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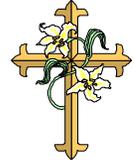


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SPECIAL NOTES

MEETING NIGHTS

Tue. May 4th 7 PM
Tue. May 18th 7 PM See Note

**** NOTE **** All meetings will take place in the Rectory basement unless otherwise noted. **May 18th regular business meeting is canceled that night and instead we will have a council social night that will start after Confirmation.**

Community Activities Update Our next community activity coming up is the Adopt-A-Highway program. Twice a year we get together to clean up a stretch of Rt.40 between Carter Lumber and Holy Cross cemetery. It's easy work which takes us about 2-3 hours to complete. We need at least eight volunteers. We will meet in the St.Pius X parking lot at 9 A.M. on May 15th. Please call or email me if you can lend a hand. Brother Jerry Lowery II, Community Activity Director jloweryii@hotmail.com 614-759-6361

Thank You: During the months of January, February, and March, the Knights have actively supported Cub Scout Pack 326 as judges in the Pack Den Yell competition, the Blue and Gold Cake Bake competition, and assisting with the Pinewood Derby. I would like to thank Mike Angle for his assistance in the Den Yell contest, Pete George and Brett Baxter in the Cake Bake competition and Pete George, Horace Gilmore, Brett Baxter, and Dustin Angle for their help with the Pinewood Derby. Gordon Burke, Charter Organization Representative



Solemnity Of The Ascension Of The Lord - May 20th

Pentecost Sunday May 30th

Announcing the 2nd Annual Wives Appreciation Dinner!! To be held on Sat. May 22, 2004 at Milano's Italian Restaurant & Pub @ 6716 E. Broad St. (In the Kroger's Shopping Center). Social Hour begins at 6:30 PM with a cash bar (the council will buy one drink per person) and Dinner will start at 7:30 PM. We will have a choice of NY Strip Steak, Fish or Chicken. You must specify your choice beforehand. Cost for the dinner will be \$45.00 per Couple. Come and enjoy a great meal and fellowship with your brother Knights and their wives. This is to honor our wives who sacrifice much time without us throughout the year. Please call Grand Knight-Todd Mislan @ 614-856-3666 to make your reservation.

The Rosary Please remember that our council leads the rosary the first Saturday of each month after the 5 pm Mass. This month it is after the 5 pm Mass on Saturday May 1st. Try to stay after mass or go to the 5 o'clock Mass and pray the Rosary!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SHIRTS: Have you been wondering were you can get those Fr. Hohman Council golf shirts? They come in white and navy blue, in sizes S, M, L, XL. For \$27.00 XX, for \$29.00 XXX, for \$31.00. You can purchase them by ordering from Brother Bob Martin at his Store, Ohio Select Imprinted Fabrics at 7394 Main St. in Reynoldsburg 861-8811.

To the Council Membership Re: Building Corporation

Due to Mike's (Dezsi) diligent reinvestments, the Council's "nest-egg" in the Building Corp's accounts is slowly and steadily growing. We are hoping that when the time is ripe for it to hatch we can apply our "chick" to our dream of a Council Home of our own. That, however, will always remain a pipe-dream if we do not pursue it more actively.

The funds we do have now will never be enough to obtain our own property and is definitely insufficient to erect our own "hall" on our own lands.

That we neglected to add extra funds to our "nest-egg" in addition to the reinvested interest over the past years is understandable but also shortsighted and quite sad

We are very, very generous to many worthwhile endeavors and very charitable to a score of others. Yet we should not forget our own!

Therefore, I propose that we include in our forthcoming Budget a quarterly contribution to our Building Fund. Since Mike has been closest to maintaining those Funds and has "mothered our nest-egg", I would like to solicit his expertise to suggest an adequate amount and how it will be applied.

I shall make a motion to this at our first meeting in May and hope that you will support it.
Hans - R, FS

MAY: Two Incomes Equals Two Insurance Needs: In the days of "Ozzie and Harriet," most families fit one description. Fathers worked full-time, while mothers remained home, raising the kids and taking care of the house. Nowadays, some families do still fall into the traditional, one-paycheck category. Yet others must rely on two incomes to make ends meet - even if one parent works part-time or from home. As much as things change, they remain the same. This maxim certainly holds true with life insurance planning. If someone earns an income to support a family, family-income protection through life insurance is of utmost importance. As your agent, I can do a needs analysis for both of you. I'll take into consideration the amount and the sources of your income, and suggest different ways to provide sufficient life insurance coverage for you and your family. You take it for granted that you and your family should get an annual checkup from your doctor, but you'd also benefit from a financial checkup. Now's the time for that financial checkup, because chances are your life and your

financial obligations have become more complicated each year. Here's good news for married people: If a husband and wife purchase permanent insurance policies at the same time, they can get our Spousal Waiver of Premium rider added to each policy at no cost. You have to apply for insurance on or before your 45th birthday, and you both must qualify for insurance at standard rates. The Spousal Waiver of Premium Rider is an excellent feature for both dual-income and one-income families... and everybody in between. Call me. I'll be glad to meet with you and your spouse.

TIMOTHY E. HICKEY
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To Be Remembered in Our Prayers Our seminarian Keith Heise, Steve Seever, John Burtyk Family, Dr. Richard Arnett, Bob and Betty Fuchs, Joe Theaumont, Bill Pratt, Leo Shedlock, Bob and Winnie Doherty, Don and Mary Jo Neader.





ST. PIUS X K of C LADIES

There wasn't a meeting in April because of the Card Party and Style Show. In the spring all nature comes alive and so does the K of C Ladies with their annual Card Party and Style Show "Ode to Spring", what a success and inspiration. These lovely dedicated ladies put forth their numerous talents and applied them to decorating, culinary arts and fellowship, what a team. Wow! A display of food was served fit for a king!

God blessed us with April showers but that didn't dampen the spirits of our guests and a great time was had by all who attended.

At 2 PM April 13th, quite a few ladies gathered to assist in setting up card tables, chairs, putting on table cloths and etc. I won't try to mention the ladies, as I am afraid I may exclude someone, but would like to thank Don Neader and Tom Terry who helped with some of the heavy lifting. I would especially like to thank all the ladies who donated time and baked goods, table favors, sandwiches, fruit and etc. Karen Yarger did an outstanding job with her hand painted flower pots, one for each table and no two were alike. Thank you Karen!

Dee Ansbro tended the raffle table and the winners are as follows:

Grapevine Garden Wreath - Donna Conrad
Tumbleweed Gift Certificate - Carol Hadley
Don Pablo's Gift Certificate - Carol Hadley
Applebee's Gift Certificate - Connie Hoos
Three Candle Set - Patty Shaloo
Butch's Café Gift Certificate - Julie Brimhall
Floral Garden Stone - Joyce Guth
Set of Porcelain Dolls - Marge Gallagher
Week-ender Tapestry Bag with Accessories - Kathy Steinke
\$150.00 Membership to Wyandot Athletic Club - Sally Lombardo

I want to thank the Kelly ladies; Eleanor, Maureen, Kathy and little Maggie for tending the ticket table.

A big thank you to our President Mary Jo Neader who chaired the Card Party and Style Show.

Thanks to the following models who did a terrific job - Kathy Baker, Winnie Doherty, Jan English, Kim Kirkland, Shirley Kirkland, Betty McCarty, Kathy Steinke, Cathy and Tina Warner (I can remember when Cathy and Tina were young girls modeling for us, so quick they are pretty young ladies).

Thanks to Fashion Bug for furnishing the lovely clothes.

Thanks to all who printed our ads, especially Fr. Dan Ochs, who carried the advertisement in the Sunday Bulletin for several Sundays and publishing it in the monthly SPX Newsletter.

Judy Corman won the 50/50 - \$144.00

Thanks to K of C men who helped with clean up and tear down - Shawn Ansbro, Mike Dezsi, Todd Mislán and Paul Yarger.

I can't say thank you often enough to the faithful membership who worked hard to create memories with all their hard work.

Our next meeting will be held Monday May 10th, 2004 at 7 PM in Fr. Hohman Hall at 1051 Waggoner Rd. in Reynoldsburg, OH. Please make an effort to attend and bring a friend.

Have a Safe and Happy Memorial Day!

God Bless America and God Bless You!

Attention MEN: Please pass this newsletter on FOR your WIFE to read. Thank You!

Cordially Submitted - Martha Terry - St. Pius X K of C Ladies





FROM THE CHAPLAIN:

The Gospel for the Fourth Sunday of Easter tells us:

+ *“My sheep hear my voice; I know them and they know me.... No one can take them out of my Father’s hand.” John 10: 27-30*



It was that windy, rainy Tuesday afternoon after Easter, just after the 12:05 Mass at Saint Joseph Cathedral. As I made my way across the parking lot under my windblown umbrella, there came from behind me that voice like so many other voices I have heard around the Cathedral.

“Mister, can I talk with you?”

We all know the policy at the Cathedral. Do not give money to panhandlers. We offer sandwiches and apples twice a day. We offer gloves and hats and sometimes blankets in severe weather. Street persons can come into the Cathedral to get warm and to rest, or to get out of the hot sun in the summertime, but not to sleep. We make referrals to agencies that provide assistance.

We discourage the giving of money because to give money makes the Cathedral a magnet for panhandlers and sometimes a panhandler becomes aggressive and even violent and people get hurt and sometimes, out of fear, even stop coming to the Cathedral.

The voice comes again.

“Mister can I talk with you?”

Father Ron Atwood had the 12:05 Mass that rainy, windy Tuesday, and had given a wonderful homily on Mary Magdalene not immediately recognizing Jesus when she came to the empty tomb, and how it is that we do not recognize Jesus in our brothers and sisters, even in the person of a man on death row who is about to be executed for some terrible crime, even in the persons around us at Mass; and for me, even in the person of the man who was coming up behind me there on the parking lot.

Who is this man who says, “Mister, can I talk with you?”

The story was that he needed money for gas because his car was out of gas and he had just picked up his mother from Doctor’s Hospital and was taking her home. He said he lived out near Refugee and Livingston. His car was at Grant Street. His mother was in the car. He had a can for gas and there was a BP Station over on Main St. and he just needed some money for gas.

Who is this man who says, “Mister, can I talk with you?”

The “voice” of Christ speaks to all of us. We hear that voice when we come out of our soundproof isolation and hear Christ speaking in the plight of the poor, the needs of the helpless and the plight of those persecuted. We all have our own crosses but our Easter faith allows us to put our crosses aside when we hear the voice of Jesus pleading in the plight of those being crushed by the weight of their crosses. Surely, we can give from our treasure when we hear the voice of Jesus begging in the poverty of others.

Alleluia, He is Risen!!

Deacon Tom Johnston, Chaplain

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How to submit articles to the Web Site: Officers, Program Directors and Knights are encouraged to submit articles for publication on the Web Site, concerning Knight related subjects and events. Please submit them in e-mail form to Jerry Lowery. His e-mail is: wd8bov@arrl.net Please include all articles as e-mail text or a text file such as word or notepad. Please use simple font such as Times New Roman. Do not use exotic font or sizes. Font size of 10 or 12 is helpful. Do not bold your font. Do not add hyperlinks to your document. Do not send pictures as we do not have the capability yet to print them. All this will make the job of editing and placing the articles for publication easier. Thank you for your cooperation. If you are not on our e-mail list, please e-mail Jerry Lowery. Again, the E-mail address is: wd8bov@arrl.net . This will make it easier to provide council news to all our Brother Knights.

ELECTION OF COUNCIL OFFICERS: The Council nominating Committee has submitted the following slate of Officers for the coming Fraternal Year commencing July 1st. Elections will take place on the first meeting in June Tuesday the 1st, 2004. Nominations will be accepted from the floor the night of the election.

Nominating Committee's recommended Slate of Officers for fraternal year 2004-2005:

Grand Knight	Sean Ansbro
Deputy Grand Knight	Paul Yarger
Chancellor	Don Neader
Recorder	Steve McClellan
Financial Secretary	Hans Bauer
Treasurer	Gordon Burke
Advocate	Lee Brock
Warden	Jerry Lowery Jr.
Inside Guard	Bill Saling
Outside Guard	Craig Sigrist
Trustee 3 yr	Todd Mislan
Trustee 2 yr	Brett Baxter
Trustee 1 yr	Jerry Lowery Sr.

Building Corp Trustees

Lee Brock
John Beyer
Jerry Lowery Sr.





Grand Knight's Column



Dear Brother Knights,

Now as we enter in to the final 2 months of the fraternal year I am proud to say we have attained our membership and insurance quotas, and have maxed out on all of our program points to qualify for Star Council. I can't thank everyone enough for the tremendous effort they have made in making our programs a success this year. That doesn't mean we're finished. We have some key programs & events coming up, and I would like to encourage all our brothers to participate as much as possible. Please volunteer if you can, if not your attendance is most welcome and appreciated.

The Knights were well represented at the Easter Vigil Service with several of our 4th degree members assisting as ushers. I want to thank them and those who helped serve refreshments and clean up after the RCIA reception following the Service. Pastoral Minister-Regina Courey expressed her thanks to all the Knights involved.

I also want to thank all the Knights who assisted in cleaning up after the Ladies Annual Card Party & Style Show. I received a nice thank you note from Mary Jo Neader. From the sounds of it the event was a big success.

The Annual Knight of the Year and Family of the Year Awards Banquet will be held Friday May 14, 2004 at Davinci's Restaurant. So far we have 10 attendees going from our council. This is an excellent opportunity for all Brother Knights and their councils to recognize and honor the hard work and dedication of their fellow brother Knights and their families. It looks to be a good time. All are welcome, so if you are interested please contact me and we can try to fit you in.

We have been asked by Fr. Dan to assist with parking duties for the upcoming Confirmation to be held on May 18, 2004. We expect a large turnout for this as usual so I am asking for volunteers. If you can assist please call myself 614-856-3666 or Lee Brock 614-861-5137. We will cancel our regular business meeting that night and will instead have a council social night. Whether you are helping with the parking or not, please come in to play some cards and have some refreshments. We will start the social after Confirmation.

Some upcoming activities.....

- May 1: Measure-Up campaign- Tussing & Brice Roads and Kroger stores on E. Main & E. Broad.
- May 15: Highway Clean Up
- May 22: Wives Appreciation Dinner at Milano's 6:30-Social Hour; 7:30-Dinner
- May 28, 29 & 30: 105th Annual Ohio State Convention to be held in Cleveland

Hope you all have a safe and blessed month!

** Please remember that our council leads a rosary after the 5:00 PM Mass on the first Saturday of every month. Please attend if you can.

Hope you all have a safe and blessed month!

God Bless

Your Brother in Christ,
Grand Knight Todd Mislan



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**Mother's
Day
May 09th**



May 2004 Birthdays

Elmer A Gerdeman, George A Cruse, Kevin C Martin, Guy Lawler, Vincent L Lombardo, John F Beyer, Peter A Briski, Richard V Southworth JR, Michael J Krolikowski, Charles J Dolan, Dennis C Powell.