

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Joseph C Carroll Council 5390



OCTOBER 2019 KNIGHT LIGHT

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REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING: 1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:30 PM

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*** COMING EVENTS ***

Sep 28 Highway Clean-up (rescheduled due to rain)
 Set 28 Council/Parish Card Night at 7:00 PM – all are welcome from our parishes and other councils
 Oct 1 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
 Oct 6 Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church
 Oct 14 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
 Oct 15 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
 Oct 18 Fish Fry 5-7PM
 Oct 19-20 Rose Drive for Birthright at St. Pius X and St. Joseph
 Oct 25 Deadline for November newsletter
 Oct 26 Council/Parish Card Night at 7:00 PM – all are welcome from our parishes and other councils
 Nov Memorial Mass (depends on preference of Priest or Deacon) (TBD)
 Nov 1 All Saints Day
 Nov 3 Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church
 Nov 6 Business Meeting 7:30 PM (NOTE CHANGE DUE TO ELECTION)
 Nov 15 Fish Fry 5-7PM
 Nov 16 Return of the Turkey Trot Race Breakfast, Marion High School
 Nov 18 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
 Nov 19 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
 Nov 22 Deadline for December newsletter
 Nov 28 Thanksgiving
 Nov Council/Parish Card Night at 7:00 PM – all are welcome from our parishes and other councils)
 Dec 1 Pancake Breakfast 8-10:30 am, St Pius X Church
 Dec 1 Kids Skating Party at Super Skate
 Dec 3 Business Meeting 7:30 PM
 Dec 8 Immaculate Conception
 Dec 16 MCC Meeting 7:30 PM
 Dec 17 Staff Planning Meeting 7:30 PM
 Dec 25 Christmas – Christ's Birthday
 Dec 27 Deadline for January newsletter

Deadline for the November issue of the *Knight Light* is: Friday, October 25th

Business Meeting
October 1st
7:00 PM Rosary
7:30 PM Business meeting

Our council is sponsoring two seminarian.
You can contact them at:
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Casey Flack
Mundelein Seminary
1000 E Maple Ave
Mundelein, IL 60060-1174
c.flack@dbqarch.org

Peter Binder
St Pius X Seminary
1235 Mt. Loretta Ave
Dubuque, IA 52003

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

October 6th Breakfast Leads & Cooks start at 7:15 am the rest of the workers start at 7:30 am

DeWees, Tim - Lead	Berns, James	Bruckner, Juergen	Parent, Jim
Schiffer, Howard - Lead	Blocklinger, Bob	Chaisson, Jim	Platt, Vince
Klima, Trevor - Cook	Bonlander, Roger	Chmelicek, Mike	Van Gorp, Wayne
Pint, Dennis - Cook	Bries, Randy	Christensen, Dave	
Beadle, Rick	Bruckman, Robert	Haber, Harley	

November 3rd Breakfast Leads & Cooks start at 7:15 am the rest of the workers start at 7:30 am

Albee, Dave - Lead	Brundell, Paul	Detweiler, Ron	Fejfar, Donald
Trotta, JJ - Lead	Dake, Del	Digmann, Ron	Fetzer, Jerry
Casey, Bill - Cook	Dayton, Chuck	Eichenberger, Dale	Gaeta, Nick
Zwanziger, Scott - Cook	Determan, Steve	Enneking, Dick	Geers, Fritz
Becker, Michael	Dettmer, Ed	Ernst, Earl	Gibbs, Pat

December 1st Breakfast Leads & Cooks start at 7:15 am the rest of the workers start at 7:30 am

Casey, Bill - Cook	Gruenloh, Bob	Holtz, Bill	Kacena, Jay
Trotta, JJ - Lead	Hamer, Mark	Holubar, Mel	Kern, Gerald
Perra, Dan - Cook	Hatfield, Don	Hooper, Matt	Klostermann, Don
Van Gorp, Greg - Cook	Hellmann, Alan	Hunstad, Mike	Kueter, Dale
Goiffon, Dan	Hennessey, Darrell	Jones, Randy	Peterson, Jesse

FISH FRY WORKERS: If there are any changes to the schedule plan please contact:
Dan Goiffon - 319-431-8653 or Steve Pasker - 319-393-4993

October Fish Fry 1st Shift		10/18/2019 4:00 to 6:30
Ken Cook	Dan Goiffon	
Jay Kacena	Jim Fenske	
Dale Eichenberger	Dick Steele	
Sue Eichenberger	Judy Powers	
Howard Schiffer	Gary Schmidt	
Shari Schiffer	Jeanne Schmidt	
Jerry Miller	Joyce Wright	
Theresa Miller	Dale Kueter	
Tom Cottrell	Helen Kueter	
Jane Cottrell	Beth Dake	
Randy Beelner	Del Dake	
Dick Makinster	John Stapley	

October Fish Fry 2nd Shift		10/18/2019 6:00 to 8:30
Alan Hellman	Randy Beelner	
Joan Hellmann	Dick Makinster	
Bill Schaffer	Dan Goiffon	
Donna Schaffer	Jerry Kern	
Ken Ladage	Quentin Duarte	
Paula Ladage	Steve Feltman	
Jim Fenske	Harley Haber	
Dick Steele	Steve Freeman	
Dean Beickelman	Lonnie Curry	
Mark Weber	Kelly Curry	
Chuck Dayton	Eric Villhauer	
Moe Ryan	Tom Hanley	

November Fish Fry 1st Shift		11/15/2019 4:00 to 6:30
Ken Cook	Dan Goiffon	
Jay Kacena	Jim Fenske	
Dale Eichenberger	Dick Steele	
Sue Eichenberger	Judy Powers	
Howard Schiffer	Gary Schmidt	
Shari Schiffer	Jeanne Schmidt	
Jerry Miller	Joyce Wright	
Theresa Miller	Tim O Hara	
Tom Cottrell	Rosemary O Hara	
Jane Cottrell	Paul Huber	
Randy Beelner	John Huber	
Dick Makinster	Jim Chaisson	

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Bill Schaffer	Dan Goiffon	
Donna Schaffer	Jerry Kern	
Ken Ladage	Ed Kalous	
Paula Ladage	Andy Hlubek	
Jim Fenske	Neal Feltman	
Dick Steele	Tanner Richards	
Dean Beickelman	Darrel Holub	
Mark Weber	Molly Holub	
Chuck Dayton	Jeff Alt	
Moe Ryan	Bob Schmitt	

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Brother Knights,

Its October and there's a hint of Fall in the air. The fish dinners have started so please check the schedule to see if you are working. We are short of help this month so if you have time to help please do.

We had a great CPID drive this year. We raised over \$20,000.00 this year which is a new record! Good job to everyone who helped.

The Rose Drive for Birthright is this month. Please help out after the Masses on October 19th and 20th.

Thanks for all your works with the council and your parishes. Remember to pray the rosary and keep your faith strong.

*Tom Spartz, Grand Knight
319-202-0741*

Knight of the Month: Ray Banowetz
Family of the Month: Dick and Kathy Conrad

ROSE DRIVE

We will hold the annual Rose Drive at all our parishes in October. The Drives will all be held on the weekend of October 19th and 20th. Please help pass out the roses after the Mass you attend on the dates listed. All proceeds go to help Birthright.

CARD NIGHTS FOR SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

We are starting our card nights this month. All are welcome including people from the parishes and other councils. Come and play cribbage or whatever game you like. Bring a board game too, if you want. We will have walking tacos and adult beverages and soda will be available. Bring a snack to share. Come out for some fellowship and have a good time. Kids are welcome, but no daycare will be provided.

The September Card Night is on the 28th and the October Card Night is on the 26th.

C.P.I.D. TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE 2019

Our council had a very good year with the C.P.I.D. Driver. We raised over \$20,000.00 so far minus what we collect at St. Isidores. This is a new record amount! Thanks to all the site captains and everyone who helped out and made it a success. A special thanks to Chuck Dayton for not only being the site captain for St. Joseph's, but covering 2 retail sites at the same time! Great job Chuck and everyone else who helped.

Tom Spartz, Grand Knight

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

FALL into a great habit of enjoying our monthly breakfast! Join us for pancakes, eggs, sausage and beverages on October 6th at St Pius X, serving 8:00am to 10:30am. Take the opportunity to support our council and those we serve. Hope to see you there.

Lonnie Curry lvc Curry@gmail.com

TURKEY TROT - - RACE VOLUNTEERS

- Event is Saturday, November. 16th
- Need 6 workers, prefer 8 so we have back-ups (I do have guys cancel, they will remain nameless here).
- Need workers to meet at Marion High School gym between 6 and 6:30 am.
- Workers are usually done between 11:00 and 11:30 am.
- Wear comfortable shoes
- Please let me know if you are volunteering (email: jrpacha66@msn.com); that way I can update you if I have more information.
- If you volunteer, expect to stand or carry pitchers of pancake batter. You need to be able to be on your feet for 75% or more for about 6 hours.

John Pacha, Coordinator

FISH FRY OCTOBER 18TH

Best in the metro, or so we've been told

The Fish Fries have resumed. The next one is Friday, October 18th, serving from 5 to 7pm. The Fish Fries are held at the Marion Columbus Club and are hosted by Knights of Columbus Council 5390.

DISTRICT DEPUTY MESSAGE

Brothers, I have a message from our State Deputy, Paul Lee that the Bridgehaven Pregnancy Support Center in Cedar Rapids, would like to partner with the Knights of Columbus in fundraising for an ultrasound Machine. The machine that they have now is on its last leg and needs to be replaced. There may be some funds available in the State Council Culture of Life Fund that could be used for this project. Most of the councils in the Cedar Rapids/Marion area already donate regularly to the maintenance and upkeep of their existing unit.

Paul Lee would like to see one of the councils in this area lead the effort to raise funds for this ultrasound machine. This is a great way to help save lives in our community. I am sure there are other councils across the state of Iowa that would like to be a part of this project and maybe we can get matching funds from Supreme. Rise up and Share God's Joy fund.

Gerald Fetzer, District Deputy, District 29

MARION COLUMBUS CLUB (MCC) 2ND HAND RUMMAGE SALE

Mr. Goiffon has set in place an awesome leadership process for this event. It is ready to be passed to a new leader, possibly next year.

The ladies are phenomenal at pricing all the varied items that come in as donations. It is an enjoyable team to work with; please consider leading this event next year.

SEMINARIAN SUPPORT

For this fraternal year, the Council is providing financial and moral support for seminarians Casey Flack, and Peter Binder

Casey attends major seminary at St Mary of the Lake, Mundelein Seminary in Illinois.

Peter was recently declared a candidate to Holy Orders by Archbishop Jackels. He is the son of Tom and Mary Beth Binder, members of St Joseph parish. He is a college seminarian for the Archdiocese of Dubuque, enrolled at Loras College, in Dubuque, as a sophomore and has begun his formal discernment and studies for the priesthood. He is affiliated with St. Pius X, the minor seminary of the archdiocese.

Please keep Casey and Peter; and all seminarians in your prayers as they continue their journey to the priesthood. Their addresses are on the front page of *The Knight Light*. You are encouraged to send cards and notes. This moral support is required in the RSVP in order to receive Supreme's \$200 refund for the Council's donation. Increasing priestly vocations is a priority for the Archdiocese and of Archbishop Michael Jackels. Please pray for all religious vocations, especially more vocations to the priesthood for the Archdiocese.

*Deacon Ken Bauer
Vocations Chair*

DISASTER RELIEF

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

The Knights of Columbus Supreme secure web site is:

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

EQUIPMENT FOR LOAN

We have the following equipment to loan out: wheelchair, portable walker, cane, and crutches. Some of these items may already be loaned out, so contact our Worthy Warden, Howard Schiffer, to check for availability. When you are finished with the item, please have it checked back in at the hall.

FISH FRY KITCHEN NEEDS WORKERS

We are always looking for more workers for the kitchen crew! If you don't want to cook, we still have jobs for you! Cooks, pot washers, dish washers, runners, we need them, too! Contact Scott at 319-573-1321 and we will hope to see you soon!

Scott Conrad, Kitchen Crew Manager

INSURANCE AGENT

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GOD'S FORGIVENESS

The 1st Reading (Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14) and the Gospel (Luke 15:1-22) for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time provide us with powerful examples of God's forgiveness. In the 1st Reading from Exodus, the Israelites are worshiping and sacrificing to a molten calf. This is not the first time, the Israelites have committed sin in God's eyes, and He intends to punish by sending His burning wrath upon them. But Moses pleads to God on their behalf, and God relents of the punishment He had planned.

The Gospel includes the familiar story of the Prodigal Son. The younger son essentially is cutting himself off from his father (otherwise God), wishing him dead. Yet, after squandering his inheritance, upon his return, his Father ("God") welcomes him with open arms. God's mercy is infinite. No sin is so great that He does not forgive it. We can always turn to God for His forgiveness; and He will graciously and freely give it.

Our heart can be "broken," through our sinfulness. We can become enslaved and experience a sense of poverty by our sins. God will forgive us of our sins, no matter how grave, through His unending mercy. Seek forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The priest acts in persona Christi (the person of Christ); and through absolution grants God's forgiveness. God sacrificed his only son for our salvation. Jesus' death on the cross, restores our brokenness.

Deacon Ken Bauer

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/daughter teams are also great.

We really need help with this because when we update our website we hope to get more rentals. The more teams we have the less they will have to work.

Get on the volunteer list by calling Ray Banowetz (319-389-7265) or coming to the MCC meeting the 3rd Monday of the month.

FALL HIGHWAY CLEANUP FALL HIGHWAY CLEANUP

Delayed to the 28th because of rain

The Fall Highway Cleanup will be held on Saturday, September 28th starting at 1 pm. We will meet near the intersection of Burnett Station Road and Highway 13. Look for KC 5390 Adopt a Highway sign which is near where we will park. This is approximately 5 miles North of County Home Road along Highway 13. If you would like to car pool to Burton Station road please arrange this on your own.

With 10 - 12 workers, this task takes 1½ to 2 hours to complete. Older kids are welcome. Bring gloves and wear old shoes. We will have a snack and drinks that we will share near our rendezvous point.

Bob Schmitt Coordinator 319-373-8313



THIS IS A FUNDRAISER FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL

SCREENING OF UNPROTECTED

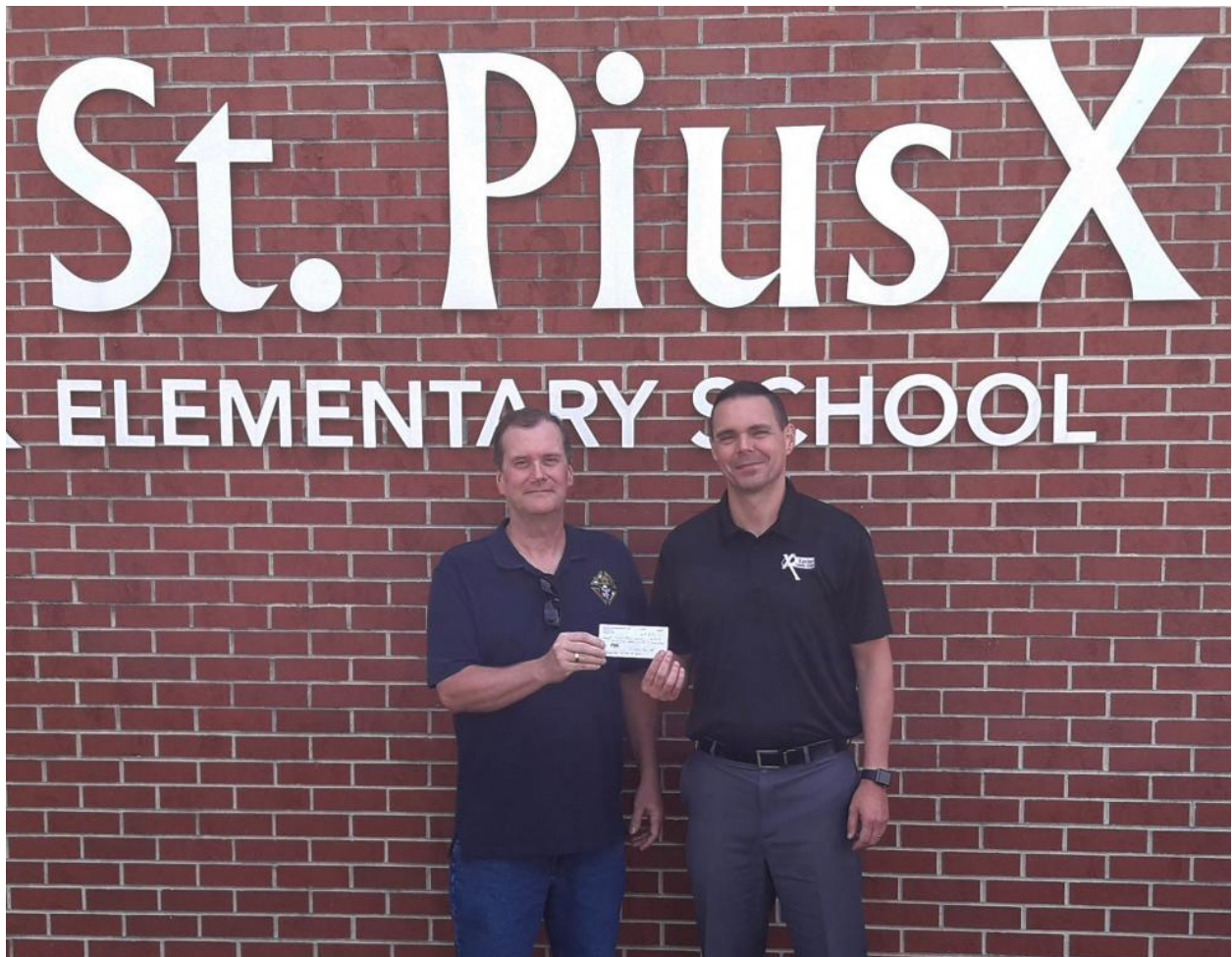
The St. Joseph Parish, Men of Action groups and the Knights of Columbus Council 5390 are hosting a screening of the movie *Unprotected* - A Pope, the Pill and the Perils of Sexual Chaos. #Metoo. Sexting pressure. The Hook-up culture. Teenage depression.

How did the culture become so toxic for women? And how did one man, Pope Paul VI foresee this all 50 years ago? *Unprotected* reveals the devastating effects of 50 years of the sexual revolution and the counter-cultural movement which resulted.

The showing will be Saturday, September 28, from 8:00 AM to 10:30 AM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 5650 Kacena Avenue (just off Hwy 13) in Marion.

A breakfast will be served at 8:15 AM. A group discussion will follow the movie.

Please RSVP to Deacon Dennis Ternes; 377-4869 or email: d.ternes@dbqarch.org or to George Cleppe, 333-8134 or email: g.cleppe@icloud.com



Grand Knight, Tom Spartz presenting a check for \$666.67 to St. Pius X school principal, Brian Reynolds. This was funds raised by the July MCC rummage sale.