



Knightly News

CHARITY UNITY FRATERNITY PATRIOTISM

February 2022

Officers & Directors

Chaplin: Father Greg Hammes

Grand Knight: John Thielen

Deputy Grand Knight: John Williams

Chancellor: Tim Walker

Financial Secretary: Jeff Bartz

Recorder: Tom Farmer

Treasurer: Rob Ragusin

Advocate: Oscar Horn

Warden: Bill Schoep

Inside Guard: John Kimmi

Outside Guard: Andrew Boehm

Lector: Travis Goff

First Year Trustee: Dave Mulhall

Second Year Trustee: Alfredo Diaz

Third Year Trustee: Trevor Benefield

Program Director: John Williams

Membership Director: Vacant

Faith Director: Tom Keegan

Community Directors: Mark Brinkman, Bill Schoep, Oscar Horn

Life Director: Troy Mills

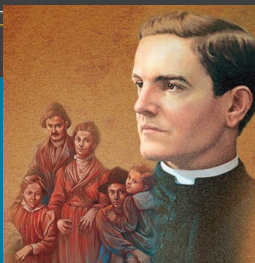
Council & Youth Director: Tom Westerman

Family Director: Tom Ngnudo

Newsletter: Rich Pawlowicz

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Knights of Columbus Council 7909

Prince of Peace Community

PO Box 2577, Olathe KS 66063

Council Operations

Membership Meeting

Brothers, our next membership meeting is on February 21st. Come and join us for some good catholic fellowship.

(As always, if you can't get to the meeting, you can attend via video conference.)



Links for the video conference will be sent out in an e-mail each month.

JANUARY RECOGNITION

**Knight of The Month
Dennis Meehan**

**Family of The Month:
Jerry Schaefer Family**

MORE JANUARY RECOGNITION

At the January meeting, once again, Grand Knight Jon Thielen was able to recognize a couple of our brother knights.



Travis Goff Family
2021 Family of The Year



Fred Kroos Family
Family of The Month—December

Need an Exemplification Team

The council is still looking to put together an exemplification team to induct new candidates into the order. If you might be interested in becoming a degree team member, please contact any officer.



Key Dates

February

2/7 – Officer Planning Meeting

2/12 – Fire Retreat

2/13 – Sunday Donuts

2/20 – Villa Breakfast

2/21 – Membership Meeting

March

3/4 – Fish Fry

3/5 – Street Cleanup

3/7 – Officer Planning Meeting

3/11 – Fish Fry

3/13 – Sunday Donuts

3/18 – Fish Fry

3/20 – Sunday Donuts

3/21 – Membership Meeting

3/25 – Fish Fry

April

4/1 – Fish Fry

4/4 – Officer Planning Meeting

4/8 – Fish Fry

4/10 – Sunday Donuts

4/17 – Sunday Donuts

4/18 – Membership Meeting

Activity Updates

STREET CLEANUP

January 8th.

Once again council members lent a helping hand to the Uplift organization. Thanks for volunteering.



Left to Right: Tom McGranaghan, Trevor Benefield, Richard Eberhardt, and Mark Brinkman.

FREE THROW CONTEST

January 22nd

The council hosted the Free Throw Contest for Prince of Peace, John Paul II, and St. Paul. Knights from each council helped to run the event.



(Winners. Sorry names not available.)



Catholic Facts

The United States has more Catholic colleges and universities than any other country: 213. [1]

Catholic Symbols



In the book of revelation 22:13, Christ refers to himself as the alpha and the omega. That is, the first and the last. These two letters symbolize the fact that Christ is the beginning and the end of all creation. [2]

[1] Culturalcatholic.com

[2] List of Catholic Symbols and meaning. MM DEL ROSARIO

Activity Updates (continued)

CHRISTMAS PARTY

On January 29th, we held our annual "Christmas/ Year End Awards Party". Good food, good friends and a chance to recognize all the hard work our officers and directors put in throughout the year. Here are some Happy Moments.



Presenting check to Trailblazers



John Williams



Tom Farmer



Jeff Bartz



Happy Partiers

Activity Updates (continued)

CHRISTMAS PARTY

January 29th.



Fr. Greg



Goff Family—Family of The Year



Oscar Horn



Past Grand Knight—Trevor Benefield



Some more happy partiers



Grand Knight Jonathan Thielen
and his lovely wife Michelle.

Upcoming Activities & Events

SUNDAY DONUTS CONTINUES

February 13th will be our next date to serve Coffee & Donuts to the parish. Come on down and give us a hand.



LOGO WARE

Brothers, we are taking orders for 7909 polo shirts, hats and aprons. The order form can be found on our website: kofc7909.org

(Order by February 28th.)



VIRTUS

If you know you have not done any training and expect to help out when kids are involved please go to the KofC 7909 Website and click on the Virtus Training to get registered. If you know you have done a training in the past, let the Grand Knight or Tom Keegan at tkeegan1525@yahoo.com know and we will verify with the office and get back to you. If training is needed. Preregistration information is also available



FISH FRY

Get ready. Lent starts on March 2nd. You know what that means.....for the next 6 Fridays our cooking crews get to provide the parish with our Delicious Lenten Fish Frys. Many hands are needed, so be on the lookout for signup emails.



4th Degree News

St. Philippine Duchesne Assembly 2260

The next business meeting will be at St. Paul, Monday, February 14th, at 7:00 PM. Rosary starts at 6:30 pm. Come and join us.

See the web site for the latest information and newsletter:
www.kofc2260assemble.org



Prince of Peace
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ARCHBISHOP'S CALL TO SHARE 2022
Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas

<http://kansas-kofc.org/>



Knights of Columbus
Kansas State Council

<http://kofc.org>



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<https://kofc2260assembly.org>

Welcome to Knights of
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Name	Day
Chad Bowles	2
Gene Finnigan	2
William Fomban	2
Mark Reichuber	2
Gary Linton	3
Michael Crevoiserat	4
Larry Drbal	5
John Conner	6
Mark Schuetz	6
Larry Sieve	6
Richard Eberhardt	7
Roger Hansen	7
Bradley Killeen	7
Jim Milazzo	7
Beau Barnthson	8
Justin Reuter	9
Carl Villagomez	10
Andy Wurtenberger	12
Fred Kupfer	13
Jon Hjelmaas	14
Marcel Montreuil	16
Jared Thomason	19
John Goodack	20
Paul Matlack	20
Kevin Rottinghaus	21
Byran Caudillo	23
Clarence Cheshire	23
Pete Flood	24
Andrew Heim	24
Patrick Splichal	24
Al Berding	25
Brian Dunn	25
Ronald Orscheln	25
Philip Kaminski	27
Aaron Lupo	29

Event Calendar

February 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Officers Planning Meeting	8	9	10 VIRTUS SESSION <small>IN-PERSON THURSDAY, FEB. 10 1:00-2:00 PM PRINCE OF PEACE MARIAN ROOM</small>		12  Fire Retreat
13  Sunday Donuts	14	15	16	17	18	19
20  Villa Breakfast	21 Membership Meeting	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

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