

Knights of Columbus

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Grand Knight Report May 2015

Brothers,

As we end the current Fraternal year and look forward to the next please make every effort to attend our upcoming meetings. At the May Business meeting we will be holding election of officers. Our last planning meeting will lay the groundwork for our plans for next Fraternal Year and your input is needed. Please do not think it is not necessary to attend these meetings just because we are in a slower period for activities. There is a lot to plan and a lot to discuss so please be an active part of the council and attend as many meetings as you can. Thanks.

Vivat Jesus

Doug Varga

"Turning away from capital punishment does not diminish our support for the families of murder victims. But killing the guilty does not honor the dead nor does it ennoble the living. When we take a guilty person's life we only add to the violence in an already violent culture and we demean our own dignity in the process."

Charles J.Chaput Archbishop of Philadelphia

Programs Report

Thanks to all Knights and family members who helped out in April:

- Leading the Rosary
- Food Delivery/Crazy Quilt
- Ushers/Lectors/Choir Members/Eucharistic Ministers
- Men's basketball
- Belk MR Drive
- Easter Egg Hunt
- SJN Grounds Maintenance Crew

Coming up in May

Saturday 2 nd	Rosary 4pm
Sunday 3 rd	Buffet Breakfast
Monday 4 th	Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8pm
Thursday 7 th	First Degree/Business Meeting/Election of Officers
Saturday 9 th	Alter Server Appreciation Lunch
Saturday 9th	Rosary 4pm
Monday 11 th	Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8pm
Saturday 16 th	Rosary 4pm
Monday 18 th	Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8pm
Thursday 21st	Planning Meeting
Saturday 23 rd	Rosary 4pm
Saturday 30 th	Rosary 4pm

Upcoming Events

Saturday June 27th 2015 - Dinner IHO Spouses, Knights and Families of Month/Year

Knight and Family of the Month

Knight of the Month April- Don Schreyer Family of the Month April- Dick and Mary Ann Groves

Congratulations to All of you.

Thank you for all you do for the Council and the Parish

Degree Information

A First Degree is planned every first Thursday, beginning at **6:30 p.m.**, and is immediately followed by a regular council meeting. Council 8781's degree team conducts the exemplification. The First Degree is held in the Music Room.

Business casual is the required dress for all those attending First and Second Degree's. This includes team members, observers, sponsors and participants. No jeans, sandals, t-shirts or shorts. Coat and tie are required for all attending a Third Degree.

Reminder: Candidates should be escorted to all exemplifications by their sponsors or a Third Degree member.

Seminarian and Religious Vocation Support

Council 8781 is delighted to sponsor seminarians and others pursuing religious vocations with cards, prayers, and financial assistance. Please keep the following in your prayers as they pursue studies in priestly and religious life.

Chris Floersh

Kenrick- Glennon Seminary

5200 Glennon Dr St. Louis MO. 63119

Brother David Bryant, OSB

St Bernard's Abbey 1600 St. Bernard Drive Cullman AL 35055

Michael Hendershott Pontifical North American College

via del Gianicolo, 14 00165 Rome (RM)

ITALY

Matthew Donahue

Bishop Simon Brute College Seminary

2500 Cold Spring Road Indianapolis, IN 46222

Good of the Order

Please pray for our Holy Father, for all who are consecrated to priestly and religious life, for health and meaningful employment for all council members and their families, for the courage to carry out God's will in building up His Kingdom on earth, for those who defend our nation and the freedom we cherish, and especially for the following:

Abbot, Molly Aken, Mary Ann Angell, Jean Amelse, Deacon Don Bathe, John Brown. Lois Campbell, Fr. Joe Casey, Bill Chesney, Helen Cook, Jean Denning, Kevin Dixon, Durand Dwyer, Andrea Edwards, Larry Elwart, Jim Fields, Francis Gerwels. John Harris, Wilber Harris, Wendy Hughes, LTC Brian Hughes, Christine Hughes, Henry Irwin , John

Johnson, Pat Jones. Kimber LeCrone, Kenneth (RIP) Lijana, Frank Lee, Jack Mankel, Msgr. Xavier McConnell. Liz McGregor, Claire Morris, Chris Nichols, Roy Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI Saxon, Jennifer Senatore, Louise Sever, Anne Sheehan, Michael Stabile, Josh Stabile. Marv Casteel, Kelly Viotti, Audrey Weimer, Pete Westrich, Kay

Wooten, Hertistine

If others need to be included on this list, please send the Grand Knight an email with names and any details you wish to share.

Please direct questions about the Knights and Council 8781 to any officer or member:

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