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Knight Light News

January/February 2018

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Worthy Brother Knights and Families,

As the Advent season ends I hope you have enjoyed the Family gatherings of Thanksgiving, the preparation for Christmas, and the celebration of the birth of our Lord's son Jesus Christ.

UNITY

November and December were once again very busy. We have successfully completed many activities. Thanks to Chairpersons Matt Koykar and Frank Birner for a great 50th Annual Turkey Social. Our Vocations/Seminarian Support program went over the top thanks to chairs Ken Lebeau and D Thurman! Our Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest chaired by Fred Kaefer and D Thurman far exceeded expectations! As a result of our Membership Drive we recruited another new member Dan Matasek and are now on our way to achieving Star Council.

Our 50th Anniversary Committee, Chaired by Past Grand Knight Dennis Jensen and comprised of many Council 6090 Past Grand Knights, has selected a location. They are now working on a menu and entertainment. Please save the date Sunday, June 24, 2018 on your Calendar.

Additional details on past and upcoming events can be found throughout this newsletter.

Words cannot express my heartfelt thanks to my brother Knights for your service to council 6090.

Special thanks to all our council officers for your continued support and commitment to the growth and success of our council.

Yours in Christ, Grand Knight #6090

Joe Martinet <u>chief.martinet@gmail.com</u> 630-620-0295 home

REMEMBER: EVERY ACTIVITY IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR RECRUITMENT-RETENTION-REACTIVATION.

2017 ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITES

This is the last opportunity to submit your worksheet for your contributions of servicehours in community, charitable and church activities. Please bring the completed form to our next meeting on **JANUARY 4th**, or mail it to Knights of Columbus, P.O. Box 174, Lombard, IL. 60148. It is important that we notify the Supreme Council by January 31 of Fr. Boecker Council 6090's participation.

2017 ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY

1. Number of visits you made during 2017 to:
Sick — caring for the sick/nursing homes/hospitals
Bereaved — visits of condolence
2. Number of times you served as a blood donor during 2017
3. Estimated hours of community volunteer service during 2017:
Church Activities — service in all Church related activities,
Community Activities — service in all community related activities
Youth Activities — service in all youth related activities
Habitat for Humanity — service in all related projects
Miscellaneous Activities — service in areas not outlined above
4. Number of hours of fraternal service during 2017
Sick/disabled members and their families — household chores, transportation,
tutoring, counseling, etc.,

Please bring your completed survey to our next meeting, or mail it by January 4th, to Paul Warda, 218 S. Highland Ave, Lombard IL 60148. The completed survey needs to be submitted to Supreme by January 31st.

Thank you for your help and cooperation.



DUES ARE NOW PAST DUE

Thank you to all members who have paid their dues. Second Notices for 2018 dues will be mailed in late January. Dues are a major part of our budget, representing almost 50% of our income. Please check your mailbox and return payment as soon as possible. Your cooperation and prompt reply is greatly appreciated. Also, as in past years, we are asking for a donation to the Newman Fund.

If you have any questions or request assistance with the payment of your dues, please contact Grand Knight Joe Martinet, 630-620-0295, or Financial Secretary Paul Warda, 630-629-0154.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please keep all members, their families and friends in your prayers, especially for Frank and Geraldine Cvach, Don Banks, Bob Becvar and wife Betty, Dick Watts, Gerald Geurtler, Ray Seranko's wife Dorothy, Ray Morello, Frank Birner, Eero Turen, Ben Armstrong, Marco



Incrocci's wife Pat and sister Debbie Hammer, John Plotke's Aunt Marilyn Koss, D. Thurman's father Calvin Thurman, Matt Koykar's brothers and sisters, Chris Hanes Sister-in-Law Karen O'Connor, Mike Wiedman's Sister Kathy Turner, all those unemployed or underemployed, and all of our service men and women.



The next meetings of Dr. Dooley Assembly will be on Jan.10 at St. Matthew Council 9893, 1555 Glen Ellyn Rd, Glendale Hts. and Feb. 7 at St. Joachim Council 15296, Notre Dame Catholic Church, 64 Norfolk Ave., Clarendon Hills, IL. The meetings start at 8:00 pm. Honor Guard requests can be found at drdooleyassembly.com

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to foster the spirit of patriotism by promoting responsible citizenship and a love of and loyalty to our country through active membership in local Fourth Degree groups called assemblies.

The next Fourth Degree exemplification will be held February 17 at the Hilton -Oakbrook Hills Resort, 3500 Midwest Rd. Oakbrook, Illinois. Please contact Grand Knight Joe Martinet at 630-620-0295 to learn more about becoming a Sir Knight. See elsewhere for reservation details.



SAVE THE DATE

JUNE 24, 2018 marks the date the Council is celebrating the 50th Anniversary of its Charter. The committee has selected the venue and it will be at Glendale Lakes Golf Club, Glendale Heights, IL. The time will be from 12:00 to 4:00 PM. The menu as well as the cost are tentatively completed and will be published in the next newsletter.



January 2th Fr. Boecker Council #6090 will be partnering with Christ the King Council #11027 and sponsoring the 2018 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest. Brother Knights will be needed for scorekeeping and other activities. See the flyer elsewhere in this newsletter for more details.





OCTOBER KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

The Knight of the Month for October was awarded by Grand Knight Joe Martinet to Ron Wisniewski for his commitment and extraordinary efforts to the Vocation Raffle. Ron gave an inspirational pulpit speech before three Masses on Nov 4-5 at Sacred Heart which subsequently helped generate the sale of over 40 raffle books which totaled over \$700. <u>GREAT JOB RON</u> for your perseverance in helping with this very important program.

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, **January 27, 2018** is the date for the next Joliet Diocesan Bowling Tournament to be held at Stardust Bowl in Addison, get your 4 man team formed now. Please contact Dennis Jensen if you would like a registration form.







NOVEMBER KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

The Knight of the Month is awarded by Grand Knight Joe Martinet to Vocation Raffle Chairman to Ken LeBeau. Ken's dedication and strong belief in Vocations led the Council in setting records far beyond the goal that was set at the beginning of the drive. Ken's efforts along with his team were instrumental in selling a total of 744 books that totaled \$6,856.00. Funds will help support our seminarians. Thank you for a <u>JOB</u> <u>WELL DONE KEN!!!</u>



MEMBER NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS – JANUARY HAPPENINGS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

03 Davis Murillo	
05 Kenneth L Piche	
06 Chris Leonard	
17 Edward Murphy	17 Richard & Tina Sharp
18 James R Jenkins	
20 Raymond N Saavedra	
21 Robert J Biehl	
25 Ralph F Borgatell	
25 Richard B Kirkwood	

CONGRATULATIONS – FEBRUARY HAPPENINGS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

06 Todd Munson	
06 John J Rudins III	
07 Donald C Gorski Sr	
11 Br Thomas A Harding	
13 Rev Arno J Dennerlein	
	14 John & Lori Buscher
19 Frank J Cvach	
20 Anthony P Invergo Jr	
24 Daniel T Conroy	
24 Dennis R Jensen	
25 Daniel T Matasek	
26 Jonathan Van Broeck	

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Knights of Columbus Basketball Free Throw Contest For boys and girls ages 9 – 14



Sponsored by:

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- When: Saturday, January 20th, 2018 (Sign-ups at 6:15 p.m. 6:45 p.m.). Contest 7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m. (Parental consent will be required to participate in the event.)
- Where: Sacred Heart Parish Gym 114 S. Elizabeth St. Lombard, IL.
 Prizes will be awarded.
 Pizza and refreshments will be provided.

Questions? Contact Fred Kaefer at (630) 889-9829 or <u>fkaefer@luc.edu</u>, or Ray Wojkovich at <u>rwojkovich@bulley.com</u> or Henry Sokalski at <u>hrs1021@netzero.net</u> (331) 332-3389

This is not a School Sponsored Activity





Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree-Northern Illinois District of Marquette Province

Frank W. Rossi Master 1547 S. 60th Ct. 2 Rear Cicero, IL 60804-1669

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4th Degree Exemplification Saturday February 17, 2018 Hilton – Oak Brook Hills Resort 3500 Midwest Road Oak Brook, IL 60523

ASSEMBLY NO.

COUNCIL NO.

Worthy Master-Please make reservations for the following:

Candidate (Initiation Fee) \$	570.00 (includes Banquet Ticket)	8		
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