

The Santa María
Our Council Newsletter

MERRY CHRISTMAS!



We will hold our first annual Coats for Kids Pickup Drive on December 22, 2018 at Noon!

2018 Coats for Kids Drive

Our annual Coats for Kids Drive is one of our most important programs as a council. This year we will host an event at the parish on December 22nd from Noon to 3pm. Families can come and try on the coats for their children and take them home that afternoon! All the extra coats we don't pass out will be donated to Saint Mary's Community Outreach in Wayne.



Thanks Heartland Market!

William Wendling and Gerry Pietszak present the owner of Heartland Market a certificate of appreciation for allowing our council to conduct our MI Drive at their store!



New Newsletter Sponsors!

We are excited to welcome Randazzo Formal Wear as our newest sponsors of our council newsletter! William Wendling and Gerry Pietszak went there personally to thank them and present them with a certificate of thanks!



Altar Server Training

Our council's Worthy Trustee, Ken Konrad is seen helping students learn how to hold the cross during Altar Server training session in the church in November.



Trunk or Treat!

We had multiple Knights represent at the 2018 Saint Mary, Cause of Our Joy Trunk or Treat. Including Jon and Cheri Filipiak as a crazy dentist and tooth fairy!

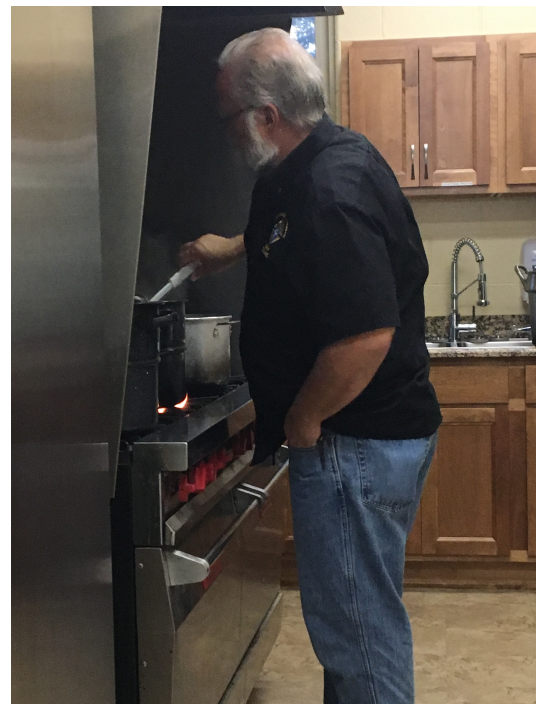
We had a huge turn out which means we passed out a lot of candy! Thanks to everyone who helped!



President Donald Trump signed H.R. 390, a law championed by the Knights of Columbus that will provide relief for genocide victims in Iraq and Syria! Supreme Knight Carl Anderson was present at the White House for the signing ceremony in the Oval Office.



Brother Knight Rodney Harris with Supreme Knight Carl Anderson and the Archbishop of Iraq, Bashar Warda.



2018 KofC Spaghetti Dinner

We had a great turn out for our Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser! We raised a lot of money for Knights of Columbus charities as well as for our council Seminarian and Brother Knight, Deacon Derik Peterman!

Our council really showed up and put in a lot of work for make this event perfect! Especially Luis Gonzalez, Jerome Duhr, Doug Cyr, William Wendling, and Mike Karpinski! Thank you to everyone who helped!



Happy Birthday!

We'd like to wish these council members a very special Happy Birthday:

- November 1 - Ed Duff
- November 4 - Bill Wendling
- November 5 - Art Regner
- November 11 - Gary Warner
- November 22 - Bernard Fox
- November 22 - Gerry Pietszak
- November 23 - Paul Toner
- November 24 - Chris Cummins
- November 28 - Fr. Larry Zuraqski
- December 25 - Jerry Borycz
- December 28 - Thomas Bobee
- December 31 - Osinachi Anyanwu

KofC Anniversary

We want to recognize our council members on their anniversary of becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus:

- November 14, 2009 - David Jaminet - 9 years
- December 1, 1983 - Thomas Bobee - 35 years
- December 1, 1993 - Jerry Borycz - 25 years
- December 2, 2012 - Doug Cyr - 6 years
- December 2, 2012 - Bob Sheppard - 6 years
- December 2, 2012 - Don Yokley - 6 years
- December 4, 2013 - Alan Zelek - 5 years
- December 5, 2010 - Jerome Duhr - 6 years
- December 5, 1999 - Richard Gora - 19 years
- December 6, 2013 - Gary Campbell - 5 years
- December 6, 2013 - Scott Carroll - 5 years
- December 6, 2013 - Duane Harbowy - 5 years

Our Calendar of Events

- January 10 - Officer Meeting (6:15pm)
- January 10 - Membership Meeting (7:00pm)
- January 12 - Free Throw Championship
- January 13 - Begin Novena for Life
- January 14 - Family Prayer Night
- February 7 - Officer Meeting (6:15pm)
- February 7 - Membership Meeting (7:00pm)
- February 24 - Corporate Communion - Noon Mass
- February 24 - Council Lunch at Los Amigos
- February 26 - Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser
- February 28 - Bowling Knight at Westland Bowl



Knight of the Month


October 2018

Ed Duff



Our Parish Manger

Our parish manger was updated by Brother Knights Doug Cyr, Bob Sheppard, John Filipiak and Ed Duff over the summer. It looks great!



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