



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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William P. Stephani Council 710

P.O. Box 433, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0433

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**\*\*\* New Meeting Time \*\*\***

**6:00 p.m., following the 5:00 p.m. Mass**



## Parish Picnic

As has been our traditional, Council 710 actively supported the St. Francis of Assisi Parish picnic by manning the refreshment stand and donated the proceeds to the Parish.

**Great work volunteers!**

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped with the refreshment stand in any way. Pictured above (L to R) are Tony Holzinger, Max Wagner, John Simon, Hank Sturm and Mike McGlin. The crew pictured to the right includes Cameron Gruenke, Ed Dirkmann and Ken Knauf. Great job everyone!





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## Official Notice of Exemplification

Dear Brother Knights,

A most cordial invitation is extended to every third-degree member of our order to advance to the Fourth Degree in the Knights of Columbus. The Fourth Degree is very proud of its many accomplishments since its founding in 1900. The ceremonials of the Fourth Degree were orchestrated on the theme of Patriotism and Catholic Citizenship and remain so today. The Honor Guard, the most visible part of our Order, is extremely proud of its contribution to Patriotism and support of the Church. To qualify, a candidate must be a Third Degree member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing.

The Eastern Wisconsin District Exemplification will be **October 1, 2022 at Holy Family Catholic School, 1204 S. Fisk Street, Green Bay, WI 54304.**

The Honoree for the Exemplification is the Very Reverend John W. Girotti.

Fraternally,

James L. TenPas

Wisconsin Eastern District Master

*Registration form and more information available from GK Joe Debilzen*

## September Birthday Wishes to Brothers:

James Clark	7
Jeffrey Senglaub	7
Michael Bonin	8
Raymond Wimmer	11
Joseph Debilzen	12
Donald Gollata	14
Kevin Bertler	16
George Levande	16
Lawrence Schleis	25
Michael Kadow	29

*If I missed your birthday, or have the date wrong, please let me know so I can correct my records. GK Joe*

**No**  
**October**  
**Newsletter**



**Council 710 Donations**— Pictured above left is DGK Max Wagner presenting a \$2,000 check to The Crossing of Manitowoc's Belinda Esquinas and Joyce Price, BSN, RN. The funds will be used to partially offset the cost Joyce's training for the Ultrasound machine that our Council previously funded. Pictured above right is Treasurer Mike Brunet presenting a check to Austin & Luisa Rehrauer, owners of Hartman's Bakery, following their major kitchen fire.

**Notes from the Grand Knight**— As noted on page 1, our September meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m., following the 5:00 p.m. Mass., with a light lunch after Mass. Please join us for the Mass, food and meeting.

Thank you to all our Brothers that volunteered for our Parish picnic. Special thanks to Max Wagner and Dan Christensen for chairing this project this year.

The new Council Directory is available thanks to the efforts of Ron VonDrachek. Be sure and pick one up at an upcoming meeting. Thank you Ron!

We recently learned that Council 710 has been recognized as a Star Council for 2021-2022, reflecting the efforts of all our Brothers this past year. Thank you to all that played a part in this major accomplishment! Let's continue to build on our success as we serve our Parishes and community.

We have been blessed with many great new members in the past year and we want to continue to talk to good Catholic men about joining Council 710. Who can you invite? Tony Holzinger, our Membership Director, is eager to help you in this effort, so please call him for assistance at 920-629-8802.

A reminder that our next Mass for the L/D members of Council 710 will be Sunday, October 9 at 9:30 a.m. at the Waldo worship site. I encourage you to plan to attend with your spouse/family/friend and look for the designated seating area.

My wife and I will be blessed to be able to journey on a pilgrimage with Father Doug and other parishioners to the Holy Land in early September. Because of this and other commitments in September, there will not be an October newsletter. Your prayers will be appreciated for our pilgrimage experience and safe return. GK Joe

## Meeting Location & Time

<b>Mass – 5:00 p.m.</b>	
Grand Avenue Worship Site	
<b>Meeting – 6:00 p.m.</b>	
Second Tuesday	
of each month	
Letz Center	
Grand Worship Site	

## Officers 3rd Degree 2022-2023

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Trustee.....Leonard Gatien  
Trustee.....Ronald VonDrachek

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