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VIRTUAL MEMBER MEETING

Council 3660 will be holding a Virtual Member meeting online or by phone
using the [Zoom Web conferencing system](#)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81468478548?pwd=VDBLVDJRVGVWUlpnSGlvbnlwbmtuZz09>

Monday, March 8th, 2021 at 7pm
and every second Monday of each subsequent month

Meeting ID: 814 6847 8548 Passcode: 808027

BREAKFASTS POSTPONED UNTIL FALL 2021

Due to the continued COVID-19 pandemic, we are suspending our breakfasts until the situation is under control for the safety and health of those attending and working these breakfasts.

We apologize for this and we will send out an update once we know when the breakfasts will begin again in either August or September 2021

CALL FOR NEW OFFICERS

The council is looking for Catholic gentlemen of the Council to step up and Volunteer to take on Officer Positions. The officers of the council help run the monthly meetings and organize the many events we have throughout the year.

If you are interesting in learning about any of the office positions, contact Grand Knight John Magee through our council phone number (317) 784-3660 or grandknight@kofc3660.com

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Council Officers 2020-2021

Chaplain	TBA
Grand Knight	John Magee
Deputy Grand Knight	Matthew Crossen
Chancellor	Scott Crossen
Financial Secretary	Robert Lynch, PGK, PSD
Recorder	John Hasty, PGK
Warden	Clifford Edgemon
Treasurer	James Milharcic, PGK
Advocate	Tom Nicholson
Inside Guard	Michael Risch
Outside Guard	Patrick Kailie
Trustee (1-Year)	John Finneran, PGK
Trustee (2-Year)	John Hasty, PGK
Trustee (3-Year)	Joseph Humbert, PGK

Realty Board 2020-2021

President	David Jackson
Vice President	Richard White
Treasurer	James Milharcic, PGK
Secretary	Scott Crossen, PGK
Elected Member	Tim McCarthy
Elected Member	John Szostak
Grand Knight	John Magee
Financial Secretary	Robert Lynch, PGK, PSD, FM
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Program Director

Director of Church Activities

Director of Family Activities

Director of Youth Activities

Director of Council Activities

Director of Community Activities

Director of Web Site

Joe Humbert, info@KofC3660.org

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Retention Director

Scott Crossen

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Sick Committee

Holy Name
St. Jude
Good Shepherd
Sacred Heart
St. Roch
St. Mark
St. Barnabas
St. Patrick

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 sincerely hope that you are getting signed up to get vaccinated for the COVID Virus as soon as possible, depending upon your age group which is how they are simplifying things at the present writing. This is the only hope that we have to be able to return back to normal activities in our future. It protects us and others so we can resume our normal activities as soon as possible

The Council has decided to not try to have any more Breakfasts in the near future with hopes of being able to restart the Breakfasts in September. This gives us time for our patrons to get vaccinated and also gives us hope that the infection rate will slow down to where we will feel safe enough to resume having our Breakfasts again.

The Council has received word that our friend David Dan Estell has passed away in early February. David was a dear friend to our Council and won several awards for selling tickets to our Annual Wishing Well activity held in November to help so many needy families at Christmas time. Please remember David in your prayers for his efforts to help us with the Wishing Well. David was a friend to many people in our Council and will be missed by all of us.

Our Council Meetings are still being held by Virtual Meetings On Line and will be that way until the Virus threats have subsided to a point to where we feel safe in restarting them up again in person. You are always welcome to attend each and every Virtual Meeting by simply going to the web link on the front page of your Monthly Newsletter, the Cross & Compass.

The Officers of Council 3660 hope you are safe and stay safe in all of your activities at all times. May God Be With You Always!

Respectfully submitted,

John Magee

Grand Knight

Gibault Campus Events

Gibault is slowly and safely opening campus to small events and activities. If your council or group would like to inquire about hosting an event, please contact the Fund Development Department at 812-298-3030.



Knights of Columbus Free - Throw Contest

The Indiana Knights of Columbus free - throw contest was a huge success! Thank you Knights of Columbus Council #541, Terre Haute for offering the contest to our youth. We appreciate the staff who assisted and the children who participated!



Gibault Valentine's Day

Gibault held the annual Valentine's Day party on February 13, 2021! It was a fun filled day of music, sweet snacks, games and a treat walk. Special thanks to all our staff involved in the planning and decorating!



McGivney Valentine's Day

The Woodridge subdivision, on the east side of Terre Haute, showed love to our McGivney Health Care Center in Carmel, Indiana on Valentine's Day! They organized a book drive and collected many books, puzzles, adult coloring books and colored pencils for our residents. We want to thank them for their kindness, these gifts will bring many smiles! McGivney also hosted a Valentine's Day party, the residents had treats, played games and received individual blankets.



Special Request!

The Odyssey House, Gibault's male sober living environment, is looking for new or slightly used kitchen items. Items needed; bowls, cookware, cups, plates, pots, pans, skillets and utensils. Please contact the Fund Development Department at 812-298-3030 for pick up or drop off information.

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Indiana Knights created Gibault as a gift to the state of Indiana in 1921.



SYMPATHY

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

- ✠ **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.
- ✠ **Brother Michael "Butch" Lee Frazee Sr., 80, Indianapolis, passed away November 17, 2020**
Husband to Carol, father to Mike Jr., Mark, Steve and Teresa Grimes, brother to Ronald "Joe", Brother-in-law to Lucille Frazee, 7 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.
- ✠ **Brother Robert J. McCarthy, 83, Indianapolis, passed away November 19, 2020.**
Retired firefighter, Husband to Sally for 57 years, father to Timothy, Michael, Christopher, Kathleen Haberthy, All 3 sons are Brother Knights, brother to Joan Armbruster, Grandfather to Brother Knight Keegan, Shannon, Sean, Addison, Morgen, Kevin, and Meghan.
- ✠ **Brother Omer Joseph O'Connor, 97, Indianapolis, passed away on December 22, 2020.**
Father to Michael, Patricia, Dan, Peggy Homeier, 17 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother William (Bill) R. Penish, 93, of Indianapolis, passed away on December 29, 2020.**
Father to William Penish, Lynne Gearries, Catherine Dawson, Stacy Crane, 6 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother Thomas Paul Bracik, 76, Indianapolis, passed away January 4, 2021**
Husband to Marcia for 51 years, father to Tricia Hutton, Todd, Tiffany Maddox, Therese Houze, brother to John, 6 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother Frank Scheib, 93, Greenwood, passed away January 7, 2021**
Father to Bob, Karen Beckwith, Beth Ann, Kathy Elliott, 6 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother Benjamin "Ben" DeLuca, 58, Indianapolis, passed away January 9, 2021**
Fiancé to Rhonda Rutledge, father to Camryn, Connor, Rachel Dallas, A. Chad Fender, brother to Liz Friece, Step-brother to Beth (Jeff) Zorman, 2 grandchildren.
- ✠ **Brother Bernard Watson, 85, Indianapolis, passed away on January 28, 2021.**
Preceded in death by wife Catherine, sister Margaret, brothers Robert and Joseph, father to Thomas and Carol Diane.

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

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



March 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
February 28	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Member's Meeting Zoom	9	10	11 Realty Board Meeting	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	April 1	April 2	April 3