



# July

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### Special Points of Interest:

- July 1 – Form 185 Due
- July 4 - Independence Day
- July 5—Adoration
- July 8—O & D meeting
- July 11—Council Business Meeting
- July 14—Rosary in Chapel
- July 18—4th Degree Meeting

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### Grand Knight Corner

Like my predecessor, Jim Duffy, this is my second time serving as Grand Knight of our council. Many things about the Knights have changed since that first go-round: the reorganization of our programs into four main categories (Family, Faith, Life and Community), the use of email and texts as primary means of communicating, on-line training webinars, and an emphasis on growing our faith and the council's involvement in the spiritual life of the parish. But one thing hasn't changed, and that is our commitment to charity through service to the church and our community. Coats for Kids, Red Cross blood drives, Operation LAMB, Lenten fish fry, parish Fellowship Breakfasts, our annual donation to the St. Pius' youth group Work Camp, disaster relief and the monthly Rosary are just a handful of our programs. Each of us has our own reasons

for joining the Knights. Maybe you just wanted your name on the membership roster or maybe your wife or buddy bugged you into it, but I'll bet that, for the majority of us, the primary reason for joining was a desire to serve and to be a part of something bigger than ourselves. One of the best ways to do that is by giving your time, talent and treasure to the Knights. So, read the monthly newsletter and keep up with what's going on. Attend a business meeting once in a while, and the next time you get a phone call or email asking you to help at a council program, sign up to help. It's fun, you'll get to know your brother Knights, and it feels good to know you've helped your church and community. So, step up! Get involved! Be active! Be a real Knight!



### Council Dues

We all know about the great work done by the Knights of Columbus worldwide. This work cannot be done without our brother Knights, and to remain an active member of this fraternal organization we have responsibility. To that end we have minimal dues that in addition to keeping you in good standing open up a world of

benefits to you. What are some of these benefits... a free Columbian magazine each month, an accidental death insurance policy and access to the world's best insurance programs.

Dues are due now please stay current so that we are not penalized; if you cannot afford the cost please do not hesitate to

contact Grand Knight Glenn Spivey.

## Blood Drive Update



A Blood drive was held on June 14, 2019. The drive was in response to the medical condition of Hannah Kloesz [daughter of St. Pius X School Principal Chris Kloesz].

Participation was overwhelming. Waiting time from most donors was over two hours.

Additional help was requested by the Red Cross Staff to the home office for phlebotomist.

Although the drive was only to lasted four hours, donors were still coming in after the cut off. Several donors could not wait choosing instead give at the Greensboro Red Cross Center on Yanceyville Road next week.

The knights registered over 105 potential donors for the event.

Final count of pints donated was 84.

This was by far the largest amount of blood donated in a four hour period at St. Pius X Knights of Columbus Blood Drive.

A HUGE "THANKS" to all who gave and most importantly to those who gave their time to work the drive.

## Council Leadership Training Update



St. Pius X Knights of Columbus on June 15, 2019, hosted Regional Council Leadership Training at the Simmons Parish Center.

In attendance were grand knights, deputy grand knights, financial secretaries and LAMB directors.

From our council those who

attended were:

Grand Knight Glenn Spivey, Chancellor Charles Cheney, Financial Secretary Ed Campbell, District Deputy John Joyce, Financial Secretary Training Coordinator Greg Rachal and Regional District Deputy Walter Kulla.

The training was a way for new and returning officers to be brought up to speed on the

new programs and forms for the coming year.

We fed over 65 attendees a hot beef and roasted peppers with potatoes salad and cold slaw.

A HUGE THANK YOU to Martha Harvey for filling in for Brian who came down sick at the last minute.

## Second [Formation] Degree



Are you one of the many knights who have made their First Degree and are looking for the Second Degree?

We'll look no further, a Second Degree is being planned for August 10, 2019, at St. Pius X Simmons Parish Center Starting at 9:00 am.

All candidates must report no

later than 8:30 am to be processed. You might ask what the cost to take the degree is. The answer is nothing just your time and a willingness to learn more about the principals of the Knights.

When you took the first degree, it was impressed upon you to take the second and third degrees to learn more of the working of the knights.

There is no better time than now.

If you cannot make that date another one is scheduled for November 16, 2019, at St. Pius X Simmons Center starting at 9:00 am.

## District Deputy Report

If you get your news from the internet, as many of us do these days, it's easy to get discouraged about our Catholic Church Hierarchy. Although, this news seems catastrophic, it is a great opportunity for today's heresies to be exposed.

On May 4th, the feast day of St Athanasius, we learned that he lived during a time of incredible turmoil in the 4th century Church. Athanasius was a Bishop of Alexandria, during the Arian Heresy. Arians denied the full divinity of Jesus Christ. Athanasius spent his entire life crusading for the divinity of Christ and the Holy Trinity.

Constantine, the Roman Emperor at the time, was so concerned about the Arianism divisions causing the collapse of his empire, that he called for the First Nicene Council in 325 AD. After several Church

Councils and Synods, finally after 60 years of debate, the Church Bishops agreed on the full divinity of Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, along with God the Father. Many of the bishops at the time had fallen to the heresy. Perhaps for the first time in Church history, we had learned that even Bishops can make human mistakes.

Many wars were fought over these differences between Aryans and Nicene Christians. Significantly, it took several hundred years for Christians in Italy, Spain and Africa to adopt our full faith in the Trinity. Through hundreds of years of heresy, Christ's Church survived.

Today our Church is fractured again, not about our faith in Christ's divine nature, but about contraception, abortion, homosexual predation, etc.

Although these issues are extremely divisive, and will probably take many years to resolve, we need to keep our faith strong.

How do we do that, you ask? Let's begin by praying together at our Knight's Monthly Rosary and our Fifth Sunday Rosary.

If you're a Sir Knight, help your Honor Guard at Masses, like the recent Benediction and the Exposition of the Holy Eucharist on the Feast of Corpus Christi. Monsignor hoped for more participation, so that Sir Knights could have been posted at each side of the Altar during the Exposition.

Of course Knights try our best to follow the Precepts of the Church, receiving the Eucharist as often as possible.

Strengthen your faith by putting it into action through your

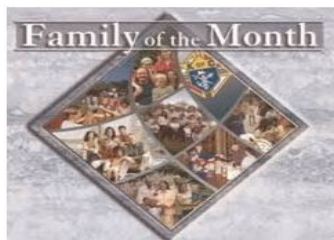
Council's programs that support and defend Family, Community, Life and Faith.

Pray that the Holy Spirit will help us find and understand the truth. Search for a wide variety of online Catholic news sources. The bad news will root out evil. Let it also deepen our faith.

Most importantly, we need to pray for the Church, our Popes and all our Church leaders. We need to thank God for great men like Saint Athanasius, who led us to God's truth.

Remember that if Christ's Church could survive the hundreds of years of Arianism, the Church will survive these modern heresies.

## FOM



### July 2019 James & Jane Milanese

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## KOM



### July 2019 Warren Duhaime

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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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## Knights of Columbus Field Agent Report

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
Making a difference for life

### DO YOU HAVE ENOUGH?

Whenever I speak to a member about life insurance, the first thing they usually tell me is, "I have plenty of life insurance thru work." Well, let's see if "plenty" is enough. What happens when you change jobs?

Let's take a look at the average male age 35, married with 2 children, owns a home with a \$200,000 mortgage balance, and an annual salary of \$50,000.

#### What is the minimum life insurance coverage he should have?

Mortgage Protection	\$200,000	<b>Who</b> will pay your mortgage?
Education Funds	\$200,000	<b>Who</b> will finance their education?
Income Protection	\$350,000	<b>Who</b> will replace your income the next 7 years?
Funeral Expenses	\$15,000	<b>Who</b> will pay your final expenses?

**Total Need \$ 785,000**

This is an example of an *average male*, but the average male does not have enough life insurance to cover these basic needs.

#### Do you?

Did you know your **Knights of Columbus** insurance is one of the best values in the industry? High quality products, service second to none, and all at competitive rates.

The first thing that you **NEED** to look at when pricing life insurance is the financial strength rating of the insurance company. Did you know **Knights of Columbus** has received the highest ratings for 41 consecutive years? And this past three years we received the World's Most Ethical (WME) Company designation!

Now that you know our credentials, see how affordable our term life insurance rates are:

Amount of insurance	10 year term monthly premium	15 year term monthly premium	20 year term monthly premium
\$250,000	\$14.50	\$14.50	\$19.50
\$500,000	\$24.50	\$24.50	\$34.50
\$1,000,000	\$44.50	\$44.50	\$54.50

Male, age 35, ultra-premier health rating and non-smoker

This past year the Knights of Columbus also introduced an exciting addition to our term insurance that makes it unlike any other in the industry. Our **Accelerator** term series allows you to increase coverage, without additional underwriting, for the first 5 years of the term.

Let the **Knights of Columbus** be your "**Who**". Give me a call or email today to customize a plan to meet *your* specific needs.

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