



The Knight's Shield



St. Paul of Tarsus - Knight's of Columbus Council #11689

December, 2018

Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism

Volume 23

A Word from Grand Knight Mike Hartel

Right after our November newsletter was released, the council held our 6th Annual Trunk or Treat. Due to the weather, the event was brought inside. We estimated over 130 kids attended. We were able to squeeze in some hay rides when the weather did let up. Thank you to everyone who attended and helped out Art and Janice Krygowski & Ray and Lorri Coughlin with this event!

Thank you for your generous donations for Holy Cross Services. The donations are greatly appreciated!

Our council participated in the District Free Throw Contest in early November. Thank you to our Youth Director Art Krygowski and those who participated and helped with this event.

We hosted our District Corporate Communion just before Thanksgiving. There was a good turnout from our council and our district. From our district, we had our District Deputy, Former District Deputy and four of our Districts' five Grand Knights in attendance. Our council also sponsored coffee and donuts after the Mass organized by Rick Okerhjelm! Thank you all for participating!

The Lord has called one of our Brothers home. Brother Larry Novak passed on Monday, November 19th. Larry just transferred to our council earlier this year. Please keep Larry and his family in your prayers.

During the week of Thanksgiving we had many volunteers helping at St. John's for MCREST. Thank you everyone for helping our chairman Ray Coughlin with this very worthy cause for those in our community who are in need at this time!

Jeff Gapczynski is still taking reservations for the upcoming annual casino trip. Please see the newsletter article and flyer for additional information.

Please consider helping our Membership Director Phil Mularski with the membership committee we are forming. We need everyone to help with encouraging our brother Catholic men to consider joining our order.

Art and I will be handing out coats for kids soon at Erie Elementary School.

With the support of Father Jerry, Deacon Marc and the Worship Committee, we have restarted presentation of the Holy Family Statue at Mass in support of Vocations. The purpose of the program is to help promote Vocations with a show of public support and to help remind us to keep vocations in our daily prayers. There is a sign up binder located in the gathering space for parishioners to sign up to receive the statue. Please consider signing up for receiving the Holy Family Statue to help get the program off to a good start.

As the holiday season is upon us, let us remember to Keep Christ in Christmas! If you need a new Keep Christ in Christmas lawn sign or button, we will have some available during our Ham and Kielbasa order dates after Mass. Also, look for our district sponsored "Keep Christ in Christmas" sign on the electronic billboard along M53 at 29 Mile from Thanksgiving through Christmas.

Thank you to all of you who have been at the meetings regularly. Please consider calling someone you haven't seen for a while and ask how they're doing. See if they're in need of a ride or friendly reminder when the next meeting takes place.

Vivat Jesus,

Mike Hartel

Protecting God's Children

As has been mentioned numerous times at Council meetings 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. John Vianney
Shelby Township
Saturday, January 5, 2019 at 9:00 am

St. Andrew
Rochester
Sunday, January 20, 2019 at 1:00 pm

Membership Committee and Rosary Team

I sure hope all is well with all of you. I just want you to know that you are the heart and soul of our council, and all of you are much appreciated. You do a lot to make this a great council, and I know you are busy with life, family and work. However, I really need your help.

I have had one response from one person to help on the Membership Committee, and one person for the rosary on Saturdays. You and I know that our council needs to grow, and all of us are the link to the members of our church community. I know I am asking you to do one more thing; however, your creative ideas and help at the Masses you attend may very well be the key to meet or exceed our membership goal. This membership team would meet and share ideas on how to grow our council and recruit new members. We may meet once a quarter and plan each quarters' activities. We need to kick off our membership drive in the next three weeks.

The Rosary team would be a great testimony to how the Knights are willing to lead our parish in powerful prayers and reflect on how we ask Mary to introduce us to her Son and in turn, we ask Jesus to help us get to know His Mother. Please consider again the possibility of helping out on the Membership Committee or the Rosary team.

May God Bless You All

Phil Mularski

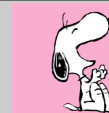
Monthly Prayer Intention



Universal: In the Service of Transmission of Faith

That people, who are involved in the service and transmission of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language suited to the conditions of the present time.

The Lighter Side



A Pastor goes to the post office to buy 50 Christmas stamps for his Christmas cards. "What denomination?" asks the clerk.

The Pastor thinks for a second, "Give me 26 Catholic, 14 Eastern Orthodox and 10 Lutheran."

A man hated his wife's cat.

He drove the cat to the park and left him. When he returned home, the cat was walking up the driveway.

The next day, he drove the cat to another town and booted him out. The man arrived home to find the cat asleep in his chair.

Finally, the man drove 25 miles away, turned right, then left, over a mountain, down into a valley, over a river, around a lake, into a thick forest and dumped the #*\$^ cat. Hours later, he called home to his wife: "Is your cat there?" "Yes" she replied. "Why?" "I'm lost, and I need him to give me directions home."



Our State Membership Motto for 2018:

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

History of our Grand Knights

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| Jeff Gapczynski Charter Grand Knight | January 1995 to June 1998 |
| Leonard Schwartz | July 1998 to June 2000 |
| Stanley Singer | July 2000 to June 2002 |
| George Mejaly | July 2002 to June 2005 |
| George Loewen | July 2005 to June 2007 |
| Ken Grobbel | July 2007 to June 2009 |
| Jerome Hund | July 2009 to June 2011 |
| Karl Sziisz | July 2011 to June 2013 |
| Bruce Arnold | July 2013 to June 2016 |
| Arthur Krygowski | July 2016 to June 2018 |
| Michael Hartel | July 2018 to Present |



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 Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 4:00 pm Mass. This will be a District Corporate Communion.

Lectors:

Acolytes

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

Motions Passed

Ralph Pullis motioned and Steve Kargenian seconded a motion to pay the bills. The motion passed.

Jeff Gapczynski motioned and John Minicuci seconded a motion to purchase a table for ten at the upcoming wild game dinner to be held at DeCarlo's Jan 25th. The motion passed. The dinner proceeds will benefit St. Francis on the Lake Camp.



Rosary and Membership

I am very happy to announce that we have been given the green light from Fr. Jerry and the Worship Commission to proceed with our plans to form a rosary group to recite the Rosary prior to the 4:00 pm Mass. In addition, we have also been given the go-ahead to have a Fraternal Benefits Night in our parish hall.

If you are interested in leading the parish in the rosary on Saturday at 3:15, please email me with your name, address and telephone number and email address. Men, women and young adults are all encouraged to take part in this wonderful ministry. I will create a roster that will show what day you will say the rosary. The more people we have will result in better planning and less time that any one person has to participate.

I am required to form a Membership Committee in order to plan the Fraternal Benefits Night. The job of the committee will be to plan and implement the event. Your ideas will be the most important part of this assignment. In addition, you will be asked to pass out sign-up cards at the Masses you normally attend for the 3 weeks prior to the event. Our worth Insurance Agent should be on this committee.

I am hoping to get 12 volunteers to help on this committee, and I sure would appreciate your help. Our target audience will be the younger families in our parish from 25 to 50 years of age. We would plan a dinner for the families including spouses and children. At the dinner, all the benefits of our organization would be discussed in detail.

Please pray on this and then send me your name, phone number and email address, and volunteer for this very important membership committee. You can make a difference. You already do.

Phil Mularski

Update Your Beneficiaries

Sometimes it is easy to overlook the simplest of things.

Take, for example, the beneficiaries on your life insurance policies. If your policy was applied for and issued several years ago, it may very well be that the person you originally selected as the beneficiary is no longer the person you would want to receive the policy proceeds. If you bought the policy when you were single, for example, you may have named your parents as beneficiaries. If you have since married, your policies should be updated to reflect your spouse as beneficiary. Maybe you've had children since, who are not named on the policies.

Most people list a primary beneficiary, who is specifically designated as the first in priority to receive policy proceeds. We also encourage the naming of a contingent beneficiary, an alternate person designated to receive policy proceeds, usually in the event that the original beneficiary predeceases the insured.

I routinely call all of my policyholders for annual review appointments, usually near the anniversary date of your policy – that is, the date it was originally issued. One of the matters that I'll discuss during this review is the status of your beneficiary designations. If they need updating, and they often do, I can complete the paperwork during that appointment. As always, I look forward to meeting with each of you to discuss your family's needs.

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



Knights of Columbus
INSURANCE
YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE

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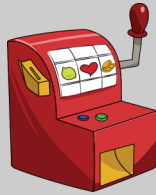
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Annual Casino Trip!



Our annual Casino Trip will take place on Martin Luther King weekend (January 20-21, 2019).

We are again going to Soaring Eagle Casino and Little River Casino. Cost is \$120 per person (double occupancy) \$145 (single occupancy) with up to \$65 in Casino packages.

This is our annual fundraiser for Casey the Teddy Bear. This bear has brought so much comfort to children and elderly in the Emergency Ward at Henry Ford Hospital on 19 Mile Road and Garfield. There is a great need for this bear, so this is a very important fundraiser for our Council.

We are still in need of about 20 passengers. Please ask your friends and relatives if they would be interested in a great weekend of fun.

If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Gapczynski at 586-337-5942. We hope you will join us in this very fun weekend!

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.

Ask Another Brother

All of us as members of the Knights of Columbus are united in the brotherhood of Charity and Fraternity. We often get bogged down by life's pressing events and find ourselves lost in a seemingly never ending battle of making simple tasks more complicated than they need to be.

Sometimes we forget about brothers we haven't seen in a while and then when we think about them we wonder where they are. However, life goes on, we get busy and we soon forget and that fleeting thought becomes a distant memory.

Do we let that memory fade maybe or do we reach out and make a difference. We could reach out and **"Ask Another Brother."**

HOW:

- Call or visit another brother who you have not seen in a while
- Ask them how they are and how their families are doing
- Make the conversation about them
- Ask them to attend a meeting with you
- Ask them to help you on a charitable event
- Share the joy of brotherhood
- Be that person that changes someone's life forever

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 November : **Joe Roehrig**

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

The Family of the Month for November: **"Ray and Sheryl Ignatowski Family."** In recognition of their outstanding service to the Council.

Joe and Ray, please remember to park in your reserved parking spots by the food pantry doors at the December meeting.

New Knights of Columbus Wear

Gentlemen:

The cool weather is coming. This is the time to prepare for your winter Knights of Columbus gear. We have both short-sleeve and long-sleeve polos. Maybe it's time for a new sweatshirt. Remember, we also have K of C stocking caps. The short-sleeve polos, baseball caps and t-shirts are still available. November is the perfect month to purchase these items.

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| Long-Sleeve Polos (Black or Gray) | S-XL \$29 2XL \$31 |
| Sweatshirts (Black or Gray) | S-XL \$27 2XL \$29 |
| Stocking Caps (One size fits all) | \$10 |
| Short-Sleeve Polos (Black or Gray) | S-XL \$25 2XL \$27 |
| Baseball Caps | \$10 |
| T-Shirts (Royal Blue) | M-XL \$10 2XL \$12 3XL \$14 |

CASH OR CHECK WILL BE ACCEPTED WITH ALL ORDERS.
Checks are to be made out to: **K of C Council 11689.**

Thanks...

Craig Thompson

Are You an "APOLOGIST" You probably are...

There are those who rationalize not learning more about the faith, and those who pass up opportunities to explain and defend the faith, by saying things like "I'm not all that concerned about doctrine; I just want to show people the love of Jesus Christ." Well the love of Jesus Christ is the truth of Jesus Christ! In John 18:37, Jesus says, "For this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears my voice."

Doctrines and dogmas are nothing more than the truth given to us by Jesus Christ. They are lampposts lighting the path that leads us to Christ. When you consider all the Scripture passages on truth, it becomes clear that if you

want to share the Love of Jesus Christ with others, you have to share the truth of Jesus Christ with them.

We need to understand that truth is not a concept that each person can bend according their individual whims, truth is a person. Jesus Christ is the truth. And Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever. The fullness of revealed truth that rests in the person of Jesus Christ resides in the Catholic faith.

If we truly love our non-Catholic brothers and sisters, would we not want them to have the truth—the whole truth—that sets them free? And how will they know this truth if we are unable to share this faith with them or unable to explain our faith to them? Will you stand up for the faith, or slink quietly into a corner, when the faith is questioned? Will you act as if you are a member of the Church Militant or the Church Milquetoast?

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

Why Become a Knight?

We become Knights:

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

To Show Support for the Catholic Church

Composed 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.

The Knights of Columbus are Pro-Family

Since the traditional family is composed of husband, wife and children, the Knights see them as the core,

foundation, and fabric for all society.

The Knights are Pro-Life

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 Sea 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 Communion, 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 Fundraisers 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

Calendar of Events

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| December 1 & 2 | | Ham and Kielbasa Orders |
| December 6 | 7:00 pm Start | Council Planning Meeting |
| December 8 & 9 | | Ham and Kielbasa Orders |
| December 10 | 6:00 pm Meal 7:30pm Start | General Membership Meeting |
| December 19 | 6:30 pm | Annual Christmas Party, St. John Neumann Assembly |
| December 20 | | Ham and Kielbasa Pick-up |
| January 14 | 6:30 pm Meal 7:30pm Start | General Membership Meeting |
| January 15 | 7:00 pm Meal 7:30 pm Start | District Planning Meeting at St. Clement of Rome |
| January 17 | 6:30 pm Reg 7pm Start | Admissions (1 st) Degree at St. John Vianney |
| January 20-21 | | Annual Casino Trip to Soaring Eagle and Little River |
| January 24 | 7:00 pm Start | Council Planning Meeting |
| January 26 | After 4:00 pm Mass | Euchre Party |
| February 10 | After 7:45 and 9:30 Masses | Pancake Breakfast |
| February 11 | 6:30 pm Meal 7:30 pm Start | General Membership Meeting |
| February 16 | 8:30 am Reg 9:30 am Start | District Major Degree at St. Isidore |
| February 17 | 11:30 am Mass | District Corporate Communion at SS John & Paul |
| February 28 | 7:00 pm Start | Council Planning Meeting |



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

Happy Birthday!!



| | |
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| Gregory Scofield | October 3 |
| Richard Olejniczak | October 4 |
| Catherine Finn | October 4 |
| Michael DiGiovanni | October 4 |
| Lawrence Kitka | October 5 |
| Janice Krygowski | October 6 |
| Raymond Coughlin | October 7 |
| Chuck Loewen | October 11 |
| Charles Twigg | October 17 |
| Karla Hartel | October 18 |
| Eugene Kapala | October 21 |
| George Trapp | October 21 |
| James Petoskey | October 23 |
| Brian McCarty | October 25 |
| Elaine Kwasny | October 26 |
| Giovan Candela | October 27 |
| Gino Gattari | October 28 |
| Edmund Nowak | October 30 |
| Joseph Matranga | October 30 |
| Greg Csernai | October 31 |

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| Janet Loewen | November 1 |
| Vito Guzzardo | November 1 |
| Rev. Joseph Hund | November 1 |
| Sal Ales | November 1 |
| Scott Ignatowski | November 3 |
| Paula Tusset | November 4 |
| Bruce Arnold | November 5 |
| Mitchell O'Connor | November 5 |
| Henry Leflere | November 7 |
| Guiseppe Riera | November 11 |
| Leonard Sokolowski | November 11 |
| William Hill | November 11 |
| Alan Giroux | November 12 |
| Timothy Treloar | November 13 |
| Connie Colosimo | November 17 |
| Christine Krause | November 18 |
| Leon Eggers | November 19 |
| Gary Sierpien | November 19 |
| James Cosgrove | November 23 |
| Stephen Szypa | November 23 |
| George Mejaly | November 24 |
| Micahel Currie | November 25 |
| Michael William | November 25 |
| Beverly Gattari | November 26 |
| Mike Kramer | November 27 |
| Joseph Hoppersberger | November 27 |
| Patricia Labadie | November 28 |
| David LaGassa | November 28 |
| Anthony Guido | November 29 |
| Dennis Werth | November 30 |

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| Angelo Garavaglia | December 1 |
| Patricia Loewen | December 1 |
| Arthur David, Jr. | December 4 |
| Darryl Troczynski | December 4 |
| Ellen Francis | December 6 |
| Ralph Pullis | December 8 |
| Patricia Guzzardo | December 9 |
| Steven D'Onofrio | December 9 |
| Clarence Gajewski | December 10 |
| Stanley Labuda | December 10 |
| Sandy Grobbel | December 11 |
| Eugene Chelsey | December 11 |
| Michael Koss | December 12 |
| George Schulte | December 14 |
| Zachary Abbott | December 17 |
| Kathleen Sakorafos | December 19 |
| Andrew Callahan | December 19 |
| Natalino DiFalco | December 20 |
| Georgios Sakorafos | December 21 |
| Larry Young | December 21 |
| Sherri Czarny | December 27 |
| Anthony Perfetto | December 28 |
| Thomas Gray | December 29 |
| Gregory Kropidlowski | December 30 |

If you'd like to see your birthday posted, please send an e-mail to Chris Gapczynski at spotknights11689@gmail.com, or call at 586-263-5942.

Happy Anniversary!!



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| Leonard & Betty Gutkowski | October 1 |
| Phillip & Elaine Kwasny | October 1 |
| Charles & Joann Twigg | October 3 |
| George & Lucille Mejaly | October 6 |
| Jim & Kim Murphy | October 7 |
| Norm & Joan Pfaff | October 24 |
| Dave & Michelle Wisneski | October 26 |
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| Daniel & Catherine Finn | November 9 |
| Gino & Beverly Gattari | November 26 |
| Richard & Patricia Okerhjelm | November 26 |

If you'd like to see your anniversary posted, please send an e-mail to Chris Gapczynski at spotknights11689@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.**



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| Jenna Agan | Jean Steele |
| Carol Alexander | Joanne Sziisz |
| Kevin Bondra | PGK SK Karl Sziisz |
| Larry Connell | Gary Tarbuck |
| Louis DeLuca | Mildred Tarbuck |
| Michael Denomme | Bob Williams |
| Claudia Dombrowski | Lynn Williams |
| Phillip Eddins | SK Deacon Ed Wilson |
| BK Guido Fracassa | |
| BK Clarence Gajewski | |
| Jill Gapczynski | |
| Joseph Gapczynski | |
| SK Angelo Garavaglia | |
| BK Mike Hoste | |
| Barbara Hubbard | |
| BK Jim Hubbard | |
| Beth Hund | |
| Ed Hund | |
| Sue Hund | |
| Susan Johnson | |
| Caroline Krmel | |
| Janice Krygowski | |
| SK Chuck Loce | |
| Janet Loewen | |
| Ken Lomasney | |
| Ron Lomasney | |
| Tom Lomasney | |
| Leanne Mackay | |
| SK Joe Marheineke | |
| June Markeineke | |
| George Mejaly | |
| Fred Neumann | |
| Phil Nichols | |
| Patricia Okerhjelm | |
| BK Rick Okerhjelm | |
| Carl Pilarski | |
| Ken Pullis | |
| Paul Ross | |
| Joanne Small | |

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, 'Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.'



Please Remember our Beloved Deceased Brother Knights



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| Carl A. Owen | March 5, 1997 | Thomas Hayes | September 9, 2018 |
| Frank C. Kava | October 3, 1998 | Anthony Valentine | September 16, 2018 |
| Chester E. Raszkowski | August 8, 2000 | Lawrence Novak | November 19, 2018 |
| Robert A Post | August 1, 2001 | | |
| Martin W. Rosenau | September 24, 2001 | | |
| Julius T. Abraham | October 8, 2001 | | |
| Clemente Truden | December 7, 2001 | | |
| Walter W. 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 | | |
| Robert W. Majkowski | June 28, 2006 | | |
| 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 | | |
| William Galbraith | November 22, 2015 | | |
| Donald Badowski | March 16, 2016 | | |
| Fr. Louis Grandpre | February 20, 2016 | | |
| John Marotta | March 26, 2016 | | |
| 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 | | |
| Ross Vizzaccerro | September 6, 2017 | | |
| Joseph Bono | September 28, 2017 | | |
| Bruno Belline | January 28, 2018 | | |
| James Lisuzzo | February 1, 2018 | | |
| Harry Motta | February 26, 2018 | | |
| Carl R. Maron | May 9, 2018 | | |
| Ken Dombrowski | June 8, 2018 | | |
| William F. Gowland | August 31, 2018 | | |

**Officers of S.P.O.T.
K of C Council #11689
District #24**

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| District Deputy | Gary Kopp | 586-873-6906 |
| District Warden | Tom Weisner | 248-761-2455 |
| Chaplain | Fr. Jerry Slowinski | 586-228-1210 |
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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:

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Articles for the January newsletter must be submitted by no later than

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OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



S.P.O.T. K of C Annual Winter Get-Away

Sunday-Monday

January 20-21, 2019

\$120 per person

(Double Occupancy) for
this exciting trip!!

Single - \$145

Up to \$65 back from the

Casinos in

Free play and food!!

Stop at Soaring Eagle on the
Way to Little River



Contact Jeff Gapczynski at 586-337-5942.

Make out checks to: SPOT K of C 11689.

Mail checks to Jeff Gapczynski

41240 Scarborough Ct.

Clinton Twp., MI 48038

Advance reservations are required.

Reservations and payment are due

by no later than December 20,

2018.

Bus departs from the Kroger parking lot at
Garfield and Canal Road at 7:00 a.m. sharp.

Breakfast stop at McDonalds Birch Run.

Little River Casino Trip – S.P.O.T. K of C

January 20-21, 2019

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All Rooms are Non-Smoking

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Special Bus or Hotel needs for _____

Total Paid \$ _____



**ST. FRANCIS CAMP ON THE LAKE
WILD GAME DINNER
GUN RAFFLE**



and

Silent Auction

FRIDAY - JANUARY 25, 2019

DeCarlo's Banquet and Convention Center

6015 E. 10 MILE RD WARREN 48091 586-759-6500

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM—DINNER @ 7:30

TICKETS:

\$50.00 IN ADVANCE (BEFORE JAN 19, 2019)

\$55.00 AT THE DOOR

TABLES OF TEN \$450. 00

(BEFORE JAN 19, 2019 - \$500.00 AFTER

INCLUDES:

DINNER including DRAFT BEER and CASH BAR

HONORARY CO-CHAIRMEN

**William Chasse - State Deputy
Knights of Columbus**

&

**Clifton Dake - Supreme Director
Order of Alhambra**



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