
	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS St. Andrew Council No. 11275 1899 M ^c Coy Road Columbus, Ohio 43220 Webpage: http://home.earthlink.net/~robenol/kc.html	
January	BULLETIN	2007

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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| Sunday, January | 7 | Free Throw Contest
5:00 p.m.
School Gymnasium |
| Monday, January | 8 | No Meeting |
| Monday, January | 15 | Business Meeting
Rectory Lower Level Meeting Room
7:30 p.m. |
| Thursday, January | 18 | First Degree Exemplification
Council Chambers (Rectory Lower Level Meeting Room)
7:00 p.m. (Degree team and prospective members must arrive by 6:30PM) |
| Sunday, January | 21 | Bus Trip to Annual March for Life, Washington DC |
| Monday, January | 22 | |
| Monday, January | 29 | Social Meeting
Rectory Lower Level Meeting Room
7:30 p.m. |
| Monday, February | 12 | Business Meeting
Rectory Lower Level Meeting Room
7:30 p.m. |
| Monday, February | 29 | Social Meeting
(location TBA)
Open to the public, refreshments and beverages will be served.
7:30 p.m. |

My Dear Brother Knights,

A Happy New Year to one and all! I don't know about you, but I already am arguing with myself over the "New Year's Resolutions" thing. To resolve or not resolve - - that is the question. I am not the first person to find his or her follow-through on New Year's resolutions weakening sometime around January 2nd - - and I will not be the last. Whether or not you make New Year's resolutions, whether or not you keep any resolutions that you have made, may the New Year of 2007 be one in which you experience God's gracious blessings filling your lives and the lives of those who are dear to you.

Blessings and peace.

Fr. Dennis Stevenson
Chaplain

A note from Grand Knight John Schechter

Happy New Year to you and yours! While we have many great memories of 2006 and can count many blessings that we accrued last year, it is now time to look ahead to the opportunities presented to us in the new year.

One of the enjoyable activities conducted by the Knights of Columbus Greater Columbus Chapter is the Annual Clergy Appreciation Dinner. This year's dinner will be held on Sunday, February 11th at the Villa Milano banquet facility on Schrock Road (cash bar at 6:00PM; dinner at 7:00PM). Our council again intends to sponsor the costs of our chaplain and other religious affiliated with St. Andrew parish. The cost for other attendees is \$30 per person. If you are interested in attending this nice event, send a personal check for \$30 per person (written to Knights of Columbus Council # 11275) to Financial Secretary Dan Bruening, 7048 Lakebrook Blvd., Columbus OH 43235. Call Dan (761-7681) with any questions about reservations.

In continuing our 2006-2007 fraternal year, we will have many more opportunities for charitable activities, family get-togethers, vocations support, and community service. These areas form the pillars of the Knights of Columbus. We also plan on a variety of social meetings, mixing some evenings of thoughtful and engaging speakers with other evenings that are just plain fun! I want to thank several Knights who led several activities during the month of December. Eric Schroeder did nicely in tending to many details of our Christmas tree sale and was assisted by an army of committee members and volunteers from both the Knights and the St. Andrew School Athletic Association. Also, our annual Salesian Center food basket project would not have been possible without the leadership and commitment of Ed Dagenfield, Dave Shiddenhelm, Marty Majka, Bob Slater and many other Knights, spouses, family members and friends. Thanks as well to the Knights who collected contributions at the church doors to fund the Salesian Center project. Finally, our traditional Christmas Banquet was capably arranged by Bill and Patti Meyer, and I thank them for making possible a very pleasant evening for those in attendance.

May all of our Knights and their loved ones find blessings and happiness in 2007!

John Schechter

FREE THROW CONTEST JANUARY 7th

The Council will hold the contest at 5:00 p.m. In the school gymnasium. The contest is for boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 14. Contestants will compete within their own gender and age groups. Winners will move on to the regional and state levels in February and March and some may go on to the International Championship. The Regional Contest will be held on February 24th at Bishop Ready HS and the State Finals will be held on March 17 (yes, Saint Patrick's Day) again at Bishop Ready HS.

NOTICE FROM GRAND KNIGHT

At our regular business meeting on Monday, November 13, 2006 Father Watson addressed the meeting and reviewed plans for a \$1.4 million renovation of the Reed Road property. He asked if our council would be willing to make a \$2,000 annual donation for the next five years. This amount represents approximately our share of profits earned from Christmas tree sales but the commitment would not be tied to the Christmas tree sales. Rather, the council would commit to the \$2,000 annual contribution for the years 2007 – 2011.

The council passed a motion adopting Father Watson's request contingent upon publication of the motion and a final vote to be held at our regularly scheduled business meeting in January 2007. The motion is as follows and was made by Gary Pandora, our council advocate, and seconded by Ed Dagenfield. It was passed unanimously on voice vote following discussion of the motion:

I move that we adopt the request by Father Watson that our council agree to donate \$2,000 annually over the next five years to the Parish for the purpose of renovating the Reed Road property. The motion is made contingent upon publication of the motion in our bulletin and further contingent upon a final vote to adopt the motion at our next scheduled business meeting.

Discussion of the motion will again be permitted prior to the call for a final vote.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH DECEMBER

The Family of the Month is Marty and Jeannie Majka.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH DECEMBER

The Knight of the Month is Ed Dagenfield.



GOOD OF THE ORDER

Your prayers are requested for: Bill and Joan Ensign; Dorothy and Bob Nolan; Bill Fullam; Richard Koeninger, father of Mike; Julie Rutledge and Anthony McLoughlin, father of Julie; and Daniel Meyers



BIRTHDAYS

January

DANIEL	FUSCO	3
SAM	MARTONE	6
ANTHONY	DINOVO	8
JON	LA FRAMBOISE	8
CHRISTOPHER	BAUER	9
LESTER	HESS	9
ROBERT	KRUMMEN	10
TOM	SCHULTE	10
MAURICE	MILNE	11
MICHAEL	KOENINGER	11
JOE	JOSEPH	14
ERIC	SCHROEDER	16
JAMES	ANDERSON	17
RYAN	EBERHARD	17
MICHAEL	GUNNER	20
DANIEL	BRUENING	22
ARNOLD	MORSE	27

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

ANNUAL DUES - - Statements have been mailed to all Knights of our Council for the payment of 2007 membership dues. Please remit your \$40 dues promptly to Financial Secretary Dan Bruening (7048 Lakebrook Blvd., Columbus OH 43235). Also, consider including an extra \$5 "Gimme Five" contribution with your remittance to defray the operating costs of our upcoming Measure-Up campaign this spring.

FIRST DEGREE AT ST. ANDREW COUNCIL

Our Council Degree Team will put on a 1st Degree Exemplification on Thursday, January 18, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers (Rectory Lower Level Meeting Room). Candidates are to arrive by 6:30 p.m. They are to enter through the Rectory "Den" door and will be escorted to the Antechamber.

ATTENTION FIRST DEGREE MEMBERS

Second and Third Degree Exemplifications will be held at Our Lady of Perpetual Help church on February 25th at 12 noon. Candidates must be present by 11:30AM. All 1st degree members are urged to make their 2nd/3rd degree!

4th DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION CEREMONY PLANNED FOR MARCH 17-18

The first 2007 opportunity in the Columbus Diocese for 3rd degree Knights to attain the ultimate level of 4th degree will be on March 17-18 in Newark, Ohio at the Cherry Valley Lodge and Waterpark. The weekend will begin with Mass at 4PM on March 17, followed by a formal banquet for candidates and spouses or guests. Hospitality suites will be open all evening. The 4th degree exemplification ceremony will be conducted on March 18 from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Meanwhile, a Ladies Brunch will be held from 10:00AM to noon. Cost for candidates is \$70 including the banquet meal. Banquet meals for guests cost an additional \$35. Rooms are available for \$99 per night. For a reservation form or more information, contact 4th degree representative Ed Dagenfield (451-3305) or Grand Knight John Schechter (457-9010).

NEW FIELD AGENT

The new field insurance agent for our council # 11275 is Mr. Mike Berry. If you are interested in knowing more about life insurance options or in having a review of your current insurance situation, call Mike at 271-6386.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

The 2007 Catholic Men's Conference for all men of the Columbus Diocese will be held at St. Andrew parish on Saturday, March 10th. Our Knights of Columbus Council # 11275 has been requested to furnish workers to prepare and serve boxed lunches for approximately 900 men who will be in attendance. If you are interested in serving as a co-captain of this effort, please contact John Schechter at 457-9010.

MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETINGS

Members interested in receiving the minutes of Council meetings may obtain them on line by sending an request for them to Lee Such lee.such@sbcglobal.net

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St. Therese of Liseux, often referred to as "The Little Flower" and who was named as the greatest Saint of the century by Pope Pius X, is one of the Saints whose relics are in our altar here at St. Andrew.
Anonymous Sponsor

Matthew and Niles Schechter, sons of Grand Knight John Schechter, point out the "Keep Christ in Christmas" billboard on 5th Avenue in Grandview. It was one of 18 billboards placed by Knights of Columbus organizations around the greater Columbus area during December 2006.



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