



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

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

Grand Knight’s Message

Brother Knights,

I hope this first newsletter since becoming Grand Knight finds you all well.

We seem to be back on track after the Covid shutdown. Events the KC’s were involved in during September and October included the pet clinic, a couple of breakfasts, blood drive, pumpkins sales and the fall festival. These are all great opportunities, especially for newer members, to get involved with our council and meet new people. We are in need of several volunteers to help at each upcoming event below. Please consider helping out if you can. You might find it very rewarding! You can also find out a lot more information at our general meetings at 7:00 pm the second Thursday of each month.

Please take the time to congratulate Joe Weeks as the Knight of the month for September. Joe (Mr. Breakfast) has our Pancake Breakfast’s back on track after Covid being Chair and Co-Chair for the last three breakfasts.

Blessings,

Ron Beckerleg
Grand Knight

Council Calendar of Upcoming Events

<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>	<u>January</u>
MN Deer Season (Good Luck)	4 th - Council Christmas Potluck After 5:00 pm Mass	1 st – New Year’s Day
9 th - Beyond Yellow Ribbon	5 th – Pancake Breakfast w/Santa	8 th – Nativity Take-down
11 th - Veterans Day	5 th – Blood Drive	9 th – Pancake Breakfast
11 th - General Council Meeting	9 th – General Council Meeting	9 th - Free Throw Competition 11:00-1:00
14 th - Pancake Breakfast	12 th – Our Lady of Guadalupe <i>* Father has requested KCs to help to serve a meal with the Hispanic and other Parish groups*</i>	13 th - General Council Meeting
18 th - Officers Meeting	16 th - Officer’s Meeting	13 th -16 th Ice Fishing Red Lake
20 th /21 st - Memorial Mass & Social Blessing	24 th - Christmas-4pm Parking	27 th - Officer’s Meeting
25 th - Thanksgiving	25 th - Christmas	
27 th - Nativity Set-Up		
<i>*Christmas card sales after all masses November 27rd thru December 12th*</i>	<i>*Christmas card sales after all masses November 27rd thru December 12th*</i>	

Completed Events from October

Council Memorial Blood Drive was triumphant with 133% goal participation.

Admissions Degree brought two new members, Ken Schultz and Tim Boesch. Please welcome them!

Pumpkin Sales was successful even with a warm October.

Pancake Breakfasts are doing well with great help from all!

Coats for Kids was successful with many, many coats delivered to those in need.

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 November Knight of the Month is Ron Blaha. Ron is always willing to step in when needed. Ron is a very intricate part of our pumpkin success. You will see him in the kitchen pitching in wherever help is needed, more than likely with his hands in the dish water. Ron also works on the building grounds crew and I'm sure there are many other positions that you see him involved in.

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Announcements

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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 at 763-498-3734.