



The *Bulletin*

Knights of Columbus, St. James Council 1728, 1900 Central Ave, Kearney, Ne.68847

Aug. - 2018

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A Note from the Editor

Fundraiser for Electrical Improvement

A fundraiser is being planned to help with the cost of electrical improvement at the Old Town Hall. We need to upgrade the service coming into the building and do extensive rewiring inside the building. Kearney Area Concerned Citizen have been donating money to improve the facilities for the Thanksgiving Dimmer. It is time that we get the plan into action. We are working with the city on a plan to make it happen.

On September 17, 2018 we will be having Old Town Hall Septemberfest. We will be serving burgers, brats, beer and more from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. It is all you can eat and drink event. We hope you can attend and bring your neighbors, friends and family.

We also plan on having a silent auction that night. If you have anything to donate it would be most appreciated. Contact any officer with any questions.

If you want tickets or want to sell tickets contact Andy Donovan at Masters True Value. If you have sold some tickets and want to turn in your money see Andy. This event is replacing the Super Bowl party we have had in the past.





A Message from the desk of:

**Mark Glatter
Grand Knight**

Thanks to the Knights and their families who rode the float at the Cruise Night, to David & Melissa Hoferer for pulling the float and to the Knights that helped with the 5th Sunday breakfast, we took in \$878, expenses for the Be My Witness Program books. Thanks to Andy Donovan for serving in a dual purpose of Deputy GK and Financial Secretary. Congratulations to John Lakey for taking on the role of Financial Secretary. The next meeting is Monday, August 27th.

Thanks!

Mark GK 1728

Come Join the Fun and good Food

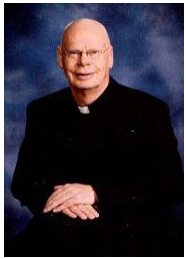
Our annual BBQ contest/ Family picnic for September 9. Located at Old Town Hall 5pm Sunday evening. We are inviting Prince of Peace council to join. Still looking for Contestants for BBQ contest. Someone will come home with the Coveted traveling trophy.

Silver Rose

The Silver Rose Program will be Saturday, August 25th @ The Mt. Carmel Chapel. The 8:00am program will be in Spanish and the 9:30am program will be in English. Enter through the South doors and it goes directly into the Chapel. St. James Council is the host council for the Silver Rose. All are welcome!

Thanks,

Mark Glatter GK



A Message from the desk of Fr. Art

Dear Knights-

Just a brief note this month.

On the 15th of August we celebrate the Assumption of Mary. Together with January 1st, the feast of Mary, Mother of God, and December 8th, the Immaculate Conception of Mary, these are three holy days in the liturgical year when we honor Mary's place in salvation history. Her Assumption marked the completion of her life on earth. It is our belief that Mary fell asleep in this world to awaken in heaven. We speak of it as Mary's Dormition. The site of that happening is a place visited by many pilgrims to the holy land.

As Catholics we honor Mary for many reasons. God certainly chose her to fulfil a unique place in his plan for to save the world. We look to her as Mother of the God and Mother of the Church. We turn to her asking her intercession for the needs of the world and for our own special intentions.

Mary is a precious intercessor for the Knights of Columbus as we look to the graces that flow from her prayers to assist us in the good outreach we do so faithfully.

Father Art

Message from Dist. Deputy

Mitch O'Neill



Brother Knights,

A First, Second, and Third Degree will be held on Saturday, August 25 in St Paul. However, do NOT make a candidate wait to get his First Degree! Every council has the DVD from Supreme, so there is no reason to have a potential knight waiting to join. If you need help, contact me and I will assist you.

Membership is what drives the vitality of the Council. New members bring new ideas, and new energy to the council.

In the heat of summer, it is hard to think about planning for fall and winter events, but this is exactly the time we need to plan. A great resource is the Fraternal Leader Success Planners. It is laid out month by month to help us look ahead. Always be sure to check with your church calendars so our events don't conflict with their events.

The Silver Rose, a special tribute to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, will be in Nebraska from Aug 19 to Sept 16. Lexington, Kearney, and Grand Island will each have a ceremony. Check this bulletin to find a location near you. I encourage each knight to attend a ceremony in your area.

<http://kofc.org/DomesticChurch>

Vivat Jesus

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Council Officers - 2017 –2018

Grand Knight – Mark Glatter
Deputy Grand Knight – Andy Donvavan
Recorder – Dan Arens
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Treasurer – Jim Bogner
Advocate - Tim Franco
Warden – Denny Behlmann
Chancellor - Richard Boden
Inside Guard – John Lakey
Outside Guard – Paul Oberbrockling
Lecturer-
Trustee 1 year – James Hausmann
Trustee 2 year – Dave Bonk
Trustee 3 year – Cliff Jarecke
District Deputy – Mitch O'Neill
Council Chaplain - Fr. Joe Hannappel
Chaplain Emeritus - Fr. Bob Rooney
Bulletin Editor Gailen Kotrous
Hall Manager CMO Hall Info - Call
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Council Meetings 4th
Monday of every month at
7:30 p.m. at the Hall. A
steak dinner is served at
6:30 PM, prior to the
meeting at a cost of \$8.00.
All are invited.

Officers Meetings 3rd
Tuesday of the month at
6:30p.m. at the Hall.

CMO Meeting 2nd Tuesday
of the month at 7:00 P.M
at the Hall



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Aug Bingo Workers

Chairman: Jim Fischback Seller: Nedbalski Caller

Stan Banks, Jamie Becker, Terry Bryson, Jeremy Chizek, Dewayne Gohl,
Joseph Mc Tygue, Thomas Meyers, Kelly Moes, Dennis O'Brien, Orville Schuster, Matt
Stolenberg and Gregory Vanderbeek

Notice!

Feb.'s bingo committee is scheduled to serve the dinner for the Aug. Council meeting.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084dacab2ca4ff2-knights>

Sept. Bingo Workers

Chairman: Ralph Becker Seller: Sam Reinke Caller: Bill Rochford

Ed Burglund, Jim Bergland, Bob Buettner, Jeff Girard, Gary Gould, Gorden Johnson, Pat
Kistler, Mike Konz, Gene Liebig, Mark McBride, Mike Metzger, William Meyer, Ron Svacina,
Brian Rodine, Gent Svec, Chuck Trioia, and Larry Voet

Notice!

Mar.'s bingo committee is scheduled to serve the dinner for the Sept. Council meeting.



Knight of the Month

Matt Larson

Matt joined the Knights of Columbus in Nov. of 2017. Matt is a new member and has gotten active by helping with Bingo, 5th Sunday breakfast and putting up the flags in Old Town Kearney. For all he does, he receives the honor for this month's Knight of the Month.



Family of the Month

John & Deanna Lakey

John joined the Knights of Columbus in March of 1970. John has been very active helping with bingo, 5th Sunday breakfast, fish fries and most all actives.

John held the office of recorder but a number of years and has stepped up by taking the office of financial Sec.

John has helped out with finance at both Prince of Peace and St. James. He also serves as Leader, Proclaimer and Eucharist Ministry. Deanne helps at St. James wherever she can help. For all they do, they deserve the honor of this month's Family of the Month



5th Sunday Breakfast



4th Degree



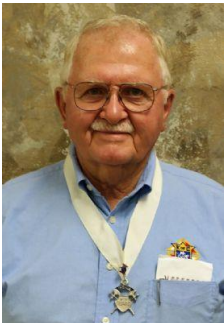
Fourth Degree

Knights of Columbus, Kearney Assembly #0609

Meetings - 2nd Thursday, 7:30 P.M.
Old Town Hall
1900 Central Avenue

Faithful Navigator: Denny Behlmann
Faithful Captain: David Stubbs
Faithful Pilot: Gailen Kotrous
Faithful Scribe: Pat Kistler
Faithful Purser: Mitch O'Neill
Faithful Comptroller: Tom Schachta
Faithful Admiral: Jim Bogner
Inside Sentinal: Ken Richter
Outside Sentinal: Emory Pankas
Trustee 3 years: Dan Glatter
Trustee 2 years: Jim Dubas
Trustee 1 year: Cliff Jarecke

4th Degree News



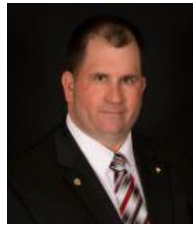
Brother Knights,

Summer is almost gone and meetings start up with the first meeting on September 13th at 7:30 P.M. at The Hall.

Also, on Sunday August 26th, we have a 4th Degree Exemplification at St. Paul, Nebraska. If you have somebody interested, please let me know.

Thank you and May God Bless!

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Update Your Beneficiaries

Sometimes it is easy to overlook the simplest of things.

Take, for example, the beneficiaries on your life insurance policies. If your policy was applied for and issued several years ago, it may very well be that the person you originally selected as the beneficiary is no longer the person you would want to receive the policy proceeds. If you bought the policy when you were single, for example, you may have named your parents as beneficiaries. If you have since married, your policies should be updated to reflect your spouse as beneficiary. Maybe you've had children since, who are not named on the policies.

Most people list a primary beneficiary, who is specifically designated as the first in priority to receive policy proceeds. We also encourage the naming of a contingent beneficiary, an alternate person designated to receive policy proceeds, usually in the event that the original beneficiary pre-deceases the insured.

I routinely call all of my policyholders for annual review appointments, usually near the anniversary date of your policy – that is, the date it was originally issued. One of the matters that I'll discuss during this review is the status of your beneficiary designations. If they need updating, and they often do, I can complete the paperwork during that appointment.

I look forward to meeting with each of you to discuss your family's needs.

Michael Scholz, FICF

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What does it Mean to be Catholic

There are 1.2 billion Catholics in this world and New Orleans is home to about half a million of them. So just what is the Catholic Church and what does it mean to be Catholic?

The Catholic Church is the Church founded by Christ and his Apostles. There are four marks or characteristics of the Church, and we are reminded of them each time we pray the Nicene Creed at Mass.

- One – means all members are united as the Body of Christ, given life by the one Spirit. We acknowledge one Lord, one faith, one Baptism
- Holy – means the Church is centered on God. It is Christ who, by his sacrifice, makes the Church holy.
- Catholic – means universal. The Church is for all times and all people. The Church is “the fullness” of the means of salvation” (CCC 830)
- Apostolic – means the Church is built on the foundation of the Apostles. We teach the doctrine of Jesus as it has been handed down through the apostles and their successors, the pope and bishops.

But being Catholic is more than attending Mass on Sundays. It is an ongoing personal encounter with Christ that renews the spirit so that we may witness God’s love with joy in our world. How do we do that?

Each Catholic is called to full and active participation in the life of the Church and has the right and responsibility to:

- Attend Mass on Sundays and on Holy Days of Obligation.
- Confess your sins, through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, at least once a year.
- Receive the Eucharist.
- Observe the days of fasting (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday) and abstinence (Ash Wednesdays and Fridays in Lent) established by the Church.
- Help to provide for the needs of the Church.

Encountering Christ and being a witness to his love means we are called to live like Jesus and work for justice and peace in this world by **living** the 10 Commandments, the Beatitudes, the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, and the principles of Catholic Social Teaching.

We are called to stand for the:

- Life and Dignity of the Human Person
- Call to Family, Community and Participation
- Rights and Responsibilities of the Human Person
- Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
- Dignity of Work and Rights of Workers
- Solidarity of the Human Family
- Care for God’s Creation

Sick or in Distress

If you have a member of your family or a friend who needs some prayers, email me and a little detail and I will post it here.

Gailen Kotrous, Editor

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Please continue to pray for the souls of Sherry Banks, wife Stan Banks, who recently passed away. Also pray for Dave Glatter, Fr. Tom, Fr. Rooney, Bernard Loeffelholz, Shirley Bonk, Cliff Jarecke, Orville Schuster, Fr. Ray, Dick & Althea Bugay, Mike O'Meara, Marv Wemhoff, Becky Kotrous, Rose Wathan and Nancy Cunningham.

Thanks!

Mark Glatter GK 1728 Kearney



20TH ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

**20th Annual
Knights of Columbus
Horseshoe
Tournament**

**Hosted by Cathedral of the Risen Christ Council 9563
Lincoln, Ne**

Saturday, September 15, 2018

Registration 8:30 am

Doubles begin at 9:00 am

(Singles will start immediately after)

Must be a Knight with a current membership card.

Contact Ray Coulter by calling 402-802-8999 if you have any questions.

\$5.00 per person per event

**The Tournament will be held at
University Place Park Pits at 48th
& Francis Streets.
Lincoln, Ne.**



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In Honor of our Flag



Hall Rentals

Is there a wedding coming up in your family?
Maybe a Family reunion or a Birthday Party
**Consider having the reception at the
Old Town Hall.**

For More information
Call the The Old Town Hall, leave a message
and someone will get back to you.

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