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Council Business Meeting
2nd Tuesday of the month

From The Grand Knight....

Dear Brother Knights and Family Members,

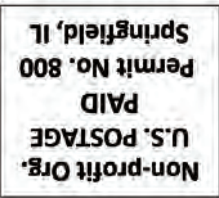
As the longest, coldest, and shortest month is almost over. Spring will be upon us soon! The days are getting longer and hopefully, things will soon warm up. Chicken Dinners have gone well — and also our Sunday Morning breakfasts.

Ash Wednesday is just around the corner (March 5!) and our very popular fish dinners soon will be starting!

I ask everyone to please keep Miller Lee Miller’s family in our thoughts and prayers in this difficult times. The Knights of Columbus has truly lost an amazing woman! May we all take a moment of silence for her.

As always I look forward to seeing everyone at the club! Stay warm out there!

Chad Altgilbers Grand Knight
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- LENTEN FISH DINNERS ARE BACK!



Our popular Knights of Columbus Friday night Drive Thru or Dine-in all you can eat Fish Dinners will start on Ash Wednesday Mar. 5, 2025. They will continue every Friday evening during Lent including Good Friday. Serving will be from 4:30 pm - 7:00 p.m.

The menu will include Catfish or Pollock fillet, baked beans, potato salad, mac-n-cheese, and bread. The cost is \$13.00 for Adults, children 12 & under, \$7.00, with children under 5 eating free. Prepared by the Fourth Degree, members, wives & friends. Bring your friends and neighbors. "Everyone is welcome!"

- FOURTH DEGREE NEWS...

I would like to thank all of you, your friends and families that have come out to support our Chicken Dinners this year and thanks to all of our volunteers who have come out and helped in any way to make these dinners a huge success.



With Lent upon us, let us take time to say some extra prayers, attend Mass, or just say "yes" to someone seeking your help in any way. There are many ways we all can be more Christ-like. May God bless all of you!

As always please keep in your prayers all our Knights and family members who are sick, home-bound, in a nursing home or just in need of our prayers. Also remember all of our service men and women who serve our country in any way.

Our next 4th degree meeting will be Tuesday April 15, 2025.

- Your faithful navigator / Terry Obert (217-592-6400)

- PRO-LIFE MARCH

Right to Life of Adam's county is sponsoring a bus trip to Springfield for the Illinois pro-life March on March 25. The rally will take place at 1:00 and the March around the Capitol building will be at 2:00. Cost for the bus is \$15. For more information and a reservation please call Lyn at 217-653-0075. Please join us in supporting this pro-life event!



- QUINCY UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Council #583 will award three \$1,000 scholarships to QU for the 2025-2026 school year.



These will be presented to the son, daughter, grandson, or granddaughter of an active Council 583 third degree member. Not a third-degree member? You have several opportunities to become one in less than an hour. (Each student may have one entry for each council member in the drawing and only one winner per family.)

If you are current on your dues and plan to attend QU this fall, fill out one of the entry forms available at the club.

If more than 3 students' names are submitted, we will draw the winners at a council meeting. For more info please contact Bill Anderson at 217-257-2108 / billanders44@gmail.com

- MORE SCHOLARSHIPS!

Two \$500 scholarships to Q.N.D. and two \$500 scholarships to each of our parochial elementary schools, St. Dominic, St. Francis, St. Peter, and Blessed Sacrament will be awarded.

Entry forms will be available starting April 1st at the Clubhouse bar—and must be returned to the "Red Can" by May 17th.

Each Third Degree member of the Knights of Columbus may submit an entry form for each of their children or grandchildren but a family may only win one scholarship.

For more information, more info please contact Bill Anderson.

- PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Julia Maas, wife of PGK Tom Mass has a grave illness. Julia is a mother, wife, grandmother, church organist, faithful Catholic and friend to many—she and Tom would, appreciate our prayerful support. - The Chaplain



Trust God. Feel the security of Divine Providence. Trust Him. He knows. He will provide...wait on Him.

- Mother Teresa

- CHAPLAIN'S REFLECTIONS..

Dear Brother Knights & Family Members

Where are you going?

Rabbi Jonathan Sacks recently shared a gem of wisdom from a Jewish sage:

There is a wonderful story about an 18th century rabbi, Levi Yitzchak of Berdichev, who is looking at people rushing to and fro in the town square. And he wonders why they're all running so frenetically.

He stops one and he says, "Why are you running?" And the man says, "I'm running to make a living." And the rabbi says to him, "How come you're so sure that the living is in front of you and you have to run to catch it up?"

What is it that you are looking for?

Are you clear on that? If you are not clear, you may someday wake up and realized you have missed something deeper. Or, much worse, you may not wake up and never realize till the end that you have gone down the wrong road—and that you are out of gas.

As fast as most of us are moving down life's road we may inadvertently pass it by. As John Lennon observed: "Life is what happens to you while you are making other plans."



Toward the end of his life someone asked General Robert E. Lee, the Great Confederate Commander, if he had had any regrets. He replied softly, "That I took a military education." That must be must be one of the more sad personal self- assessments that has ever been spoken.

This Lenten season, soon to be upon us, is a good time for each of us to just sit and reflect, and listen to that voice which whispers in our hearts.

As the Psalmist once observed, "If today you hear His voice, harden not your hearts."

- Fr. Don Blickhan



- MONTHLY MASS INTENTIONS



Broadcast Date	Intention
Sunday, March 2, 2025	Bill Adam
Sunday, March 9, 2025	Sharon Herron
Sunday, March 16, 2025	Robert Deters
Sunday, March 23, 2025	Robert Druffel
Sunday, March 30, 2025	Kenneth Whittaker
Sunday, April 6, 2025	Deacon Bill Neuser

Thank you to the local patrons who drop and donate their tickets and change from playing the slot machines. This amounted to a total of \$93.41! The Knights of Columbus provided a check in this amount to Blessing Hospice.

- BECOMING A KNIGHT

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to practicing Catholic men in union with the Holy See, who are at least 18 years old. A "practicing Catholic" is one who lives up to the Commandments of God and the precepts of the Church. Application blanks are available from any member of the Knights of Columbus. Contact any member or Bill Anderson at 217-257-2108 for more information or any questions.



Be a recruiter for our Catholic fellowship!

- EUCHRE CARD GAMES...



Are scheduled for Wednesdays March 12th and April 9th at the KC Clubhouse. Sign up at 6:00 p.m. with play beginning at 6:30 p.m.

- LATEST COUNCIL INFORMATION...

Get Text Updates from the Quincy Council #583 on your cell phone. Text KNIGHTS to 855-259-0583.

The next Sunday Morning Breakfast Buffet will be on March 2nd and again on April 6th. Drop by after Mass.