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Goldsmith News Summer 2022



Knights of Columbus Council #974

Regular Meetings 7:30 p.m. Officers Meetings 7:00 p.m.

Monday, September 12, 2022 Monday, September 19, 2022

Monday, October 3, 2022 Monday, October 17, 2022

Monday, November 7, 2022 Monday, November 21, 2022

*Please note The Rosary is recited at 7:10 before each regular council meeting. Any members of the Council are welcome to attend the Officers meeting.

****Columbus Association Meeting is at 6:00 p.m. prior to each Regular Council Meeting.**

All members of Goldsmith Council 974 are members of the Columbus Association are welcome to attend the Columbus Association meetings.

Upcoming Events

- **Steak Fry:** Thursday, September 15, 2022 5:00 p.m.
- **Hunter's Stag: Thursday, November 10, 2002** (**Not on Wednesday this year because Youth Hockey Bingo on Wednesday nights.**)

Nominate a Knight/Family of the Month

We need your input on selecting a Family and a Knight of the Month each month. Please give your recommendations to Tim Tozer. We know that there are many families who are doing wonderful things in our community.

Knight of the Month for May 2022

Scott Pulver

Scott is a faithful Bingo Kitchen worker and is now the Recording Secretary for the Council.

Family of the Month for May 2022:

Dan & Roxie Smiskey

They were very involved with putting on the Smiskey Pan Fish fry for KC members and their families. They also help with the Kitchen for Bingo

Knight of the Month for June 2022:

Bernie Bresina

Bernie is an active member of St. Charles Parish. He has joined the KC Bucket Brigade and helps with the hall cleaning after events.

Family of the Month for June 2022:

Seth & Tracy Smiskey

They are active members of St. Charles Parish. Seth is an Usher and Tracy is an EMOC. Their son is an alter server.

Knight of the Month for July 2022:

Leon Zwiefelhofer

Leon is a faithful worker for KC projects and meals. He always helps make the Potato Salad for the Smelt fry and other events.

Family of the Month for July 2022:

Steve & Gina Dachel

They are active members of St. Charles Parish where Steve is a Custodian and Gina is a Reader at Masses and an EMOC. Steve sings in the choir.

Knight of the Month for August 2022:

Tyler Anderson

Tyler is an active member of St. Bridget's Parish.

Family of the Month for August 2022:

Butch & Kathy Dachel

They are active members of St. Charles Parish where they are Extraordinary Ministers of Communion. Kathy also serves as a Sacristan and Butch serves on the Planning Committee for the new Parish Center.

Knight of the Month for September 2022:

Tom Lambert

Tom has been a member for 21 years. He faithfully attends nearly all our meeting and functions. He is a member of St. Charles Parish.

Family of the Month for September 2022:

Jim & Evelyn Bandoli

They are active members of St. Charles Parish. Jim has ushered for many years. Jim joined the KC's in 1977.

Knights of Columbus Insurance:

If you have questions or needs, please contact our field agent Jason A. Bourget at jasonsbourget@kofc.org or by phone 715-937-7039.

His address is N15964 Copenhaver Ave, Stanley WI.

News

Our Worthy Council Chaplain

Our Council is very blessed to have such a dedicated Chaplain as Monsignor Gorman. He faithfully attends regular monthly Council meetings and most of the Officer's Meetings. We know our Priests have very busy schedules and that it must be difficult for Msgr. Gorman to make room to attend all our meetings.

Each month at the regular monthly meeting, he gives a short report on the upcoming Feast days of the month and talks about the seasons we are in of the liturgical year.

Thank you Monsignor Gorman!

Smelt Fry

The annual Smelt Fry was held on Thursday April 28, 2022. This was the most successful smelt fry in recent years. A profit of \$7169.00 was reported.

Clergy/Deacons/Religious Recognition and Awards Night Banquet

The Recognition/Awards Banquet was held on Wednesday May 11, 2022. We took this opportunity to recognize and thank the Priests, Deacons, Sisters and Brothers in the Chippewa Deanery. We also presented our service awards to our Brother Knights. We also presented our major donations for the year. Sixty-one Brother Knights, their Ladies, Clergy and other guests attended.

Attendees were served their meal at their tables by the Youth Ambassadors from McDonell High.

Some of the major donations for the year were:

MACS - \$5500.00. Money donated to St. Charles, Notre Dame and Holy Ghost Parishes to help offset their MACS subsidies totaled \$7500.00. \$1000.00 was donated to St. Peter's School and \$1000.00 to St. Bridget's Parish. The Goldsmith Chapel received a check for \$1000.00. \$ 2000. 00 was donated to St. Joseph's Hospital Lifeline program. \$2000.00 was donated to the Chippewa Deanery Youth Program and another \$ 2000.00 was donated to the DTS Youth Program to help with the food costs for the meetings. \$2000.00 was donated to Seminarians. \$3000.00 given in college scholarships. \$1975.00 was donated to pro-life programs.

There were many more donations made throughout the year and the use of the Hall was donated numerous times throughout the year for various charitable causes.

Bingo

Mike Buchman is now in charge of the Bingo program. Bingo started again on Friday September 2, 2022. Mike reported that they need several more workers in the hall and also a couple more workers in the kitchen. They hope to have enough workers so they can rotate workers, so they do not have work every Friday.

The KC Council thanks Mike for stepping up to take over the leadership of Bingo.

A big **Thank You** to all who help with running the Bingo nights, in the hall and in the Kitchen.

Bucket Brigade

This is the group of men and women volunteers that clean the hall after rentals. Tom Weyenberg is currently heading this group up. When a cleanup is needed, Tom calls the group members. They usually meet at 8:00 a.m. and they are usually done by 10:00 a.m. with time to socialize with coffee and rolls.

Please consider becoming a part of this very important group.

If you wish to help, you can call Tom Weyenberg @ 715-861-3114 for more details.

The KC Council gives a big **Thank You** to all who help with this.

This saves the council a substantial amount of money, by not having to hire a cleaning service.

Fourth Degree News

The next 4th Degree Business Meeting will be on Thursday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fr. Goldsmith Hall Council Chambers. The next 4th Degree social will be the Christmas Social, December 11, 2022.

The Western District 4th Degree held a Fourth Degree Exemplification on Saturday May 21, 2022 at the Immaculate Conception's Fr. Klink Hall in Eau Claire. Thirty-nine Brother Knights from the Western District advanced to the Fourth Degree that day. Three of the Brother Knights were from Goldsmith Council . They are Sir Knights Tim Tozer, Robert Parkhurst and Scott Wahl. Our Bishop Fulton J Sheen Assembly gained a total of 16 new Sir Knights.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

We are planning to have a Knights of Columbus Breakfast at St. Charles Borromeo Parish on January 8, 2023. Hopefully we will be able to have it in the new Parish Center.

St. Charles Parish Thanks the Knights of Columbus for coming to the rescue with a generous donation of \$50,000.00, to help furnish the kitchen in the new Parish Hall when the Parish ran short of funds due to sky rocketing price increases during Covid and later the war in Ukraine.

Good of the Order Drawing

We are now putting in one dollar each for the monthly drawing. To win you must be present at the next meeting and have your Rosary in your pocket. A Knight of Columbus should always carry and pray his Rosary. The winner of the drawing at the May meeting was Tim Tozer. He was present to collect. The winner of the June drawing was Adam Kuechenmeister and he was present to win.

The winner of the July meeting was Joe Oberweis and he was present to win.

The name drawn for the August meeting was Kevin Van Den Heuvel and he was not present to win.

Prayer Requests

Please remember in your prayers, the following people who are dealing with illnesses, Russ Rowan, Jerry Eslinger, Don and Claudia Hable, Janice Peloquin, Bob Bell, Pete Dachel, Jim Harings, Curt Goettl, Cliff Hunt, Liz Blum, Steve Gillis, Peter Doermann, Mark Buchman, Chad Borman, Gerald Liddell and Dan Prince.

Please let us know if there is a Brother Knight or family member in need of our prayers.

Eternal Rest Grant onto Them O Lord

Please remember our Brother Knights who have passed away recently and their families.

Wilber (Willy) Boos died on May 21, 2022. Willy joined the Knights of Columbus in 1965 . He was a member for 65 years.

John Harings died on August 5, 2022. John joined the Knights of Columbus in 1972. He was a member for 50 years.

John (Butch) Moonen died on August 3, 2022. John joined the Knights of Columbus in 2000. He was a member for 22 years.