



# NEUMANN KNIGHTS

**St John Neumann Knights of Columbus**  
 Council 16169  
 44800 Warren Road  
 Canton, Mi 48187

## *From the Desk of the Grand Knight*

Brother Knights,  
 We are approaching Holy week ending our 40 days of introspection, reflection, prayer, almsgiving and drawing ourselves closer to our Lord. Holy Week reminds us of our Lord's love for each of us; that he would suffer so greatly and then conquer death by His resurrection so that we might be saved. Saved because we have chosen to follow him and repent for our sins. Let us celebrate His Resurrection and then move forward sharing the Good News of our Lord, Jesus Christ. That's what Knights DO!  
 Wishing you a Joyous Easter Celebration with your family and friends!  
 May our Lord send blessings of comfort to each of you.



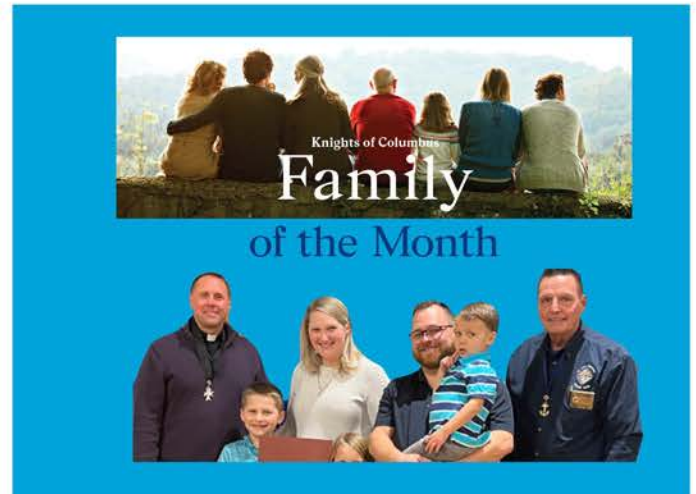
Chuck Lang, Grand Knight



*Dave Blankenship*

Dave has been a Knight for 8 years. As a knight he has been involved with KofC State Raffle, MI Drive, Parish Picnic, Free Throw Contest, Car Washes and Adoration Greeter. He is also on the parish Hospitality Team. He and his wife, Brenda have been members of SJN for 26 years.

**Congratulations Dave!**



*Darrin & Lisa Burek Family*

Darrin and Lisa have been married 12 years and have 3 children, Graham, Amelia & Edmund. Darrin is a Sunday Mass lector, assistant coach for baseball & T-ball, co-leader of a men's small reflection group and serves in several Knights activities. Lisa writes a liturgical living column for the blog "House of Joppa", a local Catholic online retailer, is the Chairwoman for the All Saints school mom's group and leads a bible study at home. The kids are involved in numerous parish activities at SJN.



**Chaplain**

Rev. Paul Ballien  
**District Deputy**

Brian Zahn,

**Grand Knight**

Chuck Lang

**Deputy Grand Knight**

Steve Sarlitto

**Chancellor**

Bill Springer

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**Advocate**

Jeff Battistella

**Warden**

Roger Bienat

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Michael Pilotto

**Inside Guard 2**

Bob LeBeau

**Outside Guard 1**

Paul Bak

**Outside Guard 2**

John Safran

**1 Year Trustee**

Dennis Oszust

**2 Year Trustee**

Keith Laurin

**3 Year Trustee**

Dave Andreolli

**Financial Secretary**

John Lutz

**Lecturer**

Marshall Grazioli

**Membership Director**

Larry Redman

**Newsletter Editor**

Ronald Rathbun



*Brother Knights and Friends That  
Are In Need our Prayers*



Dennis Lichocki, father-in-law of brother Mike Tallman  
 Christopher Whitney, brother of brother James Whitney  
 Jack Kucharczyk, friend of brother Jim Pryce  
 Richard Panko, friend of brother Ron Kretschmer  
 Jan Peters, wife of brother George Peters  
 Carl Zahn, father of brother Brian Zahn  
 Bob Barrie, friend of brother Eugene J Suchyta , PFN  
 Jan Peters, wife of brother George K. Peters  
 Michael McCusker, friend of brother Larry P Redman  
 Sebastiana Cardoso, mother of Fr. Paulo Dias,  
 Joel Yelland, co-worker of brother Ron Kretschmer  
 Brother Chuck Singleton  
 Brother Jim Stager  
 Al Hill, friend of PGK Ed Hurst Jr  
 Nancy Doll, co-worker of brother Clinton L Randall  
 Kim Pincheck, co-worker of brother Clinton L Randall

Wife and children of Durai Duraiswamy, friends of  
 Ron Kretschmer  
 PGK Jim Pryce  
 Audrey Etienne, grandparent of brother William L  
 Etienne  
 Sara Curtiss, niece of PGK Ed Hurst, Jr. 01/19/2023  
 Robert W. Fox, PSD  
 Michael Bodzianowski, relative of brother Edward A  
 Hurst Jr.  
 Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI,  
 Matt Utter, Son of SK Larry Utter, friend of pgk  
 Edward A Hurst Jr.  
 Kristin Stroening, niece of brother Ron Kretschmer  
 Brother Don and his wife Rita Schlagheck  
 Makenna Rugenski, daughter of brother Robert J  
 Rugenski

Eucharistic Adoration Fridays The Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the main Church after the 9 am Friday Mass. Exposition is made available until 7pm concluding with benediction. Come in to pray and spend some time with the Lord.



## April Birthdays

Leonardo T Johnson (04-01)  
 Leo A Tykoski Iii (04-01)  
 Jeffrey J Battistella (04-03)  
 John A Lutz (04-07)  
 William L Etienne (04-08)  
 Dennis James Dooley (04-09)  
 Daniel M Vella (04-14)  
 Edward D Millenbach (04-15)  
 Paul P Pfannes (04-16)  
 Richard J. Williams (04-20)  
 Joseph D Maclellan (04-22)  
 Hans K. Hansen, PGK (04-25)  
 Christopher W Pence (04-25)  
 Aashish Paul (04-27)  
 Victor Craig Pryce (04-30)  
 Jacob E Steward (04-30)

## Years of Service as a Knight

### 1 to 4 Years of Service

Patrick W Mulcahy (2) Timothy A Gondek (3)  
 Court C Holliday (2) Robert E Basanese (4)

### 5 to 9 Years of Service

Paul P Pfannes (5) Walter T Stang (7)  
 Gerald T Heiss (5) Daniel M Vella (8)  
 David J Kubinski (7) Christopher R Leach (8)  
 James M Ostermeyer (7) Eugene J Suchyta, PFN (8)

### 10 to 19 Years of Service

Jorge A Lopez (15)

### 20 Years of Service and above

Ronald J Rathbun (32)

## Current & Upcoming Events and Activities

### Tuesday, April 11

- Knights Nosh 6:30pm
- General Meeting 7:00 Pm

### Thursday, April 13

- State Raffle 5PM

### Wednesday, April 19

- KofC Respect Life Annual Benefit Dinner 6:00 PM

### April 22 & 23

- Knights Membership Drive after Masses

### Tuesday, April 25

- Business Meeting 7PM

### Sunday, April 30

- Knights Corporate Communion

### Sunday, June 11, 2023

- Corpus Christi Procession after 12:30 Mass

### Saturday, June 24, 2023

- KofC Night at Comerica Park

### Monday, June 26, 2023

- SJN Golf Outing

## HOLY WEEK & EASTER at St. John Neumann

### HOLY THURSDAY

April 6 at 7 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 12 am



### GOOD FRIDAY

April 7 Stations of the Cross at 12 noon Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 1 pm

### HOLY SATURDAY

April 8 Basket Blessing at 12 noon

### EASTER SUNDAY (with Vigil on Saturday)

Easter Vigil in the Holy Night Saturday, April 8 at 8:30 pm

### EASTER

MASS 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm \*there will be no 6:00 pm Mass

### HOLY WEEK ADDED CONFESSION TIMES:

Monday 4/3 12 noon  
 Tuesday 4/4 6Pm  
 Wednesday 4/5 6Pm



# Nominations are being accepted

By GK Chuck Lang

Nominations for Officers for the 2023 -2024 Fraternal Year, Notice is hereby given that our Worthy Financial Secretary John Lutz will be taking nominations for Council offices as well as running the Council election. Notice is also hereby given that we will be taking nominations at the following General Council meetings Tuesday, April 11, 2023, 7:00 pm; and Tuesday, May 9, 2023, 7:00 pm. The election will be held at the May 9, 2023, 7:00 pm General Council meeting after nominations are closed. Please consider running for one of the offices. We have a lot of new members, and it would be great to see some of you decide that leadership of our council is a worthy role in which to serve.

*Consider Donating to sponsor an  
Apostle Statue in the Blessed  
Sacrament Cathedral*  
See Article on Page 8

# Bryson Harper Announced as State Champion



On March 4, the regional competition was held. The winners then continued on to the State level on March 19 at the Sacred Heart parish gym in Mt Pleasant. Competitors were there from every diocese in the state ( either in person or virtually). The competition had two perfect scores. The age 10 categorize perfect scorer was Jackson Hill and in the the age 11 category,

**BRYSON HARPER** from our council. All the winning score sheets were passed on to the supreme for international judging.

# Baldwin Hall Will get New Tables!



Thanks all our brother knights who either bought or sold the tickets for the reverse raffle and to those brothers that assisted in the reverse raffle.

Our annual Reverse Raffle was held on March 19 in Baldwin Hall. In the reverse raffle the last ticket pulled would take away the grand prize, This year Joe Camille was the lucky last ticket and took away the grand prize of \$1,500.

With the proceeds of the raffle 25 new tables will be purchased for Baldwin Hall.

*Top 5 Winners*

Becky Hill	\$100
Lee Ann Ferrell	\$200
Shawn Mulka	\$300
James Demmer	\$500
Joe Camill	\$1,500

**REVERSE  
RAFFLE  
DRAWING**


St. John Neumann Council 16169  
St. Patrick's Day Reverse Raffle Fundraiser  
Website: kofc16169.org

# Other Winners

Mary McCusker	\$100	Lori Wagoner	\$25
Ron Budzicz	#25	Cynthia Redman	\$25
Robert Varner	\$25	Franklin Njubigbo	\$25
Lenore Zelenock	\$25	Cathy Redman	\$25
Margret Cole	\$25	Agnes Skrzycki	\$25
David Kubinski	\$25	Linda Demmer	\$25
Marshall Grazioli	\$25	Marshall Grazioli	\$25
Terry Jobbitt	\$25	Larry O'Hara	\$25
Michael Polovich	\$25	Ben French	\$25
Tim VanBristson	\$25	Frank Hazard	\$25
Janice Schmidt	\$25	Jerry Heath	\$25
Sean Conlen	\$25	John Lutz	\$25
Rodney Schidecker	\$25	Ron LeTourneau	\$25

*Carry  
and  
Pray  
your Rosary  
every day*





Thanks to those brothers that signed up for either greeter or adorer.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Beginning after the 9 am mass on March 31 and continuing until the morning of April 1st . St. John Neumann offered 24 hour adoration of the Holy Eucharist. Brothers from our council were present overnight so that nobody will be alone in the Church.

Dan Timmerman	Leonard Spas	Keith Laurin
Chuck Lang	Joe Smyth	Steve Polidori
Chuck Kovalik	David Trost	David Blankenship
Randy Martin	Marcell Loosbrook	Steve Sarlitto
Len Carravallah	Ron Budzicz	Jeff Battistella
Greg Link	Leo Petretta	Clinton Randal
Dan Pfeiffer	Ron Rathbun	Marshall Grazioli
Tim Bodnar	Dan Skotak	David Kubinski
Larry O'Hara	Brian Zahn	Jeff Domsic
		Jim Pryce

### Baptism Team



We are in the process of forming a Baptism team. Members of this team would be present at a baptism and represent the Knights. He would then present the parents with Casey the bear. If you are interested please notify an officer.

### Membership Meeting Times

General Membership Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm in Baldwin Hall. Officers meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm in Baldwin Hall and are open to all members. All meetings are held at St. John Neumann Catholic Church.

If you can not attend the general meeting you are encouraged to attend via Zoom. To Attend just click on the link below:

Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3368235608?pwd=eDVmK2xvc0k5YitodWdYVWZlYnRvdz09>

### Spring MI Drive Aka Tootsie Roll Drive



Ron Budzisz and Larry Redman  
 Co-Chairs MI Drive

Our Spring Mental Impairment Drive kicked off with solicitation at Canton Krogers (Ford Rd., and Michigan Ave.) March 24 & 25. Nineteen of your fellow

nights volunteered to man the two-hour shifts at each location, 9:00 - 5:00 PM. Because of our Knights and our generous Canton neighbors, we collected almost \$2400! The MI Drive continues with collections after all masses @ SJN April 1 & 2nd. The monies raised will go directly toward local Mentally Impaired friends and neighbors. Thank you for your support!

### This Month's Featured CIS Booklet

#### III - Introduction to Catholic Liturgy



The sacred Liturgy is not just the Mass, but the Mass is the Liturgy with which most Catholics are familiar. Often, it is such a regular part of life that the simple and fundamental questions are overlooked. What exactly is a Liturgy? Why do we do it? We'll survey the different answers that have been given to just what Liturgy is, learn the Church's teaching, and develop our understanding of this basic activity of the Church.

You Can download this booklet to read during your leisure. [Download PDF.](#)

Or go to <https://www.kofc.org/en/who-we-are/our-faith/booklets.html>

[Click here for this months audio version of Featured Booklet](#)



# All New 2023 State Raffle

Once again we've lined up a Great List of CASH Prizes and Vacations to Awesome Michigan Destinations to go with the Top Four Prizes. This joint charity fundraiser of Local Knights of Columbus Councils and the Michigan State Council, returns monies raised directly to Local Councils and Communities. Twenty percent of all GROSS SALES is sent directly to the councils. Sell more tickets as a council and earn more money for your local charitable needs in your community.

This year we introduce our EARLY BIRD incentive, giving the chance to directly reward those who sell and/or purchase their book(s) of raffle tickets. Our Early Bird Drawings will take place several times throughout the sales time of the drawing. Each book of tickets will have an EARLY BIRD cover ticket to be filled out and turned in with your complete Sold book of tickets. Each sold book of tickets affords you one chance at every \$250.00 Early Bird Drawing. The more books you sell the more chances you have to win. We still have our traditional seller incentives, 1st – 4th Individual Top Sellers, Council Sellers, etc... There are Forty chances to win.

With a little luck of the Irish, one winner just might be you. However, you've gotta buy a ticket to win! Kevin Rowley Mike Haughey (586) 596-8649 (586) 873-9234 k.rowley@mikofc.org m.haughey@mikofc.org



**1st PRIZE "CHARITY"**  
**GRAND HOTEL**  
**MACKINAC ISLAND,**  
 4 Guests / 2 Nights / 2 Rooms  
 \* Includes Breakfast and Dinner  
 \*\* Excludes Holiday Weekends  
**PLUS \$12,000.00**



**2nd PRIZE "UNITY"**  
**GRAND TRAVERSE RESORT**  
**TRAVERSE CITY, MI**  
**BAYVIEW ROOM**  
 4 Guests / 2 Nights / 2 Rooms  
**PLUS \$3,000.00**



**3rd PRIZE "FRATERNITY"**  
**HOTEL SAUGUTUCK, BED AND BREAKFAST**  
**SAUGUTUCK, MI**  
 4 Guests / 2 Nights / 2 Rooms  
**PLUS \$2,000.00**



**4th PRIZE "PATRIOTISM"**  
**GRAND MARAIS AND BEAUTIFUL**  
**PICTURED ROCKS**  
**GRAND MARAIS, MI**  
 4 Guests / 2 Nights / 2 Rooms  
 Includes Pictured Rocks Tour  
**PLUS \$1,000.00**



5th – 10th Prizes = \$400.00

11th – 20th Prizes = \$200.00

21st -30th Prizes = \$150.00

31st – 40th Prizes = \$100.00

Drawing: Thursday, April 13, 2023 Doors Open @ 5:00 pm Drawing @ 8:00 pm  
 St. John Neumann Parish, 44800 Warren Rd., Canton, MI 48187 (586) 438-0121



# Corporate Communion Sunday

The next Corporate Communion for our Council will be Sunday, April 30, 2023, 10:30am. Fr. Paul will recognize the Knights of Columbus that are in attendance. Note that the Knights will be covering the service positions. Knights are asked to wear their KofC shirt (if you have one). Please [click here](#) to sign-up.

# 4th Degree Exemplification

The Pope John XXIII Assembly would like to welcome our three new Sir Knights from the St John Neumann council that were Exemplified today at St. John Neumann during the Spring Exemplification:  
 Sir Knight Andrew Anyanwu and Lady Esther  
 Sir Knight Ron Budzicz and Lady Suzanne  
 Sir Knight Jeff Domsic and Lady Sydney



# Corpus Christi Celebration June 11, 2023

By Dan Pfeiffer

The the theme for this years celebration is " WALK WITH JESUS ". It will begin with the 12:30 Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Eucharistic Procession while reciting the Rosary, Hymns, the Divine Praises and Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by fellowship in the gathering space.

Last year's chairpersons are returning but we are hoping to recruit additional new chairpersons to carry on this tradition next year. Please consider joining us to organize this years celebration. Sign ups are available on line. If you have questions or suggestions please text or call Dan Pfeiffer at 734-892-3894 or E-mail at [danielpfeiffer1411@gmail.com](mailto:danielpfeiffer1411@gmail.com)

Vivat Jesus !!!



## Nick Brown to become a Traditional Deacon



All are invited to celebrate with the Archdiocese of Detroit as Bishop Robert J. Fisher, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit, ordains six men as transitional deacons. The ordinations will include Matthew Kurt, Stephen Moening, Tommy Ngo and

Nicholas Brown of the Archdiocese of Detroit, Br. Joseph Spears of the Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy Trinity, and Br. Elijah DeLello of the Franciscan Friars of the Holy Spirit.

Ordination to the diaconate is the final step in preparation for ordination to the priesthood. Please keep these men in your prayers as they prepare for Holy Orders and join us for the celebration and pivotal moment for them and the Church!

**This event is not open to the public, but all are welcome to watch the livestream [here](#).**  
[View Facebook event](#)

## Cookies Needed

St. John Neumann will be hosting the State Raffle on April 13, 2023. We are asking 7 people to bake 3 dozen cookies (NOT store-bought) to be served that evening.

This is a great opportunity for brother Knights to show off their baking skills OR to get other family members involve (that perhaps have more culinary skills). Cookies should be dropped off in the kitchen anytime on April 12 and on April 13 before 4pm.



Note: When signing up, please indicate what kind of cookies you will be bring (so we have a variety).

Please [click here](#) to sign-up.

## Your Cans Can Help



During the months of January, February, May, June, September and October Our councils collect and redeem returnable beverage bottles. The proceeds from these collections are used to support seminarians. During the months of March,

April, July August, November and December, the cans are being collected by the Women's organization for the food pantry.

The collection box is located at the North entrance of the church. You can drop off your returnable cans 24/7.

## Pancake Breakfast big Success



On March 4 & 5, our council again sponsored the Hospitality Weekend Pancake breakfast. Pancakes and sausage and drinks were served after all the Sunday masses, for a freewill donation. The event was chaired by Brother knights Dave Blankenship and Steve Polidori. Besides the chairs of the breakfast many brother knights helped with the setup, grilling, serving, drinks, clean and general assistance. Thank you to all these knights that made this breakfast the success it was. This is a large team and if we missed your name, please forgive us.

Paul Bak  
 Mike Polovich  
 Jerry Heiss  
 Ron Kretschmer  
 Joe Camill  
 :Leonard Spas

Tom Solak  
 Greg Link  
 Steve Moraca  
 Leo Petretta  
 Larry O'Hara  
 David Kubinski

Ron LeTourneau  
 Ed Hurst  
 Dave Andreolli  
 Joe Smyth  
 LenCarravallah

## Free E-Membership Extended!

The online or e-membership code to honor Fr. Michael J. McGivney has been extended again!

The free online membership code is BLESSEDMCGIVNEY Here's how it works:

- Direct prospects to [kofc.org/joinus](http://kofc.org/joinus)
- Enter promo code **BLESSEDMCGIVNEY**
- Enter your membership number for sponsor credit
- Invite e-members to your Council's next Charity/Unity/Fraternity Exemplification
- Or use the On Demand Exemplification through officers online at [kofc.org](http://kofc.org)

## New Treasurer



Congratulations to our new Treasurer Joe Bradley. At your last meeting Brother Joe was elected to fill the vacancy as treasurer. The vacancy was due to the death of our Brother knight Jeff Matheny.



## Membership. Update

Membership gain quota from Supreme for the 2022-2023 Father McGivney Award is 11. (Up from 9 last year)

Total net actual fraternal year membership gain for this year is 7 (64% of quota).

Total membership is 186 (147 associate and 39 insurance).

Total Regular Membership is 173, Honorary Membership 3 and Honorary Life Membership 10.

## Cathedral is an Apostolic Center

Archbishop Allen Vigneron has commissioned the Cathedral to become an Apostolic Center. The goal is to permanently install all twelve apostles statues and their first class relics in the cathedral. This will allow pilgrims to experience self guided retreats when visiting the cathedral.

The Michigan State Council is asking our council to consider helping raise the \$100,000 necessary to complete the project. All districts and/or council that donates \$1000 will be included on a special plaque located in the cathedral. It will include either the district number and the councils that helped.

Our council would like to help in this Project. We are asking for individual donations to be placed with our councils donation. The individual donations can be of any amount.

If you would like to contribute, please notify either the grand Knight or send to our financial secretary John Lutz or drop off a check at the church.

Please make the check payable to :  
St John Neumann  
Knights of Columbus

and on the memo line write  
STATUES.

All donations will be put into the council's 501(C)3 Charity account.

## Order your new Shirt

Brother Mike Cartier is now taking orders for KofC gear Orders are placed periodically. All items must be purchased in advance.

Items available include:

- Golf/polo shirt - \$20. (The polo shirts are 100% polyester and run a little big.)
- Short sleeve button down collar shirt - \$25 (choice of with/without pocket)
- Long sleeve button down collar shirt - \$25 (choice of with/without pocket)
- Fleece lined jacket - \$40

Brother Mike also mentioned other gear is available as well. Brother Mike can be contacted via email at [mikeandnoel81@comcast.net](mailto:mikeandnoel81@comcast.net) or via phone at 734.459.5635.

Council name badges are \$15.00 each. If you would like one, contact brother Joe Bradley at [csmjib@protonmail.com](mailto:csmjib@protonmail.com) or 734-673-0004.

## About the Statues and Relics



Reprint from <https://www.detroitssaintwalk.net/about>

The Cathedral's collection of apostolic statues used to dwell high up inside St. Benedict Catholic Church in nearby Highland Park, Michigan. St. Benedict is now closed. The larger-than-life statues, made of wood with a partial polychrome treatment, were commissioned for St. Benedict circa 1927 and created in the city of St. Ulrich Groeden, which was in old Austria and is now within Italy.

The statues we inherited are 10 of the original 12 apostles, two angels, St. Paul ("Apostle to the Gentiles"), and one called St. Mathias, which is the name of the Apostle who replaced Judas. There is not a statue of Judas, which is typical; neither is there a statue clearly called St. Matthew. We don't know why. It's possible that the woodcarver created an image, here, of St. Matthew but spelled out St. Mathias at the bottom. The implements of either apostle would be quite similar, and of course their names are too.



**Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament**

9844 Woodward Avenue  
Detroit, Michigan 48202





The Knights of Columbus and the Right to Life of Michigan Educational Fund will be presenting a benefit dinner for Right to Life Michigan at the San Marino Club, 1685 E Big Beaver Rd, Troy, MI 48083 ([click here](#) for map) on Wednesday, April 19, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. Hear special guest speaker Joelle Maryn, award-winning actress, speaker, and TV host give her powerful prolife testimony.

The SJN Knights of Columbus has purchased a table of 10 for this event. If you wish to attend, please [click here](#). For more information the event, please call Brad at [248.765.8717](tel:248.765.8717) or e-mail [respectlife@rtl.org](mailto:respectlife@rtl.org).

## Online Signup Opportunities

You can sign up to help by clicking on the following links:

[April 13: State Raffle Cookie Baking](#)

[April 13: State Raffle Event Help](#)

[April 22/23: Summer Membership Drive](#)

[April 30: 10:30am Mass Corporate Communion](#)

[May, June, July, August: Vocations Chalice](#)

[May/June 2023: Cans for Seminarians Help](#)

[June 3/4: Pancake Hospitality Week-end](#)

[June 11: Corpus Christi Eucharistic Procession Help](#)

## Knights of Columbus Membership Study

The Knights of Columbus Membership Study is a three-year study in partnership with the Catholic Leadership Institute (CLI) to assess membership satisfaction throughout the Order.

**PARTICIPATE IN THE STUDY**



**Men's Prayer Breakfast**  
**Men of St. John Neumann**

All men of the parish are invited to come join us for faith, food and fellowship!  
Our Men's Prayer Breakfast meets every Thursday at 6:00am in Baldwin Hall! The breakfast last exactly one hour. Stop on your way to work. Just show up no reservations needed.

For more info Contact: Ron Kretschmer  
734-756-4425 [ronkretschmer@gmail.com](mailto:ronkretschmer@gmail.com)



## Membership Drive

Our Knights of Columbus council will be holding a Weekend Membership

Drive the week-end of April 22/23, 2023.

If you are not a Knight of Columbus, please talk to one of our members and consider joining the largest men's Catholic fraternal organization.

If you are a member, please consider signing up to hand out information and answer questions prospective members may have.

Please [click here](#) to sign-up.

## KnightCast:

Episode 12



KnightCast is an inspirational video series forming men on their journey to be better husbands, fathers, citizens and Catholics. In the latest episode, host Jonathan Reyes speaks with

Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly about his desire to make the Knights "first in faith, as in charity"; discusses the first K of C-Marist Poll about Americans' views on abortion since the Dobbs decision; and interviews a relative of Blessed Michael McGivney about his return to health and faith after a medical crisis. [WATCH HERE](#)





**GOLF REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN**  
For more info and to register, go to <https://sjncanton.org/kofc>

The weather is warming. If you haven't cleaned up the clubs, now is the time. We are looking forward to a fun day and can use your help to make it better. Golfers & Non-Golfers are welcome to support the event through several opportunities:

- ✓ **Spread** the word to your family and friends
- ✓ **Register** your team before *June 1st*
- ✓ **Volunteer** for the day of the event (Sign-up Genius available after Easter)
- ✓ **Contribute** a Gift Basket for the Auction Raffle (see below)
- ✓ **Donate** 1 Game of your Season Ticket Package (2, 4 seat, or even more)

*Players of all skill levels welcome  
Golf Games and Prizes  
Hole-in-one Opportunities*

- **When:** June 26, 2023
- **Where:** Fox Hills Classic Golf Course
- Check-In: 7:45am, Shotgun event: 8:45am
- Four-person scramble (best ball)
- Lunch and Dinner
- Chance Auction/Basket Raffle
- \$125 per player, or \$30 for Dinner only

- Donations accepted in the form of:**
- Gift cards (Restaurants, store, home services, Salon & Spa, Auto services, etc.)
  - Golf Course admission
  - Alcohol, Craft Beer, Wine
  - Sporting event tickets/Sport memorabilia
  - Concert event tickets, etc.

Contact David Trost ([dtrostmichigan@gmail.com](mailto:dtrostmichigan@gmail.com)) 734-274-0435 Or George Peters ([gkp350tpi@outlook.com](mailto:gkp350tpi@outlook.com)) 734-516-4065

**2023 St. John Neumann Parish Golf Outing**  
(Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 16169)  
Proceeds will support K of C charitable efforts and the needs of the Parish

**Mon. June 26, 2023**

**Registration is now OPEN**

- Check-In at 7:45am
- Shotgun event start at 8:45am
- Four-person scramble (best ball)
- Lunch and Dinner
- Chance Auction/Basket Raffle
- Register on-line (link below) or checks payable to K of C #16169 (Memo Line: GOLF EVENT)
- \$125 per player, or \$30 Dinner Only

Donations accepted in the form of:  
• Gift cards (Restaurants, store, home services, Salon & Spa, Auto services, etc.)  
• Golf Course admission  
• Alcohol, Craft Beer, Wine  
• Sporting event tickets/Sport memorabilia  
• Concert event tickets, etc.

Players of all skill levels welcome  
Golf Games and Prizes  
Hole-in-one Opportunities

Registration and Sponsorship / Donation Opportunities are Open until June 1  
<https://www.eventregisterpro.com/event/stjohnneumannparishouting>  
or contact David Trost ([dtrostmichigan@gmail.com](mailto:dtrostmichigan@gmail.com)) or George Peters ([gkp350tpi@outlook.com](mailto:gkp350tpi@outlook.com))





**Registration Form**

**St. John Neumann Parish Golf Outing**

(Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 16169)

**June 26, 2023 – Fox Hills Classic Golf Course**

Proceeds will support K of C charitable efforts and the needs of the Parish.

*You do not need a foursome to participate. We gladly welcome single players, twosomes, and threesomes. (If you are registering as a single we will pair you.) If registering and paying for yourself but you are part of a group please list here the name(s) of your other player(s)*

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of Golf & Dinner Reservations @ \$125.00 per person,  
\$500.00 per foursome. Includes Golf, cart, light lunch, and Dinner &  
prizes after golf.

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of Dinner Only Reservations @ \$30.00 per person

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Due

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed

Please make checks payable to:

K of C Council 16169

In Memo Line of check, write: Golf Outing

Mail Check prior to June 1, 2023 to the following address:

K of C 16169 - Golf Event

44800 Warren Rd

Canton, MI 48187

More information: [www.eventregisterpro.com/event/stjohnneumannparishouting](http://www.eventregisterpro.com/event/stjohnneumannparishouting)