



Knights of Columbus -
Council 11187

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MARCH ACTIVITIES

2—9:00AM First Saturday Mass,
10:00AM Officer's Meeting

8—5—7:30PM FISH Dinner—
HH

10 —Pancake Breakfast 9AM—
1PM—HH

11—8:00PM Business Meeting—
CL10

18—First Degree 8PM

19—Confirmation—4th Full Re-
galia

22—5—7:30PM FISH Dinner—
HH

24—EASTER EGG HUNT Shel-
ter House

25—Social Meeting 8PM - HH

31—EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL ACTIVITIES

6—9:00AM First Saturday Mass,
10:00AM Officer's Meeting

8—8:00PM Business Meeting—
CL10

23—Social Meeting 8PM—HH

Dear Brother Knights

By: Bud Joos

Dear Brother Knights:

PLEASURE OR HAPPINESS

At our February business meeting Father Weithman talked to us about the difference between pleasure and happiness. It was a good message and one that I have thought about many times. Father said that most people in our world today think that pleasure will bring happiness. But pleasures are short lived and soon we are in pursuit of more pleasure.

The day after the meeting my wife and I went on a short visit to Louisville, Kentucky to visit our son Mark and his family. This was the first time that we had taken more than an overnight since

September. After Ash Wednesday Mass we went to the neighborhood diner with our daughter-in-law Jackie. Jackie knows everyone that works at the diner and most of the regular customers. She was visiting with one of the ladies who work in the kitchen and asked if the lady still had her house guests. I thought it was probably a relative who overstayed their welcome. Or maybe it was some pests like the Seton Parish flock of geese.

I discovered later that the guests were actually a homeless family that the lady took in and are still there after several weeks. I am sure that this person working in a diner was not chasing the pleasure rainbow when she took in

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KofC Choir for Lent

In the Sunday, January 27th bulletin, Pandora wrote a nice invitation to all Knights to participate in the Lenten services by sharing their gift of singing.

As you know, Lent is a calling for us to fast and sacrifice that we may be better followers of Christ. I know many of you are saying "I can't sing" or "I've never sung in a choir". As Joe Rossi would say—"Fuggetabadit". You can participate even if you can't read music or carry a tune in a shopping bag. Make your Lenten sacrifice one that will help to promote a

sense of community among our fraternal brotherhood and the parish. I know you will find this experience both personally and spiritually rewarding. Call Bud Joos (837-7211) or Pandora if you wish to participate. Look to the bulletin for practice times in the near future. Help our Council to continue to be parish leaders in promoting our faith and community.



FIRST ANNUAL—4th Degree Golf Tournament



First Annual Father Huber Memorial Golf Tournament

Get your teams lined up for the First Annual Father Huber Assembly Golf Scramble. This function is not limited to the Fourth Degree Knights. It is open to all. Co-ed, any knight of any degree, any parishioner, and even any one on the street that has the money and looking for a good time.

When: Saturday, May, 18, 2002

**Where: Homestead Springs Golf Course, 5888 London-Lancaster Rd.,
Groveport, OH**

**Cost: \$55 per golfer, includes green fee, cart, and dinner.
Get your team lined up now. Coed teams are encouraged.**

Send your request for an entry form to:

Bud Joos (837-7211)

320 Maple Ave.

Pickerington, OH 43147

Guys—The ladies already have their team signed up



Dear Brother Knights (cont.)

BY: Bud Joos

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the homeless. But she certainly had happiness written across her smile when she talked about her guests. Brother Knights, our two-year State program is entitled Called to Serve. And we are called to serve in many ways. This service does not mean that we only participate in community fund drives or the Knights

of Columbus activities. We can serve in our everyday lives. Our Worthy Chaplain said he had a teacher when he was in school that there are three most important things in life; God, Family, and Country and in that order.

Your Grand Knight, *Bud Joos*

FEBUARY Business Meeting Minutes

February 11, 2002

First Readings:

- Robert Cunningham – Reinstatement
- Michael O'Reilly

Chaplain's Report:

- Follow up to vocations, and his experiences from the 8th grade.

Grand Knight's Report:

- Audit ready for signature
- Recruitment-List was passed out to officers for follow up calls
- State wide First Degree-17th March, OLP, Grove City

- Need Publicity Chairman-a member currently not an officer or committee chair

Program Director:

- 18 of 20 completed, will meet with Chris Hall on membership
- Second/Third Degree, 24th February, OLP, last one before Fourth Degree

Membership introduced

Treasurer's Report:

- see attached

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Chancellor's Challenge March –2002

By Dick Petersen

Here we are back in the Lenten times. For me, this time is tougher than making “New Year’s resolutions” because our sacrifice is supposed to cause us to reflect on who we are, our relationship with our God and how our sinfulness keeps us from fully appreciating to gifts of His love.

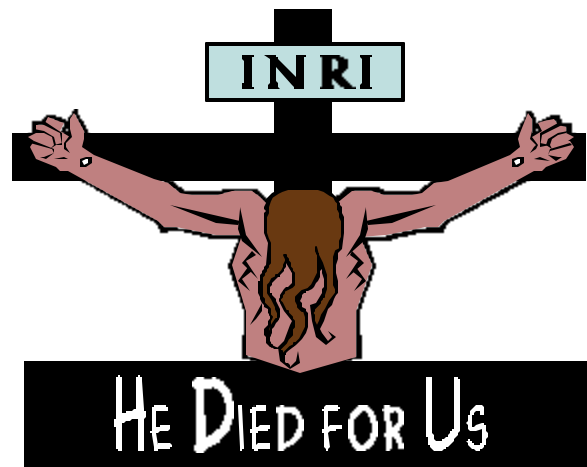
I remember hearing throughout Catholic school that we were to form a “righteous informed conscience” as we grow in our faith. In the eighties, many people turned sin into the joke that we had been indoctrinated into “Catholic Guilt”. However you wish to view it—conscience or guilt—it is supposed to be a way for us to look deeply into our hearts and see the ways (sin) we separate ourselves from God’s love. Deacon Dave in his RCIA class last year explained this very aptly. He said that all of us have our own “sin” which is always before us. Maybe that sin is greed, lust, gluttony or any of the other seven deadly sins. Perhaps it appears in a much more subtle form such apathy, hatred, bigotry, self service or self righteousness. Whatever the sin, during lent, we are called to look it in the face and try to overcome it through reflection, fast and abstinence.

Unfortunately in today’s world it is politically correct to try and find qualifications for sin. Here are my Top Ten reasons:

1. It’s human nature.
2. Everyone else does it.
3. It’s only a *“little sin”*.
4. I only do it once in a while.
5. I’m not near as bad as everyone else.
6. I do a lot of good things, one transgression won’t hurt.
7. It’s not hurting anyone else.
8. It’s a stupid rule and the Church doesn’t have the right to ask me to do this.
9. It would cause us undue stress and be a burden.
10. It’s my life, my body and my right to choose.

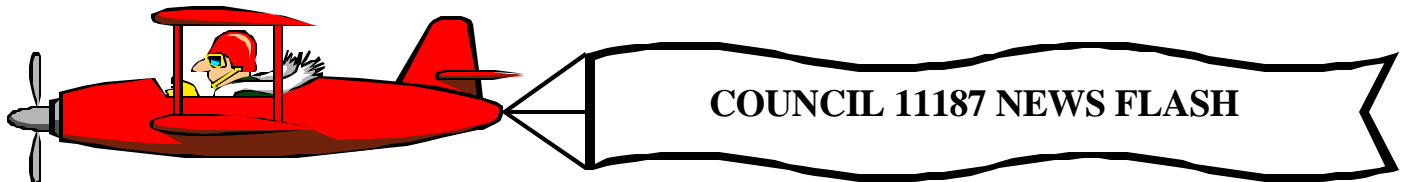
These qualifications cause us to become numb to the effect of sin in our lives. It allows us to suppress our guilt or shame for allowing these sins to control our lives.

Instead of qualifying our sin, during lent (and throughout our lives), we should reflect on our guilt and see how it is really calling us to see that we are turning away from God. Our shame and guilt should empower us to “carry our cross” to God and ask for His forgiveness, even if we have to struggle everyday of our lives to overcome our sin. We need to remember that God is always



ready to forgive us for our transgressions and send us to gift of His Spirit to help us overcome our human frailties.

The theme of the K of C for this year continues to be “Called to Serve”. Let us use this lent to reflect on anything which is separating us from truly loving and honoring our God. For in continuing in our sin we are inhibiting our ability to serve our God and our fellow man effectively and completely.



Monsignor Stephen B. Hawkins Memorial Golf League Sign-up



League Starts in April 18, 2002

Limited to 40 golfers

(39 signed up as of 2/3/02)

Turnberry Golf Course

5:00 to 6:00PM Tee Times

Scramble set for September 21, 2002

Meeting April 6, 2002 10AM in Hermann Hall

Cost: \$233.00 per year (Paid by 3/15/02) which includes prizes at the end of season

Make checks payable to John Pizzuto

Contact J. B. Boblett for further info at (614)856-1612



WANTED KNIGHTS IN SERVICE

Sunday, March 10th

Pancakes and French Toast

Join in the FELLOWSHIP of serving our Parish Community

All Shifts available

Contact: Pat Cleary 837-4456 email: pcleary@insight.rr.com

or Greg Low 833-4721 email: gregl59@hotmail.com

Thank you to all who have and will serve

Knights of Columbus Council 11187

Are you envious of the nice embroidered Council 11187 or Fr. Huber Council 809 shirts worn by many of the members. No need to fret, Fill out this form and return it to Charlie Giametta's mailbox with a check for the shirts and you too will look fashionable at all of the council functions.

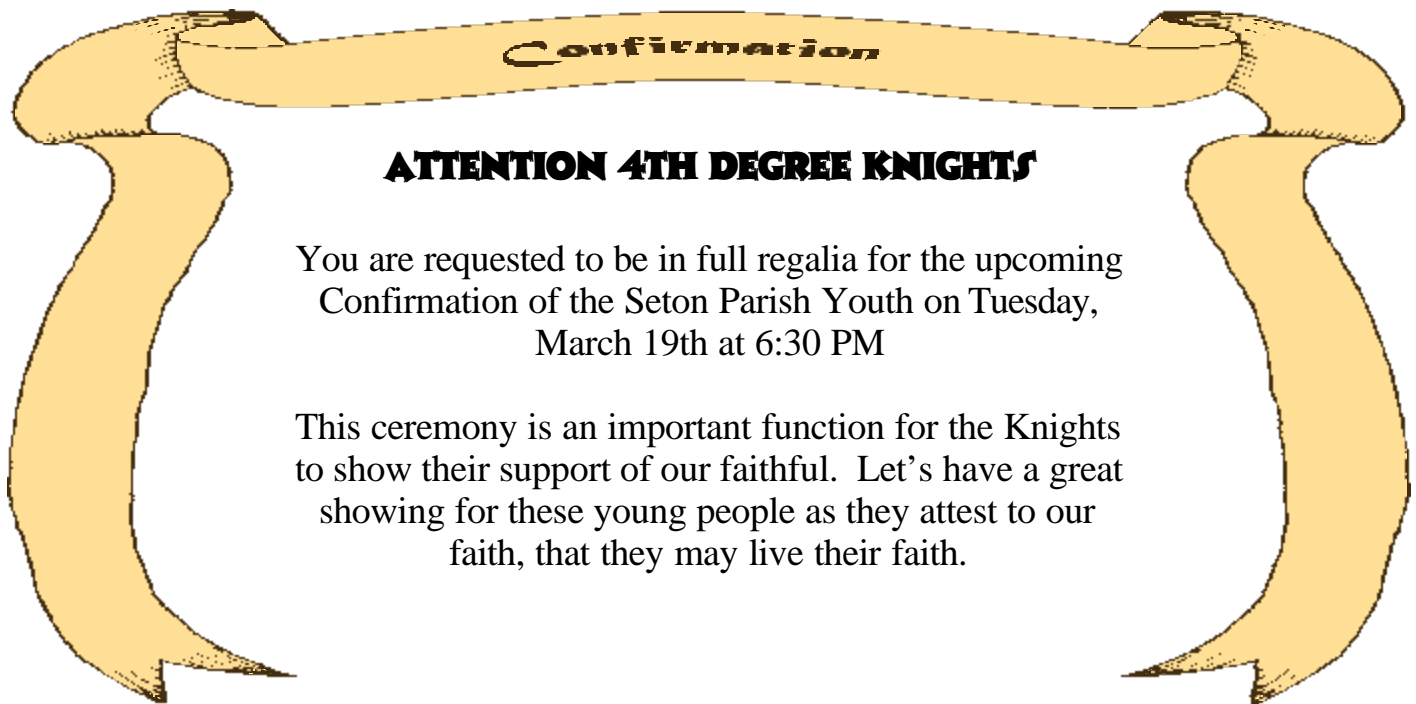
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CHARLIE GIAMETTA

Name: _____ Please print

Council 11187 Shirts Quantity: _____ **X \$28.00 =** _____

Council 809 Shirts Quantity: _____ **X \$30.00 =** _____

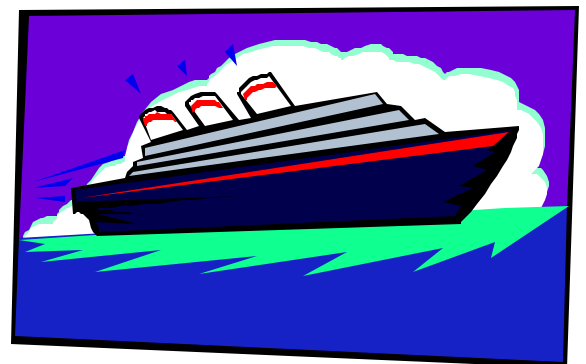
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COUNCIL 11187—2002 WESTERN Caribbean Cruise
November 11 through the 23rd, 2002

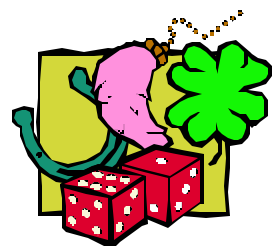
Calling all Knights of Council 11187 and their lovely ladies.

Marg Pizzuto has been arranging a wonderful Western Caribbean Cruise for all who can make it. Visit Cozumel, Grand Cayman and Costa Maya and the Princess cruise private island. Travel dates are November 11 through the 23rd. This would be a great getaway before the holidays. Call Marg Pizzuto at 759-9770 or contact Kim at Turnberry Travel for prices and details.



MONTE CARLO—Thank you, Thank you, Thank you

J. B. Boblett and John Pizzuto wanted to thank all of the Knights and their wives, who turned out to help with the Monte Carlo night. The wives certainly made the evening special. I was a great night of service, fellowship and fun.





BIRTHDAYS

MARCH

- James Anderson
- Paul Cieply
- Gilbert Durosko
- Paul Grubbs
- John Letourneau
- Chris Logsdon
- James Michalec
- John Pizzuto
- Ron Rodgers
- James Sheridan
- Lloyd Stauffer
- Dave Strominger
- Terry Thompson

April

- Sean Casebolt
- Bob Dawes
- Gregory Dunn
- John Grady
- Michael Kasson
- Casimer Michnowicz
- Robert Mulholand
- John Sambuco
- Frank Sanderell
- John Snively
- Dan Stephan
- Fran Vendetta
- Steve Walters

Please wish these Knights a Happy Birthday when you see them.

Called to Serve

On Sunday, February 10th, 47 Knights of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Council 11187 responded to the call to serve our Parish Community. In celebration of the Parish Stewardship 2 x 2, Journey to the Future Campaign to enlist time and talent, the Parish Life Commission called upon our Grand Knight Dr. "Bud" Joos to "FEED THE MASSES" after all the Masses. In place of our monthly pancake breakfast fundraiser, it was resolved to serve a free pancake and sausage breakfast to all parishioners after the three Sunday Masses.

Working with the Parish Life Commission, over 850 meals were served (not included are the numerous 'Pigs in a blanket' devoured in the kitchen). There were balloons and a drawing for prizes, provided by Parish Life, given to all the children. Parish volunteers manned the balloons and prize drawings with GK Joos filling in to announce the winners. Parish Secretaries Beth Thompson and Becky Story were hard at work at the balloon table and Beth, along with former secretary Sharon Burr, later came back to the kitchen to wash dishes. Their work is greatly appreciated by all the Knights.

This celebration was enjoyed by many, but the feeling of fellowship and fun was a hundredfold for the 47 who served. By the way brothers, you might have to keep the levity in the kitchen down next time.....NAAAH! Keep it up.

Free Throw Competition Champions

On Sunday January 20th, 42 boys and girls ages 10 to 14 competed in our local championship for the right to represent our council at the District Championship on February 10th at St. Pius in Reynoldsburg. Our winners are:

- | BOYS | GIRLS |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 10 Daniel Walter | 10 Nicole Olszewski |
| 11 Chris Brubaker | 11 Kelsey Price |
| 12 Gian Sposito | 12 Kristen Stevens |
| 13 Matt Brubaker | 13 Molly Cornwell |
| 14 Sean Thesing | 14 Stephanie Stephens |

Thank you to the many Knights who were on hand to help out with event: Robert Ketchum, Fred Barwick, Ray Creamer, Mike Croyle, Joe Drignat, John Pizzuto, Fran Vendetta, Mike Mahoney, John Grady, and Wayne Patterson. A special thanks goes to Bob Ketchum for taking photos with his digital camera.

If you know any of these young athletes, be sure to wish them luck and congratulate them on their accomplishment.

The district will be held at St. Pius School in Reynoldsburg, OH. International champions are announced by the K of C international headquarters based on the scores from the state-level competitions. All boys and girls 10 to 14 years old are eligible to participate and will compete in respective age divisions. Last year more than 218,000 sharpshooters participated in 3,453 local competitions.



FEBUARY Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

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-Should be looking into investing some of our excess funds, John will investigate and bring report to officers

Program Reports:

-Clipper tickets are now available, 700 tickets at \$2.00 each

-Free Throw Contest- 42 kids participated, District 40 comp,4 District Council, 11187 took 7 of 9 positions. Next stop regional at Josephinum

-Kroger Cares- \$4,157.25

-Church- May 4th-conflict may arise due to Communion

-Measure Up- Are we giving to the same two charities as last year? 3rd/4th May, we have the same location as last year Friday 5 to 9pm, Saturday 10 to 12, 12 to 2

Fairfield Industries/Special Olympics

-Need to check with WalMart and Father Weithman about collecting after Mass.

-Alternate recommendation-Camp Shining Sun Rainbow

Monte Carlo

-\$2500 net

Pancake Breakfast

-Good event, 45 Knights, 900 meals
-Next scheduled event, 10 March, 2002

Old Business:

New Business:

-15 February fish Fry Cancelled
-8 March is next Fish Fry
-Investigating purchase of changing stations for restrooms

Trustee's Report:

-Election of outside guard
-Nominations-Gene Ebert is permanent outside guard.

Deputy Grand Knight:

-Elections are slated for June, think about positions you may want to run for

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Clippers Tickets By. Mark Borys

Once again we are being called on to do our part to help the Greater Chapter of the Knights of Columbus raise funds for the Special Olympics.

The tickets we will be selling are General admission tickets that normally sell for \$5.00 each. The special Knights of Columbus ticket price is only \$2.00 each. These tickets can be up-graded at the Ticket Office at Cooper Stadium for Box Seats or Reserved Seating.

The tickets can be used for any home game from April 9 to June 14. The June 14th game will K of C day at the Ball Park and the Famous Chicken will be there. This would be a great opportunity for the Children to enjoy a Ball Game with Mom and Dad.

Tickets are available now. They can be purchased at our regular monthly meetings. I will also have a table set up at the Fish Fries and Pan Cake Breakfasts. I will also be selling them after Mass, watch the Church bulletin for dates. If you wish you might also drop a note in my Church Mail Box along with the payment and I will put them in your Church Mail Box. You may also contact me by e-mail (markborys@voyager.net).



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Monsignor Stephen B. Hawkins
July 24, 1949—February 15, 2001



May the road rise up to meet you
May the wind be ever at your back
May the sun shine bright upon your face
And the rain fall softly on your field.
And until we meet again
May God hold you in the hollow of His hand.

FEBUARY Business Meeting Minutes (cont.)

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- We need to have the light for the flag
- Electrician is coming to check out kitchen circuits and flag, plus exhaust fans

Fourth Degree:

- PFN dinner this weekend, formal affair
- Fourth Degree is 13/14th of April
- 18th May- Fourth Degree Tournament \$55 includes dinner-
Homestead Golf Course-includes cart

District Deputy:

- In the running for star council
- still need 3-5 insurance members

Prayers

- Larry Lotz
- Fr. Weithman
- JB Boblett
- Ed Lock
- Joe Filipek
- Terry/Bud Joos
- Mike Croyle
- Bud Joos