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Meetings: 7:30 p.m. Sharp --- 2nd Thursday of the Month

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Council Events

- **Family Burger/Hot Dog Night Every Monday** 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. **Closed on Holidays**
- **Breakfast – August 21st 2022** 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
- **Social Night – August 25th 2022** 5:30 p.m. Social Hour & 6:30 p.m. Dinner
- **Mondays – Euchre** 4:30 p.m. Play starts at 5:30 p.m.

Monthly Meetings unless otherwise noted:

- **Assembly 2049** – 2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m.
- Council Officers – 1st Thursday **7:00 p.m.**
- Council Membership – **CHANGE this month** Wednesday Aug 11th - **Rosary 7:00p.m. Meeting at 7:30 p.m.**
- VCBC – Thursday **August 18th 2022 - 7:00 p.m.**
- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting **September 19th 2022 - 11:30 a.m.**

Knights of Columbus 4232

Join us for Family Night!!!

Every Monday from 5:00-7:00 PM.
Serving the best Hamburg's, Cheeseburg's, Hotdogs, and Coney Dogs with those delicious fries or chips.
Take outs are also available.
All condiments are added by a sanitized kitchen person.

Also, Every Monday!

Euchre Night!

Join us for a friendly evening of euchre. Show up at 4:30 p.m. and register then enjoy our Family Night Menu for dinner.

Play starts promptly at 5:30 p.m.
\$1.00 to register for 8 games and all money used for prize money and awarded appropriately.

Knight of the month:
Family of the month:

GRAND KNIGHT MESSAGE

Brother Knights:

Just a reminder that the business meeting this month will be held on Wednesday August 10th instead of Thursday August 11th.

The business meeting in December will be held on Wednesday, December 7th instead of Thursday December 8th.

Our Social night this past month was small but fun. Our presenter was Amy Harding from Holy Cross Services. Amy gave us an outline of what Holy Cross Services are available to all people. She also brought more raffle calendars for anybody that wants one. They are \$30.00 each and that puts you in the running for a number of cash prizes throughout 2023.

The Social Night in September will be a spaghetti dinner that will benefit Lukulu. The Speaker that night will be Tom Slivinski. Tom will do his presentation on his most recent trip to Africa.

Starting August 4th, the council hall will get a facelift. The walls outside will be power washed and painted. We will also remove the signs and replace them with the signs taken off the small hall. The contractor doing the work is donating all the equipment.

The call for membership is a top priority in 2022 again. Our goal is to bring on 15 new members. Let's all work together and make this happen. I was given a letter written by The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron, Archbishop of Detroit. The letter was written on May 2, 2022. I was asked to share with all our members and I invite you to follow the link below and read this letter

<https://westlandknights.com/2022/05/11/most-reverend-allen-h-vigneron-archbishop-of-detroit-to-catholic-men-join-the-knights/#jp-carousel-3132>

Our next breakfast is Sunday August 21st. We are always looking for people to help. If you would like to help be at the hall by 8am. Now that we are getting close to school starting the students will be in need of service hours. We would be happy to help any student by signing the service hour cards.

Area 22 Special Olympics will host a drive through pancake dinner on October 26, 2022. This will be at our hall on Shattuck. This will run the same way as last time. You pull in and place your order, pay and drive around the lot and pick up your food. The event will run

from 4:30pm to 7:00pm and cost is \$7.00 per dinner. Please join us that evening and enjoy your dinner.

Faithfully in Christ
Respectfully

Thomas R Ruth, Grand Knight

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Upcoming Event:

Assembly First Monday of each month at 7:45 pm

Every Monday – Family Night 5:00pm to 7:00pm

Officers Meeting – Thursday August 4, 2022

Business Meeting – Wednesday August 10, 2022

VCBC Meeting – Thursday August 18, 2022

Breakfast – Sunday August 21, 2022

Social Night – Thursday August 25, 2022

LADIES AUXILIARY

We wanted warm weather and so we have it; sometimes even on the hot side!!! Oh well, it's summertime in beautiful Michigan!!!

Barbara Donahue is collecting \$10 dues for 2022-2023 which may be paid at Monday Night Hamburgers throughout August. If you prefer, you may send your check to her at 3592 Frandor Place, Saginaw, MI, 48623. Her phone number is 989/860-9632.

A board meeting was held on July 7th, and all were able to attend. We will be discussing the disbursement of our funds at the September meeting and anything else.

Don't forget our upcoming Bazaar and Bake Sale to be held November 19th. Judy Napierala is the Chairperson, and if you wish to rent a table for \$25, you may call her at 989/642-8623.

I've been asked by Judy Adams from I Support #1 Veterans food Pantry for any volunteers to help out on 9/10/22 for a food drive they are having at the Kroger grocery store on State St. Helpers are needed between 10a-4p. for light type duties. If anyone is interested in helping out would you please contact Chris Smigiel at (989)213-3453

I am looking forward to seeing you at our meeting September 19th!!! Please be safe and enjoy the remainder of summer!

Nancy Schrems, Publicity

The ladies auxiliary board held their summer meeting on 7/7/22 at president Chris Smigiel's. We had a nice afternoon together.



Accepting NOMINATIONS for:

Knight of the Month

&

Family of the Month



We need membership input for a wider view of our members good deeds and hard work done for our council, church or community. Do you know a Knight and or a Knights family who does or did something special for their church, community, charitable organization or someone in need. Please contact the Grand Knight with your nominations.

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LOUNGE HOURS

Open Family Night and K of C events

Mondays from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Wednesdays from 4:00 p.m. to Close

(Close is determined by Patrons)



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FATHER NOUVEL COUNCIL No. 4232



Parish Benefit Breakfast

Sunday, August 21st, 2022, 9:00am - 12:00 p.m.

To Benefit St. John Paull II

**SCRAMBLED EGGS – SAUSAGE - HASH BROWNS – PANCAKES -
COFFEE - JUICE – MILK**

ADULTS \$9.00 – 6 to 12 Years Old \$5.00 - 5 Years & Under are FREE

Next Breakfast on September 18th to Benefit Holy Family

Please come for Breakfast and Support us and all our Churches at the same time!

**50/50 Drawing &
Attendance Drawing**

Membership Meeting July 14th, 2022

**50/50 for \$27.00 Won by Father Jozwiak & Attendance Drawing for \$1000.00 Lost by Leroy Hodeck
2nd Attendance Drawing for \$111.00 Lost by John Hafner ***

Social Night Meeting July 28th, 2022

**50/50 for \$33.00 Won by Barbara Donahue & Attendance Drawing for \$1000.00 Lost by Mark Hughes
2nd Attendance Drawing for \$131.00 **Won** by Neil May ***

50/50 and Attendance Drawings are held at every Membership Meeting and Social Night. 50/50 are for everybody in attendance and purchases tickets and Attendance Drawing is for all members. Members just need to be present to win. Prize grows until someone wins. Plan on attending the next Membership Meeting!

* **Attendance Drawing** is and has been capped @ \$1000.00. Two names will be drawn, first for \$1000.00 and the second for the balance remaining. This will continue until the \$1000.00 is claimed.

Next Drawing at Membership Meeting August 10th, 2022 (Wed.) is for \$1000.00 & \$24.00

Council Officers 2022-2023

Grand Knight – Thomas R Ruth

Financial Secretary – Gerald L Schmidt

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Two Year Trustee – Martin J Gagnon

Three Year Trustee – Russell L Herlache

Chaplain – Rev Richard E Jozwiak

July Social Night Meeting

July's Social Night was a good time for all with socializing, dinner and a guest speaker. We had a delicious ham dinner. Followed by a delicious Dessert. Our guest speaker was Amy Harding, MS, Quality Manager at Holy Cross Services. Amy talked about all the services they provide for children and families. It was enlightening and really showed how worthy of a cause and important this charitable organization is. She also brought us more Holy Cross Services raffle calendars and are available at the hall.



Message from Brian Barlow our Insurance Field Agent

Welcome to the middle of summer! July means most are in full summer vacation mode. Kids are out of school (And parents are already counting down the days till they return!) and family vacations are planned or maybe already taken. For many it's the time to get outdoors and enjoy some good weather. The temperature, much like Goldilocks and the Three Bears, for some will be too hot, for some too cool and for others...just right.

I hope you get to spend some quality time with your family as the summer moves on. A shady spot in the yard or on the porch may be all you want or need. You might just get away all by yourself for some quality rest and relaxation. For some that might mean the family road trip, kids and parents driving to that favorite vacation spot. For some that are older it might mean the trip to see the grandkids.

Whatever it is that recharges your battery and strengthens the family bonds, I hope you get to do it. Speaking of driving, it isn't prudent to drive without proper auto insurance. Anyone who does could be in a bad spot should the unexpected happen. The same is true for the insurance coverages that the Order has available. The Knights of Columbus has the products to protect you and your family as you drive down the road of life.

I appreciate the opportunity to meet with brother Knights and their spouses and continue the tradition of protection that Blessed Michael McGivney envisioned. Although I've met with many members of the council, my goal is meet with each of you so you can take advantage of the free service I provide. The financial needs analysis tool that the Order has provided will take a snapshot of where you stand today, what your goals and objectives are, and help identify any gaps in your coverage.

Let's get together. I'll give you a call soon. This drive through life has many unexpected sharp turns, speed bumps and blind spots!

Vivat Jesus!

Brian M. Barlow, MDRT
989-213-2032

September Social Night – Will be a Love for Lukulu Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

September 22nd, 2022

Guest Speakers

**Tom Slivinski &
John Hutchinson**

**No need to sign up you can just show up
and enjoy;**

**Dinner with Tom and John's presentation on
Love for Lukulu & Beyond**

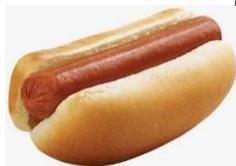


Tom Slivinski and John Hutchinson will be sharing with us their missionary trip to Lukulu, Zambia. This will highlight the good all your generosity, support and prayers help the people in Lukulu. They will talk about their experience complete with pictures and videos from their trip. This will be very informative and interesting and will connect a story and images with your donations and support.

\$10.00 - Dinner of Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Salad, Bread and Dessert.

Mark your Calendar and Plan on Attending

Family (Burger) Night (Weekly on Mondays – No Holidays)



Family Night – Hamburg's, Hot Dogs, Coney Dogs

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Hot Dog & Fries - \$4.50

Coney Dog & Chips - \$3.50

Hamburg & Chips - \$4.25

Cheese Burger Only - \$4.00

Cheese Burger & Fries - \$6.00

Hot Dog & Chips – \$3.00

Coney Dog Only - \$3.00

Coney Dog & Fries - \$5.00

Fries Only - \$2.50



August 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1 Assembly 2049 Meeting 7:30 pm Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	2	3	4 Officers Meeting 7:00 p.m.	5	6
7	8 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	9	10 Membership Meeting Rosary 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.	11	12	13
14	15 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	16	17	18 VCBC Meeting 7:00 p.m.	19	20
21 Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	22 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	23	24	25 Social Night Social Hour 5:30 Dinner 6:30	26	27
28	29 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	30	31	1 Officers Meeting 7:00 p.m.	2	3
4	5 Labor Day	Notes				

Looking for input on what you would like to see or put in The Emblem

News from your church, upcoming or a past event, anything you are involved in or a personal story you would like to share with the Membership and the Ladies Auxiliary and their families.

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