

New Albany

Knights of Columbus Council 10941

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Worthy Chaplain
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Dear Brother Knights,

We are in a new secular year. Yet we date our years since the birth of Jesus Christ.

Thus there is a Christian connection to our dating system. As the long winter months of January, February, and March pass, there are many feasts to celebrate related to the life of Christ. Feasts for two saints of the United States are celebrated in January: St. Elizabeth Seton, and St. John Neumann, both of whom have parishes in their honor in our diocese.

Then, we have St. Francis de Sales, patron of our diocese and namesake of a Catholic high school in our city. St. Thomas Aquinas, the Presentation of the Lord, (40 days after Christmas), St. Blaise, St. Agatha, St. Paul Miki. St. Cyril, St. Methodius, St. Polycarp, St. Katharine Drexel, and St. Patrick are just some of the saints whose feasts we celebrate within these three months. The months also highlight our secular presidents and those of African-American descent. It has always amazed me that January, February, and March seem to "creep" along, while June, July, and August seem to "speed by". Regardless,

As we recall the birth of our Savior at the end of December, we are continually reminder that God is with us! May that thought keep you warm throughout winter!!!

Fr. Jerry Rodenfels



Web-Pages of special interest:

www.kofc.org (Supreme)

www.kofcoho.org/master (Master's Web site)

www.kofcoho.org (Ohio State Council)

www.kofccolumbus.org (Columbus Chapter)

www.kofcassembly809.org (Assembly 809)

www.kofcsupplies.com (English Company)

www.lynchkelly.com (Lynch & Kelly)

Good of the Order

If you know of any Sir Knight or Lady who is sick or in distress, please contact Mark Steele at 475-2733



Worthy Grand Knight
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Brothers,

With Christmas and New Year's over with, we are half way through our fraternal year for the council. As many of you know, I have been communicating primarily through email. But not everyone is able to receive my "council updates". Therefore, I will try to communicate to those members via a quarterly newsletter. Though this will not be as timely as the updates, it should provide you with some basic information on what's going on at the council, during that 3 month period. As to last minute changes, we will develop a phone tree to notify individuals of changes.

In the coming New Year, think about attending a council meeting. There held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, at 8pm in Room 103 of the Ministry Center. And if you're having transportation issues, we will be happy to get someone to bring you to the meeting. Just give me a call at 891-0361.

New membership cards should be out in the near future. Hopefully everyone can pay their dues in a timely fashion, but if your undergoing some financial hardships please let Sean or myself know as soon as possible so we can help you remain a Knight of Columbus.

The Knights have an ambitious program coming up in the next few months including Friday Night Fish Fries, Basketball Free Throw, Nights of Adoration, and other activities. Hopefully, you can participate and help your parish.

God bless.

Dick D'Auteuil, Grand Knight
 New Albany Council # 10941

All Knights, we need your annual survey as listed below. Please send to the Grand Knight. This is for all activities during the year of 2008.

Name

Fraternal Commitment:

Visits Hours

Number of Visits to:

Sick

Bereaved

Total Visits to:

Donate Blood

Habitat for Humanity

Estimated hours of volunteer service:

Church

Community

Youth

Habitat for Humanity

Miscellaneous

Estimated hours of fraternal services:

Sick/disabled member/families



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As of this writing, our Council has already earned an impressive 600 points out of the 1500 required to max out the State Program again this year. Our Council is so active, and we have so many activities, that I am not able to put all of our activities into a State Program report, which is a good problem to have. If you have an idea for an activity you would like to see your Council undertake, please contact me (I am also your Program Director) or one of the other Program Directors: Jim Walsh (Church Director), Ray Drum (Family Director), Mike Goetz (Youth Director) and Bill Pederson (Membership Director). We do not currently have a Community Director, so if you are interested in serving as a Director, please contact me.

Most important, I ask you to please get involved in a Program or activity (we have so many; I know there is one for you). Our Council does many great things for our Parish, for vocations and for the community generally through our extensive charitable work, but we need the help of as many Brother Knights as we can to make as big of an impact as possible. Thank you for your past and anticipated future support!

Past Grand Knight Ed Yingling

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Brother Knights:

As many of you know, our council received numerous accolades for our efforts last year. We were considered among the top 10 councils in the state of Ohio last fraternal year. (We were the only council in the diocese in the top 10!) We also earned the status of Double-Star Council from Supreme. Only 510 of the thousands of Councils reached that level last year. Although my name may be on the award, it was earned through the efforts of many brothers. If I personally never thanked you during the year, I apologize. It was a great year and all should be proud to belong to New Albany Council 10941.

I would also like to mention is that I am trying to coordinate Family Fun nights for our council. I hope that I will have the dates set for the rest of the fraternal year and that some will be published in this newsletter. I hope we can bring many families together to play games and share a meal and fellowship. Some of us did this last winter and I think all had a real good time!

We have ordered blue Polo shirts and I now have a supply of large and XL shirts. They are \$26 and \$28 respectively if you would like to purchase one, please contact me.

We are also close to ordering name badges. If you are in need of one, the order will be placed shortly after our next business meeting on January 13th. Let know ASAP if you need one.

I have been working with Brother Dave Wenger to acquire another convection oven for the kitchen. It might possibly cost up to \$3000, but we were given a donation in that same amount last year. I am planning to suggest to the council that we use that money to purchase the additional oven as it will be a huge help during the Lenten Fish Bakes. You did not think that it was only going to be a one year event did you? I hope you had a very blessed Christmas for 2008!



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Well as the crazy holiday season comes to a close we are able to start a new calendar year and complete the second half of the fiscal year of the Knights.

During the holiday season you should have received a rather large mailing from me with your dues and a bunch of other information. It is my request that you check and fill in all needed information on the questionnaire that I sent out and mail it back with your dues. This will help the council to communicate and for us to be able to reach out to you.

If you find yourself in financial difficulties this year please do not hesitate to call or email me. I will be willing to work with anyone to make financial arrangement.

Please remember that dues are due by January 15th. If dues are not received I will be sending out second notices, which costs the council money, so please be prompt. After you have paid your dues please allow at least a week or two to receive your membership card in the mail.

Lastly I want to thank everyone who participates in activities during the year. Your service to the community is greatly appreciated. If you find yourself in need of getting involved please reach out to any officer or member. We are always looking for people to pitch in a helping hand or able body. The next activity that I am working on is the St. Patrick's Day Dinner & Dance, March 14th 2009. This has always been a great evening of family, friends, good food and good music. If you are able to assist please contact me.
 In Gods Peace,
 Sean Morrisey

St. Gabriel Catholic Radio Now Reaches all of Central Ohio!

Tune into 1580AM
 starting Christmas Eve.

St. Gabriel is now 1580 AM. Merry Christmas! What a blessing to be able to provide a clear signal that will now reach all of Central Ohio. Rejoice!

Of course this exciting news would not be possible without *you*, our faithful supporters, generous benefactors and volunteers. Thank you. By sharing your gifts, we are now able to provide good, solid Catholic programming to nearly 2 million people.

Although this is joyful news, now is not the time to just *hope* that people will listen. We need you to help us get the word out to our family and friends.

- Use the link below to forward this email to those who might be interested
- Personally invite others to tune in
- Listen to the station when driving with others
- Stop by and pick up a magnetic bumper sticker to put on your car. It might be just the invitation that someone needs. (Stickers will be available after January 1st).
- Consider advertising your business on St. Gabriel Radio. Call 442-1270. By doing our part, we can help more souls on their journey to know, love, and serve God.

Peace in Christ,
 The St. Gabriel Team

P.S. Like all AM stations, the daylight signal is much stronger than the night-time signal. During daylight hours the new signal reaches Newark, Lancaster, Mount Vernon, Marion, Marysville, and Circleville and, after dusk, the signal reaches those inside the I-270 outer belt.

Report of the Fourth Degree

January February March 2009

DATE	PLACE	GATHERING TIME	EVENT	REQUIREMENT
Sat 10 Jan 2009	Columbus Hilton, Easton Center	12:00PM	District Deputies Meeting – Open Session	Color Guard
Sunday, 1 Feb 2009	St Anthony, 1300 Urban Dr. Columbus OH 43229-5132	11:00AM	Confirmation Mass at 11:30AM	Honor Guard
Sunday, February 8th, 2009	Villa Milano's, 1630 Schrock Rd. Columbus	6:00PM	Clergy Night	Color Guard
Tuesday, March 17 th 2009	St Patrick's Day Parade	9:00AM	The parade will form at Nationwide Blvd. and John H. McConnell Blvd., between 10:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.	Color & Honor Guard
Saturday 7 March 2009	KofC Regional Free through Championship	11:00AM	Bishop Ready High School, 707 Salisbury Rd, Columbus	Color & Honor Guard
Saturday 1 March 2009	TBD	TBD	Ohio 4 th Degree District Meeting	Color & Honor Guard
Saturday 21 March 2009	KofC State Free through Championship	11:00AM	Bishop Ready High School, 707 Salisbury Rd, Columbus	Color & Honor Guard
Sunday 26 March 2009	TBD	6:30PM	Chapter Knight of the Year Banquet	Color Guard
Friday, May 1-3, 2009	4th Degree Exemplification, Cherry Valley, Newark Ohio	9AM-3PM	Cherry Valley Lodge and Waterpark, 2299 Cherry Valley Road Newark 43055. (Friday Night Dinner Dance for all Knight of Columbus Members in Ohio District 3.)	Color & Honor Guard
Saturday 2 May 2009	St Anthony, 1300 Urban Dr. Columbus OH 43229-5132	10:00AM	Confirmation Mass at 10:30AM	Honor Guard
May 21-24 2009	Cincinnati Ohio		KofC Ohio State Convention	N/A
Saturday 13 June 2009	Seton Parish Center, 600 N. Hill Rd, Pickerington Ohio	6:30PM	Annual Past Faithful Navigators Dinner Dance	Color Guard
Saturday 27 June 2009	Columbus Hilton, Easton Center	12:00PM	District Deputies Meeting – Open Session	Color Guard

- **April 18 Church of the Resurrection First Communion 5:00 PM**
- **April 26 Church of the Resurrection First Communion 11:00 AM**
- **May 2 Church of the Ascension First Communion Mass 1:00 PM**
- **May 2 Church of the Resurrection Confirmation Mass 5:00 PM**



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Return Service Requested

Dated Material

Mailed: January 1, 2009

TO:

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Meeting, room 103	January 13 th	8 p.m.	
Officer Planning Meeting	January 10 th	7:30 a.m.	
Family Fun Night 104-106	January 16 th	6:30 p.m.	
Sub sandwich prep, kitchen	January 31 st	7 a.m.	
First degree, room 103	February 5 th	7:30 p.m.	
Ladies Night dinner, kitchen	February 7 th	6 p.m.	
Meeting, room 103	February 10 th	8 p.m.	
Family Fun Night 104-106	February 13 th	6:30 p.m.	
Pancake breakfast, kitchen	February 22 nd	8 a.m.	
Fish fry, kitchen	February 27 th	4 p.m.	
Fish fry, kitchen	March 6 th	4 p.m.	
Meeting, room 103	March 10 th	8 p.m.	
Fish fry, kitchen	March 13 th	4 p.m.	
St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance	March 14 th	6 p.m.	
Fish fry, kitchen	March 20 th	4 p.m.	
Family Fun Night 104-106	March 21 st	6:30 p.m.	
Fish fry, kitchen	March 27 th	4 p.m.	