



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Queen of Peace Council #5296 - Elk River, MN – December Newsletter

“A Catholic men’s organization promoting Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism, and Family”. Serving since 1962.

Grand Knight’s Message

Brother Knights,

December is here already, I wish everyone a very special Advent season, please take the time to reflect on the Birth of Christ and the true meaning of Christmas. Enjoy time with family, friends and reach out to someone who may be less fortunate with some good deed. I’m very blessed to have you all as my brothers. Merry Christmas!

Blessings

Grand Knight,

Ron Beckerleg

Council Calendar of Upcoming Events

<u>December</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>
4 th Council Christmas Potluck	1 st – New Year’s Day	6 th – Pancake Breakfast
5 th – Pancake Breakfast w/Santa	9 th – Nativity Take-down 12pm	6 th - Blood Drive
12 th - Blood Mobile Drive	9 th – Pancake Breakfast	10 th - General Council Meeting
12 th – Our Lady of Guadalupe	9 th - Free Throw 11:00-1:00	10 th -13 th Ice Fishing Red Lake
* Father has requested KCs to help serve a meal with the Hispanic and other Parish groups*	13 th - General Council Meeting	14 th - Valentine’s Day
9 th – General Council Meeting	13 th -16 th Ice Fishing Red Lake	24 th - Officer’s Meeting
16 th - Officer’s Meeting	22 nd Lasagna/Spaghetti Dinner	26 th - St Joseph’s Men Conference.
24 th – Christmas Eve-4pm Parking	27 th - Officer’s Meeting	
25 th – Christmas Day		

Completed Events from November

- Deer hunter’s returned, stories and some success was had by all.
- Nativity Scene setup and is being enjoyed.
- Breakfasts have been in full swing and well attended.

Fourth Degree

If you are interested in the Fourth Degree, please ask at a Council meeting for more information. Queen of Peace Council has many Fourth Degree members who would gladly assist you or you may contact Jim Witzman **It’s never too late to take the next, final step on your journey to Knighthood.**

Knight of the Month

Our December Knight of the Month is Brian Bistodeau

Brian is a very active member in our council, and is always willing to lend a hand whenever needed. Brian and his wife Diane are active in our parish as usher, lectern and many other ways. You may or may not have recognized Brian (St Nick) at our last breakfast. He stepped up and brought smiles to many faces.

Please congratulate him the next time you see him.

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Council Website

WWW.ELKRIVERKOFC.ORG

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Announcements

If you are currently not receiving emails, newsletter or know of someone from the council please send your contact information to Ron Beckerleg ronb@relusent.com

Wanted

Wanted: Good men to join our fraternal brotherhood organization for faith, fun, and fellowship in service to our church and community. For membership information, call Bob Hurd, 763-498-3734.