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OUR LADY OF THE LAKES COUNCIL 4527

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4527 DATEBOOK

OCTOBER

- 27 Business Meeting 7:00 p.m. - reported in the October Newsletter as the 28th my error

NOVEMBER

- 1 **ALL SAINTS DAY**
2 **ALL SOULS DAY**
3 KC Ladies Mass & Breakfast - See Article - Page 3
8 Election Day - Please vote
10 Turkey Bingo Night - See Article - Page 2
24 **THANKSGIVING DAY** - No Meeting

DECEMBER

- 1 KC Ladies Salad Potluck - See Article - Page 3
8 Membership Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
22 No Meeting
25 **CHRISTMAS DAY** - No Meeting
29 Luke House - See Article - Page 2

NOTES

Articles for the newsletter are due by the 10th of the month. Contact Dan Kelly with any additions or deletions to the sick list as well as any deaths.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

Effective June 20, 2016 the 288-9503 telephone number at the Clubhouse will no longer be available. Therefore, all calls must be placed on the 288-9357 number.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

St. Thomas Aquinas has started a ten-week program titled "Alpha". This program will meet once a week to explore the basics of the Christian faith. It would be a parish tool for evangelization based on hospitality and sharing prayer. The program will be on Monday evenings from 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. starting October 10th. We have three five member teams to prepare the meals for five of the ten secessions. The five sessions will be October 17th and 24th, November 7th and 14th, and December 5th. We were asked to prepare meals, serve the meal and cleanup for about 25 people. A thank you to all the people who volunteered to work.

Paul Bariola is always looking for volunteers to help take the excess produce from the farmers market on Saturdays at the Sheboygan Avenue and Hill Farms. Contact Paul Bariola if you can volunteer.

The Pizza Euchre Night at the October 13th Membership meeting was well received by the ladies and gentlemen in attendance. I thank Joe Daniels for getting the prizes and Don Wersal for helping with the bartending while I was playing euchre. I hope everyone was satisfied with the pizza selection; if you have any comments let me know. We may plan another one in the Spring.

The ROMEO program for this year is cancelled because the Catholic Multicultural center West (CMCW) will be remodeling the kitchen to meet commercial standards. During the summer of 2017 we will try to negotiate a contract with the CMCW for the year starting in October of 2017.

We will be trying to establish parish round tables for our three main parishes. The round table would have periodic meetings with the pastor and parish council members to ask what we as the Knights can do for your parish. I am looking for at least two volunteers from each parish.

Let's continue our recruitment program from last year where we had five new members. We will try to double this membership by scheduling church drives during the year at the various parish. Right now I am planning a church drive at Queen of Peace in January and St. Maria Goretti in March of 2017.

Finally, I would like to welcome John Monfre and Janusz Szylow into our council who took their first degree on September 22, 2016.

Dan Kelly
Grand Knight

BIRTHDAY BOYS - NOVEMBER 2016

David Ryan	11/01	Bernard Gorman	11/17
Dr. Robert Brooks	11/05	Dr. John Boncyk	11/18
Thomas Parslow	11/05	Stanley Woznick	11/18
Donald Wersal	11/05	Daniel Frisch	11/22
Robert Faber	11/08	Mark Kysely	11/25
William Herr	11/08	Eric Schiedermayer	11/25
Gary Mella	11/08	Leo Janus	11/26
Kevin Boening	11/10	Colin Wildenborg	11/27
Fred Kinney	11/11	Rev. James Poster	11/30
Anthony Hokaj	11/15	George Scheenberg	11/30

FOR WHOM WE PRAY

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

Ray Genin	Jerry Quinn
John Murphy	Hank Curran
Gary Emerson	George Rauch
Gene Kruska	Ray Knudtson
Eleanor Watson	Dave Ryan
Linda Gorman	Ray Shunk
Donald Klink	

LUKE HOUSE MEAL PROGRAM

We have the privilege of serving lunch at Luke House on Thursday, December 29, 2016. We carpool from the Queen of Peace parking lot at 10:00 a.m., or you can meet us at Luke House, 310 S. Ingersoll Street at 10:30 a.m. Please let me know if you can help or if you have any questions. Thank you. Dan Kelly - 608-213-3693.

Articles for the December and January newsletters will be due by the 10th of November. This will be a combined newsletter due to the holidays. Thank you!

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences and prayers are extended to the family of Edith Hernan, wife of deceased member Buford who passed away on September 30, 2016.

CARD PLAYING**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #531 CLUBHOUSE
5137 Verona Road, Madison, WI 53711**

Knights of Columbus #531 has invited us to join them on Wednesday's at 12:30 p.m. for card playing. Everyone is invited to join the fun.

TURKEY BINGO NIGHT**Thursday, November 10, 2016 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 - \$15.00
7:00 p.m.	Bingo

Call Reservation Line at 288-9357 by **NOVEMBER 3, 2016** with your reservation. **THIS DATE IS A MUST!!!** No reservation will be accepted after this date.

A FAMILY PRAYER

Composed by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William Lori

Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of our family. Enlighten our hearts and minds that we may live more fully this vocation of love. In our daily life and work, may we reflect the self-giving love which you, O Father, eternally show with your Son and the Holy Spirit. Let your love be evident in the peace that reigns in our home and in the faith we profess and live. May our family always be a place of generosity, understanding, forgiveness and joy. Kindly give us the wisdom and courage to be witnesses to your eternal design for the family; and grant that the Holy Family of Nazareth may always guide our path to holiness as a family. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

***Say nice things
and learn to listen.
God gave us two
ears and one
mouth, so He
must have meant
for us to do twice
as much listening
as talking.***

IT'S EASY TO BE KIND***Buy lunch for a friend******Let another driver have a parking space******Open a door for someone******Smile and say hello******Compliment a friend, family member, or colleague******Sign up for a fundraising event or charity walk******Lend a hand to carry groceries******Leave a thank-you note******Let another go ahead in line******Give up your seat on a crowded train or bus******Be tolerant*****MESSAGE FROM NEW FIELD AGENT**

I am the Field Agent for your Council #4527. I am also the Field Agent for another one in Fitchburg, Verona, Middleton, Mount Horeb and Oregon. I am excited to serve you and help continue the great work your council has been working on. The KOC great work and service to charity is what made me want to be a Field Agent and continue to serve God and church. I am a 4th degree and have been past president and treasurer of the council I was involved in down in Florida. Yes, it was a big choice to come back to WI, but the grandkids were the driving force.

My wife and I moved to the Middleton area in September 2016. We have 3 boys who are in their 30's. Two are married and we have six fantastic grandchildren ranging from 4 months to 10 years old. Looking forward to meeting with each of you in the future.

God bless
Jim

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KC LADIES

Ladies, join us for Mass on Thursday, November 3rd, 8:00 a.m. at St. Maria Goretti Church as we pray for our deceased members and loved ones. Please meet us in the gathering space before Mass so we can sit together as the KC Ladies. After Mass we will carpool to a restaurant to enjoy a leisurely breakfast together. If you forgot to make a reservation before October 27th, check with Betty B. at 277-9621.



Our annual Christmas Salad Potluck is scheduled for Thursday, December 1st at 11:30 a.m. Gloria Accardo has graciously offered to have the party in the community room of her apartment building, Prairie Park Senior Apartments, at 6530 Schroeder Road. Please bring one of your favorite salads to share. Reservations are needed. Please call Glorianne at 271-4920 or Joan at 274-0854 any time before November 25th (which is the day after Thanksgiving). Thanks to Glorianne and Joan for handling all the details of the Christmas party again this year. The salads are always delicious and the company couldn't be better! Remember this is usually the meeting when we plan our activities for the coming year. Come with your thoughts and ideas of places to go and things to see, and help plan even more fun outings.

Thanks to Margaret for arranging our tour of Cave of the Mounds on Thursday, October 6th. We all enjoyed the tour, especially hearing the history of the cave. It was a little challenging to squeeze through one narrow passage, but we all made it! And then enjoying lunch together at Schubert's Restaurant in Mt. Horeb was another wonderful experience.

Remember that all wives, or widows, of KC members are encouraged to participate in our activities at any time. We do not charge dues nor have an official 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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