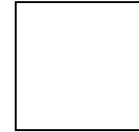


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February 5, 2017 No K of C Breakfast. Support the Boy Scouts Breakfast at St. Pius X

March 5th Breakfast All workers will work from 7:15 am to Noon (Cook starts at 6:45 am)

Albee, Dave, Lead	Hellman, Alan	Conrad, Dick, Lead	Mitchell, James
Kullander, Scott, Cook	Kremer, Kurt	Matias, John	Novey, Steve
Perra, Dan, Cook	Lensing, Clair	May, Chris	O'Shae, John
Kacena, Jay	Leonhart, Don	McAllister, Jamie	Pannkuk, Mark
Kern, Gerald	Lukes, Mark	McGlaughlin, Jim	Pasker, Steve
Klima, Trevor	Maloney, Jon	Meyer, Chris	Pecinovsky, Brian

April 2nd Breakfast All workers will work from 7:15 am to Noon (Cook starts at 6:45 am)

DeWees, Tim, Lead	Pecinovsky, Brian	Esker, Mike	Thys, Ray
Pint, Dennis	Peters, Jeff	Schmidt, Ray	Trotta, John
Van Gorp, Greg, Cook	Ptacek, Dave	Bonlander, Roger	Tschudi, Dave
	Schaffer, Bill	Schmidt, Gene	Van Gorp, Dave
Parent, Jim	Wendling, John	May, Chris	Van Gorp, Wayne
Pasker, Steve	Schirm, Russ	Strabala, Lynne	Waldron, Denny

May 7 Breakfast All workers will work from 7:15 am to Noon (Cook starts at 6:45 am)

Satern, Tom, Lead	Ballard, Kevin	Powers, Steve, Lead	Bruckner, Juergen
Waters, Wayne, Cook	Beaudry, Duane	Botkin, Greg	Chaisson, Jim
Zwanziger, Scott, Cook	Beelner, Randy	Schmidt, Gary	Chmelicek, Mike
Schiffer, Howard	Bentz, Bob	Bowers, Adam	Christensen, Dave
Anderson, Dave	Berns, James	Bries, Randy	Cottrell, Tom
Anyanwu, George	Blocklinger, Bob	Bruckman, Robert	Dake, Del

February 2017 KNIGHT LIGHT
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REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING: 1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:30 PM

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----- ***** COMING EVENTS ***** -----

- Feb 5 **NO K OF C BREAKFAST THIS MONTH – support the Boy Scouts breakfast**
- Feb 5 Youth Free Throw Contest, St Joseph's Gym
- Feb 7 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
- Feb 17 Fish Fry 5 - 7PM
- Feb 18 St Pius Pride (at St. Pius Hall)
- Feb 18 Dance for Life (at St. Jude's Parish Hall)
- Feb 20 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
- Feb 21 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
- Feb 24 Deadline for March newsletter
- Mar 1 Ash Wednesday
- Mar 3 Fish Fry 5:00–7:30
- Mar 5 Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church
- Mar 7 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
- Mar 10 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30
- Mar 12 Daylight Savings Time Begins
- Mar 17 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM
- Mar 20 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
- Mar 21 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
- Mar 24 Fish Fry 5:00–7:30
- Mar 31 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30
- Apr 2 Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church
- Apr 4 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
- Apr 7 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30
- Apr 7-9 K of C State Convention; Dubuque
- Apr 9 Palm Sunday
- Apr 14 Good Friday
- Apr 16 Easter
- Apr 17 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
- Apr 18 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
- Apr 23 Highway Cleanup (Meet at Hall before 1:00 PM)
- Apr 30 Highway Cleanup (Rain Date)
- May 2 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
- May 7 Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church

February 7th Business Meeting
 7:00 PM Rosary
 7:30 PM Business Meeting

BREAKFAST WORKERS: If you have a conflict with your scheduled time, please find your own substitute and then notify Frank Stull by e-mail: fpstull@aol.com.

Deadline for the March issue of the *Knight Light* is: Friday, February 24th.

Our council is sponsoring two seminarians.

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

February is a month of keeping warm, and exemplifying focus plus good habits to get things done. There are plenty of "things" during the winter months that are allowed to keep a lot of Americans from doing anything outside of what is absolutely necessary. When you are around people in any given Catholic parish office, you realize very quickly they are focused and creating amazing faith opportunities regardless of normal distractions. Please thank someone in your parish you perceive as 'active' and 'involved' that makes a difference in the faith of others. Better yet, ask them how YOU can help them this or next month.

Continue to develop your personal relationship with the Savior of the World and a great way to break the silence is the Holy Rosary.

Continue to be awesome Knights.

*Vivat Jesus
Pat Gibbs, Grand Knight
c. 319-210-1920 or the.patrick@usa.net*

Knight of the Month:

John Lorei

Family of the Month:

Dave & Barb Ptacek

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Gentlemen,

Please support the Scouts for their annual fund raiser. Remember to send me your updated contact information. I am looking forward to some warmer weather but it is still a long way off.

Thanks for all of the help you provide at the breakfasts.

*Frank Stull, fpstull@aol.com
H 319-393-6254, C 319-721-9908*

FISH FRY - February 17

Knights, wives, teens and guests also encouraged to volunteer. Your meal and beverage bar is free. Please call.

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MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues for the upcoming year of 2017 have been sent to current Council members. Membership dues for 2017 will be the same as 2016:

Honorary Life members	\$00.00
Honorary members	\$10.00
Regular members	\$36.00

If a member has previously provided an e-mail address, the first billing notice was sent to your e-mail address. If an e-mail address has not been provided, the billing notice was sent by US Mail. I will accept your membership dues at the next business meeting. Membership cards will be sent to those members who have paid their dues for 2017.

Each member should also receive the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity to record your charitable contributions this past year. Please take a few minutes to fill out the form and send it back to me. I consolidate the results for our Council and forward it to Supreme.

Steve Pasker, Financial Secretary.

FISH FRY COORDINATORS

The organizing of this event needs two people to help strategize with the officers to make sure we can continue to offer such an excellent experience for our loyal guests. Thank you and please consider reaching out to any of the officers listed on page 2 of the bulletin to step forward.

Pat Gibbs, Grand Knight

DESSERTS FOR FISH FRY

Most people don't know how the variety of delicious homemade desserts appear at the fish fries. It is a well kept secret! **Actually a group of women get together at the hall the Thursday morning before the fish fry and make all the eclairs, cakes, and pies.** Many hands make light work and in 3-4 hours we are completely done, including eating lunch together with the men who prepare the rest of details for the fish fry. If you would like to join us, we would love to have you. Along with work, we do have fun too. If you would like to volunteer your time or have questions, call Kathy Conrad, 377-8371.

KNIGHTS INSIDE KINNICK STADIUM FUND RAISER

Thank You to the Knights who kept this fund raiser alive this year. In 2017 we will need more hands on deck for this, and for the July Garage Sale, plus more people to help with the rentals on the days they take place. Please consider coming forward to lighten the load on others that need some re-assurance the Columbus Hall will be able to continue into the future.

MARION COLUMBUS CLUB (MCC)

MCC needs your help providing great experiences for our hall renters! You would be asked to work once every two or three months if we can add twelve people to the worker list. Husband/Wife teams are encouraged. Father/Son teams are also great. Get on the volunteer list by calling Ray Banowitz (319-389-7265) or coming to the MCC meeting on November 21st.

Pat Gibbs, Grand Knight

CATHOLIC EVANGELIZATION OUTREACH

Speaker: Jesse Romero
Date: Tuesday, Feb 14, 2017
Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM
Place: St. Matthew Catholic Church
Address: 2310 1st Ave NE, Cedar Rapids
Admission: Free, all are welcome!

Free childcare available! A light meal will be served after the talk in the church basement.

Nationally acclaimed speaker and author, Jesse Romero, is committed to keeping the Faith alive by speaking at parishes and Catholic events throughout the United States. Jesse has the ability to make the sometimes-complex teachings of our faith understandable with his straight talk approach. You will hear the fullness of the Catholic faith in an evangelical style with devil destroying theology.

BIRTHRIGHT CELEBRATION EVENT

Mark your calendars for our Birthright Celebration event (formerly called **Dance for Life**) to be held Saturday, February 18, 2017 from 6 to 10 pm at the new St. Jude Parish Hall, sponsored by the St. Jude Knights of Columbus Council. This family-friendly fun evening will include a light meal, variety of dance music by DJ Bill Kauffman, karaoke, silent auction, door prizes and children's activities. Tickets are only \$7 for age 5 and older (4 and under are free). For tickets or more information, call the Birthright office at 393-3251 or Cathy at 573-4910. All proceeds benefit Birthright!

FINAL FOOTBALL FRENZY NEWS

Council 5390 was lucky this year. We had 6 winners during the 10 weeks of football games.

1st week - Dan Callahan - \$14.38
2nd week - Jean Jelinek - \$30.00
3rd week - Bob Bruckman - \$40.00
4th week - Brad Lukes - \$13.33
5th week - Dick Semelmth - \$75.00
10th week - Mary Goiffon - \$75.00

Total winnings: \$247.71

Congratulations to all!
Larry Block

ST PIUS PRIDE NIGHT

Once again, Council 5390 has been requested to bring their charming dispositions to the fund raising event for St Pius to provide bartending excellence. It will be held at the St Pius Parish Hall on February 18th, 2017.

Let Steve Powers or Frank Stull know you can help OR contact your Grand Knight if you can't reach Steve or Frank.

FREE THROW CONTEST

Sunday, February 5, 2017

We are holding a basketball free throw contest the first Sunday in February. I would like to ask for your consideration to pass this invite along to the parents of your school children. This event is open to all children ages 9 to 14, girls and boys.

Here are the details for the first round:

- St Joseph School Gym, Marion IA
- Doors open at 12.10, contest begins at 12.30 pm
- Contact John Pacha for event logistical detail questions
- link to official rules: <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/resources/service/youth/freethrow/guide.pdf>
- Open to all children in the community ages 9 to 14 on Jan. 1, 2017
- Proof of age is required at any level of competition so be prepared if challenged, ref. page 2 for official rules for eligibility

Thank you for your help in spreading the word.

John Pacha, Council 5390 Free Throw event lead

DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

(Independence, Iowa)

Exemplification in Independence, Iowa on March 19th, 2017.

Council 4332 will host:
Senior Citizen Center

400 - 5th Avenue, Independence, Iowa

Second Degree candidates meet at 11:30 AM. Ceremony will begin at 12:00.

Lunch will be served between the 2nd & 3rd degree.

Third Degree candidates meet at 1:30 PM. Ceremony at 2:15.

There will be a first degree held earlier in case there are new members. The First Degree candidates meet at 10:30 AM, ceremony at 11:00 AM.

Please let your Grand Knight know if you have a candidate to take or you are going to attend. This will give him the opportunity to contact the District Deputy and give them numbers to prepare lunch for.

THANK YOU FOR THE TURKEY TROT

