

November

Official Newsletter of St. Pius X Council 11101 Greensboro, NC

Special Points of Interest:

- Nov. I—All Saints' Day
- Nov. 3—Knights Family Brunch
- Nov. 3—Daylight Savings Time
- Nov. 8—Blood Drive
- Nov. 10—Rosary in the Chapel
- Nov. II—O & D Meeting
- Nov. 13 Council Business Meeting

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Grand Knights Corner

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During my 33 year career with the Greensboro Parks & Recreation Department, I had the opportunity to attend many training workshops and conferences. I remember in particular one conference I attended which had as the main focus the new technology coming on line - computers, fax machines, portable phones, etc. - which was going to make it possible for people to perform their jobs faster and more efficiently. They would have to spend less time to get the job done, reducing the average work week from 40 to 25 – 30 hours, resulting in more time for recreational activities. We, as a leisure industry, needed to be prepared to provide more programs and

facilities to meet the increased demand.

Well, as we now know, just the opposite occurred. As the ability to do more in a shorter time increase, so did work demands. Now, the average work week is closer to 50+ hours and people are expected to be accessible at all times of the day (and sometimes night). Add to this the demands of family and friends; it's sometimes hard to keep up.

A lot of folks could use a break – a chance to catch their breath – a short respite to recharge the spirit. I recommend one good way to do this is by attending our Council sponsored Rosary at 10:15 on the 2nd Sunday of each month. It's peaceful, reverent and provides an opportunity to ask the patroness of the Knights of Columbus, Holy Mary, to pray for us and our individual needs.

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So try attending the next Rosary on November 10th. Bring your family. See if it just might be the recharge you need.

Peace, Glenn Spivey

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Rosary

Every month on the second Sunday, we gather in the chapel to say the rosary after the 9:00 am Mass. This is open to all who wish to attend especially

the knights. With all that is going on in the world around us and our country, we need all the help we can get.



Calling All First Degree Members

A Second Degree is being offered to all First Degree Candidates on November 16, 2019, at St. Pius X Simmons Center. The degree registration will start sharply at 8:30 am. Degree will start promptly at 9:00 am. Once the chamber doors are closed no one will be allowed to enter.

There are three separate de-

grees to attain for knighthood in the Knights of Columbus. They are: First [Charity is the Lesson, Second [Unity is the Lesson &

Third [Fraternity is the Lesson].

Each degree gives the candidate a deeper understanding of what the order is about.

When you took you First Degree, each candidate was encouraged to take the remaining degrees as soon as possible.

Second Degrees are only given once locally every quarter.

So don't let this opportunity pass you by. Call or email your Grand Knight to express your desire to take the degree.

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Name Badges



When a candidate takes the First Degree, the council furnishes him a name badge shown above. This is done at no cost to the individual.

If the member losses the badge, he may request a replacement from the council at a cost to the member of the prevailing rate from the supplier plus freight.

There is a misconception this name badge is a First Degree members only.

This name badge is for all three degree members unless you become a fourth degree.

Simply stated, this badge is the only badge you will receive.



If a member is a Fourth Degree, the above name badge is available at a cost to the member of \$20.00 payable in advance to the financial secretary at the time of order.

Blood Drive

Give the gift of Life!

Next Blood drive is scheduled for November 8, 2019, from 9:30 am to 6:30 pm.

If you are able to donate, please register to attend the all day drive.

We are looking for help to setup, register, canteen workers and cleanup crew.

As you can see this is a all day blood drive. Therefore all the help who can, please come.

The drive is being supervised by Brother Mike Martin.

He will need all the help he can get.



Knights Sponsored Family Brunch

November 3, 2019, Family Brunch, 10am-1:30pm giving everyone the opportunity to attend whether you go to the 9:00 am Mass or the 11:30 am Mass.

Our head chef has promised a new menu items for your eating enjoyment. This will be in addition to our famous pancakes and eggs.

The hours have been extended to give all the many parishion-

ers the ability to come and socialize with other member of our parish.

There is no need to jump in to your car, drive to a local restaurant and wait hopefully for someone to serve you; when all this is available within walking distance of church. And to top it off, have friendly members of your church to greet, serve you with a big smile and a warm welcome.

All of this is free. The only thing asked is a donation to help offset the cost of the brunch.

All the proceeds of the brunch are used to finance our charitable giving and support our church and school.

Encourage your fellow parishioners to come and support our efforts. After all, this is your church and council.



District Deputy Report

St Pius X Council has often earned the Star Council Award from Supreme. We have a good chance of earning it again this year.

First of all, what's it worth? **\$1143.00** Award to our Council from Supreme.

How does it work? The Award recognizes our efforts put forth in continuing Father Michael McGivney's mission. Get started today with these steps to achieve the Star Council goals:

I) EARN THE COLUMBIAN AWARD FOR FAITH-FILLED FAMILY PROGRAMS. To earn the award, a council must earn a total of 16 Program credits* and complete these four programs: <u>Spiritual</u> <u>Reflection Program, Consecration to the Holy Family,</u> <u>Helping Hands and Novena</u> <u>for Life</u>. You must also submit the Columbian Award Application (#SP-7).

2) EARN THE MCGIVNEY AWARD.

Your council must meet or exceed its membership growth goal to be eligible. Your council's current membership goal is **20**. It's listed on Officers Online, under the Membership tab.

3) EARN THE FOUNDERS AWARD.

Your council must meet its insurance membership goal. Your council's current insurance membership goal is **3** more. It's listed on Officers Online, under the Membership tab.

4) BE COMPLIANT WITH SAFE ENVIRONMENT.

Service Program Personnel must complete the Knights' Safe Environment Training, Background Checks and stay compliant throughout the year.

5) COMPLETE YOUR FORMS. Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728) — Forms must be submitted to your District Deputy by **December 31**. Then they must be posted with Supreme office by January 31.

Columbian Award Application (#SP-7) — Applications must be submitted to your District Deputy by April 25. Then they must be posted with Supreme by June 30.

All membership and insurance transactions must be received, processed, recorded and released at the Supreme Council Office by June 30.

Calendar of Events For November

Nov. 1– All Saints' Day Nov. 2—All Souls' Day Nov. 3—Family Brunch Nov. 3—Daylight Savings Time Nov. 8—Blood Drive Nov. 10—Rosary Nov. 11—O & D meeting Nov. 13—Business Meeting Nov. 15—IRS form 990 Due Nov. 16— Second Degree Nov. 21—Fourth Degree Mtg Nov. 24—Turkey Pick Up Nov. 28—Thanksgiving Day

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November 2019 Dominic Fillippa Family

Http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm

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

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Knights of Columbus Field Agent Report

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 | Who will pay your mortgage? |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| Education Funds | \$200,000 | Who | will finance their education? |
| Income Protection | \$350,000 | Who | will replace your income the next 7 years? |
| Funeral Expenses | \$15,000 | Who | 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 42 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 | \$12.93 | \$14.88 | \$18.12 |
| \$500,000 | \$21.37 | \$25.26 | \$31.75 |
| \$1,000,000 | \$37.37 | \$44.29 | \$57.27 |

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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Business Meetings— Second Thursday of the Month

Officers & Directors Meeting

Monday before the Business Meeting