



# *Knightly News*

Newsletter of Knights of Columbus  
ARCHBISHOP NOLL COUNCIL 4511 & BISHOP LEO PURSLEY ASSEMBLY 19704  
P.O. Box 871, Warsaw, Indiana 46581-0871

**October**

www.kofc4511.org

**2023**



## **Grand Knight Views**

Fellow Knights and Brothers in Christ,

As we close out the month of September, we now look forward to the month of October, the **Month of the Holy Rosary!**

**October 2** is the **Memorial of the Guardian Angels** – Did you know that “Each person on earth has a guardian angel who watches over him and helps him to attain his salvation. Angelical guardianship begins at the moment of birth; prior to this, the child is protected by the mother's guardian angel. This protection continues throughout our whole life and ceases only when our probation on earth ends, namely, at the moment of death. Our guardian angel accompanies our soul to purgatory or heaven, and becomes our coheir in the heavenly kingdom” (Catholic Culture.org, 2022).

Wow, the month of September is always amazing as we kick the new fraternal year into high gear. Let's celebrate our accomplishments!

### **Council 4511 Officers**

#### **Grand Knight**

Andy Sutton

#### **Deputy Grand Knight**

Dave Sivicek

#### **Chancellor**

Kevin Weaver

#### **Chaplain**

Fr. Jonathan Norton

#### **Financial Secretary**

Steve Sudhoff

#### **Treasurer**

Dave Smolen

#### **Recorder**

Doug Jacobowitz

#### **Advocate**

Walt Krygier

#### **Warden**

Martin Pfister

#### **Lecturer**

Bill Landrigan

#### **Inside Guard**

Craig Smith

#### **Outside Guard**

Nick Walenga

#### **Trustee 1 year**

Dan Hampton

#### **Trustee 2 year**

Pat Cox

#### **Trustee 3 year**

Mark Piazza

#### **Newsletter Editor**

Bob List

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- **White cross setup** - Brother Knights set up the white cross display in record time. These crosses serve as a reminder to us and our community that we must continue to advocate for life from conception to natural death while praying for lives lost and for the mothers, fathers, and families affected.

- **Soccer Challenge:** Brother Knights set up and hosted this annual event at SH. Thanks to WDD Dan Hampton for organizing and to all those who came out in support. Likewise, congratulations to all the winners!

- **Grandparents Day at Sacred Heart** – Brother Knights planned and served **450+** breakfast meals at the Sacred Heart School event for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year in a row, a testament to the humility and service of the Knights of Columbus. Thanks again to all who participated!

- **Prayer Rally at the Courthouse** – Brother Knights and family members gathered and prayed the rosary. Special thanks to Br. Mike De Runtz for organizing these special events. Please consider joining as events are posted!

- **First Fish Fry** – Brother Knights kicked off the first fish fry of the season. It was a great night to see individuals from the community enjoy the best fish in town!

**Brothers, continue to pray for each other, be involved as your time allows, and continue to lead the life God calls you to!**

Please consider joining Slack. Slack is a messaging application that may be installed on your phone, PC, or Mac computer to quickly connect with your fellow Brothers and stay informed of KofC activities.

Join Here: [https://join.slack.com/t/council4511/shared\\_invite/zt-1ha0nrqiu-SG0H91CoBFHl\\_f7g1OINfw](https://join.slack.com/t/council4511/shared_invite/zt-1ha0nrqiu-SG0H91CoBFHl_f7g1OINfw) or contact me for assistance.

God Bless each of you,

Vivat Jesus!

*GK Andy*

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## District Deputy's report

My Dear Brother Knights!

In your spare time, I invite you to visit [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org). This website not only promotes the Knights of Columbus but, also, INSPIRES all Catholic gentlemen to practice our Faith!

I had an opportunity in September to visit a Council that was recently assigned to our District-Elkhart Council #1043. The Council serves two parishes in Elkhart-St. Thomas The Apostle Catholic Church and St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church. With a membership of

202 brother Knights, Elkhart Council is the largest in our District. As a reminder, the remaining Councils in our District are the two Warsaw Councils, Syracuse, Bremen, Goshen and Bristol.

With our District consisting of 682 Knights, we are truly blessed in having a large "army" of Catholic gentlemen and their families to advance our pillars of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity. When organizing your Council activities, you should consider inviting the other Councils in our District to participate. Not only are you embracing our pillars when

doing this, you are also expanding our ministry through fellowship and the increased opportunity to evangelize.

If you have not, within the last 30 days, invited a Catholic gentleman to become a Knight of Columbus, you are slowly extinguishing the presence that we embody with our Church, our country, and our fellowman. All you need do is share the Knights of Columbus existence with a Catholic gentleman and invite him to join. Google kofc join-it's FREE to join!

Your Brother In Christ,

DAN HAMPTON

## Insurance

### The Value of Life Insurance for Children

As a father, you worry about your children and do everything you can to protect them. You try to raise them right and make sure they are prepared to become adults. But have you ever thought about buying life insurance for your child?

When you insure a child, you are protecting his or her future. Did you know that one out of every six adults get rated, postponed, or denied for insurance coverage? If you purchase a policy for your child from the Knights of Columbus with a guaranteed purchase option, it guarantees that more insurance can be purchased for that child at certain set dates, without proving insurability.

Unfortunately, as fathers we don't have a crystal ball, and we don't know what the future may have in store for our children's health. But did you know that right now you can purchase a child's policy, in many cases, for less than \$15 a month?

I've heard it said that people don't want to "profit" from the death of a child, so they won't purchase coverage on their children. God forbid

something tragic happens, those funds can come in handy at a time when finances will be the last thing on a parent's mind. I have never heard a story about someone who regretted buying coverage on their child.

Contact me today to discuss the many policy options for child plans, including 10- and 20-Pay life insurance.

Vivat Jesus!

Jeffery Goralczyk



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## October 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 -Life /Chain,1;15pm Rosary at grotto, Life /chain 2-3pm South Buffalo Street  40 Hour Adoration - Noon to Midnight	2 - <b>Dave Smolen</b>  40 Hour Adoration - 5AM to Midnight	3 - <b>Stephen Anderson</b>  40 Hour Adoration - 9AM to 6PM	4	5 -4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting 7:00pm - Noll Club Hall	6	7 - First Saturday Mass 8:15am - <b>Jim Brennan,</b> <b>Ethan Buchman, Ot</b> <b>Schroeder</b>
8	9	10	11	12 -Council meeting 7PM Dinner at 6:15 - Noll Club Hall - <b>Thad Borchers</b>	13 -Fish Fry <b>Bue team</b>  - <b>John Lane</b>  	14 - Heartline Donut Dash - <b>Robert Lause</b>  Court House Prayer Rally 12pm
15 - Sacred Heart Breakfast	16	17	18 - <b>Mike Powers</b>	19 - <b>Pat Landrigan</b>	20	21
22	23 - <b>Jacob Landrigan</b>	24 - <b>Lorenzo Lopez</b>	25 - <b>Fred De La Cruz</b>	26	27	28 - Square Dance at Magical Meadows 5:30pm to 10:30pm
29	30 - <b>Barry Jones</b>	31				

## November 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 -4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting 7:00pm - Noll Club Hall	3 - Mass for Deceased members Dinner in gym	4
5	6 - <b>Kevin Weaver</b>	7	8	9 -Council meeting 7PM Dinner at 6:15 - Noll Club Hall	10 -Fish Fry <b>Green Team</b>  	11 <small>Veteran Day</small>
12	13	14 - <b>Bob List</b>	15	16	17	18 -4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Exemp. Granger - <b>Mike Gavin,</b> <b>Alfonso Ochoa</b>
19 - SH Breakfast - <b>Greg</b> <b>Ummel</b>	20 - <b>John Kolton</b>	21	22	23	24	25 - <b>Walt Krygier</b>
26	27	28	29	30 - <b>Ed Cooning</b>		

## December 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 - <b>Jim Faroh</b>					1	2
3 - <b>Ed Slough</b>	4	5	6	7 -4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting 7:00pm - Noll Club Hall	8 -Fish Fry <b>Red Team</b>  	9
10	11 - <b>Tom Ford, Jerry</b> <b>Hogan</b>	12	13	14 -Council meeting 7PM Dinner at 6:15 - Noll Club Hall	15	16
17	18	19 - <b>Father Jonathan</b> <b>Norton</b>	20 - <b>Todd Davis, Chad</b> <b>Wainscott</b>	21	22	23
24 - <b>Alan Alderfer, Derry</b> <b>Dillon</b>	25 - <b>Marlin Gaff</b> <small>Christmas Day</small>	26 - <b>Steve Allen Harvey</b> <b>Miller</b> <small>Boxing Day</small>	27	28	29	30



**2023 Soccer Challenge**  
**30min setup**  
**1 hr 6 Knights**

**White Cross Setup:**  
**Sep-2**  
**3hr Setup 2-3 Knights**  
**1 hr 12 Knights**  
**3 non-Knights**



## Upcoming KofC Events

- October 1,2, 3** - 40 Hour Adoration
- October 1**, - Life Chain, 1:15pm Rosary at grotto, Life Chain 2-3pm South Buffalo Street
- October 5** - 4<sup>th</sup> Degree meeting 7pm
- October 7** - First Saturday Mass 8:15
- October 12** - Council meeting at Noll Hall dinner served at 6:15pm
- October 13** - Fish Fry **Blue team**
- October 14** - Heartline Donut Dash
- October 14** - Prayer Rally Court house lawn
- October 15** - SH Breakfast

- October 28** - Square Dance Magical Meadows
  - November 2** - 4<sup>th</sup> Degree meeting 7pm
  - November 3** - Mass for the Deceased and dinner in the gym
  - November 9** - Council meeting at Noll Hall dinner served at 6:15pm
  - November 10** - Fish Fry **Green team**
  - November 18** - 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification -Granger
  - November 19** - SH Breakfast
  - December 7** - Fourth Degree Christmas dinner
  - December 8** - Fish Fry **Red team**
  - December 14** - Council meeting at Noll Hall dinner served at 6:15pm
- See calendar for Birth dates of your brother Knights (printed in red)*

## Faithful Navigator's Column



### Fourth Degree Officers

#### Faithful Navigator

Mark Piazza

#### Admiral

Craig A Smith

#### Comptroller

Steve Sudhoff

#### Faithful Friar

#### Captain

Mike DeRuntz

#### Pilot

Doug Jakubowicz

#### Purser

Bob List

#### Scribe

Thomas R. Andreas

#### Inner Sentinel

Walt Krygier

#### Outer Sentinel

Michael R. Gregory

#### Trustees

Jerry Nelson,

Glen Matthew

James Miller

Our first Assembly meeting of the new fiscal year took place on Thursday September 7. We discussed plans for the year, including the annual Christmas Dinner. Again, this year we will probably sponsor a breakfast for First Responders in May, 2024. The date needs to be identified and confirmed.

The Assembly Honor Guard presented the colors at the Right to Life of North Central Indiana Annual Banquet September 18. Thanks to all who participated and attended this event. We must continue to show our support for protection and respect for all life and the Pro-Life movement.

A successful annual Assembly 1974 picnic was held on September 24 at Bob List's farm. Lots of fellowship and fraternity and good food shared by about 20 Knights and their ladies. Thanks to Bob not only for the use of his farm but for the excellent meal of pulled pork and chicken. It looks like Bob may have found a new talent he can use in his retirement. Thanks also to all those who helped with set up and clean up.

Two important events in October are the Life Chain in Warsaw and probably other communities on Sunday

October 1 and the Prayer Rally at the Kosciusko County Courthouse at noon on October 14. Please try to participate in these.

There will be a 4th Degree Exemplification Saturday November 18th at St. Pius X, Granger. If you know any Brother who is thinking about moving to Fourth Degree, please spread the word. He can contact me at [mtpiazza@waveone.net](mailto:mtpiazza@waveone.net) if he has questions or is interested.

Please remember that October is dedicated to the Rosary. We all received a Rosary when we joined the Knights. October should remind us of our dedication to Mary and the Rosary. During October, please join your brother Knights in praying a Rosary every day. Please consider praying that Rosary for your family, parish and school community and our country.

See you at the October 5 Assembly Meeting. Stay safe and well.

Viva Christos El Ray,

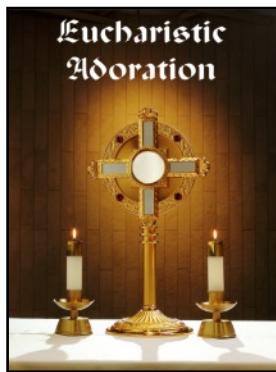
Mark T. Piazza

Faithful Navigator

## Third Thursday Holy Hour

The Knights of Columbus Council 4511 would like to maintain Adoration for the entire time of Exposition on the Third Thursday of each month. The goal is to have a minimum of 2 Knights (any Degree) keeping company with Jesus for eight hours straight once a month.

To commit to a specific hour of adoration, please contact Mike DeRuntz at 238-273-6956 or email him at mderuntz2010@gmail.com



Adoration  
Thursdays 1-8PM

## Knights in Action



Knights serve over 450 breakfasts to Grandparents and staff of Sacred Heart students



**Prayer Rally – Saturday, August 12, 2023**  
Next rally September 9

## Faith Program

### FAITH PROGRAM REPORT

#### RSVP PROGRAM

Currently, we do not have a sponsored seminarian. Please pray that one comes available to our Council.

#### SACRED HOUR

40 HOUR ADORATION – October 1, 2, 3. Our Council will be in attendance on Sunday, October 1st at 7 to 8pm and on Monday, October 2nd from 7 to 8pm. Please make every effort to attend!

The third Thursday of each month's Eucharistic Adoration at Sacred Heart Church has been designated as a Sacred Hour for our Council from 1p.m. till 8:30 p.m. Share some of your time before Our Lord in adoration. He is waiting to be with you! JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!

#### PRAYER RALLY

There will be a Prayer Rally on Saturday, October 14, 2023, we will gather at Noon in front of the County Court House.

## Pro Life News

PRO-LIFE – The NCIRTL yearly banquet is now passed and from all accounts a very successful and fulfilling event. While there was seating for 650, the actual attendance was right at 600. This is the best attendance since covid hit. The 'setup' for the evening was done in record time and the volunteers from the Knights of Columbus played a big part in getting this done by arranging the 80 tables along with the chairs. Then there was the Heritage Girls from Sacred Heart who arranged the various items that graced the tables. All told, there were 40 or more volunteers involved with the majority of them being catholic.

The speaker, Ashley Bracher, delivered an inspirational talk regarding her life as she tried to move from a very modest home in North Carolina to a career in the theater. She nearly hit rock bottom when she went to New York but recovered and went back home. The script for the movie "unplanned" more or less came out of nowhere and when she was selected for the lead role she called her mother to relate the exciting news. It was during this phone conversation that her mother revealed that she nearly aborted Ashley. The mother was on the table in an abortion facility when she decided not to abort and got up and left. This was and is a beautiful story of how God's love and intervention plays out in this otherwise sinful world.

A "first" for the yearly banquet was a man's testimony of how an abortion of which he consented, affected his life. Prefacing his comment with the phrase, "I am not a public speaker", he related that what he had to say would come directly from his heart. In summary, he spoke of how the abortion affected his temperament which went from bad to worse. He was at odds with about everything and being around children was very upsetting to him. His wife tried on various occasions to get him to seek help to which he refused. It was only when she said that she was going to leave him that he finally received the help he needed. This testimony added a much needed dimension to this sorted situation and the gentleman must have received a gracious amount of grace to have the courage to tell his story.

A 'Spirit filled evening' was how a number of attendees described the event as they assembled and talked in various pockets following the closing prayer by Fr. Jonathon. So much so that the Grace students representing both boys and girls basketball and golf teams had a little difficulty clearing the tables and chairs. The people seemed to not want to leave.

While the yearly banquet is held to educate and inspire the Right to Life faithful, it has a secondary and most important function of raising the needed monies to continue the battle for life. As you may have heard by now the total pledges and outright donation amount to over \$153,000 with the possibility of more dribbling in. To God be all the Glory.

Looking forward to 2024, I would hopefully pray that there will be an even greater presence of the Knights. Yes, we had a good showing during the preparation for the event and our Color Guard performed as usual prior to the Pledge, but with our membership being as big as it is and Holy Mother Church being the pillar and bulwark of the Sanctity of Life, there is ample room for improvement in this regard. May God bless us all as we try to follow his way!

Up next – HEARTLINE's DONUTE DASH – October 14th – five or six Knights to help direct the runners around the 5K course.

– Bill Landrigan

## In great Love – Knight's Prayers:

Gail Nick Walinga's sis – prayer for her recovery, and the medical staff working with her very serious illness.

Mark Meadows– thanksgiving for successful surgery Aug 22 and prayers for complete healing from a tumor.

Gordy Clemens – thanksgiving for progress and prayers of healing of heart, lungs and progress in medical issues.

Calvin Sherk – prayers for healing and a good recovery after surgery.

Moe and baby – prayers for Doug's wife Moe and baby, safe and successful delivery, due in November.

Step daughter – prayers for John's daughter for successful results and stability in rehab.

Roslyn Mark's granddaughter – prayers for resolution of a hearing issue.

Caleb Meyers – prayers for the healing of his bone in his hip.

Eucharistic revival – prayers to stir into flames the hearts and minds of all of God's people to return to their roots of faith, love, the true presence of Christ.

Katherine Sivicek – prayers for healing of previous medical issues.

Knights and Christ – In thanksgiving for how Christ is active in our lives.

Knights and families - prayers for those going through mental struggles, rehab, treatments and surgery. Prayers for peace, safety and good recovery.

Mike DeRuntz, Mary & family – prayers for continued and complete healing for him and Mary.

Fred DeLaCruz – prayers for healing during / after medical treatments.

Lamar Rogers, Ed Mayo & all home bound or ill – prayers for healing, safety, stability and strength in Christ.

Roz Morgan – prayers for healing of medical issues and for the support of Our Father's operations by Church and community.

## Fr. Michael J McGivney Prayer

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, You called your priest, Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to generous service of their neighbors.

Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling the commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence

in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast.

We humbly ask that you glorify your servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor(s)

I now present (make you intentions). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Each month, the intentions of the council (please feel free to add your own intentions also) will be included in the newsletter. The need can be anything (sickness, stress, employment, a wayward child, addiction, etc...) To add a request you can call or email Glen below:

Glen Matthew 574-267-6708 bigfish02@comcast.net



Picture from helping packing Donna who is in rehab and must move from apartment



## Dinner & Square Dance Social

@ Magical Meadows

3386 E 525 N, Warsaw

October, 28<sup>th</sup>

5:00p – 10:30p; Dinner @6p

\$75/couple



Scan to register or text/call

Andy Sutton @ 317-618-5801



**Next  
Prayer  
Rally  
October 14,  
2023  
12:00 noon  
Court  
House  
lawn**