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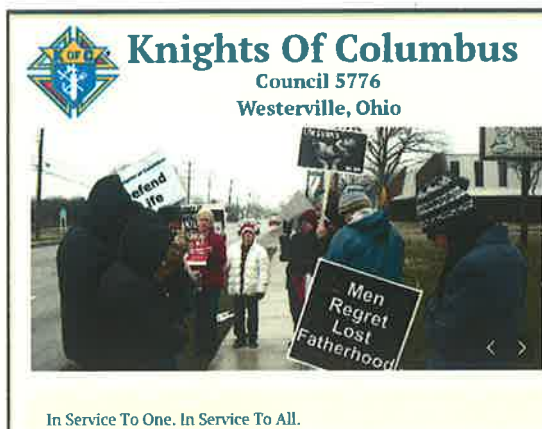
Scott Muehlbauer, Grand Knight

Todd Smith, Deputy Grand Knight

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Grand Knight's Message

Dear Brother Knights and Honored Clergy,

Are you the face of encouragement, the voice of encouragement? While you may not feel like it during your daily struggles, when your journey seems to be one obstacle after another, and your constant responsibilities make your day seem to evaporate.....you may be the face of encourage to those around you.

The remarkable thing about participating in Council activities is the feeling that you are making difference in other people's lives. You are not sitting on the sidelines

watching the world go by and not making a difference.

There are a couple of activities this month in particular where Council members are very much making a difference. Our support for the Bethesda Healing Ministry under the guidance of PGK Sebastian Mauricio has an impact on the lives of women who are dealing with the aftermath of having an abortion. When we stand at stores and roadway intersections collecting funds for the Measure Up campaign, we provide support for Special Education in the Westerville Schools

Even more significant is the impact you have simply by paying dues and being an active member of the Knights of Columbus. Through the Ultrasound Initiative, since 2009, state and local Knights of Columbus councils (including Westerville Council 5776) have teamed up with the Supreme Council to fund about 900 ultrasound machines, costing approximately \$44 million, for placement in pro-life pregnancy care centers (PCCs) in all 50 states, and Canada.

.....Just in case you think that you are not making a difference.....

Vivat Jesus
Scott Muehlbauer

Our next business meeting starts at 7:00 pm on Wednesday May 2, 2018 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 2018-2019 Fraternal Year:

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

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

Bruce Jackson (bjwesterville@aol.com),
or Sebastian Mauricio
(SebMauricio@gmail.com)

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



Sat May 5 *Pro-Life Prayer*

Join our Council and many others as we mobilize for pro-life on Saturday May 5. 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 5 "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 the intersection of Cleveland Avenue and Rt 161. 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 20
“Cooking Finale”

The next breakfast of this Fraternal year will be on Sunday May 20. 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).



Saturday May 19
Give the Gift of Life
Blood Drive

The Council will be sponsoring a blood drive at St. Paul’s Miller Hall on May 19 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

Mon May 7, May 21
Into the Breach

“Catholic men across the centuries have responded to the call to enter the battle, ever ancient and ever new, and I have confidence that you will respond alike to fill the breach in our time.” – Bishop Olmsted (<https://intothebreach.org>)

The Study Group meeting will be held 7 pm in Parlor A at St. Paul Church. Contact Mike Habing (mahabing@hotmail.com) for information.



Council May Birthdays

- Scott B. Bastian*
- David Berthold*
- Robert Cargin*
- Larry Carter*
- George M. Crawford*
- John Erwin*
- Anthony Faiella*
- Joseph A. Floyd*
- Paul R. Goodale*
- Edward Gulla*
- Rev Mickey Hawkins*
- Connor King*
- 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*



Meals on Wheels

Brother Knight Paul LeCorgne has 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)**



Council Shirts Available

Rocky Lomano 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!!

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.



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.



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. Emmanuel Adu Addai
 Pray for Fr. Tony Lonzo

Pray for Fr. Joseph Murphy
Pray for Fr. Dave Gwinner
Pray for Fr. Rod Damico
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



Keep Them in Your Prayers

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

Pray the repose of the soul of Brother Knight Tom Augustus (Charter Member of Council 5776)

Pray for the repose of the soul of Brother Knight Donald Plunkett

Pray for the repose of the soul of Brother Knight John Devine

Pray for the repose of the soul of Brother Knight Paul Guevin

Pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Carmen Acuri

Pray for Brother Knight Tom Berger

Pray for Brother Knight Bob Covington

Pray for Brother Knight Mike Habing
Pray for Debbie Blankartz, wife of Brother Knight Dave Blankartz

Pray for the mother of Brother Knight Pat Ryan

Pray for Kyoko McKinney, mother of Brother Knight Bruce Jackson

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 Raymond Michalski

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 Knight 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 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
 "Christianity"

One of the greatest miracles of all time was the marvelous establishment of the Christian religion itself – rapid, universal, and lasting in character. It has been victorious over innumerable persecutions. We are blessed in having been given the faith that guides our eternal salvation. The Divine Word given to us by the successors of Christ and the Apostles still has the same power it had when Christ and the Apostles first preached it, so that our "faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God" (1 Cor 2:5)

*Thursday of the 2nd Week of Easter
 St. Joseph Daily Missal*



Council Calendar

Wed May 2
 6:30 PM **Rosary**
 7:00 PM **Business Meeting**

Sat May 5
Measure Up
 Cleveland Ave and Rt 161

Sat May 5
Prayer at Abortion Clinic

Mon May 7
Into the Breach
 St Paul Parlor A

Tue May 8
VOTE

Wed May 16
Officers Meeting

Sat May 19
Blood Drive

Sun May 20
Breakfast after Masses

Mon May 21
Into the Breach
 St Paul Parlor A

Thur May 24 – 6:30pm
Holy Hour

Mon May 28
Memorial Day

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Gary Koonce was selected Knight of the Month and Knight of the Year



The family of Pat Ryan was selected Family of the Month



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



...and it was over in twenty minutes



Al Muth and Dave Jones collecting for Measure Up



Lou Borth and Jim Malinowski each took a shift



Ted Markovich and Art Sullivan each took a shift



Curtis Smith took care of things on Saturday



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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