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Grand Knight - Edward Seipel
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Chancellor - Bob Lager
Recorder - Bryan Grow
Financial Secretary - Harry Schieber
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2014-2015 OFFICERS

Chaplains	Father Martin & Father Reginald
Grand Knight	Edward Seipel
Deputy Grand Knight	Rick Smail
Chancellor	Bob Lager
Recorder	Bryan Grow
Treasurer	Art Filips
Advocate	Clement Wiederholt
Warden	Tom Spire
Inside Guard	Josh Heintz
Outside Guard	Tim Conover
Trustee for 1 Year	Rick Rogers
Trustee for 2 Years	Mike Grudzinski
Trustee for 3 Years	Ron Spire
Financial Secretary	Harry Schieber
Lecturer	Ron Mathias

NEW FRATERNAL YEAR

Your brother Knights listed above have agreed to serve as officers for this upcoming fraternal year. For those who have never held office in our council, this is a time-consuming commitment. Please thank these members and support them as they work to bring you the many different programs and activities listed on the "Calendar of Events" on Page 2. We need everyone's help to make our programs a success. Remember - you get out of your membership what you put into it.

CHARITY

- \$1,687.16 (the profits of our 3rd Fish Fry) to Camp Quality. Once again our Council also provided workers to serve lunch at Camp Quality on the opening day of camp: Les & Janet Smith, Brian Allen, Ed Seipel, Mike Grudzinski and Auxiliary member Katey Lipiec and her friend Danny Jones. (See pictures on Page 3)
- \$500 to Michael Filips - Michael is the recipient of our annual scholarship to a graduating HS Senior who attends St. Gregory's (Maryville), St. Benedict's (Burlington Junction), or St. Paul's (Tarkio). (See picture on Page 3)
- \$100 to Conception Abbey (Lenten Appeal)
- \$100 to Parish Kitchen and \$50 to our Ladies Auxiliary for supplies and help during our Lenten Fish Fries.
- \$100 for 5 Masses for longtime member Leonard Malone who passed away. Leonard was the epitome of a Knight - always ready to help and he always had a kind word to say about others. Due to his health, he had not been active for several years, but those who knew will most certainly miss him.

AS KNIGHTS . . .

We take good men, looking to be better men, and give them the opportunity to be great through our church, family and community programs!

DUES

There are **still** about 30 members who have not yet paid their 2014 council dues! If your membership card still has 2013 printed on it, please take care of this IMMEDIATELY.

Dues	\$30.00
Meet Life	\$10.00 (optional)
Optional Total	\$40.00

Please send your check, made out to "K of C Council 1339" to:

Harry Schieber
145 South Grand Ave.
Maryville, MO 64468

BENEFIT FISH / CHICKEN FRY FOR THE CRISIS PREGNANCY CENTER OF MARYVILLE

Please mark your calendars for Friday, July 11, as we will have a benefit Fish/Chicken Fry to help raise money to place an ultrasound machine in the Crisis Pregnancy Resource Center of Maryville. As many of you know, through the state's "Meet Life" program, in conjunction with Supreme, the State Council has been placing ultrasound machines in Pregnancy Resource Centers across the state - to date, 34 machines have been placed. (Once a jurisdiction raises half of the money needed to purchase an ultrasound machine (which retails for around \$35,000) Supreme will provide the other half of the cost.) The Maryville Center is now next in line to receive one, once enough funds have been raised through state-wide Meet Life collections. This will hopefully occur sometime this summer.



We decided this was the perfect opportunity to have a benefit for the Center - first to allow the people in this area (both Catholic and non-Catholic) to support it, and also to provide it with publicity. The Center is here and ready to help women facing unexpected pregnancies.

We will run this much like our Fish Fries, except that we will be using the Parish Multipurpose Center (Gymnasium) instead of the Parish Hall. This will give us much more room for people to eat, and will allow us to set our cooker right outside of the kitchen (on the east side), so it will be more convenient to bring the freshly cooked fish and chicken into the serving area.

The menu will be much the same as our Fish Fries, except that we also be offering chicken fillets (which will be breaded in the same coating as our fish), for those who do not like fish. (Thus we will not be offering Grilled Cheese sandwiches.) And remember we will also need EVERY Knight to provide a dessert to be served that evening. We will also need Knights for food preparation, set up tables and chairs, cook fish, serving line, clean up, etc.

This is your chance to help save a baby's life, right here in Maryville. We hope you can help out with this.

CLERGY APPRECIATION DINNER

Every two years we hold a special dinner to show the clergy in our area how much they mean to us. This year Knights from Maryville, Conception Junction, Savannah, Stanberry and Bethany came together on March 30 at Conception Abbey and we were joined by the priests who service our area (including Fr. Martin); but also by Abbot Gregory and other priests from the Abbey, several nuns from the Convent at Clyde, as well as nuns from Savannah. We were also very pleased to have State Deputy Brad Grill and his wife Clarissa join us as well. (Please see pictures on Page 3.) For those who were not able to join us, it was a very nice evening and I know that that our religious appreciate it anytime we thank them for devoting their lives to serving God and their fellow man.

EVENTS FOR 2014-2015 FRATERNAL YEAR

Please look over the calendar on the right column as this gives you an overview of what we have planned for the upcoming Fraternal Year. Some events we hope that you highlight to put into your calendar:

- July 11 - Fish/Chicken Fry for the Crisis Pregnancy Center of Maryville. (Additional details on Page 1)
- September 13 - We will do an evening of "Horse Races" to raise money for St. Gregory's School.
- October 5 - We will pray the rosary at our Monument to the Unborn prior to 8:00 AM Mass
- October 17-19 - Our Drive for Persons with Developmental Disabilities will take place where we pass out Tootsie Rolls.
- November 8 - We will have our annual "Knights Mass" at 5:00 PM, which will be followed by a meal. Prior to Mass we recite the Rosary in remembrance of all of the members who have gone before us.
- December (Date TBA) - While this is tentative, we hope that Kawasaki once again has a holiday party in which we work as a fundraiser.

STATE COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

After serving as District Deputy for 2 years, Rick Rogers decided to step down, and State Deputy-Elect Keith Milson has asked Ron Mathias to take over that role. We thank Rick for the two years he put into this position, and the great job he did with it. We are in good hands though, as I know Ron Mathias will do everything he can to serve this District.

Mike Grudzinski will also continue on at the State level as he was asked to serve as the state's General Program Director. This means that he is over all of the Directors of each of our service programs (Church, Community, Council, Family, Respect Life, RIB & Youth). He is also in charge of putting together the State Directory and Program Manual, as well as the monthly State newsletter.

2014-2015 TENTATIVE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July - NO BUSINESS MEETING
July 11 - Chicken/Fish Fry For Crisis Pregnancy Center of Maryville (Parish Center)
July TBA - Officers Only Meeting
Aug. 13 - First Degree / Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Aug. TBA - Feed Bearcat Football Team (Parish Hall)
Aug. 24 - Welcome Students BBQ (Newman Center)
Sep. 10 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Sep. 13 - Horse Races Fundraiser for St. Gregory's School
Sep. TBA - Family Picnic / Officer Installation (Social Hour 6:00, eat at 7:00) (Location TBA)
Oct. 4 - Provide Bartenders for "Lettuce Dream" Dinner
Oct. 5 - Pray Rosary before Mass (Statue to Unborn)
Oct. 8 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Oct. 17 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls at HyVee & Walmart
Oct. 18 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls at NW Homecoming Parade
Oct. 18-19 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls after all Masses
Nov. 8 - Knights Memorial Mass (Rosary Prior to Mass - Dinner afterward in Parish Center)
Nov. 12 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Dec. TBA - Kawasaki Holiday Party (*Tentative*)
Dec. 10 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
- 2015 -
Jan. 3-4 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Jan. 14 - Monthly Meeting (Knights Room)
Jan. 17 - 5th-6th Grade Boys & Girls Basketball Tournament (Maryville Community Center)
Jan 31-Feb 1 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Feb. 8 - Knights Free Throw Contest (Parish Center)
Feb. 11 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Feb. TBA - 2nd & 3rd Degrees (Conception Seminary College)
Feb. TBA - Help Ladies Auxiliary with Mardi Gras Brunch
Feb. 20 - Fish Fry #1 (Parish Hall)
Feb. 20 - Knights Lead "Stations of the Cross" (Church)
Feb. 28-Mar. 1 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Feb. 28 - (*Tentative*) Fellowship Social (Knights Room)
Mar. 6 - Fish Fry #2 (Parish Hall)
Mar. 11 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Mar. 27 - Fish Fry #3 (for Camp Quality) (Parish Hall)
Mar. 29 - Founders Day
Apr. 8 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Apr. 18 - 4th Degree Exemplification (KC Airport Hilton)
Apr. 24-26 - State Convention (Jefferson City - Capitol Plaza Hotel)
May 13 - Monthly meeting (Steak Fry - Wives Invited)
June 10 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
For the most up-to-date information on council activities, please visit our council web page www.kofc1339.org and click on "Upcoming Events"



KEG OF SILVER

April - \$46.50 - Kevin Pitts (not present)
May - No Drawing (Steak Fry)
June - \$52.00 - Olav Lipiec (not present) since the pot was over \$50, names were drawn until the name of a member present was selected - Rick Smail took home \$26.00!



Council Scholarship Winner

The 2014 winner of our \$500 scholarship to a HS graduate who attends any church in our service area is Michael Filips. Michael is the son of Art and Julie Filips and graduated from Maryville HS. Michael will be pursuing a degree in engineering at Missouri University of Science and Technology in Rolla. Congratulations Michael!



Membership

Please be an active recruiter to bring others into our Order. And to help "Ig-Knight" the fire within people to recruit, everyone who signs up a new member from July 1 - March 31 will be entered into a drawing for some great prizes: 1st Prize-46" Samsung LCD TV, 2nd Prize-Kindle Fire HD Tablet, 3rd Prize-\$100 Visa Gift Card.
(Drawing Held at State Convention - Need not be Present to Win)



Clergy Appreciation Dinner - Conception Abbey



Lenten Fish Fries



Danny Jones Katey Lipiec Janet Smith

Brian Allen

Danny Jones

Edward Seipel



St. Gregory's Parking Lot Repair - Phase I