

Knights of Columbus

Council 996

GREETINGS FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

SPECIAL DATES OF INTEREST:

- Bingo every Tuesday @ 7pm
- Fish Knights every Friday this month
- March 1st-Ash Wednesday
- March 1st-Bible Study and Business Mtg.
- March 8th-Columbus Club Mtg.
- March 15th-Social Mtg.
- March 22nd-4th Degree Mtg.

Greetings!

We are now into March and with it Lent. Yes Lent started, as you all know, March 1st. This is a time when we as Catholics traditionally give up some sort of luxury or we fast. We might even add something like helping the less fortunate or doing something that brings us closer to God.

We will be having our traditional fish nights prepared by Clyde Chaney and Chris Brown and their crew. This year we have decided to do something a little different. We are going to have brother

Knights serve everyone that comes in. I know we have always had Theresa and Susan Dubois. After discussion with Art Rideout, we decided that the brothers should serve you all.

If you have not had a chance to make it out to the hall before now you will have noticed that our floor in the ballroom is nice and shiny. We had some brothers come out and prepare the floor for a new coat of clear coat.

I would to thank:
 Gene from Smith Hardwood Flooring.
 Dickie and Jayne Spahn
 Gilbert Koch
 Gene Hatwig
 Ed Seiter
 Joe Taylor

Sammy Ray
 When you see these 7 individuals, shake their hand, pat them on the back, and tell them thank you.

Bingo! Bingo! Bingo!

We are still needing help with Bingo. As you know Tuesday nights are our Bingo nights. Sometimes we have enough help, sometimes we do not. Bingo has been a life saver for us. During our winter months, this is how we have paid the bills. If you have a free Tuesday night come out and help. As always God bless you all.

Vivat Jesus
 Grand Knight
 Gus Copenhaver

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COUNCIL ACTIVITIES ART RIDE OUT

The Knights of Columbus will be having Fish Nights every Friday during Lent beginning March 3 at 6pm to around 8 pm at the K of C Hall. The cost is \$8.00 for a fish dinner, fried or boiled shrimp dinner, or a combination dinner of both. Each dinner includes hush puppies, fries, and cole slaw. There will also be cheese pizza available for \$2 a slice for those who do not want fish. This is open to everyone, so come on out and enjoy a great meal with great fellowship! For more information call the K of C Hall at 649-7144.



Fish Knights

Every Friday during Lent

6:00pm at Knights of Columbus Hall

\$8.00 per plate

- **Fish**
- **Fried or Boiled Shrimp**
- **Combination Dinner**
- **Cheese Pizza (\$2.00 per slice)**

Includes Hushpuppies, fries, & coleslaw



Dine In or Carry out



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

1st-Eugene Ahlert, Stephen Peters	16th -Jason Bugeja, Brian Stoll
2nd-Jon Adams, Lonnie Merryman	17th-Cliff Boyd
4th-Michael Franklin, Andrew Naegle	18th- Roger Wallace
5th-Stephen Hornsey	20th-Charles Goebel
6th-Michael Newman	21th- Eric Locknar
8th-Jim D. Moore	22nd-Jim Foldvary, Greg Wewers
9th-David Nicodemus	23rd-David Komp
11th-Edward Franz	24th-Greg Boerner
12th-Gus Weisenfels	27th-Daniel Evans, Tim Spahn
13th- Chris Moody	29th-Russell Bragg, Duane Schmalz
14th-John Griswold	31st-Tom Caldarera, Jr., Robert Daul
15th- Michael Debar	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FROM YOUR BROTHER KNIGHTS!

FAMILIES IN NEED OF PRAYER

Sick:

Gerald Miller, Tony Spahn, Scott Koch, son of Gilbert Koch, Harold Willie, Beverly Heathcott, Kathy Furchman, Marilyn Boyd, widow of Teddy, mother of Cliff, Beverly Heathcott, Doris Moschner, mother of George and the late Anthony Moschner.

Deaths:

Sharon Mott, mother of Danette (Cliff) Boyd.

Military:

Jake Dahlem, stationed in Japan, and Jacob Ferguson, son of Carter Ferguson, who is deployed.



MARCH 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Ash Wednesday Bible Study 6:30pm Business Mtg. 7:30pm	2	3 Fish Night 6pm	4
5	6	7 Bingo 7pm	8 Columbus Club Mtg. 6:30pm	9	10 Fish Night 6pm	11
12 Daylight Savings Time Begins	13	14 Bingo 7pm Hall Rental	15 Social Mtg. 7:30pm	16	17 Fish Night 6pm St. Patrick's Day Hall Rental	18 Hall Rental
19	20 Spring Break Watch out for the kids!	21 Bingo 7pm	22 4th Degree Mtg. 7:30pm	23	24 Fish Night 6pm	25
26	27	28 Bingo 7pm	29	30	31 Fish Night 6pm Hall Rental	

CHECK US OUT ON THE WEB OR ON
FACEBOOK FOR UPCOMING EVENTS!!



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Chaplain	Fr. Babu Battula
Grand Knight	Gus Copenhagen
Deputy Grand Knight	Matt Hutchinson
Financial Secretary	Marc Lux
Treasurer	Mark Urban

2016-2017 Columbus Club

Robert Collins, President

*Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of
every other month at 6:30 P.M. All Council
996 members are invited and encouraged to
attend.*

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