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CARDINAL BELLARMINI COUNCIL #4849

MAY 2018

MONTHLY EVENTS

5/1/2018	Council Business Meeting	Holy Angels - Connor Hall 7:30pm
5/6/2018	Pancake Breakfast	Connor Hall 7:00am-1:00pm
5/7/2018	Clergy Night	Blessed Sacrament 6:00pm, Dinner at 7:00pm
5/8/2018	Admission Degree	Connor Hall 7:30pm
5/12 & 5/13	Mothers Day Flower Sale	Holy Angels Church after all masses
5/15/2018	Assembly Meeting	Riverview Banquets in Batavia 7:30pm
5/22/2018	Council Planning Meeting	Holy Angels - Connor Lounge 7:30pm

Please visit the web for complete Calendar of events with updates: www.kofc4849.net

4th Degree - Marquette Assembly #188

Meetings are held on the Third Tuesday of each month at Riverview Banquets, 1117 N Washington Ave, Batavia, IL
Time: 7:30pm

See Assembly web site for Color Corp training dates and times

Check out our new website at:

www.marquetteassembly188.org

Uniform and Supplies for Assembly

<http://www.kofcsupplies.com>

<http://www.lynchkelly.com>

New Uniform (Effective 7/2019):

<http://www.knightsgear.com/regalia>



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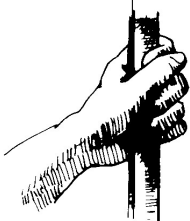


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MEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND

THE CURSILLO WEEKEND?

During the three days of the Cursillo weekend from Thursday evening to Sunday evening, people from all walks of life grow close to one another. Religious and lay people form a living, working Christian community to gain a deep awareness of the treasures and responsibility of their faith. The goal of the Cursillo weekend is to give those who make it a new understanding of Jesus Christ, the basic Christian truths, and the desire to serve the church.

The Cursillo weekend is a blend of seriousness, light heartedness, spiritual exercises, talks and discussions. The teachings of Christ are discussed within an atmosphere of joy and song. There are meditations and talks by priests and laymen, and everyone making the Cursillo weekend is urged to participate by taking notes, discussing, and even by making drawings that illustrate major points.

The Cursillo weekend ends at the close of the three days. However, the whole point of the Cursillo movement is that ordinary people can steadily grow in the love and service of God and man for the rest of their lives. Christian growth is not easy, but the Cursillo weekend provides a framework for it, both during the three days and afterwards. In the Post-Cursillo, emphasis is on maintaining a vibrant and growing Christian community, thus springs the apostolic action required to make ours a better world to live in.

For many, a Cursillo weekend is a new awakening to a deeper friendship with Christ.

WEEKEND INFORMATION

For those Cursillistas who would love to come back and serve on a Cursillo weekend the Rockford Diocese holds weekends twice a year, once in the fall and spring for both men and women.

All weekends are held at:

St. Mary's Parish Community Center
881 North Mongan Drive
Oregon, Illinois 61061

Men-October 11-14

Women November 1-4

Below is a list of web sites that contain useful information for our members.

- www.kofc4849.net
- www.marquetteassembly188.org
- www.kofc.org
- www.illinoisknights.org
- @KofC4849 on Facebook
- www.holy-angels.org
- www.rockforddiocese.org

ADORATION AT HOLY ANGELS

Wednesdays starting after 8:00am Mass and ending before 8:00am Mass on Thursday morning. Check the book outside the chapel for open times or join others in this most blessed opportunity.

Contact Flo Askew, Call 630-844-9370

Grand Knight Line

**Cardinal Bellarmine
Council 4849**

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*The deadline for an article
submission is:*

24th of the Month.

Please send articles to:

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Dear Brothers,

We are now done with this year's Lenten Dinners. Our next event we need help on is the Mother's Day flower sale. Brothers Laudando and Didier are chairing this event and I am sure they will need your help after masses and in other ways.

Brothers Marsh and Brink are working on our 2nd 5K Run to be held in the Fall. If you'd like to help them with this please contact them. The date for this event will be **Saturday, October 6, 2018**. Please save the date and start encouraging people to join us!

Again, we will be needing Brothers in our Council to take over for some positions—Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Outside Guard and Treasurer are at least four of the openings that we will need. If you can assume any of these roles, please sign up on our webpage or let me know ASAP. We also need **YOUR** help in recruiting some of the younger men of our parish.

While attendance at Masses is down across the nation in our Catholic churches, there still is a need for us, the Knights of Columbus, to do our best to evangelize others—not only those who are not Catholic but also those who may have drifted away from the Church for a variety of reasons.

Certain ideas in our culture today are truly wrong. Abortion is one of those issues. Over 60 million babies have been aborted since 1973 and we, Aurora, sadly have a Planned Parenthood building in our town.

We, as Catholic men, need to make sure that our Catholic schools, if in no other place, continue to preach and teach against the evils of abortion. To not do so is, if nothing else, against the 5th commandment: Thou Shall Not Kill!

So again I list what is the minimum "requirements" to be a Knight. I post it again because no one is that busy that they can't give up **ONE** day for helping spread the Word of God. Please prayerfully consider becoming more active in our Council and encouraging other men in our parish to join us.

If you read the article put out by the Knights of Columbus, you realize that we (the Council and the Knights of Columbus themselves) only want 24 hours of your time—that's ONE day in a year! This is what we ask:

8 hours doing charitable projects. Helping at the ID Drive, Lenten Fish Dinners Recruiting or the Pasta for Priesthood are some examples.

4 hours in Council social functions.

4 hours in attending meetings (Planning and/or Business)

6 hours reading material from the Knights of Columbus.

1 hour talking to our insurance representative. Our agent is Stewart Mattson 630-207-5927.

1 hour attending Mass as a Council.

Also, by the time you are reading this, some of you have been sent reminder letters to get your dues sent in. We'd like to have as close to 100% as possible of our members who have paid. As I write this letter, we have less than 20 men who have not paid their dues. Some may have moved out of the area and/or have joined other councils. We are still checking on this but if you haven't yet paid your dues, please send them in as soon as you can.

Finally, the parish picnic is set for **July 28** after the **4:30 p.m. Mass**. I'm sure help will be needed and I encourage you to please attend as a family if you can!

Peace,

Norb Rozanski, Grand Knight

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DOMESTIC CHURCH

THEME – HOPE

Because love is filled with hope when it is communicated, our family wants to promote hope and the life-giving spirit that flows from it to our families.

Meditation

From Pope Benedict XVI's Spe Salvi

Whoever is moved by love begins to perceive what “life” really is. He begins to perceive the meaning of the word of hope that we encountered in the Baptismal Rite: from faith I await “eternal life” — the true life which, whole and unthreatened, in all its fullness, is simply life. Jesus, who said that he had come so that we might have life and have it in its fullness, in abundance (cf. Jn 10:10), has also explained to us what “life” means: “this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent” (Jn 17:3). Life in its true sense is not something we have exclusively in or from ourselves: it is a relationship. And life in its totality is a relationship with him who is the source of life. If we are in relation with him who does not die, who is Life itself and Love itself, then we are in life. Then we “live.”

1. How would our family life be different if we did not love at all? How would this affect our sense of hope?
2. In what ways has the Catholic faith and God’s love shown us how to love? In what way does the faith shape our hopes?
3. Why is having a relationship with God so important to really “living” and “hoping”?

Scripture Reading - Psalm 139:13-18

Degree

Are you a Knighthood Degree member?
If not, you can easily become one by taking your Formation and Knighthood Degrees.

The next Degree(s) are scheduled:

For more details, www.illinoisknights.org

5/20/18 2:00pm St Mary, Huntley

6/3/2018 2:00pm St Irene, Warrenville

Apparel

COUNCIL APPAREL

Golf Polo Shirt (No Pocket) \$36

Pocket Polo Shirt \$36

Long Sleeve Shirt \$39

Screenprint T-Shirt \$9

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