



The Sentinel

February 2021– Volume 28 – Issue 2 All Saint's Council #4240 – Menomonee Falls, WI

GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE:

Brother Knights

I joined the Knights of Columbus 14 years ago and in doing so became a fraternal brother in Christ with you in All Saints Council 4240 Menomonee Falls. I was already in my mid-fifties and only wanted to give back to others as I promised Jesus Christ when I prayed to him to heal my wife and show us light thru the dark times since the reason, I joined was my wife Carol's survival through cancer three times. That long, hard, painful journey in our life woke up my Catholic faith and I realized it was a trial of my faith. My wife Carol is a strong but quiet woman with solid faith who told me numerous times during her pain and suffering to not be afraid and trust in God.

I prayed the rosary and to God every day often in tears since we were in a dark and unknown place with no idea what lied ahead, I was afraid. As Carol's health rebounded, I was talking with my brother-in-law who is a 4th degree Sir Knight in GA who told to me join the KC if you want to give back. That struck a huge chord with me and I sent a request to join thru the KC website that same day and within 24 hours I got a call from Mark Wagner, I met with Mark at the clubhouse, interviewed and joined. Tom Ulrich was the Grand Knight and his beloved son Andy joined with me at our 1st degree not knowing God would call him while in college a short time later. I have so much respect for Tom, Luci and Anna who have given so much to this council. I know Andy and I were meant to become Knights together in God's plan. God bless Andy.

Within 6 months of joining, I took my 2nd and 3rd degree and within a year became a 4th degree Sir Knight and member of Holy Hill Assembly 1677. I became involved in this council as much as I could over the next years and served with many of you both here now and many who have since passed and whom are now with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in heaven. Every single man, spouse, or widow I met thru the KC are just solid good people and for that alone I am blessed. I served on the state degree teams and as an honor guard with some of the best men I have ever known. We all share something in our lives that triggered us to become Knights and whatever it was we all share that common denominator in Christ thru living our Catholic faith.

In closing, at my first meeting as GK at the potential new Falls location of Life's Connections at a property Brother Tim Dunne owns, I witnessed firsthand the passion and commitment to protecting the unborn that not only Tim and his wife Reni have but fellow Knights especially PGK Mike Elmer who has championed this cause for over 2 years plus over the past years the efforts of PGK John Schleicher and Brother Mike Krawczyk against abortion. This again solidifies why I became a Knight and that when we stand together, we will triumph in our faith simply because doing the Lords work is always right and good and that is what we are all about. Please support our WI Special Olympics Super Bowl fund raiser named in honor of beloved PGK Drew Dederich who gave so much to this council and lived his faith by example. I am so honored and privileged to serve as your Grand Knight and will do my best following the footsteps of those PGK who came before me. Other than marrying Carol almost 42 years ago the best decision I ever made was becoming a Knight!

January Family of Month - Tim Dunne

Brother Tim has been working with Life's Connection's women's crisis center founder Krys Crawley over the last couple years on a 3rd location in Menomonee Falls in one of his properties and is dedicated to our mission to protect the sanctity of life and the unborn. Tim and his wife Reni are very passionate about their initiative and have dedicated personal funds and a lot of time and effort toward making this site a reality and their fund raising efforts for this additional site that is badly needed in our area. His actions define what we are all about.

January Knight of Month – Tyler Schleicher

Brother Tyler has taken over as editor of this Sentinel from brother Mike Elmer who has carried that torch for several years. As a young man he has jumped into his council roles with both feet volunteering to take over this important role in our council and as an officer. Communication is vital to make sure our readers are keep current on our council.

Vivat Jesus

Don McInnes, Grand Knight

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Grand Knight Don McInnes gives Tim and Renni Dunne, family of the month



General meeting at possible Life's connection location

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS.....

Debra Orth, Karen Weber, Kay Mackowski, Father Rick Wendell, Brother Robert Howe, Brother Jim Endres, Brother Joe Roskopf, Brother Dennis Farrell, Brother Thomas Dueppen, Brother Jim Stuer, Brother Vic Johnson, Brother James Carey, and Brother Mark Wagner.

If you know of a brother in need of our prayers, please let us know.

Clubhouse Information

Clubhouse hours

Clubhouse opens to the public at 3pm on every Tuesday and Friday. It's a great place for family, friends, and coworkers to socialize!

Membership Information

Contact **Mike Elmer at 262-893-5403** or **John Schleicher at 262-893-7306** for membership forms or information. Mike is also available to speak to any potential members about joining, if you'd like his partnership.

Change is good!

...but not if we lose touch! If you move or get a new phone number, or email address, please contact Rick Plumley, our Financial Secretary, at **262-251-7752**, or by e-mail at Rjplumley1@gmail.com.

Our KofC Co 4240 website

Be sure to visit our redesigned website! Let us know how you like it and if there is anything else you'd like to see on it. www.kofc4240.org

Mailing Address

Brother Knights: Please use **P.O. Box 151** when sending correspondence to the Council. Mail is **NOT** delivered to the Water Street address

----- Submitting Sentinel Articles

Interested in submitting an article for the Sentinel? It's easy! Just contact Tyler Schleicher through email address Schleichert12@gmail.com

Menomonee Falls All Saints Council 4240 Officers

Grand Knight – Don McInnes – 262-622-5845

Deputy Grand Knight- Derek Kalscheur- 262-293-3061

Financial Secretary – Rick Plumley – 262-251-7752

Corporation President – Mike Jansen- 262-527-5124

Clubhouse Manager – Mike Vosen – 262-251-7830

Field Agent – Derek Kalscheur – 262-293-3061

Help Wanted!

Events & Program Advertiser – We are looking for someone who will take charge of advertising our councils and corporations events. Duties would include creating/ updating (current) event fliers, sending fliers to our local parishes, and web page handler, creating events/posts promoting events using Facebook, coordinating placing of fliers at local businesses, and utilizing other forms of advertisement for our council. If you are interested in learning more about this position, please contact Mike Elmer @ crazy_e98@hotmail.com or 262-893-5403.

Corporation

no report

CHARITIES REPORT – February 2021

No report

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES – February

February

1 Dyanne Fox	13 John Mackowski	22 Warren Williams
2 Thomas Bakke	14 Rudy Bahlert	23 Rev Norberto Sandoval
4 Jim Waters	14 John Schleicher	24 Bill and Terri Sommers
6 Jim and Marianne Elmer	16 Jenny Jansen	25 Richard Wettstein
6 Harry Goetz	21 Terri Sommers	28 Tom Vrael
6 Carol Kohl	21 Bob Kaiser	
6 Janice Krawczyk	22 James Barbera	
11 Michelle Salomone	22 Jim Pritzlaff	



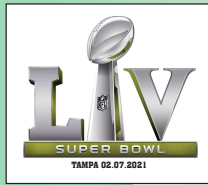
If your birthday or anniversary are not listed, please let me know so I can update the list.

Thanks,

Tyler Schleicher
Schleichert12@gmail.com

Special Cash Raffle

Prizes



- 1) \$1,000.00
- 2) \$500.00
- 3) \$250.00



Only 600 Tickets Sold
\$10.00 each or 3 for \$20

Tickets Available at the KC Clubhouse,
Online at www.kofc4240.org
or Call Dave at 414-881-4505

12th Annual Knights of Columbus
Drew Dederich Memorial
Benefitting Special Olympics of Wisconsin



Super Bowl Sunday February 7th, 2021
2:00 PM to End of the Game
Knights of Columbus Clubhouse



W164 N9161 Water St., Menomonee Falls, WI 53051



Estate Planning
By



Daniel Purtell
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Tim Nowak
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
GENERAL AGENT

WEBINAR
FEBRUARY 23, 2021
7:00PM ~ 8:00PM

**Please come and join us as we
learn about Estate Planning
with Knights of Columbus**

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/
WN_zXbLxh0wR-K14Dgb7mSP9g](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_zXbLxh0wR-K14Dgb7mSP9g)

ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY

JANUARY 1, 2020 THRU DECEMBER 31, 2020

COUNCIL NUMBER 4240 JURISDICTION WI

Section I. Fraternal Program Activities

FAITH ACTIVITIES (where applicable)

	CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS	HOURS OF SERVICE
a. RSVP Program	1000	50
b. Church Facilities	500	2675
c. Catholic Schools/Seminaries	575	1000
d. Religious/Vocations Education	2650	2915
e. Prayer & Study Programs	1050	1050
f. Sacramental Gifts	13000	10400
g. Miscellaneous Faith Activities	1925	3000
TOTAL FAITH CONTRIBUTIONS	20700	21090

FAMILY ACTIVITIES (where applicable)

	CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS	HOURS OF SERVICE
a. Food for Families	1000	505
b. Family Formation Programs		50
c. Keep Christ in Christmas	250	50
d. Family Week		60
e. Family Prayer Night		25
f. Miscellaneous Family Programs	300	250
TOTAL FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS	1550	940

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (where applicable)

	CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS	HOURS OF SERVICE
a. Coats For Kids	1933	1000
b. Global Wheelchair Mission		
c. Habitat for Humanity	155	65
d. Disaster Preparedness/Relief	60	50
e. Physically Disabled/Intellectual Disabilities	2471	510
f. Elderly/Widow(er) Care		
g. Hospitals/Health Organizations	250	50
h. Columbian Squires		
i. Scouting/Youth Groups	150	104
j. Athletics		
k. Youth Welfare/Service		
l. Scholarships/Education	1700	300
m. Veteran Military/VAVS	376	101
n. Miscellaneous Community/Youth Activities		
TOTAL COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS	7095	2180

LIFE ACTIVITIES (where applicable)

	CHARITABLE DISBURSEMENTS	HOURS OF SERVICE
a. Special Olympics	2471	510
b. Marches for Life	400	350
c. Ultrasound Initiative		
d. Pregnancy Support	500	165
e. Christian Refugee Relief		
f. Memorials to Unborn Children		
g. Miscellaneous Life Activities	600	101
TOTAL LIFE CONTRIBUTIONS	3971	1126

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Section II. Fraternal Commitment Activities

MEETINGS

1. Regular	36
2. Social	22
3. Special/Committee	41
TOTAL MEETINGS	99

OTHER FRATERNAL COMMITMENTS:

Visits to the Sick	901
Visits to the Bereaved	306
Number of Blood Donations	140
Masses Held for Members	6
Hours of Fraternal Service to Sick/Disabled Members and their Families	1353

All information provided on this report is to be from Programs & Activities conducted January 1st through December 31st annually.

Submit form to:
fraternalmission@kofc.org

Rick Plumley 01/28/2021
Submitted By Date

2467881 Financial Secretary
Member ID

Modified Date



ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY

Section I. Fraternal Program Activities

FAITH ACTIVITIES

- a. **RSVP Program** - direct contributions to students studying to become priests or postulants.
- b. Church Facilities - construction, repairs, remodeling, memorial gifts, etc.
- c. Catholic Schools/Seminaries - donations, grants, equipment, etc.
- d. Religious/Vocations Education - scholarships, CCD, lay apostolate, programs, speakers, films, program materials, etc.
- e. Prayer & Study Programs - direct contributions to prayer groups, faith program materials, domestic church kiosk, rosary program, Marian Icon program, etc.
- f. Sacramental Gifts - costs related to gifts presented to congregation.
- g. Miscellaneous Faith Activities - all other disbursements not outline above relating to Faith Activities.

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

- a. **Food for Families** - direct contributions to food banks, pantries, soup kitchens.
- b. Family Formation Programs - Family Fully Alive, Family of the Month/Year, Consecration to the Holy Family, Good Friday Family Promotion, etc.
- c. Keep Christ in Christmas - all contributions to KCIC, Journey to the Inn, Light Up for Christ, Christmas Poster Contest, billboard signs, etc.
- d. Family Week - direct contributions to the coordination, promotion, and conduct of this program.
- e. Family Prayer Night - direct contributions to coordination and execution of this program.
- f. Miscellaneous Family Programs - all other disbursements not outline above relating to Family Activities.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- a. **Coats For Kids** - direct contributions to purchasing and distribution of coats to those in need.
- b. **Global Wheelchair Mission** - direct contributions to purchasing and coordination of wheelchair distribution to the needy.
- c. **Habitat for Humanity** - direct contributions to Habitat for Humanity projects, materials, tools, and construction.
- d. **Disaster Preparedness/Relief** - direct contributions to planning and executing disaster preparedness and response, food, water, equipment, etc.
- e. Physically Disabled/Intellectual Disabilities - direct contributions to schools, care services, organizations, etc.
- f. Elderly/Widow(er) Care - direct contributions to homes for the aged, retired/senior volunteer programs, construction, repairs, remodeling, gifts, etc.
- g. Hospitals/Health Organizations - direct contributions to Red Cross, Hospice, heart/cancer funds, equipment, construction, donations, etc.
- h. Columbian Squires - direct contributions to the operations and support of the Columbian Squires program.
- i. Scouting/Youth Groups - direct contributions to sponsorship, volunteer efforts, projects, 4-H, Big Brothers, CYO, mentoring, etc.
- j. Athletics - direct contributions to council sport events, youth sport sponsorships, equipment, transportation, etc.
- k. Youth Welfare/Service - direct contributions to substance/child abuse, foster parents, etc.
- l. Scholarships/Education - direct contributions to career nights, essay contests, scholarships, tuition, fund raising, etc.
- m. Veteran Military/VAWS - direct contributions to veterans, VA hospital support/visitation, memorials, parades, etc.
- n. Miscellaneous Community/Youth Activities - all other disbursements not outline above relating to Community Activities.

LIFE ACTIVITIES

- a. **Special Olympics** - direct contributions to local, state, and national events.
- b. **Marches for Life** - direct contributions to local, state, and nation marches.
- c. **Ultrasound Initiative** - direct contributions to the purchase and placement of Ultrasound machines for crisis pregnancy centers.
- d. Pregnancy Support - direct contributions to donations, diapers, supplies, baby showers, birthright, etc.
- e. Christian Refugee Relief - direct contributions to aid provided to refugee relief, Solidarity Crosses.
- f. Memorials to Unborn Children - direct contributions to purchases, fund raisers, donations, construction, etc.
- g. Miscellaneous Life Activities - all other disbursements not outline above relating to Life Activities.

Section II. Fraternal Commitment Activities

MEETINGS

1. Business - discussing or conducting business.
2. Social - dinners, dances, parties, etc.
3. Special/Committee - lectures, films, educational, etc.

Saint of the Month

Elizabeth Ann Seton, January 4th

Born in 1774, Elizabeth was raised in an upperclass family in New York. She married William Seton in 1794 and was happily married with him until 1803 when he died of Tuberculosis, Bankrupt. While visiting Italy hoping to cure her husband, she started to learn more of Catholicism officially converting in 1805. She returned to America where she founded the St. Joseph's academy and free school, the first Catholic girl school in the country. She also founded two orphanages and another school. Throughout her life Elizabeth used her suffering to live more accordingly to God's will. She died in 1821 and was canonized by Pope Paul VI in 1975. To learn more, go to Catholic Online.

Important Dates for January:

January 29th- February 6th - Novena for Life

February 7th - Super bowl Raffle and party

February 10th - Corporation 6:00 P.M and Officers meeting 6:30 P.M

February 23rd- Estate planning Fraternal benefit night

February 24th - General Meeting 7:00 P.M.

*** Rosary begins at 6:30pm before each general membership meeting**

Knights of Columbus

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