



Knight Lines

Hoffman-Schaumburg Council

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January 2019

‘FAITH IN ACTION’



The Knights of Columbus offers men a place to lead their families and communities through their Faith into Action. K of C members, parishes and families have the opportunity to make a meaningful difference through these recommended programs.

SUPREME COUNCIL’S CURRENT PROGRAM ACTIVITIES



FAITH



Community



Family



Life

‘Faith in Action,’ is a reinforcement of our new Knights of Columbus program model that took effect for our related activities last July 1st, of the 2018-2019 fraternal year. *Faith in Action* replaced ‘Surge... with Service,’ which was introduced nearly 50 years ago.

‘Faith in Action,’ Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson, explained that this new model “embodies a simplified overall program structure, featuring four instead of six categories.”

You will find our new K of C program model on pages 4 and 5 of this Knight Lines. This a copy of what was published in the Supreme Council publication: ‘Columbia.’

Our New Brother Knights



Front Row: Cliff Pinto David Jameson Victor Martinez Ronald Feldman Mike Loverde

Parish: St. Matthew St. Hubert CHS St. Matthew St. Matthew

Back Row: Robert Hall Pablo Lopez Doug Allo Don Marquis Dennis Grogran

Parish: St Matthew St Hubert CHS St. Catharine CHS

{CHS} Church of the Holy Spirit

January Anniversaries Council Membership Years

James Adamczyk 31 – Federico Alvarez 1 – Leon Blum 5 – Brian Butler 3
 James Childress 16– William Clark 33 – Jihad Hatter 5 – Mario Luna 1 – Roy Lyons 1
 Juan Mackan 1 – James McCune 32 – Theodorico Mendoza 13 – John Norkus 55
 Stephen O'Donoghue 32 Carlos Rodriguez 2 – Mark Roy 10 – Gary Seymour 32
 Bryan Seyring 2 – Gary Seyring 2– Robert Tellone 25

Council Member Memorial Mass & Dinner Saturday, January 19th

St. Matthew Church

5:00 p.m. Mass, 6:00 p.m. Memorial

7:00 pm Dinner – Riccardo's Restaurant, \$17 per person

Please join us with Knights in Regalia,
Honoring these Fellow Knights who have passed away this past year.

Richard Kossack – Robert Palmer – Joseph Pruetting
 Thomas Raschke – Martin Salerno – Silas Wilson

Eighty-One Brother Knights have now passed away since our council began in 1977.



Children's Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest



This K of C Tradition Continues with our Council . . . SK Dave Sertich staged the conduct of encouraging students at St. Hubert School, Religious Education and K of C Gift Program to draw posters to meet the need for continuing to Keep Christ in Christmas. These are a few of the posters that were on display on the walls of the St Hubert Church Narthex.



Coats For Kids



This photo of our Brother Knights, John Vlnka, Rick Froelich, and Ken Szott shows our support for the Coats for Kids Program. Tom Van Havermeat and other Brothers who missed this 'photo op.' must also be recognized. Our Council is managing the distribution of 72 coats for the needy of the three parishes we support: St. Hubert, St. Mathew and Church of the Holy Spirit.

This photo also shows Mike Waters, Director of Catholic Charities, who was presented with a check for \$944 that Rick Froelich's daughter, Vanessa Castillo, arranged from her employer, Canopus US Insurance Inc. that will donate 48 coats.



Granite City Dine to Donate Knights of Columbus Tuesday January 22



Granite City Food & Brewery
801 Plaza Drive
Schaumburg, IL 60173
Open 11AM – 11 PM
Full Menu 11AM – 4PM
Appetizers & Flatbreads until 11:00 PM
Drinks until 11 PM

Present this Coupon to Your Server.
20% of your TOTAL TAB
to be donated to:
Hoffman/Schaumburg Council



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“FAITH IN ACTION”

THE SUPREME COUNCIL’S NEW PROGRAM MODEL FOR K OF C ACTIVITIES

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FAITH



COMMUNITY



FAMILY



LIFE

This new program model, titled ‘*Faith in Action*,’ has taken effect as the umbrella for Knights of Columbus-related activities beginning with the July 1, 2018 fraternal year. ‘*Faith in Action*’ replaces ‘*Surge... with Service*,’ which was introduced nearly 50 years ago.

“This model is an evolution of the ‘*Building the Domestic Church While Strengthening*’ Our Parish initiative that was introduced in November 2015,” Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson wrote in a letter to state deputies April 6. ‘*Faith in Action*,’ the supreme knight explained, “embodies a simplified overall program structure, featuring four instead of six categories.”

Developed by the Supreme Council’s Fraternal Mission department, the ‘*Faith in Action*’ model carries the Order’s unchanged mission into the challenges of a changing world. It includes a strong call to action and focuses on programs in four categories: Faith, Family, Community and Life.

Some other key points regarding the updated program model are:

- Councils need to appoint individual faith, family, community and life directors. They will no longer need to appoint a youth or council director, as the Youth and Council categories have been consolidated into the Community, Faith and Family categories.
- The new model reduces the requirements to earn the Columbian Award, which recognizes excellence in programming and charitable outreach, to completing four programs in each of the four categories. To earn the award, there is one required program in each category, designed to enrich the spiritual life of the council, family and community. These are: a Spiritual Reflection Program; Consecration to the Holy Family; Helping Hands, and a Novena for Life.

• All current Supreme Council priority programs — denoted in bold below — will continue. Nine new recommended programs will be introduced.

For additional information about the new Faith in Action program model, including answers to frequently asked questions, visit: kofc.org/faithinaction.



- **Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP)**
- Into the Breach
- Marian Icon Prayer Program
- Building the Domestic Church Kiosk
- Rosary Program
- Spiritual Reflection Program (new)
- Holy Hour (new)
- Sacramental Gifts (new)

- **Food for Families**
- Family of the Month/Year
- Keep Christ in Christmas (Posada, Poster Contest, etc)
- Family Fully Alive
- Family Week
- Consecration to the Holy Family
- Family Prayer Night (new)
- Good Friday Family Promotion (new)



- **Coats for Kids**
- **Global Wheelchair Mission**
- **Habitat for Humanity**
- Disaster Preparedness
- Free Throw Championship
- Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest
- Soccer Challenge
- Helping Hands (new)

- **Marches for Life**
- **Special Olympics**
- **Ultrasound Program**
- Christian Refugee Relief
- Silver Rose
- Mass for People with Special Needs (new)
- Pregnancy Center Support (new)
- Novena for Life (new)