

# THE NARRATOR



The Newsletter of the North Olmsted



Knights of Columbus Council #4731

October 2009

## Grand Knight's Report



Grand Knight  
Jim Sanzi

Brother Knights and Families,

I hope everyone had a very pleasant summer. The weather has been beautiful this summer.

October is a month for change, the weather will be changing from hot to cooler temperatures, the green leaves will be changing to vibrant colors before they begin to fall and our summer attire will be put away for our winter attire. Speaking of change, I change my home email address to [sanzi@att.net](mailto:sanzi@att.net), please update your files.

We postponed our new membership steak roast to this month, till October 14<sup>th</sup> so we can recruit more men. Please invite a friend to attend. There will be a 1<sup>st</sup> degree ceremony following the steak roast dinner.

Please come to the flag retirement ceremony at St. Clarence October 10 at 11:00 AM behind the pavilion. The 4<sup>th</sup> degree Bishop O'Reilly Assembly will be the Honor Guard as will the North Olmsted VFW be present. This is a family activity, come and see this event and bring any used US flags that need to be retired.

I want to thank everyone who recruited a new member and helped our Council achieve STAR Council this year. Congratulations everyone in Council 4731.

Please keep all our Brothers and their family in your prayers.

Vivat Jesus  
Fraternally Yours

Jim Sanzi  
Grand Knight

**IN MEMORAL:**

**October Anniversaries:**

William T. Mack	10/28/80	Calvin S. Stelzer	10/25/87
Richard T. Matel, PGK	10/21/89	Albert J. Creter	10/06/90
John Siloy	10/10/90	Kenneth B. Vosniak	10/20/91
Clarence "Red" McAndrew	10/01/97	Rev. Harry J. Fagan	10/14/97
Thomas A. Petro	10/30/99	Thomas E. Sheehan	10/19/00
Donald P. Traci	10/24/06		

Remember all those whom have died this past year.

Please return your Member survey to:

**Paul Mathieson  
26745 Schubert Dr.  
Westlake, Ohio 44145-2360**

**K of C 4731 Officer  
for the 2009 / 2010 Fraternal Year**

Grand Knight – Jim Sanzi	Chaplin - Fr. Joseph McNulty
DGK – Kevin Cornelius	Chancellor—Jim Bauer
Recorder—Mark Cunningham	Treasurer—Jim Buckley
Warden – Peter Frank	Inside Guard—Rudy Chavez
Outside Guard—Wayne Petre, PGK	Lecture—Dennis Carlton
Trustee 1 year – Gene Hanzely	Trustee 2 year – Ray Metsch
Trustee 3 year – Kevin Sheehan	

**KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:**

Ruddy Chavez, , Tom Groff, Chuck Novak, Don Boll, Gerald Dietrich & his wife Kay, 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 Yanochoa, Jim Buckley and his wife Kitty, Jim Allen, Charles Halpin, Shirley Wolfe & her daughter Denise, Howard Schmieler, Ed Frindt’s wife Carol, Lou Vinoverski, Ethel Lewis & Ruth Forthofer, Pat Ielapi, Joan Spakowski, Jim Sanzi mother in law Genevieve Huey and all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

***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.

**North Olmsted Knights of Columbus**

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Jim Sanzi (4440-427-9693)  
Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675) "Narrator" Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964)

**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.

## Communion Breakfast

The North Olmsted Council 4731 semi-annual Communion Breakfast will be held on Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 am at St. Raphael's Church at 525 Dover Center Road in Bay Village with a sit-down breakfast immediately following at La Centrae Conference and Banquet Facility at 25777 Detroit Road, just west of Columbia Road in Westlake.

The cost will be \$10.00 per person for Council members and their immediate family with children under 10 years old free. Non-council members and their guests will be \$15.00 per person. The Committee is very excited about this new facility and feels that you will be pleasantly surprised when you see it. The Council has to pay the facility by Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>. You will not be able to attend the breakfast unless you have made reservations and PAID before Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>. You can make your reservations by calling Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz PGK at 440-235-0675 or Trustee Ray Metsch PGK at 440-235-9530.

## Flag Retirement October 10; St Clarence, 11:00 A.M.

There is a great patriotic responsibility to properly dispose of the American Flag. At this event, we dispose of the flag by burning it in a respectful ceremony. Be there for Old Glory! North Olmsted VFW will be present. Bring your old flags.

**Visit our WEB SITE at [www.kofc4731.org](http://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.

**Notice** deadline for the Next Narrator is **October 16th**. If you have something that you would like to put in the Narrator check with the Grand Knight, then sent it to me as a attachment in MS Word. My Email address is tkilbane@ameritech.net. Please subject it K of C.

## 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 Sept was for \$25.00**

The first meeting, Bob Weiler was not present

The second meeting,

**The October drawing will be for \$30.00**



Brother Knights from Brooklyn/Parma & North Olmsted Council



The wives and others who helped

**Parmadale Picnic** by Gene Hanzely

This year our Council teamed up with Brooklyn/Parma Council to put on another successful picnic at Parmadale. The kids at St. Raphael Cottage were very polite and appreciative and very hungry. The hamburgers, hot dogs, corn on the cob, fresh fruit, cookies, etc, etc, were a hit. The staff was very helpful and were also pleased.

Thanks to Mark Cunningham, Paul and Elaine Mathieson, Kevin and Judy Cornelius, Phil Senko, Jerry Nowesnick and guest, Fran Murray and a special thanks to my wife Betty. Thanks also to the ladies who brought and/or sent cookies. Thanks to Brooklyn/Parma Council for all their help and sharing in this picnic.

Oops, almost forgot to mention (and maybe I should) that the winning streak by the Parmadale All-Stars over the Knights has continued in the annual baseball game. Maybe we need a managerial change? Better luck next year Knights!!

**FOOTBALL SWEEPSTAKE TICKETS**

If you have sold tickets and not turned in your stubs, please give me your stubs & of course \$10 per ticket stub ASAP; please do not wait until the last minute (October 7<sup>th</sup> is the deadline). You can mail them to me (Peter Frank; 24432 Palm Drive; North Olmsted, OH 44070) or give me the stubs and \$\$ at the first meeting in October, namely October 7<sup>th</sup>.

**New Advertisement in our Narrator**

Deerfield Roofing / Siding, has placed an ad in our Narrator.  
Bill Kovalak (440-823-2275) (216-390-3049 cell)

**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**

## **Third Annual Men's Steak Roast and the First Degree Ceremony will be held Following the Steak Roast**

Please consider this your personal invitation to become a part of the world's largest fraternal organization of Catholic men, The Knights of Columbus. While membership is offered to all practical Catholic men over 18; experience tells us that the younger a man is when he joins, the more benefits, graces and rewards come to him and his family as an active knight.

Want to learn about the Knights, in a no pressure, social and fraternal setting?

North Olmsted Council is hosting our "Third Annual Men's Steak Roast" Wednesday, October 14, 2009 for its members and prospective member candidates. Steaks will be ready around 6:00 P.M. And immediately following dinner, The First Degree Ceremony will be held in the Saint Clarence Coffee Shop (30106 Lorain Road) just above the Terrace Room, which is our regular meeting hall.

Cost of the Steak Roast is only \$10, payable at the door. Who else but the K of C gives you a sizzling steak, smothered in onions and mushrooms, a hearty salad, baked potato with all the trimming, plus dessert and beverages. All for a low cost of ten bucks!

When you join the Knights of Columbus Council 4731 in September or October, you will get a \$5.00 credit toward your 2010 annual dues in January 2010. Thus that sizzling steak will really cost you only \$5.00!!!

**Reservations are a must!** So, sign up today or you must call by **Deadline 9:00 PM Monday October 12, 2009**

### **Contact Co-Director of Membership**

**Paul C. Mathieson Phone: (440) 835-7203 E-Mail paulmathieson@msn.com**

**Jerry D. Nowesnick Phone (440) 336-0039 E-Mail jnowesnick@wowway.com**

Leave your name, Parish and how you want your personal steak cooked -Rare? ...Medium? ... Or Well Done!

### **List of Upcoming Degree Dates**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Phone</b>
9-3-09	First	7 p.m.	Strongsville	Bill Pring	440-234-9503
10-14-09	First	7 p.m.	No Olmsted Council	Paul Mathieson	440-835-7203
10-20-09	First	7 p.m.	Brunswick Council	John Chalfa	330-273-3547
11-5-09	First	7 p.m.	Strongsville	Bill Pring	440-234-9503
12-9-09	First	7 p.m.	No Olmsted Council	Paul Mathieson	440-835-7203
12-15-09	First	7 p.m.	Strongsville	Bill Pring	440-234-9503
3-10-10	First	7 p.m.	No Olmsted Council	Paul Mathieson	440-835-7203

**"Life"**  
**A very special and precious gift "Loving Hands of Mercy" statue**  
**donated by**  
**Knights of Columbus**  
**North Olmsted Council 4731**

**2009**

As a token of our appreciation for our nine parish's support and prayers for the sanctity of life, the Knights of Columbus donated a pro-life statue to each of the parishes.

The statue, "Loving Hands of Mercy" represents the precious gift from God and our responsibility to preserve and cherish that gift. It is about eight inches high, so it can be conveniently placed on a shelf or table.

We presented these statues to all nine parishes that comprise our Council at our Knights of Columbus Family Picnic on July 26, 2009 at the Saint Clarence Church Pavilion at 30106 Lorain Road North Olmsted, Ohio. We hope all nine parish representatives enjoyed the good food and family day.

May these statues inspire all the parishioners to recognize the sanctity and beauty of God's creation.



<b>St. Angela Merici</b>	<b>St. Brendan</b>	<b>St. Ladislav</b>
<b>20970 Lorain Road</b>	<b>4242 Brendan Lane</b>	<b>2345 Basset Road</b>
<b>Fairview Park, Ohio 44126</b>	<b>North Olmsted, Ohio 44070</b>	<b>Westlake, Ohio 44145</b>
<b>St. Augustine</b>	<b>St. Christopher</b>	<b>St. Raphael</b>
<b>2486 West 14th Street</b>	<b>20141 Detroit Road</b>	<b>525 Dover Center Road</b>
<b>Cleveland Ohio 44109</b>	<b>Rocky River, Ohio 44116</b>	<b>Bay Village, Ohio 44140</b>
<b>St. Bernadette</b>	<b>St. Clarence</b>	<b>St. Richard</b>
<b>2256 Clague Road</b>	<b>30106 Lorain Road</b>	<b>26855 Lorain Road</b>
<b>Westlake, Ohio 44145</b>	<b>North Olmsted, Ohio 44070</b>	<b>North Olmsted, Ohio 44070</b>







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*Next Meeting: Sept 2nd  
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:**

Oct 6	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Oct 7	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m. Terrace Room, St. Clarence
Oct 10	Flag Retirement Ceremony St. Clarence Terrace Room 10:00 A.M.
Oct 14	Third Annual Steak Roast and First Degree
Oct 21	Rosary before Meeting 7:00pm
Oct 21	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m. Terrace Room, St. Clarence
Oct 25	Communion Breakfast, See article in Narrator.
Nov 3	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Nov 4	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m. Terrace Room, St. Clarence
Nov 18	Rosary before Meeting 7:00pm
Nov 18	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m. Terrace Room, St. Clarence
Dec 1	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Dec 2	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m. Terrace Room, St. Clarence