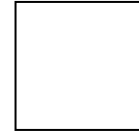


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January 7th Breakfast All workers will work from 7:30 am to Noon (Cook starts at 7:15 am)

Powers, Steve - Lead	Mineart, Joe	Satern, Tom - Lead	Schmidt, Ray
Antonelli, Mike - Cook	Novey, Steve	Pecinovsky, Brian	Schmidt, Gary
Conrad, Scott - Cook	O'Shea, John	Peters, Jeff	Schmidt, Gene
McGlaughlin, Jim	Pannkuk, Mark	Ries, Lou	Schmidt, John
Meyer, Chris	Pasker, Steve	Ryan, Moe	Schmitt, Robert

FEBRUARY 4, 2017 NO K OF C BREAKFAST.
SUPPORT THE BOY SCOUT TROOP 42
BREAKFAST AT ST PIUS X

March 4th Breakfast All workers will work from 7:15 am to Noon (Cook starts at 6:45 am)

Steger, Ted - Lead	Beadle, Rick	Schiffer, Howard - Lead	Villhauer, Eric
Jump, Mike - Cook	Beelner, Randy	Thayer, Clair	Waldorf, John
Klima, Trevor - Cook	Berns, James	Thys, Ray	Waldron, Denny
Anderson, Dave	Blin, Mike	Van Gorp, Dave	Wendling, John
Anyanwu, George	Strabala, Mike	Van Gorp, Wayne	Wimmer, Kevin

JANUARY 2018 KNIGHT LIGHT - KC COUNCIL 5390
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----- *** COMING EVENTS *** -----

Jan ? Youth Free Throw contest, St. Joe's gym TBD
Jan 1 Mary, Mother of God
Jan 2 Business Meeting
Jan 7 Pancake Breakfast 8 - 10:30 am, St Pius X Church
Jan 15 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
Jan 16 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
Jan 19 Fish Fry 5 - 7 PM
Jan 21 Family Winter Party - see article for details
Jan 26 Deadline for the February 2018 newsletter
Feb 4 Boy Scout pancake breakfast at St. Pius X
Feb 4 No K of C Breakfast this month
Feb 6 Business Meeting
Feb 14 Ash Wednesday
Feb 16 Lenten Fish Fry 5 - 7:30 PM
Feb 19 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
Feb 20 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
Feb 23 Lenten Fish Fry 5 - 7:30 PM
Feb 23 Deadline for the March newsletter
Mar Bishops Blast - St Isidore
Mar Bishops Blast - St Pius X
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Mar 6 Business Meeting
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Mar 16 Lenten Fish Fry 5 - 7:30 PM
Mar 19 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
Mar 20 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
Mar 23 Lenten Fish Fry 5 - 7:30 PM
Mar 23 Deadline for the March newsletter
Mar 30 Good Friday - No Lenten Fish Fry
Apr 1 Easter

Deadline for the January
issue of the *Knight Light* is:
Friday, January 26th

January 2 Business meeting
7:00 PM Rosary
7:30 PM Business meeting

BREAKFAST WORKERS: If you
have a conflict with your scheduled
time, please find a substitute and
then notify Lonnie Curry:
lvcurry@gmail.com or Frank Stull:
fpstull@aol.com.

Our council is sponsoring two seminarians:

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DISASTER RELIEF

The Knights of Columbus Supreme web site has a secure link to give monies to help hurricane victims via the CRS (Catholic Relief Services). Give if you can: even \$10 from each person adds up to millions overall.

www.kofc.org/en/secure/charities/disaster-relief.html

Knight of the Month: Juergen Bruckner

Family of the Month: Dale & Sue Eichenberger

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

January is the month of the attempt to stop procrastinating. Is this the year?? This is the year! This year I will follow through with my new year's resolutions. Yes, all of them; this time!

Sheer determination really gets us through that first six weeks of the year. What then, after that. I would say it falls back on good old fashion habit forming skills. But nonetheless you need the original list to work on. Lists can be simple. It was years ago when I consciously decided to refresh my Rosary skills. Most notably was to know all six prayers (the Fatima Prayer makes seven) of the Holy Rosary confidently, without notes, without 'the crowd' to lean on. That's basic - but it is the step prior to refreshing a confident knowledge of the mysteries of the rosary; one at a time, of course.

Habit forming is customized to an individual, but there are very consistent psychological actualities that assure success. A physical habit can take permanent effect after being performed at least 21 times in calculated timeliness. The most common is 21 days in a row. When listening to new information, it takes at least 10 attentive non-distracted complete audios to have it 'sink in' for the long term. New visual information is very tricky, and very individually specific. My wild guess is that most people see something about 49 times (7x7) for it to 'stick' with them.

To know this allows you to use it to your advantage, for the most effective result.

In the course of human experience, most strong habits at some point get the bulldozer treatment by life events. I mean something overwhelming comes into play. Usually, there are career shifts, marriage, children, end-of-life happenings, end-of-career jolts, over commitments, etc.

One thing that is amazing about a strong habit is that it comes right back into play after even twenty years of absence and is easy to do again.

Never will you ever, ever, regret knowing the Holy Rosary as a strong habit. One of the well-kept secrets of the Holy Catholic Church is the peaceful resolve members have in dealing with human short-comings while they diligently personalize the frequent reciting of the Rosary.

Continue to be awesome Knights.

Vivat Jesus

Pat Gibbs, Grand Knight

c. 319-210-1920 or the.patrick@usa.net

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 Banowetz (319-389-7265) or coming to the MCC meeting the 3rd Monday of the month.

Pat Gibbs, Grand Knight

MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR 2018

The first notice has been sent. Membership dues for 2018 will be the same as 2017:

Honorary Life members	\$0.00
Honorary members	\$10.00
Regular members	\$36.00

If a member had previously provided an e-mail address, the first billing notice will be sent to your e-mail address. If an e-mail address has not been provided, the billing notice will be sent by US Mail. Membership dues can be paid at the next business meeting on Jan 2nd or by sending them by mail. Membership cards will be sent to those members who have paid their dues for 2018.

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.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Happy New Year! New Years Resolution: Take the family and friends to the KC breakfast every month!

Lonnie Curry

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FISH FRY DESSERTS

Thank you to the people who have donated fresh fruit for those desserts. We should have enough rhubarb, peaches, and raspberries to last the whole season.

I'd also like to thank Eileen Van Gorp and Verna Lucas for the many years they dedicated to organizing the baking crews and serving at the fish fries. They have now retired, but had helped to lay the ground work for the current success of the dinners.

If anyone would like to join in making desserts before the fish fries please give me a call.

Kathy Conrad, 377-8371

FISH FRY CULINARY DELIGHT

The fish fry returns January 19th. Dessert included in the \$10 for adults, \$5 for youth (open to the public). 5:00 to 7:00 pm (in lent the hours are 5:00 to 7:30 PM) at the Marion Columbus Club, hosted by the Knights of Columbus Council 5390.

K OF C FREE-THROW CONTEST

All youth ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the K of C basketball free-throw contest in January at St Josephs School gymnasium. Age eligibility is determined by the age of the contestant as of January 1st.

Watch for more details as John Pacha confirms the time & place where youth will compete.

STADIUM FUNDRAISING GROUP

Mr. Hagan has continued his non-profit organization. We can continue with this revenue stream if someone wants to step forward and be the contact for our Council. Gary has people traveling to every home MN Vikings game to help at their stadium and other local events.

Grand Knight Pat Gibbs

FAMILY WINTER PARTY

**Sunday, January 21st
1:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

**Woodpecker Lodge at
Pinicon Ridge Park in
4729 Horseshoe Falls Road
Near Central City**

We need one or two couples to organize fun for this event.

You are welcome to invite friends/family to come enjoy the event. If any youth are attending they should bring a friend or two with to share some fun!

There will be sledding (if there is snow - bring your sled), games, socializing, etc. Chili is provided by Council 5390. You are welcome to bring other soups, snacks, desserts, etc to share. Bring your own table service and drinks.

This party incorporates the traditional Soup Supper and Wine & Cheese events. There will not be a separate Soup Supper or Wine & Cheese event. So, bring your soups, wine, and cheese to the Winter Party!

LEADING FUTURE "FUN" ACTIVITIES

We are always looking for "FUN" couples to help others lead one of these events:

- Fall Picnic & campfire - - October
 - Winter Soup/ Wine/ sledding - - January
- Contact Mr. Gibbs at (319-210-1920) or the.patrick@usa.net to have some fun leading some "FUN".

INSURANCE AGENT

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SAINT JOSEPH'S "FUN DAYS"

June 1, 2 and 3, 2018

Please contact Bob & Julie Schmitt to be on the list to help with Knights of Columbus responsibilities when this great event comes around next summer.



WINTER SKATING PARTY PICTURE

Photo by Jim Ford