



The Knight Light -Knights of Columbus

Official Newsletter of Father
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"We are Knights of Columbus, go out and make a positive difference"

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*Regular Meetings ~ 3rd Tuesday of each Month @ 7:30 pm
Officers Meeting ~ 1st Tuesday of each Month*

Grand Knight's Message:

Peace be with you my Brothers,

I hope everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving enjoying food, family and friends while giving thanks to God for all of it. We are now into advent preparing our hearts and minds for the second coming of Jesus Christ as well as the birth of Jesus. As John the Baptist leaped for joy in the womb of his mother when he heard the pregnant Virgin Mary's voice as she visited her cousin Elizabeth. I hope that we all leap for joy as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on Christmas day. I wish you and your families all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Thank you for all you do for the council.

Vivat Jesus

Respectfully,

Michael Rodriguez

Deadline for articles is **8pm on first Tuesday at the Officers Meetings.**

Articles may be emailed to kofc8960@gmail.com

From the Chaplain's desk

As I write this short letter to all my brother Knights we are already approaching the Second Sunday of Advent. Time is passing very quickly as is this season of Advent. I want to remind all my brothers that we are having an Advent Mission, given by Fr. Bob Joerger, entitled "I'll be home for Christmas". It will be on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, December 9th, 10th, and 11th, at 7:30 each night. I hope that many of my brother Knights will take advantage of this great opportunity to truly prepare our hearts for the coming of Our Lord at Christmas time by attending this mission. Fr. Bob was here at Saint Helen a few years ago, and many people were very moved by his presentations. Please make every effort to attend this great way to welcome in our Savior once more. Also a reminder that the Knights are planning on "lighting up" the church on Saturday the 14th, hope many brother Knights can come and help...it is a great day of work, but fellowship and preparing for the great celebration of the Birth of Our Lord. One last reminder....check the bulletin for our Christmas and New Year mass schedule. I truly pray that you and yours enjoy a growth filled Advent Season and a truly blessed holiday season. May the joy of our Savior Born to Us bring Joy and Happiness, Peace and Good will to you and your loved ones!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Fr. Jim

Website

Our council website at kofc8960.com is going strong. If you haven't visited it before, please do so to find a wealth of info about our council including every event that is taking place over the next few months on our event calendar or to read any newsletter including the current one in our newsletter section.

There is also a member's only section that you can log into if you are a current member of the council in good standing. Simply use your membership number from your membership card and your birthdate to enter this section. This section has several important areas of interest:

Updating Information

The member's list gives the roster of all the members of our council. If you ever change your email address or phone number (or know someone who needs their information changed), simply go into this list and find your name to update your information. You can post a picture of yourself also so the council knows what you look like. You can also directly email any other member of the council from this page if you don't currently have their email address.

Of course you can always email me directly at kofc8960@gmail.com when you have changes to your information and I'll make sure they get added.

Recording Volunteer Hours

Have trouble keeping track of your volunteer hours for the year. The member's only section has a great place for entering those in. It breaks the hours up for you into several categories. Even if you do keep good track of these hours on your own, please enter your hours here as you make them. The website keeps totals for our Grand Knight and Financial Secretary to know where we are, so it will be a huge help for the officers for you to take the time to enter those hours here.

Officers

If you are a current officer, there are a couple of forms to view the volunteer information of our council including form 1728. The lists give a per-member and council total breakdown of all volunteer hours in a nice easy to use format.

Easy Mobile Access

Through our partnership with UKnight Interactive, we also have a mobile version of the website. Check it out at kofcmobile.org This new mobile version makes entering volunteer hours a breeze. You can also see events at our council, neighboring councils, assemblies, and chapters, find major degrees in our area and much more.

Prayer Requests

Have a request for prayer for you or a loved one? The Prayer Request section of the website lets you submit them for the council to see. Check this section often to find out about the prayer needs of our council and parish.

News, Pictures, Comments

Please let me know if you have any comments or suggestions about the website or newsletter by emailing me directly at kofc8960@gmail.com

If you have any news or comments to be featured in the newsletter or on the website, send it to me at kofc8960@gmail.com by the first Saturday of the month and I'll make sure it gets in.

Dustin Meyer
Council 8960 Webmaster

Church Christmas Lights Installation

December 14th

Visitation

Next VA visit will be December 15th
Meet at the John Dolan Bldg at 8:30am

State March 4 Life

January 25th

Clergy Night

January 31st

\$35/person - \$70/couple

Gun Raffle / Chili Cookoff

February 1st

Doors open 12pm. Raffle at 3pm

KC Hall Anniversary

February 8th

4th Degree Winter Exemplification

Saturday, February 15 2020

St. Helen Catholic Church

Fish Fry Clean Up

February 22nd

Fish Fry

February 28th

State Convention

April 24th-26th

Dallas

District Deputy Report

All office holders need to be in compliance with "Safe and Sound" certification
or risk being removed from post.

New website for recruitment

"Knights.net"

To sign up new members (E-members)

We're on Facebook

In order to get more of an outreach and make it more convenient for you, we have started our very own Council 8960 Facebook page! Follow us @kofc8960 or Knights of Columbus Council 8960 to see our upcoming events. Please share our events with your friends to help with our fundraisers.

Pro Life Rosary Every 1st Saturday

Come join us for our monthly rosary for an end to abortion. We meet at St. Helen Catholic Church in the prayer garden at 7:30am. In the event of inclement weather, we will meet in the chapel. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Rodriguez at 713-885-1274

Missal Reading and Prayer Every 3rd Saturday

Join us for our next Missal Reading and Prayer service. We will meet in the morning from 7:30 to 8:30am in the KofC Hall on Hatfield. Please join us for coffee, donuts and good Christian fellowship as we seek the Lord together as brother Knights.

General Meeting Every 3rd Tuesday

Join us for the monthly General Meeting of our council starting at 7:30pm. Come early at 7:00pm for a meal provided by the council. Come and learn about all the events and activities our council will be holding over the next month.

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GUN RAFFLE AND CHILI COOK OFF

Saturday – February 1st, 2020

Doors open at 12:00 pm • Gun Drawing at 3:00 pm

1. **BROWNING HC** - Speed 6.5 CM
2. **STOEGER CONDOR LONGFOWLER** - 12 ga./30"
3. **SPRINGFIELD ARMORY XDS** - Mod 2.45 ACP
4. **REMINGTON 870 EXPRESS** - 12ga/28"
5. **HENRY LEVER ACTION** - .22/20"
6. **RUGER** - AR-5.56/16"
7. **TAURUS G2C** - 9MM
8. **BENELLI NOVA** - 12ga./28"
9. **SMITH & WESSON MP15** - Sport II
10. **WICKED RIDGE INVADER** - 165lb. Draw/360 FPS
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12. **TIKKA T3X** - Lite Bolt Action Rifle 270 Win
13. **MARLIN 336W** - Lever Action 30-30 Win
14. **SAVAGE AXIS STRATA** - 30.06 SP/Scope Combo
15. **1873 CATTLEMAN EL PATRON II** - 45LC
16. **MARLIN 60SN** - Semi-Auto .22LR
17. **MOSSBERG MC1SC** - 9MM
18. **REMINGTON 700 ADL VARMINT** - .308 Win
19. **MOSSBERG FLEX 500** - 12ga/28"
20. **SAVAGE 93R17GV** - w/Accutrigger .17HMR
21. **GLOCK 43** - 9MM
22. **RUGER SR 22** - .22 LR
23. **RUGER LCP** - .380 ACP
24. **STOEGER CONDOR O/U** - 20Ga/28"
25. **SMITH & WESSON M & P SHIELD** - M2.0 9MM
26. **SAVAGE AXIS STRATA 243** - Win./Scope Combo
27. **GLOCK 23 GEN 4** - .40 SW
28. **RUGER SECURITY 9 COMPACT** - 9MM
29. **WINCHESTER SXP DEFENDER PUMP** - 12Ga
30. **BERETTA APX SEMI-AUTO PISTOL** - 9MM
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32. **HERITAGE ROUGH RIDER REVOLVER** - .22LR
33. **REMINGTON 870 EXPRESS SUPER MAG** - 12Ga
34. **SAVAGE 110 ENGAGE HUNTER** - .308 Win
35. **BERETTA A300 OUTLANDER** - 12Ga/28"

Subject to Availability of Guns

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Donation: \$20.00 each
or 6 for \$100.00 per individual
Need not be present to win

Guns provided by BASS PRO SHOP

Winner **MUST** pass ALL required Federal Firearms Regulations and Background Checks.
Only the ticket owner or their parent/guardian may pick up the gun. Guns not collected after 90 days become the property of Knights of Columbus Council #8960

For tickets, please call Manny Gonzales @ 713-376-6086
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	LA	SM	BAR EVENT	DUTY TIME	2019 GUEST	SECIBAR	CLEAN	Duty
December								
12/1/2019	X		Pearland Elite	5PM-9PM	200	1	7 FULL	
12/1/2019		X	4th Christmas Pa	3PM-7PM	100	0	0 FULL	
12/6/2019	X		Christmas Party	5PM-10PM	200	0	1 FULL	
12/7/2019								
12/7/2019		X	Wedding	6PM-11PM	80	1	2 FULL	
12/8/2019	X		3rd Christmas Pa	5PM-10PM	200	0	BM FULL	
12/12/2019								
12/14/2019	X		Quin.	5PM-12AM	300	2	4 FULL	
12/14/2019		X	Wedding	5PM-12AM	160	1	4 FULL	
12/15/2019	X		Forgotten Angels	1PM-5PM	300	0	0 FULL	
12/15/2019		X	Christmas Party	1PM-4PM	160	0	0 FULL	
12/19/2019								
12/21/2019								
12/21/2019		X	Christmas Party	7PM-12AM	120	1	3 FULL	
12/28/2019								
12/28/2019		X	Birthday	5PM-11PM	100	1	6 FULL	
January								
1/4/2020								
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1/11/2020	X		Quin.	5PM-12AM	350	2	8 FULL	
1/11/2020		X	Baby Shower	2PM-7PM	160	0	8 FULL	
1/12/2020		X	Baby Shower	1PM-4PM	108	0	1 Partial	
1/18/2020	X		Quin.	5PM-12AM	300	2	3 FULL	
1/18/2020								
1/19/2020								
1/22/2020								
1/23/2020	X		P Cof C			0	2 FULL	
1/25/2020	X	X	Lighthouse Cook		500	3	6 FULL	