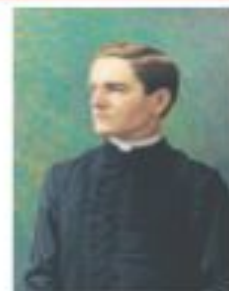


Knights of Columbus



St. Michael Council #11445
5750 North High Street
Worthington, Ohio 43085



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Dates to Remember:

[All *K of C* meetings are held at St. Michael Church, Room 108 (St. Michael Room) at 7:30 PM unless otherwise noted.]

- 4/4 Lenten Fish Fry (see pages 1, 5)
- 4/5 Josephinum Softball Tournament and Hog Roast (see page 2)
Honor Flight Columbus (see page 3)
- 4/7 Important turn in date for Super Cash Bonanza Charity Raffle Campaign (see page 4)
- 4/11 Last Lenten Fish Fry (see pages 1, 5)
- 4/12-13 Pennies for Heaven Collection (see page 2)
- 4/14 *Business Meeting*
- 4/18 Good Friday
- 4/20 Easter Sunday
Corporate Communion (10:30 Mass) followed by Coffee and Donuts (see page 8)
- 4/26 4th Degree Exemplification (see page 6)
Honor Flight Columbus (see page 3)
- 4/27 DEADLINE FOR MAY NEWSLETTER
- 4/28 Social at Columbus Square Bowling Palace (see page 3)
- 5/3 Measure Up Campaign (see pages 5, 7)
First Communion Masses at 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM – 4th Degree Honor Guard
- 5/12 *Business Meeting*
- 5/18 Second and Third Degree Ceremonies (see page 6)

FISH FRY VOLUNTEERS

Our fish fry dinners continue through to Friday, April 11. Additional help can always be used. Please contact **Scott Mergenthaler** to volunteer. This is an excellent family activity which offers you an opportunity to work side by side with your middle school and high school age children. It also provides your children an opportunity to earn service credits for Graduation or other service requirements.

Scott Mergenthaler, Fish Fry Chairman, 582-3878, smergenthaler@cpmlaw.com

NOTE TO U.S. MAIL RECIPIENTS OF THIS NEWSLETTER

Our KofC Newsletter is currently being sent by U.S. Mail to about 15 members and 5 guests (KofC widows and honorary recipients). Over 200 members and guests receive the newsletter via email, which results in a considerable savings in postage and printing costs for our council.

If you are a U.S. mail recipient and have an email address, please share it with me at petrarca@cse.ohio-state.edu so that we can realize an additional savings in postage and printing costs.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Brother Knights,

We are about half way through Lent and I hope and pray it is a good and holy Lenten season for all of us and our families. Our fish fry looks like it is doing well and we have 2 left. A big thanks to everyone who has been making it happen. There is a lot of work that goes into this, one of our biggest fund raising events of the year. Those involved in running this event make it look flawless, though I know something unexpected always seems to come up. If any member of our council still wants to volunteer it is not too late (see page 1 of this newsletter). Feel free to come and join in on the fellowship and help raise the funds which allow us to help our parish.

Please notice our next council business meeting will be held in the large meeting room in the basement of the new addition. For those who may not know where that is, coming from the parish library in the basement just walk west down the hall way until you can't go any further, then turn right. The meeting room will be the first room on your left.

I wish you and your families a blessed and spiritually fruitful Easter!

God Bless.

Pat Rosmarin, Grand Knight, 614-257-7523, pkrosfam@gmail.com

PLAN FOR THIS TAX DAY AND INTO THE FUTURE

April 15 (tax day) is right around the corner. It's become popular this time of year to encourage the opening of an IRA or similar retirement annuity, or the depositing of additional funds into an existing account, as a tax-savings vehicle. A secondary approach is to tout the rate of interest that money in one of these accounts can earn. Let me join the chorus of folks encouraging you to open or add funds to an annuity, but for a different reason.

Certainly, contributing money to a Knights of Columbus annuity will allow you to save some money on your income tax return. And our annuities do pay a very competitive interest rate, consistent with our primary goal of absolute safety of principal. Opening or adding to an annuity for these reasons, however, strikes me as taking a short-term view of a product that is designed to provide long-term security. How much security? How does retirement income that you cannot outlive — guaranteed — sound to you?

Here at the Knights of Columbus, you can open a retirement annuity for as little as \$300. Consistent and disciplined savings placed into that annuity over time can guarantee you an income at retirement that you cannot outlive. That guarantee — along with the fact that no one has ever lost money left in a Knights of Columbus annuity (remember — absolute safety of principal) — really will provide you with peace of mind.

I am happy to meet with you — at your convenience and in your home — to explain in detail the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top-rated life insurance, disability income and long-term care insurance plans.

Kevin Anderson, KofC Field Agent



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Making a difference for life.

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JOSEPHINUM SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT AND HOG ROAST, APRIL 5

The Josephinum softball tournament (in which we participate) is on Saturday, April 5. We're still hoping for good weather after 4-5 years of cold (or cold & rainy) weather. The day starts with mass at 8-9 AM, and play starts after mass. The tourney is double elimination among 5 teams (4 Josephinum teams and St. Michael Knights). Late in the after noon or early evening (about 5-6 PM), it ends with a hog roast.

Whether you are playing softball that day or not, all Knights and families are invited to attend (please bring lawn chairs). As a courtesy, we will need to provide the Josephinum a head count for the Hog Roast; so please RSVP if you haven't already done so.

Chris Damo, Deputy Grand Knight, 614-256-9851, cdamo@columbus.rr.com

PENNIES FOR HEAVEN COLLECTION - APRIL 12TH AND 13TH

Brothers,

We will be collecting for Priestly vocations at all masses April 12th and 13th. Please sign up for at least one mass if you can. It takes about 15 minutes after each mass, not a very big commitment. It is for an extremely worthy and needed cause. Great PR for the Knights as well!

Thanks for your help!

Greg Eckert, Church Committee, eckerts@outlook.com, 614-799-9777

KoFC11445 FIRST DEGREE TEAM – ADDITIONAL HELP DESIRED

Brother Knights, we are still trying to get a First Degree team in place for our council. You all remember your first degree. Help us make it memorable for the future new knights. Join our first degree team. We try to meet on the 3rd Monday evening of the month. Our April meeting is scheduled for April 21 (Easter Monday) at 7:00 PM in the St. Michael's Library. Please join us if you are interested or contact me at richardwade@rocketmail.com or call me at home at 781-1664.

Richard Wade, Chairman, KofC11445 First Degree Team

HONOR FLIGHT COLUMBUS – SATURDAYS, APRIL 5 & APRIL 26

St. Michael Council #11445 has committed to continue its support of transporting St. Michael WWII and Korean War Veterans to Washington, D.C. to visit their respective Memorials through the Honor Flight Program. Honor Flight Columbus trips for the 2013 season are: **April 5 & 26; May 17; June 7; September 6 & 27; and October 18.** Morning ground crew volunteers are expected to arrive at Port Columbus by 4:30 AM. A Volunteer Application Form for those interested in helping out with Honor Flight Columbus (like Ground Crew, or any of the other variety of opportunities listed) is available on the Honor Flight website. To volunteer please complete the Form found at the website: http://www.honorflightcolumbus.org/About_Us.html.

Last but not least, our KofC Honor Flight committee seeks everyone's help in talking to our fellow parish WWII and Korean War veterans about possibly making the Honor Flight trip. Veteran application forms can also be found on the website listed above. Thanks to all who help make this program such a memorable one for our veterans.

Jim Shough, Community Activities, 740-549-3321, jshough1@insight.rr.com

APRIL SOCIAL AT CAPRI LANES – MONDAY, APRIL 28, 7:00 PM

Our April social will be for open bowling at **Capri Lanes, 5860 Roche Drive, Columbus 43229 on Monday, April 28 at 7:00pm.** Bowling will be \$3.75 per game and shoe rental is \$3.00. More information can be found at <http://www.capribowling.com/open-bowling/open2013-14new>. While we aren't renting out any particular lane or lanes, I would like to have an idea of how many and who is coming so I know what to expect. Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 23.

Lonny Young, Social Activities Chairman, 614-854-0806 (h), 614-314-1465 (c), lonnycyoung@yahoo.com

LADIES APPRECIATION DINNER AT P.K. O'RYAN'S – TUESDAY, MAY 27, 7:00 PM

The annual Ladies Appreciation Dinner will be held Tuesday, May 27th at 7:00pm. This year it will be held at P.K. O'Ryan's. As with dinners in the past, the council will pay for your wife/fiance/significant other lady (not including alcohol). You will be responsible for paying for your own dinner.

While we do have plenty of time before the date of the dinner, I do ask that you begin to look at your calendars and RSVP if you will be coming. We will have the entire restaurant, but I would like to be able to give them an idea of how many will be coming. Please make sure that you RSVP by Monday, May 12th.

Lonny Young, Social Activities Chairman, 614-854-0806 (h), 614-314-1465 (c), lonnycyoung@yahoo.com

ST. MICHAEL COUNCIL #11445 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS 2013-2014

Chaplain: Rev. Anthony Dinovo	Warden: Mike LaMorte	Newsletter Editor: Anthony Petrarca
Grand Knight: Patrick Rosmarin	Inside Guard: Kirk Alton	Program Director: Chris Damo
Deputy Grand Knight: Chris Damo	Outside Guard: Craig Eckert	Church Activities: Greg Eckert
Chancellor: Aaron Hamilton	Trustee (1 Year): Cyrus Cottrell	Community Activities: James Shough
Recorder: Tom Schmitt	Trustee (2 Years): John Greve	Council Activities: Lonny Young
Financial Secretary: Anthony Matlak	Trustee (3 Years): Brett Gissell	Family Activities: Tony Sylvester
Treasurer: Dustin Caldwell	Membership: John Greve	Youth Activities: Tim McNamara
Lecturer: Chris Damo	Pro Life: Matt Brown	District Deputy: Brett Gissell
Advocate: Michael Fowler	Historian: Anthony Petrarca	Insurance Rep: Kevin Anderson

OHIO KOFC 2014 SUPER CASH BONANZA CHARITY CAMPAIGN UPDATE

By this time all of you should have received personally, or by mail, 5 Super Cash Bonanza Charity Campaign Tickets to buy or sell. Thanks to those who have responded thus far, we are more than half way towards reaching the first turn in bonus level of tickets to be sold.

As you recall, from each \$5.00 ticket sold, we realize a minimum of \$2.40, with opportunities for additional rebates based on numbers of tickets sold at each of several bonus levels. The State Council portion of the proceeds supports various Diocesan programs such as the **TV Mass and Vocational Support**, while our Council's portion of the proceeds go to our **St. Michael School Reading and Scholarship Fund**.

The first bonus level is reached by selling 317 tickets by the first turn in date of April 11. Therefore all ticket stubs and receipts for tickets sold thus far should be turned in to me by **Monday, April 7** In order to meet that deadline.

You may turn in your ticket stubs and receipts to me at the **April 4 Fish Fry** or you can mail them (to be received by April 7) to:

Tim Dondero, 5953 Winstead Rd, Columbus Oh 43235 (Phone: 740-877-8392)

You may also put your returns in a clearly marked envelope **Knights of Columbus Raffle**, and place it in the Church collection basket on April 5-6, or drop it off in the Church Office by April 7.

Make checks payable to KofC #11445

If you will need more tickets, let me know. **REMEMBER – THIS IS THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF FUNDS FOR OUR COUNCIL'S SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.**

IMPORTANT TIMELINES

- * First Bonus Turn-in date is April 11. Ticket stubs and proceeds may be turned in at our April 4 Fish Fry, or mailed to **Tim Dondero, 5963 Winstead Rd., Columbus, OH 43235** to be received **no later than April 7**.
- * Post initial turn-in events will be announced as we press for the Final Turn-in.
- * FINAL turn-in date for all remaining ticket stubs and proceeds will be at our May 12 Business Meeting. Ticket stubs and proceeds can be mailed to me prior to that date.

Make checks payable to K of C #11445.

Thanks again for your help in supporting the Ohio KofC Charities and our St. Michael KofC Scholarship Fund. *Tim Dondero, 614-505-0342, tjd27c@yahoo.com, Chairmen, KofC11445 2014 Super Cash Bonanza Charity Campaign*

SUPER CASH BONANZA 2014

OVER \$108,000 In Cash Prizes

1st Prize \$49,680
Payable \$414/month for 10 years!

2nd Prize \$18,780
Payable \$313/month for 5 years!

3rd Prize \$12,720
Payable \$212/month for 5 years!

4th Prize.....\$4,000 **10th to 13th Prizes...\$1,250**
5th Prize.....\$3,000 **14th to 17th Prizes...\$1,000**
6th to 9th Prizes.....\$1,500 **18th to 21st Prizes.....\$750**
22nd to 25th Prizes.....\$500

OHIO STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OHIO CHARITY FOUNDATION

DRAWING DATE
Friday, May 23, 2014, 7:00 p.m.
Hilton at Easton
Columbus, Ohio
Winner need not be present.
Ticket rules on back.
DONATION: \$5.00

MEASURE UP CAMPAIGN FOR DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED – SATURDAY, MAY 3

Saturday, May 3, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, at High Street and 161, is the date, time and location for our council's Measure Up campaign for developmentally disabled programs this year. **Help is still greatly needed.** We need 8 people per hour from 8 am to 4 pm on Saturday, May 3. (May 3 is also the day of the St. Michael First Communion Masses where many of our 4th degree Knights participate in the Honor Guard; so we really need more of you to volunteer.) Please sign up for at least one 2-hour shift. You may sign up by email (cdamo@columbus.rr.com) or by phone (614-256-9851).

Everyone on the street needs a permit, with his own name, which is obtained by submitting a signed waiver form to the Worthington Police Department. (A blank copy of the waiver form is on page 7 of this newsletter. I also will have copies available at our Fish Fry's and our Council business meeting on April 14.)

Since the permit application must be submitted by early April, send a pdf copy of the signed waiver form right away to my email address above, or bring it to one of our remaining Fish Fry's, or mail it to me at 294 Bluejay Drive, Columbus 43235.

For those new to the council, we collect money on the street at the corner of High and 161, and distribute rulers explaining what the Measure Up program is all about. Twenty percent of what we collect goes to the state KofC to distribute to programs for developmentally disabled, and we get 80% back to distribute ourselves. Last year, we gave to the Royalton House (<http://www.necare.org/joomla/images/brochure.pdf>), the Doyle Memorial Fund (<http://www.doylememorialfund.com/>), Lend-a-Hand Industries (<http://lendahandcolumbus.com/>), and SPICE of St. Mary, Delaware <http://www.delawarestmary.org/parish-organizations/spice> and an autism charity.

Chris Damo, Measure Up Chairman, 614-256-9851, cdamo@columbus.rr.com

FISH FRY VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Our remaining Fish Fry's will take place on the following Fridays during Lent: April 4th, and April 11th. Meals are served each night from 5:00 to 8:00. As usual, there will be no dinner on Good Friday.

This is a massive undertaking inasmuch the Council requires nearly 40 volunteers per night to ensure each dinner's success. I have the responsibility to staff each night's dinner with volunteers to help before, during and after the dinners. Prior to each night's meal, there is preparation required in setting up the undercroft, making the cole slaw and baking the Mac N Cheese. Help is needed each night starting at 3:00. Our greatest need is during the dinner hours for various tasks.

Cleaning up the undercroft and kitchen and doing dishes is another opportunity to contribute to the dinners. People willing to help with the cleanup tasks should plan to be there by about 7:45. Usually we are done by 9:00 depending upon the size of the cleanup crew.

If you can help with any of these details, kindly contact me at the email address or phone number given below. Thanks for your willingness to commit to work the dinners.

Scott Mergenthaler, Fish Fry Chairman,
614-582-3878,

smergenthaler@cpmlaw.com

St. Michael Church

 **17TH ANNUAL LENTEN FISH FRY**

Sponsored by St. Michael Council #11445
Knights of Columbus



When: All Fridays in Lent From Mar. 7 to Apr. 11, 2014
Time: 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Where: St. Michael Church
5750 North High Street, Worthington
Cost: Fish Dinner: Regular-\$8.00, Small-\$6.00
Macaroni&Cheese Dinner - \$6.00
Meal: Fish (or Mac/Cheese), Fries, Roll, Cole Slaw (or Apple Sauce), and Beverage
Optional: Clam Chowder, Desserts - \$1.00 each

DRIVE THRU & CARRY OUT AVAILABLE

Proceeds will be used for Parish Needs

*Bring your families
for good food, friendship,
and fellowship*



**Handicap seating
available**

Membership Activities

Membership Chairman: John Greve

CONTACT YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT MEMBERSHIP IN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

There are many men in St. Michael Parish who have heard of the Knights of Columbus and are ready to join if only they are asked. Discuss the possibility of membership with your friends and acquaintances. You'd be surprised how quickly some of them will respond affirmatively. Membership application forms (Form 100) are available at all our meetings and other council activities. Please be one of our ambassadors. There will be many First Degree Ceremonies during the upcoming months to get them initiated into our council.

UPCOMING FIRST DEGREE CEREMONIES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Council</u>	<u>Time*</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>
4/10/14 (Thur.)	#5776, St. Paul, Westerville	7:30 PM	Don Coffey	614-578-9915
5/14/14 (Wed.)	#10941, Church of Resurr., New Albany	8:00 PM	Ed Yingling	614-891-5675
6/2/14 (Mon.)	#10863, St. Brigid, Dublin	7:00 PM	Michael Slicien	614-792-0583
6/12/14 (Thur.)	#5776, St. Paul, Westerville	7:30 PM	Don Coffey	614-578-9915
6/16/14 (Mon.)	#11275, St. Andrew, Upper Arlington	7:30 PM	Pat Carrol	614-657-0957
6/26/14 (Thur.)	#11208, St. Brendan, Hilliard	7:00 PM	Bob Eggerichs	614-771-9624

*Candidates must arrive 30 minutes prior to the degree starting time

NEXT 2ND AND 3RD DEGREE CEREMONIES – BRYCE ECK CENTER, SUNDAY, MAY 18, 2014

Sunday, May 18, 2014 is the next opportunity to take the **2nd and 3rd degrees** in the Knights of Columbus so you can achieve full knighthood in the order. As most of you know, the 4 principles of the Knights of Columbus are **Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism**. The four degree ceremonies are each based on one of these principles. The 1st degree, based on *charity*, is the one you have taken. The 2nd and 3rd degrees being offered on the above date at the **Bryce Eck Parish Center of St. Andrew Church, 3880 Reed Road, Upper Arlington** are based on *unity* and *fraternity*. One does not achieve full knighthood in the Knights of Columbus until you have taken the 3rd degree. The 4th degree is optional. **IF YOU ARE A FIRST DEGREE KNIGHT, MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE ABOVE DATE.**

NEXT 4TH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION CEREMONIES

The next 4th degree exemplification ceremony will be held on **April 26, 2014** at Cherry Valley Lodge, Newark. Candidates from St. Michael Council #11445 planning to be exemplified in the 4th degree on that date include **Dave Ferkany, Chris Fricke, and Isaac Wade**.

Brother Sir Knights who plan to attend the exemplification ceremony should consult the following link <http://www.kofcoho.org/master/Exemplification.htm> for details about the exemplification ceremony schedule.

DISTRICT DEPUTY FOR ST. MICHAEL COUNCIL #11445 (DISTRICT 41)

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Kevin Anderson Office: 937-982-0033 Cell: 614-403-7822 email: kevin.anderson@kofc.org

PRAYERS FOR BROTHER KNIGHTS AND THEIR FAMILIES

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Friedel Barrett**, mother of brother knight Dave Barrett, and her family; for brother knights **Jeff Soiu, Mike McCabe, Jack Heller, Bob Flores, Bill Ruth, John Blute, Dan Meyers, and Jim Ferega**, all of whom are currently experiencing some health problems; for **Lale Ruth**, wife of brother knight **Bill Ruth**, who is recuperating from cancer chemotherapy; and for knight widow **Joan Patton**, and brother knights **Bob Foster, Dick Long, and Gene Gabalski**, all of whom are dealing with long term health problems; and for all Veterans, living and deceased.



In Memoriam

Robert Novak

July 28, 1932 - Aug. 20, 2013

Requiescat in Pace

In Memoriam

Donn Kinietz

June 25, 1928 - Sept. 5, 2013

Requiescat in Pace

In Memoriam

J. Allan Mitchell

May 3, 1948 - Dec. 15, 2013

Requiescat in Pace

CITY OF WORTHINGTON

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of the issuance of a permit to _____ to solicit funds in the public right of way in the City of Worthington (the "Activity"), I hereby forever waive, release, discharge and hold harmless the City of Worthington, its successors, officers, employees, servants and agents, whether or not caused by their negligence, from and against any and all claims, causes of action, demands, damages, loss of service, expenses and costs (including attorneys' fees) arising from or in connection with damages for death, personal injury or property damage which I may have, or which may subsequently accrue to me, as a result of my participation in the Activity.

I further understand that serious personal or mortal injury and property damage could result from the Activity and having knowledge of and understanding the nature of these risks, I nonetheless hereby agree to assume these risks and to forever waive, release, discharge and hold harmless the City of Worthington, its successors, officers, employees, servants and agents in the manner and to the extent provided for in the preceding paragraph.

It is further agreed and understood that this waiver, release, discharge and assumption of risk is binding upon my heirs and assigns. Additionally, I certify that I am 18 years of age or older.

Name: _____

Name of Organization:

Knights of Columbus, St. Michael Council #11445

Date: _____

CORPORATE COMMUNION (April 20)

Our monthly Corporate Communion at 10:30 Mass on the 3rd Sunday of each month is followed by coffee and donuts after Mass. **Join your brother knights and families in the RESERVED SEATS up front at the 10:30 Mass for CORPORATE COMMUNION, and FELLOWSHIP after Mass in the undercroft.**

Greg Eckert, Church Committee



St. Michael Council #11445 Knights of Columbus

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c/o Tony Petrarca
194 Meadowlark Lane
Columbus, Ohio 43214

Return Service Requested

TO: