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Grand Knight's Column



IMPORTANT DATES

Worthy Brother Knights,

A “hello” to all Brother Knights from me, your newly elected Grand Knight, John Swisher. I stepped into the GK duties on July 1st, and officially took the mantle at the Installation Mass on July 5th. Thanks to Monsignor Funk for celebrating the installation Mass, and to District Deputy Steve McClellan for handling the induction. Congrats and thanks to PGK Dom Nocera and his Team for their leadership and team work during the 2015-16 fraternal year. It was a great year –with loads of thanks going to Dom, Scott Marsh, John Beyer, Lee Brock, Gordon Burke, Steve Valentine, Phil Siedlecki, Larry Armstrong and many, many others! We are in line to make “Star Council.” Keep saying your prayers – that we win the award and reap the financial benefits that come with it. Obviously, any and all Star Council monies will be plowed right back into all our charitable causes. We have our work cut out for us to replicate the results of 2015-16! I know with prayer and team work we can.

Let me conclude my first “GK Column” with a plea to **ALL** my Brother Knights in the Council. We have a great Council that is very active. However, 80% of the Council work and results are being produced by 20% of the members. We need more Brother Knights to get involved. I know most of you are busy fathers, single dads, “sandwich” sons/fathers (taking care of both kids and elderly parents), or senior citizens with mobility issues. I certainly understand your free time is a premium.

All I ask is 3 things:

- 1) Please schedule & attend at least 3-4 monthly business meetings a year.
- 2) Pick at least 2-3 things you can help with, and get involved with those activities. We need more Brother Knights to step-up (don’t wait to be contacted –be proactive!).
- 3) Pray for the Council, your Brother Knights and our Parish (remember we are Catholic first and foremost – our faith drives all we do). Thanks!

Fraternally yours in Christ,

S.K. John Swisher, Grand Knight (swisherj@grangeinsurance.com; 614-477-7730)

- Jul 2nd Rosary after 5PM Mass
- Jul 5th Installation of Officers
- Jul 7th Chapter Meeting
- Jul 10th Road Show
- Jul 12th Officers Meeting
- Jul 19th Business Meeting
- Aug 2nd Social Meeting
- Aug 4th Chapter Meeting
- Aug 5th Parish Festival
- Aug 6th Rosary after 5PM Mass
- Aug 6th Parish Festival
- Aug 9th Officer’s Meeting
- Aug 16th Business Meeting

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MEMORIAL

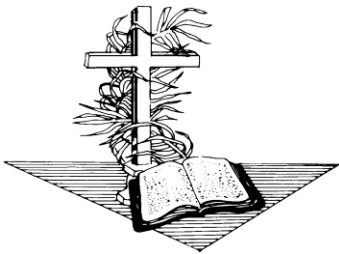
Less we forget, our condolences to Linda Beyer and Family upon the death of her beloved husband and our Brother Knight.

Joseph Edward Beyer

February 15, 1961

June 16, 2016

We believe the light of God surrounds them, the love of God enfolds them, the power of God protects them, and the presence of God watches over them. May he rest in peace, Amen



Karen Sue Schneider

Council 5253 extends its most sincere condolences to Brother Jim Schneider on the passing of his wife Karen on June 17th. Please keep Brother Schneider and his Family in your Prayers in their time of sorrow.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS



On July 5, 2016, we will have the installation of our Council Officers for the new fraternal year. The Installation will take place in the church starting at 7:30 PM. Please come and show your support for our Brother Knights who have agreed to lead our council during the next twelve months. A reception will follow immediately afterwards in the PAC room.

Please bring a snack/refreshments to share to the PAC Room. All spouses, family, parishioners and friends are welcome. Please join us!!



1st SATURDAY ROSARY

Join us on July 2nd 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.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SOCIAL NIGHT

There will be no “family social night” for July due to the Independence Day holiday and the Officer Installation Mass on July 5th. Stay tuned for details on the upcoming August “family social night”.



REYNOLDSBURG INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE

The Reynoldsburg annual Independence Day Parade will be held on Monday July 4th. Our council will again participate in the parade. Our Council float will be towed by Sir Knight Frank Iannaggi. We will assemble at the Big Lots parking lot on Livingston Avenue at 9:30 am. It is requested that all 4th Degree Knights come in full regalia and all other Knights will be donning the Measure-Up vests. We will be marching with our flags and Council banner as well as riding the Council float. Please come and support your Council.



MULCH SPREADING

Many thanks to the following Brother Knights who turned out on May 28th to spread mulch around the church and school: Scott Marsh, John Beyer, John Swisher, Bob Briggs, Phil Crosswell, Bill Silone, Joe Swisher, Clark Williams, Mike Angle, Mike Berger, Rick Terranova, and John Needham and daughters!!



ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL



The annual St. Pius X Parish Festival is coming August 4th and 5th. We will need lots of Brother Knights to volunteer to make this a great success! Please contact John Swisher at (swisherj@grangeinsurance.com) or (614-477-7730) to sign-up for a day or position.

We have the following positions to be filled:

Parking lot workers: Aug 5th & 6th (6 Brothers each evening)

Festival games: Aug 5th & 6th (10 Brothers each evening)

K of C Information Tent: Aug 5th & 6th (2 Brothers each evening)

Food Trailer: Aug 5th & 6th (4 Brothers each evening)



COUNCIL 5253 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Congratulations to the following St. Pius students who are the 2016 recipients of Council 5253 Scholarships. These students plan to attend a local Catholic High School in the Fall.

Attending Bishop Hartley: Helena Donaghy and Andrea Bergman \$500 each

Attending Newark Catholic: Nate McGlone and Abby Slone \$500 each.

K of C STATE COUNCIL ROAD SHOW

Our Council/Parish has been honored to host the “K of C State Council Roadshow” this summer. We will need Brother Knights to help make this a success and show-off our Parish!! Please volunteer to help!!

Date: Sunday, July 10th.

Times: Mass at 12 noon; lunch at 1:00 PM (provided by our Council Food Trailer); Road Show Meeting at 2:00 PM.

Location: St. Pius X School cafeteria.

Please contact Phil Siedlecki (614-863-5284) or John Swisher (614-477-7730) to volunteer.



COUNCIL FOOD TRAILER

The Council Food Trailer has begun its summer schedule. We will be attending as many as nine events this summer– BUT WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP!!!

Brother Knights are needed to work the Food Trailer at various events this year - to help with towing, set-up, working and clean-up. The Council Food Trailer is our biggest money maker (by far) each year. We need several brother Knights to step forward and help take an active role in the food trailer operation for 2016!! Please step-up and take charge!! Contact Phil Siedlecki (614-863-5284), Steve Valentine (740-927-1464), or John Swisher (swisherj@grangeinsurance.com) with questions or to volunteer.

Our July event will be the Reynoldsburg Independence Day Fireworks on July 1st at Civic Park. The hours will be 5 PM to 10 PM. Civic Park is located at 6800 Daugherty Drive. Volunteers are needed to work this event. Please help make this a great success! Contact John Swisher (614-477-7730) or Phil Siedlecki (614-863-5284) to volunteer or with questions.

2016 Honor Flight Dates



Honor Flight Columbus recognizes and celebrates World War II and Korean War veterans by flying them to Washington, D.C. to visit memorials dedicated to their important service. This is done at no cost to them as a token of our gratitude and respect for their service to our

country. On the following dates, flights will be returning to the Columbus airport at 9:20 PM. Honor Flight Columbus is asking for your help in greeting these veterans on their return to Columbus.

September 10th

October 1st

October 22nd



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TO BE REMEMBERED IN OUR PRAYERS:

The Amett Family, Hans Bauer Family, John Butyk 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 Family, Richard Carr, Pam Briggs, Carol Shown, Peg Brock, Frederick and Myra Baumann, Katheryn Prinz, Vincent and Sally Lombardo, The Jim Schneider Family, Dominic Nocera, Gordon Pickett, Shawn Ansbro, Joseph Beyer, Chad Miller and our Seminarian Robert Johnson



July Birthdays

John Adair, John Albert, Shawn Ansbro, Hans-Rolf Bauer, Fritz Baumann, Thomas Bernens, John Callahan, Kenneth Collura, Paul Diyoh, David Dlugiewicz, Michael Ehler, Francis Engle, Vincent Gallagher, Charles Giametta, Gregory Haggit, John Hoermle, J. Christopher Imwalle, John King, Joe Kline, Charles Miller, Ted O'Flaherty, Donald Robinson, Ray Shoot, Thomas Skinner, Randall Teynor, Richard Vade Bon Couer, Adam Whitesmith, Clark Williams, Howard Wingard Jr.