



# Knightly News

CHARITY UNITY FRATERNITY PATRIOTISM

December 2022

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Council & Youth Director: Tom Westerman

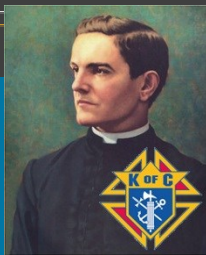
Family Director: Tom Ngnudo

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## Council Operations

Our December meeting is on the 19th, so be sure to put it on your schedule. Come by and see what we have lined up for 2023.

## Membership Meeting



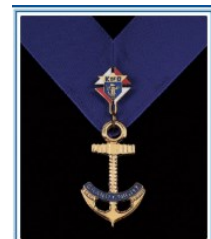
## Grand Knight Comments

The holiday season is upon us. I am hopeful that all of you had a wonderful Thanksgiving. As we look forward to Christmas, let us all remember to keep Christ in Christmas and remember that charity is one of the principles of the Knights. Let's continue to help and assist those in need while we await the birth of Jesus.

Vivat Jesus!

*John Williams*

Grand Knight



**From all the officers and directors,  
we wish you a very Merry Christmas.**



## Key Dates

### December

12/5 – Officer Planning Meeting

12/11 – Sunday Donuts

12/18 – Sunday Donuts

12/19 – Membership Meeting

### January

1/3 – Officer Planning Meeting

1/15 – Sunday Donuts

1/16 – Membership Meeting

1/22 – Sunday Donuts

1/29 – Corporate Communion

### February

2/7 – Officer Planning Meeting

2/12 – Sunday Donuts

2/19 – Sunday Donuts

2/20 – Membership Meeting

## RECOGNITION

November

**Knight of The Month**  
**Noble Zarape**

**Family of The Month**  
**Dan McKinney Family**

In November, two knights were recognized by Grand Knight, John Williams.



Rick Kupfer  
Knight of The Month -  
October 2022



Karl & Karen Osman  
Family of The Month -  
August 2022



## Catholic Facts

The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been celebrated on all seven (7) continents, including Antarctica. [1]

## Catholic Symbols

### Sign Of The Cross



The sign of the cross is a sacramental, a sacred sign instituted by the church which prepares a person to receive grace and which sanctifies a moment or circumstance.

[1] 23 Catholic Facts That Will Make You Look Even Smarter—Matt Vander Vennet



## Activity Updates

### **VETERANS DINNER**

On November 12th, the council was very proud to host the Annual Veteran's Dinner. Approximately 60 veterans and their family members attended. These included people from St. Paul's and St. John Paul II. A super Thank You to all who helped to cook and serve the dinner.



## Upcoming Activities & Events

### STREET CLEANUP

December 3rd will be another street cleanup. We have a crew already to hit the street, but additional help is always welcome.



### UPLIFT

The next scheduled date to assist the Uplift organization is January 14th. Contact Bill Schoep (913-222-4379) if you are interested in helping.



### COUNCIL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The date is set for our Christmas Party. January 21st. It will be held at The Bar Olathe, 14871 West 151st Street, Olathe, KS 66062.

Be on the lookout for a future e-mail with further details.



### 4th Degree News

#### St. Philippine Duchesne Assembly 2260

The next business meeting will be at Prince of Peace, Monday, December 12th, at 7:00 PM. Come and join us.

See the web site for the latest information and newsletter:  
[www.kofc2260assemble.org](http://www.kofc2260assemble.org)



Prince of Peace  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



**Knights of Columbus  
Kansas State Council**

<https://kansas-kofc.org>



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**Welcome to Knights of  
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Duchesne  
Assembly 2260**

[https://  
kofc2260assembly.org](https://kofc2260assembly.org)



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Catholic Saints A-Z

Popular Canonized Catholic Saints

DOCTORS OF THE CHURCH

<https://www.catholic.org/saints/doctors.php>

# Doctors of the Church

Catholic Online / Saints & Angels

This is a very special title accorded by the Church to certain saints. This title indicates that the writings and preaching's of such a person are useful to Christians "in any age of the Church." Such men and women are also particularly known for the depth of understanding and the orthodoxy of their theological teachings. While the writings of the Doctors are often considered inspired by the Holy Spirit; this does not mean they are infallible, but it does mean that they contributed significantly to the formulation of Christian teaching in at least one area.



Name	Day
Charles Hirth	1
David Greving	4
Damian Kiesling	6
Glen Zieha	10
Mark Brinkman	11
Bob Lockwood	11
Dean McAtee	11
Steve Smith	11
Kevin Heiman	12
Donald Setter	13
Dennis O Grady	14
Travis Goff	16
Justin Tran	16
Nelson Kurian	19
Ben Hampton	23
Jose Rodriguez	23
Walter Stivers	24
David Tout	24
Scott Dunwiddie	25
Alan Marstall	26
Eric Pickert	27
Ethan Koch	28
Steve Cunningham	30
Stephen Hiltibidal	31

# December 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3  Street Cleanup
4	5  Officers Planning Meeting	6	7	8	9	10
11  Sunday Donuts	12	13	14	15	16	17
18  Sunday Donuts	19  Membership Meeting	20	21	22	23	24
25  Merry Christmas Christ is born	26	27	28	29	30	31  NEW YEAR'S EVE

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