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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Support your K of C Council.

How much time would it take? How about 24 hours... Twenty four hours a week? NOPE. Twenty four hours a month? Wrong again. How about 24 hours a year?

Yes, right answer. If every member would spend just 24 hours a year, each could make a positive difference in his community and Church. I just received a letter about this very subject, and the following is taken verbatim from that letter.

- 12 hours a year reading the weekly parish bulletin, the state and local council newsletters, Columbia magazine, and surfing the state council and Supreme Council Web sites.
- 2 hours a year volunteering at the council's annual drive for people with intellectual disabilities.
- 2 hours a year attending, with his family, two council corporate Communions or prayer services at the parish.
- 2 hours a year on a council-sponsored Church, community, council family or youth project of his choosing.
- 2 hours a year attending one council meeting. (If it's a well-run interesting meeting he might even come back for a second.)
- 4 hours a year enjoying (again, with his entire family) a council social function such as a dinner, dance, picnic, etc. There are 8,760 hours in a year. By giving the Knights of Columbus 24 of these (that is less than 3%) a man can be a better Catholic, a better father, a better husband, and a better person.

Jerry R. Genteman Grand Knight

OUR GUARANTEES SET US APART

Knights of Columbus life insurance offers something precious few other financial products can – guarantees. As long as you pay your premiums, the policy proceeds will be there for your beneficiaries should something happen to you. We call that peace of mind, and that's what we offer with our every product in our portfolio.

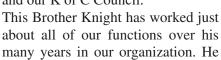
- We guarantee the cash value in your whole life policies will be there.
- We guarantee the rates on your term insurance.
- We guarantee our retirement products will provide a stream of income when you need it.

On top of those product guarantees, I guarantee that I will offer professional, high-quality service that you would expect from our organization. Our Order is among the highest rated life insurers in North America. AM Best has rated the Knights of Columbus "A++, Superior" for 37 consecutive years. This shows our track record for excellence and security. I would suggest that a principal reason that we were able to achieve those accolades is because we remain steadfastly committed to the vision of Father Michael J. McGivney by providing life insurance by brother Knights for brother Knights. That commitment is an essential core value of the Knights of Columbus, and our core values permeate all levels of our organization. These principles for marketing are summed up by our Golden Rule: "In all my professional relationships, I pledge myself to the following rule of conduct: I shall, in light of all conditions surrounding those I serve, render that service which, under the same circumstances, I would apply to myself." Let's talk soon to discuss how our products can bring that peace of mind to you and your family.

Brent Knebel, FICF (618)401-7354 Brent.Knebel@kofc.org

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

The Family of the month award goes to a Brother Knight and his wife, who continually provide service and support to the Church, community, and our K of C Council.





has worked the Madison County Fair, and fish fry's just to name a few. He and his wife work bingo nights and he is a member of the Knight Time Singers and a member of the Fourth Degree. His wife is active in St. Rose Church as a Eucharistic Minister and sings in the choir.

It is with great appreciation that we have selected as our March Family of The Month, **Ralph and Marilyn Bruggemann**. Congratulations from Council 1580.

ATTENDANCE PRIZE

The name of Jay Korte was drawn at the last meeting. Had he been present he would have received \$120.00 for attendance at the meeting. Next month's prize will be \$130.00. The prize increases by \$10.00 each month until another member is present and wins. Remember you must be present at the meeting to be able to win.

The membership number in the last newsletter belonged to Don Johannes. The number was located in the Major Degree Announcement. Had he been at the meeting and told the Grand Knight that it was his membership number in the newsletter, he would have won \$50.00.

Look for your membership number inserted in this month's Newsletter, show up at the next month's meeting and identify yourself to the Grand Knight that you are the holder of that membership number and win \$50.00.

THANK YOU

Dear Brother Knights,

The Durbin Family sincerely appreciates the thoughtfulness, compassion, and donations of the Highland Council 1580, Assembly 0231 members and their ladies on the passing of our father, Herbert B Durbin, Sr. It was truly impressive to see the 22 Sir Knights in regalia stand Honor Guard and the many more Brothers and ladies that visited at the Meridith Funeral Home. The Assembly also added to the decorum of the Mass of Celebration with the Honor Guard. Arrangements are being made to send the Chalice from Dad's Chalice Ceremony to the Bishops of Alaska for their distribution to a mission.

Sincerely,

The Durbin Family, SK Herb Durbin Jr, SK Steve Durbin, BR Chris Durbin, & SK Kevin Durbin

SENIOR KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

We have selected, as March's Senior Knight of the Month, a Brother Knight who continues to provide service and support to the church, community and our Knights of Columbus council. Our Brother works consistently at most of the events sponsored by our Council throughout the year.

Currently, we can find our Brother working in the kitchen during the Lenten Fish Fry's. We can also find our Brother every Wednesday evening at Bingo collecting monies for the night's tallies. Our Brother Knight also performs many behind the scenes jobs for the church as well. He is an exceptional "handy man" with numerous credits for designing fixtures and hardware for various services throughout the liturgical year. He is also the current Chairperson of the Cemetery Board where he has served for many years. Last year, our Brother Knight joined the ranks of the 4th Degree, Assembly 0231 where he participates in the honor guard.

It is with great pleasure that we have selected **Art Timmerman** as our Senior Knight of the Month for March 2013. Congratulations from Council 1580.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

We have selected as March's Knight of the Month, a Brother Knight who continually contributes his time and talents to the Knights of Columbus.

Our Brother Knight has helped out with all of the council functions throughout the year and has usually assumed a leadership role in doing so. You will find this Brother Knight before, during and after major fund raisers such as the chicken dinner, sausage dinner, Madison County Fair, Schweitzer Fest, Kirchenfest, and the Lenten fish fry's. Accepting roles as Chairman or Co-Chairman, he assists in coordinating set up, operation and clean-up details at these events. While the kitchen is in full swing, you can be assured that any fresh food items required by our front lines are never more than two minutes away. He has also, satisfied the hearts of many beverage consumers with the newest addition to the 'center tap'. He is our current Deputy Grand Knight and is truly an asset to our council. It is with the sincerest of appreciation that we have selected **Kent Korte** as our Knight of the Month for March 2013. Congratulations from the Highland Knights of Columbus Council 1580.

MISSING TABLES

Brother Knights, please return 2 green tables that were borrowed from the hall about 2 months ago. Please 4392341 drop them off at the hall during business hours.

HATS OFF

- To Pope Francis I for being named Pope and leading our Church
- To Brother Knight Art Timmerman for being selected as the Senior Knight of the Month
- To Brother Knight Kent Korte for being selected Knight of the Month
- To Brother Knight Ralph and Marilyn Bruggemann for being selected the Family of the Month To the Fish Fry crews that are providing support during the Lent Fish fry's.
- To the Sir Knights who provided an honor guard for the morning service at the Annual Men's Prayer Breakfast and Mass.
- To Bill Napper and the Pioneer for the great coverage of the works of our Council being shared with the broader community
- To the Knight Time Singers for performing at Highland Health Care

OUR CONDOLENCES

- To Sir Knights Herbert Durbin Jr. and Stephen Durbin and Brother Knight Chris Durbin on the loss of their father, Sir Knight Herbert Durbin Sr.
- To Brother Knight Robert McDonald and especially his wife, Jane on the loss of her father, Sir lKnight Herbert Durbin Sr.
 - To Brother Knight Dominick Fornelli on the loss of his mother, Rosemary Fornelli.
 - To Sir Knight Robert Spengel and to Brother Knight Darren Spengel on the loss of their wife and mother respectively.
 - .To Brother Knight Alvin Daiber on the loss of his wife, Rochelle Daiber.
 - To Brother Knight Robert P. Daiber on the loss of his mother, Rochelle Daiber.
 - To Brother Knight Peter Tucker and especially his wife, Theresa on the loss of her mother, Rochelle Daiber.
 - To Norma Egmon on the loss of her husband, Grover (Gene) Egmon.
 - To Sir Knight Leonard Daiber, to Brother Knight Alvin Daiber and to Sir Knight Vernon Rakers and especially his wife Barb on the loss of their brother, George Daiber

LADIES AUXILIARY

Members enjoyed a guest speaker at the March meeting, Lorraine Senci, Pastoral Assistant at St. Jerome in Troy, who spoke on "Making the Most of our Lenten Promises". The auxiliary will be participating in the Bowl for Charity in April.

Bingo pie providers for April and May are the following:

April 3 Toni Stone	Ap
April 10 Nanette Snyder	Ap
April 17Judy Shannon	Ap
April 24 Joan Riffel	Ap
May 1 Phyllis Reidelberger	Ma
May 8Paula Rehkemper	Ma
May 15 Frances Ratermann	Ma
May 22 Barb Rakers	Ma
May 29Jennifer Range	Ma

Hostesses for the April 2nd meeting are Diana Compton, Jan Abbott and Dianne Connelly. If you haven't been to a meeting recently, we invite you back! Meetings start at 7:00, business is completed by 8:00 followed by refreshments and fellowship. C'mon back and bring a friend!

MEMO FROM FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Have you forgotten your dues payment? Please get your new 2013 card as soon as possible. Regular members are \$30.00 per year. 4th Degree dues are and additional \$8.00. Honorary Members pay \$10.00 per year. Honorary Life Members pay no dues.

Members can save the council money on postage if you pay dues before statements have to be sent. Members can drop payments off at hall or pay at meetings or send payments to me:

> Martin Klostermann 90 Meadowlark Ln Highland, IL 62249

Thank you for your understanding and support.





Highland Council 1580 APRIL 2013

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 April Fool's Day	2	3 Bingo 7:30PM	4 Euchre 7:30PM	5	9
	4th Degree Meeting	Ladies Auxillary	Larry & Ethel Korte	Columbus Club		Private Party
		(Herb & Dot Durbin	Executive Meeting		
			Bartenders	7:00PM		
	7:30 PM	7:00 PM	7:00 PM L. Landmann & Kenny Klaus	Council Officer's Meeting 8:00PM		
7	8	9 Health Fair	10 Bingo 7:30PM	11 Euchre 7:30PM	12	13
	,	Council Meeting	Ken Wieduwilt			
			Tim Korte			
	Boy Scout	N a c	Henry & Linda Jaeger			
	6:30-8:30	7:30 PM	7:30 PM Bartenders J. Kampwerth & K. Klaus			
14	15 Taxes Due	16	17 Bingo 7:30PM	18 Euchre 7:30PM	19	20
			Leon Luber, Chris Gall			Private Party
Private Party	Knight Time Singers		Lowell Wellen			
	Faith Countryside		Kaye Plocher			
	Nursing Home 7PM	Squires 8pm>	Bartender Ken Klaus			
			and Jerry Genteman			
21	22 Earth Day	23	24 Bingo 7:30PM	25 Euchre 7:30PM	26	27
			Ray & Pat Korte			
	(Tom Spengel &		St. Paul Trivia	HHS Prom
	Boy Scout 6:30-8:30		Mary Ann Korte Gary Graminski &			
			Kenny Klaus			
28	29	30				
	Boy Scout 6:30-8:30					
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			☐ Bingo 7:30PM	2 Euchre 7:30PM	က	4
			Gene Bruggemann			
			Ralph Bruggemann		State Convention	State Convention
			Jim & Dorothy Kampwerth		Lombard	Lombard
			Bartenders Kenny Klaus			
2	9	7	8 Bingo 7:30PM	9 Euchre 7:30PM	10	11
State Convention	4th Degree Meeting	Ladies Auxillary	Cy & Delores Weis	Columbus Club		
Lombard			Herbert & Shirley Weis	Executive Meeting		
-			Frances Luitjohan	7:00PM		
Doors Open 12:30pm	N30 C1	7:00 PIM	7:00 FIM Barrenders Jim Kampwerth & K. Klaus	Council Officers Meeting 8:00PM		
12 Mother's Day	13	14	15 Bingo 7:30PM	16 Euchre 7:30PM	17	18
		Council Meeting	Butch & Aggie Wellen			
		Korc	Marion Bohnak,			
		***************************************	Andy Anderson			
		7:30 PM	7:30 PM Kenny Klaus			
		Squires Meeting 8pm>	and Jerry Genteman			
19	20	21	22 Bingo 7:30PM	23 Euchre 7:30PM	24	25
			Leon Luber			
			Tom Ahlmeyer			
			Tony Tebbe			
			Bartender: Gary			
			Gramınskı & Kenny Klaus			
26	27 Memorial Day	28	29 Bingo 7:30PM	30 Euchre 7:30PM	31	
			Chris Chalfant			
			Mike Carroll, Kent Korte			
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			Gary Graminski & Kenny Klaus			
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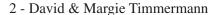
April Birthdays

- 1 Betty (James) Voss
- 1 Frank Zuccarelli
- 2 Oscar Florendo
- 2 Carol (James) Klostermann
- 2 Mike Range
- 3 Robert Melosi
- 3 John Ward
- 4 John Kapp
- 4 Delores (Cyril) Weis
- 5 Francis Robben
- 5 Sharon (Stephen) Walter
- 5 Cyril Weis
- 6 David Korte
- 6 Betty (Kenneth) Wagner
- 6 Stephen Walter
- 7 Susie (Kevin) Dewaele
- 7 Larry Lucco
- 8 Andrew Anderson
- 8 Jan (Roger) Schrage
- 9 Beth (Tim) Eller
- 9 John Elliott
- 9 Connie (Marvin) Grapperhaus
- 9 Marvin Potthast
- 9 Mary Jo (Frank) Prusa
- 9 Scott Riggs
- 9 John Wolters
- 10 Michael Compton
- 10 Marie (Ted) Schrage
- 10 Bill Zobrist

- 10 Cynthia (David) Zobrist
- 12 Christine (Barry) Keller
- 12 Kathy (James) Mcdermott
- 12 Sharon (Homer) Rusteberg
- 13 Kathy (Harry) Buchanan
- 13 John Cygan
- 13 Chris Korte
- 13 Darrell Luitjohan
- 13 Bonnie (Dennis) Tabor
- 13 Cheryl (John) Voegele
- 14 Nickolas Gilomen
- 14 Aaron Hopfinger
- 14 Robert Trost
- 15 Artemio Basuel
- 15 Linda (Howard) Held
- 15 Matthew Wiegand
- 16 Mallory (Christopher) Korte
- 16 Michael Korte
- 16 Larry Reidelberger
- 16 Jeff Thole
- 16 Michael Voegele
- 17 William Augustin
- 17 James Bugger
- 17 Michael Spies
- 17 John Voegele
- 18 Ewald Holzinger
- 18 Barbara (Michael) Kuhl
- 18 Marilyn (Max) Rudolph
- 18 James Thurnau

- 18 Leroy Trame
- 19 Carl Rutz
- 20 Jennifer (Charles) Camillo
- 20 Jo Ann (Franklin) Eilerman
- 20 Kimberly (Alan) Zobrist
- 21 Charles Camillo
- 21 Chris Chalfant
- 22 Randy Kleinmann
- 22 Donald Rutz
- 22 R. Keith Vogt
- 23 Phyliss (Larry) Reidelberger
- 24 Mary (Michael) Carroll
- 24 Alice (Leonard) Daiber
- 24 Nancy (Daniel) Gramlich
- 24 Henry Jaeger
- 24 Joel Lafrance
- 24 Mary Jane (Walter) Orlet
- 25 Paul Braundmeier
- 25 Charles Peters
- 25 William Wagner
- 26 Ashley (Ely) Hadowsky
- 26 Thomas Koch
- 27 Jean (Michael) Gilomen
- 28 Steve Baczewski
- 28 Bret Gruender
- 28 Brian Marks
- 28 Joseph Whalen
- 29 Janet (Larry) Widman

April Anniversaries



- 2 Stephen & Sharon Walter
- 3 Greg & Mindy Stoff
- 3 Linus & Linda Marti
- 4 Darrell & Kathy Luitjohan
- 4 Leonard & Janet Thole
- 6 Robert & Traci Luitjohan
- 7 Kenneth & Mary Kapp
- 8 Larry & Barbara Weiss
- 8 Ronald & Julianna Linenfelser
- 8 Severin & Julie Emig
- 8 Herbert & Shirley Weis
- 9 Gary & Carol Richter
- 10 Tim & Beth Eller

- 11 Ferd & Mary Rehkemper
- 11 Stephen & Darlene Kerchner
- 11 Robert & Gail Ohren
- 12 Joseph & Diane Reidelberger
- 12 Alphonse & Pat Vonderhaar
- 12 Stephen & Sandy Prusa
- 14 Donald & Kathleen Lohman
- 15 Craig & Missy Athmer
- 16 Robert & Julie Hammer
- 16 Tim & Jennifer Whitten
- 17 Scott & Tammy Troxell 18 - Kenneth & Betty Wagner
- 18 Cyril & Delores Weis 20 - James & Christy Wiegand



- 20 Kenneth & Donna Kampwerth
- 22 Arthur & Dorothy Flaiz
- 22 Henry & Linda Jaeger
- 22 John & Donna Gantner
- 23 Homer & Sharon Rusteberg
- 24 Eugene & Tina Huck
- 25 Thomas & Lucille Henrichs
- 25 Stephen & Jodi Ferguson
- 27 Steve & Debbie Baczewski
- 29 Michael & Jean Gilomen 30 - David & Bobbie Melosi
- 30 Richard & Diane Boeser

NEWS FROM THE 4TH DEGREE

If you have regalia and are no longer able to serve in the Honor Guard, please consider passing on your regalia to a new brother Sir Knight who might be in need of regalia. If you would like to donate or sell your regalia please contact me at 618-444-1005.





WELCOME

A warm welcome goes out to Assembly 0231 newest members. On Saturday March 16th, 4 men from the area attended the Exemplification at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Snows. The new Sir Knights are: Paul Kustermann, Andrew Speraneo, Ben Wick, and Fr Abe Patinio Arganiosa. If you see any of these Sir Knights, offer them your congratulations.

I would like to thank the Sir Knights who took time out of their lives to attend the Exemplification and show support for the new Sir Knights. Those in attendance were Scott Wick, Don Speraneo, Mark Speraneo, Herb Durbin, Jerry Genteman, Art Timmermann, Dave Gall & Ron Clarkin.

REGALIA

We will be ordering regalia soon, so anyone who is in need of regalia items please let me know so that we can order them all at once.

HONOR GUARD ACTIVITY

I would like to thank the 22 Sir Knights who served as Honor Guard for our Brother Sir Knight, Herb Durbin, Sr. and to the 7 Sir Knights who served as Honor Guard for the Mass of Christian Burial. Our Honor Guard has improved so much. Thank you for your presence and your dedication. A special THANK YOU goes out to Brother Sir Knight Bob Buehne, who performed the Chalice Service in Chicago for our deceased Brother Sir Knight, G. Egmon. This was Bob's first time doing this and I was told by Fr. Chuck that he did a great job.

4Th DEGREE CHALICE SERVICE

There are many 3rd Degree members and some 4th Degree members who have never seen, or do not understand, the purpose of the Chalice Service. I will attempt to give some insight into this beautiful service.

When a 4th Degree member passes he has the right to request an Honor Guard and the Chalice Service. It is his fellow Sir Knights privilege to provide for this request. A two-man Honor Guard stands watch at the casket during the visitation and is changed every 10-15 minutes. The Honor Guard is a tribute to our deceased Brother Sir Knight.

The Chalice Service is conducted during the visitation. The service consists of prayerful reflection upon the life of the deceased as well as prayers for the family. A chalice is reverently displayed during the service and will be engraved with the name of the deceased. The chalice will then be presented to the family and they have the option to keep the chalice or, in most cases, donate it to a priest assigned to a mission somewhere in the world. Every day when that priest says Mass he will be remembering our deceased Brother Sir Knight. What a fitting remembrance of our deceased Brother Sir Knight.

Ron Clarkin, Faithful Navigator.

BOWL FOR CHARITY

Highland Council 1580 is hosting the 20th Annual Springfield Bowl for Charity on Saturday and Sunday April 7th 2013 (April 6th if needed) at Hi-Top Bowl in Highland. Starting times for the event are 11:00 am and 2:00pm. All proceeds will go to Springfield Diocese for the Education of Seminarians. The bowling tournament is a 5-person men's and women's team event with a cost of \$20 per person open to all Knights of Columbus and Auxiliary members. However, the Council will pay \$10 per person for council members, so for \$10 you can enjoy a wonderful day of bowling. The entry fee includes three games of bowling, free beer and soda, and sandwiches for bowlers and spouses. Lane sponsor donations of \$25.00 or more from businesses and individuals are also welcome. If you want to enter a team or just one bowler or make a donation please contact Tracy Poehling at (618) 304-4214 for details and to see if any times are still available. Bowlers of all skill levels are welcome.

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