

# Knight News

Mother of Good Hope Council 1957

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## IMPORTANT INFO!

If you know of other members of the council who might not be receiving this newsletter, please pass their email information along to Tony Sachse as well so we can add them to the mailing list.

Thank you for those that have returned their dues and charity raffle tickets. Notices of Intent to Retain will be sent out to those who have not returned their dues.



## Grand Knights Corner

Brother Knights,

September was a busy month and included mass with the Bishop at St. Peter the Fisherman, the return of the Friday fish fry to the KC clubhouse, the Ethnic Fest and Kite Fest fund raisers, helping with Family Fun Day at St. Peter the Fisherman (pictures later), and a church membership drive.

Last weekend we also conducted the Lifesavers 4 Life campaign (to benefit the Crossing) and sold out of the lifesavers. We are still totaling the money, but it looks as though we raised over \$700.00 for them. I offer a sincere thank you to all the volunteers. If you have not yet been back for a Friday Fish Fry, feel free to stop on down.

On October 31 we celebrate the **one year anniversary of the beatification of Father Michael McGivney**, the founder of the Knights of Columbus. You may want to consider seeking Father McGivney's intercession for your needs. You can also join the Father McGivney guild which promotes his cause for sainthood. See [Fathermcgivney.org](http://Fathermcgivney.org) for more details.

Coincidentally, on **October 31**, it is the fifth Sunday of the month when the Knights lead the **Rosary** at St. Peter the Fisherman Church at 9:30 a.m. Please join us as I would like to see a strong showing for the Rosary. If anyone would like to **volunteer to lead the Rosary**, please contact me at (920) 793-8140. The month of the Rosary is October.

A trip to Holy Hill is planned for October 17 including mass. More details are provided later in the newsletter. If you have not been there, there are some breathtaking views of the surrounding fall foliage.

As a reminder, there are numerous resources, such as Into the Breach videos that can be found at [kofc.org](http://kofc.org). Feel free to check them out.

Vivat Jesus,

Grand Knight Ray Seegers

Tonight, our District held our **Landing Day Banquet** in commemoration of the day our namesake, Christopher Columbus, landed in the new world. I was presented our Star Council award for this past fraternal year.



State Deputy Corey Coenen and District Deputy Chuck Reis present Grand Knight Ray Seegers with the Star Council plaque for this past year.

## Faith

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**St. Peter the Fisherman Church** is still **in need of volunteers** for various supporting roles for weekend masses. Please consider volunteering to help demonstrate that the Knights of Columbus can be counted on as the strong right arm of the Church. To volunteer, contact Kelly Scheuer.

A few **volunteers** are requested to assist with serving coffee, cleaning tables, etc. for **Pancake Palooza on October 24** from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please contact me at (920) 793-8140 if you can help.

Also continue to pray your rosary each day. We as Knights have been given this to pray each day and in the stillness of our hearts took the vow to do so during our exemplification. Now more than ever our prayer can provide comfort to ourselves and help to others. Remember to bring it to the council meeting if you don't want to owe Ron Gordon a \$1.00

Brother Knights volunteered to help serve food for the recent parish family fun day. Below are some pictures from the event.



Jeff Thompson grilling burgers and dodging the sling shot water balloons.



## Family

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Congratulations the winners of our council's Knight of the Month and Family of the Month selections from this September's council meeting.

Knight of the Month: Tony Sachse

Family of the Month: Steve and Suzette Becker



**September 12** the **bishop celebrated mass** at 8 a.m. at St. Peter the Fisherman Church to recognize the Hilliker family as having been named by the Knights of Columbus as the Green Bay Diocesan Family of the Year



Fourth Degree Honor Guard members and the State Deputy join the Hilliker Family



Fourth Degree Honor Guard members lead Bishop Ricken and the other mass celebrants at the end of the mass.

State Deputy Corey Coenen presents the Diocesan Family of the Year award to Kelly and Dawn Hilliker



Bishop Ricken imparts his blessing to the Hillikers at the end of the mass.

## Community

**Thanks to all the volunteers** that helped with Ethnic Fest. This wraps up our fundraisers for the year. Thank you to all the Knights that volunteered their time at these events to help raise funds for our charitable works. It was also nice to see the volunteers in their Knights of Columbus tee shirts to help promote the Knights.

Just a few pictures below:





Brother Knights looking good in the Knights of Columbus tee shirts prepare customer orders



Brother Knight Marv Krall mans the grill at Ethnic Fest.

Thank you to Tom Boutwell for joining the **Columbian Home committee**. You may have seen the email request for **paid help needed to clean to clubhouse** on Saturday mornings. Contact Dan Tegen at 920 553 4355 if you can help.

## Life

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The Knights are conducting a **diaper and wipe drive** at St. Peter the Fisherman this month. Please drop off diapers and wipes in the gathering space. These will be donated to the Crossing

## Fourth Degree

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We begin the start of the fraternal year with the fourth degree September 8, 2021 at the KC Clubhouse. Our meeting starts 7:00pm

We will be glad to help you advance to this next level in the Knights of Columbus. We continue to meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month. We hope to see all of you there.

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