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SLATING COMMITTEE

Our election of officers for 2016/2017 will be held on June 13, 2016. Any Brother Knight who is a third degree member of the Knights of Columbus and wishes to step up and become active in the leadership of Council 3660 may apply. If you are interested in being Deputy Grand Knight, Chancellor, Recorder, Warden, Treasure, Advocate, Inside Guard or Outside Guard please contact the Grand Knight, Jeff Veldhof or any of the council officers, your intention of running for an office. This is a good opportunity to learn the work of the council and to advance to another office.

We are also looking for members interested in becoming a member of the Realty Board. There will be two positions for a three year term.

Additional nominations will be taken at the next meeting on May 9th.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS JUNE 13, 2016

Keep this date in mind, June 13, 2016, is election day for your council officers for 2016-2017

We are making it possible for most members to vote again this year. For those who work nights or do not drive at night and for others who cannot come to the 7:00pm meeting for other reasons, the polls will be open this year at 3:00pm and will remain open until about 7:00pm.

Don't forget to bring your paid up travel card as you won't be able to vote without it. Show your interest in your council and its candidates.

MOTHER'S DAY COUNCIL SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sunday, May 8, 2016 (Mother's Day) will be our next Sunday Breakfast in the Great Hall. The meals will be served from 8:00 a.m. until 12 noon. The cost will be \$8.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children, ages 5 – 10, with children under 5 free.

The Breakfast are a great time to plan a family get together or to get your Church, Grade/High School class or any group together.

The Officers of the Council and its members wish to thank everyone for the support we have received for these breakfasts and hope you will continue supporting our breakfast.

These breakfasts are very important in helping us pay our expenses. **LOTS OF DELICIOUS FOOD!** Go to "like" www.facebook.com/KofC3660, for announcements of upcoming council events. We are in the process of selling our facility so that we can transition into a smaller more manageable facility.

ATTENTION MEMBERS

There will not be an issue of the Cross & Compass for June. As a cost saving measure the Cross & Compass will be printed bimonthly until we make a transition to a new facility. All articles in this issue will cover the events for May and June.

The Cross and Compass

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Council Officers 2015-2016

Chaplain	Rev. Todd Riebe
Grand Knight	Jeffrey Veldhof
Deputy Grand Knight	Pete Arcamo
Chancellor	Mark Wire
Financial Secretary	Robert Lynch, PGK, PSD,
Recorder	Jerry A. French
Warden	Cliff Edgemont
Treasurer	William Sherman, PGK
Advocate	John Magee
Inside Guard	Michael Risch
Outside Guard	Matthew Crossen
Trustee (1-Year)	Dennis Dodson, PGK
Trustee (2-Year)	Daniel Constantino, PGK
Trustee (3-Year)	James Milharcic, PGK

Realty Board 2015-2016

President	David Jackson (1)
Vice President	Richard White (2)
Treasurer	Richard Miller (2)
Secretary	Daniel LaFleur (3)
Elected Member	Ronald Frazee (3)
Elected Member	Timothy McCarthy, PGK (1)
Grand Knight	Jeffrey Velhof
Financial Secretary	Robert Lynch, PGK, PSD, FM
Trustee (1-Year)	Dennis Dodson, PGK
Trustee (2-Year)	Daniel Constantino, PGK
Trustee (3-Year)	James Milharcic, PGK
House Sub-Committee (1 Yr)	Robert Ashmore
House Sub-Committee (2 Yr)	Charles Commons
House Sub-Committee (3 Yr)	Charles Corliss

Program Director

Marrk Wire	
Director of Church Activities	William Sherman, PGK
Director of Family Activities	Jerry French
Director of Youth Activities	Michael Kalscheur
Director of Council Activities	Scottie DeArmond
Director of Community Activities	James Milharcic,
Director of Web Site	WebManager@KofC3660.org
Gibault Home Representative	Jeffery Veldhof, GK
Membership/Retention Director	Pete Arcamo, DGK
Ceremonials Chairman	William Sherman, PGK
Editor/Advertising Manager, Cross & Compass	Earl R. Riffin, PGK

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Sick Committee

Holy Name		
St. Jude	Timothy McCarthy, PGK	784-7431
Good Shepherd	Thomas Meier	786-0995
Sacred Heart	John Heinzelman	783-9734
St. Roch	Bob Buergler	784-3646
St. Mark	George Jennings	784-1148
St. Barnabas		
St. Patrick	John Raymann	784-6712

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE



Brother Knights

I'm excited to share that we had an exceptional fundraiser for our beloved Chaplin, Fr. Todd Riebe. The Council hosted a Spaghetti Dinner to help raise money to send him to India for the Ordination of Deacon Meril Sayaham on May 29 which we raised \$6,175! As Bill Sherman noted, "we not only raised enough money to send him to India, but also enough to bring him back again!" Thank you for supporting this effort!

To give you an update on the selling of our current facility so that we can transition into something more manageable, the Realty Board has listed our property with Mike Kensill of Lee & Associates on a short term listing. We've had some interest but still have yet to receive an offer. The Realty Board is also considering putting our property up for auction with a minimum bid required for a sale to be final. Please pray for a good offer and that we will find a suitable new facility to meet our needs.

We are still in the process of putting together a committee to help us evaluate our mission and reinvent ourselves at Msgr. Downey. Our first meeting should take place sometime in May. As most of you know, my term as Grand Knight will end on June 30th and we are fortunate to have Pete Arcamo willing to step up if elected to be our next Grand Knight.

We have our last breakfast coming up on Sunday, May 8 (Mother's Day) until September. Your support would be appreciated as they help pay our bills now that our gaming is limited. We wish to thank Mike & Amy Kalscheur and their children for all their efforts with our youth program.

I want to thank all of you for your support this past year. It's been a difficult year but we still have a lot to be thankful for at the Council. Please make an effort to attend our last remaining breakfast in May until September, as they are important in helping us raise funds to meet our obligations.

Your prayers and support are always appreciated!

Vivat Jesus!

Jeff Veldhof
Grand Knight
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DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT MESSAGE

Brother Knights:

Seems like we just rang in the New Year and now its May already. We will be having our election of officers in June. Any 3rd degree knight interested in running for one of the officer positions, please see one of the trustee's or the Grand Knight.

Our last breakfast until fall is May 8, "Mothers Day" so bring in all the Moms; we will have a special treat for them. With that, we could use some extra setting up and preparing food that day. Please make an effort to help out.

We have started serving sandwich type food on Saturdays again. If you haven't been in lately please stop by you will be pleasantly surprised.

Unity is defined as "None of us are as good as all of us. Members of the Knights of Columbus know that together we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. So we stick together, we support one another. A Knight knows he can count on the support and encouragement of his brother Knights as you work to make life better in your parish and community." Source, www.kofc.org

The past couple of years we have seen a decline in participation at the Council and would ask for those of you who have stepped away to reengage. With the upcoming sale of the building, we need everyone's input. There are many decisions to be made and more that attend the meetings, can help set the direction and future of this Council.

Pete Arcamo
Deputy Grand Knight

ATTENTION 1ST DEGREE MEMBERS

Major degrees (2nd & 3rd) will be hosted by St. Pius Council #3433, 2100 E 71st, Indianapolis on Sunday, May 15, 2016.

- * Candidate Registration: 11:30am EST
- * 2nd degree will begin at 12:30 pm EST
- * 3rd degree will follow immediately after the 2nd degree
- * Candidates should arrive no later than 12:15 pm EST
- * *All Candidates must present their First Degree membership card at registration and current members must also present their membership card.*
- * Attire is business casual.
- * RSVP to GK Timothy Duffy (317-607-6475) or timothyjduffy@gmail.com or FS Charlie Fadale (317-488-1766) or cfadale@sbcglobal.net.

A light reception will be served for candidates and guests immediately following the ceremony.

REMEMBER: If you are a sponsor of a candidate you should bring him to the degree.



Entrees

(All entrees served with side of French fries and Coleslaw)

All pricing include tax

½ LB. BURGER

served with lettuce, tomato, onion \$9.50

PORK TENDERLOIN

fried or grilled, topped with lettuce, tomato, onion and mayonnaise \$10.75

CHICKEN BREAST

served grilled or breaded, topped with lettuce, tomato, onion \$9.50

BREADED COD

served with lettuce, tomato and tartar sauce \$10.75

WINGS (6)

served with celery sticks and blue cheese dipping sauce \$7.50

Kids Menu

(Children 10 and under)

FRIED CHICKEN TENDERS

French fries, your choice of BBQ sauce, ranch, or blue cheese dressing \$6.50
~~ranch or blue cheese dressing~~
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All Beverages \$1.75



Regular and decaf coffee, unsweetened tea (iced or hot)

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Please make reservations for any group larger than 12
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SICK LIST

The following members of the Council were reported ill at the time of publication:



Marcia Agresta
Eugene Daeger
Jerry Eacret
Dennis Harrington
Harold Jockish
Thomas Huebner
Anna Marie Kiefer
Wayne Laszlo

Joan Matthews
Joe Moore
Judy Morrison
Ed Munsch
John Newman
Omer O'Connor
John Perkins
Fr. Todd Riebe

Ray "Dutch" Roembke
William Schubach Sr.
Margaret Strack
Angie Tyree
Thomas Westell Jr.
Fr. James Wilmoth

The Officers And Members Of Monsignor Downey Council Offer Their Prayers And Good Wishes To
The Members And Families Listed And All The Sick Of Our Council.

SYMPATHY

The officers and members of Monsignor Downey Council offer their sympathy and prayers to:

- ✠ **Perley A. Bowling, 78, Indianapolis., passed away March 18, 2016.**
Wife of Brother Dr. Richard Bowling, mother of Thomas, Philip, Frederick, Paul Bowling, Theresa Rodriguez, sister of Brother Paul, Brother Michael, Ned, Jim, Mark, Jeff, David Schoettle, Helen Gilkey, Susie Thornburg, Theresa Hull, 13 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Leah E. Chapman, 78, Indianapolis, passed away February 25, 2016.**
Widow of James L. Chapman, mother of Brother James Chapman. Brenda Burtch, Debbie Hurd, Diane LePoidevin, Angie Bullock, Nancy Turner, sister of Gordon, Margie Taiclet, Lois Poort, Carol Domingo, Betty Chester, 11 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren.
- ✠ **Eleanor K. Reimer, 91, Indianapolis, passed away April 4, 2016.**
Wife of Brother Robert Reimer, mother of Kathleen Shank, Barbara Glanz, 5 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren.
- ✠ **Barbara J. Waddick, 81, Indianapolis, passed away March 25, 2016.**
Wife of James Waddick, mother of James, Michael, Mary Anne Waddick, sister of Brother PGK Robert Lynch, 7 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother Thomas A. Weilhammer, 95, Indianapolis, passed away February 20,, 2016.**
Widower of Albena Weilhammer, father of Mark Weilhammer, Karen Duncan, Kathy Clements, 6 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren.

May Their Souls and The Souls Of All The Faithful Departed,
Through The Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen.

JUNE 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
May 29	May 30 Memorial Day Council Closed	May 31	1	2	3	4
5	6 Election of Officers Directors Meeting 6:30pm Regular Meeting 7:00pm	7	8	9 Realty Board Meeting 7:00 pm	10	11
12	13	14 FLAG DAY Fly your flag	15	16	17	18
19 FATHER'S DAY	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	July 1	July 2

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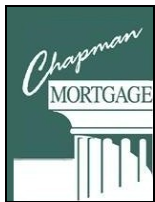
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