into the General Fund upon drafting of and approval by the members of the 2019-2020 Charitable Contributions Memo which will include this donation as a line item in the Church Activities budget allocations.

Recording Secretary Meeting Notes
Of Thursday, June 13, 2019
Council #9981 Meeting

Deputy Grand Knight, Jim Ressler, called the meeting to order at 7:30pm due to the absence of GK, Chris Williams.

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

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

Grand Knight Report: By DGK, Jim Ressler

- Annual election of officers – will take place at the end of the meeting.
- Thanks go out to Chris Williams for his great leadership over the past two years with the Council obtaining Star Council this year.
- A Thank You letter from Dan Huss was read thanking the Council with our help during the past Life Teen Christ Power retreat.
- Thanks to all of the Council members that volunteered and helped with the Christ Power retreat.

Membership: Rob Schultz

- A new member to the Council, Kevin Flanagan, was introduced to those present. Kevin was the 14th new Knight to the Council for the 2019 fraternal year.

Treasurer: Jeff West - Excused

- No Report
 - Prev. Balance: \$
 - Deposits: \$
 - Less Check Clear: \$
 - Bank Balance: \$
 - Net Funds Avail: \$

Finance Secretary: Gene Fallert

- As of end of May 2019
 - Income: \$ 1,132.00
 - Disbursements: \$11,083.00
 - Savings: \$26,456.00

Trustees Report: Dave Goetz, Don Mueller & Bill Davis

- No report

Holy Spirit Assembly No. 3588: Dave Goetz (presented by Stan Mengwasser)

- Assembly
 - Assembly meets twice a month. On the second Wednesday of each month is a planning meeting and the fourth Wednesday is a general meeting for all Assembly members.
 - Trivia night is October 26th this year.
 - There are 380 members currently with 100 members from Incarnate Word.

Fourth Degree/Honor Guard: Stan Mengwasser

- Supreme will eliminate the old Honor Guard regalia as of June 30th.
- There will be an announcement from Supreme concerning the new uniform for the Honor Guard.

4th Degree Exemplification: Jeff Grotegeers

- Exemplification for 2020 will be March 7th
- Need 3 more candidates by the end of June to get enough to qualify for Star Assembly (26 total)
- Gene Fallert will be one of the candidates to take his fourth degree in Kirksville on June 29th.

Deputy Grand Knight – Jim Ressler

DD Drive: Jim Ressler

- There are four members that have volunteered to take on committee head positions for the planning of the upcoming 2019 DD Drive.
- There will be a DD Drive planning meeting next month.

Pro Life & Building the Domestic Church - Jerry Burmeister

- A Day of Reflection for the men of the parish will be held on Saturday, June 29, from 9am to 3pm.
- The new session of TMIY will kick off on Saturday, September 14, 2019. See bulletin for more upcoming information.
- TMIY will need an additional \$1000.00 for start-up monies for signage, booklets and for food for breakfast to those attending.
- March for Life will held on June 20th at 8:45am at Planned Parenthood
- Rosaries for Life will be held on October 13th.
- It was stated that for every one new member that joins the Church, 6.5 members leave the church.
- Father Hogan will be celebrating the Pro Life Mass at the Cathedral on Saturday, July 20. After Mass, a procession will walk to Planned Parenthood reciting the rosary. Let's have a good parish turn out for Father Hogan.

Third Sunday: Dave Goetz

- Rosary for Vocations is Sunday, June 16th, following the 8:45am Mass.

Faith Director: Ted Juen

- The Consecration to the Holy Family will take place on Sunday, June 16th after the 8:45am Mass.

Chancellor: Bud Avery

- No Report

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

- Jason Thurman – No Report
- John Owens – No Report
- Tom Schneider – No Report
- Vince Throckmorton – Thanked everyone that helped in the June highway cleanup.

Felice Cuores: Ron Weiss

- No Report

Family Director: Eric Bergmann

- Family picnic on Sunday, July 28th
- Fifth Sunday Mass and breakfast on June 30
- The Annual KofC day at the ballpark will take place on Saturday, August 24

Council Director: Andy Dyszlewski/Jeff Grotegeers

- Golf Tournament will be Saturday, September 14, 2019 at the Links of Dardenne.
- Need four to five volunteers to help with cooking the lunch for the golfers prior to tee off.

Condolence Director: Buzz Peek

- Buzz's daughter passed away from cancer. Our condolences and prayers go out to Buzz, his wife and his family.

Life Director: Steve Dickhut

- The CD rack in the vestibule is to be relocated to a new location.
- Need to complete the LED lighting project by the end of June.

District Deputy #54: Jerry Lamoureux

- This month's Challenge is to Deepen Your Faith – say "Come Holy Spirit".
- Congratulations to Rob Schultz in meeting the membership quota for the 2019 fraternal year.
- Need five insurance members for Star Council.

Chaplain's Remarks: Fr Hogan

- Not in attendance.

Request Prayers for Special Intentions

- Prayers were said for members' special intentions

Unfinished Business:

- Election of new Officers for the 2019-2021 fraternal years took place. All Officers that were listed on the Officer slate were unanimously voted on and accepted by all council members in attendance.

- The Officer Installation dinner will take place on Saturday, June 22nd at Talayna's restaurant after the 5:00pm Mass.

New Business:

- There will be a State KofC golf tournament on July 21. Need to register by June 22.
- Raffle tickets were available for the Special Olympics.
- Bryan Hewing thanked everyone that visited him the hospital.

Field Agent Report: Patrick McNeil

- No report.

Good of the Order:

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

50/50 Drawing:

- No Drawing was held

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

Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 pm. The next Council meeting to be held on Thursday, July 11th, at 7:00pm.

2019 - 2021 Council Officers

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District Deputy

Jerry Lamoureux *636-536-0846* *glamoureux@charter.net*

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Calendar of Events

<i>Council Meeting</i>	<i>Thursday, July 11th at 7:00PM</i>
<i>Prayer for Vocations</i>	<i>Sunday, July 21st after 8:45AM Mass</i>
<i>Deadline for the August '19 Newsletter</i>	<i>July 29th, 2019</i>
<i>Benediction</i>	<i>8:45PM Every Wednesday</i>
<i>Family Picnic</i>	<i>Sunday, July 28th at 12:00pm</i>
<i>Golf Tournament</i>	<i>Saturday, September 14th at 1:30pm</i>