



**COUNCIL #1762
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October 2022 Newsletter

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Grand Knights Report:

Worthy Knights,

Thank you to everyone who helped with and participated in:

- The Holy Smokes BBQ
- The Punt Pass and Kick competition
- The Adopt-A-Highway Cleanup

The OPTIONS for Women SCV Banquet on September 22 was an amazing evening as always. The venue and food were terrific, and the presentation by Scott Klusendorf was incredibly entertaining, informative and motivating. OPTIONS was very grateful for the donations received.

There are only 48 tickets remaining for the 2023 “150 Club Raffle”! Price is \$100/ticket. And remember – there is no limit to how many monthly \$150 payouts you can win. Don’t miss your chance before all the tickets are gone! And the 150 Club Raffle winner for the month of September was ‘lucky’ Duane Fier.

That Man is You (TMIY) fall session continues each Friday at 6 AM in the KC Room.

St. Croix Council 1762 still needs to fill several important roles in order to expand our charity, service and volunteer opportunities. Contact the Grand Knight if you are interested. These are:

- Membership Director –
- Media Coordinator –
- Faith in Action, FAMILY Director – Food for Families, Family of the Month, Keep Christ in Christmas, Family Prayer Night, among your duties

Check ‘Upcoming Events’ below for more dates and details. Don’t forget the KC produced film: “Mother Teresa – No Greater Love”. It is playing at the Marcus Oakdale Cinema on October 3 and 4. Check [Fathom Events](#) for ticket information.

Vivat Jesus,

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Upcoming Events

- 10/3 & 4** Film: Mother Teresa – No Greater Love [Mother Teresa: No Greater Love | Fathom Events](#)
- 10/9** Knights of Columbus Coffee Social
- 10/20** Pro-Life Wisconsin ‘Love for Life’ Gala in Brookfield, WI
- 10/22** Diocesan ‘Gather for Life’ Event at St. Patrick Church
- 10/29** Last Saturday Breakfast – Willow River Inn
- 10/29 & 30** Fall Membership Drive
- 10/29** 5th Sunday Rosary (4:30 PM in Chapel, prior to 5 PM Mass)
- 11/1** Officer’s and Council Meeting

Activities



Thank you for your help Troop 148



PPK Athletes



Habitat for Humanity Crew Aug 31



KOM Ryan Johnson



Punt Pass and Kick Sept 24



Activities



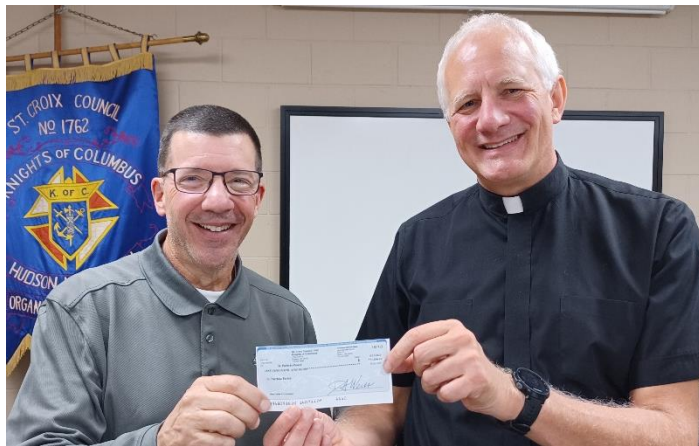
The Holy Smokes BBQ was a hit!



FOM John and Stacie Ramthun



That smells yummy Rick!



For the New Coffee Maker



Holy Smokes Euchre Tournament



KC September Coffee Social
Thank you - Maier's and Stigen's

October Knight and Family of the Month :

Knight of the Month – **Ryan Johnson**

Ryan has been a Knight with Council 1762 since April. In August he volunteered to revive and coordinate the Punt-Pass-Kick Event. Ryan worked with the Hudson School Dist. to use the HHS football stadium and promote the event on the HHS digital message board and complete all admin requirements. He purchased new equipment to meet PPK standards, got 10 HHS Varsity Football players to help on the field, and provided concessions on September 24th. Thanks to his Mom and daughter Callie for running that! About 25 boys and girls competed, and the winners will advance to the Diocesan level PPK competition at Citizen Field in New Richmond on Saturday, October 15th. We're looking forward to next year already.

Family of the Month – **Ben and Sari Althoff**

Ben has been a Knight for just a year and Sari recently became a member of the Catholic church through the RCIA program! Ben and Sari have been very involved with the church music ministry for some years now. Ben helps with the sound and video systems, while Sari plays the piano, the guitar AND composes her own music. She recently sang one of her compositions at Mass as part of the Homily. Just beautiful. They also belong to 'Minnesconsin Young Adult Group', who gather in fellowship with both spiritual and social events in the metro area.

A special thanks to **Ryan** and the **Althoff Family** for their support of our Council and Parish. Congratulations.

Please remember in your prayers:

Brother Knights: Charlie Roth, Noah LeBrun, LeRoy Gravseth, Shawn Fox, Gene Tschumperlin, Bernie Freiermuth, Tom DeLong, Dave Wakefield, Ron Daulton

Also pray for: Sr. Margaret Lamberty, Sr. Patricia Erickson, John Fassbinder, Sr. Deb Schwab, Karen Hadzima (wife of Gerald), Concepcion Gravseth (wife of Leroy), Katherine Kleiber (wife of Brian), Lori Bedessem (wife of Mike), Mark Reeves (EdD brother-in-law), Dean Truhler, Bob Staebell, Ann O'Brien, Steve Weber

*The road to Bethlehem is the
'Highway to the Manger Zone'*