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Message from the Grand Knight



Brother Knights,

The OLP Festival is history and dog days of August are here! **Thank You** to all those who helped at the festival and especially the Knights that helped tearing down the tents and putting things away. That is one of the most important jobs at the festival and certainly **THE** one that only those who are deeply involved in the festival can truly appreciate! **Great job!** Hopefully, next year the weather will be nicer.

There probably is, or should be, a country song about rain during church festivals or during a beach vacation in North Carolina. This month we'll have several volunteer and fellowship opportunities. Our social will be at the **Rusty Bucket** after **5:30 Mass on August 28th**. Spouses and guests are welcome. Thanks to Rich Kendall for organizing the event.

We have the **Red Cross Blood Drive** on **August 19th**. Dave Davisson can use assistance setting and cleaning up.

Fr John was serious about having us greet Mass goers before all Masses, so wear your name badge and get there 15 minutes early to welcome everybody with a smile.

Steve Gauntner and I will be attending an informational

session with our District Deputy this week to learn more about the **NEW Faith in Action** programs so we can get our list of projects organized. Articles in the recent **KNIGHTLINE** explain some of the programs. Check it out. We'll also have information on the **Football Frenzy** tickets that can enable us to help more worthy causes.

See you at our meeting on **Tuesday, August 19th**. We may be in the smaller meeting room this month. I'll bring snacks and a growler! We are actively seeking more members. It's as easy as going to KofC.org and filling out an application.

May God Bless you and your families,

Bob Brehm, Grand Knight

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15



The Feast of the Assumption traces its roots back to the earliest years of the Church. While a site outside of Jerusalem was recognized as the tomb of Mary, the earliest Christians maintained that "no one was there."

According to St. John of Damascus, in the 5th century, at the Council of Chalcedon in 451, Roman Emperor Marcian

requested the body of Mary, Mother of God. St. Juvenal, who was Bishop of Jerusalem replied "that Mary died in the presence of all the Apostles, but that her tomb, when opened upon the request of St. Thomas, was found empty; wherefrom the Apostles concluded that the body was taken up to heaven," the saint recorded.

By the 8th century the Church began to change its terminology, renaming the feast day of the Memorial of Mary to the Assumption of Mary. The belief in the Assumption of Mary was a widely-held tradition, and a frequent meditation in the writings of saints throughout the centuries. However, it was not defined officially until the past century.

In 1950, Pope Pius XII made an infallible, ex-cathedra statement in the Apostolic Constitution *Munificentissimus Deus* officially defining the dogma of the Assumption.

"By the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, of the Blessed Apostles Peter and Paul, and by our own authority, we pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory," the Pope wrote.

Within the decree Pope Pius XII surveys centuries of Christian thought and the writings of a number of saints on the Assumption of Mary.

The Feast of the Assumption is marked as a major feast day and a public holiday in many countries. In most countries, including the United States, it is a Holy Day of Obligation, and Catholics are required to attend Mass.



Diaper Drive

The Diaper Drive is continuing to grow as the seemingly never empty collection box in the **Gathering Space** in emptied of its contents and delivered. Thanks to all who contribute. This is a great way to contribute to the **Culture of Life**.



OLP Blood Drive!

The Next OLP Blood Drive will be held on **Sunday, August 19, 2018.**

If you are able to help with set-up or clean-up please volunteer to work one of two shifts 7:15 – 8:00 AM or 2:00 to 2:30 PM.

Four Knights are needed for each shift. Please use the following Sign-Up Genius link to volunteer:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eafab2ca1fa7-redcross>

There is always a critical need for blood in the Summer months as many of those who donate blood regularly are on vacation. **If you, or your neighbors, can donate, please consider it.**

Said by the Pope

"Consult not your fears but your hopes and your dreams. Think not about your frustrations, but about your unfulfilled potential. Concern yourself not with what you tried and failed in, but with what it is still possible for you to do."

Pope John XXIII

Knights September Social

Mark your calendar!



You are cordially invited to fill up some 26 reservations at the **Rusty Bucket on High Street in Clintonville** on **Tuesday, August 28, 2018** for a meet and greet social after the **5:30 PM Mass at OLP**. This meeting is an annual event for us, so please plan to attend.

All OLP Knights, their spouses and guests are welcome. Join Grand Knight Bob Brehm and his officers for a salute and kick-off to the coming year. They will answer questions concerning the future of our Chapter.

The cost of dinner is on each individual member. Dinner will start after the 5:30 Mass at OLP. The staff of the Rusty Bucket is expecting us at **6:45 - 7:00 PM** to order our meals and drinks. Please Join Us!

Questions contact Chancellor Rich Kendall:

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St. Timothy Church and the **St. Timothy Knights of Columbus Council #14345** will host the annual **Blue Mass** on **Tuesday, September 11, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.**

The Blue Mass is an opportunity to honor and pray for all active, retired and deceased police, firefighters, and emergency medical services. In addition, it is an occasion to remember the 2,973 who lost their lives in the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks.

All active and retired police, fire, and emergency

medical services personnel in the greater Columbus area and their families are invited.

The Celebrant and Homilist for The Blue Mass will be **The Most Reverend Frederick F Campbell, DD, PhD, Bishop of Columbus.** Let us all join together to honor our police, firefighters, and emergency medical services, to ask for God's blessing, to keep them safe, and to guide them in their duties.

From the Editor's Desk

The deadline for submitting information for the newsletter is the **10th of each month.** Let me know if there is something you wish publicized. You can reach me by email at FCoolavin@aol.com or by phone at **614-268-4166.**



Announcements!

Brothers, Please Join Us!

Please try to attend the monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. **Please join us at the monthly meeting and share your ideas.** The General Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at **7:00 PM** in the **Old Rectory.** **Mark your calendar or log the dates in your smarty phone!** The dates for future OLP Council meetings are:

August 21, 2018
September 18, 2018
October 16, 2018



Your Help Wanted!

We currently have several openings for **Council Director Positions.** These positions assist the **Deputy Grand Knight** with projects in specific specialized areas. If you would like to serve as a Council Director please contact **Grand Knight Bob Brehm.**

Donut Sundays

Donut Sunday's have been temporarily suspended for the Summer and will return in the Fall. Thanks to all who participate.



Please pray for the sick and deceased members of our Council and for the members of the OLP Parish community who may be ill.

Please pray for our retired priests and religious. They need our prayers and support.

Continue to pray for the persecuted Christians in the Middle East and around the world. They need our support.

Wanted – New Members

The Grand Knight has asked each member to bring in one new member this year! ASK – ***“Why aren't you a member of the OLP Knights?”*** ***Share the experience of a lifetime.***

A new member needs to complete a **Form 100.** Help us continue to grow our Council. If you need applications or recruiting



information, please contact **Grand Knight Bob Brehm** at bbrehm5859@gmail.com

Cardinal Dolan Praises St. Dominic at KofC Convention



Baltimore, Md. August 8, 2018 Catholic News Agency: The Archbishop of New York encouraged Catholics to imitate the patient and persistent prayer of St. Dominic, during a homily Aug. 8 at the 2018 Knights of Columbus convention in Baltimore.

“Jesus prefers patient, persistent, persevering, pestering prayer! St. Dominic claims this creates within us a readiness, a space, to receive God's answer. We would say such constant prayer exercises our ‘faith muscle,’ which tends to get flabby,” said Cardinal Timothy Dolan of New York.

The cardinal pointed to St. Dominic's dedication to the rosary and contemplation of the Gospels as daily practices worthy of imitation, comparing St. Dominic's perseverance with that of the Canaanite woman in the Gospel.

Dolan also commended the amount of prayer that takes place at the Knights of Columbus' annual convention, which includes daily Masses, a Eucharistic adoration chapel, and invocations before every event.

Aug. 8 is celebrated in the Church as the memorial of St. Dominic, the 13th century founder of the Order of Preachers, known as the Dominicans, who spread devotion to the rosary.

Dolan reminded the Knights that prayer was “what generated the renowned preaching, scholarship, and evangelical energy of St. Dominic.”