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Special Points of Interest:

- Feb. 2 Adoration
- Feb.4 Pancake B/F
- Feb. 5 O & D Meeting
- Feb.8 Business Mtg.
- Feb. 23 Fish Fry
- Feb. 24 Men's Conference

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Lenten Fish Fry

Councils annual Fish Fry will be held on March 9, 2018, starting at 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. This year the fry chairman will be Duane Dudkiewicz. His contact information is: duanedudkiewicz@gmail.com.

Brother Knights are needed in the following areas for the fish fry:

- Set up
- Preparation and food pickup
- Cooking [if you cook, you cleanup your area]
- Serving and Dining Room help
- Cleanup [Kitchen area, Fryers, outside cooking area and other KP duties, i.e. trash removal]

Last year, the council served over 250 meals. This year we are expecting over 300, thus the need for everyone to help.

If you don't like to attend meetings, but would like to participate in a council activity with your brother knights, this is your chance.

If you are a new knight, this is your opportunity to meet and work alongside some veteran knights [fish fryers].

Are you still not sure? Check our website under council fish fry for more council photos.



State Raffle Tickets

State Raffle Tickets are being sold by our council. This year the prizes have change from previous years.

- The prizes are as follows:
- First Prize - \$5,000.00
 - Second Prize - \$4,000.00
 - 3rd & 4th Prizes - \$500.00
 - 5th & 6th Prizes - \$400.00
 - 7th Prize - \$ 200.00
- Don't be left out, do your part

in help the council sell the tickets. One half of the sale price of the ticket is retained by the council for their charitable activities. This is a money maker without a lot of effort.

Last year this money helped the council send money to a worthy seminarian along his journey to the priesthood.





As we kick off the last half of the fraternal year, there are many opportunities to participate in council events.

The Supreme will be conducting a major membership drive in March which the council will participate. This is a great opportunity to ask the man next to you to join our great organization and become a better catholic. As the late Bishop Curlin once said. He never thought about joining the knights until he was asked.

Council Update

When he was asked, He said why should I join? The response convinced him. It was "To be a Better Catholic." As the late Bishop said "who wouldn't want to be a better catholic?"

The council has an Admission [1st] Degree scheduled for February 8th business meeting. Make plans on attending to support our new knights. Volunteer to be a member of the degree team. Backups are needed for all positions.

A Formation [2nd] Degree is being held on February 19, 2018, at the knight's clubs house on Horse Pen Creek road. Great chance for all new members to advance in the knowledge of what the knights are about. If you would like to become a member of the degree team, contact John Joyce our District Deputy.

The knights say the rosary the second Sunday of each month. Remember your promise to say

the rosary as often as possible. Our Lady is the Queen of the Knights. Volunteer to lead the prayers.

Lent begins on February 14, 2018. Attend the stations of the cross.

On Good Friday, the Knight's lead in the stations. Come and be one of the leaders.

Sat. Feb 24,

2018

7:30am—

3:40pm

St. Therese

Catholic

Church

Mooresville, NC

8th Annual Catholic Men's Conference

This year's feature speaker is Father Tom McCarthy, O.S.A. He is an experienced teacher, administrator, retreat director and parish mission preacher. He graduated from Villanova University with a B.A. in Communication Arts, from Catholic Theological Union with a Master of Divinity Degree and from Lewis University with a Master of Arts in Educational Administration.

Fr. Tom entered the Midwest Province of the Augustinian Order in 1987, made his solemn

vows as an Augustinian Friar in 1993 and was ordained to priesthood in 1994. He is currently President of St. Rita of Cascia High School and is also the Vocation Director for the Midwest Augustinian Province.

Men, the best investment you will ever make is in your eternal soul! This year's conference features nationally renowned Catholic speakers that will educate and inspire you to be the man God created you to be.

Abbot Placid Solari will celebrate the Most Holy Mass and Confessions will be offered throughout the conference. We highly encourage you to attend this year's event - don't delay and register now.

Pricing:

Regular Admission = \$35

K of C members/Seniors = \$30

Students/Sons/= \$25

FREE for Clergy

Membership Report

Council 11101 currently has 239 members.

We have added 6 new members this fraternal year. We need 11 more to make Star Council.

This number may seem high. However, it is possible with the members support.

Each one of us, as Knights, can recruit new members. Whether it be talking to our fellow parishioners, brothers or sons about the benefits of becoming a Knight.

Through our works of charity we help build a better community and church.

I encourage all members to take an active part in their council.

Many do not like attending business meetings. But this is a necessary function of any organization. Bills must be paid. Donations to our charities can only be made at a meeting.

All monies collected from any function be it L.A.M.B., Belk Charities Or Pancake Breakfast are council

funding. They can only be spent with the concessions of the council by a vote

Attending a couple of meetings a year and working a shift or two at council fundraisers goes a long way.

Look forward to seeing you all at future meetings and fundraisers.

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District Deputy Note

As our Council Officers attend our State Meeting in Salisbury, it is important that we all appreciate their leadership in our Council. Their personal commitment of time, energy and ideas are key to our Council program and membership successes. Their willingness to learn and help us improve is our greatest strength. I speak for all of you, as we thank them for their fraternal efforts.

On Feb 8th we will host an Admission (First) Degree before our Business Meeting. Scott Richter is our new team Chancellor. Scott and the entire First Degree Team deserve your support. Please come to renew your 1st^o oath and to endorse our new 1st^o candidates. Please arrive before 7pm. Business casual dress is required.

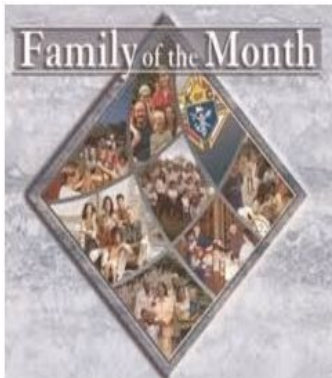
On February 19 at 6:30PM, our District will host a Forma-

tion Degree (2nd^o), held at the Knights Clubhouse. All First Degree Knights are encouraged to attend. Please RSVP to John Joyce [336-814-5005](tel:336-814-5005).

Knights often engage in respectful dialogue and debate, even matters in which members have strong opposing views. Let us remember that to bear wrongs patiently and to forgive offenses willingly, are spiritual works of mercy that all Knights should practice-



Family of the Month



February 2018

Neal & Susan Rochette

[Http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm](http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm)

Check our website for more information on the Family & Knight of the Month

Knight of the Month



January 2018

Brian Harvey

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Business Meetings—
Second Thursday of the Month

Officers & Directors Meeting -
Monday before the Business
Meeting

All Meetings in the Simmons Par-
ish Center at 7:00 pm

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Agent Report

Where did 2017 go? It seems like it was summer yesterday and Thanksgiving was last week.

I hope you and your family had a great finish to 2017. Now, the first quarter of 2018 is flying by.

Hopefully, you've established a few goals for this year. I've learned a great tip regarding resolutions. First, write them down. It's not too late if you haven't already done this. Commit your goals to paper and post it someplace you will see it often. Writing down a goal is the first step towards achieving it. It may not make sense at first, but I'm sure you have heard stories of the success this simple task

can bring. Whether your goal is to exercise more, give more to charity, read more or watch less television, you're more likely to accomplish it if you write it down.

Second, resolve to have an expert look at your finances. I recommend that you have a team of experts help you, and I would love to be the first you sit with. It's recommended that a team of experts consist of an accountant, an attorney, a financial planner and an insurance professional. Let's schedule some time to meet together, and I, your professional Knights of Columbus insurance agent, will provide an "insurance check-up" (at no cost!) that will evaluate any gaps in your family's

life insurance protection. Now might be the perfect time to fill those gaps, not later. Keep in mind that unlike many other products, you don't just need money to obtain life insurance; you also need good health, and no one knows when your health could change.

Did I mention my check-up is free of charge? When was the last time you received something for free that could provide value to you and your family for generations? Call me today.