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Thank you to:

- James Ramsey, Chuck Pawloski, and Bill Weilert, the Tootsie Roll Campaign Team. Also to Chuck, James, Bill, Ryan Coufal, Dan Dinkel, Jason Phillips and Ed Smith, who called for volunteers. Finally, to all the volunteers, especially those who worked several shifts.
- the Casino dealers, Jim Daniels, Bill Weilert, Dean Pater, Tony Hug, John Betzen and Joe Betzen, who worked the most recent casino in Augusta.
- John Washburn for organizing Sporting Clays shoot at Shady Creek.
- Joe Marshall for organizing the first Parish Men's Bonfire.

Building the Domestic Church – November

Our family defines each and every one of us. Because our ancestors chose life, we are here today and are able to continue building the domestic church. Our family represents the journey of generations who passed on the faith together with love and basic moral values. This month, thank God for the gift of family and find a practical way to celebrate your ancestry, such as researching your family history and connecting with family members who do not live nearby.

Save the Date

December 10 Monday: Following a brief business meeting starting at 6:30 pm, our council will host its annual Pot-Luck Dinner for all Knight and their families. Knights will provide a meat entree and drinks.

February and March: Our council will host the State Bowling Tournament the last two weekends in February and the first weekend in March at Seneca Bowl. Tom Schmeidler is coordinating the event and has volunteers to handle the raffle and advertising in the event program. He will need many volunteers to help on the three weekends. Please contact Tom at 644-5963 or email him at tom@sbconst.kscoxnet.com for information.

Upcoming Events (Volunteer and Faith Building Opportunities)

Dean Pater is our Casino coordinator and he has scheduled the following casinos: Dec. 1 Sunflower Bank, Dec. 6 St. Francis of Assisi, Dec. 14 Central Consolidated, Dec. 15 GSI Inc, and Dec. 20 KFCH Attorney Group. Team captains, Joe Betzen and Bob Stuhlsatz will need many dealers to help with these events, especially on Dec. 14, when they are expecting 150 guests and would like to have 20 dealers. Income from these casinos goes to pay for taxes and insurance for our Columbian Acres property as well as major projects like digging out our south lake and other grounds improvements. Columbian Acres also donates to our church and school so please volunteer and enjoy a fun evening out.

The men's faith study of *Into the Breach*, continues this month thru Monday, November 12 for the evening session that meets from 7 to 8:30 pm and Saturday, November 17 for the morning session meeting from 7 to 8:30 am. Newcomers are welcome to either sessions.

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The Operation Holiday Food Drive will begin with baskets being distributed on Saturday, November 24 and Sunday, November 25. When the basket is delivered to your door, please fill it with canned goods and take it to another Knight on the list. If you would prefer to donate cash and have your name removed from the list, contact Bob Stuhlsatz at 316-518-8122.

Calendar.

November 11 (Sun): Monthly breakfast after the 9am Mass. Kent Lund's team.

November 12 (Mon): Admission degree prior to the monthly business meeting.

November 19 (Mon): Memorial Mass at 6 pm.

November 26 (Mon): Officer's meeting at 7 pm.

December 9 (Sun): Monthly breakfast after the 9am Mass. Bill Weilert's team.

December 10 (Mon): Short business meeting and Pot-Luck Dinner starts at 6:30 pm.

NO OFFICER MEETING IN DECEMBER.

For the Good of the Order - Please remember the following in your prayers:

Andy Wojcik, Ernie Knipp, Roseann and Richard Bade, Kirk Keffeler, Past Supreme Knight Virgil Dechant and his wife Anne, Bernard Betzen (brother of Joe and John), Kyle Straub, Ray Kennedy and family, Harold Lux, Tony & Sylvia Duran, Dick Hopper, Charlie Smith, Charlie Marlow family, Gene Kleman, Cal Wilbert, our military Brother Knights, especially those currently deployed and in harm's way and all summer travelers.

Knight of the Month

Kirk Keffeler



Family of the Month

Bill and Sue Gessler



From the Insurance Department

Knights of Columbus INSURANCE is your shield for life. If anything should happen to you, what would happen to your loved ones? Our K of C insurance agent is available to help you make sure your family's future is secure. Contact our field agent, Tim Voegeli, @ 641-3131, to review your options for providing the security that your family deserves.