

Newsletter

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KNIGHTLY NEWS

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Birthdays

Dale Heitz Nov 13

Fr. James Livingston Nov 27

Jerry Mader Nov 19

Jerry Thurk Nov 17

Andy Weinzierl Nov 18

Donations


Our council will once again be hosting the Keep Christ in Christmas program for our Faith Formation students. \$25 gift card to the winners for the best posters supporting this program.

GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

The All Soul's Day Mass on Friday, Nov 2 was very well attended. We served 87 guests at the dinner after mass. Thank you to the Knights who attended and helped out.

We will be hosting our Council Free Throw contest on **Wed. January 16, 2019 at 615 p.m.** in the school gym. Several Knights are needed to assist with this Youth Event.

You will find included with this newsletter your membership dues form, MN Knight's Foundation tickets, and your annual activity survey. Please complete and return these items as soon as possible to the address listed in the header above so we can complete these tasks by Jan. 5.

There is a major degree event being held in Burnsville on **Sat. Dec. 1.** Let's have a few new men join our order by attending this degree. If you have been waiting to ask someone to join now is a GREAT time to give them a Form 100. 

A new Faith In Action program has been implemented by Supreme, which streamlines reporting requirements for activities in: Faith, Family, Community, and Life Activities that our Council is involved in and completes. The manual provided will make our programs easier to follow and document.

We received thank you notes from FOCUS and Pro-Life Across America for our donations to their causes.

Did you see the photo and write-up in the Waconia Patriot and Westonka News about our Coats for Kids donation to WECAN? Very well done gentlemen. We received an additional 7 coats from parishioners for this worthy cause.

Happy Thanksgiving

EVENTS EVENTS EVENTS

- ❖ Nov. 22 Thanksgiving Mass 900 am
- ❖ Dec. 2 Advent starts
- ❖ Dec. 8 Immaculate Conception
- ❖ Jan. 16 Free Throw Contest 615 pm
- ❖ March 3 Pancake/Waffle Breakfast

MEETING DATES: 7 PM IN SCHOOL ON THE 2ND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH.

Tuesday, Dec. 12 General Meeting
Tuesday, Jan. 9 General Meeting
Tuesday, Feb. 13 General Meeting

PRAYER CORNER

Remember in your prayers: **our priests**, those on our parish prayer list, our veterans and service men and women.

Pot O'Gold Winner: November meeting: **Jerry Thurk**, who was not present to collect his \$75. Member present winner \$25: **Ralph Widmer.**

DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

December 1 at 9 a.m. in Burnsville

Have you signed up a new member recently? Consider asking your: son, brother, father, uncle, cousin, nephew, father-in-law, brother-in-law, son-in-law, neighbor, and friend. Any male, 18 years old or older and a practicing Catholic is eligible to become a Knight of Columbus. **Form 100's and information can be found in the kiosk in the Fellowship Hall.**

We have earned over **\$56,099** in wood sales since we started in Oct. 2010. We will be holding several wood cutting/splitting dates soon. Please come on out and help as you can.

For *any Knight or your family*

members – if you need assistance with basic yard work, clean up, transportation, snow removal or other chores please contact G.K. Greg Simon 701-219-0029 for KC's to come on over and give you a hand.

Fraternal Activity Examples

Faith Activities

Usher
Lector
Choir
Extra Ordinary Eucharist Minister
Hospitality weekend
Rosary/Adoration

Faith Formation Teacher
RSVP Program
Parish repairs
Prayer/Study Groups
Church Picnic

YOUTH/FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Bunny Bingo
Faith Formation
Family Fun Night
Free Throw Contest
Youth Group
Scholarship for Youth Education
Hospital/Care Facility visits
Youth Welfare/Service

COMMUNITY

Lions Club
Jaycees
Feed my Starving Children
Scouts
Other civic organizations
Global Wheelchair Mission
Coats for Kids
Tootsie Roll Campaign
Coaching youth sports

CULTURE OF LIFE

Pro-Life rally/March for Life
Respect Life group
Community Food Shelf
Memorials to the Unborn
Christian Refugee Relief

MISCELLANEOUS

Wood sales service project
Assisting elderly/neighbors disadvantaged
Meetings/Trainings for KC's/Civic Groups
Socials/dinners/KC events
Rummage Sale
Tree Trimming, weed whipping, lawn mowing
Decorating for Christmas/Easter and removing
the decorations

Again, this list is not all inclusive and you may have many other areas that you have volunteered time to help out in the church or community. Kindly total up your hours and include them on the included survey slip. Please return these items to: Father Wohlfahrt Council P.O. Box 261, St. Bonifacius, MN 55375 by **Jan. 5, 2019**