

# **Knights of Columbus**

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#### **Grand Knight Report April 2017**

## **Brother Knights,**

Knights are encouraged to support the 40 days of Life. We will meet in the Rosary Garden on April 6 at 6:00 pm to show our support and recite the Rosary prior to our meeting at 7:00 in Room 210.

Nominations for next year (July 2017-June 2018) will be held at our April 6 meeting and we take Vote for officers at our May 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. If you are interested in running please advise the Grand Knight.

April 7 is our last Fish Fry, we have had great turnouts at each Fish Fry. Help out if you can at the last one.

Did you order a shirt with the Knights logo and Council Number? They have arrived so bring your \$35.00 and pick it up at the meeting on April 6.

The State of TN has a goal to add 300 new Knights in physical year 2016-2017, the goal can be met. Our council has been asked to help get to 300 by adding 3 new members prior to June 30. Please ask a Catholic gentlemen to join the Knights, you can also ask his wife to encourage her husband to join likeminded men in the parish.

If you drop your home phone or change your phone number or if you change your email please notify the Grand Knight or the Financial Secretary so we may keep your contact information up to date.

Need a name badge, advise the Grand Knight – cost is \$9.50 due when the badge arrives.

Vivat Jesus, Don Schreyer

## Patriotism is working for peace

"Happy are those who work for peace; God will call them his children!" ~ Matthew 5:9

## **Knight and Family of the Month**

Knight of the Month – March – Ken Podgorski Family of the Month – March – John & Janette Irwin

#### Coming up in April

Saturday 1st - Rosary 4 pm - Mike Gates

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Pancake Breakfast

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Men's Basketball in Gym

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> – Fish Fry following Stations of the Cross

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> – Rosary 4 pm - Robert Snyder

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – Men's Basketball in Gym

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> - Rosary 4 pm – Daniel Wagner

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> – Men's Basketball in Gym

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Rosary 4 pm – Thomas Perry

Monday 24th – Men's Basketball in the Gym

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> – Rosary 4pm – David Russell

#### **Programs Reports**

Thanks to those who helped at the March Fish Fry's Matt Sturgill who led the effort. John & Janette Irwin, Phil & Carol Perkins, Bill Pemberton, Mo Molchan, John Murphy, Jack Passfiume, Paul Hughes, Harry Schukman, John Stabile, Doug, Trish & Kathy Varga, Terry Harrigan, Peter Colombo, Hans Vanderveldt, Rich Cataldi, Keith Sanford, Wen Thomas, Ken Podgorski, Pete McKenzie, Brian Briody, Dr.Mardini, Matthew McGrath and Phil Guertin.

Thanks to all who helped at the March breakfast Matt Sturgill John & Janette Irwin, Phil & Carol Perkins, Doug & Kathy Varga, Bill Pemberton, Mo Molchan, John Murphy, Jack Passfiume, Maryann and Dick Groves, Paul Hughes, Harry Schukman, Dr. Gerry Lubert, Brian Briody, Bruce Soderberg, Wen Thomas and Ben Compton.

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

#### **Food Ministry update**

The Crazy quilt folks have expressed many thanks for the food delivered by our council members. We can always use more substitutes to fill in when people are unavailable, especially on weekdays. Also, we need people to make deliveries to Scott County. For this you need to be available on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday and have a truck that can pull a trailer that weights about a ton. If you are interested or want more information, contact Keith Sanford at 675-6292 or 719-2832 or via e-mail at maclaire@tds.net.

#### **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 Room 210. Candidates report to Room 211 by 6:15.

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.

A Fourth Degree Exemplification is scheduled at Our Lady of Fatama in Alcoa on Saturday April 22<sup>nd</sup> - advise the Grand Knight if interested for an application and details. You must have a completed application turned in at our April 6<sup>th</sup> meeting.

# **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 - 314 Teyburn Drive

Knoxville, TN37934

Brother David Bryant, OSB – Monastery of Christ in the Desert P.O. Box 270 Abiquiu, NM 87510

#### 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:

Aken, Mary Ann Allington, Jim

Allington, Theresa

Angelelli, Linda Angell, Jean

Bathe, John (RIP-2)

Bruun, Jim

Bryant, Carolyn Bryant, William

Casey, Bill

Casteel, Kelly Cook Jean

Corin, William

Denning, Kevin Denning, Phyllis

Dixon, Durand

Dwyer, Andrea

Edwards, Kathleen

Edwards, Larry (RIP-3)

Elwart, Jim

Fields, Francis

Fisk, Bob

Fr. Joseph Hammond

Gerwels, John

Gouge, Deacon Michael

Goldsmith, Suzanne

Hansen, Kathy

Higginbotham, Bobby Lee (RIP-1)

Hetrick, Earl

Hughes, Colonel Brian

Hughes, Paul Ingle, Jeffery

Irwin, John

Johnson, Pat Jones, Kimber

Kubeja, Gale

Lawson, Jim

LeCrone, Anna Marie

LeCrone, George

Lee, Allen

Lee, Jack

Lijana, Frank

Mankel, Msgr. Zavier

Marks, Mike

McConnell, Liz

McKenna, Mike

McGregor, Claire

Nichols, Roy

O Brien, Patrick

Paris, Wendy

Pemberton, Jeff

Pemberton, Michael

Pope Emertius Benedict XVI

Price, Mary

Price, Steve

Rev. Bishop David Choby

Russell, David

Saxon, Jennifer

Senatore, Louise

Seyer, Erin

Sheehan, Michael (RIP-1)

Stabile, Josh

Sumerall, Jack

Tasket, Ron, SR

Tasket, Barbara

Tasket, Patricia (RIP-3)

VanDooren, Hilaire

Viotti, Tom

Way, Richard

Wicke, Bill

Wicke, Janet

Wooten, Hertistine

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.

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