



Knights of Columbus

Elkhart Council, No 1043
112 E. Lexington Avenue
Elkhart, Indiana 46514

Meetings Second Tuesday
of Each Month

June 2004

Roster of Officers

Grand Knight- Dave Towner
Deputy Grand Knight- Terry Chomer
Chancellor - Mike O'Bryant
Recorder - Joe Eppers
Financial Secretary - Scott Chris
Treasurer- Larry Scalise
Advocate- Tom Pawlak
Warden-Tony Szucs
Guard Inside- Steve Gonsoski
Guard Outside- Benny Wiercioch
1st Year Trustee- Tom O'Hara
2nd year Trustee- Bernie Hartogh
3rd Year Trustee-James Gallagher

Honorable Mention

We must congratulate these members for their 25 years of service with the Knights of Columbus. The Brother Knights have donated their time and efforts this year, their 25th: Fr. Dave Carkenord, James P. Mauck, Jr., and Robert R. Meehan.

Get & Wear Your Name Tags

Many of you have already received your name tags. Now is the time to wear them at mass. It will give us a presence at church and let others know we are proud to be a K of C member. Hopefully, it will encourage others to join us, so please wear your name tags. If you don't have one, you can call me at 264-2555 or e-mail at jhgirish@verizon.net.

Jim Gallagher

In Our Prayers

Brother Knights who are in need of our prayers are remembered at the meetings. We would like you to also remember them in your prayers. They include: Ed Bollero, Joe Kryder, Ralph Montagano , Bud Koons, Pete Falcone, Bill Lauer, Ken Fisher, Harold Black, Ed Borger, Tom Farrell, John Kidder, Cliff Brenneman Dick Hess, Tom Farrell, and Edward Wenzel.

Condolences

Frank Lorentz, a 40-year member of the Knights of Columbus, passed away on June 12. He and his wife, Mary Ann, own The Copy Shop where we get our K of C bulletin printed. We offer our prayers and condolences to his wife and family.

Condolences

Louis N. Patanelli passed away on May 18, 2004. He was a 39-year member of the Knights of Columbus. We offer our prayers and condolences to the family.

Letter from the Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

Congratulations to our newly elected officers for the next year. They are:
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Installation of officers will be at our next meeting on July 13, 2004 at 7 p.m. in the Council chambers. I would like to thank everyone who helped make this past year a successful and prosperous one. We accomplished much and helped a lot of people and organizations. I am looking forward to doing the same this next year.

God Bless and have a safe summer!
Grand Knight Dave "Mick" Towner

Congratulations- Knight of The Month

Benny Wiercioch

Benny's efforts on behalf of the Knights of Columbus and the works of the Knights is outstanding. He works tirelessly to raise funds not only for the baskets for needy families at Christmas but also for supporting ADEC, having sold case after case of Tootsie Rolls .



Rosary

We would like to get more Brother Knights to help us pray for our members and others. It is sad to see so few at our Holy Rosary on the 1st Friday of every month. This Rosary has started its 22nd year without a miss. How many of you have ever attended?

When someone like Harold Black is able to come and pray with us, what keeps others from attending and praying for Joe Kryder, Ralph Montagano, Bud Koons, Pete Falcone, Bill Lauer, Ken Fisher, Harold Black, Ed Borger, Tom Farrell, John Kidder and Cliff Brenneman? The next Rosary, our 255th consecutive, will be on Friday, July 2, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Vincent's . We hope to see you there.

Benny

June Meeting

It was good to see the following Brother Knights at June 8th meeting: Steve Gonsoski, Benny Wiercioch, Dave Towner, Larry Scalise, Joe Eppers, Tony Szucs, Terry Chomer, Bernie Hartogh, Tim Casey, Matt Casey, Tom Pawlak, Al Arko, Gordon Scott, T.J. Repaich, Mike O'Bryant, Jim Gallagher, Jerry Lockwood, Sherman Hansen, Joe Tinervia, Melvin Taylor, Brad Billings, Mitchell Nihart, and Lee Evers.

Knights of Columbus Centennial Celebration

Since the Council will have our 100th anniversary on October 15, 2005, committees are being formed now for the celebration. We need volunteers to help with various sub-committees. If there are any suggestions of activities to commemorate this milestone event or if you wish to volunteer, please let Gene or Joe T. know via e-mail or telephone. Joe Tinervia: gtinerv@earthlink.net or cell phone: 574-370-0688 (leave voicemail if no answer)

Joe Tinervia and Gene Damalas

Thanks for Giving

Benny Wiercioch and his wife, Virginia, worked at selling Elder Beerman coupon certificates for \$5.00 each. It was a special opportunity for as much as 30% off on some items. They were good for only 5 hours on Saturday morning, the 5th of June, from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. They sold 25 tickets at \$5.00 each. The money is to go to the Knights of Columbus Christmas Fund for food for the needy. We collected \$125 as starters for the baskets at Christmas time. Thank you very much. If we missed you, we are sorry.

Birthdays for June

Date	Member	Saint
3	Thomas A. Pawlak	St. Clotilda
5	Maynard L. McClintic	St. Boniface
6	James L. Letherman	St. Norbert
7	Richard E. Dyer	St. Antony Gianelli
10	Kenneth Hartogh	St. Ephraem
10	Charles R. Ornduff	St. Landry of Paris
13	Richard A. Eppers	St. Triphyllius
14	Vern J. Miller	St. Methodius
16	Dominick A. Ambrose	St. Lutgardis
16	Christopher Johnson	St. Aurelian
23	Michael P. Koons	St. Thomas Garnet
24	Edward P. Klose	St. Bartholomew
26	Vincent Vonder Vellen	St. Anthelm
27	Leonard K. Collett	St. Ladislaus
27	James D. Stroup	St. Zolilus of Cordova
28	John A. Fisher	St. Sergius
30	James R. Phalen	St. Theobald

Calendar of Coming Events

July 13— K of C meeting 7 p.m.

“It’s No Balouny” Insurance Update

By Bob Baloun, K of C Field Agent

If any agent or representative of another company suggests that you cash in or discontinue paying premiums on your K of C insurance policy, please call me immediately. Why? Because the replacement of one policy with another can cost you substantial amounts of money! You may have accumulated cash values and dividends in your present policy that would take years to build up in a new one. Losing money may not be the only problem. Your existing policy has guaranteed options which are more favorable to you and your beneficiaries than those in a new policy. If your financial needs have changed, there is a good chance that the old policy can be adjusted to meet your current situation. Should a replacement attempt be made, be sure you have all the facts. Call me and give us the opportunity to review the replacement proposal with you so you will have both sides of the story. Then you can make a financially sound decision.

Robert Baloun, Insurance Agent 272-3304

Bible Quiz- “Wood” You Know?

Match the tree in column ‘A’ with the Event in column ‘B’.

A	B
1. Fig	a. Used in making parts of the temple in the wilderness.
2. Palm	b. Branches of this tree carried on festive occasions.
3. Olive	c. Climbed by Zacchaeus to see Jesus as he passes by.
4. Shittah	d. The dove from the ark brought a branch from this tree to Noah.
5. Sycamore	e. Leaves sewn together to make aprons for Adam and Eve

Answers to “Wood” You Know.
1.e 2.b 3.d 4.a 5.c

And You Thought You Were Smart- by Benny

1. What two teams were formerly the Washington Senators?
2. Who was the last triple crown winner in horse racing?
3. What was Bob Cousy’s alma mater?
4. What was Barry Sanders’ alma mater?
5. What was Charles Barkley’s alma mater?
6. What former heavy-weight boxing champion’s son won a super-bantam weight title?