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COUNCIL BREAKFASTS

Our next breakfast will be

October 10th, 2021

And the second Sunday of every month from

August 2021 through May 2022

8am—11:45am Adults \$10 Children \$5

They will be held in

**the Central Catholic gymnasium
1155 Cameron St, Indianapolis, IN 46203**

Please park to the far end of the parking lot!

NOVEMBER FOOD DRIVE

My brother Knights and Families your council is at it again. We will be hosting a Food Drive at Good Shepherd Parish / Central Catholic School on November 6, 2021, between the hours of 11-2.

This drive will benefit the Officer David Moore Food Pantry and Hunger Inc. We will be set up in the main parking lot behind the school. Please enter from Carson Avenue.

If you are unable to stop by & wish to help with a donation. Please send it to Msgr. Downey Knights of Columbus P.O. Box 17547, Indianapolis, IN 46217-0547.

We will be accepting donation at Good Shepherd as well. Some of the suggested items that are needed: Cereal, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Soup, Canned Pasta, Canned Fruit, Hamburger and Tuna Helper, ETC.

COATS FOR KIDS 2021

The Coats for Kids program as presented by our Supreme Council is to help kids stay warm in the winter. A warm coat means a child can more realistically attend school, go to after-school programs, play, and do all the things that kids do to be kids. In a very real sense, a warm winter coat means mobility. Our mission is to make this seemingly small part of life a little bit easier.

Your council started out 5 years ago with Central Catholic School with just 2 boxes of coats (24) and we have gradually increased that to 7 boxes (84). Your council has also added hats and gloves in recent years. We will be continuing this project again this November 2021. We are asking for donations so that we can increase the number of boxes we provide to this event. If you would like to donate, please send the funds to PGK Robert Lynch 3215 St. Jude Dr, Indianapolis 46227, please note that the donation is for this event.

Just a side note Your council has been contacted by 2 other schools asking to participate in this event. We have sent those requests to the State Council for their review.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact PGK Scott Crossen 317-691-5369.

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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 hope that all of you are doing well and staying safe and away from all threats of the Virus. Remember, it's still with us and I just imagine that it's going to be around for quite some time yet. Please wear your Masks and use all precautions that are available to you to keep you safe.

Our September Breakfast was disappointing, but we hope to rebound back with our October Breakfast at Central Catholic School on October 10th, starting at 8:00 am until 11:30 am. It's still a bargain and a nice place to go after Sunday Mass with your friends from church.

We have some plans for a Food Drive again to be held at a later date and also we will again have our Coats For Kids campaign in November. We will keep you posted on these developments as the news about when and where become available to us.

They are still offering a year's Free Dues to any and all young men who join the Knights Of Columbus On Line by adding BKelly or McGivney to their application when they fill this out On Line. If you know someone who's interested in joining the Knights Of Columbus then please let them know about this great opportunity. We welcome any and all new members!

Respectfully submitted,

John Magee

Grand Knight

GIBAULT WISH LIST

Gibault is looking for bibles for our children.
Bibles can be purchased at CBDChristianbook.com

Items #s:

ww766030-Purple Edition

ww765945 Black Edition

Per the web site the bibles are about \$6.00 a piece.

WISHING WELL FUND INC.

Mission: To provide assistance to individuals and families in the Indianapolis area 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.

Last year, our generous donors came through and provided the support to help us serve out our mission.

This year, we face the same challenges of the Pandemic and social distancing and as things continue to open up we are looking forward to being together again in 2022. Our annual Reverse Raffle is how we raise the funds to make our mission happen.

**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.**

\$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 2021)

WAYS TO DONATE:



Wishing Well Fund
PO Box 47702
Indianapolis, IN
46247

PayPal: [WishingWellFund.com](https://www.wishingwellfund.com)



2022 is our 13th TRIP TO THE NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE



OPEN TO ALL WHO BELIEVE IN LIFE

Wednesday, January 19 Depart from one of our locations throughout the State, approximately 8:00 pm. leaving on tour bus. There will be several stops along the way.

Thursday, January 20 Breakfast in Maryland; arrive in Washington approximately 10 am, tour the DC mall or other venues, proceed to hotel. Leave for the National Shrine of Immaculate Conception, or Saint Pope John Paul II museum or free time. Return to hotel and crash, you'll be tired.

Friday, January 21 Full breakfast at hotel, pick-up box lunch, board bus, proceed to Rally, begin March, after March tour the Mall, then return to hotel for dinner.

Saturday, January 22 Full breakfast at hotel, board buses and head home, arriving about 8 pm.

COST: \$290.00 Price includes: Round-trip & all transportation in D.C. on touring bus, Rally and March, hotel for 2 nights, Double-occupancy, 2 full breakfasts, Box Lunch for the march, Fri. night dinner & celebration and a wonderful feeling having participated!
\$150.00 first payment, \$140.00 by December 15th.

Get a down payment of some amount in as soon as possible to reserve your spot on the trip

Keep track of your payments-Date of 1st payment _____ Check # _____ Amount _____
 Date of 2nd payment _____ Check # _____ Amount _____

-DO NOT send cash, Make Checks payable to: Indiana State Council Memo Line: DC March

- Send your check and the bottom of this form to: **michael velasco, Pro-Life Chairman**
3993 Willowood Court
Crown Point, Indiana 46307-8945

mavelasco7@hotmail.com

RETAIN THIS PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS
RETURN LOWER PORTION WITH YOUR CHECK

PLEASE "PRINT ALL INFORMATION, NEATLY" *If we can't read it, you won't be going!!!*

Name _____ Council # _____

Check one of the following: Member ___ Spouse ___ Son or Daughter of Member ___ Other ___

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () _____ Cell Phone Need cell phone for the march! () _____

Email Address _____ Roommate Preference _____

Leaving from: Rank top 3 choices, (1st, 2nd, 3rd) Merrillville ___ South Bend ___ Fort Wayne ___

Lafayette ___ Indianapolis ___ Seymour ___ Lanesville ___

Emergency Contact:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone () _____

Please list any medical condition/food allergies _____

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE!!!

SYMPATHY

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

✠ **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 Frieze, 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.

✠ **Brother Robert L. Colin, 91, of Greenwood, passed away on March 15, 2021.**

Husband to his wife of more than 69 years, Marilyn, father to Cathy Broniszewski, Vicki Robinson, Diane Moore, Bob, Terri Ransdell, 11 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild.

✠ **Brother Jerry Owen Eacret, 78, of Greenwood, passed away on March 18, 2021.**

Husband to Anne, father to Debra Linton, Jerry O., II, brother to Clyde, Jr. and Eugene, 2 grandchildren, 1 great-grandchild.

✠ **Brother Edward J. Woods, 92, Greenwood, passed away April 27, 2021**

Husband to Dolores for more than 66 years, father to Ed, Kathy McCullough, Kevin, Tom, Brother to Mary Ruprecht; 10 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren.

✠ **Brother Robert A. Reimer, 97, Indianapolis, passed away April 27, 2021**

Preceded in death by wife of more than 70 years, Eleanor and brother, Harry, father to Kathleen Shank, Barbara Glanz, 5 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren.

✠ **Brother Larry V. Zapp, 83, Indianapolis, passed away May 27, 2021**

Survived by his significant other, Nora Brawner, father to Steven, Alan, Debra, grandfather to Anthony, Samerah, and Samantha.

✠ **Brother Kerry T. Moriarty, 66, Indianapolis, passed away on June 29, 2021.**

Kerry served as our Council's Grand Knight in 2001-2002. Father to Erin Smith, Paul T., brother to Patricia Janitz, Joan Tutino, Steven, Daniel, John Moriarty, 6 grandchildren.

✠ **Brother Clayton T. Carroll, 82, of Jasper, passed away on August 21, 2021.**

Husband to his wife Gladys, father to Mike Paynter, Rick Stevason, Randy Stevason, Steve Stevason, Matt, Tina, brother to Judy Lucid, Mary Jamison, Rick Carroll, Barb Allanson, 11 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren.

**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



October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
September 26	September 27	September 28	September 29	September 30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 COUNCIL BREAKFAST 8am-11:45am Central Catholic	11 Member Meeting 7pm Good Shepherd	12	13	14 Realty Board Meeting	15	16
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