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# FAITH IN ACTION

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## Newsletter

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### Easter Sunday

April 2024



April 7 - First Sunday Rosary after the 9:00 am Mass in the Chapel

April 8 - O & D Meeting 7 p m Simmons Parish Center

April 10 - Business Meeting 7 pm Simmons Parish Center

April 10 - Election of delegates to state convention

April 14 - Knight's Parish Pancake Breakfast after the 9 am mass

April 17 - Blood Drive 9:30 - 6:30 pm Simmons Center



## Grand Knight's Message



Worthy Brothers,

Hard to believe it but Easter is just days away and the season of Lent is coming to its conclusion. It seems like only yesterday it was Christmas. It's been a great time to be with the Knights. Even though time is flying by quickly we continue to stay active and busy as a Council.

We had an extremely successful Fish Fry. We served over 380 meals. There were many compliments by all who attended. Many thanks to all who were involved and volunteered to help make it a success.

Moving ahead we have the Masses taking place during Holy Week. Our 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Honor Guard will be taking part in Holy Thursday and the Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday. Once Easter is over we will move right into our next 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Rosary to be held on Sunday April 7<sup>th</sup> after the 9am Mass in the Chapel. We have our next pancake breakfast April 14<sup>th</sup> at 10am in the Simmons Center. We have our next blood drive on April 17<sup>th</sup> at the Simmons Center.

Our O&D meeting and Council meeting will take place on April 8 and April 10<sup>th</sup> respectively with both meetings taking place at 7pm in the Simmons Center. I encourage everyone to attend these meetings as we will begin the nomination process and voting for the next slate of Officers for the 2024-2025 fraternal year.

Finally we have our first annual golf outing coming up on May 3 at Oak Hollow Lake golf course. We have 3 great causes that have been chosen to benefit from the proceeds from this outing. You can find details elsewhere in this newsletter. We'll also be sending representatives from our council to the State Convention in Durham to help in the election of our State Officers.

Not much time for catching our breath eh? As you can see, we always have things going on and we always have need for Brothers to support and show out. I will continue to push the never-ending need to recruit new members. Look for details on a Membership drive that we'll be planning soon. Consider asking someone who is not a Knight currently to become one. It's as easy as 1-2-3 for them to become a member.

The days are getting longer and the needs of our parish and community continue. The one constant is our Brothers stepping up and meeting those needs on a regular basis. Thank you for all you do for the community, for the parish and for our Council.

Vivat Jesus,

Charles Cheney GK

## District Deputy Report

### 1951-1960 “ONE NATION UNDER GOD”

The Knights of Columbus initiated a campaign in 1951 for the public adoption of the phrase “under God” in the U.S. Pledge of Allegiance. One year after Supreme Knight Hart took office in 1953, President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a law that officially added the words “under God” to the pledge.

In the following years, the Knights made significant contributions to the Catholic Church in America. In 1953, a Catholic advertising program launched by Knights in Missouri was officially adopted by the Order as the Religious Information Bureau. It later became known as the Catholic Information Service when it moved to New Haven in 1969, through which Knights printed and disseminated brochures and pamphlets about the Catholic faith. The program also included a correspondence course for subscribers to learn about or clarify their knowledge of Church teachings.

Finally, the close of the 1950s saw the completion of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. The Order contributed \$1 million toward the completion of the church’s bell tower, known as the Knights’ Tower, and more than 1,000 Knights formed an honor guard for the dedication.

1951: The Order votes to fund the microfilming of irreplaceable documents from the Vatican Library, some dating to the pre-Christian era. The library at St. Louis University is named as the repository for the microfilm. By the 1956 opening of the Knights of Columbus Vatican Film Library at St. Louis University, 9.5 million manuscript pages have been microfilmed and made available for scholars.

1953: Luke E. Hart becomes supreme knight; he is the first supreme knight to move to New Haven to assume his duties, reflecting the development of the Knights as a corporation.

1953: For \$2.5 million the Knights of Columbus purchases the land that Yankee Stadium is built on. When news breaks of the Knights’ acquisition, councils and members send congratulatory telegrams to New Haven.

1953: A Catholic advertising program launched by Missouri Knights in the 1940s is adopted nationally by the Order. The ads encourage readers to learn more about Catholic teaching by contacting the Religious Information Bureau, later called the Catholic Information Service.

1954: On June 14, 1954, Flag Day, President Dwight D. Eisenhower signs a law adding “under God” to the U.S. Pledge of Allegiance, completing an effort Knights began three years earlier.

1959: On Nov. 20, 1959, the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., is dedicated with a more than 1,000 Knight honor guard. Knights contributed \$1 million, via a \$1.25 per-capita assessment over five years, for construction of the 329-foot bell tower.

# L.A.M.B. [Least Among My Brethren]



**2023 Awards Presentation**

**Project Search**



**Small Miracle**



**Peacehaven Community Farms**





**Ray & Bernie Menuey**

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

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



**Charles Murphy**

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# Golf Tournament

Knights of Columbus  
Council 11101  
St. Pius X Catholic Church



# Golf Tournament

*Save the Date*

Friday May 3rd



For more information  
**Contact: Jim Duffy - 336.500.3852**  
[jpduffy64@gmail.com](mailto:jpduffy64@gmail.com)

Brother Knights join the Golf Tournament Committee as our Council hosts a golf tournament on May [3rd.at](#) Oak Hollow Golf Course in High Point. We need Knights to sell sponsorships, recruit players, acquire donations and much more. Contact Jim Duffy 336.500.3852 or [jpduffy64@gmail.com](mailto:jpduffy64@gmail.com) to help us have a successful event.



# Golf Tournament

## Benefiting Charities

Proceeds from 2024 Golf Tournament will go to Operation LAMB and RSVP, Operation LAMB,



which is an acronym derived from the Biblical phrase in Matthew to serve the "Least Among My Brethren." Our allocation structure also ensures that our funding directly benefits the communities in which we live. Each local council allocates 85% of its collections for donation to local organizations. The remaining 15% is controlled by the LAMB Foundation of NC's Board of Directors and is given to organizations that serve people with intellectual disabilities regionally, or organizations that may not have a local Knights of Columbus council and that have a special need.



Born from the tragedy of 9/11, the Tunnel to Towers Foundation carries out its mission to "do good," by providing mortgage-free homes to Gold Star and fallen first responder families with young children and by building specially-adapted smart homes for catastrophically injured veterans and first responders. Tunnel to Towers is also committed to educating veteran homelessness and helping America to Never Forget September 11, 2001.

Visit [t2.org](http://t2.org) to learn more and follow Tunnel to Towers on Facebook, X, and Instagram.

## RSVP Support for Vocations

We keep the faith alive by supporting our seminarians and postulants. As the strong right arm of the church, Knights of Columbus are committed to providing moral, financial and spiritual support to our future priests and religious of all stages of their formation.

Though financial support is vitally important, it is not the only aspect of the RSVP. Councils are also called to provide their "adopted" seminarian or religious aspirant with moral support and prayers for their success.



## Knights of Columbus

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The Knights of Columbus is a charitable, fraternal organization of Catholic men, 18 or older. The main characteristics are charity both in terms of dollars and time, unity, fraternity and patriotism.

The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest lay Catholic family service organization. As their forebears did more than a century ago, today's Knights and their families stand shoulder to shoulder in support of one another. Through their charity and the examples of their lives, they stand in service to all as witnesses to the Good News of the Gospel.

Although the Order is a "can-do" organization, its scope and the role it plays on the world stage surprise people. They are amazed to learn that in the year 2017 Knights the world over combined to give more than 75.6 million hours of volunteer service and more than \$165,652,989 to a wide range of Church, community and charitable activities and programs. This was a record in both categories dating from the time statistics were first kept in 1977.

Thanks to the efforts of Father Michael J. McGlone, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church in New Haven and some of his parishioners, the Connecticut state legislature on March 29, 1982, officially chartered the Knights of Columbus as a maternal benefit society. The Order is still true to its founding principles of charity, unity and fraternity.



**Knights of Columbus**  
St. Pius X - Council 11101

# Golf Tournament

at

## OAK HOLLOW GOLF COURSE

Friday May 3, 2024  
9:00 am

presented by

Knights of Columbus  
Council 11101  
St. Pius X Catholic Church



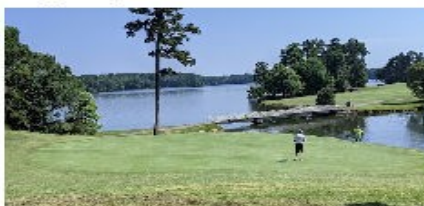
- Entry Fee:**
- ◆ Per Player ..... \$60.00
  - ◆ Per Team ..... \$220.00
  - ◆ Mulligans ..... \$5.00 each (limit 4 per player)

- Entry Fee Includes:**
- ◆ 18 holes of golf at Oak Hollow Golf Course
  - ◆ Golf Cart
  - ◆ Gift Bag
  - ◆ Range Balls
  - ◆ Lunch
  - ◆ Chance to win Awesome Prizes

- Prizes & Awards:**
- ◆ Prizes for 1st Place and 2nd Place teams
  - ◆ \$10,000 Hole-In-One Challenge
  - ◆ Par 3 Closest-to-Pin Prizes
  - ◆ Longest Drive Prizes - Men & Women
  - ◆ Last Place Team Prizes

**Date & Time:**  
9:00 am Shotgun Tee Time / Captain's choice  
Arrive early for warm up and free range balls  
Friday, May 3, 2024

**Location:**  
Oak Hollow Golf Course  
3400 N Centennial St.  
High Point, NC 27285



### Sponsorships Opportunities

**Tournament Sponsorship - \$1,000**  
Promotional message during awards ceremony  
Logo posted at the golf course clubhouse  
Your name posted on banner at clubhouse  
Your promotional items included in gift bags

**\$10K Hole-In-One Sponsorship - \$500**  
Includes name & logo at the challenge location  
Promotional message during awards ceremony  
Logo posted at the golf course clubhouse  
Your promotional items included in gift bags

**Hole Sponsorship - \$300**  
Includes name & logo at the hole  
Logo posted at the golf course clubhouse  
Your promotional items included in gift bags

**Closest-To-Pin Sponsorship - \$300**  
Includes name & logo at the hole  
Logo posted at the golf course clubhouse  
Your promotional items included in gift bags

**Longest Drive Sponsorship - \$300**  
Includes name & logo at the hole  
Logo posted at the golf course clubhouse  
Your promotional items included in gift bags



## Knights of Columbus

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**Register Solo or as a Team**  
Your fee plus tournament proceeds will support



EVENT REGISTRATION	
Fee Per Player \$80.00	
Solo players will be matched with a great team!	
Player 1 Name:	_____
Phone:	_____
Email:	_____
Handicap (optional):	_____
Player 2 Name:	_____
Phone:	_____
Email:	_____
Handicap (optional):	_____
Player 3 Name:	_____
Phone:	_____
Email:	_____
Handicap (optional):	_____
Player 4 Name:	_____
Phone:	_____
Email:	_____
Handicap (optional):	_____

Please remit check and registration form to:  
St. Pius X Knights Council 11101  
2210 North Elm Street - Greensboro, NC 27408

For more info, or to purchase a sponsorship, contact  
Jim Duffy at (336) 500-3862 or [jimduffy64@gmail.com](mailto:jimduffy64@gmail.com)



# Golf Tournament

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# Golf Tournament

Friday May 3rd



## 2024 SPONSOR REGISTRATION

Be sure to complete the information in all sections!  
Contact Jim Duffy for questions or additional info  
(336) 500-3852 or [jpduffy64@gmail.com](mailto:jpduffy64@gmail.com)

### CONTACT INFORMATION

*Let us know who to contact and how to reach you*

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Billing Address:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Swag Bag Promotional Items You Can Provide:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### SIGNAGE INFORMATION

*Tell us what you would like on your sign*

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Include Logo:  Yes  No

If yes, email your logo to [jpduffy64@gmail.com](mailto:jpduffy64@gmail.com)

High resolution files (jpeg, pdf or eps) are best

#### Preferred/Requested Sponsorships:

- Tournament Sponsor (\$1,000)
- \$10K Hole-In-One Challenge (\$500)
- Hole Sponsorship
- Longest Drive (\$300)
- Closest - To - Pin (\$300)

### REVCORD OF SPONSORSHIP PAYMENT

*Remove (cut or tear off) this section for your records*

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship(s) Purchased: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Paid by:  Credit Card  Check - Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Please send sponsor form and payment to: St. Pius X Knights Council 11101 - 2210 North Elm St. Greensboro, NC 27408



## Blood Drive



**April 17, 2024**  
**9:30 am—6:30 pm**  
**Simmons Parish Center**  
**Second Floor**

**Donors Needed**  
**Register on Line**  
**Use Rapid Pass to Save Time**

**Volunteers Needed to Assist**  
**With the Drive**

**Flexible Shifts**  
**Contact: Rick Ohlendorf**  
**704-488-4576**  
**Email: [ohly26@yahoo.com](mailto:ohly26@yahoo.com)**

## LIFE

Room at the inn, our principal recipient of food from our PICKUPANDROPOFF group has had its fifth live birth this year. It is a new record and one we should be proud to be a part of

I am not telling people where to shop, but I will tell you that my wife, Betsy, and I no longer go to Walgreens for anything because they have changed their policy, as has CVS, on Mifepristone. They are now selling that drug which is a chemical abortion pill. More than half of the abortions in our country are now chemical abortions. There are no limits for age or length of pregnancy, doctors advise. No one is taking responsibility for abortions that don't work or the pain and suffering caused by this pill—to say nothing about the baby who has died because of it. Our Catholic Church is totally against it.

Our N.C. Legislature needs to grow a backbone and make this pill unavailable in drug stores and by mail. It has been around since the Bill Clinton presidency but so far has only been available at Planned Parenthood and other abortion mills. North Carolina has done wonderful things to limit abortions in our state. This Mifepristone will negate all of the good done.

Our state can do more as we have seen other states do to make abortion unthinkable. Indiana had no abortions last year and Kentucky had 5. Please pray and work for abortion to become a thing of the past

Christus vivat,

Jim Furman



**Knights of Columbus  
St. Pius X Council 11101  
Greensboro, NC**

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Knights of Columbus is a service organization that provides an outlet for its members to better serve their church, brotherhood, country, and community. Our principles are Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism. We participate in charitable works, Promoting the Domestic Church, raising money, and providing effort for groups in need throughout our communities. We provide social fellowship, reinforcing our beliefs and strengthening the ties between families and friends. It is our great privilege to serve and augment the activities of our parish and the church as a whole. And we provide support for those members who may find themselves in need, especially through our long-standing and excellent insurance program.

The order also owns the Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors, a money management firm that invests in accordance with Catholic social teachings.



## **Meetings**

**Business Meeting-  
Second Wednesday of the Month**

**Officers & Directors Meeting—Monday before the business meeting  
All meetings in the Simmons Parish Center at 7:00 PM**

### **WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A KNIGHT**

It means a life of faith in action, of boldness in brotherhood, and a life worth living. We are men who lead, serve, protect and defend, whether giving Coats for Kids, lending a hand in disaster relief efforts, supporting local pregnancy centers by donating ultrasound machines, or providing top-quality financial products.