



K of C SJN Council 16169 May 2021 Newsletter



Worthy Brother Knights of St. John Neumann Council #16169,

Happy Spring! We conducted our May meeting with in-person and online brothers in attendance. SJN continues to Live Stream the 8:30 Mass every Sunday.

Reverse Raffle:

Baldwin Hall Equipment installed using funds from Reverse Raffle. Thank you, Brothers.

E-Membership News:

- **Extended until 6/30/21**
- **Code: MCGIVNEY2020**

Here is how it works:

- Direct prospects to kofc.org/joinus
- Enter promo code **MCGIVNEY2020!**
- Enter your membership number for sponsor credit!
- Invite e-members to our Council's next Charity/Unity/Fraternity Exemplification

Family of the Month:

- Joe and Stephanie Camill Family
- We have been parishioners for 42 years at SJN, raising six children, (3 boys & 3 girls). Currently we have fourteen grandchildren (7 boy & 7 girls).
- Hobbies included camping, scuba diving and traveling in & out of state with family. Stef is known as G/ma to grandkids and is a supermom, they love her life stories and cannot get enough of them, very artistic in painting T-shirts (personalizing) with their names and all the different subjects the kids love, they wear them to school to show off. Stef is a greeter at church and loves to talk to new parishioners about SJN.
- I am involved with daily mass as a sacristan, EME, lector, lead rosary after daily mass. I also lead the Rosary Novena on Tuesdays, and am active in the K of C.
- I was just recently, approached by Earl Hoffman (slightly handicapped) to help move from three storage container units to one large one, with the help of four other K of C members:
- Larry Redman, Paul Bak, Dan Pfeiffer, and Walter Stang, what I thought was going to be a couple of hours turned to almost six hours.
- Fun facts, Stef immigrated, from Germany with her family at seven years old, both my parents immigrated here from Malta. Stef and I met in Lexington Mi., over (100) miles from where we both lived at a happenstance pizza place, exchange telephone numbers and found out we only live seven miles apart, this I believe was God's destiny for us both, she saved me and I saved her.
- We were married on June 5th 1965, she just turned 19, three months earlier and I just turned 21, one month earlier, this June we will be married 56 years. Three children in their fifties.
- Congratulations Camill Family



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Knight of the Month:

Brother Knight Ron Kretschmer

- Knight activities include:
 - Knights Officer (Recorder), Car wash fund raisers, Youth events including free throw and soccer challenges, Mental impairment drive, Membership Drives, Right-to-life crosses, and Reverse Raffle.
- Parish activities include:
 - Men's Prayer Breakfast Lead, Parish spring clean-up, Parish picnic volunteer, Hospitality weekend volunteer, Pancake breakfast, Christmas decorations, Alpha, and Men's Evening Program.

Congratulations Brother Ron as our Knight of the Month May 2021.

KnightCast:

- Premiered on 2/25/2021.
- Register: <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6105948/KnightCast-Registration>

Brother Knights interested in joining the 4th Degree:

- Exemplification will be held on Saturday, September 11, 2021
- Please see our council 4th degree Sir Knights or me for Registration packets

Early May and Upcoming Events:

- State Free Throw Contest: May 2, 2021
- First Communion: May 1, 2021
- May Crowning: May 4, 2021
- K of C State Convention Mass Recording: May 5, 2021
- Council Meeting: May 11, 2021 @ 7pm
- Blue Mass: May 11, 2021 @ 11am
- Confirmation Mass: May 12, 2021 @ 7pm
- Spring Cleanup: May 22, 2021 @ 9am
- Memorial Crosses Setup: May 22, 2021 @ 9am
- Spring Membership Drive: May 23-24 After All Masses
- Officers Meeting: May 25, 2021 @ 7pm
- DD Meeting: May 27, 2021 @ 7pm
- Corporate Communion: May 30, 2021 @ 12:30PM Mass
- Memorial Crosses Take Down: June 5, 2021 @ 9am
- Council Meeting: June 8, 2021
 - Knights Knosh @ 6:30pm
 - Meeting @ 7pm



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Knights of Columbus St. John Neumann Council #16169 Crown Free Throw Champions

Regional Knights of Columbus Free Throw Champions from Council 16169:

- Boys 11 Runner-up: Sean Boda
- Boys 12: Charley Day
- Boys 13: Kevin Henn
- Girls 13 Runner-up: Faith Henn

Officers Elect for 2021 2022 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight	Ed Hurst Jr
Deputy Grand Knight	Chuck Lang
Chancellor	Steve Sarlitto
Treasurer	Ken Svoboda
Recorder	Ron Kretschmer
Advocate	Joe Bradley
Warden	Jeff Battistela
Trustee 3rd Year	Keith Laurin
Trustee 2nd Year	Dennis Oszust
Trustee 1st Year	Bob Rugenski
Inside Guard 1	Walter Stang
Inside Guard 2	Michael Pilotto
Outside Guard 1	John Safran
Outside Guard 2	Paul Bak

Congratulations to Officers Elect and Our Grateful Thanks to Officers Retiring God Bless!!

Shirts and Badge Ordering:

- Brother Joe Bradley is the contact person for name badge.
 - csmjib@protonmail.com
 - 734-459-1764
- Brother Mike Cartier is the contact for shirts, jackets, hats, etc.
 - mikeandnoel81@comcast.net
 - 734-459-5635.

Pope Francis Center – Amazon site:

<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/genericItemsPage/2R39ZAWLWD08I?ref =wl fv le>

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Rise Up and Answer the Call