

Knight News

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Grand Knights Corner

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.

Second notices for Dues and charity raffle tickets have been sent out this week. Please return them as well as the volunteer survey as soon as possible.

Lenten Greetings Brother Knights,

I am pleased to start out with some good news. Please join me in congratulating **Dan and Collette Tegen** for having been named the **Green Bay diocesan Family of the Year**. Well done and well deserved for all they do for our council, our parish and as role models to the family model. This is the second year in a row that a family from our council is being honored by this award!

Recent events: Last month we held a membership drive at St. Peter the Fisherman and held an exemplification for new members. We look forward to what we can all do together in charity, unity, and fraternity. Please join me in welcoming these **newest members** to our council:

Mark Boren

Allen Beranek

Pat Deprey

Tim Lohr

Tim Kaufmann

We also welcome a new transfer member into our council, Jon Logan.

We also congratulate Hans Schlegel in moving up from a first degree knight to a third degree knight.

The 4th degree Knights hosted the **Sunday Supper** at St. Peter the Fisherman on March 13. The Knights handed out **marriage prayer cards** at St. Peter the Fisherman in February. An **Ash Wednesday Fish Fry** was conducted by fellow knights. A **fraternal benefits webinar** was held in late February. Thanks to all the volunteers for these and other unnamed charitable and spiritual activities.

At the February council meeting, some **charitable contributions** approved include \$100 for the multiple sclerosis walk and \$90 to the National Fire Safety Council.

Upcoming Events: A **Sunday Supper** is planned to be hosted by the 3rd degree Knights of Columbus on April 4 at St. Peter the Fisherman.

Open Invitation – as a reminder, our monthly **council meetings** are held the third Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. at the KC clubhouse. All Knights are welcome to attend. We have been holding a social gathering at the bar following the meetings for fraternal fellowship. If you have some programs



dear to your heart that you would like our council to pursue or if you have a special charity in mind, please come to a meeting and let us know.

Vivat Jesus,

Grand Knight Ray Seegers

Faith

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.

Deacon John Vincent, our council's spiritual advisor, led a **Holy Hour** in March with peace in Ukraine as the prayer intent. He did a wonderful job.

In cooperation with St. Peter the Fisherman, the Knights have been preparing and serving **Soup Lunches** on Fridays during lent following the Stations of the Cross. Knights assisted the ladies of St. Peter the Fisherman with their annual **chili sale**.

Deacon John Vincent will be leading a **Holy Hour** at St. Peter the Fisherman on Thursday April 7, 2022, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Please consider attending as you journey through this Lenten season.

Knights will continue to prepare and serve a **soup lunch** at St. Peter the Fisherman following the **Stations of the Cross on the Friday's during Lent** (All Fridays in March and the first two weeks of April) at noon.

Our spiritual advisor recommended the March 19 **Esto Vir** conference for men being held at the Shrine of our Lady of Good Help in Champion. Good luck to our bowling teams participating in the annual Knights of Columbus statewide **bowling tournament** this month.

Family

There will be a fraternal benefits webinar on March 28 at 7 p.m. with an estate planning expert; see kofcwi.com for registration information.

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

Knight of the Month: Seraphin Dewitt

Family of the Month: Kelly and Dawn Hilliker

Community

On April 3, the Knights will be hosting a **pancake breakfast** at St. Peter the Fisherman with all proceeds to the **Lakeshore Foster Families & Friends**. This will be at the dining hall at St. Peter the Fisherman from 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. Please contact Brother Kelly Hilliker if you are interested in helping.

Mark your calendars for May 13 – 15 for the **Tootsie Roll drive** that raises funds for those with Intellectual Disabilities. Let Brother Jeff Thompson, Tootsie Roll Chair if you can assist.

If you are interested in volunteering for the **Salvation Army Emergency kitchen trailer**, please see Kelly Hilliker.

If anyone is interested in donating to the **Ukraine Solidarity Fund**, you can do so at KofC.org. The first part of the latest KnightCast series presents some of the good works being done by the Knights to help Ukraine.

The Fourth Degree Knights recently served a Sunday Supper to those in the community in need. We served around 30 and pictures are noted below.



Life

As a reminder, **March for Life** events take place in Washington DC and Chicago in January. There will be a **Novena for Life** from January 19 – 27, 2022 - see the attached link for more information. Please join in praying the Novena for the protection of human life.

Link to the Novena For Life:

[22-9-days-novena-print.pdf \(usccb.org\)](https://usccb.org/22-9-days-novena-print.pdf)

Fourth Degree

We will be glad to help you advance to this next level in the Knights of Columbus. We continue to meet the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

For those 3rd degree members wishing to advance to the 4th degree, there is a **4th degree exemplification** on May 14 in Hales Corners. See Ed Vander Bloomen Jr. for details.

If you are interested in advancing to the Fourth Degree, please let Faithful Navigator Ed Vanderbloomen know!

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