

**Highland
Council
1580**

Knight Times



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Upcoming Events

Blood Drive
June 10 2 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner
June 26

Madison County Fair Food Stand
July 26 - July 31

Intellectual Disability Day
July 27

Bingo
Every Wednesday

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE: JUNE 2022

Greetings to all my Brother Knights and families. Summer is here and we have a couple events scheduled for June. A scheduled blood drive will be held at the KC Hall on June 10th from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. We are having a Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner on June 26th. We will be serving car side 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Please spread the word, volunteer to help and plan to come get a delicious dinner for your family.

We are in the planning stage of our Madison County Fair food stand, Tuesday July 26th

through Sunday July 31st. We will be hosting the Intellectual Disability Day on Wednesday July 27th, as we have in past years. This is an outstanding event! If you are available to participate please volunteer to work a shift to help sell sandwiches, fries and drinks.

In August we will be serving our church, by participating in the 50th year of the Kirchenfest! We will be frying chicken, fish, fries and onion rings, which will be served at the chicken and fish stand. We have given a donation in sup-

port of the Strassenlauf and have committed to provide crossing guards to protect the participating runners.

I implore all of my Brother Knights to volunteer and help at least one of these events. Volunteers have been a difficult situation through my years of being a Grand Knight. It seems that we always depend on the same group of Knights to get us through our events. May God bless all of these Brothers who help time and time again! Please ask yourself if you could spare just a few hours to help at one of our events and call to volunteer! As I stated in my last message, Jesus showed us by his example that we are to serve one another. This is why we became Knights!

In closing let us remember in our prayers; the unborn, those who are sick, those who are terminally ill, and those who have passed away! May God show his loving mercy unto them!

Peace be with You!
Wayne O. Henze



KNIGHT OF THE MONTH: Dennis Weber (left) is presented the Knight of the Month Award by Chancellor Jacob Rose.

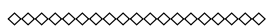
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SENIOR KNIGHT OF THE MONTH, KNIGHT OF THE MONTH, AND FAMILY OF THE MONTH AWARDS

SENIOR KNIGHT OF THE MONTH:

Our Brother Knight has been a Knight for 39 years. He has been a Bingo caller for many years on every Wednesday night at the KC hall. He participates in the Intellectual Disabilities Tootsie Roll drive collecting at the Rt. 4 & Rt. 143 intersection. He works the kitchen at many of the drive-thru and in-house dinners. It is with great appreciation that we honor as Senior Knight of the Month for May of 2022, Jerry Weber! Congrat-

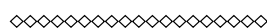
ulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus Council #1580!



KNIGHT OF THE MONTH:

Our Brother Knight joined our Council last September. He is a member of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Marine. He is also the president of the Marine Historical Society. He has participated in our recent successful Drive-Thru Fish Fries waiting on customers at their cars. He has volunteered to

be a part of our bingo crew on Wednesday nights. It is with great appreciation that we honor as Knight of the Month for May 2022, our Brother Knight Dennis Weber! Congratulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus Council #1580!



FAMILY OF THE MONTH:

Our Brother Knight is a member of the Knights of Columbus Council in Beaumont, Texas. His family moved to our community for his Lady to become

Principal at St. Paul Catholic School. He has been very busy with the ground work of the expansion of St. Paul Catholic Church. As described by another Knight he is a "landscaper extraordinaire". Together their contributions to St. Paul Church and School have been immeasurable. It is with great appreciation that we honor Ray and Haidee Todora! Congratulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus Council #1580!



COLUMBUS CLUB: TONY HEMANN, PRESIDENT

Hello all,

Repeating this again, we have set up with the Council a pass-thru account with Highland Community Foundation --- this is great for anyone who wants to make a tax-deductible contribution, or get matching funds from an employer perhaps in order to improve our facilities - inside or out. I will also highlight that we also have a committee to make some of the outside improvements.

The ball games are in full "swing" (no pun intended) out on the fields -- when it isn't raining.

Meanwhile, the hall is pretty quiet right now. The chandelier has been taken down and put in storage and a "disco" ball installed in its place.

Please check it out next time you are there and give feedback to our hall managers about this or any other ideas which you

think might help our facilities.

Ball field advertising available. We get the signs produced by Foppe Visual Communications and here are the prices:

4x8 foot sign - \$500 for 1 "ball year"; \$300 per year after

4x4 foot sign - \$400 for 1 year; \$250 per year after

It is expected that the banners will last up to 3 years before requiring replacement.

If you or anyone you know wants to advertise on the ball-field fences you can contact me or Craig Wieseman (at (618) 447-3975) for details.

As I type this (on 20 May), Bob Buehne and Dave Rakers have started repainting the playground equipment, and have 50 ton of gravel on piles in the gravel parking area.

The painting has work remaining, and the gravel should be worked in and spread to repair the many potholes next

week.

Also, we incurred a bit damage to the pavilion roof during the high winds last night. We have already turned in a claim to insurance and have an estimate for repairs.

Kevin Quitmeyer inspected it and will have a crew putting a tarp over it to minimize further damages in the meantime.

Please contact me or Mike Spies if you have improvement ideas or you can lend a hand in the outdoor area (playground, ballfield, or pavilions)

-- I am at (618) 410-2526 or Mike Spies: at (618) 444-3483

Here's the rental prices again: Meeting Room Rental:

F-S-S: \$150, \$125 for members

M-Th: \$100, \$85 for members

Ball Room Rental: Saturdays: \$2500, \$2000 for members(2022)

Friday or Sunday: \$1500, \$1250 for members

Monday - Thursday: Negotiable

Ball Room rentals will increase to \$3000 in 2023.

Pavilion Rental: Any day (when available): \$65, Free for members

Ballfields - Call to discuss Contact Mike Spies: (618) 444-3483 for availability regarding Pavilion and/or Ballfields

There is a ball tournament scheduled for 18 - 19 Jun. These are typically big fundraising opportunities - selling both food and drink.

Please let me know or sign up in the hall if you can come out -- we need folks working shifts all times of the day, and into the night.

Thanks, all the best and God Bless,
Tony

LADIES AUXILIARY NEWS: KATHY LOHMAN, SECRETARY

The month of June hosts a couple important events. A religious event is Pentecost and a secular event is Father's Day. The Feast of Pentecost of course celebrates when the Holy Spirit descended upon the disciples of Jesus after His Ascension and is celebrated on the seventh Sunday after Easter; this year falling on June 5th. The Greek and Hebrew words for "spirit" also mean "breath" or "wind". We cannot see breath or the wind because they are both invisible; however, they are both powerful because they are dynamic forces and are full of life and energy. We may experience the Spirit moving within us and within the world with tremendous force, such as the force of hurricane winds. Other times we may expe-

rience the Spirit moving more gently and almost unnoticeably as a gentle breeze. But the Spirit does move within us with little nudges, like little whispers into our minds. And if we don't pay heed to the first nudge, He will nudge again! The Spirit, although invisible, is powerful and always present with us. However, we can close the doors and windows of our hearts and minds to keep Him out. It is our choice. Instead, let us allow ourselves to be guided by the very breath of God!

Happy Father's Day on June 19th to all those men who are blessed to have this honor. Let us pray for them and thank them for all the things they have taught us. Maybe they coached a team, led a Boy Scout troop, ran alongside a bicy-

cle guiding and supporting a new rider, sat in the passenger seat teaching a new driver, taught about love and service of others, led by an example to forgive and build relationships, taught about God and how to pray and communicate with Him. May they continue to teach God's way of living and teach children and grandchildren how to be loving, caring, patient and compassionate, planting and nurturing seeds of faith, hope, trust and love in our Lord.

The auxiliary recently held a Baby Shower for Relevant Pregnancy Options Center, collecting baby items and monetary gifts for the center and its clients. Officer elections for the term beginning July 1st will be held at the June meeting. Schol-

arships were presented in May to two St. Paul Parish 8th grade graduates who will be attending Mater Dei and Fr. McGivney Catholic High Schools. Our next meeting is June 7th at 7:00 pm at the KC Hall. Would love to see you there!



NEWS FROM THE FOURTH DEGREE

The Assembly 231 Honor Guard served at two separate Masses over the weekend of May 14th and 15th. On Saturday May 14th they served at the Confirmation/First Holy Communion Mass held in Pierron at Immaculate Conception Church, and on May 15th to celebrate the 150 Year Anniversary Jubilee Mass at St. Gertrude Parish in Grantfork. His Excellency Bishop Paprocki was on hand to administer the sacraments and celebrate Mass at both locations. Many thanks to Ed Campbell, Jim Hickman, and Paul Finkes for joining me at these events. There are only two remaining exemptions scheduled for the southern district. On Saturday June 4th, in Petersburg, and on Sunday June 26th in Galesburg. If there are any third-degree members looking to join the Patriotic 4th Degree, please contact me at the phone number listed below for additional details.

There has been a change in the date of the upcoming Assembly 231 Golf Tournament at Timber Lakes. The new date is Sunday, August 14th. Please save this date and make plans to attend. This golf tournament is our major fundraiser for the Assembly. Details and a flyer are forthcoming soon. Also, Sir Knights attending our future meetings may wish to participate in our monthly Q of H raffle drawing. Proceeds from the raffle benefit honor guard and chalice initiatives. Assembly 231 election of officers will be held on Monday, June 6th. Slated Officers are as follows: Faithful Friar appointed by Faithful Navigator, Faithful Navigator Joe Wetmore, Faithful Captain John Genteman, Faithful Pilot Joe Whalen, Faithful Admiral Ed Campbell, Faithful Comptroller Dave Gall, Faithful Pursuer Derek Burns, Faithful Scribe Lowell Wellen, Inner Sentinel Brian Comish. Out-

er Sentinel Terry Forbes, One Year Trustee Jerry Genteman, Two Year Trustee Jim Hickman, Three Year Trustee Tony Hemann.

To be a "Sir Knight" is more than just a title. It is an honor.

Vivat Jesus!
Joe Wetmore, Faithful Navigator
(618) 803-8362



OUR CONDOLENCES

To the family of Brother Knight Kenneth Kampwerth.

To the family of Brother Knight Jerry Frey.

To the family of Linda Zobrist, wife of Brother Knight Morris Zobrist.

To the family of Ronald Rutz, brother of Brother Knight Don Rutz.

To the family of Mildred Weidner, wife of deceased Brother Knight Raymond Weidner, and mother-in-law of Brother Knights Ruscoe Ammann and Kim White.



AWARDS AND GUESTS AT MAY MEETING, FOURTH DEGREE PICTURES



DEREK BURNS gave a presentation to his fellow Brother Knights about making a Cursillo.

Photo by Jacob Rose



SENIOR KNIGHT OF THE MONTH was presented to Brother Knight Jerry Weber (left) by Warden John Kapp.

Photo by Jacob Rose



BILL CHASSE, Director of Regional Growth, of the Knights of Columbus Supreme Council stopped in to talk and listen as part of his listening tour.

Photo by Jacob Rose



FOURTH DEGREE: Sir Knights Ed Campbell and Jim Hickam made an appearance at St. Gertrude Church's 150th Jubilee on May 15th.

Photo by Debby Shwarz



Highland Knights of Columbus Council 1580 June 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Bingo Doors Open 5:00 PM Games Start 7:00 PM Euchre 7:00 PM	2	3	4 Wedding
5 KC Council Exemplification Ceremony After 10:00 AM Mass at St. Paul Church, Highland	6 7:00 PM Fourth Degree	7 7:00 PM Ladies Auxiliary 7:00 PM Council Officers 8:00 PM Columbus Club	8 Bingo Doors Open 5:00 PM Games Start 7:00 PM Euchre 7:00 PM	9	10 KC Blood Drive 2 PM - 6 PM Please Register Online Blood Center.org	11
12	13 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	14 Flag Day 7:00 PM Council Meeting	15 Bingo Doors Open 5:00 PM Games Start 7:00 PM Euchre 7:00 PM	16	17	18 Private Event
19 Father's Day	20	21 Start of Summer (Summer Solstice)	22 Bingo Doors Open 5:00 PM Games Start 7:00 PM Euchre 7:00 PM	23	24	25
26 Drive Thru KC Chicken Dinner 11 AM - 2 PM	27 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	28	29 Bingo Doors Open 5:00 PM Games Start 7:00 PM Euchre 7:00 PM	30	 Knights of Columbus INSURANCE YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE Landon Schroeder, FIC (618) 402-2815	

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES: JUNE 2022

BIRTHDAYS

01 - Andrew Hemker
 02 - Darren Spengel
 02 - Mary Jane Fornelli
 02 - Tammi Korte
 03 - Beth Hemann
 03 - David Gall
 03 - Larry Siverly
 04 - Daniel Delaney
 04 - Jerry Vosholler
 04 - Mildred Aleman
 04 - Timothy Lucia
 05 - Jessica Driemeyer
 05 - Kevin Buchmiller
 06 - David Rakers
 06 - David Timmermann
 06 - John Geismann
 06 - Marilyn Bloemker
 06 - Mary Bergman
 06 - Mary Lou Wessel
 06 - Patricia Klaus
 08 - Bruce Bellm
 09 - Stephen Waller
 10 - Gerald Steinkoenig
 10 - Rita Gustin
 10 - Scott Thole
 11 - Marshall Todd
 13 - Bradley White

13 - Marcia Donini
 14 - Chad Wernle
 14 - Cheryl Haselhorst
 14 - Chris Wernle
 14 - Collette Loyet
 14 - Pat White
 15 - Anthony Meyer
 15 - Brad Vogelbacher
 15 - Keith Frank
 15 - Susan Tebbe
 15 - Thomas Melosi
 16 - Jeff Foehner
 16 - Rev Richard Potthast
 16 - Wayne Holzinger
 17 - Brian Hickey
 17 - Dana Marks
 17 - Karen Whaley
 17 - Michael Nuxoll
 17 - Phil Krydinski
 18 - Bradley Steinkoenig
 18 - Spencer Huck
 19 - Gerard Klostermann
 19 - Thomas Korte
 20 - Carol Frey
 20 - Clarence Potthast Jr.
 20 - Gregory Walter
 21 - Charles Seitz

21 - Vincent Eversgerd
 22 - Arthur Warnecke
 22 - Diane Krydinski
 22 - Gary Plog
 22 - Jeff Jacober
 22 - Jerry Genteman
 22 - John De Selm
 22 - Timothy Vincent
 23 - Jane Thole
 23 - Patricia Murphy
 24 - Daniel Gramlich
 25 - Anthony Budde
 25 - Laurie Poss
 25 - Lucille Rutz
 25 - Marilyn Drda
 25 - Todd Luitjohan
 26 - Jeffrey Smart
 27 - Henry Shannon
 27 - Laurie Todd
 28 - Mary Hook
 28 - Samuel Aleman
 29 - Deborah Lenger
 29 - Mary Jo Kampwerth
 29 - Peter Tucker
 30 - Anthony Wayne Sinnock
 30 - Jerry Weber
 30 - Keith Korte
 30 - William Niebrugge

ANNIVERSARIES

01 - Charles & Denise Peters
 01 - Martin & Kyle Klostermann
 01 - Michael & Patricia Noe
 02 - Wayne & Betty Henze
 03 - David & Carol Rakers
 03 - Kurt & Sharon Schriewer
 04 - William & Dianne Twyford
 05 - James & Vicki Warnecke
 07 - Francis & Carol Robben
 07 - Michael & Bonnie Capelle
 09 - Joe & Angela Wetmore
 10 - Chad & Courtney Klostermann
 10 - Joseph & Staci LaPorta
 11 - Brad & Julie Jakel
 11 - Jason & Terri Boeser
 12 - Stanley & Mary Lou Wessel
 14 - Michael & Collette Loyet
 14 - Thomas & Bonnie Hill
 16 - Robert & Mary Daiber
 17 - Lee & Angie Rinderer
 17 - Mark & Kristin Korte
 17 - Terry & Jeanette Zobrist
 17 - Thomas & Karen Melosi
 17 - Vincent & Janet Eversgerd

18 - Keith & Brenda Korte
 18 - William & Margaret Basler
 19 - Frederick & Marcia Donini
 19 - Melvin & Jeanette Long
 20 - Alfonso & Mistie Urdaneta
 20 - Kevin & Jacqueline Goring
 20 - Michael & Lori Baumgartner
 20 - Steven & Linda Rezabek
 22 - Dominic & Mary Jane Fornelli
 22 - Thomas & Jo Ann Foppe
 23 - Edward & Susanne Campbell
 23 - Kerry & Jody Becker
 23 - Tim & Beth Eller
 24 - James & Dorothy Kampwerth
 25 - Aaron & Erin Hopfinger
 27 - James & Betty Voss
 27 - Shanon & Dawn Autry
 28 - John & Jean De Selm
 28 - Stephen Durbin & Judy Keeven
 28 - Terrence & Judith Zeisset
 29 - Joseph & Mary Hook
 30 - James & Elaine Thurnau
 30 - Raymond & Pat Korte



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31 Madison County Fair	Notes:	Madison County Fair	Madison County Fair	Madison County Fair	Madison County Fair	Madison County Fair
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FROM THE EDITORS

Summer is finally here this month! We can finally put away the sweaters and the coats, and enjoy wearing sandals instead of boots. We can take trips to the beach, spend time with family and friends at a barbecue, or spend more time with the kids now that school is out for the summer.

Summer was always one of my favorite times of year growing up. I spent much of it walking to the library with my mom and sister, riding our bikes to the square, and going to summer events like the County Fair or Kirchenfest.

Speaking of summer fun, as Grand Knight Wayne Henze noted in his message, there will be plenty of opportunities this summer to volunteer at events! Please contact a fellow Knight for additional details and dates!

Now for some notes! We are

mostly an email newsletter now, so please let us know if you would rather receive the email version as opposed to the print.

If your email is currently on our mailing list, but you have not received the email newsletter, check your spam folder, sometimes it likes to hide out there.

For those that like having the print edition or do not have an email address, no worries! We will be mailing print editions to you and will also have a limited number of copies available at the KC Hall.

If you haven't already, go on over to @HighlandKnightsOfColumbusCouncil1580 at Facebook.com and give us a like and a follow! We're doing some fun things over there such as live-streams of various events, articles from our

newsletter, and notices about our events or contributions to our community. It's a fun time over there!

The Ladies Auxiliary have a Facebook page as well. Go give them a like and follow if you haven't already. They can be found @LadiesAuxiliary-Council1580, Highland KnightsOfColumbus

As usual, if you have a change of address or email, please contact the council to update their records. The council is charged for postage when the newsletter is sent back.

Please do not hesitate to email me with any questions or concerns or even ideas for articles. You can email me at editor.knighttimes@gmail.com. Our Facebook page is also a great new line of

communication. We're usually pretty quick to respond! And as always, the council's website is a fantastic source for additional information. Please check it out at www.highlandkc.org.

Thank you for always reading!

