

July 2019 Newsletter

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# <u>GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE</u>

Brother Knights,

Greetings and salutations. As we enter a new Fraternal year, I'd truly like to thank everyone who has made the 2018/2019 year such a success. I would also like to thank everybody who attended Officer's Installation.

Summer is finally underway. And yes, we all have busy lives, and families taking vacations. But we still have a lot going on during the summer months. Cruisin' Nights continue throughout the season. If you are not on the schedule, please come and enjoy a meal, look at all the classic cars, and have a great time.

And we can't forget about weekly Bingo, with help always needed there. Consider helping at Bingo and give some deserving people a break. The men and women who work Bingo do so every month, without end.

> God Bless & Vivat Jesus! Dave Ortman, Grand Knight

#### 2019-2020 Officers of St. John Council 3738

Dave Ortman

Grand Knight Deputy Grand Knight Chaplain Chaplain's Assistant Chancellor Financial Secretary Treasurer Recorder Advocate Warden Inside Guards

**Outside Guards** 

**Guard Emeritus** 

Trustees

Lecturer Council P.R. Director

Brad Alexander Rev. Rafal Wasilewski, C.R. Dea. Tom Jagielo Steve Conklin Frank Rossi Greg Sobotka Cliff Devitt Ed Mokry Mike Fumagalli Rich Carroll Rob Kaiser Mike Wallrich Randy Norman **Tony Pietryla** Jim Anzelone Steve Dancik Jim Murawski Tony Polito (1 yr) Joe Moffa (2 yr) Chris Simon (3 yr) Konrad Miskowicz-Retz Cliff Grammich. Jr.

#### Weekly Bingo

Bingo at the **Elmhurst Elks Lodge** (*Location -* 711 W. St. Charles Rd, Elmhurst, Illinois)

Join a Team! Help needed! Become an alternate!

\*Help needed for the 2nd & 3rd Weeks—please step up!

#### <u>Meetíng Dates</u>

Council: 2nd Tuesday @ 7:30 PM Officers: Last Wednesday @ 7 PM 4th Degree: contact Tony Polito Ladies Auxiliary: T.B.D.

#### Program Personnel Assignments for 2019 - 2020

Chaplain – Fr. Rafal Wasilewski, C.R. Chaplain's Assistant – Deacon Tom Jagielo Lecturer – Konrad Miskowicz-Retz

Program Director – Frank Rossi (FS)
 Church Director – Randy Norman
 Community Director – Hank Anzelone
 Life Director – Dave Skrzypczynski Sr.
 Family Director – Rob Kaiser
 Fourth Degree Club Director – Tony Polito
 Membership Director – Rich Carroll
 Public Relations Director – Cliff Grammich, Jr.
 Vocations Chairman – Jim Anzelone

<u>Supreme Chaplaín's</u> <u>Message</u>

To read our Supreme Chaplain **Archbishop William E. Lori's** monthly message to the Order, please go to:

http://www.kofc.org/en/ columbia/ supreme\_chaplain/2019-06-lori-chaplain.html

## Supreme Knight's Message - Carl A. Anderson

The Supreme Knight's June 2019 message to the Order is entitled:

## SURVIVAL AND SOLIDARITY

To see this important message, please go to:

http://www.kofc.org/en/columbia/supreme\_knight/fromthesk\_20190601.html

## Councíl News ~ Events

† Cruisin' Nights continue through the end of August (aside from the week of Taste of Westmont, July 11-14)
† Our next St. John Council 3738 meeting will be Tuesday, July 9 @ 7:30 PM at the Hall. We will have a 1st Degree if we have recruits. Please direct prospects to our Membership Chair, Rich Carroll (rich@richcarroll.com)
† <u>Bingo could use a captain for the 2nd week and additional help on the 3rd week!</u> Our budgeted totals for Bingo are <u>not</u> being met—but you can help! Step up, fill a slot, advertise and spread the word! Remember, this is our biggest fundraiser for the council!

**† 4th of July Parade:** With only the new regalia permitted effective 7/1/19, others including non-4th degree members should wear a Council shirt or any SK that has the NEW Regalia should wear that. Our line-up this year is at 11:45 AM—we should depart our KOC Hall by 11:30 - the parade steps off at 1 PM. There will be a bus that has A/C. St. Joe's will supply Hot Dogs, chips, drinks. Any Knight wishing to march is welcome.

**† Taste of Westmont:** Holy Trinity needs volunteers for their booth at the Taste of Westmont. While representing our School and Parish this year, we will also hopefully be selling juice boxes, snacks, and candy for \$1. We are looking for students and their parents to help us with a 2-hour shift, set up, and take down of the booth. This is a great family event and a great way to raise awareness about our parish and school community within our Westmont and surrounding communities! Sign up here: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050E49ADAF2AABF49-htbooth</u>

Men's Prayer Nights at <u>Holy Trinity Parish</u> will continue every first Thursday of the month at 7:30pm in the Holy Trinity School Library. The next session will be held on <u>Thursday, July 11</u>. Join men of the Parish to pray and reflect as a group together. As a council, we will be supporting these events, so attend if you can!
Holy Trinity Parish Fest: Holy Trinity will hold its first annual Parish Fest over Labor Day weekend in 2019. There will be a carnival, food, craft show, live music and the Knights have been invited to do a small Bingo on

Sunday. Other volunteers will be needed for various roles throughout the weekend. You can sign up for those slots here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050e49adaf2aabf49-20191

<sup>†</sup> On behalf of Holy Trinity Parish, we would like to invite you to participate in a **Spiritual Bouquet** for our pastor, Father Rafal Wasilewski, CR, as a Father's Day present! Go here for the link to sign up for your choice of prayer in the Spiritual Bouquet and do so by June 10th so it can be reported by Father's Day! <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C44A4AC23A5F58-spiritual</u> You can also participate in the Spiritual Bouquets for Fr. Marion, CR and Bishop Kurtz, CR as well. Fr Marion Spiritual Bouquet: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E084AA9AA2CA4F85-spiritual</u> Bishop Kurtz Spiritual Bouquet: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E084AA9AA2CA4F85-spiritual</u>

**† Kane County Cougars Game:** Game Info - Saturday, July 27th at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$17 each which includes \$10 of food/drink vouchers. Preferred parking is \$10 and handicapped parking is \$6.

### For the Good of the Order . . . [As of 06/20/19]

**You are asked to please remember in your prayers the following individuals:** All fathers in respect for Father's Day, Gigi Batryn (grandniece of Hank Anzelone), David Beck (nephew of Jim Turner), John Boccuzzi (friend of Craig Reckard), Michael & Nancy Bodine, Gene Brenner (FS of St. James Council #9806), Rita Calendo (cousin of Joe Moffa), Billie Chorney, Angela Coleman (sister of PGK Joe Moffa), Brett Copeland (friend of Joe Moffa), Donna Dahistrom and Russell (friends of Steve Dancik), Bill Doerfler (Past State Deputy), Jerry Fleishfresser (Chancellor of St. James Council #9806), Robert Fuggiti (staff of District Master), Bunny Goers (friend of Miskowicz-Retzs), Mark Gowgiel (son of Tom and Sue), Megan Guinup (daughter of Jim Goralewski), Mick Herbst, Eric Hoehler, Paul Isherwood (Vice Supreme Master, Fourth Degree), Mary Jo Kemp (friend of Frank Rossi), Diana Maggio (daughter of Hank Anzelone), Todd Matocha (father of son-in-law of Carlton Jones), Chris Mosquera (son of Vincent), Jim Murawski, Charles Picha, Sharyn Polito (wife of Tony), Jeanette & Walter Repak, Pete Serafin (former Field Agent), Linda & Joe Spada (wife and son of PSD Rick), Linda Stites (wife of SD Ted), survivors of: STEM School in Highlands, CO & Jewish Chabad of Poway, CA shootings; Survivors of the Easter Sunday bombings in Sri Lanka; Stephany Sweeten (niece of Joe Moffa), Fr. David Turner O.S.B. & Steve Turner (Jim's brothers), Melissa Turner (Jim's wife), Al White (friend of Hank Anzelone), Alice & Cliff Wilembrecht, Ed Wojciechowki, Fr. Marion Wroblewski CR

<u>And, please pray for the repose of the souls of</u>: Daniel Graney (brother of Bill Graney), Margaret Edwards (mother of Dave and Eileen Kindt), Joe (friend of Steve Dancik), Joe Messina (brother-in-law of Nick Pollman), Bob Oraham (father-in-law of brother of Dave Ortman), Robert Perlowski (friend of Joe Moffa), Helen Pietryla (aunt of Tony Pietryla), Gregg Pill, Sue Retz (sister-in-law of Konrad Miskowicz-Retz), Cecil Shirey (brother-in-law of Joe Moffa), Jim Wright, Jr. (employee of Westmont Streets Dept.), Victims of: shooting at STEM School in Highlands, CO, [May 2019], and Victims of the Easter Sunday bombings in Sri Lanka [April 2019]



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS			<b>July 2019</b>			
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30 Bingo in Elmhurst	1	2	3	<b>4</b> Independence Day Parade	5	6
<b>7</b> Bingo in Elmhurst	8	<b>9</b> Monthly Meeting	10	11 Taste of Westmont Men's Prayer Night	12 Taste of Westmont	13 Taste of Westmont
14 Taste of Westmont Bingo in Elmhurst	15	16	17	18 Cruisin' Nights	19	20
<b>21</b> Bingo in Elmhurst	22	23	24	<b>25</b> Cruisin' Nights	<b>26</b> Poker Event	<b>27</b> Kane County Cougars Game
<b>28</b> Bingo in Elmhurst	29	30	31 Officers' Meeting	1 Cruisin' Nights	2	3