



# CRUSADER CHRONICLE

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## NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Corey Inskip

Things seemed to get away from me a bit in October and November and I didn't manage to get the newsletter out like I intended. For this I apologize. As such, this edition will cover current materials, as well as events that occurred over the last two months. It is my intention for this newsletter to go out on the first of the month going forward, so if everyone that wants to submit something could mark their calendars to have their materials to me by the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month, I would appreciate it.

## GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Bill Bader

Thanks to everyone that made our Annual Trivia Knight on Saturday September 23<sup>rd</sup> an outstanding success. The proceeds benefit the Kenneth E. Garth Scholarship Fund for St. Simon 8<sup>th</sup> Graders attending Catholic High Schools and Scholarships for Kenrick-Glennon Seminarians. The financial success of this event allows us to fully fund these commitments. This event also is an opportunity to build community in our Parish and to promote the principles of the Knights, which we did with some of the videos and brochures shared that evening.

Our Developmental Disability Drive (Tootsie Roll Drive) benefiting Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital and Missouri Special Olympics led by Brother Corey Inskip on October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> was a great success thanks to all of our volunteers.

Also on Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> we cooked and

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served hundreds of Hot Dogs to Parish families after Mass (not on the Grass) along with conducting the KofC Soccer Challenge led by Brother Chris Hof. Thanks to everyone that volunteered this weekend for all these activities. We need active members to be successful, so in addition to those mentioned above special thanks to Joe and Sandy Hejnal, Joe Przybylski, Barry Thompson and Bob Stein.

Last weekend we had a great community event "Kids Rock Cancer" on October 14<sup>th</sup> organized by Corey Inskip where several Knights from our Council volunteered to sell bottles of water at \$1 per bottle and we raised \$2300 for this cause. This event raised a total of over \$20,000 for this great charity. The entire Inskip family was involved in volunteering for this event, which is a great way to teach your children about service at an early age.

Due to a forecast of rain and cold weather we cancelled the Crusader Council Picnic on October 15<sup>th</sup>. We hope to reschedule this event in the Spring.

We had our General Membership meeting on October 19<sup>th</sup>, which lasted about 70 minutes and we had a lot to cover due to all the activity in our Council, but that left us a little more time to eat some hot dogs prepared by Joe Hejnal and desserts prepared by our Ladies Auxiliary. Our goal is to make a difference in our parish and community through service and have fun doing it in fraternity and in unity with Our Catholic Church.

Please consider asking a fellow parishioner or a family member to join our Council as we step up our efforts on membership at every event and throughout the year by sharing the core principles of the Knights of Columbus of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism over a cup of coffee or lunch. They will make us a better and stronger Council, so let's get them now so they can help with our busy Advent and Christmas season programs.

Please keep our sick and homebound Brother Knights and Ladies in your prayers.

May God bless you and your families.

Vivat Jesus!

Bill Bader

### **Notes From Sept/Oct/Nov.**

- Motion for \$50 Hole Sponsor for Youth Golf tournament made and approved.
- Knight of the Year – Joe Hejnal has distributed the ballots to past recipients. Winner to be announced at Christmas party.
- Supreme sponsored Essay Content (council not actively participating) for 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade – Building the Domestic Church
- Coats for Kids Program (Supreme) - participation was discussed but in light of a similar program in the Parish, the council will support the goal through the parish program.
- Washer Tournament scheduled for 5/19/2018 in partnership with Holy Name Society. Net proceeds to be split 50/50.
- Car Show – 11/16 meeting featured a presentation by representatives from "Cars and Coffee", the club that would be assisting with running the show. Planning of food, parking, trophies, and police involvement will be essential. They stressed that having a stand alone event would be the best idea.
- The date for next year's Mass in the Grass is set for Sept. 15, 2018.
- The October 29<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday had a great turnout according to Joe Hejnal. Next 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday is in April and will be at St. Francis de Sales.
- The Church clean up effort, outdoor work, etc. went very well and was very well attended.

## **LADIES NEWS**

Tracy Brokaw

Our big fundraiser every year is our annual Christmas Cookie Sale. This year it will be held after all masses on December 9 and 10. We welcome cookies from all the Knights families. Please consider donating a batch or two for the sale. If you could put a cookie graphic to draw attention it would be great.

Annual giving tree which will begin November 25 and conclude December 10.

Just a reminder that the Christmas Party will be on the second Thursday of December, the 14<sup>th</sup>, rather than third. You will be contacted by Frank Sanfillippo with your family gift assignment. Dinner will be provided.

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On October 3<sup>rd</sup> the second graders received their rosaries.

## **YOUTH ACTIVITIES**

Chris Hof

### **Soccer Challenge**

We held our Council Soccer Challenge on 10/7/17. Despite the wet conditions, we had nineteen participants, nine of which will move on to the District Round held on 10/9/17 at the St. Simon Field. The Regional Round was scheduled for 10/14/17 at Immaculate Conception in Arnold, MO.

### **Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest**

Our Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest will be kicking off on 11/6/17. Any child age 5-14 is welcome to participate as there are multiple age groupings. More information as well as the entry form and rules can be found at:

<http://www.kofc.org/en/members/programs/church-activities/christmas-poster-contest.html#/>

Please encourage any child you know to participate. Last year we had a six year old, Annabelle Kunz, win the entire State competition for her age group! Very cool.

### **Basketball Free Throw Contest**

While it is still a little ways away, mark your calendars for the Basketball Free Throw contest on 1/18/18 at 1PM in the St. Simon gym.

**BIRTHDAYS**

Wayne J. Wencker	Sept. 8
Andrew J. Beugelsdijk	Sept. 19
Mark P. Inman	Sept. 19
Patrick E. Moser	Sept. 19
Michael A. Ceresia	Sept. 22
George F. Basler Jr	Sept. 23
Charles E. Muehlher	Sept. 24
Anthony J. Sebben	Sept. 26
Kenneth W. Meyer	Sept. 28
Ronald J. Slattery	Oct. 03
Paul D. Meyer	Oct. 04
Daniel J. Hampton	Oct. 07
George F. Basler Sr	Oct. 10
Anthony W. Sanders	Oct. 14
Daniel E. Maassen	Oct. 17
Timothy J. Moore	Oct. 19
Rev. Cesar A. Anicama	Oct. 22
Guy R. Grace	Oct. 22
Dean T. Eschete	Oct. 28
Robert L. Colombo	Oct. 31
Roy Albright	Nov. 1
Andrew Eschete	Nov. 7
Arthur F. Kraatz	Nov. 7
Alan S. Winter	Nov. 7
Jeremy A. Roth	Nov. 8
Daniel D. Cerutti	Nov. 10
Rev. Bradley E. Modde	Nov. 14
Daniel P. Trigg	Nov. 14
Charles A. Bell	Nov. 17
Charles E. James Sr	Nov. 20
Frank H. Sanfilippo	Nov. 21
Barry L. Thompson	Nov. 24
Irl A. Wilk	Nov. 26
David W. Bateman	Dec. 1
Christopher G. Blase	Dec. 3
James L. Yamnitz	Dec. 8
Deacon David M. Camden	Dec. 10
Thomas P Casserly	Dec. 14
Mark G. Petty	Dec. 14
Gerald W. Cordes	Dec. 17
Nick J. Dohack	Dec. 18
Christopher L. Bauman	Dec. 22
Michael J. Flynn	Dec. 22

Daniel R. Button	Dec. 29
Christopher J. Hof	Dec. 29
Peter J. Goldkamp	Dec. 30
John A. Hoernschemeyer	Dec. 30
Samuel D. Orlando	Dec. 30

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Corey and Katherine Inskip	Sept. 2	(12)
Deacon Paul F. and Virginia Stackle	Sept. 17	(47)
James and Lori Gleason	Sept. 19	(25)
Lawrence and Amy Cain	Oct. 12	(26)
Mark and Kathy Inman	Oct. 12	(32)
Lawrence and Terry Berron	Oct. 13	(27)
Ned and Sue Kriegshauser	Oct. 13	(27)
Charles and Myrna Bell	Oct. 24	(58)
Frank and Lisa Sanfilippo	Oct. 25	(31)
John and Maria Bader	Nov. 4	(17)
Daniel and Peggy Maassen	Nov. 14	(36)
Eric and Cheryl Groeller	Nov. 16	(32)
George and Yulanda Basler	Nov. 27	(63)
Robert and Ann Noland	Nov. 27	(20)
James and Patricia Tornatore	Nov. 28	(37)
Anthony and Sherry Sanders	Dec. 9	(22)
Mark and Margaret Petty	Dec. 12	(47)
Dean and Margaret Eschete	Dec. 30	(23)

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**12/5/17:** Light Up for Christ (6:00 p.m.)

**12/14/17:** Christmas Party (Wrap @ 6, Dinner @ 7)

**01/18/18:** Basketball Free Throw Contest

**05/19/18:** Washer Tournament

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

### September

Youth of the Month: Allen Shorey  
Eagle Scout

Knight of the Month: Corey Inskip

Family of the Month: Kepler family

### October

Youth of the Month: Audrey Simmons

Knight of the Month: Mark Sienkiewicz

Family of the Month: Tornatore Family

### November

Youth of the Month: Owen Kepler

Knight of the Month: Joe Hejnal

Family of the Month: Inskip family

### Prayer Requests

- Deacon Paul Stackle (injuries due to fall)
- Joe Hejnal's brother (heart surgery)
- Pat Thompson
- Jack Forcelledo (kidney issues)
- Roy Albright

### FUNDRAISING

- The annual Trivia Knight was a great success. Next year's trivia Knight is scheduled for 9/28/18.
- The Eat and Treat Fundraiser for Kids Rock Cancer in Maryville was a resounding success despite the late notice. The combined total sales for KOC booths selling water for \$1 per bottle was more than \$2,300. The event itself (a first-time event) raised over \$20,000.

## CALL TO ALL MEMBERS

Bill Bader

For those of you who have not been to a meeting for a long time, we encourage you to re-join us at the next meeting and find about all of the great things our Council is involved with in our parish and Community.

The Knights Council meeting is held in the St Simon Lower Church Hall and the Ladies will have their Auxiliary meeting at the same time in an adjunct room.

We will pray the Rosary together in the Lower Church Hall at 6:30pm followed by the Council and Auxiliary meetings starting a 7pm. After the meetings we get together for desserts prepared by the Ladies and some fellowship.

Our Council is doing a lot of great things that benefit our Parish, members of the Parish and our community. We have several service programs focused on Youth, Family, Church, Community, Culture of Life and Council that do so much for so many and we are part of the largest Catholic Fraternal Organization in the world.

We need you help with our upcoming fundraisers and charitable activities, because many hands make light work and we have fun while we work.

Come join us and together we will build a better world one Council at a time!

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**Council Business Meeting Schedule**

3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

**Council Officers/Directors Meeting Schedule**

1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

**Meeting Location**

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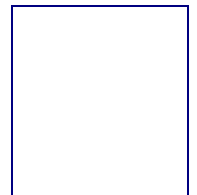
**Council Websites**

Crusader: <https://kofcknights.org/CouncilSite/?CNO=11146>

State: <http://kofcknights.org/StateCouncilSite/?CN=US&ST=MO>

Supreme: <http://www.kofc.org>

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