



St Elizabeth Ann Seton Council 11187

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Pickerington, Ohio 43147

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Seton Festival 9-11 September 2016

Dear Brother Knights,

This month, we will participate in the Pickerington Labor Day Parade on Monday September 5th. Our float this year will feature our "LADIES" of the Knights of Columbus. Our ladies are a great support to us in all our accomplishments as Knights. Many of our ladies work behind the scenes of many events assisting us wherever they are needed. We would like to thank and honor them by having them ride our float in the parade. I encourage all Brother Knights to bring your lady to be recognized and shown the appreciation she deserves. We could not accomplish our mission without GREAT support from these ladies.

Also this month, is the Seton Parish Festival running from Friday September 9th to Sunday September 11th. Our Council is again in charge of the festival food. This is a tremendous undertaking and will take many volunteers and countless hours to create spectacular tasting food. I ask that all Brother Knights volunteer to help in a food related area at least once during the festival. **MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!!** Not only will this benefit the festival but you will experience a love of brotherhood that comes from working side by side with a fellow Brother Knight. Along with the opportunity to partake in fellowship with everyone you encounter. Be an outward sign of GOD'S love and mercy.

Finally, a huge THANK YOU to those who assisted retrieving the needed equipment from the pole barn and those who braved the heat and prepped/cooked/cleaned for the participants in the Seton Open. To all Brother Knights, I thank you for all that you have done and continue to do to make OUR Council GREAT!!

As always, my family and I will continue to pray for you and your family. May GOD'S love fill your heart and allow you to be an outward sign of that love to others.

Your Brother in Christ,

Michael Sillings

Grand Knight
KofC Council 11187

Dates to Remember:

September 5: Pickerington Labor Day Parade

September 6: Officers' Planning Meeting @ 7:30pm (church library)

September 9-11: Seton Parish Festival (please **HELP** where you can!!)

September 14: Business Meeting @ 7:30pm, Rosary @ 7:15pm (classrooms 7/9)



Photos courtesy of Jeanna Nowocin

Business Meeting Notes - August 10th, 2016

Grand Knight Mike Sillings called the official meeting to order at 7:30

Roll Call of Officers: Missing were our Chaplain and Warden. Both were excused. Brother Wayne motioned to approve the minutes from last month's meeting, Brother George 2nd. Voted upon and passed.

Chaplains Report: Absent, no report.

Membership and Reading of Applications: Brother Shawn Roberts had no new applications.

Grand Knight's Report: Hope everyone is watching the Olympics, and mentioned the comment that was made by one of the divers who said that he was "doing it for the glory of God". We have received several thank you cards which were from Rose Drignat, Judy Borys, and Father Jim. Thanks to everyone who attended Harry's viewing and funeral, we had a great turnout. We are also still looking for a public relations director. This would be someone who can help send out cards, keep in contact with the families of Brother Knights that pass away, etc. Anyone interested please Brother Mike.

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 we only had 3 expenditures, they were Mass cards for Brother Harry, school supplies for the community Church drive, and cake for last month's officers' installation refreshment's. Brother Wayne motioned to send bills to Trustees for payment, Brother Ralph 2nd. Voted upon and passed

Report of the Trustees: No report

Chancellors Report: Brother Mike Croyle had no report

Report on Programs and Committees:

Membership Director: Brother Shawn introduced our three newest members they were Jeffrey O'Connor, Zach Goodchild, and James Marcum. A 2nd/3rd Degree is coming up on October 30th. This year's insurance quota is seven new insurance members. Father McGivney's birthday is coming up this Friday, so perhaps please take a moment to say a prayer for him.

Program Director: Absent, no report.

Church Director: 4th Degree coming up on Saturday, November 12th in New Philadelphia, OH. Another 4th Degree will once again be held in the spring at Cherry Valley Lodge in Newark, OH. Councils are once again needed to buy gift cards to mail out to the seminarians for Christmas. Deacon Hector is looking at doing a fall cookout for our altar servers, he would like for us to supply the manpower for preparing the food.

Community Director: Brother Thom Laughery mentioned that we are going to be participating in the Pickerington Labor Day parade on Monday, September 5th with our wives riding on the float. Kids will be welcome to ride or walk with us. Father Jim has given us the ok to do a meat raffle to help with our annual Holiday Food Drive. Special thanks to Father Jim for allowing us to do this fundraising effort to help those in need. Tickets will be sold for approximately 5 weeks after masses before Thanksgiving. Looking at also trying to do a pasta dinner once we are back in Church and have use of Herman Hall. Brother Wayne mentioned he would like to have 4th Degree Knights in full regalia for the Labor Day parade.

Council Director: No report

Family Director: Absent, no report

Youth Director: Brother Jesus Garcia mentioned that SPY has started back up and work is underway for the shoe drive that will be

here soon. We will once again be doing a scholarship for one recipient that attends a Catholic school.

Squires Report: Absent, no report

Right to Life Director: Brother Dave announced that he will be taking over as our Right to Life Director. Special thanks to Dave for taking over the reins from Brother Ed who has graciously served for many years!

Committees: Brother Frank spoke about the Seton Open that will be coming up on Sunday, August 28th, and that all help will be needed to setup and cook. The Seton Festival is right around the corner, so please come on out and help with this great community event! Our Worthy Grand Knight is still looking for someone to distribute the football frenzy tickets.

Unfinished Business:

MOTION: Brother Frank motioned to assist with the cost of the new concrete sidewalk outside of the PAC. This will be at a cost of up to \$XXX. Voted upon and passed.

New Business:

MOTION: Brother Wayne motioned to spend \$XXX of the church budget towards the TV mass, 2nd by Brother Rick. Voted upon and passed.

MOTION: Brother Thom would like to spend up to \$XXX of his budget towards supplies for the Labor Day Parade, 2nd by Brother Mike. Voted upon and passed.

Report of the Fourth Degree: Next meeting will once again be at St. Pius with our new Navigator taking over.

Field Agent Report: Brother Mike thanked all of those guys that he has visited with so far. The Supreme convention was recently held in Toronto and Supreme Knight Carl Anderson spoke highly of our insurance programs that are provided. Many great things have been done since our beginning with Father Michael J McGivney and we look forward to what we can do in the future.

District Deputy Report: Absent, no report.

Brothers in Need: Deacon Joe, Sandy Blamer, Raquel Garcia, Lowell Damron, Harry Clyburn family, Repose of the soul of Garnett McKnight, Maureen Patterson, Jim and Margie Patterson, Carla Schneider, Ryan Schneider, Cliff Wright, Tom Joos, and Jeff Samborsky.

Lecturer Report: Brother Bud mentioned he would like to hear Brother Mike Croyle sing the closing ode, which Brother Mike graciously accepted and serenaded us all!

Grand Knight Mike Sillings then officially closed the meeting at 8:42 pm

Jimmy Smithberger

Recorder



Knights of Columbus Council 11187 Scholarship 2016/2017

- 1) Name:** Named in honor of Joe Drignat, a deceased K of C Council 11187 member.
- 2) Amount:** \$500 total. To be awarded to one qualified candidate, Catholic grade school (4th thru 8th grade) or Catholic high school.
- 3) Purpose:** To foster a Catholic education for children & grandchildren of K of C Council 11187 members.
- 4) Eligible students:** Children and grandchildren of K of C council 11187 members attending a Catholic grade school (4th thru 8th grade) or Catholic high school.
- 5) Application:** a) Complete online application or mail a hard copy.
b) Mail copy of most recent grade card
c) Complete online essay response or mail a hard copy.

Note: mail any copies required to:

K of C Council 11187
c/o St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish
600 Hill Road North
Pickerington, Ohio 43147-9201

- 6) Deadline:** Deadline for application 1 March 2017.
- 7) Scholarship committee:** GK appoints member(s) to the Scholarship committee.
- 8) Qualification:** Scholarship committee will review the application, grade card and essay submitted to verify all requirements are met.
- 9) Essay Evaluation:** From those that qualify (see 8 above), the scholarship committee will provide the Trustees with copies of the essays (student's name removed) for their evaluation and recommendation. The essays will be grouped by grade school or high school.
- 10) Evaluation:** The Trustees will rank the essays within each group and provide recommendations.
- 11) Award:** From this information the Scholarship committee will make a final decision, contact the winner(s) and make arrangements to award the scholarship(s) at a K of C council 11187 meeting. Award by the scholarship committee will be final.

Labor Day Parade Update

19 Knights and 4 Squires participated and passed out festival flyers, tootsie rolls and American flyers

Had 7 Knights in full regalia carrying their banner and making up the color guard. Our contingent won a huge 1st place trophy!!
(year 1 participated - 3rd place; year 2 - 2nd place; now - 1st place)

Thom did a great job putting all the details together and being our leader.

The Santa Maria float, with our wives riding along, had a great banners on each side saying "OUR HEROS - OUR WIVES" Seton Council 11187

Our unit was lead by a huge colorful Festival banner created by Jason Heitmeyer (carried by 2 brother Knights)

Some very hot and tired guys at the end - HUGE THANKS to all who participated!

A Special Thank You

Huge appreciation to all the Knights who showed up to work the Seton Open fundraising dinner on Sunday, 8/28 at the shelter house. Many showed up for food prep, pot and pan washing and tear down afterwards. Many compliments and thanks were received from the golfers.

Thanks again and again!

Frank Hare



Wanted: A Calligrapher

Might you (or might you know someone) who does Calligraphy? This artistic talent is in demand! We are looking for someone to help make our Seton Council certificates look like something special. I'm sure we can do better than the computer generated lettering currently being used.

Thank you,

Frank Hare

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Volunteers are needed for the festival being held September 9, 10 and 11. Brother Knight Jason Heitmeyer is chairing the overall festival. Other Brother Knights are chairmen for set up and tear down, security, the bank, the beverage garden, the sandwich wagon and Festival food. These gentlemen need your support at OUR Parish's biggest fundraiser. Please go to the volunteer sign up boards and place your autograph on a line or three. We desperately need your (and your families) time and talents!

Thanks in advance for your help!

Frank Hare

ST. GABRIEL
CATHOLIC RADIO
AM 820

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.,
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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 at 496 Hillview Street, Pickerington Ohio 43147 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



2016/2017 Council 11187 Calendar (Tentative)

July	
3	Knight's Mass
5	Officers Meeting
13	Business Meeting
20	Assembly Meeting*
27	1st Degree/Social
31	Squires Meeting
4	Independence Day
October	
2	Knight's Mass
4	Officers Meeting
12	Business Meeting
19	Assembly Meeting*
26	1st Degree/Social
30	Squires Meeting
12	Council Anniversary
10	Columbus Day
22	Family Fun Festival
30	2nd/3rd Degree
January	
1	Knight's Mass
3	Officers Meeting
11	Business Meeting
18	Assembly Meeting
25	1st Degree/Social
26	Squires Meeting
1	New Year's Day
16	MLK Birthday
8	3rd Pancake Breakfast*
21	Free Throw Contest
29	Dodge Ball Tournament
April	
2	Knight's Mass
4	Officers Meeting
15	Business Meeting
19	Assembly Meeting
26	1st Degree/Social
30	Squires Meeting
15	Tax Day
9	Palm Sunday
13	Holy Thursday
14	Good Friday
16	Easter
7	6th Fish Fry
21	Blue Coats Dinner

August	
2	Officers Meeting
7	Knight's Mass
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting*
24	1st Degree/Social
28	Squires Meeting
16	School Starts
	Seton Open
November	
1	Officers Meeting
6	Knight's Mass
9	Business Meeting
16	Assembly Meeting*
23	1st Degree/Social
27	Squires Meeting
11	Veterans Day
24	Thanksgiving
13	1st Pancake Breakfast*
February	
5	Knight's Mass
7	Officers Meeting
8	Business Meeting
15	Assembly Meeting
22	1st Degree/Social
26	Squires Meeting
14	Valentine's Day
20	President's Day
12	4th Pancake Breakfast
May	
2	Officers Meeting
7	Knight's Mass
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting
24	1st Degree/Social
28	Squires Meeting
14	Mother's Day
29	Memorial Day
13	Wives Appreciation Dinner
28-29	Convention Weekend
	Measure UP

September	
4	Knight's Mass
6	Officers Meeting
14	Business Meeting
24	Assembly Meeting*
25	Squires Meeting
28	1st Degree/Social
5	Labor Day
5	Labor Day Parade
9	Seton Festival
11	Seton Festival
December	
4	Knight's Mass
6	Officers Meeting
14	Business Meeting
21	Assembly Meeting*
25	Squires Meeting
28	1st Degree/Social
25	Christmas Day
31	New Year's Eve
11	2nd Pancake Breakfast*
March	
5	Knight's Mass
7	Officers Meeting
8	Business Meeting
15	Assembly Meeting
22	1st Degree/Social
26	Squires Meeting
1	Ash Wednesday
3	1st Fish Fry
10	2nd Fish Fry
17	3rd Fish Fry
18	St Patty's Party
24	4th Fish Fry
31	5th Fish Fry
June	
4	Knight's Mass
6	Officers Meeting
14	Business Meeting
21	Assembly Meeting
25	Squires Meeting
28	1st Degree/Social
14	Flag Day
18	Father's Day
	Car Show
	Car Show (Rain Date)

September 2016

- 4 Knight's Mass: 9:30 am
- 6 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 14 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm Rosary at 7:00 pm
- 24 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30 Meeting
- 25 1st Degree/Social: TBA
- 28 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

- 5 Labor Day**
- 5 Labor Day Parade**
- 9 Seton Festival**
- 11 Seton Festival**

October 2016

- 2 Knight's Mass: 9:30
- 4 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 12 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm Rosary at 7:00 pm
- 19 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30 Meeting
- 26 1st Degree/Social: TBA
- 30 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

- 12 Council Anniversary**
- 10 Columbus Day**
- 22 Family Fun Festival**
- 2nd/3rd Degree**



Comments or Articles
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Prayer Corner

Deacon Joe, Sandy Blamer, Raquel Garcia, Lowell Damron, Harry Clyburn family, Repose of the soul of Garnett McKnight, Maureen Patterson, Jim and Margie Patterson, Carla Schneider, Ryan Schneider, Cliff Wright, Tom Joos, and Jeff Samborsky.

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

2016/17 Council Officers

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