



Knights News

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North Ridgeville, Ohio

Council 7970

May 2018

Canned Food Drive Bring a Non-Perishable to the Meeting

(To Benefit Community Care)

Brother Knights,

This month we will be taking nominations for new officers for the 2018-2019 fraternal year. If you want to nominate someone or yourself, do so at the May meeting. We will hold elections at the June meeting and installation will be late June or early July. Date to be determined.

May is the month of Mary. Let us honor her with daily devotions and ask for her intercessions in our difficult and trying times.

GK Ed Knoblauch

Membership

Membership 191 Members 10-19-17

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

Winners – Winners

- March 50/50 – Ken Blackmon
- March Membership – Ron Devine \$30 (not present)
- April 50/50 – Dale Kramer
- April Membership – Gene Schwartzwelder \$40
- May Membership Drawing - \$10
- \$500 Quarterly Drawing – Nick Modock

May Intentions

Rosary Mothers in our lives
Meeting Honoree Blessed Mother Mary

Calendar of Events

	<i>May</i>
3	Council Meeting – St. Julie
5	Monthly Luncheon
6	K of C Sunday
16	Hooked On Fishing
18-20	State Convention
26	Walking Rosary
	<i>June</i>
2	Men’s’ Fellowship Day
7	Council Meeting – St.Peter
10	K of C Sunday
14	Flag Day & Flag Retirement
	<i>July</i>
5	Council Meeting – St. Julie
8	K of C Sunday
22	Family Picnic
	<i>August</i>
2	Council Meeting – St. Peter
12	Quarterly Communion & K of C Sunday

Hooked On Fishing

Yeah! Its that time of year again. Let's go fishing. Our Council's Annual Hooked On Fishing program begins May 16. The 8th Grade class and Kindergarteners from St. Peter School will be joining us Knights at the North Ridgeville Central Park lake for a wonderful morning of fishing and camaraderie. For many children this is their first opportunity to ever fish. The joy it brings them is multiplied in our hearts when they come running with their 1st fish and want it measured. What fun! Please plan on joining your fellow Knights at this great event for an hour.

Where – South Central Park lake

When – 9:00 AM – May 16



Walking Rosary

Brother Knights and spouses and family members will walk St. Peter Cemetery on May 26 beginning at noon praying the Rosary and singing hymns to honor our deceased Brother Knights. Please join us for this very special tribute. We will assemble in the parking lot by the Shrine to the Unborn to begin the walk.

Donations

Mitch Carson - \$500
 Borremeo Seminarian Fund - \$200
 SOS (formerly Pennies for Heaven) - \$514
 St. Peter Church for use of Gym - \$200
 Kairos - \$200
 St. Julie 40th Anniversary - \$588.50

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Slate of Officers 2018-2019

(Published for your consideration)

Position	Current Officer	Proposed
Grand Knight	Ed Knoblauch	Ed Knoblauch
Deputy Grand Knight	William Daw	Vacant
Chancellor	Patrick Foster	Patrick Foster
Recorder	Kenrith Williams	Kenrith Williams
Treasurer	Theodore Laponi	Richard Hokenson
Advocate	Laurence Kowalski	Laurence Kowalski
Warden	Thomas Trotto	Thomas Trotto
Inside Guard	Pete Fera	Pete Fera
Outside Guard	Dale Kramer	Dale Kramer
1 Year Trustee	Christopher Snyder	Gary Klemens
2 Year Trustee	Gary Klemens	Thomas Banner
3 Year Trustee	Thomas Banne	Vacant

Assigned Positions

Financial Secretary	Herbert Sill
Chaplain	Rev. Richard Gonser
Lecturer	Raymond McConaghy

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?

Second Degree in Formation

Any 3rd Degree Brother Knight is welcome to become a member of the Council's 2nd Degree Exemplification Team. Please contact Brother Rich Hokanson if interested. Currently the 2nd degree is badly needed in Lorain County and the West Side of Cuyahoga County and this would be a great service for our Council to provide and help our Brother 1st Degree Members advance in their quest to full Knighthood in our Order. Rich can be reached by calling (859) 321-2265

Do you have enough K of C Insurance to help your family?

Fellowship Day

Our Annual Fellowship Day will be held on June 2 at the Rak Farm. This is the time to ask a friend you may have that is not a Knight to come and join in a game of Bags, drink a bit of refreshment and eat some great grilling. We have found in the past when you bring a friend he will likely consider joining after having experienced our hospitality. The day is for all our Brother Council members too. It helps renew friendships that may have waned for lack of attendance and also just to get together and relax and spend time with each other for a couple hours outside of a meeting. The day starts at noon setting up and formally at 2:00pm for the attendees.

Family Picnic

The Annual Family Picnic is scheduled for Sunday, July 22nd. Prior to the actual event there will be a "Planning" night on Friday, July 20 and Setup will be Saturday at 12:00pm. We need to get tables and chairs from St. Peter Gym and also set a couple of canopies for shade.

Scheduled to appear is The Pony for the kids and yes there will be a Piñata!

This is a FREE affair for the entire family. There will be plenty to eat and drink. All families are asked to bring a dish to share. A-M = Appetizer and N-Z = Desert. See you there.

Do You Have Pics?

Do you have pictures from our many events? Would you like to see them on our website or in the newsletter? We are looking to add more pictures of our events so others can see what we do and how much fun we actually have serving. Also, when we submit our projects to State and Supreme Headquarters it is always better understood if we have pictures to show what went on. All pictures will be considered for publication. All you have to do is get them to Bill Daw.

Contact Bill either by email wdaw924@msn.com or by cell phone (440) 376-5260. If you have pictures that are printed you can give them to Bill and he will scan them and return the pictures to you. You can also text message to the cell phone number and send your pictures that way too.

Monthly Luncheon

Our May luncheon will be a Dinner at Fiesta Jalapeno on Cinco de Mayo , May 5th at 6:00pm



April luncheon at City Diner

B.Daw

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

**Council 7970 Officers SLATE for
2018-19**

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. A donation was made to Mitch Carson to assist him with his needs while in the Seminary

Men's Retreat Update

The K of C Council 7970 and the Men's Fellowship Breakfast of St. Peter and St. Julie Billiart sponsored "Men Inspiring Men," a one day of recollection. The day centered 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 followed topics set up by a survey of 62 attending the January Men's Breakfast. Approximately 40 men attended the day. Spiritual guide for the day was Rev. Mr. Tom Daw, Deacon at Sacred Heart Church in Oberlin.

3rd Degree

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.

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.

The new list of Officers is present below for consideration. Voting will take place at the June Council Meeting. At the time of this printing a date for Installation has not yet been decided but will be by the June meeting. Although there are names suggested below please know that ALL positions are open to any 3rd Degree Knight desiring to help serve his council except Financial Secretary who is appointed.

Grand Knight – Ed Knoblauch
Deputy Grand Knight – Rich Hokanson
Chaplain – Rev. Dr. Richard Gonser (Ret.)
Chancellor – Pat Foster
Warden – Tom Trotto
Recorder – Ken Williams
Treasurer – **OPEN**
Financial Secretary – Herb Sill
Outside Guard – Dale Kramer
Inside Guard – Pete Fera
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**Vehicle & Driver
Blessing 7PM**

St Peter Church

**35777 Center Ridge Rd
North Ridgeville, OH
44039**

***Free
Ice Cream Social
In Gym***

50/50 RAFFLE

Friday, June 8, 2018

6:00 PM to 9:00 PM



ST PETER CHURCH PARISH LIFE COMMISSION