

Knights of Columbus

Father Dick Allen Council #10926

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Monthly News
March 2016

Celebrating 24 Years of
Faith in Action

A NOTE FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT - MARCH 2016



Fellow Brother Knights,

Another Lenten Fish Fry season is almost over. Through 5 weeks so far we have served 2,298 meals which is just slightly behind 2015. The help at the Fish Fry's has been great with over 30-40 guys helping each week. Without your help, we couldn't be successful; so for that I sincerely thank you.

On February 20, we had two Brother Knights make their 4th Degree in Lisle. With Bill Ruane and Steve Lebre joining, it now brings the number of 4th Degree Sir Knights in our Council to 72. The next 4th Degree Exemplification is on April 16th in Bloomingdale (see below). Let me know if you're interested.

Remember that the Bunny Breakfast and Easter Egg Hunt is on March 19. I hope you and your family have a very nice and blessed Easter. Let me know if you have any questions, thoughts or comments. See you in Church.

Vivat Jesus,
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Charity
Unity
Fraternity
Patriotism

2016 EVENT CALENDAR

MARCH

- 14 – Council 10926 Mtg 7pm
- 17 – Fish Fry Prep 6pm
- 18 – Fish Fry 4pm
- 19 – Bunny Breakfast 6am
St Joseph Table 6pm
- 20 – RCIA Retreat Dinner 5pm
- 24 – Officers Meeting 7pm
- 26 – RCIA Reception 10pm
- 27 – HAPPY EASTER

APRIL

- 4 – 4th Degree Meeting 7pm
- 9 – Memorial Mass for Gene Schubert 7:30am
- 11 – Council 10926 Meeting 7pm
- 16 – 4th Degree Exemplification
Bloomingdale
- 24 – Parish Donut Day
- 28 – Officers Meeting 7pm
- 29 – Illinois State Convention
- 30 – State Convention – Cont.

MAY

- 1 – State Convention – Cont.
Loyalty Day Parade 2pm
- 2 – 4th Degree Meeting 7pm
- 9 – Council 10926 Meeting 7pm
- 26 – Officers Meeting 7p
- 30 – Memorial Day



FISH FRY NEWS

CALLING ALL
BROTHER KNIGHTS

We can still use your help with the last Fish Fry Dinner this Friday March 18th. Come out to help and enjoy the company of friends and family.



4TH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

The next 4th Degree Exemplification will be held on April 16, 2016 at the Hilton Chicago-Indian Lakes Resort, 250 W. Schick Road, Bloomingdale, Illinois.

Deadline for Candidates Form 4 is April 1, 2016.

If you're interested please contact one of the Officers.

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CLOTHE THE NAKED

March 19th and 20th is the Parish clothing drive to support the call to "Clothe the Naked". The St. Vincent DePaul Society will be here to accept clothing donations before and after all Masses except the 7pm on Sunday. Volunteers are needed 20 minutes before and after each Mass to help load the truck from donations. No registration required, just come out to help this great cause.

2016 Goal
500 Pounds



213 pounds
collected
thus far...

Help Support St Jude's Caritas
"Food for Families"

Bring a Non-Perishable Item to Each Meeting

SPECIAL OCCASIONS

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Bob Spicer, Mark Murphy, Tom O'Kane, Dean Anderson, Marshall Conick, Kevin Duffy, Rob Tatroe, Charles Goetze, James Pasqualoni, David Gaffney, James Allen, Rob Krejci, Stephen Urbanczyk, Paul Strahanoski, Matt Prynne, Rob Liberty Jr., Ed Doyle, Aaron Krumreich, Howard Butters, Al Miller, Mike Rubino, Adam Hansen, David Kinsella, Charles Garland.



CONGRATS 4th DEGREE KNIGHTS



Bill Ruane and Steve Lebre

BUNNY BREAKFAST & EGG HUNT



March 19th will be our annual Easter Bunny Breakfast from 8 to 11am. The Columbian Squires will also hold their annual Egg Hunt from 11 to 1pm. Come out to help with the event or bring your family out for a good time.



St. JOSEPH TABLE

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Saint Joseph is one of the most beloved saints. As the patron of workers and the protector of the family, he is honored with a feast on March 19. According to legend, there was a famine in Sicily many centuries ago. There was an exceptionally severe drought in Sicily. No rain fell for an extended period of time, no crops would grow, and countless people died of famine. The villagers prayed to St. Joseph, Giuseppe (Joseph), Father of Jesus, and asked his intercession before the throne of God. Their prayers were answered.

With the ending of the dreadful famine, a special feast of thanksgiving was held in commemoration of the Saint. This celebration became tradition. Families prepared huge buffets. They then invited the people of the village, especially the homeless and sick. Giving food to the needy is a St. Joseph's Day custom. The proceeds from the event are given to Caritas to help with the food pantry. There will be great food, entertainment, and raffle baskets. Please come out with your family and have a great time.

KNIGHT
OF THE
MONTH

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JANUARY 2016 — BRAD WERNER



Brad is Knight of the Month for his continued help with Council work like doing the dishes at most food functions as well as being a fine part of our 1st Degree Team. Brad regularly attends our General Meetings and became a 1st Degree Knight in December 2009 and 2nd/3rd Degrees in January 2011. Prior to becoming a Knight, Brad was a member of our own Mark Andrews Squires Circle. Thanks Brad for all you do and those miles of smiles you have all the time.