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Grand Knight - Ken Garner
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2019-2020 OFFICERS

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Recorder	Rick Rogers
Treasurer	Ron Mathias
Advocate	Phil Smail
Warden	Dick VanVactor
Inside Guard	Danny Schieber
Outside Guard	Randy Buck
Trustee for 1 Year	Rick Smail
Trustee for 2 Years	Edward Seipel
Trustee for 3 Years	Ron Spire
Financial Secretary	Mike Grudzinski
Lecturer	Tom Spire

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.

MESSAGE FROM OUTGOING GRAND KNIGHT ROBERT RICE

"I would like to thank all the Knights in our Council. I had fun with our socials, learned a lot about our faith, and admire them all for their civic service to our community. I especially thank Mike Grudzinski, Ron Mathias, Roger Laughlin, Rick Smail, Phil Smail, and Ken Garner for giving so much of themselves to our Council. You inspired me."

On behalf of the council, I would like to thank Bob for his two years as Grand Knight. As it is noted above, being an officer is a commitment of time, and serving as Grand Knight requires an even bigger commitment. We made great strides under Bob which I'm sure will continue with incoming Grand Knight Garner.

DUES

There are **still** quite a few members who have not yet paid their 2019 council dues! If your membership card still has 2018 printed on it, please take care of this IMMEDIATELY.

Annual Dues = \$30.00

Please send your check, made out to "KofC Council 1339" to:

Mike Grudzinski
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FISH FRY RESULTS

We once again held four Lenten Fish Fries. Two were for our council and two were benefits. After expenses, here is how we turned out:

- FF #1 - \$2,799 Profit (for our Council)
 - FF #2 - \$2,211 Profit for Special Olympics Missouri. [Plus \$1,185 we collected with Dues making our total donation \$3,396]
 - FF #3 - \$1,736 Profit (for our Council)
 - FF #4 - \$2,125 Profit for Camp Quality NW Missouri.
- In conjunction with our Fish Fries, we made a couple of donations not included with the other expenses:
- \$100 to our Ladies Auxiliary for their help in doing Grilled Cheese sandwiches
 - \$200 to St. Gregory's for the use of their kitchen, dish washer, utility costs, etc.

We would like to thank *everyone* who helped out contributing to their success.

Please mark your calendars for February 28, March 6, March 20 and March 27, 2020 as that will be when we have our Fish Fries next year. We still need to decide who will be the recipient of the profits from the March 6 fry.

CHARITY

- \$500 to the parish to help fund Catechesis of the Good Shepherd training.
- \$500 to our scholarship winner Vanessa Klotz (daughter of Steve and Kim Klotz) who will be attending Mizzou in the Fall. (Picture on Page 3)
- \$1,500 to Conception Junction Council #1931 as they raise funds to build a new council hall.
- \$100 to the Heart of America Tractor Cruise
- \$50 to the Nodaway News Leader for an ad related to an article on charitable organizations in the county.
- Our Council provided volunteers to serve Breakfast and Lunch on the opening Sunday of Camp Quality. This is what one of our volunteers had to say about their experience:



"Some of the kids came in early this year. It was hard not to have something get in your eye when you saw how happy the kids were with what they are dealing with and thinking what the Parents are feeling every day. If those kids can have Cancer and smile like they were, what do the rest of us have to be gloomy about. Looking forward to helping again next year."

STATE CONVENTION

At the State Convention in April, Bob Hawkins was unanimously reelected to serve a 2nd one-year term as your State Deputy. I am pleased to announce that he asked Ron and Amy Mathias to continue to serve as the Ladies Auxiliary Chaircouple for the State for another year as well. (On a side note - Ron & Amy have done an OUTSTANDING job with the Ladies. They have created entertaining events for the ladies to do at the State Meetings, and even updated the Ladies Auxiliary logo). State Deputy Hawkins also re-appointed Rick Rogers to serve one final year as District Deputy. Thanks Rick for the great job you do as our District Deputy. And I (Mike Grudzinski) was also reelected for a 2nd term as the State Secretary.



EVENTS FOR 2019-2020 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:

- October 6 - We will pray the rosary at our Monument to the Unborn prior to the 8:00 AM Mass
- October 25-27 - Our Drive for Persons with Developmental Disabilities will take place where we distribute Tootsie Rolls at HyVee and Walmart, the NW Homecoming Parade, and after all Masses.
- November 9 - We will have our annual Knights Mass / Memorial Mass at the Saturday 5:00 services. Prior to Mass we will pray the Rosary in remembrance of all members who have gone before us. All ministries during the Mass will be performed by Knights as well.
- We do not have all of the details set yet, but our council is planning on hosting a bible study again starting in the Fall. It will once again be a video series put on by Jeff Cavins, but this one will focus on the Gospel of Matthew. It will be open to everyone in the parish, and we will promote it in the bulletin when time nears. We will once again purchase the workbook for anyone who wants to participate.

INSURANCE AGENT UPDATE

They have still not been able to find a Field Agent for our area, so you are asked to contact the assistant General Agent, Luke Henry, who can assist you. If you know anyone interested in a FA position, please let Luke know.



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2019-2020 TENTATIVE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July - **NO BUSINESS MEETING**

July TBA - Officers Only Meeting
Aug. 14 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Aug. 18 - Welcome Students BBQ (Newman Center)
Sep. 11 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Sep. TBA - Family Picnic / Officer Installation (Social Hour 6:00, eat at 7:00) (Location TBA)
Sep. 29 - 5th Sunday Rosary (8:00 AM Mass)
Oct. 6 - Pray Rosary before 8:00 Mass (Statue to Unborn)
Oct. 9 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Oct. 25 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls at HyVee & Walmart
Oct. 26 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls at NW Homecoming Parade
Oct. 26-27 - Distribute Tootsie Rolls after all Masses
Nov. 9 - Knights Memorial Mass at 5:00 PM Services (Rosary for Deceased Members Prior to Mass)
Nov. 13 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Dec. 11 - Monthly meeting
Dec. 29 - 5th Sunday Rosary (8:00 AM Mass)
- 2020 -

Jan. 4-5 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Jan. 8 - Monthly Meeting (Knights Room)
Jan. TBA - 5th-6th Grade Boys & Girls Basketball Tournament (Maryville Community Center)
Jan. TBA - Serve lunch for SOMO Basketball Tournament
Feb. 1-2 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Feb. 9 (*tentative*) - Formation & Knighthood (2nd & 3rd) Degrees (Conception Seminary College)
Feb. 9 - Knights Free Throw Contest (Parish Center)
Feb. 12 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Feb. 23 - Ladies Auxiliary Mardi Gras Brunch
Feb. 28 - Fish Fry #1 (Parish Hall)
Feb. 28 - Knights Lead "Stations of the Cross" (Church)
Feb. 29/Mar .1 - Canned Goods for Food Pantry
Mar. 6 - Fish Fry #2 (for cause TBD) (Parish Hall)
Mar. 11 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Mar. 20 - Fish Fry #3 (Parish Hall)
Mar. 27 - Fish Fry #4 (for Camp Quality) (Parish Hall)
Mar. 29 - Founders Day
Mar. 29 - 5th Sunday Rosary (8:00 AM Mass)
Mar. TBA - Clergy Appreciation Dinner (Conception Abbey)
Apr. 8 - Monthly meeting (Knights Room)
Apr. 24-26 - State Convention (Jefferson City - Capitol Plaza Hotel)
Apr. TBA - 4th Degree Exemplification (KC Airport Hilton)
May 13 - Monthly meeting (Steak Fry - Wives Invited)
May 31 - 5th Sunday Rosary (8:00 AM Mass)
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"

50/50 RAFFLES AT MEETINGS

At the end of each meeting we conduct a 50/50 raffle for those who wish to participate. Congratulations to the following winners.

April: Dick VanVector
\$10.00
May: No drawing (*Steak Fry and Horse Races held*)
June: Rick Rogers \$5.00





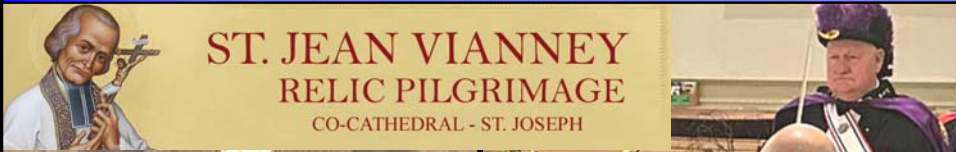
Lenten Fish Fries



Tony Zarybnicky Ed Klaas, Jr.



Roger Laughlin Tom Seipel



ST. JEAN VIANNEY
RELIC PILGRIMAGE
CO-CATHEDRAL - ST. JOSEPH



Danny Schieber stands in a 4th Degree Honor Guard to welcome the SOMO athletes in St. Joseph.



Scholarship Winner Vanessa Klotz with Grand Knight Robert Rice



Newest 4th Degree members Ron Spire & Roger Laughlin with Faithful Navigator Rick Rogers



State Convention - M&M Grudzinski, R&M Rogers, R Laughlin, R&C Spire, R&A Mathias. Not pictured E&K Defenbaugh.