

December, 2011

Grand Knight's Report



Brother Knights and Families,

I've said it before I am in awe of the Nativity. Almighty God decides to send us his Son, not with fanfare and noise or horns blaring like the marketing deluge of modern times. Rather, He sends His Son to us in humble, simple terms. Jesus' message to us is equally simple and profound. Have faith and trust in God...Love your neighbor... and He will care for you. What could be a greater gift!

The officers of Council 4731 extend our most heartfelt wish for a Blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year!

This December, we have a number of wonderful activities to get involved! WE NEED YOUR HELP!

The Keep Christ in Christmas Magnets are selling, we need help in selling!. Sell them or buy them to pass around to your family and friends! The proceeds continue to support our efforts at St. Augustine's and other benefits. Contact Peter Frank for details!

The St. Augustine's Christmas party is December 5th. This program has been going on for....I don't know how long.! Think of the hundreds of kids who get a day with Santa and a gift to boot! Please contact Kevin Sheehan for details on how to help!

The Grand Knight's Christmas Party! Scheduled for December 10th, at Wagner's Country Inn in Westlake! 6pm open bar, dinner at 7:00!. \$20/person (less than last year!). Contact myself or PGK Ray Metsch! (before Dec 6th).

Please keep all our Brothers and their family in your prayers. In particular, pray for our brother William Berry who passed away last week.

Vivat Jesus! Fraternally Yours W. Kevin Cornelius Grand Knight

IN MEMORAL: December Anniversaries:

Richard J. Tayfel, Sr.	12/11/75	John A. Freeborn	12/05/76
Norman J. Volk	12/31/81	Leo J. Swietyniowski	12/01/85
Joseph F. Pahl	12/02/86	Richard B. Shannon	12/21/01
Roy Seitz	12/19/07	Charles J. Halpin	12/21/10

Remember all those whom have died this past year.

Mass will be said at St. Augustine Church for the following deceased Brothers: George Davis 1/10/2012, Richard Chavez 08/14/2012, William Berry 09/14/2012, Robert Schlemmer 11/18/2012, Charles Hassing 11/24/2012, Charles Halpin 12/21/2012

K of C 4731 Officer for the 2011 / 2012 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight – Kevin Cornelius Chaplin - Fr. Joseph McNulty DGK – Edward Chavez Chancellor— Paul Mathieson Treasurer—Jim Sanzi PGK Recorder- Mike Okoniewski Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz Warden - Ron Glassco Advocate— Bill Goellner PGK Inside Guard—Rudy Chavez Outside Guard-Wayne Petre, PGK Trustee 1 year – Gene Hanzely PGK Trustee 2 year – Ray Metsch PGK Trustee 3 year – Kevin Sheehan PGK Lecture— Paul Mathieson & Jerry Nowesnick PGK

KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:

Ruth Murray wife of Fran Murray, Rudy Chavez, Lou Kaszas, Gerald Dietrich, Jean Chokan, Norm Musial's wife Pat, Ray Babinec's Brother in law Ron Westbrook, Jay Ellis, Dan Dugan, Kevin Sheehan Mother in-law Jeanne Yanochao, Jim Allen, Shirley Wolfe's daughter Denise, Ed Frindt's wife Carol, Ethel Lewis, Pat Ielapi, Tom Wolff, Dean McKay, Carol Senko wife of Phil, Stu Foster, Jim Buckley's wife Kitty, Brad Veras and all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

Special Notice

Brother Knights, this is a reminder that our Council will recite the Rosary at the wake of a deceased spouse. Please contact the Grand Knight Kevin Cornelius at440-871-4020 or the Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz at 440-235-0675 with the necessary information for the Rosary Call

North Olmsted Knights of Columbus

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Kevin Cornelius (440-871-4020) Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675) "Narrator" Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964) K of C Insurance Agent:

Mark your calendars now!

The **Grand Knights Christmas Party** is scheduled for Saturday, December 10th, in the West Ballroom at Wagner's Country Inn. Doors open at 6:00 pm with dinner served at 7:15 pm. The price is the same as last year \$20.00 per person for members and their spouse or significant other. There will be an open bar and a four-course meal. We have received a lot of interest so far, so please make your reservations as soon as possible by calling, Grand Knight Kevin Cornelius at 440-871-4020 or by email at kcom, or the Christmas Party Chairman, Ray Metsch PGK at 440-235-9530 or by email at metsch@wowway.com. The committee is planning some pleasant surprises so make your reservation early.

"KEEP CHRIST in CHRISTMAS" Magnets

This year has a new design but the same timeless message as a car magnet. Buy one for yourself, as a gift, or a "party favor" for your Christmas events. They also work great on filing cabinets, refrigerators, etc. Cost: \$3.00 each. As the picture shows, we have KofC along with our Council location and number on the bottom left-hand side. Help sell these 700 magnets at your Church or other events. All proceeds go toward St. Augustine's Christmas party for under privileged children. We also have a new item: 200 clings which adhere to windows, plastic car fenders, etc. (\$2 each).

Contact Peter Frank: 440-779-9725 or email peterfrank@ameritech.net for more information. You can get these at our meetings during November & December.



St. Augustine's 2012 Calendars

St. Augustine's will be selling their annual 2012 Calendar in December. I hope to have them available at the December Children's Christmas Party on Sunday December 4, 2011 and at our two meetings in December. They are \$25 and each day there is a drawing in which you can win \$25 and on special days you can win as much as \$100. Most of the 25 calendars I sold last year were winners. These calendars make good presents to family and friends. I gave one to a friend as a Christmas present; this person won. Of course each calendar is a winner in that the profits benefit St. Augustan's hunger center. To reserve one please contact Peter Frank at 440-779-9725. Checks can be made out to St. Augustine's.

ATTEND A MEETING AND WIN!

Each Month until the end of this year a prize of \$25.00 per month will be awarded to the lucky Knight whose name is drawn, and is present at the meeting. GOOD LUCK! **The drawing for November was for \$50.00** The first meeting, No meeting held, Memorial Mass. The second meeting, The winner was James S. Mathieson, he was not present **The December drawing will be for \$.55.00**,

Chancellors Corner

K o C Chancellor Corner Article Borromeo College Seminary

Borromeo College Seminary,

the college seminary in the Diocese of Cleveland,Ohio is a community

in which men discern the call to and are formed for priesthood or religious life through the integration of human, spiritual, intellectual and pastoral formation.

Borromeo College Seminary is more than simply a college or even a seminary. It is a holy place where young men from all walks of life come together in prayer, study, community, and apostolic service. Thus, in the name of Jesus, all of us might serve our brothers and sisters in need. For over fifty years, Borromeo College Seminary has been helping young men discern their call to priestly service or religious life. Countless numbers of men have graced the halls of the seminary. Some have gone on to ordination to the priesthood right here in the Diocese of Cleveland, others to priestly service in other dioceses or mission places, and others have found their calling to religious communities. Some men have spent time in the seminary and as a result have truly felt called to marriage or the single life, and through their life choice, have served the Church in countless ways. Borromeo Seminary has found it to be a place where they can discern God's call and thus put meaning and purpose in their life. Borromeo College Seminary is located at 28700 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe, Ohio Phone:440-943-7600

Website home page at: www.borromeoseminary.orgl

Knights OF Columbus List of Up coming Degree Dates Note Detail list on web site www/kofc4731.org/membership

Date	Degree	Time	Location	Contact	Phone
12/14/2011	l First	7:00 P.M.	North Olmsted Council	Jerry Nowesnick 44 jnowesnick@woww	
03/14/2012	2 First	7:00 P.M.	North Olmsted Council	Jerry Nowesnick 44 jnowesnick@woww	0-336-0039

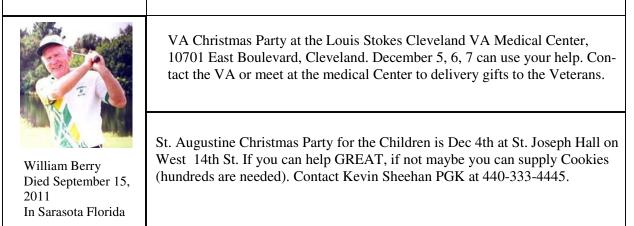
Bros If you plan to move or be out of town for a period of time please inform the F.S. Return mail is costly and it is money from your council operating fund . If you have dropped your land line and only have a cell phone please call or write the F.S. so we have a way to get in touch with you and also keep the records correct. F.S. Henry Kleinhenz, 7425 Willow Wood, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070-6329. Phone # 440-235-0675

Special Notice

Information from our State Warden Robert Beyers Our goal for each Financial Secretary is to make sure that one of the Measure Up Gimme five fliers ends up in the hands of every brother knight in the council. This, of course, would include all Honorary and Honorary Life members. Since its inception in 1989, many of our Brother Knights in Ohio have donated to the Gimme 5 portion of the Measure up Program as there way of participating. With your Christmas card will be a reminder. **Please donate what you can.**

Have A Merry Christmas and A happy New Year.

Henry F Kleinhenz



Council Webmaster needed

Our Council needs your help! If you can or would like to be our webmaster please contact Grand Knight Kevin Cornelius at 440 871-4020. Training will be available for those who need it.

Visit our WEB SITE at www.kofc4731.org. If you would like to view the NARRATOR on the web site and not receive a mailed copy please contact Tom Kilbane, (440-933-9964) tkilbane@ameritech.net; or Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675). We will be setting up an email delivery to let you know when the current NARRATOR is posted.

Special Notice:

Please contact Phil Senko if you would like to have a Get Well or Sympathy card sent to a Brother Knight or a member of a Brother Knight's Family. Phil can be reached at 440-779-9875 or email him at Allknightphill@hotmail.com

Remember the Rosary

On the third Wednesday of each month the Rosary will be said in **Terrace Room**. All are welcome to attend at 7:00 pm,. The second meeting of the month will be held following the Rosary.

Knights of Columbus Regional Soccer Challenge



At the Kay Cee Club meeting held Nov 15, 2011 at St. Clarence, Elections were held of Directors for two years were held: Henry Kleinhenz, Joseph Hoehn, Gene Hanzely, Wayne Petre were elected. Elected for one year Kevin Sheehan. Directors with one year remaining are James Buckley, Raymond Metsch, Thomas Kilbane. The Grand Knight is Honorary Director.

Officers elected for one year were: President: Henry Kleinhenz, Vice President: Joseph Hoehn Treasury: James Buckley Secretary: Kevin Sheehan





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Next Meeting: Dec, 7th MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 PM CALL 440-235-0675 FOR MORE INFORMATION

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

- Dec 4 Christmas Party for the Children at St. Augustine Church
- Dec 6 Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
- Dec 7 Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
- Dec 10 Grand Knights Christmas party for all members, Wagner's Country Inn 6:00 PM
- Dec 21 Rosary St. Clarence 7:00 P.M. Terrace Room
- Dec 21 Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
- Dec 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
- Jan 1 NEW YEAR'S DAY
- Jan 3 Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
- Jan 4 Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
- Jan 18 Rosary St. Clarence 7:00 P.M. Terrace Room
- Jan 18 Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
- Feb 26 Communion Breakfast
- Apr 21 Knight at the Races