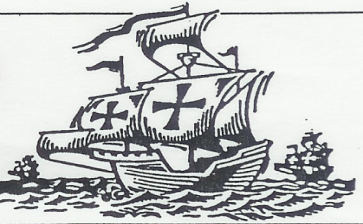


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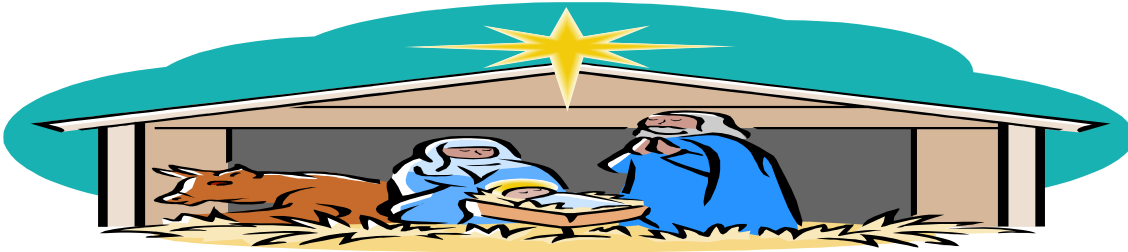


The Newsletter of the North Olmsted



Knights of Columbus Council #4731

December, 2012



Merry Christmas!!

I hope and pray that this Narrator finds everyone enjoying a peaceful and prayerful Christmas Season. Too many times we confuse our reason to celebrate during this time of year. So often we are called to celebrate the secular vision of Christmas... the hustle and bustle of consumerism and commercialization of buying the hottest new toy or video game and confusing that with how much we love our children. Often we are told, "Happy Holiday!", when we should be hearing and saying "Merry Christmas! Our families should be given the gift of our time, not the latest toy or fashion trend. As a child, I cannot remember all of the toys I received, but I do remember the times I sat next to my parents and fell asleep in their arms. Going to Church with my parent and watch as my family would fill two entire pews during Christmas Mass. I was assured, knowing that my parents loved each and every one of their children. I remember the Christmas dinners that would last hours because of the fun and laughter we would have retelling the different funny stories of the year. More than anything, I remember the reverence my parents had for the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ. To them, and for us children, Christ was the center of the celebration.

Just as one remembers all the past memories we have an opportunity to make new memories. This December 1st and 2nd, we have the St. Augustine Children's Christmas party. I urge you to come and take part in this wonderful event. Set up for the party will be Saturday at 3:00 pm at the Saint Joseph Hall at West 14th Street and Kenilworth Cleveland, Ohio and the party will be on Sunday in the St. Augustine Saint Joseph Hall at 12:00 pm. Please, come to Mass at 10:00 am with your family and stay for the party at 12:00 pm and have fun serving others in Christ's name.

Another way to celebrate Christmas is to take part in the Veterans Administration Annual Christmas Party Give Away at Wade Park Medical Center and Veterans Administration Building. This program helps our Veterans and runs from December 3rd through December 8th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Wade Park VA is located at 10701 East Boulevard, Cleveland. Please contact John Cooney or Ron Glassco for more information.

On December 8th, we will be celebrating the Grand Knight's Christmas Ball. It will be a time to reflect, dance and enjoy the company of our Council's members and their loved ones. It will be held at Wagner's Country Inn, in Westlake with cocktails at 6:00 pm and dinner at 6:30 pm. A short presentation will take place at 7:30 pm and dancing immediately following. Please call Grand Knight Edward Chávez at 440-282-9521 to make your reservation. Tickets are \$25 per individual. It will be a time that we can share a memory with our wives and significant others in our lives.

I wish for all of you a very Merry Christmas and a safe, prosperous and healthy New Year.

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.

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.

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

Notice

Please review the names of the Knight and their families members, we would like to know those that still need our prayers. So we can keep the list current we will remove any names from the list if you do not call Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675, or Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964). Thank you for helping us.

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, Dan Dugan, Kevin Sheehan Mother in-law Jeanne Yanochao, Shirley Wolfe's daughter Denise, Ed Frindt's wife Carol, Ethel Lewis, Tom Wolff, Dean McKay, Carol Senko wife of Phil, Stu Foster, and all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

North Olmsted Knights of Columbus

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Edward Chavez Sr. (440-282-9521)
Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675)
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Council 4731 Memorial Mass



Pictures From the Annual Steak Roast

Grand Knight Edward Chavez



GK & District Deputy



Officers of K of C Council 4731, 2012—2013 Fraternal Year:

Grand Knight	Edward Chavez	Deputy Grand Knight	Paul Mathieson
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Third Year Trustee	Kevin Cornelius		

□ **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

St. Augustine annual Christmas party will be held on December 2nd. If you can help with your time or with a monetary donation please contact Grand Knight Ed Chavez (440-282-9521), PGK Henry Kleinhenz at (440-235-0675), or PGK Kevin Sheehan (440-333-4445).

Annual Day of Retreat

The annual LENTEN RETREAT DAY will be held on Saturday March 9, 2013, at St. Brendan Church. **The Most Reverend (Anthony) Edward Pevec PhD, VG** will provide a program of spiritual exercises titled "Shepherd of the Day". Men and women are invited. More information will be provided in January.

Peter Frank 440-779-9725

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 440-391-8545 or email him at Allknight-phill@hotmail.com

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 at 440-871-4020 or the Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz at 440-235-0675 with the necessary information for the Rosary Call

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 Nov was for 45.00

The First meeting in Sept No meeting "Memorial Mass"

The second meeting in Sept The winner was Name was not available at this time

The December drawing is for \$.50.00.



Pictures From the Annual Steak Roast

Clubs for Kids

The Knight of Columbus Cleveland Chapter collects golf clubs that are no longer used by members and their friends. The clubs are cleaned up and cot down and given to the Clubs for Kids program. Brother Larry Miller collects the clubs and delivers them to Garfield Heights Council. If you have any unused clubs, balls or bags please bring them to one of our meetings and we will arrange for them to get to Garfield Heights Council.

Knights of Columbus North Olmsted, Ohio Council 4731 Eligibility for the Rosary Call List

In the hopes that every Knight receives the services that they are entitled to, upon a death in the family or to themselves. We would like to clarify what North Olmsted, Ohio Council 4731 considers to be His immediate family.

For the purposes of a rosary call, a Knights immediate family will consist of His Mother, His Father, His wife and His children. A Rosary call will consist of a turn out at the Funeral Home and a full rosary or a decade of the rosary, depending on the family wishes.

For other family members, the Knights pray a full rosary before the second meeting each month. In memory of those we have lost or are sick. Please contact one of the officers to have their name added to that prayer list.

Special Note: We can only turn out for a rosary call "IF" we are notified. Make sure that your family knows that in the event of *your* death, you are entitled to this service. A Family member must contact another Knight or one of the officers to get this implemented.

Dear Brother Knights

"Tis the Season!! The Annual Grand Knights Christmas Ball is upon us. We are all invited to attend with our wives or significant others and have a great time. Dinner, Dancing and an opportunity to laugh about the fun times we have had throughout the year. Yes, that is right... Dancing will return to the event. So, put on your dancing shoes, rub in the Ben Gay, pull up your support hose, take some advil, start practicing your best moves, and spend some time on the dance floor.



What: Grand Knight's Christmas Ball

**Where: Wagner's Country Inn
30855 Center Ridge Road,
Westlake, OH 44145**

When: December 8th, 2012

**Time: Cocktail Hour: 6:00 pm
Dinner at 6:30 pm**

**Cost: \$25 per Person or \$50 per
Couple With an Open Bar!!**

To place your reservation, please call Grand Knight Edward Chávez at 440-282-9521 and leave your reservation on the answering machine. If he answers the phone he will buy your first drink.

Deadline for RSVP will be December 3rd, 2012



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*Next Meeting: December 5th
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 2	St. Augustine Annual Christmas Party for the Children
Dec 4	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Dec 5	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Dec 8	Annual Grand Knights Christmas Party.
Dec 19	Rosary St. Clarence (St. Kevin Chapel) 7:00 P.M.
Dec 19	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Dec 25	CHRISTMAS DAY Keep Christ in Christmas
Jan 2	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Jan 16	Rosary St. Clarence (St. Kevin Chapel) 7:00 P.M.
Jan 16	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Feb 5	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Feb 6	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Feb 20	Rosary St. Clarence (St. Kevin Chapel) 7:00 P.M
Feb 20	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence