

# Knights of Columbus Council 13959 Monthly Newsletter



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Brothers,

First of all my thanks to the 28 of you who attended Monday's meeting. I am sure that everyone has much to do these days, but what better way to be current and in touch with all that our Council is doing than attending our once a month business meeting. I hope to see even more members next month as we plan our summer schedule and our major fund raising weekend at Saint Teresa.

We completed our first Bishops Project Tootsie Roll day at Kuhn's market on Saturday March 9th in fine fashion. We collected \$523.99, which is a very good amount for that location. We have several more planned in the following months with the next one being at Sam's Club on March 23rd starting at 9am. For those of you who are unable to attend the monthly meetings, this is a great way to spend 2 hours and do a world of good for your Council. Give Carl Schonhardt a call at 412-627-1866 and schedule yourself for one of our future Tootsie Roll days.

The 13th Gathering Of Catholic Men will be on Saturday April 6th at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall starting at noon. What greater way to spend an afternoon with hundreds of Catholic men, and then end the afternoon with Mass with Bishop Zubic. Our Council would like to have at least 10 men in attendance, and if you are planning on going, would you call me at 412-527-8573 and let me know please.

As I mentioned at our meeting, I am pleased to announce that we have entered the Kreutzer Family (Kevin, Amy, Tommy and Maris) as our Councils entry for the Pennsylvania Family of the Year. Should the Kreutzer family win, they will be submitted to the Supreme Council for consideration as international Family of the year. Congratulations Kevin, and good luck.

My thanks to Jack Rosati, State membership Director, for speaking to us about the new member status in Pennsylvania for the Knights of Columbus. He presented many

suggestions and ideas for our Council going forward for the rest of the year. The one thing that stuck with me was that we so often overlook the person we know sitting next to us while in Church, at events, fish fries, festivals etc , and never asking that person to join the Knights of Columbus. Isn't that exactly what we have done the last few years while on retreat, and look how successful we were? This is something to consider.

Speaking of new members, a special welcome to Mike Nuhfer, who has joined our Council. He is a 3rd degree, and comes to us after many years in Oklahoma. Many thanks to all who made him feel welcomed at our meeting.

Last, we will definitely have a social/ planning meeting on Mon March 25. Since we had extra guests at our regular meeting I thought it best we have plenty of time to develop our game plan for our June fundraiser.

Fraternally,  
Jay Kerr  
Grand Knight

### **MARCH AND APRIL MEETING SCHEDULE**

**Our March Social meeting will be on Monday, March 25. Aprils Business meeting will be on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup> and the Social meeting on Monday, April 22.**

### **MARCH BIRTHDAYS**

March 2 – Joe Nataro  
March 5 – Rev. T.L. Harlan  
March 10 – Thomas Devlin  
March 11 – Brian Eddy  
March 12 – Greg Walkauskus  
March 13 – Mike Cully  
March 13 – Ed Lyons  
March 14 – Jim Michel  
March 20 – Tom Kreutzer  
March 23 – Ed Moeller  
March 24 – Joseph Giuffre  
March 24 – Vince Scalamogna  
March 26 – Stan Wojtyna  
March 28 – Mike Stobba  
March 29 – Wayne Muller