



# Knights Lines

December, 2013

Hoffman-Schaumburg Council #6964



## Keep Christ in Christmas



*God grant me the light of Christmas, which is faith;  
The warmth of Christmas, which is purity;  
The righteousness of Christmas, which is justice;  
The belief in Christmas, which is truth;  
The all of Christmas, which is Christ.*

The 'Keep Christ in Christmas' campaign was originally organized by the Christian Mothers of Milwaukee, later known as the Council of Catholic Women. The effort was originally known as "Put Christ Back into Christmas." To support that effort, the Knights of Columbus adopted the "Keep Christ in Christmas" program in the early 1960s. The Knights have been actively continuing to promote Christ in Christmas for all of this time.

**Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson** states: "We celebrate Christmas by giving gifts to each other because it is the day on which we celebrate the greatest gift: God's gift of his son to the world. We think that's a message worth remembering."

Our council continues to do its part: Our annual Children's Christmas Party brings forth presents to distribute to children who would not get one. At St. Hubert, we make available Christmas scene picture puzzles; St. Matthew, accepting & delivering presents to eight Wish Tree Organizations; and, Church of the Holy Spirit helping run its food pantry for those in need. To all of our brother knights who serve in their various parish ministries, and who pursue fostering our Catholic faith through their own initiatives . . .

## VIVAT JESUS



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

**Our Next Business Meeting: Thursday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Matthew Hughes Center 1001 Schaumburg Road**