



# Knights of Columbus Council 996 Pius XII Press



## GREETINGS FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

Brothers,

May has come and gone. No more funnel cakes until Oktoberfest. Thanks to all the men who came out to help at both Immaculate Conception and Christ the King carnivals.

We will be having election of officers on Wednesday, June the 4<sup>th</sup>, with installation on Wednesday, June the 18<sup>th</sup>. We will be having a dinner of Pork steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls and salad. The meal will be provided by the council. Anyone who wishes to may bring desserts. Drinks will be available for purchase. Bring out the family for a great night of food and fellowship. We will be opening the doors at 5:30 with installation of officers at 6:00 with dinner to follow. Hope to see everyone there!

On Sunday June the 8<sup>th</sup>, we will be ushering for Christ the King at the 11:30am mass.

Robert Collins is starting up a third Bingo team. If you would like to help out contact him about joining his team.

We are still looking for someone to take care of the acres. If you are interested please contact Gus Copenhaver at [479-221-4559](tel:479-221-4559).

In Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism

Gary Barker GK





## JUNE BIRTHDAYS



1st-Paul Rivaldo  
 3rd-Lance Harless  
 4th-John Borengasser, Jr., Marvin Chapin,  
       David Robertson, Carl Velte  
 5th-Jerome Flusche  
 8th-Rudy Gramlich, Dr. Kenneth Seiter  
 9th-Chris Brown, Dr. Leo Drolshagen, Brian Fletcher  
 10th-David Stec  
 13th-Gary Paladino  
 14th-John Weisenfels

16th-Joseph Mellot  
 18th-Wayland Horn, Frederick Hoyt  
 20th-Bill Kirk  
 21st-William Corrotto, Jr., Michael Farrell  
 22nd-Gene Bruick, John Koenigseder  
 23rd- Shannon Bradney  
 25th-Ed Seiter  
 26th-Kevin Sayre, Curt Buechter  
 28th-Gus Copenhaver  
 30th-Marc Lux, Zach Gramlich

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY FROM YOUR BROTHER KNIGHTS!!!**

## FAMILIES IN NEED OF PRAYER

### Sick:

Marilyn Reed, daughter of Lawrence, Betsy Schluterman, Dr. Eric Stein, Mary Drake, granddaughter of our former insurance agent Bob Moellers, Mary Carolyn Borengasser, mother of Richard, Gretchen Rideout (Art), Christine Wheeler (Pat), Kathleen Weidman (Daniel), and Susan Abbott (Jerry), Betty Chaney (Clyde), Gus Weisenfels, Gerald Miller, Gigi Giuliani, father of Brother Knight Mark Giuliani, Stella Blaschke wife of Brother Knight Kenneth Blaschke, Emily Ray, Kenneth Wille, father of Brother Knight Harold Wille, John "Duge" Gramlich, J.B. Meyers, Bud Gouger, Joe Nolte.

### Deaths:

Brother and Sir Knight Charles Lensing, Doris Bercher, mother of Kerry Bercher, Harvey Beene, father of Trina (Greg) Boerner, LaRue Wald, mother of Sam and grandmother of Tim Wald, Brother Donald F. Foster.



## THE ACRES

### GUS COPENHAVER AND GARY BARKER

We are needing someone that can manage the acres. The job consist of mowing the acres keeping the equipment maintained and making sure the grounds are ready for a rental. Contact Gary Barker or Gus Copenhaver if interested.



## COUNCIL LECTURER

### DC. GREG PAIR

#### *Connecting Faith to Everyday Life by Father Martin Pable, OFM Capuchin*

The test of any form of spirituality is connecting the good ideals with everyday life. A man must begin to form a vision and a lifestyle in keeping with his commitment to Christ. Instead of keeping separate compartments, he begins to make connections — first in his mind, then in his choices. Related Articles Men on a Mission The Priest as a Spiritual Father, Getting to Know God Personally, What is Spirituality?

He begins to ask new questions: 1. How does God view this issue? 2. What is the Lord's plan for me? 3. How does my job fit into God's larger purposes for me and for the world? 4. How does God view my marriage, my children, my style of parenting? 5. What's is God's view of sexuality? 6. What does Christ teach about human relations and dealing with difficult people? Instead of relying on his own judgments and insights, the man seeks guidance through prayer, reading the Bible and other spiritual sources, and seeking the counsel of other faith-filled people. As he grows in vision, he also comes to see that his actions and choices need to be brought into line.

Here is where the going can get tough, because he may reach the conclusion that he has to make some changes in his lifestyle if he is going to be faithful to the newfound vision. As one man told me, "Spirituality was fun till I realized it meant giving God the right to ask some things of me!" Let's be very clear about this. Spirituality is not meant to be fun and games. It is discipline, and it is tough. This is the reason that in *A Man and His God*, I stressed the importance of the traditional spiritual disciplines, especially prayer and Bible reading. Then I tried to make connections between spirituality and some of the key areas of a man's life: self-image, work and leisure, the quest for love, marriage and family, dealing with life's problems.

You may find the spiritual road demanding, even frightening at times. Trust God: trust him with your life, your love, everything you have and everything you are or would like to be. This is the stuff of spirituality. You have embarked on a great journey.

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# JUNE 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Bingo 7:30pm	4 Business Mtg. 7:30pm-Election of Officers	5	6	7
<i>Acres Rented</i>			<i>Acres Rented</i>	<i>Acres Rented</i>	Hall Rented <i>Acres Rented</i>	Hall Rented <i>Acres Rented</i>
8 Ushering @ CTK 11:30am Pentecost Sunday	9	10 All Area Schools will be out Watch for Kids!! Bingo 7:30pm	11 Columbus Club Mtg. 6:30pm	12	13	14 Flag Day
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15 Father's Day Trinity Sunday	16	17 Bingo 7:30pm	18 Installation of Officers-Doors open @ 5:30pm	19	20	21
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22 Corpus Christi	23	24 Bingo 7:30pm	25 4th Degree Mtg. 7:30pm	26	27 Sacred Heart of Jesus	28
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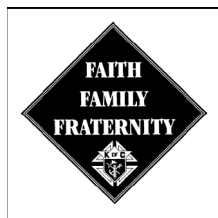
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Grand Knight	Gary Barker
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Financial Secretary	Sammy Ray
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Advocate	Roger Donald
Lecturer	Dc. Greg Pair
Warden	Paul Bochat
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Trustee	Bill DuBois
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479-208-3108 or 479-649-7144

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Program Director	Art Rideout
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Community Activities	
Council Activities	Waylon Horn
Family Activities	
Youth Activities	Roger Donald
	Jason Morland
Membership Director	Matt Hutchinson
Pro Life Director	Ronnie Dahlem
Hall Manager	Jayne Ann Spahn
Acres Manager	Jayne Ann Spahn

### 2013-2014 Columbus Club Board of Directors

Gus Copenhaver, President	<i>Meetings are held</i>
Leroy Farmer, VP	<i>the 2nd Wednesday</i>
Sammy Ray	<i>of each month</i>
Daniel Moore	<i>at 6:30 PM.</i>
Marvin Copenhaver	<i>All Council 996</i>
Dickie Spahn	<i>members are invited</i>
	<i>and encouraged</i>
	<i>to attend.</i>

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