



Knights News

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North Ridgeville, Ohio

Council 7970

February 2018

Gentlemen,

Some I saw on an Italian newspaper website after attending St. Rocco's Good Friday service. I looked up what I was witnessing.

"In recalling the Lord's Death, we are reminded that Good Friday is not the end and there is Easter Sunday, as so we walk forward, in procession, because our life is a journey; our daily trials and sorrows are to be embraced with the same love and devotion of Mary. The Holy Mother of God was and remains the first of all the disciples of her Son, our Lord. It is Mary, who teaches us by her example how to remain faithful in the midst of difficulties, even in the face of death. It is Mary who is the model of true Christian living and liberty; waiting in joyful hope for her Son's resurrection on Easter Sunday. Madonna Dolorosa, prega per noi!"

Happy Easter and God bless,
GK Ed Knoblauch

Calendar of Events

2018	
April	
5	Council Meeting – St. Peter
7	4 th Degree Exemplification - Westlake
8	K of C Sunday
14	Seminary trip
21	Men's Day of Recollection
28	Monthly Luncheon – City Diner
May	
3	Council Meeting – St. Peter
6	K of C Sunday

March Intentions

Rosary Rita Price & Family

Mass Intentions for Deceased Brother Knights

Here is an updated list of mass intentions for deceased brothers: All are at St. Peter Church

George Smith

- 8/5/18 Sunday 8:00 am
- 11/25/18 Sunday 12:00 pm

Membership

Membership 191 Members 10-19-17

Quarterly Communions Scheduled

Scheduled Quarterly Communion Masses are:
August 12, 2018 @ St. Peter @ 10:00 a.m.
October 28, 2018 @ St. Julie @ 10:30 a.m.

Neither parish has any other Masses scheduled for K of C 7970 in 2018. If you feel that there is something else scheduled, check with the respective parish?

Medallions Available

The Council will make available to any 3rd Degree member this year's Commemorative Medallion that is being offered to all those completing the Third Degree Exemplification. You do not have to re-do your 3rd degree if you desire to have one of these beautiful coins. You will be able to purchase them at any council meeting for the cost of \$5.00. Just come to a meeting.

Pancake Breakfast

Brother John Barnes reported that the council held another successful Annual Pancake Breakfast. Thank you all Brothers for your assistance in making this a success with the community.

Monthly Luncheon

Our March luncheon will be a LUNCH at City Diner on Saturday, April 28 at NOON.

Isabella News

Isabellas are considering having a speaker from the Second Harvest Food Bank address the guild at a future meeting. Consideration of having an additional baby changing station has been removed from future discussion.

They are looking at having a Communications Officer so as to facilitate the distribution of news quicker. This would help when someone is ill or hospitalized and news was important to pass out.

If you are the spouse or daughter of a Knight or are interested in supporting the Knights of Columbus in North Ridgeville; we are where you need to be. Our meetings are held at the St. Peter Galilee Room.

Next Meeting Scheduled

May 21, 2019

June 18, 2019

Men's Retreat Update

The K of C Council 7970 and the Men's Fellowship Breakfast of St. Peter and St. Julie Billiart are sponsoring "Men Inspiring Men" a one day of recollection. The day will center on the theme of "Here I am Lord". As the song to our theme says, "I

have heard you calling in the night; I will go Lord, if you lead me..." The subjects presented will follow topics set up by a survey of 62 attending the January Men's Breakfast. Please set-aside the date of April 21, 2018 where it will begin immediately following the Men's Breakfast which starts at 8:30 am at St. Julie Billiart. The day will end at the 5 pm. mass. (SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION)

Holy Hour for Vocations

Thanks to Tom Banner for persevering month after month holding a Holy Hour on the first Tuesday from 6-7 PM. Numbers of attendees are on the increase and Tom says there is still room for more. All are invited to attend this very worthwhile cause. A rosary is included during the prayer time.

Council 7970 Officers for 2017-18

Grand Knight – Ed Knoblauch

Deputy Grand Knight – Bill Daw

Chaplain – Rev. Dr. Richard Gonser (Ret.)

Chancellor – Pat Foster

Warden – Tom Trotto

Recorder – Ken Williams

Treasurer – Ted Lapponi

Financial Secretary – Herb Sill

Outside Guard – Dale Kramer

Inside Guard – Pete Fera

Advocate – Larry Kowalski

3 year Trustee – Tom Banner

2 year Trustee – Gary Klemens

1 year Trustee – Chris Snyder (accepted nomination)

Lecturer – Ray McConaghy

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“Men Inspiring Men” is a day to set on your Calendar

As the Scriptures tell us, **“as iron sharpens iron, so one man must sharpen another”** (Proverbs 27:17). Save Saturday, April 21, 2018 for discussing these questions and responses to a men’s day of recollection.

- Do you find yourself fighting with temptation? Would you like to know how to make decisions when struggles and problems arise?
- Do you wish to lead your family more into their faith?
- Do you want to make prayer a bigger part of your life?
- How do I become a better man, husband, father and friend?

The day will center on the theme of **Here I am Lord**. As the song to our theme says, “ I have heard you calling in the night; I will go Lord, if you lead me...” Maybe it’s not where I am now but where I would like to be.

The K of C Council 7970 and the Men’s Fellowship Breakfast of St. Peter and St. Julie Billiard are sponsoring a one day of recollection **“Men Inspiring Men”**. Please set-aside the date of Saturday, April 21, 2018 where it will begin immediately following the Men’s Breakfast which starts at 8:30 am at St. Julie Billiard. The day will end at the 5 pm. mass.

A registration fee of \$10.00 will go toward lunch and program materials. If you have questions contact Ed Kollin at edkollin@hotmail.com from St. Julie. IF YOU ARE ATTENDING, PLEASE RSVP B E-MAIL TO JACK NUNNEY FROM ST. PETER AT jnunney@forestcitytech.com BY APRIL 14TH FOR OUR PLANNING PURPOSES. THANK YOU.

“Men Inspiring Men” Registration Form for Saturday, April 21, 2018

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Print Name _____ Parish _____

Address _____

Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Any Dietary needs if required _____

Name to call in an emergency _____ Phone # _____

The day will begin immediately following the Men’s Breakfast at St. Julie Billiard ending there at the 5 pm. mass. Please make the check out to St. Julie Billiard and leave it in an envelope at St. Julie Billiard administration office or hand it in at the men’s breakfast. The registration fee is \$10. IF YOU ARE ATTENDING, PLEASE RSVP B E-MAIL TO JACK NUNNEY FROM ST. PETER AT jnunney@forestcitytech.com BY APRIL 14TH FOR OUR PLANNING PURPOSES. THANK YOU.