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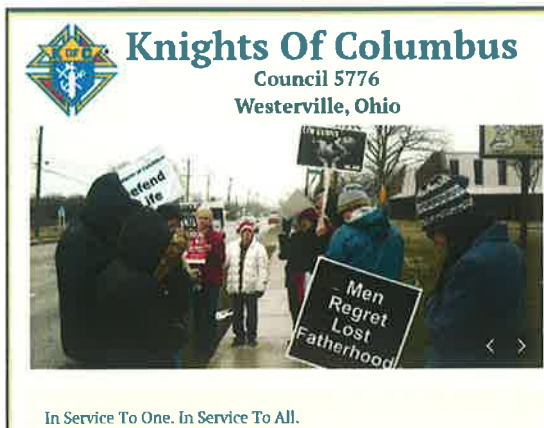
Scott Muehlbauer, Grand Knight

Todd Smith, Deputy Grand Knight

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Grand Knight's Message

Dear Brother Knights and Honored Clergy,

I was watching Pope Francis speak at the Peace Conference in Egypt, and I was reflecting on the intelligence and courage it takes to push for dialog among people of dramatically different cultures and religions. But not just in words, more importantly in actions by attending the conference to engage others personally. He was discussing how God IS love, and any group that exercises violence in the name of God cannot be a true religion. He was impressing on the Egyptian political and religious leaders that they

must be a force for peace and stability in the Arab world.

The Pope acknowledged that Egypt has been a source of stability not just in words but in deeds. Egypt is a country that has accepted many immigrants during its long history. The Pharaoh allowed Joseph, his father Isaac, and his brothers to settle in Egypt. Currently, Egypt is allowing immigrants from many Arab countries to stay and escape persecution. Even Joseph brought Mary and Jesus to Egypt to escape from persecution.

We must also be courageous in word and deed. We must promote dialog. The Knights of Columbus are taking action by spreading the word about the genocide in the Middle East and providing financial assistance to Christian refugees and genocide survivors. I encourage my Brother Knights to support the funds that have been established by Supreme.

May God Bless you and your family for all you do.

Vivat Jesus
Scott Muehlbauer

Our next business meeting starts at 7:00 pm on Wednesday May 3, 2017 at St Paul's in Room 2 in the lower level of the Church.

Join us to pray the Rosary at 6:30 pm

Please give PGK Kevin O'Connor (614-523-3892, koconnor@gci2000.com) any written articles by the end of the month so they can be included in next month's newsletter.

Nominations for Officers

The following Knights have been nominated as Officers for the 2017-2018 Fraternal Year:

Grand Knight	Scott Muehlbauer
Deputy Grand Knight	Todd Smith
Chancellor	Dale Gallion
Recorder	Scott Zacherl
Treasurer	Pat Ryan
Financial Secretary	Curtis Smith
Advocate	Dave Jones
Warden	Al Mansour
Inside Guard	Tom Foos
Outside Guard	Mike Habing (pending)

If you would like to nominate other members for Council Officers, please contact

Don Coffey (dkjbbjcoffey@att.net), or Sebastian Mauricio (SebMauricio@gmail.com)

The election of officers will be conducted at the June Business Meeting



Sat May 6 Pro-Life Prayer

Join our Council and many others as we mobilize for pro-life on Saturday May 6. We will gather at 10:00 to pray outside of Founders Clinic at 1243 E. Broad Street. Contact GK Sebastian Mauricio for information (SebMauricio@gmail.com).



Saturday May 6 "Measure Up"

It's time once again for Council members to Measure Up to the challenge of raising funds for special education programs in the Westerville Schools. We will be collecting at stores and a road intersection. You can contact Kevin O'Connor (koconnor@gci2000.com, 614-523-3892) for more information. *We will be calling for volunteers, and we are also soliciting businesses for contributions.*



Sunday May 14
“Cooking for Mothers”

The last breakfast of this Fraternal year will be on Sunday May 14 when we honor all mothers. We will be serving after the 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30 masses. Many hands make light work. Simply show up to help or call PGK Gary Koonce for details. *We especially need help with clean up after the 10:30 mass* (614-898-3823, email:GKoonce@aol.com).



Meals on Wheels

Brother Knight Paul LeCorgne has taken over responsibility for Meals on Wheels. This is a main fundraiser for the Council, and requires but a little time on Saturday or Sunday. **Nobody is scheduled every weekend. If you can help or want more information, please contact Paul** (614-794-0071, paul.s.lecorgne@chase.com)



Saturday May 20
Give the Gift of Life
Blood Drive

The Council will be sponsoring a blood drive at St. Paul's Miller Hall on May 20 from 8am to 1pm. Please help with registration and refreshments during the blood drive. Contact Curtis Smith (curtis.smith@gmail.com) to volunteer and for information



Council May Birthdays

Scott B. Bastian
David Berthold
Robert Cargin
Larry Carter
George M. Crawford
Rev Daniel J. Dury
Anthony Faiella
Joseph A. Floyd
Paul R. Goodale
Edward Gulla
Jeffrey L. Hackett
Rev Mickey Hawkins
Paul Marchio
Kevin S. McAlister
Bob A. Moran

Scott A. Muehlbauer
James A. Muhlenkamp
Gary L. Norris
Douglas Prokop
George Scott
Bernard Sweeney
John Traini
Rev Joseph J. Trapp II
Henry Vidal
Charles White



Pennies for Heaven

Be sure to drop your pennies in the milk jug at every Council meeting, Breakfast, and Fish Fry. These funds are collected to provide support for seminarians.



Council Shirts Available

Dave Jones has shirts (M, L, XL, and XXL) available for immediate purchase. Polo Shirts are \$22 and T-shirts are \$10. They provide a wonderful medium for emphasizing unity and fraternity. They make us look good too!!



In Support of Priests and Religious Vocations

Pray for Pope Francis
 Pray for Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI
 Pray for Bishop Frederick Campbell
 Pray for Pastor, Fr. Charlie Klinger
 Pray for Fr. Dave Gwinner
 Pray for Fr. Rod Damico
 Pray for Fr. Emmanuel Adu Addai
 Pray for Fr. Joseph Murphy
 Pray for Fr. Michael Hinterschied
 Pray for Fr. Dan Drury
 Pray for Deacon Mickey Hawkins
 Pray for Deacon Tom Barford
 Pray for Deacon Joe Ciaciura
 Pray for Deacon Carl Jerzyk

Nametags



Any Brother Knight who wants a nametag please contact Rocky Lomano at 614-890-5790 or e-mail at wlsurvey@earthlink.net. The nametags are a great way to let people get to know you at our events. Cost is \$7.



Keep Them in Your Prayers

***SEND REQUESTS TO
prayerrequest@kofc5776.org***

Pray for Brother Knight Bob Covington

Pray for Brother Knight Mike Habing

Pray for the repose of the soul of Dino Carfagna's mother-in-law

Pray for Past State Deputy Dennis Shonebarger

Pray for Brother Knight Larry Stember

Pray for Brother Knight Bill Zuzalski

Pray for the mother of Brother Knight Curtis Smith

Pray for Brother Knight Joe Ditmar

Pray for the daughter of Brother Knight Gary Anderson

Pray for Brother Knight Dominic Oravec

Pray for the family of Brother Knight Dick Marflak

Pray for Brother Knight Paul Guevin and his wife, Bev

Pray for Brother Knight Raymond Michalski

Pray for Brother Knight Tom Augustus

Pray for Brother Knight Tony Riveralli

Pray for Fr. Augustine

Pray for Fr. Snoke

Pray for Fr. Richart

Pray for Brother Knight Keith Meyers

Pray for Brother Knight Al Surette

Pray for Frank Nachtman, per request of Brother Knight Scott Bastian

Pray for Brother Kniight Darrel Freeman

Pray for Brother Knight Tom Nann

Pray for PGK Barney Sweeney and his wife, Jacqueline

Pray for Brother Knight Dave Brown

Pray for the grandchild of PGK Art Sullivan

Pray for Brother Knight Mark Steele

Pray for Virginia Jones, wife of Brother Knight Dave Jones

Pray for Janice Peltomaa

Pray for Past State Deputy Gary Eckstein

Pray for Brother Knight John Marzec

Pray for Brother Knight Don Gray and his wife, Addie

Pray for Brother Knight Robert Laube

Pray for Jason and Angela Wiegand, niece and nephew-in-law of Brother Knight

Dave Dauer

Pray for Halina Barford, wife of Brother Knight Tom Barford

Pray for Brother Knight William Grubb

Pray for Ariana Rose Hankins (Brother Knight Elmer Cabotage's granddaughter)

Pay for Leroy Piekenbrock, father of Brother Knight Mark Piekenbrock

Pray for Peter Chlore, Anthony Kinslow, Jacob Spann, Dustin Derga, Ryan Miller, Samuel Pearson, and others who have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country.



Thought for the Month
“Words and Actions”

As I watched the election season I contemplated how promises are so often empty, and not always because they’re intended to be so. This doesn’t just apply to politics; it applies to my life. I mean well. I want to be good, to reform, to make things right. But anyone can make a promise based on a fleeting desire to be admired or loved. Anyone can utter pretty and convincing words. But it’s our actions that prove our true characters and identities. As my grandmother was so fond of reminding me, even the devil knew his Scriptures. But Jesus did the work of the Father.

Jessica Mesman Griffith
Living Faith

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Council Calendar

Wed May 3
6:30 PM **Rosary**
7:00 PM **Business Meeting**

Sat May 6
Measure Up
Cleveland Ave and Rt 161

Sat May 6
Prayer at Abortion Clinic

Sun May 14
Breakfast after Masses

Wed May 17
Officers Meeting

Sat May 20
Blood Drive

Thur May 25 – 6:30pm
Holy Hour

Fri May 26
Tent Rental

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The Malinowski family was selected Family of the Month



Knights and family members prayed the Rosary outside the abortion clinic during the 40 Days for Life



Carefully preparing the eggs for The Hunt



Andrew Mauricio was the organizer and checked that the eggs were properly prepared



The crowd anxiously waited for the go signal and then hit the field



It was over in twenty minutes



Al Muth and Dave Jones collecting for Measure Up



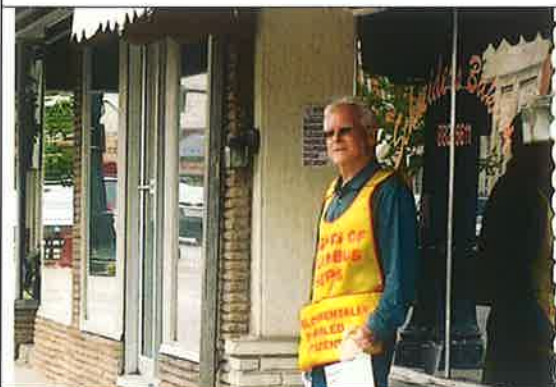
Ted Markovich and Jim Malinowski took a shift



DGK Todd Smith and FS Curtis took shifts



Art Sullivan took a shift



Rick McClelland once again was collecting for Westerville Special Education teachers



20 ft by 30 ft tent. Rental \$375 for a weekend. It requires a flat area of 60 ft by 50ft for staking and supports

DON'T FORGET THAT THE COUNCIL TENT IS FOR RENT

We will deliver, setup, tear down and take away the tent for the rental price.

CONTACT LOU BORTH FOR DETAILS

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