

The Sentinel

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May Grand Knights Message

Greetings and blessings to you, your loved ones, family, and friends! I would first like to welcome our two newest fraternal brothers into our order and this council who received their 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees at the exemplification ceremony held Mar 30, Tony Stafford, and Michael Nowak. Welcome to our fraternal order and council 4240 Brothers! Our council membership growth goal for this year has not only been met but exceeded. Please continue to ask other good practicing Catholic men you know to join our ranks. We continually need to grow our ranks.

Deacon Kevin Harmon, one of the seminarians we have been supporting, will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday May 21st at 10:30AM. Two of our Knights of Columbus brothers get ordained as Deacons this year, Mike Reesman with our council and Lance Tappa with Saint James council. Please continue to keep them and all seminarians in your prayers.

I remind you of the importance that we honor our principles of charity, unity, and fraternity as Knights by setting an example to others by living our Catholic faith and that means to do your best with volunteering with your council Brothers at our fund raising, parish, and faith events as Knights of Columbus. Wear your KC gear proudly while out in the community and at church so others see you're a council 4240 Knight. I am also asking you if you know a fellow Knight who you would like to nominate for either Knight of the Month or Family of the Month, please contact me. Our Family of Month does not need to be a Knight but a Catholic family who does volunteer work for their parish, community, and those in need so with 4 parishes in our council you should know those in your parish that we can recognize. Contact me if you know a family we can recognize.

Please plan on attending the next Duck Derby Memorial weekend planning committee meeting on Wednesday May 4 at 6PM. Between the Derby events on Saturday and Memorial Day parade events on Monday we need all hands-on deck for this our councils biggest fund-raising effort. Contact our WFS PGK John Schleicher to volunteer for a shift.

I still need brothers to usher the noon mass at Holy Hill on Sunday July 3. Our council was asked to provide 8 ushers for the 10AM and noon mass. I need one more for the 10AM mass and currently have only 4 for the noon mass so I need 4 more volunteers. Contact me if you can help, I will be at both masses. We will also need volunteers for our Tootsie Roll drive to be held in June 10, 11, and 12. It's one of our most visible events as Knights of Columbus in the community and churches.

We are quickly approaching the end of our fraternal year and that means officer elections must be completed by June 15 which means we will have them at our May 25 council meeting. I plan to run as your Grand Knight for one more year. Open positions include both outside and inside guard, and our Chancellor position is open due to WPGK Derek commitment as the Field Agent. The guard positions are a perfect position for newer members. Please call me with any questions, we need to fill all officer positions as a council requirement.

God bless you brothers

Fraternally

Don McInnes





Palm Sunday Eucharistic procession



Left: Mike Elmer giving a talk at Men of Christ Right: All men at Men of Christ conference





Left: March Knight of the Month Dean Phillips

Right: January Family of the month Bob Munnagle

Brothers

WPGK James Barbera visitation and service was held Wednesday April 13 at Schmidt and Bartelt Funeral Home at N84W17937 Menomonee Ave, Menomonee Falls.

Many of his fraternal brothers attended and paid our respects to his family. Jim was a Navy veteran and member of this council for over 46 years. I attended and represented our council as your current Grand Knight and on behalf of those who can't attend in person. I included some photo's showing the flowers sent by our council that were placed in a very prominent spot at his service. His daughter told me their family was very grateful of the Knights.

Jim was very active in this council in his earlier days and passionate about being a Knight of Columbus. God bless you brother and thank you for your many years of service to All Saints council 4240.



April Knight of the Month - Paul Tadda

Paul has been a 3rd degree Knight and fraternal brother of our council for over 21 years. Paul has volunteered at many council programs over his many years as a brother Knight and is an officer with the corporation. Paul also serves as a Village of Menomonee Falls Trustee. He is very involved as a leader with the Troops of Saint George which is an outstanding Catholic faith youth organization which our council supports which shapes young boys into men with moral upbringings instilling both Christian and patriotic values.

God bless you and thank you brother!



April Family of the Month - Andrew and Heather Wiesner

Andy is a 3rd degree Knight with over 7 years of fraternal service as a Knight with our council. Andy over the years have been a regular volunteer at many council events. They are members of Saint Mary parish and active church volunteers. Andy was very involved with the recent Men of Christ conference held at Saint Mary on March 26 and is engaged in the Saint Anthony and Saint Mary parish Men's group in addition to many other church related and faith-based activities.

God bless you and thank you Andy and Heather!

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS.....

Tyke Munnagle, Janet Dwyer, Pat Heitkemper, George and Rose Lucas, Lori Cherweznik, Debra Orth, Stacy Barrett, Karen Weber, Kay Mackowski, Roseann Kowske, Father Rick Wendell, Brother Rob Keller, Brother Robert Howe, Brother Jim Endres, Brother Joe Roskopf, Brother Dennis Farrell, Brother Jim Stuer, Brother Vic Johnson, Brother James Carey and Brother Mark Wagner, Mike Jansen. 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 John Schleicher, our Financial Secretary, at **262-893-7306**, or by e-mail at jmsbas@wi.rr.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

Corporation report

We will be replacing the broken awnings at the building entrances, we have decided on a green awning with council 4240 written on it.

There will be a slight price increase on some of our alcoholic beverages. The highest increase will be at most, \$0.50.

We are still in need of getting batteries for the boats for the Duck Derby.

We installed a new TV information display above the bar. The TV will display information regarding upcoming events and ways to contact corporations to set up hall rental dates. Special thanks to Phil Vosen for programming the display.

Charities report

No report

Menomonee Falls All Saints Council 4240 Officers

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Chancellor - PGK Derek Kalscheur

Recorder - Ryan Buckley

Advocate - Kevin Sindelar

Warden - Paul Wettstein

Inside Guard - Adam Ilecki

Outside Guard - Chuck Bastings

Trustee First Year - Bob Steliga

Trustee Second Year - Tom Lutz

Trustee Third Year - PGK Mike Jansen

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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.

May

2 Joshua Dueppen	8 Michael & Marlene Povolo	14 Tim Montag
2 Chris Kujawa	9 Jeanette McGuire	14 Jim Schneider
2 James Lenahan	10 James Elmer	15 Pat Heitkemper
3 Jim & Julie Gottemoller	11 Ronald Merkel	16 John & Katherine Meyer
3 Bob Jung	11 Dave Pittman	17 Jeanine Dederich
5 Lois Holzem	12 Carol McInnes	22 Thomas Meyer
5 Jeff & Geri Roskopf	12 Mary Schneider	23 Deanne Payette
7 Rev. Lawrence Webber	12 Sandy Wagner	26 Randolph Braunreiter
	12 Vernita Gavre	





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

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Our council recently sponsored the Knights of Columbus Knowledge contest which was ran by Mike Krawczyk. All our council sponsored student participants came from Aquinas Academy and below are the results of our students. Our council also represented district 63. Huge thanks to Mike for running this program. Congratulations to these winners and their parents.

Mathematics

Grade 5 2nd Clare Stryker 63-4240

Grade 7 3rd Maria Andrastek 63-4240

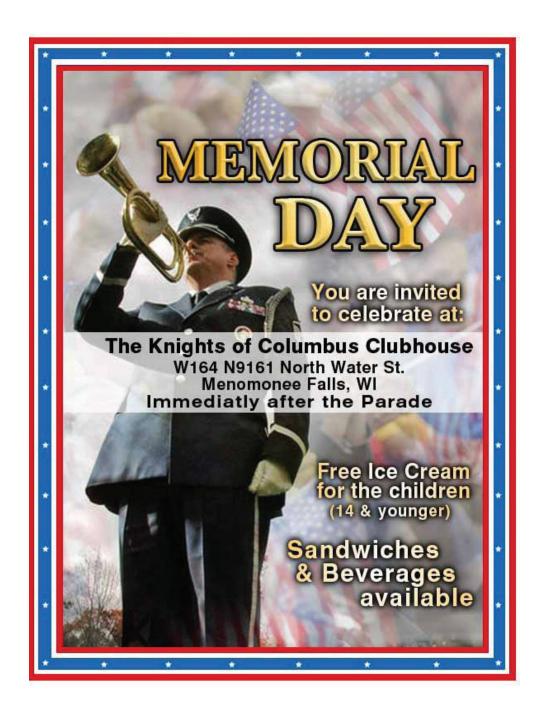
Grade 8 1st Peter Strycker 63-4240

Spelling

Grade 7 1st Maximilian Felsman 63-4240

Grade 8 1st Camden Puffer 63-4240





Saint of the Month Saint Augustine of Canterbury- May 27th

Born some time in the early 6th century (actual birthdate unknown) Augustine would become a prior of St.Andrew's Monastery and even taught Pope Gregory the Great there. When Gregory became the pope he organized a mission to convert the Anglo Saxon tribes who conquered the British isles in the 400's. He chose his old master, St. Augustine to lead the exhibition in 595 with 40 monks. St.Augustine first made landfall in Kent, in Southeast England, where a Christian princess named Bertha had just become Queen. In 597, St.Augustine, with help of Queen Bertha was able to convince the king, Æthelberht, to be baptized, and started a bishopric in Canterbury, the King's capital. As bishop, St.Augustine established guidelines for converting pagans that are still followed to this day. He even attempted to reconcile with renegade British bishops in the west, but was unable to make peace. After several more years of work converting thousands, St.Augustine died in 605 A.D.

Book of the Month: <u>The Day is Now Far Spent</u> by Cardinal Robert Sarah

A very great book on the current crisis of the age by Cardinal Sarah. The book is a series of interviews in which Cardinal Sarah discusses everything from the priest sex abuse crisis to Islamic extremism. Cardinal Sarah discusses each idea with a clarifying touch with a deep Catholic understanding. Of course a few of these areas you might disagree with Sarah's assessments, but his overall message is much needed in our time.

Important Dates:

Dates

May 4 Duck Derby/Parade meet 6PM

May 7 State K of C Convention WGK Don and WPGK Derek attending

May 8 Mother's Day

May 11 Corporation Meeting 6PM, Officers Meeting 6:30PM

May 25 Council meeting and Officer Elections 7PM Rosary 6:30PM

May 28 Duck Derby

May 30 Memorial Day Parade Kick off 10AM, Clubhouse event to follow parade end

June 8 Corporation Meeting 6PM, Officers Meeting 6:30PM

June 15 Fish Boil

June 22 Council meeting 7PM Rosary 6:30PM

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