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Grand Knight's Corner

Grand Knight: Jonathan Gnau (717) 487-0234

Membership Recruitment Month: To be held the weekend of November 10th and 11th.

We all know how important new members are to the order. We are unique that each member in our council has a part in controlling our destiny for membership growth. I urge each of you to accept the responsibility to recruit a new member. Your friends, neighbors, family, business associates are all potential members. Please carry a Form 100 with you and don't miss an opportunity.

We are always looking for new projects and ideas for our parish. A new member may just have that idea to keep our council growing. The Knights get closer to their families by being involved as we are a family organization. They will also be helping church, school, and community. The Knights can help you be more in touch with your spirituality as a Catholic.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

FAN THE FIRE is a one day event designed to reach out to teens and help them to either deepen their relationship with Christ or discover it for the first time. The day consists of a dynamic host, high-quality music, talented local, regional and national Catholic youth speakers, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, confession, contemporary Mass, dinner and more. Fan the Fire appeals to both youth and their leaders. This year's event will be held at St. Joseph Catholic School/Church on November 17th. See Dave Simms if you would like to help. Thanks to all the Knights who volunteer in supporting this event.

Pellmans Cheesecakes FUNDRAISER: This year the Knights of Columbus will be selling Pellmans Cheesecakes for Christmas. Information will be the Church bulletin early November.

LIGHT UP FOR CHRIST IN DECEMBER: December 6th is our Light Up for Christ at Saint Joseph Church. I will be coordinating this program with the Youth Group - all are welcome. The Knights will be putting up the Christmas lights prior to this event, see Bill Schreiber if you are interested in helping. ***(Continued on page 2)***



COATS FOR KIDS: Did you know many children throughout the United States and Canada go without a coat each winter? Many low-income families use their scarce resources to meet the most essentials and they need help to provide this vital winter necessity. That's why the Knights of Columbus developed the Coats for Kids program, which allows councils across North America the opportunity to purchase new winter coats for children at a discount and to distribute them to children in need in their local communities. Details to follow.

PLEASE SIR KNIGHTS, if you have just a small amount of time (just a few hours) to give to help with any of the Fund Raisers and/or Events contact:



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PEACE OF MIND: Permanent life insurance is a flexible and secure asset, like no other. How many things in life offer peace of mind, a predictable cost, guaranteed value, and favorable tax treatment? Well, not too many, right? Permanent life insurance is uniquely situated to serve you in a way like nothing else can.

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Meeting Schedule:

- **Officer's meetings are the First Tuesday of each month.**
- **General meeting are the 3rd Tuesday of each month 6:30 Rosary, Meeting 7:00 and Social after.**

The Word from Our Chaplain Fr. Jim



Daily Bread

By Fr. James Menkhus, OFM Cap.

When do we ever have **enough**? Enough to say that we want no more? How much is enough for retirement? Enough for the children's education? Enough to protect against whatever might happen? Whether we are protected by pieces of rock, umbrellas, good hands or any other insurers' logo, read the fine print. None of them will guarantee that nothing bad could ever happen to you.

Today I am lowering my sights. I am asking today for daily bread...no more, no less. Today I ask our Father to provide me with what I will need today. And tomorrow I plan on asking again.

I remember my childhood nursery rhymes well enough to know that "none" does not rhyme with "bone." I remember being troubled that Mother Hubbard had gone looking in her pantry for something to feed her dog, and couldn't find so much as an old soup bone to feed the poor animal. The rhyme never said how the lady fed herself. "Give us today our daily bread."

Maybe I have lowered my sights too much. Maybe I should ask the Lord for a full cupboard, a stunning closet, a bulging bank account, and years to enjoy it. Maybe I should ask the Lord for everything at once. There must be so many people asking for so many things, all at the same time. He must be terribly busy. "I'll tell you what, Lord, give me everything I need, and I promise you I will never bother you again."

And I picture him saying, "It's no bother. Ask me again tomorrow." Daily bread, not just what we need for today, but **only** what we need for today. Tomorrow we must ask again.

At times I feel like I am in the desert with Moses. The manna that we collected today only lasts for a day. The water that springs from the rock only springs from **this** rock, and we must move on. Tomorrow we will need more manna, tomorrow we will need to find another rock...and the lord will have to provide.

There is the rub. If I myself possessed all that I need, I would never need to ask...I would never need to depend upon someone else. And here I am suspended between two communications: what the Lord provides today and what I must trust he will provide tomorrow.

It is the **between** that worries me. When my needs have been provided for, I must wait patiently again for his next act of divine providence. Daily bread also means daily waiting, daily expectation. Faith must bring me from this day to the next.

And by faith alone will I face this day with expectation. With the hope of a child who believes that his/her parents will provide not only what I need, but as I need. Believe me, Lord, I will ask again tomorrow. And I will thank you again for your daily bread.



Misericordia Nursing & Rehabilitation Center

Presented our Gift,
Said the Rosary in the Chapel
Were treated to an Outstanding
Dinner,
Held our monthly meeting.
Everyone enjoyed the Evening!





District Deputy column

Time and again, I have stressed that we have nothing less than a moral obligation to offer membership in the Knights of Columbus to every eligible Catholic man. To accomplish this, I am asking dedicated brother Knights like you to be ambassadors, to reach out to Catholic men and their families and invite them to become part of our Order.

The Servant of God Father Michael J. McGivney founded our Order more than 134 years ago, and yet we have only just begun to realize our true potential. New members are essential to our success; the Order's *tomorrow* depends on our recruitment *today*!

We must be creative in our recruitment efforts, and I am pleased to promote an exciting web site feature that we hope will facilitate membership recruitment. Please visit the [Why Join?](#) feature and see how it can help in your recruitment efforts. This multimedia presentation offers powerful testimonials from Knights like you about their experiences in the Order.

Please encourage prospective members and their families to visit the "Why Join?" feature at their convenience and in the comfort of their own homes. In so doing, they can see why being a Knight of Columbus truly is an experience of a lifetime.

Thank you in advance for your efforts to bring new members into our ranks. Working together, I am confident that the Knights of Columbus will continue to thrive as the preeminent lay Catholic organization in the world.

Submitted by District Deputy Pat Workinger





DEAR BROTHER KNIGHT:

The Knights of Columbus offers men a place to lead their families and communities in faith and service and put their Faith into Action.

Knights of Columbus members, parishes and families have the opportunity to make a meaningful difference through 32 Supreme Council-recommended programs.

Organized into Faith, Family, Community and Life categories, the Faith in Action program model empowers Knights to come together to share faith, celebrate fraternity with loved ones, and do what they do best---stand shoulder to shoulder in service to the community and to defend life at all stages and in every condition.

Faith Grow in faith and build a strong parish and Church. Aid priests and religious in formation.

Community Make a powerful difference in your community. Help those less fortunate with the basic human needs of clothing, shelter. Mobility, and compassion.

Family Strengthen families through faith and service. Socialize and pray with other faith-filled Catholic families.

Life Create a culture of life. Assist pregnant women in need, and empower those with special needs to realize their full potential.

Please join me in putting our faith into action today, and every day.

Fraternally yours,

JON DEAKIN



Knights of Columbus Eucharistic Adoration Schedule

November 2018

Gary Workinger	November 3 rd
Dennis Hummel	November 10 th
Bill Schreiber	November 17 th
Luis Garcia	November 24 th

December 2018

Bert Grentz	December 1 st
Andy Bria	December 8 th
Joe Halza	December 15
Orian Morgan	December 22 nd
Robert Bertuccio	December 29 th

Baptism Schedule 2018

All Baptism's are at 12:00 Noon on Saturday's

11/17 -----Bill Schreiber

12/15 -----Chris Walsh

You will be notified if there are any Baptism's for your month.