



St Elizabeth Ann Seton Council 11187

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Pickerington, Ohio 43147

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Dear Brother Knights,

Thank You!! Thank you for all that we have accomplished this fiscal year. Thank you for continuing to serve the mission of the Knights of Columbus. Thank you for answering GOD's call to serve our families, parish and community.

As I look back over the past year, I can see that we have accomplished many great things for our parish and community. We have continued to develop strong bonds in our families and lead by example as the Men of our faith. We have gone out in our daily lives and evangelized for our Faith. We continue to do the works set out by Fr. McGivney and serve GOD the best we can.

Our Council is growing and a brotherhood continues to grow. We are financially sound will continue to provide and serve our parish and community.

Brothers, all of this is accomplished because of you and your dedication to our Council and the Knights of Columbus. **Many Hands Make Light Work.** I am proud to have been Grand Knight this past year and look forward to what we can accomplish in the future. Thank you for supporting myself, Council officers and each other.

Please continue to pray for our Brothers who are sick or in distress.

As always, my family and I will continue to pray for you and your family.

Your Brother in Christ,

Michael Sillings,

Grand Knight
KofC Council 11187

Nominations for the 2016/17 Fraternal Year

Chaplain:*	Fr. Jim Klima
Grand Knight:	<i>Mike Sillings</i>
Deputy Grand Knight:	<i>Mike Kohar</i>
Chancellor:	<i>Mike Croyle</i>
Advocate:	<i>Ralph Blamer</i>
Recorder:	<i>Jimmy Smithberger</i>
Financial Secretary:*	Frank Hare
Treasurer:	<i>Dan Murphy</i>
Warden:	<i>Gene Ebert</i>
Inner Guard:	<i>Thom Laughery</i>
Outer Guard:	<i>Rick Schlachter</i>
Trustee 3 Year:	<i>George Schneider</i>
Trustee 2 Year:	<i>Harry Clyburn</i>
Trustee 1 Year:	<i>R. Wayne Patterson</i>
Lecturer:*	Bud Joos

This is the current roster for the upcoming elections, remember that any position, with exception of the Financial Secretary and Lecturer, are open for nominations.

* Appointed

KofC Council News
Serving Seton Parish and the Community

Dates to Remember:

DATES TO REMEMBER:

June 7: Officers Planning Meeting @7:30

June 8: Business Meeting @7:30

Business Meeting Notes - May 11th, 2016

Grand Knight Mike Sillings called the official meeting to order at 7:29p.m.

Roll Call of Officers: Missing were our Chaplain, Deputy Grand Knight, 2nd Year Trustee, and 1st Year Trustee. All were excused. Brother Gene motioned to approve the minutes from last month's meeting, Brother George 2nd. Voted upon and passed.

Chaplains Report: Deacon Hector thanked all of those who helped with moving everything from church to the Seton Parish Worship Center. Deacon Hector also mentioned that he will keep us in his thoughts and prayers as he travels to Italy for the Jubilee of Deacons.

Membership and Reading of Applications: Brother Shawn Roberts had 2 new applications. They were James Marcum from Reynoldsburg and Jeffrey Oconer from Pickerington. Both were voted upon and passed.

Grand Knight's Report: Received a thank you from Shirley Thoburn in memory of her husband Paul. Thanks to all who helped hand out roses to the wives during the wives appreciation weekend. We handed out 97 roses to our wives at the masses. Thanks Frank, Thom and Rick for the measure up campaign. A write up is in the Catholic Times and we will also be featured on the Columbia website for the month of June. We have also been asked to put a full page article in the Seton Voice.

Treasurer Report: Brother Dan Murphy reported that we are financially solvent with a total balance of \$XXX

Financial Secretary Report: Brother Frank Hare reported that he has various expenses that totaled \$XXX with deposits of \$XXX. Some of the expenses included postage for wives recognition, Blue Coat dinner, and a full page ad for the state convention. Deposits were made up primarily of dues and pennies for heaven. Brother Gene motioned to send the bills to the trustees for payment, George 2nd.

Report of the Trustees: No report

Chancellors Report: Brother Mike Croyle had no report, however mentioned that we have a 1st Degree Ceremony coming up and would like to see more people in attendance!

Report on Programs and Committees:

Membership Director: Brother Shawn introduced Andrew Ortiz who is our newest member. We are planning on having a 1st Degree Ceremony on May 25th, with candidate call at 7:00. Currently sitting at 14 new members needed to meet our quota. Our Worthy Grand Knight mentioned that Matt Gerome who is a member of our Squires recently turned 18 and is now available to become a member of our Council.

Program Director: We maxed out our program points so we should be receiving several awards at the State Convention this year!

Church Director: Absent no report

Community Director: Brother Thom Laughery said he recently received information for the Labor Day Parade.

Council Director: No report

Family Director: Absent, no report

Youth Director: Brother Jesse Garcia noted that things have been quiet lately, but car washes will soon be starting as the weather warms up!

Squires Report: Bother Tim Bowie left a note with our Worthy Grand Knight that on May 22nd, the Squires are going to be hosting us for lunch. Squires are ages 10-18 if you know of anyone who

may be interested in signing up.

Right to Life Director: Absent, no report

Committees: Brother George spoke on behalf of the Cash Bonanza tickets that have been sold and how our Council benefits from selling the tickets. Brother Frank spoke about the Measure Up campaign and the success that we had. The money from the Measure Up campaign will be given to Fairfield MRDD

Unfinished Business:

MOTION: Brother Frank motioned to spend \$XXX of the Capitol Benefit fund on new fryers for the fish fries. Voted upon and passed.

MOTION: Brother Wayne motioned to pay off the remaining balance of \$XXX towards our renovation balance. Voted upon and passed.

New Business:

MOTION: Brother Thom motioned to give the remainder of his \$XX budget to the measure up campaign, 2nd by Brother Rick. Voted upon and passed.

MOTION: Brother Thom motioned to spend \$XXX of the church budget towards a 40th anniversary gift for Fr. Jim, 2nd by Brother George. Voted upon and passed.

Brother Bud held the nominations for new officers of our Council. Nominated for Grand Knight was Mike Sillings, nominated for Deputy Grand Knight was Mike Kohar, nominated for Chancellor was Mike Croyle, nominated for Advocate was Ralph Blamer, nominated for Treasure was Dan Murphy, nominated for Recorder was Jimmy Smithberger, nominated for Warden was Gene Ebert, nominated for Inside Guard was Thom Laughery, nominated for Outside Guard was Rick Schlachter. Brother Bud motioned to close the nominations, 2nd by Brother George.

Report of the Fourth Degree: Brother George reported that this month's meeting will be held at St Pius. Roster has also been updated for all current Fourth Degree members

Field Agent Report: Absent, No report

District Deputy Report: Absent, No report

Brothers in Need: Joan Lucius, Keith Zabroskie Family, Gene Bowie, Carrie Ebert, Tom Joos, Carol Pullman Schneider, Harry Clyburn, Frank Hare, Joe Drignat, Neal Ferguson, Greg Weybright

Lecturer Report: Brother Bud quizzed us on our horse racing knowledge with many watching the Kentucky Derby.

Grand Knight Mike Sillings then officially closed the meeting at 8:36

Jimmy Smithberger

Recorder



Culture of Life: Memorial Day - *Supporting Life From Conception Until Natural Death*

By the time you read this, Memorial Day will have passed, but I thought we should remember our service men and women. This is taken from an email circulating the internet. It is a beautiful tribute to all those veterans who have served to protect our nation and helped to make it great.

JFK'S Secretary of State, Dean Rusk, was in France in the early 60's when DeGaulle decided to pull out of NATO. DeGaulle said he wanted all US military out of France as soon as possible. Rusk responded, "Does that include those who are buried here?" DeGaulle did not respond.

When in England, at a fairly large conference, Colin Powell was asked by the Archbishop of Canterbury if our plans for Iraq were just an example of 'empire building' by George Bush. He answered by saying, "Over the years, the United States has sent many of its fine young men and women into great peril to fight for freedom beyond our borders. The only amount of land we have ever asked for in return is enough to bury those that did not return.

There was a conference in France where a number of international engineers were taking part, including French and American. During a break, one of the French engineers came back into the room saying, "Have you heard the latest dumb stunt Bush has done? He has sent an aircraft carrier to Indonesia to help the tsunami victims. What does he intend to do, bomb them?"

A Boeing engineer stood up and replied quietly: "Our carriers have three hospitals on board that can treat several hundred people; they are nuclear powered and can supply emergency electrical power to shore facilities; they have three cafeterias with the capacity to feed 3,000 people three meals a day, they can produce several thousand gallons of fresh water from sea water each day, and they carry half a dozen helicopters for use in transporting victims and injured to and from their flight deck. We have eleven such ships; how many does France have?"

A U.S. Navy Admiral was attending a naval conference that included Admirals from the U.S., English, Canadian, Australian and French Navies. At a cocktail reception, he found himself standing with a large group of officers that included personnel from most of those countries. Everyone was chatting away in English as they sipped their drinks but a French admiral suddenly complained that, whereas Europeans learn many languages, Americans learn only English. He then asked, "Why is it that we always have to speak English in these conferences rather than speaking French?" Without hesitating, the American Admiral replied, "Maybe it's because the Brit's, Canadians, Aussie's and Americans arranged it so you wouldn't have to speak German."

Robert Whiting, an elderly gentleman of 83, arrived in Paris by plane. At French Customs, he took a few minutes to locate his passport in his carry on. "You have been to France before, monsieur?" the customs officer asked sarcastically. Mr. Whiting admitted that he had been to France previously. "Then you should know enough to have your passport ready."

The American said, "The last time I was here, I didn't have to show it."

"Impossible.. Americans always have to show their passports on arrival in France!"

The American senior gave the Frenchman a long hard look. Then he quietly explained, "Well, when I came ashore at Omaha Beach on D-Day in 1944 to help liberate this country, I couldn't find a single Frenchmen to show a passport to."

On this Memorial Day, please remember all those who have given their lives so we can live in freedom and say a prayer for them. Veterans, THANKS FOR YOUR SERVICE!!

Edd Chinnock

Culture of Life Chairman

Remembering SK Mark Borys, Honorary Life member

On Thursday May 12th 2016, Marcel "Mark" Borys, age 78, joined our Lord after a long valiant fight with illness at The James Cancer Center.

Mark became a Knight on March 3, 1979 and had over 37 years of continuous service. His lifetime of service to the Knights of Columbus was a passion and included him holding Council and Assembly roles as: District Deputy, Worthy Grand Knight, Faithful Navigator, Trustee, Faithful Purser (the first at Assembly 2900's inception) and Financial Secretary.

Mark was a key officer in Council 11187 serving roles from 2001 to 2012 including Council Director, DD, FS and the First degree team (serving as GK) He formalized many of the financial practices our council still use today. Mark led a committee and made trips around the state to visit and investigate other council "home corporations" and ultimately put in place the framework for today's 11187 Capital Benefit Fund. SK Borys took his yearly FS stipend and donated it to an extra seminarian each year toward our council's RSVP.

He was a true mentor to me as a council officer. I served as the council Program Director through much of his tenure and worked closely with him. When he heard the Seton Festival had acquired 3 used cash registers for the food area, he volunteered and programmed the needed 50 keys on each register to allow fast check out and accurate tracking. Mark welcomed me into his home several times to train me on the registers and again to transition me into the Financial Secretary position. His character was impeccable and record keeping prompt, detailed and thorough.

From his obituary: "Mark was an active member at Our Lady of Mount Carmel at Buckeye Lake. He enjoyed services with his wife (Judy) every week. He also was a member of the VFW in Baltimore. He enjoyed breakfast with his friends and fish fry on Fridays. Mark was able to light up a room just by walking in. He will be remembered for his stories and his tremendous generosity."

Please remember the positives and keep Brother Mark, Lady Judy and the Borys family in your thoughts and prayers.

Respectfully,

Frank Hare



Information Update: Council 11187 is always trying to improve the communications aspect of our group. We rely on email to get the message out quickly, but we also need your address and phone number. Please fill out the form and either email it to me or place it in my church mailbox. My email is jvlag3@ameritech.net

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Alt Email: _____



Magnets,

We have new "He Is Risen" magnets in and can sell them at the same price as our Christmas magnets. Let me know if you have any questions.

Mark Newhouse



For more information on Pro-Life Activities

Email us at prolife@uscgb.org
 Pro-Life Activities
 3211 4th Street, N.E.,
 Washington DC 20017-1194
 (202) 541-3000

Knights of Columbus Council Shirts

Are you envious of the nice embroidered Council 11187 shirts worn by many of the members? No need to fret, fill out this form and return it to Frank Piper's mailbox with a check for the shirts and you too will look fashionable at all of the council functions.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: **E&L EMBROIDERY**

NAME: _____ (Please Print)

Polo Shirt _____ X \$25.00 = _____

Oxford Dress Shirt: _____ X \$30.00 = _____

Short Sleeve:

Long Sleeve:
 (Oxford Only)

Shirt Size MED

LRG

XL

2X*

3X*

4X*

* \$5.00 Extra



2015/2016 Council 11187 Calendar (Tentative)

July 2016	August	September
Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 4 Independence Day	Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 13 School Starts 30 Seton Open	Officers Meeting Knight's Mass Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 7 Labor Day 7 Labor Day Parade 11 Seton Festival 13 Seton Festival
October	November	December
Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 12 Council Anniversary 12 Columbus Day 17 Family Fun Festival 27 2nd/3rd Degree	Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 11 Veterans Day 26 Thanksgiving 8 1st Pancake Breakfast	Officers Meeting Knight's Mass Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 25 Christmas Day 31 New Year's Eve 13 2nd Pancake Breakfast
January 2017	February	March
Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 1 New Year's Day 18 MLK Birthday 10 3rd Pancake Breakfast 24 Free Throw Contest 30 Dodge Ball Tournament 31	Officers Meeting Knight's Mass Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 10 Ash Wednesday 14 Valentine's Day 15 President's Day 12 1st Fish Fry 14 4th Pancake Breakfast 19 2nd Fish Fry 26 3rd Fish Fry	Officers Meeting Knight's Mass Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 20 Palm Sunday 24 Holy Thursday 25 Good Friday 27 Easter 4 4th Fish Fry 11 5th Fish Fry 12 St Patty's Party 18 6th Fish Fry
April	May	June
Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 27 15 Tax Day 23 Blue Coats Dinner	Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 8 Mother's Day 30 Memorial Day 7 Wives Appreciation Dinner 21 Convention Weekend Measure UP	Knight's Mass Officers Meeting Business Meeting Assembly Meeting 1st Degree/Social Squires Meeting 14 Flag Day 19 Father's Day 10 Car Show 24 Car Show (Rain Date)

June 2016

- 5 Knight's Mass: 9:30 am
- 7 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 8 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm Rosary at 7:00 pm
- 15 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30 Meeting
- 22 1st Degree/Social: TBA
- 26 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

6 D-Day!!

- 14 Flag Day**
- 19 Father's Day**

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- 5 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 13 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm Rosary at 7:00 pm
- 20 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30 Meeting
- 27 1st Degree/Social: TBA
- 31 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

4 Independence Day - 240 years



Clergy of the Year
Fr. James Klima



Lady of the Year
Wannitta Dennis



Volunteer of the Year
Frank Hare



Youth of the Year
Tara Bowie

2015/16 Council Officers

Chaplain	
Fr. Jim Klima	(614) 833-0482
Grand Knight	
Mike Sillings	(614) 920-4102
Deputy Grand Knight	
Richard Petersen. PGK	(614) 981-2761
Chancellor	
Mike Croyle, PGK	(614) 361-3183
Advocate	
Michael Kohar	(740) 601-3232
Financial Secretary	
Frank Hare	(740) 964-3580
Treasurer	
Dan Murphy	(614) 860-9488
Recorder	
Jimmy Smithberger	(740) 862-4052
Warden	
Gene Ebert	(614) 833-9643
Inside Guard	
Thom Laughery	(614) 837-3623
Outside Guard	
Richard Schlachter	(614) 352-1935
3 Year Trustee	
George Schneider, PGK	(614) 833-1782
2 Year Trustee	
Harry Clyburn, PGK	(614) 501-1644
1 Year Trustee	
Wayne Patterson, PGK	(614) 833-0980
Lecturer	
Francis "Bud" Joos, PGK	(614) 837-7211
Membership	
Shawn Roberts	(614) 397-5798
Publicity	
Michael Kohar	(740) 601-3232
Magnet Sales	
Mark Newhouse	(614) 920-1632
Measure UP	
Francis Nappo	(719) 291-2966
District Deputy	
Joe Dickman	(614) 419-5210
Field Agent	
Stanley Krulia	(740) 277-7381

Prayer Corner

Joan Lucius, Keith Zabroskie Family, Gene Bowie, Carrie Ebert, Tom Joos, Carol Pullman Schneider, Harry Clyburn, Frank Hare, Joe Dignat, Neal Ferguson, Greg Weybright

We also pray for our first responders (Police and Fire), our Military and Priests and religious.