

# Knights of Columbus

## *Knighly - Cnews*

### Incarnate Word Council 9981

August, 2019      Volume 31      Number 8

[www.IWknights.com](http://www.IWknights.com)

<http://facebook.com/IWKnights9981>



***WE WILL BE PRAYING THE ROSARY IN ONE OF THE SMALL ROOMS OFF OF THE LOWER CHURCH HALL AT 6:30PM BEFORE EACH OF OUR GENERAL MONTHLY MEETINGS***

#### **COUNCIL MEETING AUGUST 8, '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,

It's about time to get moving again. This summer, I hope you have enjoyed some good time with family and friends to relax or take an adventure. We were blessed to partake in a wonderful council picnic this past Sunday July 28. Thanks to Eric Bergmann and all the helpers - and to you who shared your Sunday with us. You may notice 8 new picnic tables on the patio of the south side of church. Those tables were bought by

the parish using our council's 2019 parish share of the Fish Fry, and assembled by Fr. Schroeder and Ron Weiss. Continue recruiting new members for the admissions (1st) degree on August 27 at IW. On the horizon - TMIY resumes on Sept 14 - with year 2, the Battle Over the Bride. TMIY is followed on the same day with our 2019 "Tee off for Kids" golf tournament at Links at Dardenne golf club. We have a 5th Sunday mass for knights and families at 8:45 on Sept 29. Next up in October are my personal favorites, the DD Drive on October 10-13, followed by Columbus Day on October 14. Let's give our best to support and join these uplifting activities, and gladly invite others to join us. In all these events and hours of service, I pray we offer ourselves to Christ.

God Bless,

Jim Ressler  
Grand Knight

#### **LADIES AUXILIARY MEMBERS:**

Greeting Ladies,

The Ladies Auxiliary are 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, August 18, 2019

**Golf Tournamrnt**

- The Golf tournament will be on Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Have a safe and enjoyable summer.  
See you all in September.

Sincerely,  
Joan Mengwasser  
President

## LADIES AUXILIARY BIRTHDAYS:

### August

JoAnn Owens



*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: AUGUST 18, '19

We will pray our rosary for Vocations on Sunday,

August 18, 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:

### August

Clayton Huskey  
David Book  
Bishop Robert Hermann  
Peter Karutz  
Rev. James Sullivan  
Greg Ballinger  
Thomas Sandifer  
John Owens  
E.J. Saunders  
Scott Sparks  
Nick Overmann  
Andrew Steinhubl  
Paul Roberts



Garry Chaput  
John Corley  
Rev. Aaron Nord  
Leo Kilcullin  
Peter Jacques  
Larry Kendrick  
Thomas Schneider

*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, August 28, 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. The 2020 Patriotism (Fourth) Degree will be held on Saturday, March 7, 2020 at the Airport Hilton Hotel. It is time to start recruiting your council members in

taking their Patriotism Degree on this date.

Visit the HOLY SPIRIT ASSEMBLY #3588 website at [www.kofcassembly3588.org](http://www.kofcassembly3588.org) for more information.

## 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 players for the tournament. Ask your friends, family members, work associates and other acquaintances to play in this year's tournament,**

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 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](mailto: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, Jim Ressler at 314-453-9437.

## **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  
1255 Richland Meadows Dr.  
Ballwin, Mo. 63021  
or e-mail to:  
[gcgrote@gmail.com](mailto:gcgrote@gmail.com)

## **DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES:**

For the September 2019 newsletter, the deadline will be August 27, 2019.

## **BITS & PIECES:**

### **Places to Retire:**

#### **You can retire to Phoenix, Arizona where:**

1. You are willing to park 3 blocks away because you found shade.
2. You've experienced condensation on your butt from the hot water in the toilet bowl.
3. You can drive for 4 hours in one direction and never leave town.
4. You have over 100 recipes for Mexican food.
5. You know that "dry heat" is comparable to what hits you in the face when you open your oven door.
6. The 4 seasons are: tolerable, hot, really hot, and ARE YOU KIDDING ME??!!

#### **You can retire to California where:**

1. You make over \$250,000 and you still can't afford to buy a house.
2. The fastest part of your commute is going down your driveway.
3. You know how to eat an artichoke.

4. You drive your rented Mercedes to your neighborhood block party.
5. When someone asks you how far something is, you tell them how long it will take to get there rather than how many miles away it is.
6. The 4 seasons are: Fire, Flood, Mud, and Drought.

#### **You can retire to New York City where:**

1. You say "the city" and expect everyone to know you mean Manhattan .
2. You can get into a four-hour argument about how to get from Columbus Circle to Battery Park, but can't find Wisconsin on a map.
3. You think Central Park is "nature."
4. You believe that being able to swear at people in their own language makes you multi-lingual.
5. You've worn out a car horn. (ed note: if you have a car)
6. You think eye contact is an act of aggression.

#### **You can retire to Maine where:**

1. You only have four spices: salt, pepper, ketchup, and Tabasco .
2. Halloween costumes fit over parkas.
3. You have more than one recipe for moose.
4. Sexy lingerie is anything flannel with less than eight buttons.
5. The four seasons are:

winter, still winter, almost winter, and construction.

#### **You can retire to the Deep South where:**

1. You can rent a movie and buy bait in the same store.
2. "Y'all" is singular and "all y'all" is plural.
3. "He needed killin'" is a valid defense.
4. Everyone has 2 first names: Billy Bob, Jimmy Bob, Mary Sue, Betty Jean, Mary Beth, etc.
5. Everything is either "in yonder," "over yonder" or "out yonder." It's important to know the difference, too.

#### **You can retire to Colorado where:**

1. You carry your \$3,000 mountain bike atop your \$500 car
2. You tell your husband to pick up Granola on his way home and so he stops at the day care center..
3. A pass does not involve a football or dating.
4. The top of your head is bald, but you still have a pony tail.

#### **You can retire to the Midwest where:**

1. You've never met any celebrities, but the mayor knows your name.
2. Your idea of a traffic jam

is ten cars waiting to pass a tractor.

3. You have had to switch from "heat" to "A/C" on the same day.

4. You end sentences with a preposition: "Where's my coat at?"

5. When asked how your trip was to any exotic place, you say, "It was different!"

**AND You can retire to Florida where:**

1. You eat dinner at 3:15 in the afternoon.

2. All purchases include a coupon of some kind -- even houses and cars.

3. Everyone can recommend an excellent dermatologist.

4. Road construction never ends anywhere in the state.

5. Cars in front of you often appear to be driven by headless people.

Recording Secretary Meeting Notes  
Of Thursday, July 11, 2019  
Council #9981 Meeting

Deputy Grand Knight, Jason Thurman, called the meeting to order at 7:05pm due to the absence of GK, Jim Ressler.

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

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

**Grand Knight Report:** By DGK, Jason Thurman

- Youth director needed
- Faith in Action – upcoming meetings

**Membership:** Rob Schultz

- A First Degree will be held August 27<sup>th</sup>.
- Rob re-introduced Zach Myslinski who had been away at college the past 4 years

**Treasurer:** Jeff West

- As of 6/30
  - Prev. Balance: \$27,007.00
  - Deposits: \$ 1,126.00
  - Less Check Clear: \$ 5,714.00
  - Bank Balance: \$22,420.00
  - Out Standing \$ 4,307.00
  - Net Funds Avail: \$18,113.00
  -

**Finance Secretary:** Gene Fallert

- As of end of 6/30
  - Income: \$ 906.00
  - Disbursements: \$3,443.00

- Savings: \$26,456.00
- Star Council level reached!

**Trustees Report:** Don Mueller, Bill Davis & Chris Williams

- 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 26<sup>th</sup> this year.
  - There are 380 members currently with 100 members from Incarnate Word.
  - Assembly picking up an additional USO shift on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month starting in August.

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

- Supreme will eliminate the old Honor Guard regalia as of June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- There will be an announcement from Supreme concerning the new uniform for the Honor Guard in the next 3-4 weeks. Targeted price @ \$350

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

- Exemplification for 2020 will be March 7<sup>th</sup>
- Three more candidates took their 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in Kirksville on 6/29 – Congratulations Gene Fallert

**Deputy Grand Knight** – Jason Thurman

**Directors and Programs**

- Lector survey of topic

**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.
- Need beer donations for golf tournament
- Need booze donations for wheel barrow of booze
- Blood Drive Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>
- First Degree will be held at IW on Tuesday, August 27<sup>th</sup> and practice on Tuesday, August 20<sup>th</sup> - need bodies to fill roles!

**DD Drive:** Don Mueller

- There are four members that have volunteered to take on committee head positions for the planning of the upcoming 2019 DD Drive.
- DD Drive planning on schedule - Schnucks and Dierberg's stores contacted. Chesterfield permit in the works

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

- 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.
- Rosaries for Life will be held on October 13<sup>th</sup>.
- 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, July 21<sup>st</sup>, following the 8:45am Mass.

**Felice Cuores:** Ron Weiss

- Planning meeting September 1<sup>st</sup>

**Church Director:** Ted Juen

- The Consecration to the Holy Family took place on Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup> after the 8:45am Mass.
- TMIY coming in September
- CMFC 2/1/2020

**Chancellor:** Bud Avery

- No Report

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

- Jason Thurman – Soccer Challenge in September
- John Owens – No Report
- Tom Schneider – Thanks for the participants in the ChristPower activities
- Vince Throckmorton – June cleanup completed, thanks for the help

**Condolence Director:** Buzz Peek

- Larry Hoepfner undergoing chemo, keep him in your prayers

**Life Director:** Steve Dickhut

- LED lighting project scheduled for June 12<sup>th</sup>
- Proposal by Jim Ressler for Refugee Relief approved by Fr. Schroeder requesting \$1,000
- Tony Koester proposing 3<sup>rd</sup> book give away “10 Wonders of the Rosary” this will be joined by a mission supported by 5 parishes for rosaries

**Family Director:** Eric Bergmann

- Family picnic on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup> starts at noon, \$6 per person \$12 per family, bring a side dish
- Fifth Sunday Mass and breakfast on June 30 well attended
- The Annual KofC Day at the Ballpark will take place on Saturday, August 24

**District Deputy #54:** Jerry Lamoureux

- Congratulations to IW for Fish Fry recognition posted in the Mariner
- Congratulations on meeting Star Council

**Chaplain's Remarks:** Fr Hogan

- Not in attendance.

**Request Prayers for Special Intentions**

- Prayers were said for members' special intentions

**Unfinished Business:**

- None

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm. The next Council meeting to be held on Thursday, August 8<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm.

## 2019 - 2021 Council Officers

<i>Chaplain</i>	<i>Fr. David Hogan</i>	<i>314-576-5366</i>	<i>dhogan@incarnate-word.org</i>
<i>Grand Knight</i>	<i>Jim Ressler</i>	<i>314-453-9437</i>	<i>james.ressler@sbcglobal.net</i>
<i>Deputy Grand Knight</i>	<i>Jason Thurman</i>	<i>314-306-9247</i>	<i>thurman349@gmail.com</i>
<i>Chancellor</i>	<i>Bud Avery</i>	<i>314-358-1666</i>	<i>lavery.bud@gmail.com</i>
<i>Recorder</i>	<i>Kevin Stanley</i>	<i>314-434-9828</i>	<i>stanley_k@ociweb.com</i>
<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>Jeff West</i>	<i>636-728-1251</i>	<i>jeff.west@McKesson.com</i>
<i>Advocate</i>	<i>Vince Throckmorton</i>	<i>314-205-2882</i>	<i>vincethrockmorton@hotmail.com</i>
<i>Warden</i>	<i>Denis Demeter</i>	<i>314-249-8295</i>	<i>denis.demeter@yahoo.com</i>
<i>Inside Guard</i>	<i>Nick Copeland</i>	<i>618-203-0724</i>	<i>nicholas.v.copeland@gmail.c</i>
<i>Outside Guard</i>	<i>Bryan Hewing</i>	<i>314-607-2823</i>	<i>bryanhewing@hotmail.com</i>
<i>Trustee 1yr</i>	<i>Donald Mueller</i>	<i>314-439-9755</i>	<i>donmo3@gmail.com</i>
<i>Trustee 2yr</i>	<i>William Davis</i>	<i>314-469-8962</i>	<a href="mailto:stltrojan@sbcglobal.net"><u>stltrojan@sbcglobal.net</u></a>
<i>Trustee 3yr</i>	<i>Christopher Williams</i>	<i>314-576-0878</i>	<a href="mailto:cwilliams_123@sbcglobal.net"><u>cwilliams_123@sbcglobal.net</u></a>
<i>Financial Secretary</i>	<i>Gene Fallert</i>	<i>573-535-9507</i>	<i>gene@fallert.net</i>
<i>Lecturer</i>	<i>William Uhland</i>	<i>636-922-1749</i>	<i>wuhland@aol.com</i>

## Directors

<i>Faith Director</i>	<i>Ted Juen</i>	<i>314-205-1823</i>	<i>tedjuen@us.ibm.com</i>
<i>Community Director</i>	<i>Jason Thurman</i>	<i>314-305-4131</i>	<i>jsthmrn@sbcglobal.net</i>
<i>Family Director</i>	<i>Eric Bergmann</i>	<i>636-532-7017</i>	<i>bergym2844@sbcglobal.net</i>
<i>Life Director</i>	<i>Steve Dickhut</i>	<i>314-409-6774</i>	<i>showmesteve@gmail.com</i>
<i>Membership Director</i>	<i>Rob Schultz</i>	<i>314-205-8135</i>	<i>mschultz@reagan.com</i>

## District Deputy

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

## Insurance Resource

<i>Field Agent</i>	<i>Patrick McNeil</i>	<i>314-640-7478</i>	<i>patrick.mcneil@kofc.org</i>
<i>General Agent</i>	<i>Ryan Lister</i>	<i>636-856-1505</i>	<i>ryan.lister@kofc.org</i>

State Website located at: <a href="http://www.mokofc.org">http://www.mokofc.org</a>
----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

# Knights of Columbus

1255 Richland Meadows Drive  
St. Louis, MO 63021  
Address Correction Requested



## Calendar of Events

<b><i>Council Meeting</i></b>	<b><i>Thursday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM</i></b>
<b><i>Prayer for Vocations</i></b>	<b><i>Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup> after 8:45AM Mass</i></b>
<b><i>Deadline for the September '19 Newsletter</i></b>	<b><i>August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019</i></b>
<b><i>Benediction</i></b>	<b><i>8:40PM Every Wednesday</i></b>
<b><i>Golf Tournament</i></b>	<b><i>Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm</i></b>
<b><i>Communion 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i></b>	<b><i>Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> after 8:45AM Mass</i></b>