

Fr. McCormick Council 3880

Knights of Columbus



Welcome to Council 3880
Faith In Action 2022-2023

Our Council—Faith In Action



Knight Life



Grand Knight

Brothers,
Not to step on our Deputy Grand Knight's article, but this month I wanted to highlight the success of our programs through the first part of the year. Really, to highlight your success.



On a day to day basis we get busy chasing work, house work, church activities, and family activities. The summer speeds by, and we don't often slow down to look at what's been accomplished.

Our summer food events this year have included the Parish Picnic, the Regatta, the Service League, and Johnny Appleseed. These are no small effort for the council to put on. Buying food and materials ahead of the event, loading the trailer, cooking, serving, and unloading and washing dishes. These food events would not be successful without the experience of **PGK Mike Bradley's** time and effort.

But he did not accomplish this alone. Without the support of probably over 50 members, the council could not have hosted these events. As a result, the council's probably raised over \$4,000 to be used in our annual charitable donations. Thank you all for your help, efforts, and participation.

Likewise, our breakfasts each month are ticking along like an old reliable engine. Each month the breakfast crew dependably shows up. Under **PGK John Stefani's** leadership, food

is purchased, prepared, and served. With the support of the entire council, the cooking, clean up, and dishes get done. Our council creates an opportunity for the parish families to sit together, eat together, and be a community together.

We also make \$200-\$300 a month. It adds up over the year. We couldn't do this without the support of each of you who show up to lend a hand, or just enjoy a meal. Personally, I'm always grateful to see the help that shows up and thank you for your efforts here too.

Finally, beyond the money making activities, this summer the council has had a number of other successful programs. We've led or participated in 3-4 rosary centered events, and, under **PGK Mike Kebr's** leadership the council has served our neighbors faithfully at the food pantry.

Our **Chancellor Greg Ives, DGK Matt Carzoli, and Treasurer Cesar Jimenez** have continued to lead the parish men in faith through That Man Is You. This includes TIMY's work at the food pantry as well. Again, thank you to all of the council members who have participated in these food pantry and faith events.

Looking back, we've had an amazing summer, and accomplished so much. None of it was individual efforts. When we have individual efforts, we don't do as well. Our programs are council accomplishments, council achievements, and council success.

I set a council goal for Star. I'm pursuing the State Service Awards, the Columbian Award, the Founders Award and the McGivney Award. Without a doubt some council members probably feel that "the GK just wants to chase awards".

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Deputy Grand Knight

What a September!

The month started off with a new event at Main Beach. The Rock the Beach Service League event was a good surprise success. We tried a new pulled pork sandwich with coleslaw that was a big hit. Thanks to PGK Mike Bradley for organizing this new event and pushing Stuart Liegel and his son Eli who came back to help clean up late that evening.

Thanks again to SK Kevin Scanlan for bringing our brothers

together for the Our Lady of Sorrows rosary. It was a beautiful service in prayer for of all those contemplating suicide.

The IDF Tootsie roll drive had a much better year of donations. Thank you Crystal Lake and PGK John Orso for your leadership getting us out there.

We wrapped up the month with the most successful Johnny Appleseed BratMobile sales I have ever seen. We thought since it started out slow that this wasn't going to



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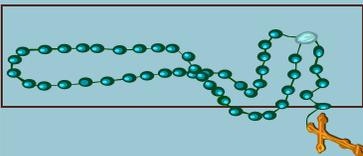


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Membership

I would like to welcome our newest members David Etling Jr. and Richard Wojik into the Knights of Columbus council 3880!



David and Richard attended a recent Exemplification at Elizabeth Ann Seton on September 10, 2022. Congratulations to both of you! **We are having our Knights of Columbus 3880 Membership Drive on October 8th & 9th, 2022.** We need your help to do the following!

- Place information cards in the pews.
- Pass out holy family prayer cards at the beginning of Mass; that will be said at Mass. Need Knights at the entry doors.
- Need volunteers to do pulpit announcements at each Mass, to review what the Knights are all about.
- Need volunteers to collect any information cards at the exit doors from prospects who want to learn more about the Knights.

Please contact me if you can help that weekend. Sign up sheets will be at the planning and business meetings and online. This is a great opportunity for our council to in-

form our parish what the Knights are all about and hopefully gain more men into the fellowship of Knighthood.

Remember our 1st principle is CHARITY!!

Fellow Knights, if you have someone you know is thinking of joining the Knights, please contact him and give him the below information.

BECOME AN ONLINE MEMBER FOR FREE! *

<https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-theknights.html>

As we continue to celebrate the Oct. 31, 2020, Beatification of our beloved founder, Blessed Michael J. McGivney, please enter the Promo Code MCGIVNEY2020 for 12 months of free online membership.

Bob Wyman
Membership Chair
KC Council 3880

**Form #100
Belongs in
All of These Places**

- Briefcase
- In Your Pocket
- Near Your Phone
- Glove Compartment
- Everywhere You Go!

**SIGN UP A
NEW MEMBER
TODAY!**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knight's Monthly Breakfast

Well, it is that same old everyday up and down, down, and up... the breakfast is still imitating life these days... we have the good ones and the bad ones... but never



stinky terrible ones! The September breakfast was down only three people attending compared to last month, but we made money both times... as we do every month. It seems to be the same thing... mass attendance is down, people coming to breakfast is down. But the thing is, if we were to look at the numbers, I would have to think that our percentage of people coming in to eat is a good percentage of those going in to Mass. So, people who DO go to mass tend to come to Breakfast! So, the question I keep getting asked: "How to we get more people to attend the breakfast?" is really simply, "How do we get more people to attend Mass?" Which they should be... are people just so complacent, or lazy??? That they have gotten into the habit of not going to Mass because of COVID so just use that excuse to stay home... or to be honest, they just do not feel the NEED to go to Mass? How scary is that?? I am sure our Worthy Chaplain would love to be able to say that to many of the missing parishioners, but he is a

gentle man and a bit more tactful than me, but hey, you know me!! I am the shy and reserved one!



And then again, I am just preaching to the choir here... we ARE 3880, and we do attend Mass... I always look around during Mass and look for 'us' and love the number of Knights I always see. How many Brother Knights do you see at Mass? Let us make sure our numbers are up... another way of asking our friends and neighbors who are not Brother Knights to be part of the "us" at Mass...

See you on Sunday, October 16th... or any of the other events happening in between or whenever... always ready to go ... as usual, as 3880!

A vital part of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish!

Keep praying and keep safe and see you here, there, everywhere!

PFN, PGK John Stefani

Grand Knight

It's actually quite the opposite. To get the horse back in front of the cart, "the GK wants the council to be recognized for all it does." At every meeting I try to reward and recognize those who have helped. Likewise, with all you're doing, I would consider it a sad failure on my part if I didn't focus on a few areas and fill out some paperwork to get you the recognition for your efforts. You deserve every award and bit of

recognition I can line up for your efforts.

We've started off the fraternal year strongly. It's been a great summer, thanks to all of the many, many individual contributions to our programs.

And brothers, as I add every month, **as always, thank you for the good works you do.**

Vivat Jesus,
Joe Scherb

Pack 127 & Troop 127

The Pack met in September had their presentation on Birds of Prey. The [Northern Illinois Raptor Rehab & Education Center](#) made the presentation and brought with them live examples of a Redtail Hawk, Owl and Eagle. You can see the hawk in the photo to the right. The Cub Scouts listened very intently to the presentation and gained an understanding about preserving raptors and what they can do to help. Did you know one of the most dangerous things for a bird is windows? Almost one BILLION birds die each year by crashing into windows that they cannot see. One remedy is to let the glass get a little dirty, so it is not as reflective. Another major cause of death for birds are cats. They actually kill more than window collisions do.

While the Cub Scouts watch the presentation, parents were presented with an opportunity to volunteer for various committees or positions where the Pack needs help. The more volunteers, the better the program for the scouts.

The Pack is camping this month at Nunda Township with lots of activities planned and before the weather turns cold. But cold weather does not stop the Troop from camping. We have at least two camping out-ings



awarded to the scouts. We also incorporate a flag recruitment ceremony to destroy flags that have served their useful life. We take a flag and cut it into four

planned for the Fall/Winter months that will include an opportunity to earn their Polar Bear Badge. It entails tent camping between November 1st and March 31st for a minimum of 24 hours and the temperature must get below 32 degrees. Hopefully we will have a few takers this year.

We had our Fall Court of Honor in early September where rank advancements and merit badges earned are

pieces leaving the field of blue with the stars as one of the four pieces and the last to be destroyed. Each piece is then thrown into the fire for a specific remembrance recited by the scout.

Scout #1: Seven red stripes and six white strips; together they represent the original 13 colonies that gained us liberty.

Scout #2: The red stripes remind us of the lifeblood of brave men and women who were ready and willing to die for their country.

Scout #3: The white stripes remind us of purity and cleanliness of purpose, thought, word and deed.

Scout #4: The blue is for truth and justice, like the eternal blue of the star-filled heavens. The stars represent the fifty united states of our union. We leave the blue field intact because no one should ever let the union be broken.

Once this flag has been consumed by the fire, we continue with more flags that have been given to the Troop for a proper retirement making sure all are turned to ashes. If you have any U.S. flags that need to be retired, please feel free to get them to me, Dan O'Connell, at any of our meetings. The Troop will see that the flag is disposed of properly. We are here to serve and appreciate your continued support of Pack 127 and Troop 127.

The aims of Scouting are character, citizenship, and fitness. The American's Creed by William Tyler Page, which is the official creed of the United States, was written in 1917, adopted on April 3, 1918 and says a lot about what "citizenship" means:

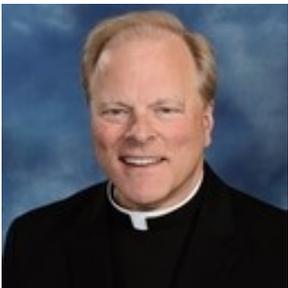
I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed, a democracy in a republic, a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its Constitution, to obey its laws, to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies.

Vivat Jesus,
SK, Dan O'Connell

Chaplains Message

Joel Weldon tells the story of the moso is a bamboo plant that grows in China and the far east. After the moso is planted, no visible growth occurs for up to five years even under ideal conditions!



of getting ready!

I shared this story at my first Mass, right after I was ordained. I shared it be-

The, as if by magic, it suddenly begins growing at the rate of nearly two and one half feet per day, reaching a full height of ninety feet within six weeks.

But it's not magic. The moso's rapid growth is due to the miles of roots it develops during those first five years, five years

cause I began to think of all the people who had not only influenced my vocation but influenced my life up to that point. As it turns out, I realized that it was a very long list. My heart was filled with gratitude and this story seemed to sum up what had happened in my own life.

It is my belief that if we stop to think about it, we may all discover that our lives are supported by a large root system. So many people help contribute to the people that we are. They are part of our foundation.

There is a plaque in my office that reads, "Don't judge each day by the harvest you reap, but by the seeds you plant." Each and every day I want to plant seeds of faith, hope and love in my congregation. I may not see any immediate growth, but I pray that over time, I will help be part of this root system in their lives and wonderful things are bound to happen in the future.

Peace, love and joy,
Fr. Bob Jones

Deputy Grand Knight From Page 1

be the year, but once the crowd started to see the new pulled pork sandwich, nachos with the works, and corn on the cob in customers' hands many others sought us out. Thanks to all that came out to help with this community event.

There are a few new programs coming up in October; please consider coming to the next membership meeting on Oct. 4th. I hope to see many of you there.

Vivat Jesus
Matt Carzoli



Crystal Lake Food Pantry

No one should go hungry.

Crystal Lake Food Pantry

Brothers,

Our council is working the Crystal Lake Food Pantry this Thursday, August 25th. We are covering this time slot every 4th Thursday of the month and can use your help. We are in need of 8-10 volunteers to help serve our neighbors at the pantry.

(Masks are currently optional for all)

Date: Thursday August 25th

Time: 4:30pm -7:30pm

If you are interested or have any questions, please **Contact PGK, Mike Kebr** 815/814-7395

See you there.

Mike Kebr

3rd Thursday of the Month 5-7pm

4th Saturday of the Month 8am -12 noon

We need your help



Crystal Lake Food Pantry

42 East Street,
Crystal Lake, IL 60014
815-455-0961

Fourth Degree



The installation of Officers of the Bishop Boylan Assembly #0198 took place on September 14th at The Church of the Holy Apostles in McHenry. Your newly installed officers are shown below. It would be nice to add a few 3880 names to this group in the near future. If you are currently 3rd Degree Knight and looking to become a 4th Degree Sir Knight, please contact me or another Sir Knight and we can arrange for you to attend the next 4th Degree Exemplification being planned for February 18th in Lisle.

Those Sir Knights who have not yet purchased a uniform, there is a \$100 reimbursement available from our Council as well as two (2) remaining \$100 reimbursements from the Assembly so if you act quickly, you could get \$200 towards your uniform. For further details, please contact me.

Vocations Raffle

Help our Future Priests – With a Chance to Help Yourself, Too!

Since 1882 the Knights of Columbus has supported and prayed for our priests and religious. We pledge to “Form (ourselves) in the Catholic Faith, to live in accord with the Precepts of the Catholic Church, and to participate in its sacramental life.”



That little promise we make during our degree exemplification includes supporting our priests, including those men who are working their way through seminary to become our future priests. Remember when

you were in college, and you had little to no money? The same holds true for our seminarians. They need our help, and we are in a position to help them.

The annual Knights of Columbus Vocation Raffle is underway. Books are just \$15 and offer the chance to win as much as \$10,000 in a drawing to be held in December. Best yet, \$9 from each book stays in our council, and we give it directly to seminarians who need our help.

Our next Assembly meeting is on October 12th and will begin at 7:30 PM. Watch for your meeting invite. If you are not receiving the meeting notices, please let Dan O’Connell know and I can update your records. Vivat Jesus!

Position	Sir Knight	Council
Faithful Friar	Fr. Matthew DeBlock	13476
Faithful Navigator	Greg Schuring	8473
Faithful Admiral	Andy Voloch	10678
Faithful Captain	Robert Schafer	10678
Faithful Pilot	Frank Cermak III	8473
Faithful Comptroller	Dan O’Connell	3880
Faithful Scribe	Alan Brankline	16446
Faithful Purser	Joe Creasey	1288
Faithful Inner Sentinel	Gary Hansen	1288
Faithful Outer Sentinel	Frank Sweeney	16446
Faithful 3 Year Trustee	Bart Fiore	16446
Faithful 2 Year Trustee	David Jones	8473
Faithful 1 Year Trustee	Stephan Zalas	8473
Faithful Commander	Alan Brankline	16446

Vivat Jesus.

Our challenge to you is to purchase a booklet, complete it and turn it back to the Council in the coming months. Get one at a business meeting, at the monthly breakfast, or email Bob Kosin (rkosin@gmail.com) or Worthy Chancellor Greg Ives (gregives@att.net) and we will get you as many as you need! Anyone can purchase raffle tickets – you don’t need to be a Knight.

Order online, too!

This year you can also purchase books online! How easy is that? All you have to do is use [this handy link](#) that the Illinois State Council set up, complete the information (including Council 3880) and make your payment.

Do your part to help our seminarians. Help them so they can help each of us as our Catholic priests of tomorrow!

Vivat Jesus,
Greg Ives
Chancellor



Pro-Life Report

21 Short Powerful Prayers for Surgery to Go Well

Oct 26, 2018 by Editor in Chief

CONTINUED FROM AUGUST NEWSLETTER

Below are some additional prayers we can recite when a member of our extended families is in a difficult surgical situation.

Medical Care Prayer

All-Knowing God, thank you that you are all-powerful, you can do anything you desire. Help me be filled with gratitude for the access I have to medical care that allows me to have the surgery I need. I am so lucky to have access to this operation, and to be able to financially make it happen. Your word says that you will respond to the prayer of the needy. Hear my prayer in this time of need and watch over me. May the love of the Father, the tenderness of the Son, and the presence of the Spirit, gladden my heart and bring peace to my soul, today and for all days. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Restored Health Prayer

Merciful God, thank you that you make known your love and that your purposes will stand, your plans will not fail. You have promised that when I call on you in prayer, you will listen to me. Please hear my prayer to you for a successful surgery. Give me the strength to endure the recovery process that I may be restored to full health. May God the Father prepare my journey, Jesus the Son guide my footsteps, and the Holy Spirit watch over me. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

God's Presence Prayer

Lord of the Nations, thank you that there is nowhere I can go that is beyond your presence. As I have surgery, I remain in your loving presence. The Bible says that you will do whatever I ask in Jesus' name. Hear my prayer in the name of your Son, that my operation would be successful with no complications. Give wisdom to those involved in carrying out my procedure. May the peace of God enfold me, the love of God uphold me and the wisdom of God control me. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Filled with Faith Prayer

God of the Universe thank you that I am never alone, your presence calms the troubled sea of my life and speaks peace to my soul. You have said that I may ask you for anything in Jesus' name, and you will do it. Let me be filled with faith instead of fear as I trust you for a successful operation. Let the majesty of the Father be the light that guides me, the compassion of the Son be the love that inspires me and the presence of the Spirit be the strength that empowers me. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Effective Surgery Prayer

Everlasting Father, thank you that your promises are sure, you are faithful, I can rely on you. You have promised that, whatever I ask for in prayer, I should believe that I have received it, and it will be mine. I believe that you can ensure my surgery is successful, and that my recovery will be without complications. Please help me to relax as I trust you to be in control of all my circumstances. Be exalted above the heavens, O God. Let your glory be above all the earth. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Abide in You Prayer

Prince of Peace, thank you that you are perfectly faithful. You never forget, you never fail and you never take back a promise. You have promised that, if I abide

in you, I will produce much fruit. Help me to abide in you as I face surgery and the following recovery. Remind me that you are always with me. May you, the God of all grace, who has called me into eternal glory by Christ Jesus, make me holy, strong and filled with peace. To you be glory and honor for ever and ever. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Give Me Strength Prayer

Wonderful Counselor, thank you that your work is perfect, your ways are just, you are a God of faithfulness. Your word says that apart from you I can do nothing. As I approach my surgery, I am increasingly aware that I need to trust you and not rely on my own strength. My strength comes from you. Give me assurance that you are always watching over me with care and compassion. May I grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To you be glory both now and for ever. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Healing Touch Prayer

Healing God, thank you that you are the same yesterday, today, and forever. You have healed people throughout history and I ask you to heal me now as I approach surgery. You have said that whoever follows you will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life. Shine your powerful light on my life at this time. Hear my prayer and bless my surgical procedure and recovery. Blessing and glory, wisdom and thanksgiving, honor, and power and strength, be unto you my God for ever and ever. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Safety Prayer

Compassionate Father, thank you that your word revives my soul, gives wisdom to my mind and produces joy in my heart. Your word says that those who seek the Lord lack no good thing. Help me to seek you with my whole heart as I undergo surgery. Guide the hands of the surgeon so that the operation may be safe and successful. May the peace of God reign in my life, the love of God surround me, the Spirit of God empower me and the joy of God uphold me. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Capable Hands Prayer

Name above all Names, thank you that, by you, all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible. You created me and my body rests in your capable hands. You have promised that you are able to bless me abundantly. Bless me with a successful surgical procedure and restore me to full health. May your love be the passion in my heart. May your joy be my strength when times are hard. May your presence be my peace that overflows. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Supply My Needs Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, thank you that all things were created through you and for you, you are before all things, and in you all things exist. You have said that in all things at all times, you will supply all that I need. Please look upon my physical needs at this time and restore strength to my body through this surgery. Remind me that you are always with me. May I find the comfort I desire in you and the strength I need in your name. May your presence be with me every hour of the day. In your mighty name, Amen.

Vlvat Jesus,
Pete Herran
Pro-Life Director

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Supreme Chaplain's Challenge

The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Church, and in particular of the Knights of Columbus.

A Higher Purpose

Lead your community in the spiritual fight to establish a culture of life. Knights and their families will come together in both public and private acts of prayer to promote the protection of life.

Overview

The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Church, and in particular of the Knights of Columbus. Knights remain firmly committed to defending the right to life of every human being – from the moment of conception to natural death. To commemorate and bolster this important cause, councils will promote a novena, nine days of sustained prayer, to build up a culture of life in our parishes, homes and wider community.

SUPREME CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY CHALLENGE

[Supreme Chaplains Challenge | Knights of Columbus\(kofc.org\)](#)

This Month's Challenge

SEPTEMBER 2022

"I tell you, in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance." (Gospel for Sept. 11, Lk 15:7)



This Gospel reading links the parable of the lost sheep with the parable of the prodigal son. Together these parables remind us that God constantly seeks us whenever we go astray. We are all sinners, and like the prodigal son we must wake up, repent and return to the Father. When we do this, we find that he runs to meet us. My brother Knights, let us

create some joy in heaven. Let us recognize that we are sinners in need of repentance and ask the Father for his forgiveness.

month, I challenge you to watch the "Sacramental Life" episode of the *Into the Breach* video series, particularly reflecting on the importance of the sacrament of **Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:**

This reconciliation. Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Sacramental Gifts program.

Questions for Reflection:

Are there ways you see yourself as a lost sheep, a prodigal son? What concrete steps can you take to overcome sinful habits and avoid temptations? Do you "come home" to the Father to receive his mercy and forgiveness in the sacrament of reconciliation?

3880 Memories in Pictures



Help Our Future Priests

Purchase Knights Vocations Raffle Tickets!

Order Online with QR Code



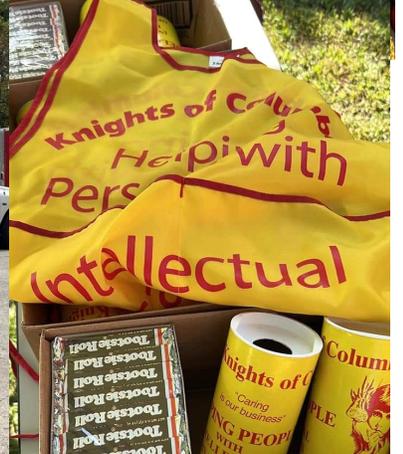
Include Council 3880 on form 

First Prize \$10,000
Drawing is December 3, 2022

\$15 for 15 Tickets
(\$9 stays here to help our seminarians)

Books also available at *Knights of Columbus Monthly Breakfasts*

Support our seminarians so they can help us as tomorrow's priests.



Good of The Order

Knights Birthdays September 2022

- Vito De Frisco
- John M. Ferrero, III
- Joe Gottemoller
- Brad L. Johnson
- Thomas M. Lehner
- John Loretan
- Daniel P. Maguire
- Joseph Mancini
- Peter M. Mateljan
- Kenneth Mavec
- Richard B. Mensik
- Larry Miller
- Jasper Pitrello
- Paul Ruiz
- Robert L. Schmidt
- Gerald L. Spiewak
- Stephan C Townsend

Wives Birthday September 2022

- Christina Benkert
- Ginger Bradley
- Kathy Esposito
- Mary Frazier
- Sheri Kebr

- Tina Mackinlay
- Nancy J. Modrich
- Meghan Riley
- Linda Steadman

Anniversaries September 2022

- Mike and Elizabeth Baietto
- Harry P. and Judy Blus
- Patrick E. and Ginger Bradley
- Todd and Lori Bright
- Kenneth J. and Dianne Diana
- Ronald and Bernice Ferraro
- Thomas M. and Gail Lehner
- Gerald L. and Marilyn Spiewak
- John P. and Linda Walsh
- Paul L. and Beth Weyna

Update Your Membership Info

[Click here](#) to update it.



Read the Bible and Pray the Rosary.



Remember and pray for our troops in this hopeful new year.

Fifth Sunday Memorial Mass—October 30, 2022— 9:00 AM

5th SUNDAY

Sunday July 31st is a Fifth Sunday of the month for which the 9AM Mass is in memory for the Deceased Members of Council 3880 including our namesake Father Edwin A. McCormick. The health and safety standards during the Pandemic have changed our attendance and participation at Mass. If your health condition provides, please consider attending in your Blue Shirt and for those Past Grand Knights, the White Shirt as a worthy memento of your service to the Council. But attendance should not limit the moment of prayer on that day. As well as attending or streaming Mass that day, find a place to hear an inner voice or view of His creation and if the weather is conducive, stand outside on that Sunday, long enough to say a decade.



Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you;

Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

And from the gentle repetition of each prayer be mindful of our deceased members, their faith in their clergy, love of Our Lady and how each lived a life in recognition of Tempus Fugit, Memento Mori.

Robert Kosin

Prayer During the Pandemic

Prayer composed by Pope Francis seek Our Lady's Intercession

It's never too late. Join us in this Novena - 3/15 to 3/23. Do it on your own!
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Vivat Jesus



Council Calendar—2022-2023



September 2022	October 2022	November 2022
9/5 Labor Day 9/6 Business Meeting 9/15 Food Pantry 9/16-17 IDDF (Tootsie Roll) Drive 9/18 Breakfast 9/22 Food Pantry 9/24 Johnny Appleseed Festival 9/27 Officers Meeting	10/4 Council Meeting 10/10 Columbus Day 10/16 Breakfast 10/20 Food Pantry 10/25 Officers Meeting 10/29 Food Pantry 10/31 Halloween	1 All Saints and Business Meeting 2 All Souls 13 Advent Wreaths Sales Start 15 Memorial Mass 19 Food Pantry 20 Breakfast 22 Tree Delivery 2022 24 Thanksgiving 25 Christmas Tree Sales 29 Officers Meeting

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Prayer for the Canonization of Fr. Michael J McGivney

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your venerable servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, bless our parish, our Knights of Columbus Council and Lady's Auxiliary. Amen.



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