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*“We’ve had enough exhortations to be quiet! Cry out with a hundred thousand tongues!
I see the world is rotten because of silence.” —St. Catherine of Siena*

SURVEY SAYS...



Some events are the harbinger of the change in seasons: swallows returning to Capistrano, opening day for major league baseball, kids getting out of school for summer vacation (and then school shopping in August!), football season in the fall with Halloween and Thanksgiving and finally ending the year with a Christmas celebration.

One harbinger of September that has been like clockwork over the past number of years is our Knights of Columbus Fraternal Survey. It’s my chance to stay in touch with you, see what’s changed in your life and let you know I am here to be of service.

Just like last year the survey can be completed online; simple, fast and confidential.

I’m sure that as you look through the survey you might find a block to check; a subject you’d like some information on. Maybe you’ve been thinking about your life insurance and other benefits at work...are they adequate? Do I get to keep my group life insurance when I move to another job? Maybe you’re thinking about a relative that’s had a long term care event and all the agony and worry that entails. Maybe it’s time to get serious about retirement.

Perhaps you have some products and you need service—a change of beneficiary or owner...or maybe you’ve moved and we need to update your contact information. Any of these can be addressed if you complete the survey.

In my travels around the area I often run into people who know the Knights of Columbus from our good works in the parish or community, our disaster response, support for Special Olympics and our prolife efforts. But very few of them know that we are a life insurance company...and we make no bones about that. After all Blessed Fr. McGivney saw that protecting our families was one of the two key reasons he brought those New Haven men together in the basement of St. Mary’s in 1882.

“No doubt Father McGivney was motivated by the wish to keep young Catholics from entering the ranks of condemned secret societies and by

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Virtue of the Month September = Prayer

*Oportet semper oras et non deficere –
We must always pray, and not faint.*

– Luke 18:1

A man of prayer is capable of everything; therefore, it is of great importance that missionaries should give themselves to this exercise with particular earnestness; and as without it they will gain little or no fruit, so with its help they will become much more able to move hearts and convert souls to their Creator, than by learning and oratorical skill.

– St. Vincent de Paul



The Knights of Columbus Insurance Office of Andrew Weiss has settled into a new location. Since May of 2020 Andrew has been in the Innovation Park building at Notre Dame. His new office address is 1400 E. Angela Blvd. Suite 271, South Bend, IN 46617. His office phone number is (574) 274-8023. Schedule a time to visit Andrew and complete a financial review by visiting his website at www.AndrewWeissKofC.com.

KNIGHTS - NEWS - NEWS - NEWS

ARTBEAT

On August 21st, in spite of the heat, we had more than 12 volunteers for this event – a tremendous turnout! **Many thanks to everyone who participated.**

Sales from the event were over \$4,400. This included sales of 286 pierogies in addition to hot dogs, sausages, Texas nachos (chips, cheese, jalapenos, and pulled pork – Mmm!) and Pulled Pork Sandwiches

We also sold a LOT of pop and water.

NOTRE DAME HOME GAMES

KofC will be represented on the Corvillia property at the corner of Bulla and Ivy for five Notre Dame home games this season.

September 11 against the Toledo Rockets

September 18 against Purdue

October 2 against Cincinnati Bearcats

October 23 against USC

October 30 against North Carolina

We will not be working any November home games.

BREW AT THE ZOO

Representatives from Potawatomi Zoo attended the Kamm Island Fest and have consequently asked us to serve our food at their Brew at the Zoo event this month.

This event is slated for September 25th from 1pm to 5pm. This will be the same setup as Art Beat (food, tent, etc.). We will need lots of help that day, so come on out and help us make a good impression for KofC. Setup will be a 10am to Noon at the zoo.

TASTE OF HOPE

Volunteers will also be needed for the September 16th **Taste of Hope** fundraiser for **Cultivate Food Rescue** – a not-for-profit providing “food insecure” children in our community on a daily basis.

Patrons will pay a set fee to enter the event and will be provided samples of food and alcohol throughout the day. Attendees will be allowed to sample as much and as often as they want, so we expect a lot of repeat business during the day. Everything provided by KofC will be 100% donated. A donation of your time will be vital to our success.

For specifics on this event, see the next page.

For more info on Cultivate Food Rescue, go to: www.cultivateculinary.com

SURVEY (continued from page 1)

the need to protect families during sickness and death.” (Faith and Fraternalism, The History of the Knights of Columbus 1882-1982; Christopher J. Kauffman, pg.17)

Unite men of faith and protect our families. Our Order has been faithful to that mission for 139 years. With the beatification of Blessed Michael McGivney I feel a renewed zeal to invite men to join the Order to reap those benefits of Unity, Charity and Fraternity. I am just as zealous to help protect Catholic families. Tempus fugit, memento mori!

Vivat Jesus!

Let's get together and make sure you have a strategy to put you in the winner's circle.



Contact me today to customize your policy.

<https://andrewweisskofc.com/schedule-a-meeting/>

KNIGHT(S) OF THE MONTH FOR SEPTEMBER, 2021

VOLUNTEERS are the HEARTBEAT of this organization, and we're naming all our ARTBEAT volunteers Knights of the Month for September.

The heat was incredible but they stayed cool under the strain and represented our KofC order well.





Taste of Hope 2021

September 16th, 2021 at The Century Center Island Park

Join us for Cultivate's 5th annual Taste of Hope Fundraiser outside at the Century Center Island Park. Enjoy tailgating themed tastings from various local chefs, live music, and learn more about how you can support Cultivate's mission and make an impact in our community.

Sponsorship Options

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- Mention in event media
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- Mention in event media

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\$2,500

- All bronze level perks
- Logo on sponsorship banner at event

BRONZE
\$1,000

- Logo on website & in program
- Public thank you on social media
- 8 Tickets for admission

GENERAL ADMITTANCE

- \$500 for 8 Tickets
- \$75 per Individual Ticket



*Logo and guest list needed by August 5th



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Tell Me Another One!!

John Travolta tested negative for coronavirus last night. Turns out it was just **Saturday night fever**.

The World Health Organization has announced that dogs cannot contract Covid-19. Dogs previously held in quarantine can now be released. **To be clear, WHO let the dogs out.**

I saw an ad for burial plots, and thought to myself **"That's the last thing I need."**

Intelligence is like underwear. It is important that you have it, **but not necessary that you show it off.**

Relationships are a lot like algebra. **Have you ever looked at your X and wondered Y?**

A courtroom artist was arrested today for an unknown reason... **details are sketchy.**

People are making end of the world jokes **like there's no tomorrow.**

Whatever you do, always give 100% - **unless you're donating blood.**

What do you call a sleepwalking nun?
A roamin' Catholic.

What did Snow White say when she came out of the photo booth? **Someday my prints will come.**

A girl said she recognized me from her vegetarian club, but I'd **never met herbivore.**

Dad, are we pyromaniacs? **Yes, we arson.**

I've always had an irrational fear of speed bumps but **I'm slowly getting over it.**

What word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it? **Short. (DUH!)**

I've finally told my suitcases there will be no holiday this year. Now I'm dealing with the **emotional baggage.**

If you're not supposed to eat at night, why is there a **light bulb in the refrigerator?**

My dad died when we couldn't remember his blood type. As he died, **he kept insisting "be positive,"** but it's hard without him.

Don't let your worries get the best of you; remember, **Moses started out as a basket case!**

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That's All Folks!



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UPCOMING EVENTS - SEPTEMBER 2021

2nd Fourth Degree Meeting @ 7:00pm
2nd Rosary at Holy Cross @ 7:00pm
13th Knights Rosary at the Hall @ 7:30pm
13th Business Meeting Following Rosary
20th Rosaries at CTK @ 6:30pm / St. Joseph's @ 7:30pm
27th 1st Degree Ceremony @ 7:30pm
27th Social Meeting @ 7:30pm

OCTOBER

7th Fourth Degree Meeting @ 7:00pm
7th Rosary at Holy Cross @ 7:00pm
11th Knights Rosary at the Hall @ 7:30pm
11th Business Meeting Following Rosary
18th Rosaries at CTK @ 6:30pm / St. Joseph's @ 7:30pm
25th 1st Degree Ceremony @ 7:30pm
25th Social Meeting @ 7:30pm

NOVEMBER

4th Fourth Degree Meeting @ 7:00pm
4th Rosary at Holy Cross @ 7:00pm
8th Knights Rosary at the Hall @ 7:30pm
8th Business Meeting Following Rosary
15th Rosaries at CTK @ 6:30pm / St. Joseph's @ 7:30pm
22nd 1st Degree Ceremony @ 7:30pm
22nd Social Meeting @ 7:30pm

MOVIE REVIEW: A FATHER'S LEGACY

Commonsensemedia.org



Billy (Tobin Bell) is a no-nonsense Vietnam War veteran living alone in the wilderness in a house by a pond in A FATHER'S LEGACY. One night a younger man, Nick (Jason Mac), forces his way into Billy's house and holds the old man at gunpoint. Nick is on the run for a crime he committed, and he has a gunshot wound in his side that needs tending. Forced together, Billy and Nick begin a tentative relationship based first on mutual distrust and eventually on mutual understanding.

Parents need to know that A Father's Legacy is a faith-based film meant to provide inspiration for men about the essential role a father can play in his son's life. There's a lot of violence or threat of violence involving guns -- one man barges into another's house and holds him hostage at gunpoint. Other men use handguns and rifles to threaten each other. A group of thugs repeatedly threaten an old man to motivate him to sell his land, and their visits usually end in violence -- overturning the man's house, fist fights, and blows to the head. The film's key messages involve taking responsibility for one's actions and the impact they have on others, the importance of family, and the value of faith. Language includes "bull--t," "hell," "ass," and "stupid."

TALK TO YOUR KIDS ABOUT ...

- Families can talk about what Billy and Nick find in each other that had been missing in.
- What other films have you seen that involve religious faith or references? How did this one compare?
- Did you agree with Nick's choices in the end? Why or why not?



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KNIGHTS ROSARIES

Come pray with us!

Holy Cross:

1st Thursday @ 7pm

KofC Rosary at the Hall:

2nd Monday @ 7:30pm

Christ the King:

3rd Monday @ 6:30pm

St. Joseph:

3rd Monday @ 7:30pm

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POPE FRANCIS URGES CATHOLICS TO PRAY AND FAST FOR AFGHANISTAN



*Vatican City, Aug 29, 2021 / 05:30 am
Hannah Brockhaus, Catholic News Agency*

mourning for the people who lost their lives in the suicide attacks.”

He also said he is praying for those seeking help and protection.

Amid the chaos, 13 U.S. service members and scores of Afghans have been killed in two suicide bombings carried out by ISIS in Khorasan outside Kabul’s airport, the Pentagon confirmed. The death toll of the bombings according to the Afghan health ministry is at least 170 people, CBS News reported.

“I entrust the dead to the mercy of Almighty God and I thank those who are working to help that people so tested, especially the women and children,” the pope said.

“I ask everyone to continue to assist the needy and to pray that dialogue and solidarity will lead to the establishment of a peaceful and fraternal coexistence and offer hope for the future of the country.”

Pope Francis spoke after leading the traditional Angelus prayer from a window overlooking St. Peter’s Square, as he does every Sunday.

He also said he is close to the people of Mérida, in Venezuela, who were hit in recent days by floods and landslides. At least 20 people have died in the disaster. “I pray for the deceased and for their families and for those who suffer from this calamity,” Francis said.

Pope Francis on Sunday urged Christians to intensify their prayer, penance, and fasting for the situation in Afghanistan, as he entrusted the souls of those who have died to God’s mercy.

“In historical moments like this we cannot remain indifferent, the history of the Church teaches us this,” the pope said Aug. 29, after leading the Angelus, a Marian prayer.

“As Christians, this situation commits us,” he continued. “That is why I appeal to everyone to intensify their prayer and to practice fasting. Prayer and fasting, prayer and penance.”

“This is the time to do it. I am speaking seriously: intensify prayer and practice fasting, asking the Lord for mercy and forgiveness,” Francis underlined.

Militants with the Taliban, an Islamic extremist group, seized control of Afghanistan’s capital of Kabul on Aug. 15. The group’s rapid advance came as many Afghan civilians and U.S. citizens sought to leave the country before the complete withdrawal of U.S. and other forces.

At least tens of thousands of people are still reportedly looking to leave Kabul in the coming days.

Pope Francis said he is following the situation “with great concern” and he participates “in the suffering of those

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