



# Council Activities

“Changing Lives by Inspiring, Honoring & Uniting”

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Welcome Grand Knights, Ladies Auxiliary Presidents and District Deputies to the Council Activities State Programs! Please read through this guide as our hope is that our programs will assist your Councils in achieving greatness this Fraternal year! Our theme this year is Changing Lives by Inspiring, Honoring & Uniting.











**Inspire** by our outstanding Mariner articles, newsletters, website, communications and technology and photography.

**Honor** by praying for the canonization of our founder the Venerable Fr. Michael J McGivney and by joining the guild for the many benefits it offers, by remembering our fallen Knights with our Sympathy Card program and by our collection of priceless artifacts tracking our history as a State Council.

**Unite** by the many scheduled athletic events across the state, along with the many other activities like clown clubs, BBQ contests, Knights on Bikes and with our Ladies Auxiliaries.

Also, be sure to look at the Supreme Programs and those in your Surge with Service. I welcome your comments and suggestions on any of our programs this year. Have a great fraternal year!

## 2017-2018 State Council Activities Chairmen

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## State Council Website

[www.mokofc.org](http://www.mokofc.org)



My Brother Knights,

I am inspired to again serve as your Website Coordinator for this fraternal year. With the new fraternal year, I am pleased to announce that our website that was upgraded last year is up and running.

Our website is hosted by **UKnight Interactive**, maintained by the State Council, and designed to inspire!! Hopefully you find our website having a crisp modern look, and is much easier to navigate. The format is similar to what a number of our councils already see today on their own website.

As you navigate the website, you will find a more visually pleasing home page, new interactive forms, an easier to use events calendar, a Degree Calendar focused on your area, and much more. Currently some functionality you're used to may not be ready, but it will be available in the future.

If your council is looking to start up a website, or upgrade an existing site, consider using UKnight Interactive. Many councils have begun using their services, and love it!! To find more information about their services, go to [www.kofcknights.org](http://www.kofcknights.org). Also, the company is run by Brother Knights!!

Don't forget that this website can also help you promote your 1<sup>st</sup> Degree's. If you are hosting a Degree, be sure to send the information to me at [webmaster@mokofc.org](mailto:webmaster@mokofc.org), and I'll add it to the calendar.

If anyone has any questions or needs help, don't hesitate to e-mail or call me.

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## Technology & Communications

My Brother Knights,

As you well know, this world is run by technology. It is everywhere. Most of the homes in today's world have at least one computer, and a large number of other gadgets to communicate with.

I believe that it is time for the Knights of Columbus in Missouri to jump on the band wagon. It is my job as the Chairman for Technology and Communications to see to it that we make better use of the available electronic media, and its countless ways to streamline and speed up communications amongst Knights in this state.

While good old "snail mail" still has a place, be looking for most communications from the state level to be coming to you electronically. The first task I will be working on is updating the directory consisting of e-mail addresses for our local council leadership.

For the directory, I will need the following: **your name, position, Council number and e-mail address.** It is most important that all Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries have an e-mail account. When completed, send it to [info@mokofc.org](mailto:info@mokofc.org) with the header of State Directory – Council Number. This information will be kept strictly confidential, and will be controlled only by me, and will only be used for Knights of Columbus business.

With this directory, we can then utilize the State Council Mass e-mailing partner, Constant Contact, to keep in touch with all of you. This will allow for fast delivery and will save the State Council money on mailings regarding state meetings, such as the 2018 State Convention, or any special announcements.

Did you know that we have a State Council Facebook page, Instagram and Twitter feed which we try to capitalize on in the age of social media? This is not utilized to its fullest potential. If you have any suggestions for improvements, please feel free to contact me.



<https://www.facebook.com/MissouriKnightsOfColumbus/>



<https://twitter.com/mokofc>



<https://www.instagram.com/mokofc/>



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Mariner info added here

## State Publicity - Photographer

Last year we added a photographer to help us capture publicity at all of our state meetings and to inspire our Knights around the state. As our sponsorship of the 2018 Supreme Convention approaches, he will be instrumental in helping develop our state information. Contact Steve Harvey to see if he can make it to your event!



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 State Publicity - Photographer  
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## State Historian

**David Kiesling**  
 State Council Historian  
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 Jefferson City, MO 65101  
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[historian@mokofc.org](mailto:historian@mokofc.org)

After many years, the Missouri Knights of Columbus has its own museum. Council 1054 in Jefferson City has allocated a room that will hold the collection of material for the State Council archives. Over the last few years many items dealing with the Missouri State Council have been collected and now we have a place to properly store this collection.

To help your Council maintain its long-term records, it is suggested that the Grand Knight consider appointing a Council Historian. Councils should also consider making donations of historical nature to our State Archive as well.

## State Sympathy Card

Remembering the Brother Knights that have died is very important to the State Council. By filling out the form below and sending it to the Sympathy Card Chairman, a sympathy card signed by the State Deputy and the State Chaplain will be sent to the family. Be aware that by sending in the deceased Knights information on the Form #100 to Supreme Council will not be passed on to the State Council by the Supreme Council. So please remember to send the information to us as well.

Also, if you would like to place his name on the memorial board that is at all of the state conventions and meetings, include a check made out to **Columbian Charities** and include it with this request. The monies donated for the memorial board fund the Msgr. Mancuso Catholic Education fund.

**Larry Lackamp**  
 Sympathy Card Chairman  
 2920 Cumberland Rd., Bates City, MO 64011  
 (D&N) 816.690.8098  
[sympathycard@mokofc.org](mailto:sympathycard@mokofc.org)



### SYMPATHY CARD REQUEST FORM

**Note: Form must be printed clearly or use all capital letters!**



Name of Deceased Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Council Name and Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Highest KofC Office Held: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Death: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Send Sympathy Card to: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

We would like to honor our Brother Knight with a contribution to Catholic Education and ask that you place his name on the memorial board. Our \$25 check payable to **Columbian Charities** is enclosed.

**Mail to:** Larry Lackamp, Sympathy Card Chairman  
 2920 Cumberland Rd., Bates City, MO 64011

**Please duplicate as needed or submit information online at the [mokofc.org](http://mokofc.org) website**

# Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney Guild



**FOUNDER OF THE  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

*Venerable Father McGivney  
Apostle to the Young  
And Protector of  
Christian Family Life*

**For More Information**

**Francis Strobe — State Chairman**  
FATHER MCGIVNEY GUILD  
22 Country Road 631  
Rich Fountain, MO 65035  
(D) 573.694.6575 (N) 573.744.5534  
Email: [guild@mokofc.org](mailto:guild@mokofc.org)

Also visit the following website for more information or to sign up for the Guild online.

[www.fathermcgivney.org](http://www.fathermcgivney.org)  
The Order of the Knights of Columbus

has established the Venerable Father McGivney Guild to promote the cause for canonization of our founder. The goal of the Guild is to spread the good word about his holiness of life, to encourage devotion to his memory, and to cede his intercession before the throne of God. Membership is open to anyone who wishes to share in this mission. All one need to do is fill out the application below and mail it to the address listed to become enrolled. **There is no cost or obligation.**

The Guild is anxious to receive reports of favors received through Venerable Father McGivney's intercession before the throne of God on our behalf. As a member of the Guild you will receive a newsletter and periodic update on the progress of his canonization.

God, our Father protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Father Michael J McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your servant Father Michael J McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here you make your request). Through Christ our lord, Amen

*Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be to the Father*

**Please report all favors received to the Venerable Father McGivney Guild, One Columbus Plaza, New Haven, CT 06510-3326**

Please consider using this prayer at your meetings.

**Prayer for Canonization of Venerable Father Michael J**

Complete and return to The Father McGivney Guild, 1 Columbus Plaza, New Haven, CT 06510-3326

YES! I wish to enroll in the Guild and to receive the newsletter.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list below the names and addresses of any family or friends who might be interested in the Guild's work.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_



# Father Michael J. McGivney Guild

1 Columbus Plaza New haven, Connecticut 06510-3326 (203) 752-5087

Fill this form out at all Degree Ceremonies and return to State Chairman, info below.

Name _____ Address _____ City _____ ST. _____ Zip Code _____	Name _____ Address _____ City _____ ST. _____ Zip Code _____
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<b><i>Please complete with name, address, city, state and zip.</i></b>	Return to: <b>Francis Strope</b> Father McGivney Guild Chairman 22 Country Road 631 Rich Fountain, MO 65035 guild@mokofc.org



# ATHLETICS



## 2017 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Participating in the sporting events sanctioned by the Missouri State Council of the Knights of Columbus is a wonderful way to re-ignite old friendships and start new ones. It's a great family get away for a weekend not to mention the bragging rights for placing in the event.

### The Following Is A List Of Scheduled Events, Dates and Locations:



#### 2017 Golf Tournament

July 15, 2017

Hosted by: Holy Spirit Council # 8334

Location : Adams Pointe Golf Course  
Blue Springs, Mo.

Contact: Mick Mithelavage

Phone: 1-816-537-6040



#### 2017 Horseshoe Tournament

August 18 -19 & 20, 2017

Hosted by: Fr. Wm. Pezold Council #7198

Location: Cottleville, MO

Contact: Mike Heath

Phone: 1-636-578-1346



#### 2017 Sporting Clay Shoot

September 16, 2017

Hosted by: Our Lady of the Lake  
Council # 6470

Contact: Ed Johnsonbaugh

Phone: 1-501-651-6507

Location: Ozark Shooters Sports  
Complex – Walnut Shade, Mo.



#### 2017 State Bowling Tournament

October 21 & 22 and October 28 & 29, 2017

Hosted by: Fr. Lewis Tucker Council # 1321

Location :Farmington Family Fun Center

Contact : Joey Allgier

Phone: 1-573-701-1756



#### 2018 State Softball Tournament

June. 23<sup>rd</sup> – (24<sup>th</sup> if needed for rain delays)

Hosted by: State Softball Board

Contact: Todd Milner : 1-636-586-5723

Location: Ozzie Smith Sports Complex O'Fallon, Mo.

**Entry Forms Due Approximately 30 Days Before Most Tournaments**

**Call Host Chairman for Details**

**For Information or Questions about Hosting a Tournament Contact:**

Ennis Wm. Hinkebein II – State Athletics Chairman

342 Hidden Meadows Drive, Jackson, MO 63755

Phone: (home) 573-243-3367 or (cell) 573-450-4719. E-mail: eenie9@vahoo.com



## MISSOURI KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CLOWN CLUBS

**Promoting Brotherhood by Replacing Tears with Smiles**

Want to start a "Clown Club"?  
Here's what you do!!



Recruit a minimum of five (5) members for a full club; a minimum of two (2) members are required for a "mini-club". Clown Club members may be the child, grandchild, wife or friend of a member of The Knights of Columbus.

Obtain a sponsor, i.e. Chapter, District or Council

Submit an application for a charter to the State Clown Club Chairman. Include a check for \$25.00 with the application for the first year's dues in the Missouri Knights of Columbus Clown Club.

Arrange to meet the State Clown Club Chairman in order to hold an election and an installation of officers.

### **Missouri State Council Clown Convention 2017 Jefferson City, Capital Plaza - Friday/Saturday August 11th & 12th**

Active Missouri Clown Clubs are:

Eureka	Kansas City	Boonville	Show Me	Smithville
Gateway	Lee's Summit	Moberly	St. Charles	

Contact one of these clubs to learn more about being a K of C Clown. Our goal is to add three new Clown Clubs this Fraternal Year. Can your Council Help?

#### **Ron Stuppy**

State Activities/Events Chairman  
8328 Dogwood Lane, Bloomsdale MO 63627  
(D&N) 573.883.6762  
[activities@mokofc.org](mailto:activities@mokofc.org)

Contest will begin any time  
after 9:00 a.m. each day.

#### **K of C Barbeque Cook Off Contest**

July 23-24, 2017  
Oran K of C Council #4311

You can enter in one event  
or as many as you want.  
(Chicken, Pork Steak, Bris-  
ket, and Ribs).

8681 State Hwy 77  
Oran, MO 63771

Contact Chairman Ron  
Stuppy for more info!





# *Knights on Bikes*



In conjunction with Special Olympics Missouri and Missouri Knights of Columbus, the Missouri Knights on Bikes have offered our assistance in helping in the cause of supporting our \$1 million challenge to be used in the building of a new Training for Life Campus in Jefferson City, MO. Our events will consist of Dice Runs and Bike Fests throughout the state. Please take a look at our Event button for some of our events for this year. Please be generous when participating.



## **Our Mission**

- To enjoy camaraderie with our brothers of faith as motorcycle riders.
- To offer assistance to any Brother Knight, the Catholic Church, individuals, charities and the communities in which we live in through charitable work and leadership.
- To promote the spiritual needs of the Knights of Columbus and to strive to encourage faith, fellowship and service.
- Charity, Unity, Fraternity & Patriotism!

## **In God We Trust and Ride!**

The Knights on Bikes are an international organization consisting of members of the Knights of Columbus who are also motorcycle riders. The Knights on Bikes was formed in the United States in April 2005. The group has expanded since those humble beginnings to Knights joining us from Canada, Mexico, and The Philippines and over 30 states in the United States.

The Knights on Bikes fraternal members (includes all makes, models and sizes of motorcycles) enjoy recreational riding. These members are dedicated to improving the biker's image, promoting safe motorcycling, and Christian values. Members of KonB proudly wear a vest that clearly promotes the Knights of Columbus organization.

This is a great opportunity to reach out to other catholic gentlemen with a passion for their catholic faith and motorcycling and begin a new journey together, establishing fraternal brotherhood among other Knights locally, regionally, and nationally. If this is what you are missing when you are riding, then you have the found the right organization.

Our group has no dues or bylaws and is a part of the local councils. We operate under the control of our local councils. We do have guidelines that we follow to make sure we are not considered a separate group from our local, diocesan, state, or national Knights of Columbus. Our members must have attained their 1st degree membership of the Knights of Columbus, own a motorcycle or have a motorcycle within 6 months of joining, follow the tenets of the Knights of Columbus. Our ultimate goal is to enjoy motorcycling with fellow Knights who have the same interest, while evangelizing to those in the motorcycle community, with whom we come into contact. We also want to recruit candidates into the Knights of Columbus, who happen to be motorcyclist.

Please visit <http://konbmo.wix.com/missouri-konb> for more information including events!



## *Ladies Auxiliaries*

### *“Helping Knights Help Others”*

The objectives of the Knights of Columbus Missouri State Ladies Auxiliaries shall be:

- 1. To assist in promoting the welfare of the Missouri State Council of the Knights of Columbus.**
- 2. To promote charitable activities.**
- 3. To promote sociability among the members.**

The Ladies function as the *“Strong Right Arm”* of the Missouri Knights of Columbus to exemplify the motto “Saving Lives, Changing Lives”. The Ladies Auxiliaries help to promote spiritual and social well-being for the Knights, Ladies, and their families. They also provide opportunities to form friendships and serve Christ by aiding our Churches, communities, and each other.

One goal for the Missouri State Ladies Auxiliaries Chairpersons is to start new Auxiliaries. When a new Council or Assembly is formed this can be a great opportunity to start an Auxiliary. There may be Councils that are well established and are now considering a Ladies Auxiliary to help with their parish needs. Please consider either opportunity and start an Auxiliary for your Council today.

Here are just a few of the benefits and some information about our Ladies. Across the State we have 98 Auxiliaries with 3,114 members. At the 2017 State Convention these numbers were collected and tabulated:

**Volunteer Hours: 187,813**  
**Total Donations: \$228,086**

Another goal is to keep the existing Ladies Auxiliaries active and informed through Area Meetings and State Convention. If you are a Council or Assembly with an existing Ladies Auxiliary, please reach out to your Ladies Auxiliary President and make sure you are working together whenever possible. Please encourage your Auxiliaries to attend the Area Meetings, these are held during the fall. These meetings are the time when Presidents and their board members have a chance to talk with other Auxiliaries in their areas. This is also an opportunity for them to learn, share and receive information and guidelines concerning State programs and forms.

District Deputies, Grand Knights, and Faithful Navigators, please remember to include the Ladies in your semi-annual District Deputy meetings. The Ladies depend on you to bring information back from State meetings that are not distributed at the State Convention, such as the State Directory, Program Manuals, awards, certificates and any new State programs or initiatives. Please also reach out to the Ladies Auxiliaries to see if you can assist with any functions or if they can help you. Do not forget they are great social planners and a recruitment tool for your Councils and Assemblies.

Linda and I would like to Thank everyone for your assistance this past year. Congratulations to all the new Auxiliary Council and Assembly Officers, State Officers, State Directors, Council Officers and District Deputies. We look forward to working with ALL of you this fraternal year and seeing you at the Area Meetings this fall.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please email or call any time.

God Bless,

**Chris and Linda Teel**

Missouri State Ladies Auxiliary Chairpersons

816.734.2118 (Chris)

816.806.2766 (Linda)

[auxiliary@mokofc.org](mailto:auxiliary@mokofc.org)



# Guidelines for Starting an Auxiliary

1. Contact your Missouri State Council Ladies Auxiliary Chairpersons. They will help you with an exploratory meeting between District Deputy, Grand Knight of the Council and ladies interested in starting a Ladies Auxiliary. Discussion at the meeting will be information to acquaint the ladies with the service programs of the local Parish Council, the Missouri State Council programs, and the structure for the Auxiliary. The Council membership roster can be used so that a list of prospective members can be created for contacting future members.
2. Following the exploratory meeting, invites and personal contact should be directed to those considered eligible to attend a formational meeting. At this meeting, the objectives of the Ladies Auxiliary will be presented and the Knights of Columbus State Auxiliary By-Laws reviewed. Discussions for the start-up can include election of officers, meeting dates/times, yearly dues and goals of your Auxiliary.
3. All Knights of Columbus Councils wishing to start a Ladies Auxiliary and further wants to be affiliated with the Knights of Columbus Missouri State Council must present an application for Charter to the Missouri State Council Ladies Auxiliary Chairpersons. The charter application must be presented with a legible list of Charter members. Upon approval by the State Deputy, the Auxiliary will be issued a Charter.
4. Ladies considered for membership shall be one of the following: 1) A wife of a Knight in good standing; 2) A mother of Knight in good standing; 3) A daughter (18 years or older) of a Knight in good standing or 4) A member of a Religious Order, in good standing with their Order. Applications for membership must be submitted to the affiliate Council, Knights of Columbus Financial Secretary for approval.
5. Charter members are those whose names have been submitted with the charter application and who have made a commitment by paying their entrance fee.
6. Immediately upon the election of officers, the Presidents name, address and phone number will be submitted to the State Ladies Auxiliary Chairpersons with the Charter application.
7. The Auxiliary will need to have a minimum of **ten (10)** ladies signed up as Auxiliary members before submitting the Charter application for approval.

## OPERATIONS

1. To the Officers, learn the interests and abilities of all your members. Keep in mind their time and talents to benefit the Auxiliaries goals. Be open to all members when appointing chairpersons on program activities. Consider a mentor to coach the new members with Knights of Columbus Supreme and State programs. When filling committee appointments, consider co-chairpersons to work in new ideas with the established programs.
2. Auxiliary meetings can be held at your parish hall, with approval from parish staff. Meetings should be organized, run orderly, held to a time limit, have State Chairmen visit and discuss their program and promote social time. Maintain the meeting start time for each meeting and follow through in a business-like manner. Meeting agenda outlines are listed on the last page of the State Ladies Auxiliary By-Laws. **ROBERTS RULES OF ORDER** are the preferred guidelines that need to be followed when conducting the meeting.
3. Installation of Auxiliary officers can be an open affair for family members to attend. You may want to schedule the installation of officers in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus Officers that is conducted by the local District Deputy.
4. Give members a reason to belong. This can be emphasized through the Knights of Columbus programs in Church, Charity, Youth and Community activities.
5. Maintain a Christian attitude in all your undertakings as an Auxiliary for the Missouri Knights of Columbus.
6. Keep our Worthy State Deputy, Joe Rosenthal's motto in mind this fraternal year: "Saving Lives, Changing Lives".



## Area Meeting Schedule for 2017-2018

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 1</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, Sept. 17, 2017 12-2 pm          Pope John Paul XXIII Council #5586          Jan Stella, President          St. Sabina Parish Gym          700 Trevis          Belton, Mo. 64102          816-318-0754</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 2</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, Oct. 11, 2017 11am-1pm          Boonville Council #1061          Dawn Kuster, President          St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church          322 Seventh Street          Boonville, MO 65233          660-441-1891</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 3</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, Oct. 22, 2017 Time - TBA          Desoto Council #903          Kathy Lubbers, President          Immaculate Conception Parish Hall          7240 Anna Ave.          Maplewood MO 63143          314-304-3754</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 4</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Date - TBA, Time - TBA          St. Ann's Springfield Council #698          Sarah Pittman, President          K of C Hall #698          2340 W. Grand          Springfield, MO 65807          417-866-0841</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 5</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, October 1, 2017 1-3 pm          DeSmet Council #742          Sue Morton, President          St. Matthias Parish Center          796 Buckley Road          St. Louis, MO 63125          314-606-1343</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Area 6</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Date - TBA, Time - TBA          Ste Genevieve Council Ladies Aux #1037          Brenda Stuppy, President          Ste Genevieve KC Hall          600 Market St          Ste Genevieve, MO 63670          573-883-0015</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Date and times marked TBA will be          announced to the area when they are          made available</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lunch is served at the start of the meeting.          Meeting should not be more than 2 hours.          Attending your Area Meeting is mandatory for          receiving Outstanding Auxiliary Award.          We encourage everyone from your Auxiliary to          attend. And don't forget to ask your Grand          Knight and District Deputy to attend.</p>