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NEXT BREAKFAST

Sunday, November 8, 2020 8am-11:45am Cafeteria at Central Catholic School

Due to COVID we are temporarily raise our price to

\$10 Ages 10+ \$5 Ages 5-10 children under 5 FREE

We will be following all Marion County COVID protocols which means no self service and the knights serving breakfast will be wearing masks and gloves.

Tables will be spaced out and sanitized after each seating.

Breakfast will be served one way through the cafeteria line with drinks, donuts and fruit cocktail available in a separate area.

All condiments will be individually packaged.

CARRY OUT & CURBSIDE TO GO AVAILABLE

By Calling or texting (317) 784-3660

MSGR. JAMES M. DOWNEY COUNCIL 3660 **DECEASED BROTHERS REPORT**

| Anthony L Kempf | 11/6/2019 |
|----------------------|-----------|
| William P Billerman | 1/14/2020 |
| Thomas W Huebner | 1/15/2020 |
| Michael R Kriech | 1/16/2020 |
| Charles W Shotts | 2/7/2020 |
| Glenn R Cartwright | 2/16/2020 |
| John L Reimer | 2/22/2020 |
| Robert E Marshall | 2/28/2020 |
| Albert D Jay | 3/21/2020 |
| Edward J O'Keefe Jr | 4/8/2020 |
| Patrick J Amore | 4/10/2020 |
| John F Burnside | 5/6/2020 |
| William F Raymann Sr | 6/15/2020 |
| Lloyd M Williams | 6/26/2020 |
| David M Sander | 6/30/2020 |
| J Warner Wiley | 7/12/2020 |
| Bernard C Lenahan | 8/15/2020 |
| Cletus F Brinker | 9/3/2020 |
| Theodore R Mandabach | 9/9/2020 |
| Gerald A Scheele | 10/9/2020 |
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MEMORIAL MASS

The officers, members of Monsignor Downey Council and next of kin will celebrate our Brother Knights who have passed into eternal peace this year at our Memorial Mass on Monday, November 9th at Good Shepherd Catholic Church at 6 PM

Due to COVID, no food will be provided after the mass

OCTOBER FOOD DRIVE UPDATE

My brother Knights and Families your council had its Food Drive at Holy Name Parish on October 24, 600Lbs of food + \$100 cash was donated & given to Officer David Moore Food Pantry & Hunger Inc.

Thank you to all who donated and those who volunteered!!!

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Council 3660 website: http://www.kofc3660.com

We are in need of brothers to step up for many of the Director positions to share the load with our council officers.

If interested in a director position, contact Financial Secretary, Bob Lynch.

financialsecretary@kofc3660.com

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Brother Knights,



I was pleased to see the turnout that we received at our first breakfast that we held on October 11th at Central Catholic Grade School. The turnout was small, but most welcomed since it was our first attempt at starting up again since we had to stop because of the COVID 19 Virus.

We will, and will continue to obey, all of the protocol involved to keep everyone safe and still present a nice breakfast to all who come to our gatherings. Your safety is our first obligation and we will do whatever is necessary to protect you and your family when you are with us.

We no longer have the Buffett, because of the serving regulations, but you are always welcome to go back through our serving line and get more if you so desire. We felt that the changes that we made were for the best considering all of the protocols involved and how things needed to be to protect those who came to our breakfast.

November is when we remember our brothers who have left us to join God in our final reward. This year, we will be remembering our brothers who have left us and their families on November 9th, 2020, at Good Shepherd Catholic Church at the 6:00 pm Mass held in their honor. We ask that all of those families who have lost a loved one who was a Brother Knight to please attend this special Mass being offered for the repose of their souls.

The Msgr. Downey Council 3660 wishes to extend to you and your families a thankful Thanksgiving with prayers for all to have and keep a safe Holiday during this time.

May God Bless You Always!

Respectfully submitted, John Magee **Grand Knight**

NUNS CHRISTMAS UPDATE

Due to the ongoing COVID pandemic & out of an abundance of caution for the health of the Nuns, brother knights & volunteers, we will not be having a Nuns Christmas Party this year.

Instead, we will be working with the different woman's religious orders in the archdiocese to provide Christmas cheer and to show our support for these important women.

> We will provide our updated plans in the December Cross & Compass

SYMPATHY

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

₱ Brother Anthony L. Kempf, 96, Greenwood, passed away November 6, 2019

Husband of 68 years to Verna "Dick", Father to Vera Wilkins, Valerie Roach, brother to Charles, Eugene, Stella Hart, Martha Horton, Eleanor Hammond, Bernadette Elsalger, grandfather to Dr. Aaron Wilkins, 2 great-grandchildren.



- Rev John Beitans, 72, Indianapolis, passed away on April 4, 2020.

 A priest of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Fr. Beitans has served as Sacramental Assistance at Good Shepard Catholic Church since his retirement.
- **♦** Brother Edward Joseph O'Keefe, Jr., 95, Indianapolis, passed away April 8, 2020.

No survivors listed

♣ Brother Lloyd M. Williams, 88, Indianapolis, passed away on June 26, 2020.

Husband to Mary Irene for 66 years, father to Mark, grandfather to Ashley Saylor, Jason Hammer, Michael Hammer, Kelly Hammer, 8 great-grandchildren.

- **Brother David M. Sander, 73, of Greenwood, passed away on June 30, 2020.** Husband of 39 years to Marsha, father to Sarah Schilling, Elizabeth Piercy, Anna King, Zachary, brother to Mary Butler, Margie Cahill, Elizabeth "Betty" Ferguson, 6 grandchildren
- Mayor J. Warner Wiley, 83, Beech Grove, passed away July 12, 2020.

Husband to Janet, who preceded him in death, father to Jeanine Doyle, Michael, Craig, Ryan, 9 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren.

Brother Bernard "Bernie" C. Lenahan, 85, Greenwood, passed away August 15, 2020.

Husband to Marjorie, father to Christopher, brother to Mary Theresa McCarty, Eileen White, brother-in-law to Teresa Lenahan, uncle to a large number of nieces and nephews.

₱ Brother Cletus F. Brinker, 62, Indianapolis, passed away on September 3, 2020.

Husband to Deborah, father to Angela, Cletus Jr, Step-father to Kevin Arthur, Josh Ruiz, Andrew Bennet, brother to Bridget Jones, 6 grandchildren, 1 great-grandchild.

- Brother Theodore Robert Mandabach, 75, of Indianapolis, passed away on September 9, 2020. Husband of 55 years to Sue, father to Dawn Freeman, brother to Patty Northcutt, John, 4 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren.
- Joseph C. "Joe" McDermott, 100, Beech Grove, passed away October 26, 2020. Husband to Carol, who preceded him in death, father to Paul, Jeanne O'Brien, 4 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, & will be missed by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, & extended family.

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

WISHING WELL FUND INC.

Mission: To provide assistance to individuals and families in the Indianapolis are who are in need.

Donation Drive

For the past 20 plus years, supporters like you have shown how much you care. You play a critical role in allowing the Wishing Well Fund to feed 150+ families at Christmas as well as helping fellow Hoosiers in need throughout the year.

This year, due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, we are faced with a huge challenge. Our annual Reverse Raffle is how we raise the funds to make our mission happen. 2020 does not allow us to host this day of fun, friends, and fellowship. We will miss sharing this day with you more than you can imagine.

In this time of COVID-19, your donation matters more than ever.

Please donate today to help support your neighbors. No donation is too small or too large. It all adds up to keeping our neighbors fed.

MAIL DONATIONS TO:

Wishing Well Fund PO Box 47702 Indianapolis, IN 46247

DONATE ONLINE VIA PAYPAL:

WishingWellFund.com



- \$100 will sponsor a family of 6 with food for several days
- \$ 75 will purchase 25 bags of potatoes
- \$ 50 will purchase 25 gallons of milk
- \$ 25 will purchase 13 jars of peanut butter
- \$ 10 will purchase 15 loaves of bread

DID YOU KNOW:

- We help over 150 families each year with food for Christmas.
- All families served are referred to us by social workers, teachers, ministers, hospitals, food pantries, police and fire, St Vincent DePaul, neighborhood centers and other professionals.
- We cannot accept phone, email or letter requests.
- Our families receive 2 large boxes of dry goods, ham, potatoes, fruit, bread, milk and laundry detergent.
- ♦ All Board Members are volunteers.
- All monies to make this program happen come from donations and our annual Reverse Raffle (cancelled for 2020)

http://www.wishingwellfund.com/

November 2020

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|--|------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1 All Saint's Day | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 Breakfast 8-11:45am Central Catholic | 9 Memorial Mass Good Shepherd 6pm | 10 | 11 | 12 Realty Board Meeting 7pm | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 Thanksgiving | 27 | 28 |
| 29 Advent Begins | 30 | December 1 | December 2 | December 3 | December 4 | December 5 |

December 2020

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| November 29 Advent Begins | November 30 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | 7 | 8 The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary | 9 | 10 Realty Board Meeting 7pm | 11 | 12 |
| 13 Breakfast 8-11:45am Central Catholic | 14 Member Meeting Zoom 7pm | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Christmas | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 New Years Eve | January 1, 2021 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God | January 2 |

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



Msgr. Downey Council,

Thanks again for your hard work and leadership! I felt happy to meet your bride at the Officer David Moore Food Pantry recently.

You asked me to send you some of the things we discussed. Because most of our volunteers are older ladies, we are not currently open to the public. However, throughout the pandemic we have assisted other organizations with food, including the Garden Door ministry at Saint John the Evangelist Church (my parish) downtown and the food pantry at the Hoosier Veterans Assistance Foundation. Our most recent project is sending food home for the weekend with students from Holy Cross, Central Catholic, and Saint Philip Neri Schools. Although they receive good meals at school during the week, school children often have too little to eat on weekends.

Your Council's gifts help us immensely, especially food that kids like, including peanut butter and jelly, canned pasta dishes, canned fruit, and canned vegetables. Soups are also popular, because it's easy to add other things to them to create a meal. Canned tuna and chicken are particularly popular for similar reasons, as they are easy to add to other foods. We always have strong demand for macaroni and cheese and for dry boxes of pasta with sauce in cans or jars. We hope to send home foods that kids and their families will enjoy, although we work hard to ensure the food we give is nutritious.

Please thank our brother Knights on my behalf and on behalf of the people we serve. May God continue to bless you in your love and compassion for His people!

Yours fraternally,

SK Dave Certo, PGK
President, Indianapolis Community Court &
Officer David Moore Food Pantry