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## Grand Knight's Korner

Brother Knights and Ladies,

Tis the season of Joy! Our media advertises that joy can be purchased from Black Friday through December 24<sup>th</sup> in the form of a new truck wrapped with large bow or by giving chocolate diamonds. But St. Paul reminds us that joy can be found in all circumstances (1Thessalonians 1:2-6), particularly through *labors of love*.

You continue to awe and inspire me with the tremendous giving and *laboring* that the Knights and Ladies provide for our parish and community. Yes, we are weary at times, but you still radiate the joy of serving to others. This Advent let's stay close to Jesus in both our prayer and giving. By doing so, our hearts will continue to radiate the true Joy of the season.

I invite all Knights and Ladies to celebrate the true Joy of the season at our annual Christmas party, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in the parish center (see newsletter for details). It is at this event that we will distribute the proceeds from our labors to the many charities we support. If you would like to attend and are unable to drive, please contact me or any one of our members to arrange for a ride. Hope to see everyone there!

Retailers and advertisements will always blast ideas of joy...which will end promptly at midnight this Christmas Eve. Our Joy, however, is everlasting in the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Merry Christmas,

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## Council Calendar

### Council / Assembly meetings for December 2019

December 11<sup>th</sup> Wednesday, 6:30 PM – Council Christmas Party – Parish Center

December 13<sup>th</sup> Friday, 6:00 PM – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly 3588 Christmas Party – Ascension

### Council / Assembly meetings for November 2019

January 9<sup>th</sup> Thursday, 7:00 PM – Rosary

January 9<sup>th</sup> Thursday, 7:30 PM – Council Meeting – Church Basement

January 22<sup>th</sup> Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly 3588 Mtg – TBD

January 23<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, 7:00 PM – Planning Meeting – Notre Dame House Basement



## Event Calendar

### Sulphur Springs Cleanup – Meet after 8:30 AM mass

Join with other brother Knights to clean up the parish and surrounding areas – Contact Gene Banner, [gbanner01@yahoo.com](mailto:gbanner01@yahoo.com)

### Bingo! – St. Joseph's Santen Center – doors open at 6:00 first game at 7PM

Have fun with others playing Bingo and maybe..... win some cash! – Contact Joe Caratenuto, [joecaratenuto@hotmail.com](mailto:joecaratenuto@hotmail.com)

### Family Mass w/Honor Guard – St. Joe Church

Join with other Knights and families for mass and breakfast at the Legion Post– Contact Marty Longo, [SASASP4@YAHOO.COM](mailto:SASASP4@YAHOO.COM)

### Gift of Mary Soup Kitchen – Meet at VFW Hall no later than 7:45AM

Join with others to help those in need by cooking and handing out meals– Contact Gene Banner, [gbanner01@yahoo.com](mailto:gbanner01@yahoo.com)

### Felice Couers Dance - St. Claire of Assisi

Volunteer with Knights and Ladies and help others – Contact Gary Smith, [smith1012@sbcglobal.net](mailto:smith1012@sbcglobal.net)

### Doughnut Sunday – School Cafeteria after 7 AM, 9 AM, and 11 AM masses

Help volunteer or come by after mass for a doughnut – Contact Joe LaFiore, [lafiore2000@aol.com](mailto:lafiore2000@aol.com)

### Knights Card Club – Notre Dame House

Join with other Knights and have some fun, playing cards– Contact Mike DiSalvo, [MMDISALVO@CHARTER.NET](mailto:MMDISALVO@CHARTER.NET)

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## Regular Weekly Events

### Rosary for Those in Need – Notre Dame House

Pray the Rosary with Knights and Ladies for those in need of prayers – Contact Larry Moore

**December 7**  
8:30 am

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7:00 pm

**December 8**  
9:00 am

**December 9**  
7:45 am

**December 14**  
7:00 pm

**December 15**  
After 7, 9, 11 am

**December 17**  
1:00 pm

**December 25**

**December 30**  
7:45 am

**January 4**  
7:00 pm

**January 11**  
7:00 pm

**January 13**  
7:45 am

**January 19**  
After 7, 9, 11 am

**January 21**  
1:00 pm

**Wednesdays**  
10:30 am



## King of Diamonds 50/50 Progressive Jackpot \$64



### Knights at Work

November 19<sup>th</sup> was a big parish service outreach for our St. Joe's middle school. They raked leaves for parishioners. Big volunteers of the day were Knights offering their services as well. Brothers Brian Carroll, Greg DeLargy and Greg Sturgill were pictured with the 8th graders at the last yard of the day.



### Knights Trivia Night Ticket Sales are open

Tickets for the 25<sup>th</sup> annual Knight's Trivia Night are now on sale. You can print and mail in the form below or head to the Knights website or the Knights' spot on the St. Joe website. Last year's event was almost a sellout and we fully expect this years to sellout early, so get your tickets now to ensure you are there! -

Trivia Night Committee



# **FUN – FUN – FUN**

# **TRIVIA KNIGHT**

**Saturday February 15, 2020**

St. Joseph Church  
567 St. Joseph Lane, Manchester, MO  
Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

**EMCEE:** **Mike Roberts**  
Former St Louis TV Weatherman



**CASH PRIZES**  
**ATTENDANCE PRIZES**  
**SILENT AUCTION**  
**GAMES-GAMES-GAMES**  
**FREE BEER AND SODA**  
**FREE POPCORN**



**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT**  
**DPEZZANI@SBCGLOBAL.NET OR**  
**WWW.STJOEMANCHESTER.ORG/TRIVIA-NIGHT**  
**Tables go on sale November 1, 2019**

## Quote of the Month



## Knights Accomplishments



### November

- Assisted St Vincent de Paul with food for Thanksgiving dinners
- Successful Bingo Night
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Successful Felice Couers Dance

### October

- Successful Bingo Night
- Sponsored ProLife Mass
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Sponsored Life Chain Event
- Successful Felice Couers Dance
- Successful Tootsie Roll Drive
- Successful Coat Drive
- Sponsored CPR Class at Lafayette Industries
- Helped control the parking at Sausage Supper

### September

- Successful Bingo Night
- Sponsored Doughnut Sunday
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Soccer Welcome Event
- Youth Soccer Challenge
- Golf Tournament Charity Drive
- Disabled and Disability Drive

### August

- Successful Bingo Night
- Sponsored Doughnut Sunday

- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Sock Drive

### July

- Successful Bingo Night
- Soup kitchen help for those in need

### June

- Successful Bingo Night
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Family Mass and Breakfast

### May

- Successful Bingo Night
- Another excellent Felice Cueors Dance
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Family Picnic
- Sponsored Veteran's Memorial Mass

### April

- Successful Bingo Night
- Donut Sunday organization and volunteers
- Another excellent Felice Cueors Dance
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Fish Fry frying and bar tending help

### March

- Successful Bingo Night
- Donut Sunday organization and volunteers
- Another excellent Felice Cueors Dance
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Fish Fry frying and bar tending help
- Awards given to St. Joe students for the annual basketball challenge and essay contest
- Mancuso Grant submission by St. Joseph school administration

### February

- Donut Sunday organization and volunteers
- Awards given to St. Joe students winning the Keep Christ in Christmas Contest
- Another successful Bingo event
- Sponsored the District Basketball Free Throw Challenge
- Felice Cueors Dance – 11 St. Joe volunteers
- Volunteers at the soup kitchen
- Held the State Essay contest at St. Joe school

- Successful Trivia Night event

## January

- Donation made to help the school cover the cost of their annual musical
- Awarded Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest Winners
- Another successful Bingo night, supporting our charities
- Sponsored Donut Sunday for the Parish
- Soup kitchen help for those in need
- Help Council Basketball Free Throw Challenge for St. Joseph students

## December

- Another successful Bingo night, supporting our charities
  - Sulphur Springs road cleanup
  - Supported another Felice Coeurs Dance
  - Sponsored Donut Sunday for the Parish
  - Soup kitchen help for those in need
  - Handed out collected monies to our charities at our annual Christmas party
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Hear the prayers we offer for our brothers and sisters who are sick and in distress, especially:

Frank & Rita Holland	Bernie Landau
Ann Funk	Gerri & Andy Villaire
Maureen & Jim Winkler	Tom Brown
Ron Hantak	Rich Triola
Myron Willis	Bill Fogerty
Sol Hamway	Gus & Carroll Baechle
Frank & Rita Holland	Penny Hartley
Bruce Verkruyse	JoAnn & John Kaestner
Jason Moore	Greta Haynes
Stephanie Caratenuto	Deacon Larry Damato
Lucia Lindh	Margi Watowa
Lynn McMillan	Jan Flake
Cathy & Dick Glatz	Sue Wilkes
Barb Lynn	Margie Boever
Pat Viazanko	Mike Bick
Aubrey Banner	Marianne Finnegan
Maxine Leuckenotte	Denny Pezzani
Harriet Brown	
Gerry Wilkes Jr	



December Birthdays

Jim Schuessler	December 1
Fred Leuckenotte	December 4
Robert McAlexander	December 9
Bob Depelheuer	December 11
SK George Lindh	December 13
Mike Steinke	December 14
James Larson	December 22
Dave Gockley	December 23
Jon Campbell	December 27
Ed Cox	December 27
Mark Huseman	December 27
Mike Bick	December 28
Dirk Korczak	December 28
Dick Glatz	December 30



Please help in assisting in the publication of this newsletter by providing feedback and by submitting an article and/or pictures. If you have an article to submit, please forward it to me, Tom Will at [tom.will@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tom.will@sbcglobal.net)

Deadline for the next newsletter is 10 days prior to the first of the month.

If you know a member that would like a printed copy of this newsletter, please contact me at [tom.will@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tom.will@sbcglobal.net)

**FROM YOUR WEBMASTER!**

Thanks to everyone who submitted a photo to be placed in the Membership Rosters. If you go to our website <http://www.KofC9522.org> you can view the pictures. If there is not a picture by your name, don't be alarmed, just email me at [tom.will@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tom.will@sbcglobal.net) with your photo and it will be placed next to your name.

If you have any suggestions or comments about our council site, please let me know.



**Welcome New Members**

Welcome to Mark McBride!

Who do you know that would make a good Knight???

Contact Larry Moore @[eljaymoore1@att.net](mailto:eljaymoore1@att.net)



**Our Officers**

- Grand Knight: Ed Cox
- Deputy Grand Knight/Program Director: Pete Bitzer
- Chancellor: Jack Burke
- Treasurer: Brian Carroll
- Financial Secretary: Terry Altepeter
- Advocate: Jon Campbell
- Chaplin: Fr. Tom Pastorius
- Warden: Tom Landzaat
- Inside Guard: Jim Havens
- Outside Guard: Mike Wilkes
- 3 year Trustee: Gary Smith
- 2 year Trustee: Rob Libera
- 1 year Trustee: Jim Schuessler
- Recorder: Tom Will