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October is Membership Blitz Month For Knights of Columbus



Adaptive Bicycle

Pioneer Photo By Bill Napper

At the recent Highland Knights of Columbus Appreciation Dinner for Firefighters and EMTs, Elijah Daley steers as his son Elijah rides the adaptive bicycle which the Highland Knights of Columbus, Council 1580 purchased about a year ago. The Daley family Angie Daley - Mom, Elijah (on bike) Kadence - twin daughter and Emerson - youngest daughter) wanted to show the Knights the bike which cost about \$4,000. Angie had written the Knights a letter, telling them about her three children and the challenges which they face everyday. In her letter she explained that she was wishing for something that would make her children happy - a bicycle. She explained that her two 6-year-old twins, Elijah and Kadence are disabled because they had been born 15-weeks premature. In gratitude, the Daley family wanted to show the Knights how well the children are progressing.

All Brother Knights who have sons who are 17½ years of age or older as of Oct. 13th should consider asking them to join the council.

HIGHLAND - The Membership Blitz is scheduled for the weekend of Oct. 10 and 11.

Announcements just before all Masses that weekend in an effort to recruit new members.

It is essential to recruit new members for the council to grow and to assure that the Knights will be able to continue to do the charitable works that we do.

The Grand Knight is asking for assistance from 4 to 6 members for each Mass to be available to hand out brochures and answer questions.

Sign-up sheets are posted on the Hall bulletin board.

Also, this year they will

be inviting each possible new member to attend an 'OPEN HOUSE' at the Hall on the following Monday Oct. 12 at 6:30 p.m. to meet current officers and members.

They will also learn about the many activities and events, and to learn about the various charitable endeavors which the Knights sponsor.

During this 'open house' they will be able to fill out the necessary Form 100 applications in preparation for the next degree meeting which will be scheduled on a date shortly thereafter.

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Joining the Knights of Columbus is a great legacy to pass along to the next generation.

Knights Have Perfect Venue

HIGHLAND - Whether you have 75 or 500 people coming to your party, the Knights of Columbus has the perfect place to hold your event.

Their banquet center located at 12454 Highway 143, just across from Wal-Mart has a great dance floor, a full kitchen and bar, and spacious bathrooms.

It's the perfect place to hold wedding receptions, an organized event, a concert, or conference.

Call 618-654-9049 for details!

Columbus Club Notes, September, 2015

The KC Hall is in good condition, but there is still a vacancy for a groundskeeper to keep the lawn, landscaping and ballfields in good shape. This is a twice-monthly task to cut the grass, trim the edging of the lawn and pick up loose objects on the ground. Applications may be made at the KC Hall. If it becomes necessary, the club may be engaging an expense for a professional service to maintain the area.

At the last meeting of the Columbus Club Board, the Land & Building Evaluation Committee presented its review of the future choices 04689038 of the KC Hall. The board has begun review of these recommendations which involved the land, future city plans, business opportunities for the hall and directions which make sense to continue serving the community, the parish and the Council.

In the kitchen, a replacement garbage disposal unit was installed at the sink before the bar cooler. Some refrigeration units were repaired or recharged. The pavilion was closed; although, the picnic table side is still useable until the winter winds force it to be closed.

> Support your Club! Jerry Klostermann, President Columbus Club Highland Illinois

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FAMILY OF THE MONTH

September's Family of the Month Award is given to a Brother Knight, his Lady and Family for their continued service and support to the Church, our Council and our community.

Our Brother and his familv are involved in multiple ministries at St. Paul Church including Eucharistic Minister, Lector and Altar Server where all family members fill these roles. Recently, our Brother Knight has just completed a four year service commitment culminating this year as General Chairman of the 2015 Kirchenfest.

As he would be the first to exclaim, he could not have done this without the support of his family and many other faithful volunteers as well.

His Lady dedicates much of her time to providing her volunteer services as a member of the Father McGivney Catholic High School Board. Their son, a student at McGivney, is a Lector, Eucharistic Minister and Server.

Their daughter, a 'Faith'-ful servant of God also fills the role of server at St. Paul Church and has participated in KC related events in the past.

It is with deep appreciation that we have selected the family of Brad and Angi Scott as September 2015 Family of the Month. Congratulations, from Council 1580.

SENIOR KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

September's Senior Knight of the Month Award goes to a Brother Knight for his continued support and service to Church, Council, and Community.

Our Brother is a longtime member with over 47 years of continuous service to Council 1580. He has also recently joined the 4th Degree Assembly 0231 and is a member of the honor guard.

He is a parishioner at St. Paul Church where he is a Eucharistic Minister at Mass and also fills in as a substitute teacher when needed at St. Paul Catholic School.

Our Brother is a regular at the Wednesday night Bingo games where he and his team volunteer their services the first week of the month.

Every year in August, this Brother Knight plays a key role at the Kirchenfest where he announces for the Strassenlauf 5K signaling the beginning of the church festival.

Additionally, he assures the safety of all race participants by securing course marshals to monitor and direct the event. He is also a member of the Cursillo movement.

It is with great appreciation that we have selected Dave Rakers as the September 2015 Senior Knight of the Month. Congratulations from Council 1580.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

We have selected as September's Knight of the Month, a Brother Knight who provides service and support to the Church, our Community and the Knights of Columbus Council.

This Brother Knight does

He has worked multiple shifts at our Lenten Fish Fry dinners, Madison County Fair food stand and the Kirchenfest chicken and fish stand.

He regularly tends bar at Wednesday night Bingo games and many other events as well. He works the Sausage and Chicken dinners, and also volunteers his time at the annual Christmas Party. From set-up to tear-down he is there to provide assistance.

Our Brother commits himself to the church as he is involved as a Lector and Eucharistic Minister.

He is also a very active member in the Cursillo movement. He continually demonstrates out a member in need.

It is with deep appreciation that we have selected Derek Burns our Knight of the Month for September 2015.

Congratulations from Council 1580.

HATS OFF

To Brother Knight Derek Burns for being selected Knight of the Month

To the Bother Knight Brad & Angi Scott for being selected as the Family of the Month

To Brother Knight Dave Rakers for being selected as the Senior Knight of the Month

To the Knights & Ladies that supported the St Paul Kirchenfest in stands throughout the grounds

To all of the Firemen, EMTs, and Police that serve our com-

Ladies Auxiliary News

Fall is my favorite time of the year.

The fall colors, the leaves falling, the expectation of the holidays, the warmth of cozy sweaters and fireplaces.

It's also filled with opportunities to help the Knights with their various fundraisers and our own as well

Working together makes for fun and success for everyone and benefits so many worthwhile charities.

You can be a part! Get out there ladies and sell those raffle tickets for a beautiful quilt and assorted baskets. Raffle is October 25th.

Two new faces in the Auxiliary are Dawn Autry and Monica Toennies. Welcome ladies! So glad to have you!

Ways you can get involved? Support the Knights Sausage Dinner Oct. 25th and their Bourbon/Wine/Beer Event Nov. 7th; help insert KC newsletters in the church bulletins monthly; join the Spiritual Support through Prayer and sign up for a week to pray for vocations.

There's something that everyone can do!

Bingo Pie Providers for: Oct.7-Julie Frydrych Oct.14-Diane Connelly Oct.21-Ethel Korte

Oct.28-JoAnn Korte Nov.4-Olivia Landmann

Nov.11-Leatha Apken Nov.18-Barb Rakers

Nov.25-Rose Keppler

Next meeting is October

6th @ 7:00 pm at the KC Hall. Please come and see what you've been missing!

OUR CONDOLENCES

To Brother Knight Kevin Thuenemann on the loss of his mother, Pauline Thuenemann

To Dorothy Thole, widow of deceased Brother Knight Joseph Thole on the loss of her sister, Pauline Thuenemann.

To Brother Knight Burnell Petry in loss of his wife Mary Frances Petry.

If you're not a member, consider becoming a member of the Knights of **Columbus**



Birthdays & Anniversaries



October Birthdays

- 1 William Basler
- 1 Kevin Dewaele
- 1 Paul Grapperhaus
- 2 Scott Plocher
- 3 Brian Buehne
- 4 Gary Frey
- 4 Marlene (Jerry) Vosholler
- 5 Nancy (Dennis) Dubach
- 5 Jim Gutzler 5 - Neal Rieke Jr
- 5 Janet (Joseph) Wetmore
- 6 Brad Jakel
- 6 Scott Korte
- 7 Terry Deichmann
- 7 Michael Durbin
- 7 Sherri (Bradley) Obermark 7 - Caroline (Don) Tschannen
- 7 Terri (Greg) Walter
- 8 Brenda (Jeff) Jacober
- 8 Thomas Nolte
- 8 Daniel Phalen
- 8 Mitzi (Robert) Plocher 9 - Brett Korte
- 10 Kevin Connelly
- 10 Dineen (Jerome) Czar
- 10 Dominic Fornelli 10 - Brenda (Scott) Plocher
- 10 Frank Rick
- 10 Robert Schwarz Jr
- 10 Jay Wildhaber
- 11 Gary Feldmann Ii
- 11 Michael Hartwig
- 11 David Knebel
- 11 Kristen (Mark) Korte
- 11 Renae (Jay) Korte 11 - Olivia (Orville) Landmann
- 12 Lori Ann (Thomas) Bruggemann
- 12 Kenneth Fischer
- 12 Craig Frydrych
- 12 Susan (Richard) Liening
- 13 Robert Davis
- 13 David Thole
- 14 Jerome Morence
- 14 Frank Padak
- 14 David Rutz
- 14 Kim White
- 15 Wayne Branger 15 - Donald Brinker
- 15 Marlene (Paul) Kustermann
- 15 Susan (Frank) Zuccarelli
- 16 James Hickman
- 16 Bradley Sauls
- 17 Julie (Craig) Frydrych
- 17 Dennis Korte
- 17 Preston Shinn 17 - Paul Wuebbels
- 18 Mark Holthaus
- 18 Timothy Jacober
- 18 Richard Liening
- 18 Debra (Scott) Wick 18 - Alan Winkeler
- 19 Richard Accornero
- 19 Darlene (Stephen) Kerchner 19 - Eugene Korte
- 19 Linda (David) Long
- 19 John Melosi
- 19 Vernon Rakers
- 19 Arnold Schrage 19 - Herbert Weis
- 20 Nancy (John) Genteman
- 20 David Perica
- 20 Matthew Powers
- 20 Mary (Ferd) Rehkemper
- 21 Marion Bohnak 21 - Zachary Goring
- 21 Larry Korte
- 21 Michael Tebbe
- 22 Rev Paul Kala
- 22 Donna (Ralph) Korte

- 22 Irma (Herbert) Korte
- 23 Robert Buehne
- 23 Bryan Courtney
- 23 Jennifer (Jeremy) Hilling
- 23 Ann (Randy) Kleinmann
- 24 Christopher Budde 24 - Diann (Duane) Gilomen
- 24 Blake Manville
- 24 Beverly (Robert) Quade
- 24 Dale Wellen
- 25 Robert Douglas 25 - John Genteman
- 25 Don Jakel
- 25 Michael Korte
- 26 Steven Korte 26 - Gary Richter
- 26 Todd Wessel
- 26 Wm Wilke
- 27 Rosemary (Danny) Kloss 28 - Jamie (Christopher) Chalfant
- 28 Trent Kessmann
- 28 Larry Weiss
- 30 Paul Musenbrock
- 30 Brent Sandberg 31 - Sandy (Francis) Feldmann
- 31 Barbara (David) Forys
- 31 Pat (Raymond) Korte
- 31 Ronald Linenfelser 31 - Rebecka (Gary) Weis
- **October Anniversaries**
- 1 Scott & Tammi Korte
- 2 Jeffrey & Carla Dubach
- 2 Francis & Sandy Feldmann 2 - Rick & Debbie Frey
- 3 Jerry & Carol Prusa
- 4 Kent & Trisha Korte
- 4 Ralph & Donna Korte 4 - Ted & Marie Schrage
- 4 Michael & Anna Voegele
- 5 Frank & Michelle Nation Jr
- 6 Joseph & Janet Wetmore
- 7 James & Mary Haberer 7 - Herbert & Irma Korte
- 7 James & Leigh Vidmar
- 8 Jerold & Susan Hohlt 8 - Kenneth & Kathy
- Klostermann 9 - Donald & Jo Ellen Bollman
- 9 Todd & Julie Korte
- 9 Kenneth & Mary Rutz 10 - Marshall & Candice Todt
- 11 Terry & Jo Anne Marks
- 11 Anthony & Jill Sinnock 12 - Bradley & Angela Scott
- 13 Virgil & Suzanne Wilke
- 14 Steven & Ceil Kloss 14 - Bradford & Gail Voss
- 15 Elmer & Louise Emig
- 15 Don & Caroline Tschannen Sr 16 - Ralph & Mary Bruggemann
- 16 Kevin & Diane Connelly
- 17 Daniel & Valerie Delaney 17 - M & Mary Ellen Gruenenfelder
- 17 Corey & Colleen Lawrence
- 18 Francis & Ruth Boeser
- 18 Francis & Gloria Jancek 19 - Randy & Dee Luitjohan
- 19 Terrence & Joan Riffel
- 21 Donald & Lucille Rutz 22 - John & Nancy Genteman
- 24 James & Nancy Kerin
- 24 Michael & Angela Nuxoll 24 - Jerry & Jean Weber
- 25 Eugene & Sharon Bickl 28 - R & Gerri Johnson
- 29 Brad & Jean Korte
- 30 Steven & Rhonda Brendel 30 - Brant & Aimee Frey
- 30 Henry & Judy Shannon

NEWS FROM THE 4TH DEGREE

First, let me remind you again about our Social meeting that we are having at 7:00 PM on Monday, October 5th at the Powhatten restaurant. I am looking forward to enjoying an evening with you and your spouses and/or significant other.

Mark your calendar for the Respect for Life chain on October 4th. This event is held every year on the corner of Rt 40 & 143 between 2-3 PM. Record your football games and come out to support this cause; you may just save a child in the long run.

Congratulations to Council 1580 for a successful fundraiser for Disability Awareness and for a great Appreciation Dinner for the local Firemen and EMTs. You can be proud of all your efforts to make these events successful.

Honor Guard Needed:

Saturday October 3rd – Annual Diocesan Respect for Life & Rosary Walk at Holy Family Church in Granite City. Be at the church at 8:30 am.

Sunday October 11th – Living Rosary at St Paul Church in Highland. Be at the church at 6:45am. Need 11 members in Regalia.

Herb Durbin Jr Faithful Navigator

Raising Awareness about Life Insurance

Each September since 2003 has been designated as Life Insurance Awareness Month. Like most awareness-raising campaigns, Life Insurance Awareness Month was created because there is an overwhelming lack of understanding of life insurance, its uses, its benefits, and its variations among the general public. Each year, the Life Insurance Market Research Association (LIMRA) puts out the results from a recent survey, and unfortunately, the numbers they report continue to be discouraging.

A recent survey found that more than 75 percent of people polled did not have a personal financial advisor, even though 68 percent of them said their opinion of the current economic conditions was somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable.

In other words, a majority of those surveyed were uncomfortable with the economy and the uncertainty it brings, yet they did not seek professional assistance. Maybe they spoke with their friends and family. Maybe they hoped the instability would go away on its own. Maybe they did not know to whom to turn.

If you fall into this category, please remember that as a member of the Knights of Columbus, you have a full-time, professional agent you can call your own. My primary responsibility is the care and service of your family's life insurance, retirement, and long-term care needs. I'll answer your questions because I want your decisions to be informed ones. I want to help.

Another LIMRA statistic said 43 percent of people did not buy life insurance because they worry about "making the wrong decision." Talk with me, your agent, and, afterwards, you'll understand that the only wrong decision was not purchasing sooner to protect your family's future.

> Connor Barr (618)593-5365 Connor.Barr@kofc.org

Attendance

The name of Bradley Koehnemann was drawn at the last meeting. Had he been present he would have received \$250.00 for attendance at the meeting. Next month's prize will be \$250.00. Remember you must be present at the meeting to be able to win.

The membership number in the last newsletter was belonged to Dave Jacober and was in the Business Planning article. 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.



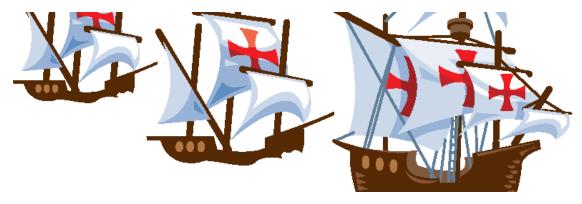
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4 Respect for Life Chain Rt 40 & 143 2 - 3 PM	5 4th Degree Social 7:00 PM Powhatton Rest	6 Ladies Auxillary 7:00PM	7 Bingo 7:30PM Steve & Carla Roper Herb & Dot Durbin Bartender: L. Landmann	8 Euchre 7:30PM Columbus Club Executive Meeting 7:00PM Council Officer's Meeting 8:00PM	9 Highland Community < Foundation	10 Private Party
11 Living Rosary St Paul Church 7:00 AM	12 Columbus Day	13 Council Meeting 7:30 PM	14 Bingo 7:30PM Jerry Genteman Tim Korte Henry & Linda Jaeger Barlender: Jim Kampwerth	15 Euchre 7:30PM	16	17 Private Party
18 Private Party	Knight Time Singers 7PM Villa of St James Shriners	20 Squires 8pm>	21 Bingo 7:30PM Leon Luber Lowell Wellen Terry Deichmann Bartender: Jerry Genteman	22 Euchre 7:30PM	23 St Joseph Hospital Health Fair	24 United Nations D St Joseph Hospital Health Fair
25 Pork Sausage Dinner	26 Boy Scouts	27 Highland Fire Dept	28 Bingo 7:30PM Ray & Pat Korte Bartender: Gary Graminski	29 Euchre 7:30PM	30	31 Halloween Springfield Chapter Hall of Fame Dinner Effingham 4 PM Mass
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FROM THE EDITORS

Please send us your ideas, or articles by October 21st and it will appear in the next Newsletter. We will accept an email with your information for the newsletter.

Please check your parish bulletin or the back of your church for our current newsletter. The Newsletter is also available online at http://www.highlandkc.org/Newsletters.asp .

Please update us with your new email, cell phone, or postal address changes. If you use a cell phone as your primary phone service please let us know your number so we can update our records. Please call the hall at 654-9049 and advise your phone number.

If you have an email address send an e-mail to our email address knights@highlandkc.org so we can add your address to our e-mail listing. You can reach our website at www.highlandkc.org.

Bill Napper, Herb Durbin , Chris Chalfant Newsletter Editors

Thank You

Here are just four members of the Highland Knights of Columbus who were asking for donations during part of the Intellectual Disabilities drive which took place over the weekend.

Many other KC members also took part in the campaign.

If you gave a donation, you are sincerely thanked by the KCs, but more importantly, you have made a huge difference in the lives of many others who benefit from the KC's annual program.







Brian Comish

Dean Grapperhaus



Lowell Wellen



Paul Dunker

PORK SAUSAGE DINNER SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 2015

CHAIRMAN: Joe Wetmore CO-CHAIRMAN: Jerry Klostermann

FOOD & SUPPLY COMMITTEE: Dave Gall, Dave Korte, Jim Gutzler & Tom Switzer

ADVERTISING: Leon Luber

TIME: 10:30 – 5:30 Clean up after 6:00pm

MENU: Pork Sausage & Roast Beef in Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Apple Sauce, Sauerkraut, and Homemade Desserts.

If you don't see your name, feel free to come and volunteer. Extra help is always appreciated.

SAUSAGE SALES

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BINGO October 21st

Leon Luber,

Sunday, October 25 Sausage Sales

SUNDAY 9:00 - 2:00 Tony Budde Sr., Steve Gruner, Available - person needed SUNDAY 2:00 - 5:30 Steve Ficker, Steven Ficker, Joseph Geiger, Keith Korte

CARRY OUTS

SUNDAY 10:00 - 2:00 Wayne Branger, Scott Korte, Jay Korte, Gary Korte, David Kampwerth

SUNDAY 2:00 - 5:30 Tom Hoffmann, , Dan Kapp, Jim Kampwerth

TICKETS 10:30 - 2:00

Glenn Hoyt Ken Kapp Available - person needed Steve Kerchner

TICKETS 2:00 - 5:30

Jack Landolt Phil Klostermann Available - person needed Maurice Kramper

SETUP CREW 9:30 - 1:30 CHAIRMAN— Martin Klostermann

Don Lohman D. Gruenenfelder Andy Jansen **Donald Frank Brad Jakel Brant Frey** Paul Kustermann Phil Krydinski Bruce Johnson Cliff Gruner **Brian Courtney** Mike Gilomen Scott Abbott **Bob Luitjohan** Kenneth Fischer Bob Lemp

Hal Klaus

KITCHEN 9:00 - 2:00 CHAIRMAN - Gene Bruggemann

FRYER CREW: Gary Deuser Paul Frey Available - person needed Dominic Fornelli Henry Jaeger John A. Gantner Matt Bochantin Tom Bruggemann Steve Brendel Ron Kapp Tom Bruggemann KITCHEN HELP: Tom Alhmeyer **Gary Gacevich** Dave E. Korte Jim Klostermann **Donald Brinker** Brian Gnaedinger Mac Clayton Gary Graminski Tom Klostermann Ralph Bruggemann Ken Klostermann

Tim Lucia

BARTENDERS 10 - 3 Larry Korte 3 Till Close Orville Landmann

Terry Lammers

Trent Gnaedinger

KITCHEN 2:00 - 5:30 CHAIRMAN - Marion Bohnak

FRYER CREW:

Bob Buehne Elmer Emig Paul Hereford
Mike Carroll Robert Kloss Zack Hereford
Philip Hereford Danny Kloss Russell Kloss
Jason Boeser Brian Buehne Rich Kampwerth

KITCHEN HELP:

Brain Lammers

Dennis Bellm Rich Boeser John Deselm Blackie Kuhl Jerry Gentemann Al Hilmes Randy Kleinmann Mike Kuhl Steve Kessman Tony Hemann David Frank Frank Lipski Ed Geier Joe La Porte Randy Luitjohan Craig Gnaedinger

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Grand Knights Message

On September 15th, almost 200 Firefighters, EMT's and members of Council 1580 were treated to an evening of fellowship and camaraderie. The evening began with the Elijah Daley family en-

tering the hall with son Elijah demonstrating riding skills he has developed over the past year. The adaptive bicycle has surely proven to be an excellent therapeutic device for both he and sister Kadance. On behalf of his wife Angie, Elijah Daley expressed his sincerest gratitude for the assistance. Youngest daughter Emerson Daley made 3 lucky door prize recipients happy as she provided assistance in drawing the winning tickets with the grand



prize being two tickets to the much anticipated Bourbon, Beer & Wine Tasting event in Nov. Featured speakers for the evening's event included state law enforcement officer's Bob Patterson and Steve Jackson. Their presentation included the topic of "meth labs" and the dangers and horrors that surround this awful drug. They expressed how happy they were that citizens of the Highland community are on the watch for potentially hazardous elements. Many thanks to all members who made this evening so special!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all who participated in the 2015 Intellectual Disabilities Drive. For the most part, the weather held off long enough to assure that we achieve our goal. How nice it was to stand in much cooler conditions this year. Many people worked multiple hours and shifts and for that we are greatly appreciative.

Over the years, October has been a month of "Respect for Life" prayer and devotion. Please note that on Oct, 4th the annual Life Chain will take place between the hours of 2:00p.m. – 3:00p.m. at the corners of Route 40 and Route 143. Also, the Living Rosary will be held on Oct. 11th at St. Paul Church at 7:00 a.m. just before Mass that morning. Those Sir Knights, Brother Knights, Ladies and Squires interested in participating are asked to arrive at the church at 6:45 that morning for instructions. Our Church Director Don Lohman will be leading Rosary. I will send a phone tree message out as reminder because we will not be having a meeting beforehand.

Also, those of you wishing to attend to the annual Hall of Fame Dinner on Oct. 31st in Effingham are encouraged to contact me at (618) 803-8362 for details and to make a reservation. Our very own Brother Knight Orville Landmann will be enshrined on that day.

Wishing you the comforts of Pages, Love and Love

Wishing you the comforts of Peace, Love and Joy, Joe Wetmore, Grand Knight

Vocations Raffle Tickets

Our future priests need and deserve our support. Along with daily spiritual support through prayer, we can also provide much needed financial support.

The Illinois State Council K of C Charities Vocations Support Program is an excellent way to participate. The Vocations Support Program benefits both the Illinois State Council and our local Council 1580.

Everyone can participate by purchasing or selling the Vocations Raffle tickets included with this newsletter. The tickets are being offered for \$1.00 per ticket or a book of 15 tickets for \$12.00. The Council's goal is to sell 300 books this year. Please return the tickets by Monday, 23 Nov 2015, by using the return envelopes also included. For every book sold, your Council 1580 retains \$6.00 to support local Vocation needs.

Thanks to everyone for supporting our seminarians both spiritually and financially.