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COUNCIL SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sunday, September 11 and October 9, 2016 will be our next Sunday Breakfasts for the new year 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.

The September 11th breakfast will honor the local firefighters and police officers who are welcome to attend as our guest.

We are planning to continue to have our Sunday Breakfast on the 2nd Sunday of the month starting in September. These are depending on the sale of our current building.

LIVING ROSARY

On Monday, October 10, 2016, we will be having an open meeting to celebrate the Living Rosary. The rosary will start at 7:00 pm.

October is traditionally the month of the rosary, as well as respect for life month. This event is open to family and friends of all council members. Refreshments will be served following the rosary. Please plan on attending this very joyous and religious activity.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

September 21, 2016

Msgr. Downey Council will be hosting our next Spaghetti Dinner on Wednesday, September 21st, from 5:00pm to 7:00pm in the Dining Room. The cost of the meal will be Adults—\$9.00, Children 3-12—\$5.00 and under 3 years—Free. The committee would appreciate making reservations for this event to assure we have a sufficient quantity of food.

The Dinner Menu will be Spaghetti with homemade Meatballs and Sausage, Salad, Bread Sticks, Coffee or Tea and Desert. For reservations call the Council at 317-784-3660.

Members Appreciation Picnic October 1, 2016

Please join us on Saturday, October 1, from 2 to 5 p.m. in the hall for our Members Appreciation Picnic. Keg beer and picnic food will be provided and we hope to have a few surprises for the children. Bring the whole family!

ATTENTION MEMBERS

There will not be an issue of the Cross & Compass for October. 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 September and October.

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St. Patrick	John Raymann	784-6712

Council 3660 website is <http://kofc3660.com>

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE



Brother Knights

On August 6th, 4 members from the Council (and 2 significant others) attended the Fishing Rodeo at Gibault. Gibault is amazing facility as well as a very humbling experience. The kids have very interesting stories; but sadly many of these kids are just happy to have someone come and show them a few moments of attention. I would hope that if we continue going there; that next year we could get 15-20 brother knights to attend. We were very fortunate this year as we were able to get \$1500 in donations; which paid for 120 Fishing poles and allowed us to give a modest donation to Gibault.

It is September, which means our first Breakfast is Sunday, September 11th. We can use all the help we can get, so those of you who haven't helped for a while; even helping for a couple hours can be significant.

We are also having a Spaghetti Dinner on September 21st from 5p-7p, and again help is needed.

Keep your calendar open for the K of C Family Picnic which will be October 1st from 2p-5p at the Council. Also in October we will be participating in the Door of Mercy and October 10 is the Living Rosary. Speaking of the Rosary we will be hosting a Rosary each month when there are 5 Sundays, next one being October 30th.

The sale of the building is proceeding awaiting the Zoning approval process for the purchaser. A subcommittee has been established to determine what this Council is going to be, where we relocate and if we build, lease or go to a Parish. Their first meeting was on August 16th with a productive meeting establishing Focus Points and establish a starting point for the committee. The Members of this committee are: Dick White, Art Berkemeier, John Szostak, Jim Milharcic and Mike Dugan.

Scott Crossen, Matt Crossen and Tim McCarthy have volunteer to start the process of inventorying the building. After this is completed and we know exactly what we have and the condition of the items; we will be better able to decide what we can keep and what we can sell/ auction off.

We are looking at making the Cross & Compass monthly again. With the sale of the building and many items of discussion coming up; I feel we need to keep the members as update as possible. In the mean time please look at the K of C website <http://kofc3660.com/>. The site is still under construction but have a calendar of events. If nothing else, I will establish a blog or time line of information.

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Grand Knight's Message Cont'd

As it has been mentioned many times before; we need more input and more participation from the membership. I would ask each of you to think back to why you became a Knight. The Council still has a Mission; despite leaving our current facility and each of you are needed to succeed. From the Brochure "Why should you become a Knight"

- If you are interested in helping those in need, serving your parish, growing in your faith, or having access to top rated insurance to protect your family. Then the Knights of Columbus is for you.
- Charity is the first principle of the Knights of Columbus. Knights are men who get things done. We volunteer to serve our parishes and our communities. We work together....

Respectfully submitted
Pete Arcamo
Grand Knight

REVERSE RAFFLE WISHING WELL FUND, INC Sunday, October 30, 2016

1:00p-6:00p (doors open at 12:30p)

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On January 25 2016, there was a special meeting at which time the Grand Knight presented the status of our Council and the current building. There were 88 members present for this meeting. The Financial Secretary presented our financial status, giving our projected income and projected expenses. The meeting was then turned over to Dave Jackson, President of the Realty Board to present the building status. We are in need of repairs to the roof and rooftop air units. He also present estimated cost of the maintenance needed.

There were several idea's presented to and by the membership. A PGK stated that we need more volunteers for our activities and we need to get younger members to get the membership more active.

There was a motion made to sell the building and transition to another location. This motion was voted on and approved.

The Officers and Realty Board have been working with a realtor to place the property on the market. They are also discussing different options on ways to proceed. This small group would like to have input from the membership on what they feel the council needs. When we start looking at a new place for the Council to relocate, in what area should be start looking and how much space will we be needing??? What uses will we have for the building.

There are many questions the Officers and Realty Board are confronted with and would like greatly to receive suggestions from the membership.

We have one meeting each month on the second Monday and our greatest problem is when will some of these 88 members going to return to a council meeting and assist them in answering some of these questions. The next two regular meetings will be on September 12 and October 24, 2016.

WILL YOU BE THERE???

Brief update on the sale of the building:

As you may be aware, there is an offer on the building. So far, the process is moving as planned. The buyers are taking the necessary steps to obtain the zoning, so that they may construct a new structure. Potentially this may be retail and multi-level self-storage. The Realty Board is always open to suggestions on how we should move forward with finding a new location.

Thank you for your support and patience.

Dave Jackson,
President of Realty Board

Knights of Columbus
Pilgrimage to the Jubilee Door
Cathedral of Saints Peter & Paul, Indianapolis, In
Sunday, October 9th, 2016 at 2 PM

**The Monsignor Downey Council of the Knights of Columbus will
Sponsor a Pilgrimage to the Holy Door at
The Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul**

ALL ARE WELCOME!

**A special invitation is extended to
Parishioners of the eight South Deanery parishes that
Make up Council 3660:**

Good Shepherd	/	The visit to the Cathedral will include
Holy Name of Jesus	/	a reflection offered by
Sacred Heart	/	Fr. Joe Moriarty
St. Barnabas	/	one of the Missionaries of Mercy appointed by
St. Jude	/	Pope Francis for the Jubilee of Mercy
St. Mark	/	Passing through the Door of Mercy
St. Patrick	/	at the Cathedral
St. Roch	/	A Profession of Faith
		A Prayer for Pope Francis and his intentions

Parishioners participating in the pilgrimage are encouraged to Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation either 20 days prior to or 20 days after Sunday, October 9, and to mediate on God's mercy after receiving Holy Communion at the Eucharist that weekend.

In this way the requirements for the plenary indulgence afforded those who make the pilgrimage will be satisfied.

During the Jubilee Year of Mercy our Holy Father, Francis, has extended a plenary indulgence to those who sincerely seek the mercy of God through a visit at a pilgrimage church. Archbishop Tobin has designated the Cathedral Church of Saints Peter and Paul in Indianapolis as a pilgrimage church. The Cathedral has Holy Door or a "Door of Mercy" through which pilgrims are invited to pass through and so enter into the mercy of God. An indulgence is the remission before God of the temporal punishment that is due to our sin. The sins that are confessed in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and of which we sincerely repent, are forgiven by God. The damage caused by sin, however, remains and we must strive to repair that damage as part of our sincere repentance.

"For more information on this event or indulgence, please visit kofc3660.com"

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

George Mennel
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:

- ✠ **Brother Charles R. Commons, 71, Indianapolis, passed away July 9,, 2016.**
Widower of Carol Commons, father of DeeAnn Commons,
Cathy Jolley, Jeanie Adair, Mary McCoy, brother of Brother Richard, Jack Bowling, Mary Durbin,
21 grandchildren.
- ✠ **James Cunningham, 66, Indianapolis., passed away , 2016.**
Brother of Patrick, Brother Francis Cunningham, Mary McClelland.
- ✠ **Brother Edward F. Eck, 79, Indianapolis, passed away June 6,, 2016.**
Husband of Mary Lee Eck, father of Laure Eck, Karen Powell, bother of Richard Eck, Clare Biggers,
Dorothy St. Martin, 4 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother William F. Gedig, 85, Indianapolis, passed away August 13,, 2016.**
Widower of Deloris Gedig, father of Michael Gedig, Sandra Epler, Suzette Phillips, Sharon Brich,
Brother of Robert Gedig, 6 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren.
- ✠ **James M. Mappes, 55, Indianapolis, passed away July 20,, 2016.**
Father of Carly, Markie Mappes, brother of Mark, Brother Nicholas, Michael Mappes, Dianne Williams,
Sharon Swhear (wife of brother John), Debbie Watkins, son of Lois Mappes.
- ✠ **Thelma R. Mullin, 83, Indianapolis, passed away June 24,, 2016.**
Widow of our late Brother James Mullin, mother of Brother Michael, Therese, James Mullin Jr,
Maureen Reel, 5 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Anthony Puntarelli, 88, Greenwood., passed away July 30, 2016.**
Widower of Pauline Puntarelli, father of Brother Dennis Dodson, brother of Joan Guerrini.

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

OCTOBER 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 Council Breakfast <u>8am - Noon</u> Door of Mercy 2pm	10 Living Rosary 7:00pm	11	12	13 Realty Board Meeting 7:00 pm	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 Directors Meeting 6:30pm Regular Meeting 7:00pm	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	Nov 1	Nov 2	Nov 3	Nov 4	Nov 5

Council Picnic—October 1st

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