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Please help support the Ladies at our next Burger Night on September 18th.



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Grand Knight's Column

Dear Brother Knights,

The summer has gone by very quickly for us.

We installed our new officers at our regular meeting on June 12th.

It took some searching to locate the Holy Icon, however, we did display it at St. Clement on June 22nd.

Our picnic was held at the A's on June 24th. It was well attended.

Our last Burger night was August 21st.

The month of September will have several items for our council.

The officers meeting will be Thursday, September 4th at the KC hall.

Our regular 3rd degree meeting will be at the KC hall on September 11th at 6pm..

The 4th Degree meeting will be Wednesday, September 17th followed by burger night on Thursday June 18th.

Knight's Calendar

September

- 4 KC Officer Meeting 6:30
- 11 **KC Membership Meeting 6**; Ladies 7
- 17 4th Degree Meeting Mass 5:30; Social 6; Dinner 7; KC Center
- 18 Ladies Bake Sale and Burger Night 5-7
- 26 KC Fish Fry

October

- 2 KC Officer Meeting 6:30
- 9 KC Membership Meeting 7; Ladies 7
- 15 4th Degree Meeting Mass; Social 6; Dinner 7; KC Center
- 16 Ladies Bake Sale and Burger Night 5-7
- 31 Fifth Friday Fish Fry

I need help at each of our parishes for upcoming membership drives. I will bring items to be used at each drive for new members. Please ask persons at mass if they would consider becoming a Knight. Please contact me to assist in our membership committees for each parish.

We have one person at present waiting for a date for exemplification. Let me know if you have others who wish to become Knights.

I am very proud to say we have achieved star council again this year. This was due to the hard work of our council as a team. Thank you.

We would not be able to complete the many activities our council completes each year then arrange for the donations we make without everyone's hard work.

My thanks to all who assist in the many projects our council completes during the year. It takes many members to manage and complete the work at hand. I look forward to seeing you at our upcoming activities.

In Christ,
Grand Knight Alvin Ice



Pope Leo's Prayer Intentions for September

Vatican City, 1 September 2025 (VIS) – The Holy Father's prayer intention for September – For our relationship with all of creation “Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

Chaplain's Column

Brother Knights and Families,

Where has time gone? It just seems like we were getting ideas for our monthly meetings, charitable events, planning our activities and now it is time to set up the events for this year. I hope all of you had an enjoyable summer with the various things that you and your family do.

At this time of the year, vegetable gardens are reaping the fruits of their labors. Everything seems to ripen all at once. Look at the growth of the vegetables and crops that you planted earlier this year as something mysterious and holy. The few seeds that you planted, along with the rain, sunlight and cultivation becoming an abundant crop is nothing short of a miraculous event. Jesus used the image of the agricultural cycle to describe the mysterious unfolding of the kingdom of God.

God's kingdom among us begins as a seed; something small and seemingly insignificant---a little faith, a kind word, a smile, a thought, a gesture, a listening ear or a shoulder to cry on---and then it sprouts and grows. The small gestures and positive dispositions inspire great acts of love and self-giving. Then comes the harvest of the fruits of charity and justice that comes about through cooperation with God's grace.

As you observe the glory of the harvest in your neighbor's vegetable plots, in farmer's fields, in urban gardens, or in your own patch, try to contemplate the mystery of God's kingdom in your life—how it begins small and grows into something great. Reflect, too, on Jesus' teaching of the bountiful harvest as a call to go forth and evangelize, teaching the word of God and sharing his love with others through works of mercy.

God's Blessings,
Fr. Dick

Fourth Degree News
From Your Faithful Navigator

Worthy Sir Knights and Ladies,

As I start this letter I just read the August 28th Knightline where it talked about St Augustine, his feast day, and the core values of “The Augustinians” and how they match the K of C values of unity, community, and friendship. If you read your summer issue of Columbia, our Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly also reflected on these similarities. With these thoughts in mind, my challenge for our Assembly this year is to focus on our values of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism.

As I have listened to council reports in the past, I know I do not need to reflect on charity. Thank you for all that you do to be charitable members. We as members of our assembly unite in our goals. Therefore, I would like to direct your attention to the subject of fraternity. We are an ageing assembly and with that comes its own challenges. We have members that have health, family and other issues that are not always known.

As you read this letter, I invite you to consider: how might we deepen the spirit of fraternity in our lives and communities? What steps can we take today, this week, this year? Let us begin with small acts—listening more attentively, offering encouragement, supporting one another in times of need. I offer you my deepest hope that the spirit of fraternity may grow ever stronger among us, for in our unity lies our strength, and in our compassion, our salvation.

SEE YOU AT THE SEPTEMBER 17TH MEETING

Fraternally,

Tim Woodworth, Faithful Navigator

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Prayers Requested

Please pray for our fellow Brothers or members of their families who have taken ill or are in distress in some way.

Chris Bamm, Christy Carpenter, Charlene and Francis D. Goettl, Sr., Ken Johnson, Randy & Julie Lorfeld, Rhonda Fouts, Bob Jeske, Frank and Linda Keglovits, Cindy Keglovits Trieu, Larry Lenhardt, Jane Lydolph, Sandra Miller, William Peloquin, Don Pitzen, Lynn Schnell, Anchor of Hope Health Center, Children of the Knights and special intentions

If you know of a Brother Knight or his family member who needs our prayers or a visit, contact our Grand Knight Mike Gary Reinholtz so he can inform the members of our Council. Contact: 920-917-3676 or webmastersheboygankofc.com

Knight of the Year

SK Vince Karls

Family of the Year

SK Don and Marge Grimm

In Memoriam

September Years of Service

Arthur Stein Jr	51	Thomas L Brickley	14
Wayne Novak	46	Daniel I Petrie	14
Mark Sprangers	44	Gary A Reinholtz	14
Richard Stephani	44	Nicholas C Reinl	14
Richard Marfilius	39	Tim J Schmidt	14
Rev Richard Fleischman	36	Brooks C Hesselink	5
Jerome Wenninger	33		
Bruce Henry	31		
Joseph Kerlin	29		
Kevin C Hemb	24		
Michael C Wirth	22		

Happy Birthday!

Wishing you a day that is as special in every way as you are!

Bill Wallace	09-02-1948
Elmer J Schemenauer	09-05-1937
Dennis G Van Hoof	09-07-1955
Chris C Bramm	09-08-1957
Louis K Erlicher	09-08-1939
Michael J Johnson	09-08-1951
Richard J Stephani	09-08-1940
Eric K Lee	09-10-1960
Timothy J Roose	09-18-1977
Richard J Marfilius	09-22-1963
Wayne A Orsted	09-28-1948

Operation Archangel

Thank you to the Plymouth Council 1789 for their donation of \$500. This donation will support the Catholic Chaplains at the Milwaukee VA and thereby continue to care for our veterans.

Sincerely,
SK Francis Goettl



Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle. Be our
protection against the
wickedness and snares of the
devil; May God rebuke him, we
humbly pray; And do thou, O
Prince of the Heavenly Host, by
the power of God, thrust into hell
Satan and all evil spirits who
wander through the world for the
ruin of souls. Amen



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FALL KICK-OFF RALLY

Sunday, **September 21, 4 p.m.**

Knights of Columbus Hall, 833 Center Ave, Sheboygan

Speaker: **JAKE CURTIS, IRG**

Jake will explain what recent legislative actions and judicial rulings mean for the pro-life movement.

Contact: Germaine 920-918-2310 or Gina 920-917-9324

**40 DAYS
FOR LIFE**
**September 24th til
November 2nd**



HELP BUILD A CULTURE OF LIFE!

LIFE IS NOT DISPOSABLE.

ABORTION IS NOT HEALTHCARE.

The time is **NOW**. It's simple. It's easy. We provide signs. All you need to do is stand in humble prayer for the sake of God's most vulnerable, and be ready to share that **FREE** compassionate care is available just across the street.

AND THEN LET GOD DO THE REST.

Sign up for vigil hours **NOW!**

Here's how to take part in 40 Days for Life in our community:

Vigil location: Outside Planned Parenthood, 909 S. Taylor Dr, Sheboygan

Vigil hours: 7 am to 7 pm daily

Local contacts: Germaine 920-918-2310
or Gina 920-917-9324

Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at the web address shown below!

40daysforlife.com/sheboygan

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