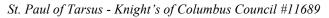


The Knight's Shield



July, 2018

Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism

Volume 23

A Word from Grand Knight Mike Hartel

Brother Knights, thank you for your confidence in selecting me to be your Grand Knight. It will be an honor to serve and help lead our great council that has been shaped over the past 20 years by our officers, directors, chairmen and all Brother Knights who have and continue to support the spirit and principals of our order.

I would like to thank all outgoing officers and directors for their time, hard work and dedication they have given to this council. A special thanks to our outgoing Grand Knight, Art Krygowski and Membership Director, George Loewen. Do not be concerned that Art and George are retiring completely from our council officer and director ranks. Art was elected to Trustee and will also stay on as our Council Youth Director. George will remain as our Council Community Director.

Congratulations to all of our incoming officers and directors. I look forward to working with all of you in the coming fraternal year. I would especially like to welcome the following officers and directors to their new positions: Tom Gray, Deputy Grand Knight (Tom has been our Chancellor for the past two years); Steve Kargenian, Chancellor (Steve has been a trustee for 3 years and has recently volunteered to chair our pancake breakfast), Phil Mularski, Membership Director (Phil has been active with recent membership recruiting efforts by creating the pamphlets and articles such as 'Why become a Knight?' and the '24 Hour Knight' while also leading the rosary for many of our fallen brothers); Frank Burda, Lecturer (Frank has been filling in for Jim Hubbard). Please support these brothers in their new roles and continue to support all our officers and directors! We are a very active and dynamic council. Thank you all for your time and effort you have given to this council!

Please welcome three new Brothers Knights to our Council: James Perreault, Anthony Radman and Steve Szypa. They completed their admission degree joining our council on June 25th.

You will find that proper communication is very high on my priority list for a well-organized council. Effectively communicating with our brother knights, parish staff, fellow parishioners and the general public is a key element to successful events, fundraisers and a smoothly well run council. To try and help improve communication and help streamline our monthly General Meeting, the monthly Officer Meeting is being renamed to Council Planning Meeting. All council members are welcome to this meeting. They are typically held on the fourth Thursday of the month. This is a good place to bring ideas for consideration to the council and to initially request support for a charity you are supporting. It is especially important for all Officers, Directors and Chairmen to try and attend these meetings.

I encourage the council, which is all of you, to get more active with the newsletter. Maybe you just read a good joke that would be appropriate for the Lighter Side of the newsletter. This newsletter is OUR council newsletter and not just an exercise or busy work for the Grand Knight and our editor. We have received many compliments on the quality of our newsletter. This is one of our main opportunities to communicate with not only our council members but with our families, fellow parishioners, other councils and the general public. All event chairmen, please take the time to send an article to our editor (Chris Gapczynski) for our monthly newsletter a month or two before your event. Be sure to check the latest newsletter for article deadlines.

I would like to thank Ted Czarny for spearheading the hard copy mailing of our newsletter the last few years. Also, Hank Leflere, Phil Kwasny, George Sakorafos and Ralph Pullis who help with the final prep work to mail the newsletters each month. FYI, through our effort to email the newsletter to as many council members as possible, instead of mailing a hard copy, we are saving the council over \$1000 a year in postage and printing expenses! Thank you!

Now that summer is here, try to take some time and enjoy some of that beautiful God-given sunshine while we have a slightly slower pace in our council and plan to come back physically, mentally and spiritually refreshed by the time September arrives when we know the pace will quicken.

Please remember our fallen brother Ken Dombrowski. Please keep Ken and his family in your prayers.

Vivat Jesus Mike Hartel

DAVL Golf Outing



Brother Golfers:

It is not too early to mark your calendars for the DAVL (Vocations Golf Outing). The date has been changed to September 22, 2018, at Sycamore Hills Golf Club in Macomb Township. I will be forwarding more details as I receive them.

Thanks...

Joe Phillips

Our State Membership Motto for 2018:

"Our Growth Starts With One Member, Per Council, Per Month"

Fantasy Football League

Would you like to play Fantasy Football? I am interested in starting a couple of tenteam YAHOO Leagues. One would be a pay league (\$50), and one would be a free league. If you are interested, please contact me at thomson819@comcast.net, or my cell phone 586-457-2350.

Craig Thomson



Protecting God's Children /

As has been mentioned numerous times at council meeting and in this newsletter, you must have taken the Protecting God's Children class and have submitted your name to the church offices to have a criminal background check done in order to volunteer at any K of C event that takes place on the church property.

St Lawrence Parish Utica, MI Tuesday, July 31, 2018 6:00 pm

Go to www.virtusonline.org to check for available classes and to register.

Ice Cream Social



Brother Rich Okerhjelm has selected the weekend of July 28-29 for the Annual Ice-cream Social.

There will be a sign-up sheet available at the June and July meetings for anyone wishing to help.

This is a free event open to all members of our parish.

Motions Passed

The following motions were approved at the June general membership meeting:

Motion was made to pay the bills. George Loewen motioned and George Sakorafos seconded. Motion passed.

Motion was made to sponsor a hole for the upcoming State Secretary golf outing for \$100. Craig Thompson motioned and John Moceri seconded. Motion passed.

Motion was made to donate \$250 via the State Council to support the Holy Land Initiative for the State Chaplain. Gino motioned and John Moceri seconded. Motion passed.

There were motions to accept the new applications for James Perreault and Anthony Radman. Phil Kwasny motioned and Rick Okerhjelm seconded. Motions passed.

Monthly Prayer Intention



Priests and their Pastoral Ministry

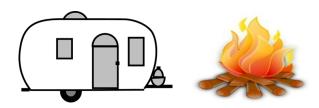
That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

K of C Camping Trip

There are still some sites available for the upcoming council camping trip this summer to Lakeport State Park for the weekend of Friday and Saturday August 17th and 18th. However, don't wait too long!

So far we have about a half dozen families who have made their reservation.

We are camping in the north loop. Please make your reservations at the Michigan State Park web site.



Please check with Mike Hartel and Ken Krause if you have any questions.

New Knights of Columbus Wear



Are you looking for some new Knights of Columbus wear? 2018 brings an opportunity to purchase new clothing to replace OR add to your closet. We now have long-sleeved polo shirts, sweatshirts, baseball caps and winter hats available to purchase. Short-sleeved polo shirts are also available.

Short Sleeve polo shirts (Gray or Black)

S - XL = \$25 2XL = \$29

Long Sleeve polo shirts (Gray or Black)

S - XL = \$29 2XL = \$31

Sweatshirts (Gray or Black)

S - XL = \$27 2XL = \$29

Baseball Cap (Black with logo)

S/M = \$20 L/XL = \$20

Stocking Cap (Black with logo)

Fits All = \$10

SUMMER T-SHIRTS

Beginning at the June 11 Meeting, new royal blue t-shirts (white trim on front and knight shield on back) will be available. We have ordered these sizes.

6 – Medium 12 – Large 12 – X Large

12 - 2X Large 6 - 3XL

The cost is M-XL \$10 2XL \$12

3XL \$14

SHIRTS WILL BE PAID FOR AT TIME OF PURCHASE.

We still have polos and sweatshirts that need to be picked up.

Leon - gray sweatshirt (\$27)

Greg - blk sweatshirt (Paid)

Rick – blk polo (\$27)

Joe - blk polo (Paid)

Al - blk polo (\$27)

Chuck – gray polo (\$25)

Mike - blk long-sleeve polo (\$29) will be spelled right!

May orders WILL be in for June Meeting.

Jeff – blk polo (\$25)

Hank – blk sweatshirt (\$27)

Sal – blk polo (\$25)

Larry – blk polo (\$27) Ron – gray sweatshirt (\$27)

Beginning June, all clothing ordered MUST be paid for at the time of the order. Cash or Check will be accepted WITH orders. Checks made out to *K* of *C* Council 11689).

A Word from PGK Art Krygowski

The end of our fraternal year is upon us and as with many things in our life it's a time of change. The school year is closing and summer activities are cranking up keeping us all very busy. On top of all the changes we expect, we are also confronted with changes we don't anticipate. How we react and handle these changes, whether it's in our personal or professional lives says a lot about who we are. We need not face these challenges alone, we have God, our family and friends to rely on as we transition. That's part of being a Knight of Columbus, we are here for each other when needed. This is one of the founding principles that Father Michael J. McGivney envisioned when he brought our order together in 1882. I would like to thank all of you who have put forth so much effort this year, helping not only with the Knights of Columbus events, but all of the parish and community activities you participated in. Your stewardship, sharing of your time, talents and treasures are a great example to all. In everything that you do as Knights, and you do so much, never forget Christ's love for who makes it all work and who makes it all worthwhile. Regardless of our different views, if we are sincerely trying to follow Him, He will continue to bring us together. I know that so much is asked of you, especially the Officers. The Council needs you, your parish needs you, your community needs you and your family needs you. As you sift through your many responsibilities, do your utmost to make home-time quality-time. May the time spent growing as a Knight make us better Knights and better Catholic men and also make us better husbands and fathers. Our new Grand Knight, Mike Hartel, wants to serve us. I know our council will be good to him and for him as you were to me.

With all that being said, I want to thank Council 11689 for entrusting me to be your Grand Knight for the past two years. St. Paul 11689 is known by Michigan Supreme as a very spirited council. Our Past State Deputy, Ken Unterbrink and the late Tony Vittorini have spoken with me many times about 11689 and thanking us for all that we do as Knights. My reply has been that without such dedicated members as we have here it would not be possible. Thank you to all the officers and directors for the outstanding work you do to keep the council in check and a fine working organization. Thank you also to all the Past Grand Knights for building such a great council for the last 20 years which made my job as your Grand Knight not as difficult as it could have been. Then there is 11689 itself, with two hundred and twenty-four Brother Knights all contributing someway, somehow, making this council what it is today! If I can be of any assistance to any Brother in need please don't hesitate to give me a call. May the Peace of Christ be with all Brothers and your families.

I grew up loving the innocence of Snoopy and The Peanuts Gang:







E-Mail Communications



Brothers:

One of the methods we use to communicate various events for the Knights is an e-mail list. As coordinator for the list, I want to ask any of you that haven't been receiving these messages to send me an e-mail from your home account. This will give me the correct and current e-mail for you, and I will keep you on the list.

Fraternally,

George Loewen gjl047@gmail.com Community Director, Knights of Columbus

Corporate Communion Masses



Our Next Corporate Communion will be held on Sunday, September 16, 2018 at the 9:30 am Mass.

Lectors: George Loewen

Nick Oliveri

Acolytes: Gary Skarb

Leonard Gutkowski

We hope you will join us to show the importance of family praying together.

Knight of the Month and Family of the Month

The **Knight of the Month** is selected by the Board of Officers, as a Knight who exemplifies in his daily life the principles of Catholic Life, and is instrumental to the success of our Council, Church, and Community.

The Knight of the Month for June: Fr. Jerry Slowinski.

The **Family of the Month** is selected by the Board of Officers as a Family who exemplifies in the principles of Catholic Family Life, and who contribute to the success of our Council, Church, and Community.

The Family of the Month for June: <u>"Ken Grobbel Family."</u> In recognition of their out-standing service to the Council.

Fr. Jerry and Ken...please remember to park in the reserved parking spots by the food pantry doors.

Quick Notes

If you move or have a change in phone number, please notify Financial Secretary, Ray Ignatowski at 586-946-0129.

Please visit our sick and shut-in Brothers. If you are unable to visit, please send a card with a note. It will be very much appreciated.

Only Having Insurance "Through Work" DOESN'T WORK

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It's very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there's a possibility that you (or your spouse) could change employers, or even lose your job.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having "through work" insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family's actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I'll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you'll know exactly where you stand.

*Receive a complete Family Needs Analysis at my expense.
Ask about our GUARANTEED LIFE INSURANCE, ANNUITIES,
LONG TERM CARE & DISABILITY INSURANCE



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DONATION REQUESTS

Because of the ongoing requests for donations, both through the mail and from the floor at Council Meetings, the following procedure to address such requests has become necessary:

All donation requests should have supporting documentation that explains their purpose and beneficiaries. This documentation should be presented to the Council officers for their review. The Council officers, after review, will provide a recommendation on each request to the general membership at the subsequent Council meeting. The recommendations will be voted on at that time.

This procedure will apply to all mail requests and requests made from the floor. Please remember this procedure if you have a request to be made.

Phil Kwasny

VETS Returning Home



I have had several inquiries about giving large appliances like stoves, refrigerators and freezers to the Vets Returning Home program. When these vets leave, they typically move into apartments which already have these appliances. Therefore, the Vets Returning Home organization cannot use these kinds of appliances.

If you have furniture that you wish to donate, they will come to your house for pick-up. The direct number for pick-up is 586-285-5606. When you call they will establish a scheduled time and date for pick-up.

If you have any questions, please call me at 586-469-1997.

Thanks,

Phil Kwasny

Calendar of Events

| July 9 th July 26 th July 27 th July 28 & 29 th | 7:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm | General Membership Meeting: 6:30 pm Meal Council Planning Meeting Set up Tent for Ice Cream Social Council Ice Cream Social after all Masses |
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| August 13 th August 18 th August 18 & 3 August 23 rd August 25 th August 29 th | 7:30 pm 8:30 am 19 th 7:00 pm 5:00 pm 6:00pm 7:30 pm | General Membership Meeting: 6:30pm Meal K of C District Admission (1 st) Degree at St. Clement Council Camping Trip at Lakeport State Park Council Planning Meeting District Corporate Communion and Officer Installation at St. John Vianney Officer Installation with Dinner to Follow District Planning Meeting at St. Isadore: 7:00pm Meal |



Career Opportunity:

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. They offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. See the new Supreme Council website for career opportunity: http://kofc.org/careers . For more information, please contact, Don M. Wesley FICF, General Agent, at 888-393-7539, or don.wesley@kofc.org

The Lighter Side



Now that the kids are on summer recess:

1. A little girl was talking to her teacher about whales. The teacher said it was physically impossible for a whale to swallow a human because even though it was a very large mammal, its throat was very small.

The little girl stated that Jonah was swallowed by a whale.

Irritated, the teacher reiterated that a whale could not swallow a human; it was physically impossible.

The little girl said, "When I get to heave, I will ask Jonah."

The teacher asked sarcastically, "What if Jonah went to Hell?"

The little girl replied, "Then you ask him."

2. A kindergarten teacher was observing her classroom of children while they were drawing. She would occasionally walk around to see each child's work.

As she got to one little girl who was working diligently, she asked what the drawing was.

The girl replied, "I'm drawing God."

The teacher paused and said, "But no one knows what God looks like."

Without missing a beat, or looking up from her drawing, the girl replied, "They will in a minute."

A Sunday school teacher was discussing the Ten Commandments with her five and six year olds.

After explaining the commandment to 'honor' they Father and they Mother, she asked, "is there a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters?"

Without missing a beat, one little boy (the oldest of a family) answered…"Thou shall not kill."

4. One day a little girl was sitting and watching her mother do the dishes at the kitchen sink. She suddenly noticed that her mother had several strands of white hair sticking out in contrast on her brunette head.

She looked at her mother and inquisitively asked, "Why are some of your hairs white, Mom?"

Her mother replied, "Well, every time that you do something wrong and make me cry or unhappy, one of my hairs turns white."

The little girl thought about this revelation for a while and then said, "Mommy, how come ALL of Grandma's hairs are white"?

5. A teacher was giving a lesson on the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, she said, "Now class, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it and I would turn red in the face."

"Yes," the class said.

"Then why is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?"

A little fellow shouted..."Cause your feet aren't empty."

6. The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note and posted on the apple tray:

"Take only ONE. God is watching."

Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies.

A child had written a note, "Take all you want. God is watching the apples."

Why Become a Knight

We become Knights:

To promote <u>Service</u> to <u>Church</u> and help our parish grow in faith, to promote <u>Community</u> by getting to know our fellow parishioners and help with charitable projects, to promote <u>Family</u> to enjoy family events and promote family prayer, and to promote <u>Pro-Life</u> programs and <u>Youth</u> programs that promote healthy lifestyles.

<u>To Show Support for the catholic Church</u> Composed of a fraternity of 1.8 million Catholic men. The Knights have been a foundation of support by performing various projects for the Universal Church as well as working with Bishops of various churches in the United States.

<u>The Knights of Columbus are Pro-Family.</u> Since the traditional family is composed of husband, wife and children, the Knights see them as the core, foundation, and fabric for all society.

<u>The Knights are Pro-Life</u> They believe life begins at conception and ends at natural death, and always seek the intercession of the Holy Family when it comes to family life.

The Knights of Columbus are Faithful to the Catholic Church by being obedient to and promoting the teachings of the Church, it's Bishops and Priests and showing fidelity to the See of Peter.

The 24 Hour Knight

You can become an Active and Involved Knight by committing just **24** hours a year.

- **4 hours a year** Attend council Corporate Communions, Prayer Services or Praying the Rosary.
- **4 hours a year** Attend at least two Council Meetings a year.
- **2 hours a year** Help at Church and Community Functions, such as: Working in the Parish Food Bank, or the Adopt a Road Program, Donate Blood, or Walk in Right to Life Parade.
- **2 hours a year** Help with the Annual MI Drive.
- **2 hours a year** Help at a Youth Activity, such as: Free Throw Contest, Poster Contest, Children's Christmas Party, Easter Egg Hunt, etc.

- **4 hours a year** Help at Council Fund Raisers, such as: Pancake Breakfast, Lenten Fish Fries, Texas Hold'em events, etc.
- **2 hours a year** Read Council, State and Supreme Publications.
- **4 hours a year** Enjoy Council Social Activities, such as: Dinners, Council Picnics, Ice cream Social, Tiger Knight at Comerica Park, etc.

Make a stand, and you can discover how easy it is to make a difference in your life and that of others.

May God Bless You and your Families with His Joy and Peace.

Please pass this on to catholic gentlemen that you may know.

Thank you Phil Mularski

Who Are You Going To Believe?

When it comes to social issues, media awareness, and reports on news of the Catholic community in Michigan, listen to *Catholic Connection* hosted by Teresa Tomeo, from 8:00 am to 10:00 am, Mon-Fri on Good Shepherd Catholic Radio – FM 93.3 and AM 1510 in Jackson. This is a daily live call-in program designed to offer Catholics and other Christians an opportunity to hear from and talk with some of the leading apologists and theologians in the Church today. In the Lansing area, stream live on GSCR.org or smartphone app. To make this programming available to everyone with a radio in the Lansing area, help us bring a Catholic radio station to Lansing – call 517-513-3340.



Happy Birthday!!



| Robert Pastrick | July 2 |
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| Alton Obrecht | July 3 |
| Robert Tusset | July 4 |
| Thomas Jarfas | July 5 |
| Ronald Marrese | July 6 |
| Gerald Grzech | July 7 |
| Fr. Joseph Hund | July 9 |
| Jerry Hund | July 10 |
| Thomas Pardo | July 10 |
| Richard Miller | July 11 |
| Justin Cabe | July 12 |
| Joseph Shalla | July 13 |
| Mary Russo | July 17 |
| Joseph Mejaly | July 17 |
| Robert Tette | July 17 |
| Carol Serafino | July 18 |
| Jeff Daris | July 18 |
| Henry Kwiatkowski | July 18 |
| Phillip Mularski | July 18 |
| Richard Emmers | July 20 |
| Leonard Gutkowski | July 20 |
| Dominic Carraffelli | July 22 |
| John Filipkowski | July 23 |
| Timothy Burtka | July 24 |
| Rosemary Schulte | July 25 |
| Joanne Sziisz | July 25 |
| Robert Ratusznik | July 25 |
| Michael Olejniczak | July 26 |
| Daniel Steele | July 28 |
| Del DiFalco | July 29 |
| Paul DeMetsenare | July 29 |
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If you'd like to see your birthday posted, please send an e-mail to Chris Gapczynski at spot-

knights11689@gmail.com, or call at (586) 263-5942.

Happy Anniversary!!



Frank & Janice Burda July 9

Jeff & Chris Gapczynski July 20

August & Michelle Oliveri, Jr. July 21

Leon and Lorrayne Eggers July 22

If you'd like to see your anniversary posted, please send an e-mail to Chris Gapczynski at spot-knights11689@gmail.com, or call at (586) 263-5942.

For the Good of the Order

Please keep the Knights,
Relatives or Acquaintances of Knights
below in your prayers.

Jenna Agan Carol Alexander Lorraine Asaro Kevin Bondra **BK Ralph Colosimo Ronald Cook Laury Corwell** Louis DeLuca Michael Denomme Char DePerro Claudia Dombrowski Jill Gapczynski SK Angelo Garavaglia Bill Gowland Betty Gutkowski Leonard Gutkowski **BK Mike Hoste** Barbara Hubbard BK Jim Hubbard Beth Hund Ed Hund Sue Hund Caroline Krmel **BK Hank Leflere** Leanne Mackay Ronald McGraw Fred Neumann Christopher Okerhjelm Daniel Okerhjelm Patricia Okerhjelm BK Rick Okerhjelm Carl Pilarski Kenneth Pullis BK Joe Roehrig Ellen Rozmary PGK SK Carl Sziisz Joanne Sziisz Mildred Tarbuck Nicholas Ursini **Christine Voiland Bob Williams** Lynn Williams BK Deacon Ed Wilson **Betty Wolf** Linda Wolf

Please Remember our Beloved Deceased Brother Knights



Carl A. Owen March 5, 1997 Frank C. Kave October 3, 1998 Chester E. Raszkowski August 8, 2000 Robert A. Post August 1, 2001 Martin W. Rosenau September 24, 2001 Julius T. Abraham October 8, 2001 Clemente Truden December 7, 2001 Walter F. Kawka December 25, 2002 James P. Koss May 4, 2003 Dominic Morello March 12, 2005 John P. Banas April 16, 2005

Catan W. Bernardo June 13, 2006 June 28, 2006 Robert W. Majkowski Alfonso Carvajal March 11, 2007 Brian R. McGinnis October 24, 2007 Arthur J. Hug January 17, 2008 James Bischoff February 11, 2008 Russell J. Licovoli April 2, 2008 Donald Lynch May 1, 2008 Joseph Anthonucci November 18, 2008

John Billotti May 20, 2009

Morris Demetsenare July 9, 2009

Conrad Leder September 5, 2009

Joseph T. Frontera September 7, 2009

Gary Golec April 4, 2010

Walter Baumgart August 15, 2010 **Robert Serafino** January 16, 2012 **Guy Serafino** March 7, 2012 **Thomas Saura** April 3, 2012 Frank Gaal January 12, 2012 William Carron July 8, 2012 Gregory Kropidlowski May 11, 2014 Vincent McInnes August 16, 2014 Joseph Ricard September 22, 2014 Albert Johnson January 22, 2015 Joseph Godell February 5, 2015 Raymond Dawson February 25, 2015 Michael J. Francis February 28, 2015 **Donald Duff** July 30, 2015 Harold Patterson October 20, 2015

March 26, 2016 John Marotta Ralph Labadie March 27, 2016 Reginald Topolewski June 28, 2016 James Kaza September 26, 2016 John Russo March 15, 2017 Ed Marcinkowski August 30, 2017 September 6, 2017 Ross Vizzaccerro Joseph Bono September 28, 2017 Bruno Belline January 28, 2018

November 22, 2015

February 20, 2016

March 16, 2016

William Galbraith

Donald Badowski

Fr. Louis Grandpre

James LisuzzoFebruary 1, 2018Carl R MaronMay 9, 2018Ken DombrowskiJune 8, 2018

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| Deputy Grand Knight | Tom Gray | 586-468-2165 |
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| Outside Guard | Gerry Vento | 810-964-6393 |
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| 3 Yr Trustee | PGK Art Krygowski | 586-298-8398 |
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| Pro-Life Chairman | Sal Ales | 586-263-3483 |
| Communications | Phil Kwasny | 586-469-1997 |



We realize that when illness strikes, it may be difficult to attend our meetings. Please let any member know if another Brother Knight or his family should be added to our prayer list at each meeting.

To place articles in the newsletter contact: Chris Gapczynski at 586-263-5942 or spotknights11689@gmail.com

Articles for the

August newsletter must be submitted by no later than July 17, 2018.

Important Websites

K of C Supreme: www.kofc.org

K of C Michigan State Council: www.mikofc.org

Michigan District #1: www.michigandistrict1.com

St. Paul of Tarsus: www.stpaulof tarsus.com

SPOT Knights: www.spotknights.com

Our Council newsletter is now available online at the St. Paul of Tarsus Parish website, www.stpauloftarsus.com.

Anyone who wishes to view our newsletter via the Internet instead of by regular mail, should contact Chris Gapczynski at 586-263-5942 or at spotknights11689@gmail.com. Doing so would save our Council a great deal of money for printing and postage.

