

**Knights of Columbus** 

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# **Grand Knight Report January 2016**

# Brother Knights,

It is hard to believe that 2015 has finished and we will start 2016. We will not have a breakfast in January due to the open house for the Rectory and Convent to be held on January 3<sup>rd</sup>. Our next breakfast will be February 7<sup>th</sup>, Lent starts Wednesday February 10 and our first Fish Fry will be Friday February 12.

Two Right to Life activities occur in January – The Bishop will lead a pro-life Rosary at the Planned Parenthood abortion facility in North Knoxville on January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 am and on Sunday January 24<sup>th</sup> the Knoxville Right to Life chapter will sponsor the 2016 March for Life from 2-3pm at the World's Fair Amphitheater at 945 World's Fair Park Drive. If you can attend either or both events please do so.

We need someone to step up to lead Family Activities – if interested please give me a call.

I hope everyone has a Happy and Healthy New Year.

Vivat Jesus Don Schreyer

**Charity** is helping others, not eliminating them.

Be Self Controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. ~ 1 Peter 5:8

### Knight and Family of the Month

Knight of the Month - December – James Molchan Family of the Month - December – John & Janet Irwin

## **Coming up in January**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Rosary 4 pm Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8 pm Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> Knights - Music Room 6:30 pm - First Degree – Business Meeting Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Rosary 4 pm Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8 pm Saturday 16th Rosary 4 pm Monday 18th Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8 pm Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Knights – Fraternal Benefits with Hank McCormick – Bring your wife Saturday 23rd Rosary 4 pm Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Men's Basketball SJNCS Gym 8 pm Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Rosary 4 pm

#### Programs Report

Thanks to Paul Hughes, Phil Perkins, Allen Millet and Ted Denning for selling Christmas Cards.

Thanks to John Bathe, Bill Pemberton, John Murphy, John Stabile, James Molchan, Jack Passafiume, John Irwin, Janet Irwin, Phil Perkins, Doug Varga, Trish Varga and Cathy Varga, Ben Compton, and Dr. Tony Mardini for working the breakfast. Thanks also to all the other Knights and family members who helped out in December.

Many thanks to those who are:

- Leading the Rosary
- Food Delivery/Crazy Quilt
- Ushers/Lectors/Choir Members/Eucharistic Ministers
- Grounds Maintenance Crew
- Men's basketball

## **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 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 support 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 –	St. Meinrad School of Theology 200 Hill Drive St. Meinrad, IN 47577
Matthew Donahue -	Bishop Simon Brute College Seminary 2500 Cold Spring Road Indianapolis, IN 46222
Brother David Bryant, O	SB 4421 Larigo Drive Knoxville, TN 37914

Just a thought – If you travel collect the unused soap, shampoo, and other toiletries from the hotel/motel – package them up and send them to one of our seminarians. These can come in handy as they can become short on cash at the end of the month.

# 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 His Kingdom on earth, for all those who defend our nation and the freedom we cherish, and especially the following:

Abbot, Molly Aken, Mary Ann Allington William	Irwin, John Johnson, Pat
Allington, William	Jones, Kimber
Angelelli, Tony	Lijana, Frank
Angell, Jean	Lee, Allen
Amelse, Deacon Don	Lee, Jack
Bruun, Jim	Lehmann, Larry
Bryant, Carolyn	Lewis, Sarah
Bryant, William	Mankel, Msgr. Zavier
Campbell, Fr. Joe	Marks, Mike
Casey, Bill	McCarthy, Tina
Casteel, Kelly	McConnell, Liz
Cook Jean	McKenna, Mike
Denning, Kevin	McGregor, Claire
Dixon, Durand	Nichols, Roy
Dwyer, Andrea	Parsly, James
Edwards, Larry	Perkins, Phil
Elwart, Jim	Pope Emertius Benedict XVI
Fields, Francis	Saxon, Jennifer
Gerwels, John	Senatore, Louise
Harris, Wilber	Sheehan, Michael
Harris, Wendy	Stabile, Josh
Hughes, Colonel Brian	Sturgill, Laura Lee
Hughes, Christine	Sumerall, Jack
Hughes, Henry	VanDooren, Hilaire
Hughes, Paul	Wooten, Hertistine
Ingardia, Minnie	

If others need to be included on this list, please send the grand Knight an email or post your request on the website with names and any details you wish to share.

Don Schreyer, Grand Knight	250-5312	Bruce Broussard, Advocate	898-3638	
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