

Faith

RSVP Program

Each year our council makes a donation to a seminarian to help offset some of his expenses as he works to become a priest.

Sacramental Gifts: Roses for Baptism

Our council welcomes new members into our parish with a gift of a red rose and white rosary beads when they are baptized.

Sign up to volunteer to present families with a Roses for Baptism sacramental gift. See Dennis Wright wright_9@verizon.net

Sacramental Gifts: RCIA

We also provide small gifts to the Candidates and Catechumens who enter the Church each year at the Easter Vigil Mass

Rosary Program

Each Sunday at 10:00 a.m., the Knights lead the praying of the Rosary in the Chapel. Stop by after the 9:00 a.m. or before the 10:30 a.m. mass and join us.

Family

Food for Families

We collect food to be donated to a local food bank. Please bring your donations to the monthly meeting or drop them off at the vestibule outside the chapel in a box/bag marked "Food for Families"

STC Scholarship Fund

Our Council offers a 4-year \$500 scholarship to a member of St. Teresa of Calcutta's graduating class who is continuing to a Catholic High School. This effort is managed by our Trustees.

St. Mary's Franciscan Shelter

A volunteer prepares and delivers a meal to the St. Mary's Franciscan Shelter, in Phoenixville, on the last Saturday of each month. The menu is up to the volunteer. The meal must feed 12 -20 people. An actual number is provided a few days before the delivery. For details or to sign up contact Dave Tulli divadt41@gmail.com

Keep Christ in Christmas

Each year the Knights offer various items for sale to remind everyone of the true Reason for the Season. This includes donating Advent Calendars to the Children of St. Teresa School and Prep programs as well as sponsoring Books which are given out by St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish at each Christmas Mass.

Consecration to the Holy Family

Between Christmas and New Year's Day, the Knights host a prayer to consecrate the families of the parish to the Holy Family for the upcoming year.

COMMUNITY

Coats for Kids

Each year our council donates new winter coats to children of local families.

Soup Kitchen

The members of our council are involved in a few of the soup kitchens in the area. We have a team that provides, prepares, delivers and serves meals a couple of times a year at the Missionary Sisters of Charity in Norristown, PA. We provide, prepare and serve a meal once a month at St. Mary's Franciscan Shelter in Phoenixville. We also have a few members that help out occasionally at God's Kitchen in Pottstown. If you would like to help us with our soup kitchen efforts, please let us know.

Help support the Soup Kitchen the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Various slots available. Contact Jim Rowland jrowland415@gmail.com for details.

Mass Transit

Our council provides a ride to Mass to anyone in the community that would like to come to Mass but does not have a way to get there. It is a free service offered to anyone in need regardless of the reason. If you or someone you know has a need for this service, please contact us.

For details or to sign up as a driver, contact John Russo john@johnfrusso.com

Habitat for Humanity

Council members participate in a local "Rock the Block" cleanup lead by Habitat for Humanity. Volunteers are always welcomed for this and other Habitat events throughout the year. Contact Jeff Beck jeffbeck356@gmail.com if you have interest in leading or participating in these activities.

Adopt a Highway

Two times a year (Spring and Winter), volunteers go out and clean up trash from a two-mile stretch of Neiffer Road that includes the area next to the Church. It only takes about one hour and all supplies (bags, gloves, vests etc.) are provided. Families are encouraged to participate as long as children are supervised and mindful of traffic.

For more information or to volunteer for future clean up events contact Dominik Gorshe gorshe107@yahoo.com

LIFE

March for Life

The Knights organize and sponsor a bus to the annual March for Life in Washington, DC each year. Jeff Beck jeffbeck356@gmail.com leads this event each year.

Ultrasound Program

Our council joins with other Knight's Councils to help provide Ultrasound Machines to be used with pro-life organizations. Statistics shows that women who get to 'see' their unborn baby are less likely to go forward with an abortion.

Baby Bottle Drive

Each year the Council supports a Baby Bottle Drive where we ask parishioners to fill baby bottles with cash donations that we forward to local pro-life organizations. Les Reazor ldreazor@comcast.net leads these efforts

Roses for Life

Each year the Knights offer small stick-on 'Roses for Life' to parishioners after masses. Donations are accepted and then passed on to organizations that promote life. Les Reazor ldreazor@comcast.net leads this event and volunteers are needed to hand out the 'roses' after mass.

Events / Fund Raising

Pastor's Cup Golf Tournament

An annual fundraiser which our Council hosts in partnership with St. Teresa Parish.

This is the Councils' single largest fundraiser of the year. You can join in the fun by signing up to play (and have a great catered dinner) or support the cause with a sponsorship.

See Sam Whitehouse samwhitehouse@comcast.net or Tom Flatley flatleydev@aol.com or go to www.pastorscupgolf.org for more details

Annual Car Show

All makes, models and years, including cars, trucks, bikes, commercial and foreign are welcome to attend. There is be food and drinks, Live DJ, raffles and more!

See Dennis Wright wright_9@verizon.net for details or to volunteer to help

Chance of a Lifetime (COAL)

COAL is a 'sweepstakes' run by the Pennsylvania State Council which funds scholarships for children of Knights in the state. Tickets for a chance to win cash prizes are offered each March.

Dinners

The Knights sponsor several meals throughout the year ranging from sit down breakfasts to spaghetti dinners and even take out events such as our Beck Famous Pulled Pork Dinners. Each event takes a number of volunteers to make successful and we are always looking for more Knights, and their family members, to lend a hand.