



The Sentinel

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October Grand Knights Message

Greetings and blessings to you, your loved ones, family, and friends!

WDGK Tom Richter who is our Saint Anthony parish coordinator secured our first church drive that was held September 17 and 18 following the 4:30PM Saturday mass and both the 8AM and 10:30AM Sunday masses and the event was a great success. Tom suffered a stroke several days before the scheduled event and some of you stepped up to assist in his place. We thank God that Tom survived and will be recovering over the next several months. Tom has taken a leave of absence from his duties as WDGK, and I will take on a dual role in his place filling in as needed. I am asking that I will need assistance with some duties in lieu of his absence. Please keep Tom and his wife Martha in your thoughts and prayers for Gods healing hands over his recovery.

I have asked our other 3 parish coordinators to work with their parish for future church drives at their parishes over the next year so stay tuned when those dates are setup. The last Fish Boil ended up on a great note with 248 attendees. Thanks to all who contributed and volunteered over this past year. Our village president attended the event and told me they will assist us with getting next year’s event dates out to the community plus we will advertise this event in advance next year within the parishes but with that and the village publicizing it will mean more attendees and we will absolutely need more volunteers to help!

We held an exemplification on Sep 28 and welcomed our two newest brothers Dan Beiswenger and Peter Burleigh into our fraternal order. I pray we continue to grow this council and ask each of you to ask other good practicing Catholic men you know to join our ranks. This council is very active, and our order needs to grow so we can continue to do good. 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, faith, and community 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.

Our Memorial Mass will be held on Sunday October 23, and I sent invitations out to our widows inviting them to the 8AM mass at Saint Mary parish and our memorial program including breakfast at our clubhouse following mass. Details are found in this Sentinel.

District 63 will be hosting the Saint Joseph Icon Decembers 13 to January 24 and our council will be hosting it at one of our parishes. More details to follow since the officers are in the planning stage

Bingo at Men Falls Health Center is held the second Monday of each month at 7PM. Please volunteer and if you can spare a couple hours be aware that masks are required for the safety of the residents.

Fraternally

Don McInnes

September Knight of the Month – Bob Jung

Bob has been a Knight and member of our council for over 16 years and has done much serving the council and our community over his many years of service in our fraternal order. Bob is very involved with the right to life cause with our council and especially at Saint May parish. This council can count on Bob no matter what working for any cause or movement that protects the unborn and that alone is doing the good lords work. Bob works behind the scenes and supports our council with these causes, and I am very grateful for his passionate support. He recently helped cook the Brats and Hot Dogs for our Saint Anthony church drive. You will always see him at the fish boils waiting on our guests and busing tables.

Thanks for all you do brother!

September Family of the Month – Tony and Kathy Stafford

Tony joined our fraternal order and this council earlier this year and has along with his wife's support recently stepped up to the plate honoring his commitment to our principles of charity, unity, and fraternity. At the recent Saint Anthony church drive in which they our parish members they jumped in to assist in support at this event filling in for our WDGK Tom who was unable to participate in the event he coordinated as our WDGK due to his health issue. Tony and Kathy are very active at their parish, and he volunteers and assists there with maintenance and grounds duties as needed.

We as Brother Knights serve to the best of our ability and Tony and Kathy deserve our recognition for everything, they do living their faith. We are blessed to have them and for that I thank and recognize them as our council FOM.



Left: August family of the month the Pittmans

Right: June Diocesan Family of the month the Schleicher

A great example of our principle of charity

The Milwaukee Brewers community foundation asked all our 50-50 raffle sellers to nominate a charity they think highly of and \$10,000 would be given to two charities that receive the highest votes from the fellow raffle tickets sellers.

A list of seven charities was developed from this request. All raffle ticket sellers were asked to vote for the charities they felt were the most deserving. Special Olympics was the number one charity and number 2 was St Ben's meal program (which I had nominated).

Both charities were awarded \$10,000 each. This is a picture of many of my fellow sellers and me holding a symbolic check made out to St Ben's. You may remember that since about 2010 I've been a volunteer at St Ben's via St. Mary's.

I'm really happy for St Ben's they do an outstanding job reaching out to a lot of people that are in a difficult place.

Mike Krawczyk



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS.....

Tom Richter and Martha Richter, 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, Linda Pitrof, Carol McInnes. 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

CHARITIES REPORT - September 2022

Below are the charity requests approved at the September 28, 2022 General Membership meeting:

Donation For: *Hope Network*

Donation Details: HOPE Network's mission is to provide women parenting alone in Milwaukee and the surrounding area with resources to build self-reliance and strong families.

Donation Sponsor: Michael Bub

Amount: \$500

Donation For: *St. John Bosco Youth Day*

Donation Details: This energizing day of faith invites 6th-12th grade students and their leaders or parents to experience Christ through prayer, fellowship, dynamic talks, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and so much more, all with a backdrop of beautiful Holy Hill.

Donation Sponsor: SK Don McInnes

Amount: \$250

Donation For: *Women's Care Center*

Donation Details: Women's Care Center provides free, confidential counseling, support and education for pregnant women. Free pregnancy testing and ultrasounds help determine viability and dates. Money for for this will also be matched by the KC ASAP program.

Donation Sponsor: SK Don McInnes

Amount: \$500

Donation For: *Women's Support Center*

Donation Details: The Women's Support Center of Milwaukee is a non-profit dedicated to serving women and families in the greater Milwaukee area. We work to help women and families who find themselves in a place where they need either emotional or material support, especially in the case of unplanned pregnancy. We want to help women choose the healthiest choice for themselves and their babies. Money for this will also be matched by the KC ASAP program.

Donation Sponsor: SK Don McInnes

Amount: \$500

Donation For: *Jacob Bruns and Charles Pomroy*

Donation Details: Seminarian support

Donation Sponsor: Kevin Sindelar

Amount: \$500 each

Corporation report

Last Fish Boil had 248 dinners.

Corporation Christmas party is December 16th. More info to come.

We got the lawn mowers repaired.

October 23rd after 8am mass is memorial breakfast for widows and members.

Clubhouse is open for packer games! Only day that it won't be open is October 16th so far.

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Trustee 3 – Tom Lutz

Inside Guard – Mike Bub

Outside Guard – Kurt Barrett



Memorial Mass and Breakfast - Sunday October 23

In our effort to show our continued gratitude to our dearly departed brethren, we would like to extend an invitation to you to attend the Annual Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass on Sunday October 23, 2022. We would like to take this opportunity to celebrate the lives and memories of these good and charitable men.

If you are interested in celebrating the goodwill and history that has shaped our council into the pillar of the community, please join us. We will begin with the Memorial Mass beginning at 8am at **St. Mary's Catholic Parish located at N89 W16215 Cleveland Ave. in Menomonee Falls**. Immediately following the mass, we welcome you to the **Knights of Columbus Council 4240 Clubhouse at W164 N9161 Water Street, Menomonee Falls** where we will be offering a complimentary brunch for the

spouses of our late brothers. Extended family and fellow Knights are welcome to partake for the small fee of \$6 for their meal.

Please RSVP by October 18. Please contact Don McInnes at 262-622-5845 (cell) leave message or email of dmsecspec@aol.com with RSVP.

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.

October

1 B.S. Potter	10 Rev John Burns	21 Charles Farrell
2 Catherine Meyer	11 David Birler	21 Mary Ann Flanders
4 Fred O Struve	13 Tom & Mary Vrabel	22 Marissa Tadda

4 Mike Vosen	14 Mark Sauer	24 John & Nancy Sobczak
5 Michael Loth	15 Robert Rasmussen	26 Jerry Callen
6 Mike & Jennifer Elmer	17 Trudy Droese	28 Mary Burkholz
7 Tracy Carey	18 Phil Vosen	28 Terry & Debra Frisk
8 Ken Bilgo	19 Thomas Lutz	28 Don & Kris Szmania
8 Paul Tadda	20 Tom & Barb Diderrich	31 Thomas Spaight



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

Thanks, Tyler Schleicher

schleichert12@gmail.com

COATS FOR KIDS

As Br Robert Wotypka told me this year people realized when they went to the store for food and saw empty shelves this is how the Poor feels when they enter the House of Peace.

The Knights of Columbus has a program through which you can order a case of winter coats for children, Council 4240 has ordered 8 dozen coats. I talked to Linda Barns at the House Of Peace at 17th & Walnut in the City of Milwaukee, and she said House of Peace would gladly accept our donation. Linda says that the need for warm winter coats in the inner city is great, and the House of Peace would take as many as we can give. Just think a NEW WINTER COAT. Please make checks payable to KC 4240 Charities. Let's Keep Everyone warm this winter. If there are any question contact Mike Bub @ 262-527-2701

**Thank You, Mike Bub,
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Saint of the Month

St. Ignatius of Antioch -October 17th

Ignatius was a 2nd century bishop and martyr who wrote some of the earliest writing on theology. We don't know a whole lot about Ignatius early life only that he was a disciple of St. John the evangelist and succeeded him as bishop of around 69 AD. The next 40 years of his life are unknown until in 106 AD he arrested for being a christian and was transported to Rome for execution. On the journey Ignatius wrote various letters to communities of Christians he passed by. This letter while not only encouraging them, explains many matter of the faith, being one of the earliest example of Theology. He martyred by being devoured by wild beast in 107, and according to himself joyfully "I know what is to my advantage. At last I am becoming his disciple. May nothing entice me till I happily make my way to Jesus Christ! Fire, cross, struggles with wild beasts, wrenching of bones, mangling of limbs-let them come to me, provided only I make my way to Jesus Christ. I would rather die and come to Jesus Christ than be king over the entire earth. Him I seek who died for us; him I love who rose again because of us." (Info gotten from Catholic Online)

Book of the Month:
To light a fire on the Earth
By Robert Barron and John Allen Jr.

I feel a very good introduction to Bishop Barron books in general. A series of in interviews between him and reporter John Allen Jr., it talks about a variety of subjects important to the church. The best parts are when he talks evangelization and how he believes it's best to evangelize the whole church. It covers a lot, but still manageable 300 pages so check it out.

Important Dates:

Oct 2 Life chain contact Mike Krawczyk for details

Oct 10 Bingo gathering

Oct 20 Pro life Wisconsin gala

Oct 10 District 63 meeting 7PM clubhouse

Oct 12 Corporation Meeting 6PM, Officers Meeting 6:30PM

Oct 23 Memorial Mass 8am Saint Mary Program and Breakfast to follow at clubhouse

Oct 26 Council meeting 7PM Rosary 6:30PM

Nov 9 Corporation Meeting 6PM, Officers Meeting 6:30PM

Nov 14 Bingo Men Falls Health Care 7PM

Nov 16 Council meeting 7PM Rosary 6:30PM Note One week earlier due to Thanksgiving

Nov 24 Thanksgiving

Nov 26 Christmas parade float build at Roskoff's towing 9AM

Nov 27 Christmas parade

Nov 27 Chili dump with Santa at clubhouse following parade

Knights of Columbus

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