



Knights of Columbus Holy Spirit Council #8334

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Tom Davis, Grand Knight

Rev. Mr. Don Schmidt, Chaplain

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Tim O'Donnell, Warden

Gary Beier, Inside Guard

Tim Allen, Outside Guard

John Brownfield, 1st yr Trustee

Tom DeDonder, 2nd yr Trustee

Jeff Kaminski, 3rd yr Trustee

Welcome New Members

Travis Eggers

Branden Mullen

Congratulations!!

Hugh Ostrander

34 years as a

Knight



Knight Happenings

July 2010

30/31 Strotherfest at Paradise Park

30/31 Volley ball tournaments



August 2010

4 K of C Regular meeting 7:30pm-Rosary at 7pm

15 Parish Golf tournament



21 Installation of Officers and dinner.



Join Us

Grand Knights Report JULY Meeting

- We continue the Rosary before all monthly meetings at 7pm.
- K of C State Horseshoe Tournament is Aug 20-22 in Joplin, Mo.
- K of C State Golf Tournament is July 31 in Joplin, Mo.
- A request from Ann Hayles for the council to provide help for the “Summer Gathering Meal” on 7/28. Knights Brownfield, Willeke and Adams volunteered. GK to confirm date.
- The “Spirit of Giving” committee requested the council to sponsor backpacks for the coming school year. A motion made “**The council to donate \$200 to the Spirit of Giving for backpacks**”. Motion 2nd and passed on unanimous vote.
- The Ladies Auxiliary will be sponsoring a Installation of Officers Dinner on 8/21. The Council is requested to help in the set up and tear down. Council officers will be installed during the dinner by the District Deputy. Cost will be \$10/person. The Auxiliary also asked for the council to contribute to the cost. A motion made “**Council to donate up to \$300 for the cost of the dinner**”. Motion 2nd land passed on unanimous voice vote.

Fraternally, Tom Davis, Grand Knight

Financial Secretary Report

- Bills- M. Mithelavage \$359.52(incl. booth fee), Hy-Vee \$35.78, legal firm for annual state registration fee \$130.
- All members of the council have been sent 4 tickets for Strotherfest 7/30/31. The council keeps the ticket price on all tickets sold.

Please! Don't let your dues fall behind

Contact Mick (Financial Secretary) if you find yourself having trouble paying your dues.

Name tags are \$7, T-shirts are \$5, Polo Shirts are \$20, Hats are \$10.

Fraternally, Mick Mithelavage, Financial Secretary

District Deputy Report

- Report of election of Officers to Supreme.
- Service Program report due.
- Goal for Fraternal year 11 new members and 4 insured members.

Fraternally, Richard Bindel DD #55

Service Committee Reports:

Membership Director: Dave Christianson

- The quota for this year is 11 new members and 4 insurance.

First Degree:

- 4th Degree:
- There are **153 members** in our council per the latest roster 7/5/2010

Program Director: Matt Stark

Fish Fry's

P.R. Director: Phil Alvarado

Church Director:

Breakfast Committee: Sean Carey

Hillcrest Ministries: Tony Molina

- Current resident moved out after only 2 weeks in the program. The apartment needs to be cleaned and re-supplied. New resident scheduled for 7/13.

Council Director:

- Highway cleanup is suspended until after Highway 150 upgrade is complete.

Family Director: Jeff Kaminski

- Royals game tickets for a family night are in short supply. Recommend the he talk with Dave Adams for better response.

Youth Director: Keith Hoffman

Vocations: Tim Fobes

Pro-Life: Veryle Klein

- Bro. Klein presented a catalog with various designs for the banner the council will sponsor on the Dusselier property on Hwy 150. He asked for suggestion on which banner design to select. The estimated total project cost would be about \$600.

Tootsie Roll Director: John Brownfield

- Tootsie Roll Drive will be 10/8-10.

GYM: Dave Adams

- Volleyball tournament 7/30-31.
- Holy Spirit Parish Golf Tournament August 15.

Strotherfest

- The council has a booth at this event on July 30-31 to grill foods.

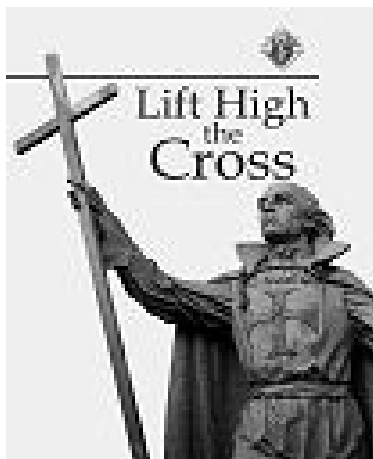
Grand Knights Corner



Make sure to check <http://www.kofc8334.org> for current information on the council.

Vivat Jesus,

Tom Davis, Grand Knight



Treasurer's Report

The winner for the 50/50 drawing this month was
Tom Davis for \$16.50

The evenings baskets were Vocations 24

The 50/50 was 27

Fraternally, John Mulvihill, Treasurer

COME TO A MEETING

35 Brothers were at the last meeting

Come join us at the next meeting. Not everything that goes on at a meeting is printed here. You are really missing out on the good stuff.

Your newsletter editor

Ray Theiling

What's Cooking after next Meeting

Come to the meeting and find out!!!

4th Degree News



The Fourth Degree is the highest degree of the order. Members of this degree are addressed as "Sir Knight".

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to foster the spirit of patriotism and to encourage active Catholic citizenship.



Chaplains Report

Deacon Don reported his son returning from Rome, he is sponsored by the council, and his experience of the catacombs. Don will continue to report on the Deaconate in the parish weekly bulletin.

Fraternally,
Rev. Mr. Don Schmidt, Deacon/Chaplain

Old Business

- The fireworks had gross sales of \$42,000, after taxes \$38,000. Final figures will be available at the next meeting. Customers donated \$30 directly to the council.
- Brother John Mautino reported on the State convention in Jeff City. He presented the council with the “Circle of Honor” award.
- The Knights equipment is still in the Youth room. Shelving storage in the gym is subject to the B&G committee.

New Business

- A letter has been received from Andrew Ochs request to council to make a donation to the Benedictine College council to cover unpaid dues to pay State. Request was referred to the district Deputy.
- On July 12 the parish calendar room request meeting will be held. All committees should review their calendar to reserve necessary rooms.
- The Financial Secretary gave a brief overview of the current budget. Both revenue and donations/expenses are at 50% of budget.

Field Agent report:

Who in the parish would be best to contact for life changes of council members?

Directed to contact Parish Office.



Our Principles

All the good works we do are informed by our four core principles:

Charity - Our Catholic faith teaches us to “Love thy neighbor as thyself.” Members of the Knights of Columbus show love for their neighbors by conducting food drives and donating the food to local soup kitchens and food pantries, by volunteering at Special Olympics, and by supporting, both spiritually and materially, mothers who choose life for their babies. Knights recognize that our mission, and our faith in God, compels us to action. There is no better way to experience love and compassion than by helping those in need, a call we answer every day.

Unity – None of us is as good as all of us. Members of the Knights of Columbus all know that – together – we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. So we stick together...we support one another. That doesn't mean that we always agree or that there is never a difference of opinion. It does mean that – as a Knight of Columbus – you can count on the support and encouragement of your brother Knights as you work to make life better in your parish and community.

Fraternity – The Venerable Michael J. McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus, in large part, to provide assistance to the widows and children left behind when the family breadwinner died – often prematurely. The Order's top-rated insurance program continues to do this today, as do individual Knights, who last year gave more than 10 million hours of their time to assist sick and/or disabled members and their families. In the Knights of Columbus, we watch out for and take care of one another.

Patriotism – Members of the Knights of Columbus, be they Americans, Canadians, Mexicans, Cubans, Filipinos, Poles, or Dominicans, are patriotic citizens. We are proud of our devotion to God and country, and believe in standing up for both. Whether it's in public or private, the Knights remind the world that Catholics support their nations and are amongst the greatest citizens.



Scholarship Information

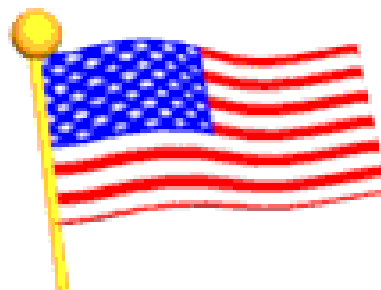


Scholarships offered through the Supreme Council are just part of the K of C's story. Our more than 14,000 local councils and assemblies provide \$6 million in scholarships and academic awards a year to students in their communities.

Scholarships for students attending colleges and universities in Mexico, the Philippines and Puerto Rico are administered by the respective jurisdiction.

To be eligible for a [Fourth Degree Pro Deo and Pro Patria Scholarship](#), or [John W. McDevitt \(Fourth Degree\) Scholarship](#) you must be:

1. A member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing, the son or daughter of such a Knight, the son or daughter of a deceased member who was in good standing at the time of his death, a Columbian Squire, or the wife or widow of a U.S. Knight applying for a McDevitt scholarship, and
2. A U.S student entering freshman year of a bachelor's degree program at a U.S. **Catholic** college or **Catholic** university **or** a Canadian student entering his or her first year of university study leading to a baccalaureate degree at a university in Canada. Scholarship applications are sent via postal service.



Other Scholarship Programs



Endowed Scholarships

The Knights of Columbus offers a limited number of endowed scholarships provided from earnings of funds established in the donors' names. In accepting these gifts, the Order's Board of Directors voted to administer endowed scholarships in conformance with the rules of the Fourth Degree Pro Deo and Pro Patria Scholarship program, subject to the donors' wishes.

Matthews and Swift Educational Trust Scholarships

Delegates to the 62nd Supreme Council Meeting in August, 1944 voted to establish an Educational Trust Fund by the raising of \$1 million through a special per capita tax on the members of the Order.

Sister Thea Bowman Foundation-Knights of Columbus Scholarships

In 1996, the Order's Board of Directors partnered with the Sister Thea Bowman Black Educational Foundation to establish a four-year grant to support deserving African-American students pursuing a Catholic college education.

Vocations Scholarships

The Supreme Council administers two scholarship programs for students in the first four years of theology pursuing a vocation to the priesthood.

Fellowships at The Catholic University of America

The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., provides Knights of Columbus Fellowships for graduate study leading to a master's degree or doctorate.

Bishop Charles P. Greco Graduate Fellowships

Established in 1973, the Bishop Charles P. Greco Graduate Fellowship Trust offers fellowships for full-time graduate study leading to a master's degree in a program designed for the preparation of classroom teachers for people with intellectual disabilities.

Scholarship Information continued:



U.S. applicants must apply to a **Catholic college or Catholic university**.

Undergraduate scholarships are awarded to incoming freshmen and are normally renewed for a total of four years.

Scholarship applications are available after **Oct. 1**.

Deadline for completed applications for **U.S.** undergraduate students is **March 1**.

Deadline for completed applications for **Canadian** undergraduate students is **May 1**.

Write:

Department of Scholarships
Knights of Columbus
PO Box 1670
New Haven, CT 06507-0901
203-752-4332

You can find first hand information at the Supreme website below:

<http://www.kofc.org/un/eb/en/members/scholarships/index.html>

I will try to get additional information on scholarships for Missouri in the coming months, but I thought those of you who have college bound students might be interested in knowing about the Supreme K of C Scholarship awards.



GOOD OF THE ORDER

Prayers were said for the following

Leslie Burkett

Hector Becerra

Jackie Kitchen

Jack Cronhardt

Pat Neaves

Tony Smith

Leo Flynn

Jim Schibi

Saleme Saed

Mary Fobes

Larry Pugsley

Lucy Lamb

Jake Shepherd

Mark Chilote

Jerry Hagerman

Carl Peterson

Felipa Martinez

Larry Wurzer

Roger Bain

Jordan Zenor

Those struggling in difficult financial times and the Men and Women of the Armed Forces.

July 2010

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | | | 1 Work the Fireworks TENT  | 2 Work the Fireworks TENT  | 3 Work the Fireworks TENT  |
| 4 Work the Fireworks TENT Independence Day FLY YOUR FLAG  | 5 | 6 | 7  Regular Meeting 730pm Rosary 7pm | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 Strotherfest Paradise Park | 31 Strotherfest Paradise Park |

August 2010

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4  Regular Meeting 730pm Rosary 7pm | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15  Holy Spirit Golf Tourna- ment | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20   State Horse- shoe Contest | 21  Installation of Officers and Dinner. |
| 22  State Horse- shoe Contest | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |

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