



Brothers,

I pray this letter finds each of you and your family well. As we are in the dog days of summer and looking forward to cooler weather not much is happening with the Knights. There are only a couple of things coming up. First don't forget about family fish fry Friday September 6th at 6pm. Second we will be cooking Funnel cakes at the frontier fest down town Fort Smith. This will be a money maker for us!!! We will be renting a space for \$40.00 and the hours of operation are 10am-4pm we WILL need help with this. Also we will be helping at the St. Boniface Lawn Social Saturday October 5th 5-11pm. We will be cooking Funnel cakes and hamburgers and will need help with this also. Last but not least Rib Fest at the Acres Saturday September 7th we will NOT be working this but would like everyone to come out and support the St. Ann's Society. See the flier in this issue. Our Charity Golf Classic is Saturday October 12th see the flier in this issue. We are looking for teams and hole Sponsorship if you are interested in either of these give us a call, cell number is on the flier. As it is every year all proceeds go to the Gregory Kistler Center.



God Bless,

Robert Collins,

SPECIAL DATES OF INTEREST:

- **Bingo every Tuesday @ 7pm**
- **Fish Fry 1st Friday of every Month**
- **1st Wednesday of every Month Council Meeting 7:30pm and 4th degree assembly meeting 6pm. Light meal between meetings**
- **September 28th Frontier Fest**
- **October 5th St. Boniface Lawn Social**
- **September 12th Charity Classic Golf Tournament**

FORT KNIGHTS IN ACTION

4th of July picnic

2019



FORT KNIGHTS IN ACTION

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS 2019





Knights of Columbus

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick F. Horan Assembly 0025

P.O. Box 180367

Fort Smith , AR 72918-0367



The August meeting is August 7, 2019 at 6:00pm

The September meeting is September 4, 2019 at 6:00pm

Greetings Sir Knights,

Our July 3 meeting was attended by 14 brothers, a welcome increase from our June 27 meeting when 9 were in attendance, hopefully our numbers will continue to rise. Our first meal went well, this month 996 will prepare our meal. I expect all are aware of the untimely death of Sir Bill Dubois, very sad. Susan and family were thankful for our presence at the rosary and funeral, thanks to all who came to the ceremonies and participated in his honor guard. I hope everyone is receiving our emails, Mike is doing a good job forwarding info and correspondence's I have received from Master Priore. Please if you have not been receiving our emails contact myself or Mike and we will take care of it. I did receive one of our messages in my SPAM folder, you may want to check your spam occasionally as well.



Our honor guard is expected by the families of our deceased brothers, at this time we have five brothers of our assembly who have purchased the new uniforms. I have not but intend to soon. We need to have about 15 sirs in the new regalia to support our duties at funerals, rosaries, first communion, confirmation, and any other time we are called on by the Bishop, our Pastors, or the parishes for an honor guard. This is our duty.

Monsignor John O'Donnell's Chalice, with blessing of his nephew, was offered to Immaculate

Conception in Fort Smith and accepted by Father Jon Antony. Most of you know Monsignor pastored IC for a number of years before his retirement.

Our Installation of Officers will be this coming Sunday July 28, 2019 at 5:00pm in the council 996 hall. Dad's going to Rotisserie 3 whole pork loins, I'm going to boil about 20 pounds of new potatoes, and prepare some dinner rolls and a garden salad, if the members could bring some desserts I think we will have it covered.

I will continue to send updates from the State Master and others items of interest as they come to me.

June results Bud gouger won the 50/50 drawing for the second month in a row and donated it to the chalice fund. Arnold Bogner was not present for the \$50 attendance drawing. Dr James Post was not present for the \$10 attendance drawing.

July results Lucky Bud Gouger won the 50/50 for the 3rd month in a row and again donated it to the chalice fund. Leroy Farmer was not present for the \$50 attendance drawing. Dr James Post was not present for the \$15 attendance drawing.

Sir Bill Dubois past away. Carder Ferguson's father fell and broke his hip. Khoat Tran is still in Coventry court recovering from his stroke. My mother-in-law Isabelle Jordan is having serious heart trouble. Theresa Dubois had melanoma surgery. Bud Gouger took Edie to the hospital with

chest pains, please keep all of them and their families in your prayer's. One more request, please keep me in your prayers as I begin year 3 as your Navigator, thank you.

FN Rick Gramlich



Council 996

Upcoming Events

Brothers,

Remember fish fry on the first Friday of each Month.
Also see each of the fliers on the following pages on
othe events

Thank you,

Art Rideout

Council Program Director



Fish Knights



You asked....we delivered!

1st Friday of every month!!

6:00pm at Knights of Columbus Hall

\$8.00 per plate



- **Fish**
- **Fried Shrimp**
- **Pizza (\$2.00 per slice)**

Dinners include Hushpuppies, Fries, & Coleslaw

Carry out orders available beginning at 5:30pm.

Call 479-649-7144





4th Annual
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
CHARITY CLASSIC**

October 12, 2019 at Ben Geren Golf Course



PROCEEDS
BENEFITING

REGISTRATION FORM

Player # 1 (Captain) _____ Cell Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Player #2 _____ Cell Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Player #3 _____ Cell Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Player #4 _____ Cell Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Lunch served after round. Shotgun start at 9am. Food and beverages provided for all participants. Closest to the Pin on all par threes and door prizes will be given away. Mulligans included in each team entry.

SPONSORSHIP AND VOLUNTEER INFORMATION (check appropriate box)

Gold (\$2,500) - 2 teams / banner / hole sponsor / mention on all communication

Silver (\$1,000) - 1 team / banner / hole sponsorship

Team & Hole Sponsorship (\$600) - 4 players (1 team) / hole sponsorship

Team Sponsor Only (\$500) - 4 players (1 team) sponsorship

Hole Sponsor (\$100) - sign on hole

Friend of the Knights (donation / prize) _____

Name or Company _____ **Phone** _____

Address _____ **Email** _____

MAIL OR RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRY FEE TO:

Knights of Columbus Charity Classic, P.O. Box 180367, Fort Smith, AR 72918-0367
Phone: (479) 883-1698 Fax: 479-646-7806 email: charityclassic@kofc996.com

Rib-fest 2019

St. Anne's Society a faith based organization for our
Neighbors in Need

Enjoy delicious ribs your way dry or wet
September 7th, 2019

Time: 4—8 PM

Columbus Acres

10201 Columbus Rd

Fort Smith, AR

Pick up or eat there

Band Oreo Blue for your listening pleasure

Tickets on sell now at IC Church office

See Dc. Greg 479-785-7972

Cost:

Plates:\$15.00

Which includes:

Slaw, potato Salad, rolls, baked
beans and dessert

Just a rack of Ribs: \$25.00 or 4
racks or more \$20.00 per rack

Take out orders available



COLUMBUS CLUB REPORT

Meetings 2nd Wednesday of every Month

6:30pm

Columbus Club Officers

President	Gary Barker
Vice President	Matt Hutchinson
Treasurer	Marc Lux
Secretary	Art Sellers
3 year Board	Dickey Spahn
2 year Board	Tyler Hudgens
1 year Board	Rick Gramlich

Columbus Club Meeting

Our last meeting was on August 14th, 2019. This is what was discussed.

1. St. Anne Society is renting the acres on September 7th for a Ribfest fund raiser from 4-8pm. Oreo Blue will be performing. Come out and support them.
2. Acres: Dickey has got the Kubota repaired. Look for a date to close down the Acres in October.
3. Quote on sealing the parking lot came in at about \$9000. We would have to paint the lines ourselves. Due to lack of funds we will need to find a better price or wait till next year.
4. Freezer door cannot be repaired. We are going to attempt to use the door off the non working walk-in out back. Hopefully this will take care of our problem.
5. So far all information on changing the ballroom floor have been outrageous. So we will make do with what we have for a bit longer.
6. Dish network has come out and moved the dish to a higher vantage point on the side of the building. We should now have working television for family nights.
7. Bingo crowds have been growing. This has been a great source of income to the hall. This is how we keep the lights on. The only thing that is not growing is the number of volunteers. We need your help. If you would like to help please call Gary Barker 479.719.3442 or Robert Collins 479.883.1698

Next meeting will be September 11th at 6:30pm.

Gary Barker



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 996**

Meetings 1st Wednesday of every Month
7:30pm

Council Officers 2019-2020

Chaplain	Fr. Juan Guido
Grand Knight	Robert Collins
Deputy Grand Knight	Matt Hutchinson
Financial Secretary	Marc Lux
Treasurer	Mark Urban

Visit Council Web Site at kofc996.com

Facebook: Knights of Columbus Fort Smith AR

COLUMBUS HALL AND ACRES

RENTAL INFO

Hall and Acres rental contact:

Jayne Spahn 479-208-3108

Hall Phone: 479-649-7144

The Hall and Acres are located at:

10201 Columbus Acres Rd.

Fort Smith AR 72916



F a m i l i e s i n N e e d o f P r a y e r

Sick

Please keep all members and friends in your prayers.

Military

Jacob Ferguson Fort Sill FORSCOM, Seth Simson 188th Wing

Donnie Fredrick 188th Wing

If there are any notifications for the Sickness or deaths please contact Matt Hutchinson at mhutchinson56@yahoo.com



Pius XII Council 996

September 2019












Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	3 Bingo 7 PM 	4 4th Degree Assembly Meeting 6pm Council meeting 730pm 	5	6 Family Fish Night 6pm 	7. Rib Fest 
8	9 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	10 Bingo 7 PM 	11 Columbus Club Mtg at 6:30	12	13	14
15 	16 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	17 Bingo 7 PM 	18 Social Mtg 6:30 pm 	19	20	21
22	23 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	24 Bingo 7 PM 	25	26	27	28. Frontier Fest Down town Fort Smith. 10am-4pm
29 	30 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm		26			



Pius XII Council 996

October 2019



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Bingo 7 PM 	2. 4th degree Assembly meeting 6pm. Council meeting 730pm  	3	4 Family Fish Night 6pm 	5. St. Boniface Lawn Social 5pm-11pm
6	7 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	8 Bingo 7 PM 	9 Columbus Club Meeting 630pm	10	11	12. Charity Classic Golf Tournament Benefiting The Gregory Kistler Center
13	14 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	15 Bingo 7 PM 	16 Social Mtg 6:30 pm 	17	18	19
20	21 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	22 Bingo 7 PM 	23	24	25	26
27	28 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	29 Bingo 7 PM 	30	31		



Pius XII Council 996

November 2019



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1. Family Night Fish Fry 6pm 	2
3	4 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	5 Bingo 7 PM 	6. 4th Degree <i>Assembly meeting</i> 6pm. <i>Council meeting</i> 7:30pm 	7	8	9
10	11 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	12 Bingo 7 PM 	13 Columbus Club Mtg at 6:30	14	15	16
17	18 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	18 Bingo 7 PM 	20 Thanks giv- ing Pot luck and check presenta- tion	21	22	23
24	25 Troop 3 Boy Scouts Mtg 6:45-9pm	26 Bingo 7 PM 	27	28	29	30