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# Knights of Columbus

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## December 2017 Message from the Grand Knight

November was another busy month for our council. Thank you to all who worked or supported the following events: Pork Sausage Dinner, Memorial Mass, Mater Dei athletic banquet, Veteran's Day Parade, cooked/delivered turkey's to Newman Center, cut out and painted "Keep Christ in Christmas" Manger sets. Congrats to past Grand Knight Bob Albers on earning 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Chapter Knights of Columbus bowling tournament in Bartelso.

Our Queen of Hearts raffle began on November 12<sup>th</sup>. The Queen of Hearts was the 1<sup>st</sup> card drawn and only ½ was paid out to Linus Wilke. A new board was started and the pot is beginning to grow. Big thanks to Dennis Book, Russel Zurliene & Brian Kloeckner for chairing this fundraiser.

We are in need of a Thursday Wing Crew. A shift would only be once every 5 weeks.

Lastly, we still need someone to step up and accept the Deputy Grand Knight position. We are all extremely busy but we need people to step up and help out rather than assuming someone else will. We need all our members to be ACTIVE members which includes attending meetings, working shifts, supporting events and maybe even stepping up to chair a committee so Council #2869 can continue to succeed not just today but for many years to come. In regards to the future, the Squires are looking for more members. If you have a son or Grandson in 6<sup>th</sup> grade – 18 years of age please encourage them to join. Most Squires immediately join the Knights of Columbus once they turn 18.

### **Knight of the Month**

I have chosen Dennis Book as the Knight of the Month for his hard work with the Queen of Hearts fundraiser. Dennis is always at the hall selling ticket and pin numbers for the raffle. Thank you Dennis for all you do!

### **Family of the Month**

I have chosen Joe & Sylvia Langhauser as the family of the month. Joe has been busy cutting out the manger pieces for the "Keep Christ in Christmas" manger sets and without the support of his wife, Sylvia these kits would have never gotten done in time. Thank you Joe & Sylvia for all your support for our council.

God bless and  
Vivat Jesus,

Tony Mueth, Grand Knight



Friday, December 1 <sup>st</sup>	Keep Christ in Christmas coloring contest begins.
Saturday, December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hospital Auxiliary Party
Monday, December 4 <sup>th</sup>	Workers Christmas Party & Toy Drive
Wednesday, December 6 <sup>th</sup>	Columbian Association Meeting @ 7:30
Saturday, December 9 <sup>th</sup>	Toy Drive Drop-off
Tuesday, December 12 <sup>th</sup>	National Night of Prayer for Life 9:00pm @ St. Augustine
Wednesday, December 13 <sup>th</sup>	Squires Meeting @ 8:00
<b>Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Monthly K of C Meeting – No Rosary, meeting starts at 7:30</b>
Tuesday, December 19 <sup>th</sup>	Membership Drive
Wednesday, December 20 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Caroling 6:00pm (Breese Nursing Home) 6:45 (Legacy Place)
Sunday, December 31 <sup>st</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Breakfast



## Kitchen Worker Schedule

### Wing Thursday:

December 7<sup>th</sup> – Mike Nettekmeier  
 December 14<sup>th</sup> – Dan Luebbers  
 December 21<sup>st</sup> – Dennis Book  
 December 28<sup>th</sup> - Justin Eilermann

### Chicken Friday:

December 1<sup>st</sup> – Dan Ketterer  
 December 8<sup>th</sup> – Russel Zurliene  
 December 15<sup>th</sup> – Mark Niemeyer  
 December 22<sup>nd</sup> – Rich Eilermann  
 December 29<sup>th</sup> – Jeff Niemeyer

**\*\*Please have everything for the December Newsletter to me by Tuesday, December 26<sup>th</sup> to have it included. – Tony Mueth**