

# 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 to all of those that have return their dues payments and raffle tickets. Knight Alerts are being sent to the final Knights we haven't heard from.



## Grand Knights Corner

Brother Knights,

November is here and winter is starting to remind us she is coming. It is also a time to be thankful for the many blessings we all have. Also, it is a season of giving and as you will see the Knights have been active with this as well.

At our most recent council meeting we voted to donate \$500 to TREP as part of our Food for Families donation. This program allows us to donate money to support food needs in the community. As part of this program our donation will receive a refund of \$100.00 from our Supreme Council. This will also be donated to TREP providing even more support to their needs.

Additionally, we voted to continue our support through the RSVP program for the continuing faith development of Brother Joseph Cullen (Kelly Hilliker's son) as he continues his journey with the Dominicans. Similarly, to the Food for Families program our \$500 donation will receive a refund of the donation of \$100.00 which will supplement our donation.

We have a pancake breakfast coming up December 4<sup>th</sup> at the parish which will support the Haven. Details are noted in the sections below.

Want to wish you all a very Happy Thanksgiving and hope you all have a time filled with faith, family, and love!

Vivat Jesus,

Grand Knight Tom Boutwell

## 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.

Thank you to the Brother Knights that assisted with preparing chili for their bazaar. It was a tasty addition to their fundraising event.

## Family

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

Knight of the Month: Michael Kirk

Family of the Month: Kenneth and Tammy Drewieske

These gentlemen are the newest members of our council, and both are excited to continue their journey as Knights and be active members of the council. If you know of gentlemen like this, please ask them to become a Knight, join us on this journey.

Please keep in your prayers all the Brother Knights and all the council's intentions this month. Blessed Father Michael McGivney pray for us!

## Community

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# PANCAKE & PORKIE BREAKFAST

**Sunday, December 4**  
**8:30am-Noon**  
**SPFCP Dining Hall**  
**Cost: Donations**

ALL  
PROCEEDS  
BENEFIT:



If you can assist at our upcoming Pancake Breakfast, please let brother Dan know. If you can't help, please let everyone know about the event. It is a free will donation for the breakfast with proceeds from the event supporting the Haven of Manitowoc County.

Set up of the Community Nativity will be this Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 in Central Park. This year it will be on the East side of the park. We start at the KC club house to load up the nativity icons and then move down to the park to install them. This generally takes less than an hour and many hands make light work on this!

Our council ordered and delivered 3 cases of Coats as part of our Coats for Kids program. This year they were delivered to TREP and will be dispensed throughout the year as needed.

Additionally, we received a charity rebate from the State Council as part of our charity raffle ticket sales. This over \$1200 was added to our charity account to help promote our charitable events throughout the year.

## Life

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Thank you to the Brother Knights that helped in the Forty Days for Life March in Manitowoc.

The council is also supporting a diaper and wipe drive for the Crossing at the Parish.

At our recent meeting members of our council discussed that the Crossing is looking for a new 4D ultrasound machine. The Knights of Columbus had donated their original ultrasound unit through the Supreme initiative for Ultrasounds in Crisis pregnancy centers. The council noted that the funds raised from the Cornhole Tournament in February will go toward this program. Additionally, other councils in the district will be asked to support this and we will work with State Right to Life Director Dan Miller to help recruit donations from councils throughout the state. With the program if the state or local council raises 50% of the cost of the machine, the Supreme council will donate the balance to help purchase the machine. More to come on this exciting program.

## Fourth Degree

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If you are interested in advancing to the Fourth Degree, please let Faithful Navigator Ed Vanderbloomen know! If you are interested, please reach out to FN Ed, or FC Tony Sachse. The assembly does cover all the costs of the exemplification for anyone interested. We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm. Hope to see you there.

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