



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**Queen of Peace Council #5296 - Elk River, MN – November 2020 Newsletter**

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

## Grand Knight’s Message

TBD

## Council Calendar of Upcoming Events

<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>	<u>January</u>
12 <sup>th</sup> – General & Officers Meeting	5 <sup>th</sup> – Council Christmas Potluck	10 <sup>th</sup> Nativity Take-Down
28 <sup>th</sup> – Nativity Set-up	10 <sup>th</sup> General & Officers Meeting	14 <sup>th</sup> General & Officers Meeting
*Christmas Card Sales after Masses*	24 <sup>th</sup> – Mass Parking	14 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> – Ice Fishing
	25 <sup>th</sup> – Mass Parking	

*\*There are other event originally scheduled that still can not take place due to COVID-19 regulations. Those will be added back into the calendar once the regulations allow us to do so.\**

## Completed Events

We have had a variety of members working on a variety of project over the last few months. If you would like to have something specific shared in the newsletter, please reach out to Keith.

## Upcoming Council Events

**Memorial Mass** – on November 1<sup>st</sup> at the 10:30am Mass. Blessing to follow after Mass.

**General and Officers Meeting** - on November 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm (6:30pm Rosary) at the Knights Garage.

**Nativity Set-Up** – on November 28th starting at 9am. Contact Doug Kraus for more information.

## 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 Rich Belanger directly at: 763-441-3598. **It’s never too late to take the next, final step on your journey to Knighthood.**

## Knight of the Month

Donald Walentiny Sr is this months Knight of the month, for his willingness to always step up and help with the gathering of pumpkins every year.

### Council Officers

<b>Chaplin</b>	Fr. Mark Innocenti	763-441-1483 x302
<b>Grand Knight</b>	SK DJ Walentiny	763-258-6616
<b>Deputy Grand Knight</b>	SK Ron Beckerleg	763-263-0701
<b>Chancellor</b>	Steve Krick	763-441-9199
<b>Recorder</b>	Clayton Talbot	763-647-0129
<b>Financial Secretary</b>	SK Loren Volk, PGK	763-263-1314
<b>Treasurer</b>	Tim Boerger, PGK	763-441-5333
<b>Lecture</b>	Clayton Talbot	763-647-0129
<b>Advocate</b>	Joe Weeks	612-532-4986
<b>Warden</b>	SK Mike Klingler	218-209-1345
<b>Inside Guard</b>	Dave Solars	763-258-4544
<b>Outside Guard</b>	George Klaers	763-441-8129
<b>Trustee 3-Year</b>	SK Doug Kraus, PGK	763-441-1783
<b>Trustee 2-Year</b>	SK Ray Dixon, DD, PGK	316-706-7751
<b>Trustee 1-Year</b>	SK John Ryder, PGK	763-355-9456
<b>District Deputy</b>	SK Ray Dixon, DD, PGK	316-706-7751
<b>Insurance Agent</b>	Keith Bistodeau	320-319-1905

### Council Website and Facebook Page

Search on Facebook for Elk River Queen of Peace Council – Knights of Columbus and “Like” our page for council updates.

[WWW.ELKRIVERKOFC.ORG](http://WWW.ELKRIVERKOFC.ORG)

**Announcements**

If you are currently not receiving emails or newsletter from the council please send your contact information to Keith Bistodeau at [keith.bistodeau@kofc.org](mailto:keith.bistodeau@kofc.org)

### **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.

### **Insurance Corner**

Within the last few weeks you should have received the fraternal survey from home office. This is an opportunity to connect with your field agent to discuss any financial needs you may have. The survey also functions as a key part of the Knights of Columbus keeping up to date with member information, which is a big help for our council. Please fill out and send those surveys back in as soon as you can.