

## The Knightly Knews

The monthly newsletter of the Knights of Columbus Council #10795

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#### Grand Knotes from the Grand Knight

Dear Brother Knights,

I would like to thank all the Knights that either attended or helped with this year's Memorial Day Mass at St. Vincent de Paul. I am very proud of our council for helping to sponsor this patriotic event for our veterans and active service members. While I was unable to attend this year, I did hear the service was very moving and well attended.

Thank you to everyone who has helped our recruiting efforts over the last couple of months. We are very close to making Star Council for this fraternal year. If you know any member of St. Vincent de Paul that would make a good Knight, please talk to them and let me know if they would be interested in joining our council. You are also welcome to invite them to attend our June Meeting. We receive a great financial savings on our per capita fees if we can make Star Council.

I hope to see everyone at our June Meeting, where we will be voting on two carryover funding requests. The first one is for \$2000 for the Cradle of Christianity, and the second one is for \$2000 for water filtration kits for Huehuetenango.

As most of you may have heard Father Joe will be leaving St. Vincent de Paul and moving to St. Patrick's Parish in O'Neill, Nebraska. I know I speak for all the Knights when I say Father Joe will be truly missed. I would like to thank Father Joe for his support and taking an active role with the Knights. We all wish him the best of luck in his new parish and school.

Fraternally Yours,

Ron Frisse Grand Knight







#### **2018 Dues**

Matt McConville, Financial Secretary

Dues invoices and membership cards were placed in the mail in February. Thanks to all who have paid their dues either by check or PayPal! I have received payments from about half of the council.

Dues are **\$30** for the calendar year (or \$13.25 for Honorary Life member). You can also support Nebraska's Buck-A-Month Club, a program that supports various Knights of Columbus pro-life efforts, by adding **\$12** to your payment.

Pay your dues online! Go to the SVdP Knights of Columbus (Council 10795) website at <a href="www.svdpomahaknights.org">www.svdpomahaknights.org</a> to pay your dues using a debit/credit card or your existing PayPal account. Please include your name and member number when submitting payment. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at <a href="matt.mcconville@hdrinc.com">matt.mcconville@hdrinc.com</a> or at (402) 515-5265.

If you wish to pay by check, please make it payable to <u>Knights of Columbus</u>. Please send your payment to me at the address below. Thank you!

Matt McConville 6256 N. 154th St. Omaha, NE 68116

#### ARCHDIOCESAN PRO-LIFE ESSAY CONTEST

by Scott Kerr

I am happy to announce that two students from St. Vincent de Paul School were winners in the 2018 Archdiocese of Omaha Student Pro-Life Essay Contest. Congratulations to **Maddie Wiswell** who won 2nd place in the 7th grade division and **Luke Broderick** who won 3rd place in the 8th grade division. Maddie and Luke were both winners from our parish contest, and their essays were submitted to the Archdiocesan contest to compete with other students in our Archdiocese. CONGRATS to Maddie and Luke!

#### June Council Meeting

**Tuesday, June 12th** 

**Hanneman Hall** 

Rosary: 6:30 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM

The Knightly Knews is the monthly newsletter of the Knights of Columbus Council #10795. All articles, suggestions, or critiques are welcome and should be directed to the editor: **Ron Frisse** at 402-715-4879 or <a href="mailto:rfrisse@cox.net">rfrisse@cox.net</a> Deadline for submission of articles or notes is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month for the next month's newsletter. If you have a change of address or email, please notify Financial Secretary **Matt McConville** 

#### **June Food Bank**

Dave Pastor

The deliveries to Sacred Heart Ministry are currently being handled by **Tom Meehan**, he will deliver every month on Monday. We are working on a small team to back up Tom in the event he cannot make the deliveries, so we are looking for volunteers that would be able to make daytime deliveries on a Monday.

#### **GOOD OF THE ORDER**

Please continue praying for our Brother Knights Don Popp and Don Bengier, both of whom are battling cancer.

If you know of any Knight or a member of his family who has recently died, is sick, in distress or is in need of our prayers for any reason, please contact Grand Knight Ron Frisse so that the prayers and support of this council may be offered.



#### **Attendance Drawing**

The starting amount at our next meeting will be \$113. You never know you might be the lucky one holding the ticket that draws the ace.



#### **Blood Drive News**

Mike Friederich

Our next blood drive is Sunday June 3rd from 7:00 am until noon. If you can help at the registration table or if you would like to schedule an appointment to donate blood, please call Mike Friederich at 402-708-2186.



## Mother's Day Flower Sale for EPS

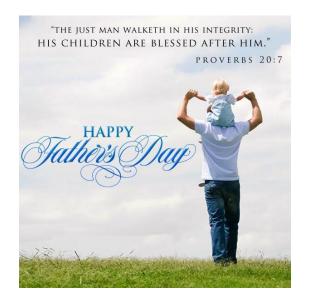
by Scott Kerr

On Mother's Day weekend, we raised \$1,273.00 for Essential Pregnancy Services in our annual Flower Sale. These funds will help EPS continue its mission of helping women choose life for their babies. EPS provides loving support, counseling, parenting classes, ultrasounds, and baby necessities such as diapers, clothing, and car seats. Thank you to the following Knights and families who helped sell roses after the Masses:

Lee Galles Skip Kaiser Ron Frisse **Kevin Smith** Glen Kampschneider Jeff Otterberg Chris Gries Mike Gidden Jim Ruane John Bellavia Vic Stevenart **Brad Doyle** Mark Havermann Adrian Goettl Dan Borcyk George Meiers Tom Kielty Gordon Bennett Tom Meehan Pat Wier **Tony Caruso** Bob Nedley Mrs. Mary Uhing Tom Calvert Ron Springer Dan Dineen

#### **June Knight Birthdays**

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Name	Birthday			
Michael Sharp	Jun 03			
W Wilkie	Jun 04			
Kevin Morris	Jun 07			
Lonnie Janecek	Jun 08			
Jonathan Hein	Jun 09			
Adam Smith	Jun 09			
Glen Kampschneider	Jun 11			
Michael Masker	Jun 12			
Gerald Fitzpatrick	Jun 13			
Greg Armatis	Jun 14			
Kirk Delperdang	Jun 15			
Matthew Eck	Jun 18			
Kenneth Pitz	Jun 18			
Jay Vankat	Jun 18			
Bradley Winking	Jun 18			
Robert Cornett	Jun 20			
Bradley Doyle	Jun 20			
James Jaeke	Jun 20			
Kenny Rowe	Jun 23			
Peter Vuchetich	Jun 24			
Patrick Mahoney	Jun 26			
Timothy Riewer	Jun 29			
James Reilly	Jun 30			
William Trieb	Jun 30			



#### **Humble Lily**

Mark Kucera

On Saturday, May 19, a team of Knights from our Council helped the Humble Lily prepare their new location. The Humble Lily is a women's clothing boutique operated by Bethlehem House, and the profits help fund operations at the Bethlehem House. The humble Lily is moving into a new location near 107th and Pacific with expanded floor space.

Brother Knights Mark Havermann, Tom Peal, Mick Morell and Mark Kucera painted two rooms that will be used for processing incoming merchandise. Holly Sak, Executive Director of Bethlehem House was very grateful for the effort, and appreciated the difference a fresh coat of paint made to the work area. The new location will be open for business in July.

#### **SVdP Knights Scholarships**

Each year we award two scholarships one for a boy and one for a girl that are St. Vincent de Paul students that will be attending a Catholic High School. Principal Marchese awarded the scholarships based upon criteria established by our council

This years winners were announced on May 17, and are: Kathryn Woodward, who will be attending Duchesne and Callan Schroder, who will be attending Mount Michael. Congratulations to both of our Scholarship winners and hopes for a great high school experience for both of them.

#### 2018-2019 Officer Elections

Our Council officers usually serve a two year term, with elections held every two years in June. If any of our current officers would like to step down, please let me know so we can setup an election for replacements.

If anyone is interested in becoming an officer please let me know, as we may have openings this year and we will definitely be looking for people next July to fill key positions.

Remember to be an officer you must be a third degree Knight in good standing.

<b>Council Officer Positions</b>						
Position	Officer					
Grand Knight	Ron Frisse					
Dep. Grand Knight	Dave Pastor					
Financial Secretary	Matt McConville					
Treasurer	Tom Kielty					
Recorder	Dan Borcyk					
Advocate	John Bellavia					
Chancellor	Steve McCullough					
Inside Guard	Chad Marquis					
Outside Guard	Aaron Borcyk					
Warden	Rick Langel					
Trustee Year 1	Mick Morrell					
Trustee Year 2	Bill Yosick					
Trustee Year 3	Tyler Langel					
District Deputy	Glen Kampschneider					

# June 2018 Adrian Goettl



# Family of the Month June 2018

#### Dr. John and Susan Smith Family

The Grand Knight has declared **Adrian Goettl** as the Knight of the Month of June.

Adrian is an active member of our council since 2016 and can always be seen on the annual Fish Fry cleanup team and other events. Recently, he was involved with the Memorial Day Mass by volunteering to carry one of the five service candles representing the US Navy.

Thank you Adrian for your service, and congratulations on this deserved recognition of your dedication to our Council, our Church, and our Community.

The Grand Knight has declared **Dr. John and Susan Smith Family** as Family of the Month of June.

John and his wife Susan are regular volunteers at our Fish Fry's, and this year was no exception, John and Susan can always be seen on the serving line. John has been involved with the tootsie roll sales for many years and has been involved with our council's other activities. John took on another role for this year's Memorial Day Mass by organizing the event and serving as narrator.

Susan planned and performed the music, as well as, leading the congregation in singing during the outside portion of the Mass.

Thank you John and Susan for your service, and congratulations on this deserved recognition of your dedication to our council, our Church, and our Community.

Remember to check out our St. Vincent de Paul Knights website at: <a href="http://svdpomahaknights.org/">http://svdpomahaknights.org/</a>



# Mark Your Calendars <u>Priests Appreciation Steak Fry</u>



Monday July 23, 2018 @ Mt. Michael Abbey in Elkhorn Car Pool from SVdP @ 5:15 PM Social Hour-6PM, Dinner-7 PM Price: \$25 for meal, drinks extra

The annual Priests Appreciation Steak Fry sponsored by the Father Dowling Knights Assembly will be held Monday, July 23rd at Mount Michael in Elkhorn. This event draws a large number of Knights and is a great way to show our support for Priests from our Archdiocese. Plus it is a great steak dinner! Cost is \$25 per person for the meal (Note this is an increase from last year), drinks are available for a dollar or two each. We are planning to car pool from the St. Vincent De Paul parking lot leaving at 5:15 if you would like to ride out with the group. However, you don't need to join the car pool if you don't want too and prefer to meet there. **If you are planning on attending please sign up on our signupgenius link at:** 

#### http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4babac22a46-knights

Also please note there are two options when signing up one for carpool and one for meeting there. Please check the correct one as we don't want to leave anyone behind! If you are attending, please wear your blue council shirt. We have also been asked to help with the tear down of the tables and chairs after the event. It would be great to have at least 10 of us to help with the tear down.

This is a great event for our local priests and a very fun evening socializing with priests and brother Knights from the area, plus the food is awesome.

#### Farewell Fr. Joe Sund!

Father Joe has been our Knights Chaplain for the last two years, Fr. Joe has been assigned to St. Patrick's Parish in O'Neill, Nebraska. He will leave here Friday, June 29<sup>th</sup>. Please join the parish as we say "*Thank You and Farewell*" to Fr. Joe for all of his dedication and service to the parishioners of St. Vincent de Paul! A reception in his honor will be on **Sunday, June 24** following the 9:00 & 10:45 am Masses! Father Joe will greatly be missed as he was very active in our Knights Council and our events.





#### Only Having Insurance "Through Work" Doesn't Work

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It's very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there's a possibility that you (or your spouse) could change employers, or even lose your job.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having "through work" insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family's actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I'll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you'll know exactly where you stand.

Thank You,

Steve G Kluthe MDRT

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### St. Vincent De Paul Knights Council #10795 Calendar

June 2018								
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
27	28	29	30	Meehan Rainbow Team 4	1	2		
3	4	5	6	Krupa Rainbow Team 1	8	9		
10	11	Meeting 7:00 Hanneman Hall	13	Morrell Rainbow Team 2	15	16		
17	18	19	20	Mantemach Rainbow Team 3	22	23		
24	25	26	27	Meehan Rainbow Team 4	29	30		

Future Council Meetings, July 10, August 16

