



# KNIGHTLY NEWS



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## MEETINGS

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, May 19, 2011 at the K of C Hall, starting at 7:30 PM. Lunch will be served after the meeting.

The next building committee meeting will be on Thursday, May 5, 2011 at 7:00 PM.

## ATTENTION LADIES

The next Ladies Auxiliary meeting will be on July 21, 2011 at 7:30 PM in the basement of the KC Hall. Welcome to new member Joan Wilmas. New officers are: **President** – Sharon Scully, **Vice-President** – Carol Sell, **Treasurer** – Mary Beth Huddelston, **Sgt. at Arms** – Marge Gentemann, **Secretary** – JoAnn Schoenherr, **Chaplain** – Stella Riechmann; **Trustees:** Jeanette Thomas, Bonnie Molitor and Rita Thornhill.

The collection for this meeting will be for the soldiers, phone cards, socks, gum, chap stick, tooth paste and toothbrushes, hard candy, granola bars, disposable razors, magazines, cheese crackers, powder to mix with water such as crystal light. Joan Wilmas won the \$14.00 50/50.

## RAFFLE

The winners of the raffle are as follows: Ralph Orf - quilt; Lainey Seifried - afghan; Sue Buehler - \$200; Angela Deterding - \$100; Shaaron Gajdoser - \$50.00.

## ACTIVITIES

Home Association Meeting May 5, 2011  
Charity Meeting May 9, 2011  
Regular Meeting May 19, 2011  
Adopt-a-Street cleanup May 21, 2011

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother Jon Miklas was not present and missed the \$55.00 attendance prize.

Brother Don Forbeck won the \$24.00 50/50.

## COUNCIL OFFICERS

Grand Knight: Vince Scully.....978-8668  
Chaplain: Rev. Eugene Bendel.....240-3721  
Dep Grand Knight: Ronald Yeamans....272-3367  
Financial Secretary: Ronald Gardiner...978-7639  
E-mail [FS2269@mac.com](mailto:FS2269@mac.com)  
Chancellor: Mike Sullivan.....240-3393  
Recorder: Juan Ante.....314-313-5826  
Advocate: Robert Hudnut.....272-0038  
Warden: Nick Bizelli.....661-5530  
Treasurer: Thomas Blethroad.....294-1790  
Inside Guard: Henry Prinster.....272-4768  
Outside Guard: Larry Buehler.....240-5819  
Lecturer: Ronald Haas.....240-5239  
Trustees: Fred Doering III.....636-474-9958  
William Wolf.....272-3154  
Bill Schwendeman.....240-4672  
Youth Director: Mark Martin.....281-3547  
Membership Director: Kevin Hudnut....978-3639  
**Ins. Agent: Ralph Barrale.....636-887-1610**  
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## HOME ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President: Jerry Schnyder.....272-8153  
Vice President: John Prinster.....240-0240  
Treasurer: Joseph Wolf.....272-4167  
Secretary: Michael Sullivan.....240-3393  
Hall Rental: Robert Crangle.....240-3441

## LADIES AUXILIARY

President: Sharon Scully.....978-8668  
Vice President: Carol Sell.....939-5423  
Treasurer: Mary Beth Huddleston.....928-2292  
Secretary: JoAnn Schoenherr.....978-3347  
Sergeant at Arms: Marge Gentemann..272-3280  
Chaplain: Stella Riechmann.....240-8462  
Trustees: Jeanette Thomas.....240-9331  
Bonnie Molitor.....281-2207  
Rita Thornhill.....978-3295

## FINANCIAL SECRETARY

It is now time to pay your membership dues for 2011. At present there are still 46 members who have not paid their dues. If you have moved, changed phone number or e-mail address, would you please send any changes to me Ron Gardiner 109 Courtfield, O'Fallon, MO 63366-4393, [FS2269@mac.com](mailto:FS2269@mac.com) and also Kevin at [www.thecompass2269.com](http://www.thecompass2269.com).

## NO FISH FRIES IN MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER

## CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT



The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual K of C Charity Golf Tournament will be held on August 12<sup>th</sup> at the Warrenton Golf Course. Anyone interested in helping with the tournament should contact Ron Schwane - 265-0213, Rich Schmersahl - 332-1669 or Dennis Maher - 272-1114. Committee members are currently accepting hole sponsors and donations. If you are in a position to acquire something for the tournament, please contact one of the committee members.

## SURVEY

If you have not already returned your survey, please do so as soon as possible. We are looking for all members to provide their input to us. This is your opportunity to have your ideas and suggestions placed before the council. We want to hear from all of you. Your ideas are important to us in setting the future direction of the council. Please take the time to complete the survey and return it in the stamped envelope by May 15, 2011. This is YOUR opportunity to impact the direction of the council for the next several years.

## FISH FRY MEETING

There will be a fish fry detailed results/future actions meeting on Tuesday, 17 May, 2011 at 6:00 PM in the KC Hall. All are welcome to contribute on the agenda items with questions, suggestions and needs. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

**“Return Service Requested”**

**HALL CLEANING**

The hall cleaning work list for May is as follows:

G Schnyder capt 272-8153

J Bauer.....272-8268 R Blais.....240-2120  
 G Colbert.....240-1968 Jim Cox.....980-2916  
 G Dames.....240-4671 T Daugherty....272-5972  
 R Deterding...240-1537 N Doering.....294-7292  
 S Elfrink.....240-6238 C Giesmann....240-9631  
 C Hood.....474-9047 R Huber.....281-1161  
 A Hudnut.....240-5313 B Hudnut.....272-0038  
 D Maher.....272-1114 D McAteer.....240-6718  
 J Meister.....978-9008 M Monroe.....240-3852  
 J Niehaus...314-713-2531 G Nytes.....294-0284  
 Ralph Pieper..240-3415 K Schulte.....240-4560

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

We will have election of officers at the May meeting. Following are nominations made at the last meeting:

Grand Knight	Kevin Hudnut
Deputy Grand Knight	Tom Blethroad
Chancellor	Henry Prinster
Recorder	Juan Ante
Advocate	Rich Fetsch
Warden	Nick Bizelli
Treasurer	Tracy Hakenewerth
Inside Guard	Duane Randell
	Mark Bellanca
Outside Guard	Larry Buehler
Home Association	Mike Catalfano
	Jim Piel
	Mike Sullivan
Bar Committee	Ron Goodwin
	Greg Doering
	Fred Doering
	Don Forbeck

There will be an opportunity for more nominations at the May meeting.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please remember the following in your prayers: Brothers Juan Ante, Jim Beauvais, John Bland, James Borgmeyer, Rich Cierpiot, Eugene Cronk, Irv Dierkes, Rich Fetsch, Jim Herr, Bill Kirchoff, Kenny Lang, Bob Lepping, Phil Meyers, Gerald Nytes, Leroy Ortbals, Henry Prinster, Fr. Jim Wilke, the wives of Brothers Charlie Fierling, Alan Hartman, Charles Pabst, Bob Valentine, the brother of Brother Vince Scully, the grandson of Brother Andy Barth, the grandson of Brother William Grumich, the brother-in-law of Brother Joe Gryzmala, the mother-in-law of Brother David Huddleston, the grandson and nephew of Brothers Bob and Kevin Hudnut, the aunt and sister of Brother Bill Kirchoff, the son of Brother Jerry Pieper, daughter and sister of Brother Henry Prinster, the mother-in-law of Brother Mike Saali, the daughter-in-law of Brother John Vogel, the brother of Brother Ron Yeamans and all who have cancer or who are ailing. Thanks for all the prayers for all who are or have been on the above list.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to Joseph Doering who received the Admission Degree at the last meeting and welcome to Jeffrey Brucks and Thomas Conley who transferred into our council.

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY  
 TO ALL THE LADIES**

**BASEBALL MANIA FUNDRAISER**

Once again this year, the council will be selling the Baseball Mania tickets. Each \$10 ticket sold has a chance to win part of the \$6000 in prizes given away over the last ten weeks of the baseball season. Starting July 25th, there are six weekly prizes totaling \$575 that are paid. First place each week is \$250. We hope that members will be able to sell these tickets to raise more money for the council charity operations. This year the proceeds of this event are going to be reserved for the needs of Brother Knight Ron Goodwin and his daughter who is expected to undergo a transplant operation soon. Please be generous in your support. For more information or to receive tickets, please contact Mike Catalfano (314-750-1436) or Ron Gardiner (636-978-7639).

**STATE HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT**

The Father Sesil Council #1121 of Washington, MO will host the 2011 State Horseshoe Tournament on August 20 and 21, 2011.

A tour bus driver is driving a bus full of senior citizens down a highway, when he is tapped on his shoulder by a little old lady. She offers him a handful of peanuts, which he gratefully munches up. After approx. 15 minutes, she taps him on his shoulder again and she hands him another handful of peanuts. She repeats this gesture about eight times. The ninth time this happens, he asks the elderly woman why she does not eat the peanuts herself, she replies that because of her old teeth, she is not able to chew the peanuts. "Why do you buy them then?" he asks puzzled. Then the elderly lady answers, "I just love the chocolate around them"...