October, 2011

Grand Knight's Report



Brother Knights and Families,

It takes a lot of courage to admit when we are afraid. Whenever we stick out our neck and stand for what is right, we are not in a comfortable zone. What I'm referring to is 40 days for life. I must tell you, I have never had the guts to stand in front of an abortion clinic holding a sign and praying for the unborn. However, I feel less afraid knowing I will be standing with other brother Knights and we'll do what is right together. There is strength in our numbers. Please consider joining your fellow brothers in praying outside the abortion clinics during 40 days for life. Contact Scott Bliss for scheduling and information.

So many other things going on! So many ways to get involved!

- 1. Steak Roast: October 12, 6pm. This is a membership drive activity! Bring a friend who is considering becoming a Knight!
- 2. Communion Breakfast is October 24. St Clarence 10am Mass! Hope to see you there! Please contact myself or DGK Ed Chavez for details.
- 3. Keep Christ in Christmas is warming up! Get ready for some new items this year! Net Proceeds benefit St. Augustine's Christmas party!
- 4. St. Augustine's Christmas party! December 4th. I'm thinking this wonderful event has been going on for almost, if not over, 40 years! Contact PGK Kevin Sheehan for details!
- 5. Grand Knight Christmas Party! December 10th. \$20/person @ Wagner's Country Inn. (same as last year). Contact Ray Metsch for details. This is the best deal and great time!
- 6. We need assistance in staring up a Drug awareness program in the council area. Please consider helping start up this new program!
- 7.Last call for Web site help! Web Site help needed! We need someone with some experience to assist in updating our web site on a regular basis (www.kofc4731.org). If you have some computer/web experience, your council needs your help! Contact me at 440-655-6706 if you can help!

Please keep all our Brothers and their family in your prayers, especially the unemployed, PGK Tom Lisy, and Rudy Chavez, DGK Ed Chavez., and PGK Dean McKay.

Vivat Jesus! Fraternally Yours W. Kevin Cornelius Grand Knight

IN MEMORAL:

October Anniversaries:

William T. Mack	10/28/80	Calvin S. Stelzer	10/25/87
Richard T. Matel	10/21089	Albert J. Creter	10/06/90
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
Dante Lavelle	10/20/09		

Remember all those whom have died this past year.

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

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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, Peg Worden wife of Don, Dean McKay, 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 at 440-871-4020 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)

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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 kcorny01@yahoo.com, 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.



Top pictures left & right and below are the Fourth Degree Knight of Bishop O'Rielley Assembly. The Knight belong to North Olmsted Council 4731.





These pictures are of the Ladies Auxiliary and the Color Guard from the VFW post in North Olmsted





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 September was for \$40.00

The first meeting, The winner was Paul Bush, he was not present.

The second meeting, The winner was Herman Yoder, he was not present

The October drawing will be for \$.45.00,

K of C Chancellor Corner Article Vocations Program

Vocations Program Take Up His Cross For Charity...In Unity...With Fraternity

One of the biggest future challenges our Church faces today is vocations. While today's Church is making progress in vocations, as Knights we truly must "Take Up His Cross" in supporting activities that promote vocations. Our Vocations Activities Program allows

councils to support our priests, sisters and deacons. We, as Knights, have a great tradition of support and involvement and must continue this effort.

ichard Chavez



Richard Chavez, of LaGrange, Kentucky, formerly of Lorain, passed away Sunday, August 14, 2011. Richard was born in Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico on October 9, 1947

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
10/02/201	1 Third	2:00 P.M.	Kent State Parish Newman Ctr.	Jerry Nowesnick 44 jnowesnick@woww	
10/12/201	1 First	7:00 P.M.	North Olmsted Council	Jerry Nowesnick 44 jnowesnick@woww	0-336-0039
12/14/201	1 First	7:00 P.M.	North Olmsted Council	Jerry Nowesnick 44 jnowesnick@woww	

Attend a meeting and have a chance of winning \$25.00

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



Grand Knight Kevin Cornelius receives the Columbia Award for 2010—2011 year.

Fr. Joe McNulty says the closing prayer





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.

Right to Life Corner

Let's think Time, Talent and Treasure.

With the upcoming 40 Days for Life campaign your time can go toward being present at SurgiCenter on Pearl Rd. This abortion clinic is the only facility in Cleveland performing late-term abortions. We will never know how many babies we save by just being physically present. How many women turn away because they just didn't want to cross the line that is there because of our presence? I am please to say that we had twelve Brother Knights sign up for the upcoming campaign during the meeting on September 21st. Contact me at 440-454-5900 or scott@scottbliss.com to find out how to sign up. And if it's a concern I will personally go with you to help you overcome any apprehensions regarding where to go, where to park or what to do while you're there.

Talent can be as simple as praying a Rosary or communicating your passion about the sanctity of life to others as the opportunity arises. Don't be silent on this topic, even if it's not the 'popular' position. We are fighting a culture of death and permissiveness. You should expect resistance, ignorance and even hostility. Learn how to defend life. If it's not OK to shake a two month old baby to death why is it OK to take the life of a baby four or five months earlier. Spend a few minutes here, www.lifeworksohio.org/education.asp, getting educated!

Finally, a little treasure can go a long way. Organizations like LifeWorks Ohio, Cleveland Right to Life and Cleveland Coalition for Life work on minimal budgets. Normally these organizations are run almost entirely by volunteer efforts. Even \$20 can cover the cost of materials for an entire class for the ChooseLife program.

Get involved. Take one of my suggestions, or come up with one of your own.

Vivat Jesus.

Scott Bliss, Chairman Right to Life Committee Knights of Columbus Council #4731 30000 Lorain Rd North Olmsted, OH 44070 440-454-5900 Direct 216-258-0253 Fax Mailto:Scott@ScottBliss.com

Faith is about doing. You are how you act, not just how you believe. Mitch Albom from 'Have a Little Faith'





Amy Mushinski, Executive Director of Coalition for Life and Scott Bliss, Chairman Right to Life Committee for North Olmsted Council 4731 presented information on the Program 40 DAY FOR LIFE to our council at the meeting of Sept. 21st.



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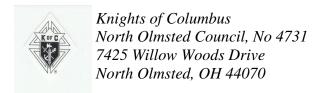


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Next Meeting: Oct 5th MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 PM CALL 440-235-0675 FOR MORE INFORMATION

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER: