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Grand Knight's Column

Worthy Brother Knights,

You can tell that autumn is in the air with cooler temperatures, and that means it is time to turn back the clocks. For 2015 the time to "fall back" will occur at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, November 1. At that moment, time will go back one hour to 1:00 a.m. as it reverts to Standard Time. You will 'spring ahead,' or turn your clocks forward one hour next year on March 13, 2016. For the month of November, our council hopes to rekindle our passion as to why we belong to this great fraternity.

Mission of the Knights of Columbus

To know, love, and serve God is the mission of the Catholic faithful. That mission is reflected in Section 2 of the Charter of the Knights of Columbus: The purposes for which said corporation is formed, always consistent with Catholic values and doctrine, are the following: (a) through a system of subordinate councils, along with regional, national, and international convocations, to raise up, support and encourage a fraternity whose members are practical Catholics united by their faith and by the principles of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism; (b) through common worship, charitable works, meetings, and rites of initiation, to form its members in Catholic faith and virtue; (c) to render pecuniary aid to its members, their families, and beneficiaries of members and their families; (d) to render mutual aid and assistance to its sick, disabled, and needy members and their families; (e) to promote social and intellectual interaction among its members and their families; (f) to promote and conduct educational, charitable, religious, social welfare, war relief, public relief, and other activities; and (g) to unite members in their Catholic identity and the practice of their Catholic faith.

Practice Charity, Unity, and Fraternity

The Order's principles of charity, unity, and fraternity must guide the exercise of an officer's duties. These founding principles underlie the Laws of the Order and presuppose that all members of the Knights of Columbus, as Catholic gentlemen, will follow these fundamental tenets. Our Council has many programs planned for this month so please read every page especially the Holiday family dinner and for all that know me.... I like to eat!

Fraternally Yours,
S.K. Dominic Nocera, Grand Knight (danocera@gmail.com)

Newsletter Updates

If you have any articles for the newsletter, please send them to Horace Gilmore at HGilmore@wowway.com

IMPORTANT DATES

Nov 3rd Social Meeting
Nov 5th Chapter Meeting
Nov 7th & 8th Pennies for Heaven
Nov 8th Memorial Mass/Breakfast
Nov 10th Officer's Meeting
Nov 17th Business Meeting
Nov 18th Assembly Meeting
Nov 28th Hang Christmas Lights
Dec 3rd Chapter Meeting
Dec 8th Officer's Meeting
Dec 12th Breakfast with Santa
Dec 12th Annual Christmas Dinner
Dec 15th Business Meeting
Dec 16th Assembly Meeting

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K of C Women's Club Happenings

Knights of Columbus Women's Club Meeting Minutes

Date: October 12, 2015

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: St Pius X PAC Room

Attendees: Ann Burke, Tina Banaski, Mary Jo Neader, Deb Orellana, Joyce Bauer, Carol Shown, Shirley Kirkland, Nancy Sandidge, Goldie Schweikert, Jeri Turrin, Theresa Ogershok, Jayne Siedlecki, Martha Terry

Call to Order – Ann called the meeting to order at approximately 7:08 PM. An opening prayer for Stewardship was recited by all.

Approval of Minutes - Mary Jo moved to approve the May minutes and Martha seconded; motion carried.

President – Welcome everyone back!

Vice-President – Debbie reported that Morrow County Heartbeats sent bookmarks which she passed out to everyone.

Treasurer – Theresa provided the financial report. It appears we have a hearty budget to start the year, due to the hard work of the ladies during the past year to raise funds.

Sunshine Report - Tina thanked the group for the sympathy card. Prayers to Nancy as she is having hip replacement, Gordon Pickett, who is having surgery tomorrow, Joyce's husband who is having knee replacement, and Ann's son who is having hernia surgery. Our sympathies go out to Jeri who lost her daughter-in-law to a brain hemorrhage recently.

Old Business:

- Sept. picnic was a success and was well-attended.
- St. Pius X festival book sale was a huge success. It was suggested we stick to just books next year. We did well on just requesting donations. Carol did a great job organizing it – thank you!

New Business:

- The Christmas party will be at Jayne's – this is tentative.
- Meeting snack sign-up sheet was passed around.
- Membership dues were collected.
- Jayne recommended a call tree in case meetings are changed or cancelled. Tina will put this together.
- Ann passed around a card for all to sign for the Brocks; Carol made a motion to get a gift card for the Brocks - Shirley seconded it - motion carried; there is a dinner to be held in their honor on Oct 18 at Villa Milano.
- Santa gift shop plans are up in the air, depending on the Knights' plans.
- Card and Game Night will take place on 3/29 – we decided on a 60's theme – Flower Power! Everyone consider what we want to do for next meeting discussion. Tina will bring the list of places to solicit next meeting. Everyone get ready and put on your walking shoes! Jeri and Goldie agreed to run the raffle.
 - Rock n roll raffle is a new idea for naming the raffle
- **Donations decided upon - We started with list from 2014 that we donated and made these adjustments:**
 - **Deb made a motion to increase St Vincent de Paul to \$200; Joyce seconded it; all in favor**
 - **Mary Jo made a motion to eliminate Joseph's Coat and use that money for Vinton County.; Jeri seconded it; motion carried. (Ann will find out to whom to send)**

Next meeting: 11/9 – Deb has drink and Tina has snack.

A motion was made by Shirley to adjourn the meeting at approximately 8:11 PM; Deb seconded; motion carried.

Submitted by Tina Banaski – secretary.



SOCIAL NIGHT

Our November social night will be a “Movie Night” for the entire family.

“Movie Night” is scheduled for Tuesday November 3rd @ 7:00 PM in the PAC room.

Popcorn will be provided. Bring your favorite soft drinks. Spouses and families are invited and encouraged – the more the merrier!



MEMORIAL MASS & BREAKFAST

Our annual “Memorial Mass and Breakfast” to honor and pray for our deceased Brother Knights will be held on November 8th. We will be attending the 8:30 AM Mass. After Mass, we will host a family breakfast gathering in the school cafeteria. A three dollar donation per breakfast attendee is requested to help defray the cost. We will need two or three volunteers for the breakfast set-up. Please report to the school cafeteria at 7:00 AM if you can assist. Also, we will need many volunteers to remain after the breakfast to help with the clean-up. So please stay after the event to offer a helping hand. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, please call John Swisher at 614-477-7730 or e-mail John at swisherj@grangeinsurance.com.



1st Saturday Rosary

Join us on Saturday November 7th after the 5pm vigil Mass to say the Rosary. If you attend the Saturday evening Mass, please stay afterwards and assist your Brother Knights in leading the parish in praying the Rosary – seeking Our Lady’s intercession for our Church and community.



YOU COULD WIN \$1,000.00 DOLLARS

Announcing our Pope John Paul II Assembly (2900) Annual Fundraiser

Sir Knights and Ladies and Brother Knights: An opportunity for a major prize is coming your way. Our Assembly has approved a raffle with a grand prize of **\$1000.00**. **Only 200 tickets** will be available for a donation of \$10 each and will be available during September and October 2015. All tickets must be turned in by November 11th, 2015 to be included in the drawing. The Drawing will be held at our regular assembly meeting on November 18, 2015. You need NOT be present to win. The winner will receive \$500 in December 2015 and \$500 in January 2016. Proceeds will go toward supporting our military veterans and other Assembly projects. We ask every Sir Knight and his Lady, as well as our Council Brothers, to participate in this fundraiser by either procuring tickets or by having your friends and relatives do so. Remember, only 200 tickets will be available so the chances of winning are rather positive. If you have any questions, or would like tickets, please call the project coordinator:

[SK Phil Siedlecki](#), PFN

614-863-5284

Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900



PENNIES FOR HEAVEN COLLECTION

Our next SOS collection (Support Our Seminarians a.k.a. Pennies for Heaven) will be held after all Masses on November 7th and 8th. Please help collect donations after the Mass you attend by holding a collection basket at one of the church exits (4-5 volunteers will be needed

for each Mass).



HANGING CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Volunteers are needed to help hang Christmas lights at the Church on Saturday, November 28th, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. We also need a Brother Knight to step forward to be the “Captain” of this event and take charge. The “Captain” overseeing this volunteer effort will also oversee pulling the light out of storage and testing the light strings prior to the November 28th installation date. This will be an outdoor activity, so please dress appropriately for the weather. We will need at least 8-10 Brother Knights to make this happen – please consider volunteering and helping. Should you have questions or want to volunteer, please call John Swisher at 614-477-7730 or e-mail John at swisherj@grangeinsurance.com.



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Our annual Breakfast with Santa will be held on Saturday, December 12th from 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM in the school cafeteria. The cost will be \$3.00 per adult and \$2.00 per child.

A breakfast of pancakes and sausage will be served and Santa will be on-hand to visit with the kids. You can have your child's picture taken with Santa. A voluntary donation for the picture is accepted to help defray the cost.

Volunteers are needed to help set-up on Friday, December 11th – please arrive at 6:00 PM (wives and family age 15-yrs and up are welcome to help). Also, volunteers are needed to help work the breakfast/kitchen the day of the event – please arrive at 7:00 AM to help (wives and family age 15-yrs. and up are welcome to help).

ANNUAL FAMILY HOLIDAY DINNER

Our annual Family Holiday Dinner will be held on December 12th after the 5:00 PM vigil Mass in the school cafeteria. All Knights and their families are highly encouraged to attend this great event. Come share some holiday fun with your Brother Knights! We will need at least four Knights to volunteer to prepare and bring a turkey with dressing to the event as the main course to share with everyone. Everyone else should bring a side dish/dessert to share with everyone. After the wonderful event, we will need some Brother Knights to stay for a bit, burn off some calories, and help with the clean-up. Also, if you can volunteer to bring a prepared turkey w/ dressing to the event please contact John Swisher at 614-477-7730 or e-mail John at swisherj@grangeinsurance.com

K OF C “TOWN HALL” MEETING

The State Deputy will be holding a “town hall” type meeting for all Brother Knights on Wednesday, December 16th. The meeting will be held at the Bryce-Eck Center at 7:00 PM. The Bryce-Eck Center is located at 3880 Reed Road in Columbus. All Knights are welcome and encouraged to attend. Please come hear what the State Deputy has to share and bring any questions or concerns you have to discuss.



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TO BE REMEMBERED IN OUR PRAYERS:

The Amett Family, Hans Bauer Family, John Burtyk Family, John and Mary Stock, Pat Finegan, John Leers Family, Carl Pyle Family, Msgr Clagett, Earl Campfield Leo Shedlock Family, Jerry Lowery Sr., David Neitz, Fr. Swickard, Fr. Reichert Bob and Winnie Doherty, Richard Carr, Pam Briggs, Carol Shown, Peg Brock, Frederick and Myra Baumann, Katheryn Prinz, Vincent and Sally Lombardo, Laurie Moose, The Jim Schneider Family, Dominic Nocera, Gordon Pickett and our Seminarian Robert Johnson



November Birthdays

Chris Baily, Scott Banaski, Andrew Bickmeyer, Edward Bowe, Ronald Branch, Thomas Bryan, Brian Comer, Robert Feyh, Charles Himmelspach, Kerry Hodakievic, Walter Ice, Ted Lemon, Jerry Lowery II, Jeffrey Malesky, Robert Martin, Stephen McClellan, Raymond Musselman, Dominic Nocera, Anthony Pavleski, Gordon Pickett, Carl Pyle, Albert Sikora, Ronald Simon, William Thomas

Happy Thanksgiving