

KNIGHT WARRIOR NEWSLETTER

April 2025



ST. JOAN OF ARC
COUNCIL 15905
TOLEDO, OHIO

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY AWARDS

Knights of Columbus Council # 15905 monthly recognizes a Knight of the Month, Youth of the Month and Family of the Month. The intention is to honor and say thanks to Members of our Parish for the contributions they make to our Parish and Community.

Knight of the Month of March is Joe Drouillard for his chairing and working the pot roast dinner. For all the other work he does within our council.

Family of the Month of March is Alex and Sandy Koepfler for their support and help with our parish Food Pantry.

Our Youth for the Month of March is Logan Mayes for his help serving mass

Please Pray for Our Parish Seminarians and All Seminarians. Andrew Messer, and Declan Reimer.

Prayers

Brothers, please pray for those members of our council who are ill. We want to pray for all brothers from our council in need of prayers.

Also continued prayers for Joe Blochinger, Harry Garey, Dan Lefeld, Joe Schriner, and Rick Phillips.

Notice: Dues Letters for 2025 have been mailed out. If you did not receive yours, please contact Jim Peniston.

Keep Christ In Christmas Poster State Competition

CONGRATULATIONS LILIANA!

The Knights of Columbus received good news that the Keep Christ in Christmas Poster submitted by Liliana Sibani finished in 2nd place at the State Competition for 5th and 6th grade participants. Liliana's poster was selected #1 from 67 posters submitted to our council and then represented our council in the district competition. Congratulations once again to Liliana Sibani for this achievement.





Ladies Knight at the Derby

Friday, May 2nd at 6:00PM

The Pinnacle

Cost \$50 per person

RSVP by April 15th to Joe Drouillard. Response card is enclosed.

Dinner, dancing and games are planned. Derby attire is optional.

There will be a cash bar available.

Knights Night Out with Our Ladies Friday May 2, Pinnacle, cost \$50.00 per person. This will be a fun night out, those in charge put a lot of time and effort into making this a fun night for our council. Please turn your card in or call Joe Drouillard by April 15 with your reservation.

Please Note: All information going out to our membership should be directed to Jim Lemert at lemertj@aol.com

Communications Director position is open. If you are interested contact Michael Kralovic.

Praying the Rosary

You are encouraged to join one of the groups currently praying the rosary on Sunday morning. One group meets at 7:30, while the other group meets at 9:30. Knights and their families are currently leading the 9:30 Rosary. If you attend the 8:00 Mass, stick around and join us. Many of you who previously attended the 9:30 Mass, but now attend the 10:00 Mass, are invited to come at 9:30 to pray the rosary with us and then attend mass afterward. Hope to see you in church.

Eucharistic Ministers and Nursing Home volunteers are badly needed. Please consider either of these ministries and pray about that decision.

Thank you, Jim

40 DAYS FOR LIFE March 5 – April 13

SJA Lenten Soup and Speaker Series

Lenten Soup and Speaker Series April 9.

Potluck soup dinner begins at 6:00pm in Atrium, presentation follows at 6:45. Come for the night or just the presentation.

Lenten Stations of the Cross

Friday's During Lent Beginning at 7:00pm

April 17 Holy Thursday 1:15 Outdoor Stations by our school students

April 17 Holy Thursday Mass begins at 7:00 pm with adoration till midnight.

April 18 Good Friday Services:

12:00 Noon Stations of The Cross

3:00 pm Celebration of the Passion of The Lord


April 19 Holy Saturday 8:30pm Easter Vigil

**April 20 Easter Sunday Normal Mass
Schedule**

40 Cans for Lent

As your Lenten sacrifice/almsgiving/prayer, you are invited to participate in the 8th Annual **40 CANS FOR LENT**† to begin on Ash Wednesday, March 5th. The Knights of Columbus, St. Joan of Arc Council goal is to collect 10,000 lbs. of food and increase the involvement of involving every parishioner in every area of our parish community to daily, set one can of food in their brown grocery bag. All the food collected will support the St. Joan of Arc - Society of St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry, who serve as many as 300 families a week. We are asking you to purchase the following items: **Canned spaghetti, any soup, peanut butter, pancake mix & syrup, canned chicken, canned tuna, bread, canned fruit, and tuna helper.**

The overall parish goal is collecting 10,000 pounds of food. We will distribute **BROWN GROCERY BAGS** beginning the weekend of March 1st/2nd. The Brown Grocery Bags will be available all-day Ash Wednesday.

Beginning Palm Sunday, April 13th, the Knights of Columbus will begin accepting your **40 CANS FOR LENT**  **bags** through Holy Thursday, April 17th in the Atrium of the Church.

2025 Super Cash Bonanza Tickets

Thank you to all who have turned in tickets so far! Our first turn in number was 572 tickets which beat last year by almost 100 tickets! Great job everyone, we are on our way to our goal of 1041 tickets!

Keep selling and if you need more please let me know!

FINAL TURN-IN WILL BE MAY 4TH SO TICKETS CAN BE COUNTED and VERIFIED!

Johnny O

**Council Officers Meeting Monday April 7
7:00.**

Council Business Meeting Thursday April 10
Dinner 6:00, Rosary 7:00 Meeting Begins 7:30.

Corporate Communion Sunday April 20
10:00 Mass. Come sit together as a family and join us

for the Rosary beginning at 9:30AM. We encourage you to wear your council shirt.

Council Officers Meeting Monday May 5 7:00.

Council Business Meeting Thursday May 8
Dinner 6:00, Rosary 7:00 Meeting Begins 7:30.

Corporate Communion Sunday May 18
10:00 Mass. Come sit together as a family and join us for the Rosary beginning at 9:30AM. We encourage you to wear your council shirt.

Zac Brown Band Concert Concessions University of Toledo Saturday May 4 – More Information coming soon

2025 Lenten Fish Fries

Our Last Fish Fry is this Friday night, if you have not stepped up to work, please consider coming this Friday and helping.

We need many hands beginning with setup at 3:00. Frying at 4:00, with serving beginning from 5:00 – 7:00.

If you are willing to work, please contact Jerry Brown.
419-340-8272

Jerrybrownie54@yahoo.com

Adults \$15.00 Seniors \$12.00 under 12 \$8.00 Family 4+ \$45.00

Dine in & Carry Out 5:00PM – 7:00PM

Fish Fry April 11

2025 Council Golf Outing Date

Mark your calendar for this year's Golf Outing August 4 2025, Stone Oak Country Club

Nominating Committee

If you are interested in running for office or wish to retain your current position of office, please contact one of our Trustee's. We need to publish a slate of officers by our April 10th business meeting. Elections will take place at the May 8 business meeting. Officers elected will assume their positions beginning July 1, 2025, thru June 30, 2026. You must be a 3rd degree member in our order to run for office. Contact Rob Malone, Johnny Owczarzak or Jim Lemert if you have questions.

**St Joan of Arc Knights of Columbus Council
15905 Slate of Officer
To Be Elected May 8, 2025
July 1, 2025 June 30, 2026**

Grand Knight Bernie Drouillard

Deputy Grand Knight Joe Drouillard

Chancellor Gabriel Jakubisin

Recorder Martin Cousino

Treasurer

Advocate Sean Weirich

Warden Paul Tepanecatl

Inside Guard Bill Thome

Inside Guard Thad Beely

Outside Guard Joe Reimer

Outside Guard

3 Year Trustee Michael Kralovic

2 Year Trustee Rob Malone

1 Year Trustee Johnny Owczarzak

As a reminder directors are appointed by the Grand Knight, there are 4 program directors and a general program director. Faith, Family, Community, and Life. The directors are responsible for programming in their areas, and finding event chairman. While not elected, elections are a great opportunity to express interest in any of these roles.

Priest Appreciation Dinner

Save the date, Tuesday April 29, 5:30

Graystone Hall Perrysburg, Ohio.

It is that time of year again! It is time to say THANK YOU to our Priests for all that they do. Therefore, we are now launching the Priest Appreciation Dinner Reservations live to all of our members. Yes, Bishop Thomas will be there, barring any unforeseen circumstances. Below are the details:

What: 7th Annual Priest Appreciation Dinner

When: Tuesday, April 29, 2025

Time: 5:30 P.M. Social, 6:30 Dinner

Location: Graystone Banquet Hall - 29101 Hufford Rd, Perrysburg, OH 43551

Dinner: Served by Butch's Country Catering. Will feature chicken, roast beef, kielbasa, with corn, potatoes, salad, dessert

Bar: All drinks are cash bar only

Cost Per Person: \$40.00 per person

Signed up so far, Jim Roberta Lemert, Jim Toni Rybarczyk, Jim Marge Peniston and Rob and Pam Malone.

April Birthdays

Johnny Owczarzak

Ernest Messer

Frank Wisniewski

Jack Trembach Sr.

Dave Gruen

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Bret Hunterbrinker

Deacon Stan Przbylek

Benjamin Cousino

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



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