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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.
- **Breakfast – September 15, 2024** 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
- **Social Night –Thursday September 26, 2024**
Social Hour 5:30 pm, Dinner 6:30 pm
- **Euchre – Mondays** 4:00 p.m. Play starts at 5:00 p.m.

Monthly Meetings unless otherwise noted:

- **Assembly 2049** – 1st Monday at 7:45 p.m.
- Council Officers – **2nd Thursday** 5:30 p.m.
- Council Membership – **2nd Thursday** -
 Rosary 7:00p.m. Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
- VCBC – **3rd Thursday - 7:00 p.m.**
- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting **September 16, 2024**
11:30 a.m.

Knights of Columbus 4232

Join us for Family Night!!!

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

Also, Every Monday!

Euchre Night!

Join us for a friendly evening of euchre. Show up at 4:00 p.m. and register then enjoy our Family Night Menu for dinner.

Play starts promptly at 5:00 p.m.

\$1.00 to register for 8 games and all money used for prize money and awarded appropriately.

GRAND KNIGHT MESSAGE

Brother Knights:

Well, I hate to say this but summer is almost over. As we transition into fall let's keep in mind that the new school year begins soon and in some areas it already has. Please remember to be vigilant and ensure the safety of our children. Take care on the roads, stop for the school buses when the red lights are flashing and be prepared to stop. BE SAFE EVERYONE.

As I stated last month, membership will be a hot topic this year as in the past. We need more members. As I have said in the past and will be repeating in the future, if you know of anybody at your church or in your family, please approach them and ask them to join us. I would like to do a membership drive at each of our churches that make up our council. I am asking one or two of our members that belong to each church to do these drives. If someone does not step forward, I will be asking members to help. If asked please consider helping with this cause.

Looking into the future our social night in October will be on the 24th, The Michigan – Michigan State football game will be on October 26th. So, our social night in October will be the second annual U of M – MSU tailgate party. The menu will be a tailgate menu. I am asking everyone attending to please wear your colors and support your favorite team. UofM, MSU or whatever school you support. Let's all come together and have a great time. I am planning on inviting Brian Barlow as our speaker in December 2024 and January 2025 to talk at our fraternal benefits nights. That will fulfill our requirement.

I have some real good news. Please keep December 13, 2024, Friday night open for a fund-raising event. As I have mentioned before I was talking with Sheriff Bill Federspiel about doing a show to assist us raising money for our seminarian scholarship fund and our high school scholarship fund. I am pleased to say that this event has been confirmed for 12/13/24. It will be at the hall on Shattuck and feature Sheriff Federspiel and his band doing songs from Tom Jones, Bob Seger and Kenny Rogers. We will have a dinner, a silent auction that night with many gifts, a 50/50 will be held all to benefit our two scholarship funds. Times and cost are being discussed and tickets will be available soon. I will be putting together some flyers and posting more information in future Emblems and at the hall soon. I know we will have a great time and I hope to see everyone there.

Knight of the Month: Mike Yacklin

Family of the Month Sister Ann, Sister Mary Elizabeth and Sister Jean from St. Thomas

Faithfully in Christ
Respectfully
Thomas R Ruth, Grand Knight
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Upcoming Events

Assembly First Monday of each month at 7:45 pm

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

Officers Meeting – Thursday Sept 12, 2024, 5:30pm

Business Meeting – Thursday Sept 12, 2024,

Rosary, 7:00pm, Meeting, 7:30pm

VCBC Meeting – Thursday September 19, 2024 7:00pm

Breakfast – Sunday, Sept 15, 2024, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Social Night – Thursday September 26, 2024

Social Hour 5:30pm, Dinner 6:30pm



LADIES AUXILIARY

Hopefully everyone had an enjoyable summer but it is now time for the children to go back to school and for us to get back into our routine. We are looking forward to seeing all of you in 3 ½ weeks, on September 16, at our meetings again.

The auxiliary board will be providing a picnic style lunch of grilled hot dogs, salads and those delicious desserts we always get. Our Grand Knight, Tom Ruth, will be our guest speaker. We have some awesome guest speakers in October and November.

St. Dominic Parish and Knights of Columbus Auxiliary Council 4232 will be sponsoring a Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, November 23 from 9:00am — 2:30pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 4840 Shattuck Rd. Our Ladies Auxiliary will be sponsoring a bake sale at the bazaar. About 40 vendors will be selling their handcrafted items.

Don't forget to mark your calendar for the Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Party on Saturday, December 7. It is always a nice evening to begin the celebration of the birth of our Lord.

Continued prayers for Sr. Laura from our Sisters of Clare who was seriously injured in a car accident. She has a long recuperation. Also, prayers for Judy Bauer and Sue Haley who are recovering from major leg fractures.

The next Social Night will be on September 26. We hope to see you there.

Have a happy and safe Labor Day. God Bless America!

LuAnn Ramer, Publicity



Council Officers 2024-2025

Grand Knight – Thomas R Ruth
Chancellor – Bertram E Murphy
Advocate – Ronald I Brasseur
Outside Guard – Russell L. Herlache
Three Year Trustee – Mark Macek

Financial Secretary – Gerald L Schmidt
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Warden – James Czolgosz
One Year Trustee – Michael A Ross
Chaplain – Unassigned

Deputy Grand Knight – Paul Mixter
Treasurer – Dennis Smigiel
Inside Guard – Frederick Clous
Two Year Trustee – Michael Hughes
Lecturer – Unassigned



LOUNGE HOURS

Open Family Night and K of C events

Mondays from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
(Hamburger Night) &

Wednesdays from 4:00 p.m. to Close

(Close is determined by Patrons)



**KNIGHTS
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Parish Benefit Breakfast

Sunday, September 15th, 2024, 9:00am - 12:00 p.m.

To Benefit Holy Family

SCRAMBLED EGGS – SAUSAGE – HASH BROWNS – PANCAKES
(Gluten Free Available) – COFFEE – JUICE – MILK

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

Next Breakfast on October 20th, 2024 to Benefit Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption

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

50/50 Drawing & Attendance Drawing

No Membership Meeting August, 2024

50/50 for \$TBD.00 Won by TBD & Attendance Drawing for \$TBD.00 Lost by TBD

No Social Night Meeting August, 2024

50/50 for \$TBD.00 Won by TBD & Attendance Drawing for \$TBD.00 Lost by TBD

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 will be capped @ \$1000.00. At that point two names will be drawn, first for \$1000.00 and the second for the balance remaining. That will continue until the \$1000.00 is claimed.

Next Drawing at Membership Meeting September 12th, 2024 is for \$930.00

And drawing at the next Social Night Meeting September 26th, 2024 Amount TBD on Membership Meeting 50/50 Sales

Love for Lukulu's 2024 Mission Trip Recap



**Chicken Salad Croissant,
Salad, and Dessert**

Freewill Offering

**Wednesday,
September 18th, 2024**

**6:00 pm Dinner
Mission Trip Recap
to follow**

**St. Agnes Catholic Church
300 Johnson Street
Freeland, MI 48623**

For questions//donations contact Debi @ 989 295-3765

Holiday Bazaar November 23rd

**St. Dominic Parish &
Knights of Columbus Council 4232 Ladies Auxiliary
is sponsoring a Holiday Bazaar on**

**Saturday, November 23rd, 2024 from 9:00 am -2:30 pm at
K of C hall 4840 Shattuck Rd.**

Refreshments, lunch & a bake sale will be available. If **interested in being a vendor** please contact Chris Smigiel, Ladies Auxiliary President. (989)213-3453, Pat Stankiewicz, (989)798-1070, Marty Mahar, (989)327-4905 or St. Dominic Parish Office (989)799-2334. Ladies' Auxiliary members will be contacted for volunteering.

KEEP THIS DATE OPEN ON YOUR CALENDAR!



Family (Burger) Night

(Weekly on Mondays – No Holidays)



Family Night – Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Coney Dogs.

All proceeds benefit the Ladies Auxiliary, Council 4232 & the 4th Degree, Assembly 2049 so they can continue all the good work they do. Come support them and have a great meal.



All burgers are **fresh ground beef and the hot dogs are the best, **koegel**.**



And you can't beat the price.



MENU

Hamburger Only - \$4.50
Cheese Burger Only - \$4.75
Sloppy Joe Only - \$4.00
Hot Dog Only - \$3.00
Coney Dog Only - \$3.50

Hamburger & Chips - \$5.00
Cheese Burger & Chips - \$5.25
Sloppy Joe & Chips - \$4.50
Hot Dog & Chips - \$3.50
Coney Dog & Chips - \$4.00
Fries Only - \$3.00

Hamburger & Fries - \$7.00
Cheese Burger & Fries - \$7.25
Sloppy Joe & Fries - \$5.50
Hot Dog & Fries - \$5.50
Coney Dog & Fries - \$6.00

Thank You for your Support!

Message from Brian Barlow our Insurance Field Agent

Brothers

Working with Knights like you and your families every day is a blessing. I truly enjoy my work. With that said, I appreciate a long weekend as well. I hope you were all able to enjoy Labor Day and get some well-deserved rest.

Whenever we have a long weekend, it's like a little preview of what retirement might look like. If you're like me, I hope my retirement is one that's restful where I'm also able to remain productive, be an active member of the Knights, pursue my personal hobbies, and enjoy a bit of travel here and there.

And to those of you who are already retired, I commend you for all the time you dedicate to our Order.

But if you're like me and not quite there yet, I hope you will take the necessary steps to prepare yourself financially for your retirement. A good way to do that can be through an annuity.

Now, what is an annuity? Simply put, it's a retirement savings product. You make contributions and, after a specified amount of time, the annuity pays you a regular income stream.

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As you can see, annuities can be a key part of your retirement strategy.

If you'd like to learn more about how annuities can help you, please schedule an appointment with me and I would be happy to discuss your options.

Vivat Jesus
Brian M. Barlow
Financial Advisor - 989-792-5632

Save the Date

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER

Special Olympics
Michigan
Area 22: Saginaw



Young Athlete's Program
Offered

Saturday, October 05, 2024 9am--1pm

Knights of Columbus #4232
4840 Shattuck Rd
Saginaw, Michigan 48603

\$8.00 Per Person

Pancakes, Sausage, Eggs, and Beverage
Free for Kids under 3

BAKE SALE

RAFFLES
\$2.00 & \$5.00



Special Olympics MI Saginaw Area 22
Tax Exempt 38-1964643 501c3 non-profit

Special Olympics MI Saginaw Area 22 currently has nearly 1000 athletes with intellectual disabilities who participate in various sporting activities and events. When the athlete competes on the playing field they discover their abilities, skills, and strengths. When the athlete competes they feel joy, confidence and a sense of accomplishment. For some athletes, Special Olympics is their only form of community activity. These Saginaw Area 22 Athletes are an inspiration to the Community.

Under the direction of Joe Bronz, Special Olympics Saginaw is what it is today, (989 498-0137).

Special Olympics Saginaw Area 22 does various donation requests and fundraising activities to cover the costs for athletes to participate in the activities and events at no cost to them.

Please consider attending or donating to this Pancake Breakfast and Raffle. Community support is very important. All fundraiser proceeds go for the Athletes 2024-2025 participation expenses and fees.

For questions or donations please contact :

Debi Slivinski @ 989-295-3765

September 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Labor Day	3	4 Bar Open 4:00 p.m. to Close	5	6	7
8	9 Assembly 2024 Meeting 7:30 pm Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	10	11 Bar Open 4:00 p.m. to Close	12 Officers Meeting 5:30 Membership Meeting Rosary 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.	13	14
15 Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	16 Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 11:30 a.m. Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	17	18 Bar Open 4:00 p.m. to Close <i>* see below</i>	19 VCBC Meeting 7:00 p.m.	20	21
22	23 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	24	25 Bar Open 4:00 p.m. to Close	26 Social Night Social Hour 5:30 Dinner 6:30	27	28
29	30 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	1	2 Bar Open 4:00 p.m. to Close	3	4	5
6	7 Family/Burger Night 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Notes <i>* Love for Lukulu's 2024 Mission Trip Recap</i> Sept 18th 6:00 pm Dinner Mission Trip Recap to follow St. Agnes Catholic Church, 300 Johnson Street, Freeland, MI 48623				

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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