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Memorial Mass Set To Remember Our Deceased Brother Knights

The annual Memorial Mass will be held Tuesday, November

28 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The Memorial Mass is offered for the souls of deceased Knights of Columbus. Prior to Mass, a ceremony is conducted to honor the deceased knights. Grand Knight,



Jerry Klostermann, will read from the Order's necrology, as the Knights and their families assemble to pray for the members who died within the last year. Please help remember the deceased brothers who have assisted in making #1580 a great council.

Brother Knights who are to be remember are:

1. Nelson H. "Nellie" Kapp	December 13, 2016
2. Robert J. "Bob" Boyer	December 20, 2016
3. Don L. Tschannen, Sr.	January 13, 2017
4. John L. Gantner	January 21, 2017
5. Herbert B. Korte	January 22, 2017
6. Warren N. Walter	February2,2017
7. William J. Aschbacher	March 31, 2017
8. Norman C. Hasenstab	June 30, 2017
9. Burnell J. Petry	July 5, 2017
10. George W. Korte	August 8, 2017
11. Paul R. Frey	September 3, 2017
12. Robert L. Davis	September 3, 2017
13. Ferdinand "Ferd" H. Rehkemper	October 3, 2017
14. Donald A. Lalumondier	October 13,2017





Grand Knight Gerry Klostermann, Council #1580, center, awards a \$1500 check to Tricia Blasdel, Executive Director of Relevant Pregnancy Options Center, Oct. 15. Leon Luber, right, pro life representative and KC member was also on hand for the dedication of the new building. Rev. Scott Snider of Immaculate Conception, along with other members of the clergy in the community gave the opening prayers. After a ribbon cutting, city officials and community members toured the new facility.

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Rev. Richard Potthast accepts a \$500 check from Grand Knight Gerry Klostermann, Highland KC Council #1580 at the October meeting. The Council has supported Father Potthast's missionary work in Africa for many years.



Rev. Richard Potthast pulls the winning ticket for the gun raffle at the Highland KC Council #1580 at the October meeting. The gun raffle has been very successful in funding the charitable activities of the council.

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Family of the Month

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The Family-of-the-Month for October is selected for their commitment to continual service and support to the Church, our Council and to our Community.

This Brother Knight and his Lady have been involved in many activities of the St Paul Catholic Church Parish and most definitely the Council and the Columbus Club. He and his Lady have just this past week come out of retirement to handle the hall manager's job while the senior hall manager took a well-deserved vacation. The pair has been involved in all the past fund-raisers, many of the Council functions and dinner projects.

It is with deep appreciation that we have selected Butch & Aggie Wellen as the Family of the Month for October, 2017.

Congratulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus, Council 1580.

Knight of the Month

We have selected as our October Knight-of-the-Month a Brother Knight for his continual service and support to the Church, our Council and to our Community.

Our brother Knight is a kind and thoughtful individual who enjoys working with the youth in our community and took the leadership for the Soccer Challenge. He worked that entire project nearly single-handedly and provided an opportunity for the younger groups to display their skill on the field.

It is with great appreciation that we honor as the Knight of the Month for October, 2017, our brother Knight, Chris Durbin.

Congratulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus, Council 1580

Senior Knight of The Month

VFW and its functions.

It is with great appreciation that we honor as the Senior Knight of the Month for October, 2017, our brother senior

Knight, Francis "Dutch" Jancek. Congratulations from Council 1580, Highland Knights of Columbus.

Kathy Lohman

, xiliary Secretary

Ladies Auxiliary News

Don't you just hate waiting?

Waiting for a table in a restaurant, waiting in

the doctor's office, waiting in the checkout line? How about waiting for your prayers to be answered?

Sometimes we get frustrated when we've been praying for something for a very long time and still don't see the answer.

A friend likes to say that God answers

prayers in one of three ways: 1) Yes, 2) Not now, 3) I have something better in store for you.

Sometimes what we may think we want is not the best answer. God's answer is the better and best one.

Sometimes the best thing God can do for us is NOT answer our prayers the way we want. It's not always easy to trust in God's way and in His timing but that is what we are called to do.

Pray and then let it in His hands but keep your eyes open so you will be aware of when and how He is answering your prayer ... it may not be in the way you are expecting and it may not be immediate.

In fact, you may not see the answer in your lifetime at all but trust that God will answer your prayer because He loves you. He is our Father and like any parent he wants what is best for us.

You will be receiving an invitation to the annual auxiliary Christmas Party for December 5.

Please RSVP if you plan to attend. We would love to see you. One of the fundraisers of the auxiliary is to sell desserts at the Wednesday night bingos. You will receive a phone call as a reminder when it is your turn. We're counting on you!

Our next meeting is November 7 at 7 p.m. at the KC Hall. See you there and have a blessed Thanksgiving!



GUN RAFFLE WINNERS 1) April Ben Geisman 2) May Joe Wetmore 3) June Henry Wright 4) July Brain Weis Brad Alhgren 5) August

6) September Doug Tabbert 7) October Steve Ritche Two Quarterly Winners 1) April Francis Foster Darryl Grapperhaus 2) July Congratulations to the winners so far!

Disability Awareness Drive (Tootsie Roll Report)

Goal of \$10,866.01 Collected to date \$10,723.70 Short of our Goal \$142.31 Short report **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

November Birthdays

- 1 Dennis Dubach
- 1 Shirley (Dale) Wellen
- 2 Troy Vosholler
- 3 Sheila (Bret) Gruender
- 3 Stephen Kerchner
- 4 Donna (Mark) Goestenkors
- 4 Melvin Potthast
- 5 Tim Warnecke
- 6 Philip Decker
- 6 Joshua Doll
- 6 Mark Goestenkors
- 6 Steve Kessmann
- 6 Thomas Spengel
- 6 Denise (Bill) Trickey
- 7 Pete Feldmann
- 7 Ely Hadowsky
- 8 Donald Frank
- 8 Lawrence Rensing
- 9 Joseph Hemann
- 9 Sharon (Philip) Klostermann
- 10 Robert Daiber
- 10 Joe Horstmann
- 10 Ralph Korte
- 10 Darrel Newman
- 10 Janet (Lee) Voss
- 10 Kent Zobrist
- 11 Bonnie (Michael) Capelle
- 11 Michelle (Joe) Dant
- 11 Thomas Geiger
- 11 Lori (Timothy) Lucia
- 11 Harold Schwarz
- 12 Daniel Stack
- 12 Dolores (Paul) Talleur
- 12 Jean (Randy) Von Hatten
- 12 Stanley Wilke
- 13 Anthony Hemann
- 13 Diane (Arthur) Schulte
- 14 Scott Abbott
- 15 Paul Dunker
- 15 Sandy (Tom) Giger

- 15 Cecilia Tebbe
- 13 Lowell & Denise Wellen 14 - Robert & Karen Daiber
- 11 Marvin & Constance Grapperhaus

13 - Joe & Michelle Dant

11 - Kevin & Louise Hemann

12 - James & Carol Klostermann

- 11 Patrick & Christina Maguire 12 - Craig & Julie Frydrych
- 15 Carol (Leo) Landmann
- 15 Michael Peters Sr

25 - Gayle (Ronald) Thole 26 - Andrea (Braden) Henze

25 - Judy Brauns

25 - Terry Lammers

- 26 Diane (Russell) Kloss
- 27 Barbara (John) Barr
- 27 Karen (Robert) Daiber
- 27 Tina (Eugene) Huck
- 27 Nancy (Michael) Peters Sr
- 28 William Nettles
- 28 Susanna (Dale) Rommerskirchen
- 29 Ronald Clarkin
- 29 Candice (Marshall) Todt
- 30 Rosalie Aschbacher 30 - Barbara (Jerry) Sugg

Happy Belated

October Anniversary

November Anniversaries

2 - Michael & Kerri Spies

1 - Braden & Andrea Henze

2 - Brad & Janet Vogelbacher

3 - Todd & Sabrina Luitjohan

4 - Robert & Pamela Benda

4 - Robert & Jody Melosi

4 - Lee & Patricia Trame

5 - Leonard & Mary Jane

8 - Neal & Sarah Tebbe

9 - Carl & Helen Lammers

10 - Brian & Kristen Hickey

10 - Daniel & Laura Levad

Landmann

3 - Kevin & Susie Dewaele

Don & Lucille Rutz

We have selected as our October Senior Knight of the Month a brother Knight who continually contributes his time and talents to the Community, the Church and the Knights of Columbus.

Our brother Knight has been a long time member of the Highland Knights of Columbus Council over the past 17 years. He has been a worker at numerous KC bingos. His participation in the Special Bingos is welcomed and inspiring for all the workers at the bi-annual event. He is known as a member and fierce supporter of the

Friday Street Collection	\$4,204.95
Saturday Street Collection	\$2,837.24
Business Donation	\$1,945.00
Local Churches	\$291.19
Individuals & Misc	\$1,190.20
Cannister Collection	\$245.53
There are still 2 weeks of c	cannisters colle

everyone for your help and support.

Ladies Auxiliary Announces Raffle Winners

The Highland Knights of Columbus held their annual Pork Sausage Dinner, Sunday and the Ladies Auxiliary has announced the winners of the raffle. They are: Quilt: Mary Jacober of Highland, Kitchen Basket: Betty Svoboda of Edwardsville, Religious Basket: Maureen Napper of Highland and the Bath Basket: Leatha Apken of Highland.

16 - Kenneth Kapp 16 - Kay (Larry) Keilbach 18 - Michael Hustedde 19 - Matthew Basler 20 - Helen (Carl) Lammers 20 - Teresa (Donald) Mc Call ections. "Thanks" to for 20 - Sam Schwarztrauber 20 - Margaret (David) Timmermann 21 - Francis Ratermann 21 - Gary Weis 22 - Jody (Kerry) Becker 22 - Kevin Connelly 22 - Lynn (Matthew) Dermody 23 - Frederick Donini 23 - Ann (Edwin) Plocher 23 - Stephen Prusa 23 - Richard Ringwald 24 - Jacqueline (Kevin) Goring 24 - Larry Keilbach

14 - Bob & Donna Rapp 14 - Raymond & Bernadette Voss 15 - Jay & Carla Wildhaber 17 - Jerome & Dineen Czar Jr 17 - Keith & Laurie Poss 19 - Jeremy & Jennifer Hilling 20 - R & Janice Ann Vogt 21 - Robert & Marilyn Drda 21 - Scott & Debra Wick 22 - Ty & Jamie Renko 25 - John & Peggy Elliott 25 - Steve & Jean Gall 25 - Paul & Kathleen Grapperhaus 26 - David & Laura Michael 27 - Paul & Joyce Musenbrock 27 - Don & Rosemarie Tschannen Jr 27 - Morris & Linda Zobrist 28 - Daniel & Nancy Gramlich 28 - Jerry & Barbara Sugg

- 30 Marvin & Connie Potthast

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OUR CONDOLENCES

To Mary Rehkemper on the loss of her husband, Brother Sir Knight Ferdinand H. "Ferdi" Rehkemper

To the Frisse Family and relations on the loss of Elaine R. Frisse, wife of deceased Brother Edwin Frisse

To Harriet Lalumondier on the loss of her husband, Brother Donald A Lalumondier

Hats OFF



To Brother Knight Chris Durbin for being chosen as Knight of the Month for the month of October.

To Brother Knight Francis "Dutch" Jancek for being chosen as Senior Knight of the Month for October.

To Brother Knight Butch Wellen and his lady Aggie for being chosen as the Family of the Month for October.



Enjoy a hamburger, cheese burger or pork burger as well as a hot dog. Cold refreshments, chips, popcorn and a wide variety of snacks are also available at all of the bingo

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NOVEMBER 2017VSundayMondayTuesdayWednesdayThursdayFridaySaturday						
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5 Daylight Saving EuVCC Auction Noon	6 4th Degree Meeting 7:30 PM	7 Ladies Auxillary 7:00PM	8 Bingo 7:30PM Rich & Diane Boeser Herbert & Shirley Weis M. & C. Grapperhaus Bartender: Mike Carroll	9 Euchre 7:30PM Council Officer's Meeting 7:00 PM Columbus Club Executive Meeting 8:00PM	10 Middle School Cheer Glo-Bingo 6 PM - 10 PM	11 Veterans Day Wedding
12	13	14 Council Meeting 7:30 PM	15 Bingo 7:30PM Butch & Aggie Wellen Marion Bohnak, Wayne Henze Bartender: Derek Burns	16 Euchre 7:30PM	17	18 Wedding
19	20 Knight Time Singers Legacy Place Highland 7:00pm Shriners	21	22 Bingo 7:30PM Tom Ahlmeyer Wayne Moore Tony Tebbe Lowell Wellen Gary Graminski	23 Thanksgiving	24	25 Tribute to Johnny Cash 6:00 PM
26 Vendors Fair Noon - 5:00 pm	27	28 Memorial Mass KC Hall 7:00PM	29 Bingo 7:30PM Kent Korte Mike Carrol, Zack Carrol Mel Walter G. Graminski Derek Burns	30 Euchre 7:30PM		
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Highland Knights of Columbus Council 1580						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 St Paul Youth Trivia Night 6:30 PM	2
3 Santa Breakfast	4 4th Degree Meeting 7:30 PM	5 Ladies Auxillary 7:00PM	6 Bingo 7:30PM Steve & Carla Roper Matthew Roeper Roeper Family Bartender: Derek Burns	7 Euchre 7:30PM Council Officer's Meeting 7:00 PM Columbus Club Executive Meeting 8:00PM	8	9 Carlisle Sytech Party
10 KC Council Christmas Party 6:30 PM	11	12 Council Meeting 7:30 PM	13 Bingo 7:30PM Tim Korte John & Jean DeSalm Bruce & Geri Johnson Bartender: Mike Carroll	14 Euchre 7:30PM	15	16 Knights for Lights Fundraiser Bar Crawl
17	18 Shriners	19	20 Bingo 7:30PM Lee Wellen, Bill Trickey Lowell Wellen Gary Todt Bartender: Derek Burns	21 Euchre 7:30PM	22	23





Gather all your friends, Join Us For Bingo Every Wednesday Evening at 7 P.M.

Autumn Is Good Time To Join The Knights

ow nice it is to be in the autumn season - looking

_forward to the first freeze with the leaves changing color, the World Series, and the smell of

burnt wood

Jerry Klostermann Grand Knight

in the air. I hope I have some clear nights to do some stargazing in the near future, 'cause I like to explore the clean skies and look at the patterns of diamonds twinkling in the dark. And, congratulations to Steve Ritchie., who won the drawing for the gun-of-the-month. I hope he is pleased with the rifle and practices safe handling rules when target practicing and hunting.

Well, enough of the daydreaming. Let's get to work with the harvesting. We need members, lots of members. This invitation should be posed to any friends or relatives to join the Knights of Columbus. Our order has so very much to offer, especially for the young who have so much time to build assets.

Remember, the Knights of Columbus Insurance is one of the highest rated insurance companies in the nation and the world. Also, when you need it and have it, it's so good; however, if you don't have it and need it, it's very bad. You may only qualify for the insurance through the Knights of Columbus as a member of the order.

Last month on one weekend, I asked for practicing Catholic men, over 18 years old, to join our order before each Mass at St Paul. If any member knows of a man who is interested in becoming a member, ask them to contact the Grand Knight or the Hall for more information.

I attended the Highland Area Community Foundation (HACF) Grants Dinner where the Foundation distributed the largest amount of funds of their existence. The Knights of Columbus received two awards for our charities and for the Knightsfor-Lights fund. I'm glad to say the Knightsfor-Lights is healthy as a fund and doing well. Soon, the lights will be turned off for the season and the fields allowed a period of rest for the winter. It was a great year for the ball diamonds and the future looks even better. I had the pleasure to be pres-

Relevant Pregnancy Options Center at the new building located at 2053 Plaza Drive in Highland on Oct 15, 2 p.m. It was a bright & windy day! Leon Luber, the Pro-Life Chairman, and I presented a check from the Knights of Columbus through HACF for \$1500 to the director. The Pro-Life Committee had installed the Crosses for the Unborn Children on the old hospital lot next to Poplar Street. They did a superb job. One of the Crosses represents one million children lost through abortion. So, please pray for an end to abortion and for a change of the life style

that prevents these births. and the Knights of Columbus Assembly Honor Guard presented the Living Rosary at St. Paul before the 7:30 A.M. Mass. There were enough Knights and Ladies present, though there could have been more participation with the families. This is the first year that the Knights held the Living Rosary at Church since last year when it was held in the evening at the KC Hall. Before that, it was always held at Church, and usually around the Anniversary of the Our Lady of Fatima.

The most recent fundraiser was on Oct 22, the 41st Annual Pork Sausage & Roast Beef Dinner. It was a grand event, thanks to the effort of Knights who made the meals, served our patrons, and cleaned & kept the hall straightened, or cleaned afterwards.

At the hall in Highland, we are going to have our board meetings late in the early part of the month of November. That is, the second Thursday of the month, November 9th; because the second Tuesday, November 14th, is our regular business meeting, and is at the latest it can be owing to the geometry of the calendar. As one of our members is fond of saying: "Board meetings are on the first Thursday before the second Tuesday of each month." True as that may be, it sounds funny until you regularly attend the board meetings each month. I managed to get them finished in an hour. I know that the Columbus Club is going to have a packed agenda including the itinerary for winter preparation and review of how operations went this last ball season. All able-bodied members and friends are welcome to help around the hall and the grounds. On the other-hand, the Council will be absorbed with planning: the Memorial Mass, Nov. 28th, the Christmas Party, Dec. 10th, and the Chicken Dinner, Jan. 28th, 2018.

ent at the Grand Opening of the The following Council Board meetings will include the Bishop's Dinner, the Men's Prayer Breakfast, the Spelling Bee, the party as we watch The Big Game, and the Lenten Fish Fries. We always can use help at these functions, even either as an observer or a participant. Of course, only members are invited to observe or participate in the board meetings.

So, your ideas are welcome. Just be certain to follow protocol, or join our order to include yourself in the discussions.

> Vivat Jesus Grand Knight - Jerry Klostermann

Plan to Attend Our November Meeting

Greetings Fellow Sir Knights:

I have received a couple of e-mails about the Valentines dance. Will we have it or not?

Come to the meeting on Nov 6 and we will discuss it and make a decision.

I want to thank all the Knights who showed up at the Chalice service for Sir Knight Ferdinand H. "Ferdie" Rehkemper, Special thanks to my Captain Sir Knight Ed Campbell for attending to the Honor Guards so well.



Jim Hickman Faithful Navigator

Well as I am writing this we are preparing for Halloween Trunk or Treat for the kids. Have a safe and fun time.

Hope to see you at the Nov 6 meeting!

FN Jim Hickman Faithful Navigator Jim Hickman

I want to thank all the Knights who showed up at the Chalice service for Sir Knight Ferdinand H. "Ferdie" Rehkemper,

I ust before that, the Knights A Columbus Knights Hold Sausage Dinner





Sausage Dinner Several members of the Knights of Columbus Council # 1580 served hundreds of folks at the annual Sausage Dinner at the KC Hall. The next event for the Knights is the upcoming Memorial Mass which is an opportunity to remember those fellow brothers who have died over the last year.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Memorial Mass: Nov. 28th • Christmas Party: Dec. 10th • Pub Crawl: Dec. 16 2017 • Annual Chicken Dinner: Jan. 28, 2018.

OTHER EVENTS

Men's Prayer Breakfast: • March 3, 2018 • Bishop's Dinner: • March 18, 2018 • Spelling Bee: - TBA

The Big Game Party: Feb 4 • Lenten Fish Fries and Council Board meetings!

Your help is needed at these functions, either as an observer or a participant. Members are invited to observe or participate in the board meetings!