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NOVEMBER 2016 MONTHLY EVENTS

11/1/2016	Business Meeting	Luigi's Pizza at 8:00pm
11/8/2016	Election Day Adoration	Holy Angels from 6:00am to 7:00pm
11/8/2016	1st Degree/Practice	Holy Angels - Connor Hall at 7:30pm
11/15/2016	Assembly Meeting	Riverview Banquets Meeting at 7:30pm
11/20/2016	Hospitality Sunday	Holy Angels - Connor Hall 8:00am to 12:00pm
11/22/2016	Planning Meeting	Holy Angels - Connor Lounge at 8:00pm

Please visit the web for complete Calendar of events with updates: www.kofc4849.net

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Principles of the Order

Charity
Unity
Fraternity
Patriotism



Council Directors

<u>Membership Director</u>	<u>Program Director</u>	
Rick Marsh	Rick Marsh	
<u>Recruitment</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Open Position</u>
All Members	<u>Community</u>	Dean Myles
<u>Retention</u>	<u>Council</u>	Pat Gengler
Rick Marsh (Chair)	<u>Family</u>	Stan Rocush
<u>Public Information Officer</u>	<u>Culture of Life</u>	Chuck Jones
Pat Gengler	<u>Youth</u>	Russ Huggins

Grand Knight Line

**Cardinal Bellarmine
Council 4849**

2016 - 2017 Officers

Grand Knight
Norb Rozanski

Chaplain
Rev. Michael G. Lavan

Assistant Chaplain
Deacon Tom Hawksworth

Deputy Grand Knight
Rick Marsh

Chancellor
Stan Rocush

Recorder
Phil Brink

Financial Secretary
Dean Myles

Treasurer
Ray Froehlich

Lecturer
Marty Wolding

Advocate
Joe Didier

Warden
Mike Orlando

Inside Guard
Darrel Bancroft

Outside Guard
Joe Peters

Council Greeter
Paul Fleming

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Matt Guthrie, PGK
Thomas Wright, PGK
Ty Simmons, PGK

District Deputy
Carl Christensen

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*The publication will be
monthly for the
Cardinal Bellarmine Council.
The deadline for an article
submission is:
24th of the Month.
Please send articles to:
kofcmatt@gmail.com*

Brother Knights,

As we move into shorter nights and colder weather we need to remember that Council activities continue. This means whatever events we plan, we need to have YOUR help.

All of us could say "I'm too busy" or "I have other things to do." I can relate to both of these statements but I hope that we all remember that we joined the Knights to be of service to our church, our school and our community. We are doing our best to make our meetings shorter so that we might have an opportunity to socialize together. As I've said repeatedly... let me know what we can do to improve our meetings and our council. We have over 165 members and sadly it comes down to about the same 20-30 guys that do all the events.

Some events coming up:

On November 6 the Church will be open the entire time that the polls are open so that we can pray for the candidates running and that our nation can get back to be a nation based on Christian values. Fr. Lavan will be having exposition of the Blessed Sacrament ALL day and this would be a good time for you to come and pray—maybe a rosary or the chaplet. Do your best to come and pray for at least an hour. Fr. Lavan will be having sign up sheets in the Narthex.

We will be having a Knight's table at the St. Anne's fair where we will be selling Poinsettias and Popcorn this year. We need YOUR help to help us sell the items and to help set up. Matt Guthrie and I are coordinating this so please contact either one of us if you can help.

The Basketball Free Throw contest will be held in January again this year and will be right after school is dismissed. We can use YOUR help on this also. Please contact Russ Huggins or myself if you can help us with this.

Coming up in February/March will be our annual Friday Fish Dinners. Help the last few years has been great but we're always looking for some new blood to help those who have given of their time and continue to give of their time.

Please keep in your prayers those who have recently died and those who are sick. Keep in your prayers those people who challenge our Catholic faith. Pray for an end to abortion. Remember you can go to our Council website and list intentions.

Please also go to the website and fill out the form that lists your hours served in our Council. We usually have hard copies at our meetings that you can use also.

While we'd like to see more of our Knights at events I also know that the 3 high schools and our elementary school require service hours before graduation. At any of the events where we could use some young "muscle", like the St. Anne's fair, etc., please offer this opportunity to your child. For the young men it might be an opportunity for them to see what we do and for the young ladies it might intrigue them to join the Lady Bellarmine group.

Finally, if you know of any Catholic man in our parish who would be a good addition to our council, ask them to join. If they have questions, please answer them or refer them to one of the officers. We don't want our Council to slowly die out because of lack of interest or involvement but we need YOUR help.

Respectfully,

GK Norb Rozanski

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Deacon's Beacon

Dear Brother Knights,

Here we find ourselves again, as we do every year, in the midst of the beautiful colors of Autumn. And again this year, as in previous years, I like to remind all of us, including myself, of a necessary lesson that can be learned from the beautiful colors in the leaves:

I'm told the beautiful colors are always present in the leaves but they are covered over by chlorophyll. The colors we now enjoy aren't visible until the weather conditions reduce and eventually eliminate the chlorophyll; and each of us can be so much just like a leaf! Our true inner "beauty" can be covered over so often by the "chlorophyll" in our lives; the busyness, the noise, the distractions, the sin, the apart-ness from God, can be too much a part of us and prevent the image of God in us from being able to come to the surface and show itself.

So, let's take some time this month to take "inventory" in order to be more aware of any "chlorophyll" in our lives that prevents our beautiful "colors" from being seen, that prevents us from being more like Christ. Then, let's ask the Holy Spirit to help us begin a "chlorophyll removal" process. Let's pray that we can become as "beautiful" as God created us to be. God bless you.

**"God created man in His image, in the divine image
He created him; male and female He created them."**

Gn. 1:27

Deacon Tom Hawksworth

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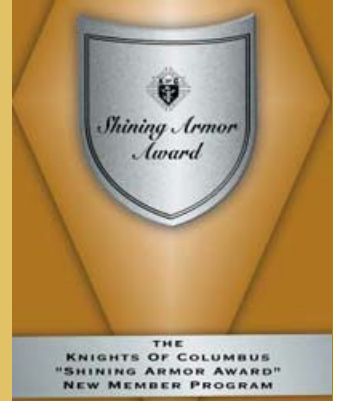
Membership News

November

Shining Armor Award Program

Get your new members from the October Church Drive involved by introducing them to the Shining Award Program.

- Be involved in at least 3 council service programs.
- Attend at least 3 council business meetings.
- Receive their Formation and Knighthood degrees.
- Meet with your council's insurance representative.
- Recruit at least one new member.



December

Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest & Assess Your Progress

Conduct a Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest with the Parish School. Time for the Council to assess their progress.

Degree	Training
<p>Are you a Knighthood Degree member? If not, you can easily become one by taking your Formation and Knighthood Degrees.</p> <p>The next Degree(s) are scheduled:</p> <p>For more details, www.illinoisknights.org</p> <p>11/13/2016 at Sacred Heart #13476 in Marengo, IL 1:00 pm Admission Degree 2:30pm Formation Degree 3:30pm Knighthood Degree</p>	<p><u>KC Academy</u></p> <p>The K.C. Academy is proud to present a training session on:</p> <p>Council Officer Training, Financial Officer Training, and Knight Mentoring</p> <p>Officers Duties/ FS Training 11/5/2016 St. Bridget's</p>

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In Service to All*



We're on the Web:
www.kofc4849.net

**THE NATURAL
CHOICE
IS LIFE!**



MEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND

THE CURSILLO WEEKEND?

During the three days of the Cursillo weekend from Thursday evening to Sunday evening, people from all walks of life grow close to one another. Religious and lay people form a living, working Christian community to gain a deep awareness of the treasures and responsibility of their faith. The goal of the Cursillo weekend is to give those who make it a new understanding of Jesus Christ, the basic Christian truths, and the desire to serve the church.

The Cursillo weekend is a blend of seriousness, light heartedness, spiritual exercises, talks and discussions. The teachings of Christ are discussed within an atmosphere of joy and song. There are meditations and talks by priests and laymen, and everyone making the Cursillo weekend is urged to participate by taking notes, discussing, and even by making drawings that illustrate major points.

The Cursillo weekend ends at the close of the three days. However, the whole point of the Cursillo movement is that ordinary people can steadily grow in the love and service of God and man for the rest of their lives. Christian growth is not easy, but the Cursillo weekend provides a framework for it, both during the three days and afterwards. In the Post-Cursillo, emphasis is on maintaining a vibrant and growing Christian community, thus springs the apostolic action required to make ours a better world to live in.

For many, a Cursillo weekend is a new awakening to a deeper friendship with Christ.

WEEKEND INFORMATION

For those Cursillistas who would love to come back and serve on a Cursillo weekend the Rockford Diocese holds weekends twice a year, once in the fall and spring for both men and women.

All weekends are held at:

St. Mary's Parish Community Center
881 North Mongan Drive
Oregon, Illinois 61061

Next Cursillo Dates: **Spring April 20th - 23rd, 2017**

November (Building the Domestic Church)

Psalm of the Month (Psalm 128)

*Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord, who walks in His ways! You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands; you shall be happy, and it shall be well with you. Your wife will be like a fruitful vine within your house; your children will be like olive shoots around your table. Lo, thus shall the man be blessed who fears the Lord. The Lord bless you from Zion!
May you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life!
May you see your children's children! Peace be upon Israel.*

ADORATION AT HOLY ANGELS

Wednesdays starting after 8:00am Mass and ending before 8:00am Mass on Thursday morning. Check the book outside the chapel for open times or join others in this most blessed opportunity.

Contact Flo Askew, Call 630-844-9370

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4th Degree - Marquette Assembly #0188

Meetings are held on the Third Tuesday of each month at
Riverview Banquets, 1117 N Washington Ave, Batavia, IL

Time: 7:30pm

Color Corp Training is held twice monthly

- 1) 1st session is the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm in the Dining Hall at Marmion Academy 1000 Butterfield Road, Aurora
- 2) 2nd session is preceding the monthly member meetings on the Third Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm

Check out our new website at:

www.marquetteassembly188.org

Uniform and Supplies for Assembly
<http://www.kofcsupplies.com>

<http://www.lynchkelly.com>



Rockford Chapter

Meetings are held Quarterly in January, April, July and October on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7:30pm. Meetings are started with Mass.

Every year a celebration occurs to honor fellow Knights at the Hoffman House in Rockford called the Knights of the Roundtable Dinner.

Next Roundtable dinner is September 28th, 2016 Cocktails at 6:30 pm,
Dinner at 7:30 pm

Current Chapter Officers can be viewed at:
www.illinoisknights.org

Support Vocations

COUNCIL APPAREL

Golf Polo Shirt (No Pocket) \$36

Pocket Polo Shirt \$36

Long Sleeve Shirt \$39

Screenprint T-Shirt \$9

Contact: John Schreiber,

john@theschreibers.com

or 630-779-7695



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Squires Circle

Under the guidance of Christian Brother Barnabas McDonald (1865-1929), the first Columbian Squires circle was instituted in 1925. Membership in the Squires is for Catholic boys between the ages of 10 and 18. Squires' activities are many, varying from spiritual to active service for the Church and community. Each circle elects officer members from their own rank, teaching skills of leadership and responsibility.

Our Circle is #5658

For more information contact: Stan Rocush, sfrocush@msn.com

Business Meeting

2nd Tuesday of the Month

Advancement Meeting

3rd Tuesday of the Month

Social Meeting

Last Friday of the Month

This may be postponed during the summer sessions



Family and Knights

Let's recognize our Brother Knights and their Families!

We have renewed our Knight of the Month/Year and Family of the Month/Year program.

We need your recommendation for the Knight and/or the family that has made significant contributions to the church, community, and/or council.

We now only require that you visit the new website at:

www.kofc4849.net

The next step is to scroll down to the bottom of the page and click this link.

[MAKE YOUR NOMINATIONS
FOR FAMILY & KNIGHT OF THE MONTH](#)

Then using your member number to login, make your selections from the list. You can type up a reason for your choice and vote for one or both, Knight and Family of the Month.

Please try to do this monthly to help make this program a success.

Stan Rocush, Family Director - sfrocush@msn.com

Holy Angels Columbian Squires Circle #5658

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Flocking a Friend Order Form



Name of Friend "Victim" to be Flocked: _____

Friend's Physical Address: _____

Note: Flamingos are not allowed to flock on public property or apartment complexes.

Special Instructions: _____

How Many Flamingos do you want to Migrate to your Friend's Yard?

- Small Flock - \$10 Medium Flock - \$15 Large Flock - \$20
(12 Flamingos) (24 Flamingos) (36 Flamingos)

**Prices Above are Suggested Donations*

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone: _____

If asked, can we reveal your identity to the flockee? Yes / No

Please contact John Schreiber at 630-779-7695 with your order or drop off this form at Holy Angels' Parish Center located at 180 S. Russell Ave in Aurora

Thank You For Your Support!!

Sold By : _____ Date Sold: ____/____/____ Delivered: ____/____/____