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DECEMBER

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NOTES

Articles for the newsletter are due by the 10th of the month. Contact our Editor Luke at lukepribbenow@gmail.com with any additions or deletions to the sick list as well as any deaths. Luke's phone number is 920-428-1322.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

Remember that ROMEO'S (Retired Old Men Eat Out) will be starting on the first and third Thursday's of each month starting November 5th until mid-March 1. Paul and his crew put on very good soup, sandwich and dessert for \$7.00. Please try to attend this event and bring a friend.

I would like to thank the all the members and wives who attended Mass and Potluck Dinner on September 10th. A special thanks to the three priest's John Norder, Bruce Hennington and Cy Weisensel. I forgot to mention this in the last Knight Letter.

I also would like to thank Paul Steinmetz and his crew for preparing the chili and Joe Daniels for purchasing the euchre prizes. Congratulations to Dick Virnoche for winning the tournament.

On Monday October 12th, the Grand Knight called a special meeting of the Officers to discuss a revised proposal that would be presented to Catholic Multicultural Center (CMC). After two hours of discussion Jeff Kingston will revise the proposal that will be submitted to CMC in the next few weeks for review and discussion with both parties. I would like to thank Jeff Kingston for all his work in developing the proposal and all members who attended this meeting especially Pat Bergen for his ideas and worthwhile suggestions.

The Council is planning a Bountiful Breakfast on Sunday, November 29, 2015. Please contact Tom Parslow or John Fox to help with this activity with proceeds going to the youth or scouts at Queen of Peace.

We have a new General Insurance Agent for this area; his name is Michael Roznowski. See article inside for more information. Mike is looking for field agents in the Madison area.

I am still looking to fill two vacant positions Advocate and Lecturer. If you are a third degree member and interested in either position please contact the Grand Knight. Also, if you would be interested in proof reading the Knight letter before it goes to the printer call me at 288-9503.

Bill Thielmann will be looking for volunteers to help at the concession stand for women's basketball starting in November.

As always, let's try to recruit new members to join this great Council.

Daniel Kelly
Grand Knight

BIRTHDAY BOYS - NOVEMBER 2015

David Ryan	11/03	Bernard Gorman	11/17
Robert Brooks	11/05	Dr. John Boncyk	11/18
Thomas Parslow	11/05	Daniel Frisch	11/22
Donald Wersal	11/05	Mark Kysely	11/25
Robert Faber	11/08	Eric Schiedermayer	11/25
William Herr	11/08	Leo Janus	11/26
Gary Mella	11/08	Colin Wildenberg	11/27
Kevin Boening	11/10	Rev. James Poster	11/30
Fred Kinney	11/11	George Schneeberg	11/30
Anthony Hokaj	11/15		

FOR WHOM WE PRAY

Please include in your daily prayers the following Brother Knights, spouses and family members.

Ray Genin	Frank Matuszak
William (Bill) West	John Murphy
Gary Emerson	Ralph Richardson
Gene Kruska	Ray Knudtson
Eleanor Watson	Hank Curran
Joanne Murphy	

TURKEY BINGO NIGHT

Thursday, November 12, 2015 at the Clubhouse

Wives, widows, and friends are all welcome to our annual Turkey Bingo night of fun.

5:00 p.m.	Social Hour (with Hors D'oeuvres)
6:00 p.m.	Dinner
7:00 p.m.	Bingo

Cost: \$15.00 per person

Call Reservation Line at 288-9503 by November 7th with your reservation.

COUNCIL BOUNTIFUL BREAKFAST

Sunday, November 29, 2015 at the Clubhouse

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Cost: \$7.00 Individual \$16.00 Family

Join your fellow Knights and their families for a delicious breakfast and an enjoyable morning.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMORIAL MASS

Tuesday, November 17, 2015

Catholic Center

There will be a mass for deceased members and wives of Council's 4527 & 531 at 7:00 p.m. There will not be a dinner this year.

The Memorial Mass puts into perspective why Father McGivney started the Knights of Columbus. We are paying tribute to those persons who lived their lives within the spirit of the Knights of Columbus. Out of respect for their commitment to our order, we light a candle in memory of each Knight who has died in the past year. Some were Grand Knights and officers. Others were members who simply helped where needed. Consider attending and paying tribute to your friends and fellow Knights and ladies.

COUNCIL FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY

Please join us for the Christmas Party to be held on December 10, 2015 at the Clubhouse starting at 5:30 p.m.

Cost: Price to be determined - will be in the next newsletter

5:30 p.m.	Snacks
6:00 p.m.	Hot Hors D'oeuvres
6:30 p.m.	Dessert

Please call the Reservation Line at 288-9503 with your reservation by December 5, 2015.

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences and prayers are extended to Brother Knight Mick Mullee, whose mother, Mary passed away on September 21, 2015.

IN MEMORIUM

Our condolences and prayers are extended to the family members, extended family members, and friends of the following Brother Knight who has died.

WILLIAM J. MC CAW

DOB: April 1, 1930

JOINED: February 20, 2000

DIED: September 20, 2015

CRECHE SETUP

Another year has slipped by. It's time to get out the gloves and Earmuffs to set up the crèche. What better way is there to get into the Christmas spirit! The date is November 30, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. Any questions, call Dan Kelly at 274-6009 or 213-3693.

CONCESSIONS - KOHL CENTER - WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Sunday, November 8, 2015	Minnesota State	2 p.m.
Wednesday, November 11, 2015	UW - Eau Claire	7 p.m.
Saturday, November 14, 2015	Louisiana Tech	2 p.m.
Wednesday, November 18, 2015	Drake	7 p.m.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Florence Myles tells the following story.

It was Thanksgiving. No delicious smells of turkey roasting, no pies on the sideboard, no festive table setting. The mother had lost her job a few weeks ago and a daughter's tiny salary went to pay the rent. A son was still in school and with no father in the home, things looked bleak. The mother was making a stew and had wrapped day-old bread in a paper sack and set to warming it in the oven. When the doorbell rang, the mother panicked. She was proud and didn't want anyone to know how bad things were. When she opened the door, there stood Mr. Gold, a door-to-door salesman who kept everyone supplied with household items. Now he stood with his arms full of grocery bags and a shy smile on his face. "Can I come begging you today?" he asked. "Here it is Thanksgiving Day and I have no place to go and no one to share it with."

The mother was embarrassed, but invited him in and started to explain. But Mr. Gold interrupted her. "Here, I have all this food," he said. "It's only chicken but who's to know?" And he began unpacking the groceries. There was enough for a Thanksgiving feast, from soup to nuts, plus a mincemeat pie and pumpkin pie.

Mr. Gold didn't eat much, but nobody seemed to notice. When he was leaving, he thanked the family for taking such good care of a lonely old man this holiday.

In the story of the rich young man when he told Jesus he had kept all the commandments, Jesus basically asked him then: "Have you ever used your wealth to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, or shelter the homeless? What have you done to help anyone?" Something for all of us to think about.

Have a great Thanksgiving!

Fr. John

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact Michael Roznowski, FICF, LUTCF General Agent, (608) 721-4057 or Michael.Roznowski@kofc.org.

KC LADIES

Ladies, please join us on Thursday, November 5th, when we will gather for the 8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Maria Goretti Church to pray for our deceased members and loved ones. Meet us in the church gathering space before Mass so that we can sit together as a group. And don't forget to wear your Rose pin. After Mass we will adjourn to a restaurant for breakfast and more comradery. Reservations are not needed, as we will simply take a head count before Mass and call in our reservation. Thanks for being on time so that your "head" will be counted.



Thursday, December 3rd is our annual Christmas Salad Potluck. Thanks to Glorianne Schroeckenthaler and Joan Zingsheim for being in charge of our celebration this year. This is one of our favorite events – and the food is always delicious. Plan to meet us in the back room of the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. with one of your favorite salads to share. Reservations are needed by November 30th by calling Joan at 274-0854. Each year we donate Christmas gifts to a different charity. This year our charity is the Luke House Community Meal Program. Most of us are probably familiar with Luke House through our parish involvement with their monthly lunch/dinner program. They serve lunch Mondays through Thursdays and evening dinners Sundays through Thursdays. Luke House receives no government assistance so our donations of food, money, and prayers keep them going. Food staples they can always use: (larger sizes of) Folgers ground coffee, sugar, salt, pepper, bleach, Windex, and rubber gloves. And, of course, they always appreciate cash – checks should be made payable to Luke House, Inc.

Thanks to Sharon Hurtgen for organizing our awesome tour at the Discovery Center on the UW campus in October. The Discovery Center is huge and absolutely fascinating! It takes up the entire 1300 block on University Avenue and uses green technology. It's a public-private biomedical research partnership and they study all sorts of things that affect our everyday lives. We even had fun with all the interactive displays. We want to return some time so we can see even more things. There are two restaurants on site and we thoroughly enjoyed lunch at Steenbock's on Orchard!

Remember that all wives, or widows, of KC members are welcome to participate in our activities at any time. We do not charge dues nor have a membership roster. We just gather to enjoy each other's company and try new adventures, while growing in our Catholic faith. For questions, call Betty Blumer at 277-9621.

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