



# *Knights of Columbus*

FOURTH DEGREE  
*Marquette Province*  
*West Wisconsin District*

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**To: Worthy State Officers, Faithful Navigators, Faithful Comptrollers, Area Coordinators, Worthy District Deputies, and Worthy Grand Knights.**

**Re: Western Wisconsin District Exemplification**  
( Please read this notification at your Assembly and Council meetings)

Dear Brother Knights,

The Masters of Wisconsin wish to extend to every Third Degree Member of our Order an invitation to advance to the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus.

Patriotism is the principle of this prestigious degree. It's ceremonials are orchestrated such as to exemplify our love of our country and our church. Therefore, the Fourth Degrees primary purpose is to encourage active Catholic citizenship and foster the spirit of patriotism in it's members and the community at large.

To qualify a member must be 18 years of age, a citizen of the country in which he resides, and a third degree member in good standing.

The date of the West Wisconsin District Exemplification is Saturday February 6, 2016. This event will be held at the Saint Patrick Catholic Church, 1031 Main Street, Onalaska, WI.

The honoree for this exemplification is Sir Knight Alvin M. Janeczko. Al serves as the VASA representative for the VA hospital in Tomah. Al also held the position of Faithful Navigator of Fr. Francis Heindl Assembly-1902, Tomah. Al is currently serving his fourth year as District Deputy-23 which includes council 4125 Tomah, council 4592 Sparta, council 44607 Black River Falls, council 6718 Adams-Friendship and council 12673 Necedah. Please consider attending this Fourth Degree Exemplification honoring Sir Knight Alvin M. Janeczko.

The enclosed fact sheets explain the details of this event. Further questions maybe directed to the Masters of Wisconsin or the Faithful Navigator of your respective assemblies.

Fraternally,  
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# *Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree*

**Exemplification Fact Sheet  
Saint Patrick Catholic Church  
1031 Main Street  
Onalaska, Wisconsin 54650**

**Saturday -- February 6, 2016**

**Parking for the day on the lower school grounds**

- 10:30 A.M. Honor Guard Practice -- Saint Patrick School Gymnasium  
11:00 A.M. Candidates Registration -- Saint Patrick School - South Entrance  
11:00 A.M. Mens lunch -- to be Assigned  
(Lunch cost: \$7.00-assemblies pay for candidates, members pay their own)  
11:00 A.M. Ladies Registration -- Saint Patrick Church Basement (elevator-South west entrance)  
12:01 P.M. Candidates Lineup -- Saint Patrick School - lower hallway  
12:30 P.M. Ladies Program/Luncheon -- Saint Patrick Church Basement  
12:30 P.M. Mens Exemplification -- Saint Patrick School Gymnasium  
4:00 P.M. Holy Mass -- Saint Patrick Catholic Church  
5:30 P.M. Social ----- Saint Patrick Church Basement (elevator-South west entrance)  
6:15 P.M. Banquet ----- same as above

**DRESS:** Men: Basic Black Tuxedo (no tails), white tux shirt (lay down collar), black bow tie, black cummerbund, black shoes, social baldric or current Jewel of Office.

Women: Appropriate Dress for Mass and Banquet (Dressy)

**COST:** Ladies Luncheon: \$12.00 per person (subject to change)  
Banquet; \$25.00 per person which includes gratuity and tax.(sub. to change)  
Registration fees: Priests-----\$35.00  
All other Candidates: \$70.00

The registration fee includes social baldric, banquet ticket, and fourth degree lapel pin.

Deadline for Banquet reservations is: **January 23, 2016**

**Mail dinner reservations and completed form 4's to:** include check, Please!

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**Hotel Reservations:**

Make your hotel reservations directly to:

Baymount Inn & Suites  
3300 N. Kinney Coulee Road  
Onalaska, WI 54650  
Ph. 608 783-7191  
baymountonalaska@gmail.com

SIR KNIGHT IS MORE THAN A TITLE -- **IT'S AN HONOR**





**Ladies Luncheon/Program**  
**Saint Patrick's Catholic Church**  
**1031 Main Street**  
**Onalaska, Wi. 54650**

It is my pleasure as spouse of the Western District Master to invite all ladies to attend the Luncheon/Program at the Exemplification in Onalaska on February 6, 2016. I am looking forward to meeting all of you and many for the first time.

The program will be held at Saint Patrick's Church Basement. Registration will begin at 11:00 A.M. in the Parish Center. The cost for the luncheon/program is \$12.00. A program is scheduled which I'm confident will be most entertaining. We'll have a small raffle and a 50/50 drawing with 50% going to the Knights of Columbus and the other 50% to some lucky lady or (ladies).

Dress for the luncheon should be appropriate for Mass and Banquet which will follow immediately in the Church. Time will not allow for changing.

Ladies luncheon/program tickets will be at the ladies registration.

I hope you'll join us and have an enjoyable afternoon.

THANKS

**Kathleen Shymanski**  
**Wife of West Wisconsin District Master Ronald**

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# Fourth Degree Registration Form

## February 6, 2016, Onalaska, Wi.

Assembly Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Assembly Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Compiled by: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**New Candidate Section:**

\$70.00 fee for Candidates; \$35.00 fee for Priests; (One banquet ticket is included in each fee)  
 Attach a Form 4 for each Candidate or Priest (Completely filled out with all five signatures)

Name of Candidate	Registration Fee
<b>Total Fees:</b>	

Name of Candidate's Sponsor/ Guest	Banquet Tickets @ \$25.00	Men's Luncheon Tickets @ \$7.00	Total Amount
<b>Totals:</b>			

**Non-Candidate Section: (Members / Guests)**

Name of Member / Guest	Banquet Tickets @ \$25.00	Ladies Luncheon Tickets @ \$12.00	Total Amount
<b>Totals:</b>			

[Please Circle] Honor Guard Member? Yes No      Color of Cape: Red White Purple Green Gold  
 Do You Plan to Participate in the Exemplification as an Honor Guard Member? [Yes] [No]

**Summary:**

<b>Total Amount Submitted:</b>	
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**Summary:**

(To be filled out by District Master or District Secretary)

Candidate Banquet	Non-Candidate Banquet	Ladies Luncheon	Amount Submitted	Check Number

Mail by January 23, 2016 to: Ronald J. Shymanski, Western Master, 2951 15<sup>th</sup> St. So., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494  
 Make checks payable to: Ronald J. Shymanski, Western Master  
 \*\*\*\*\*please duplicate this form as needed\*\*\*\*\*

Fourth Degree Exemplification Costs

Cost	Ladies Luncheon:	\$12.00 per person
	Banquet:	\$25.00 per person which includes tax and gratuity
	Registration Fees:	Priests-----\$35.00
		All other candidates-----\$70.00
	Men's Luncheon	\$7.00-assemblies pay for candidates
		(MEMBERS PAY THEIR OWN)

Candidate costs with spouse would be

Registration Fee:	\$70.00 (which includes social baldric and banquet for candidate)
Banquet:	\$25.00 per person
Ladies Luncheon	\$12.00 per person
TOTAL:	\$107.00

Costs for Fourth Degree Member

Men's Luncheon:	\$7.00
Banquet:	\$25.00
Sub Total	\$32.00
Ladies Luncheon	\$12.00 per person
Banquet:	\$25.00 per person
Sub Total	\$37.00

Grand Total for Fourth Degree Member With Spouse \$69.00

DRESS: ALL MEN: MEMBERS AND CANDIDATES, BASIC BLACK TUXEDO (NO TAILS) WHITE TUX SHIRT, (LAY DOWN COLLAR), BLACK CUMMBERBUND, BLACK SHOES AND BLACK SOX, BLACK STUDS AND CUFFLINKS, SOCIAL BALDRIC AND CURRENT JEWEL OF OFFICE IF APPLICABLE

LADIES: APPROPRIATE DRESS FOR MASS AND BANQUET (DRESSY)

PLEASE FILL OUT REVERSE SIDE AND RETURN TO MASTER RONALD J. SHYMANSKI