



FATHER JOSEPH P. NELLIGAN COUNCIL

No. 10873

BULLETIN

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020

Dinner-6:00 p.m. Mass 7:00 p.m.



Upcoming Events:

- Mar 7th** Basket Ball FreeThrow Regional, 1360 Oxford St., London/Byron,ON.
Registration 8:30 a.m. Start 9:00 a.m.
- Mar 10th** General Meeting
- Mar 29th** K of C Parish Breakfast
- Mar. 3rd, 17th, 31st** Stations of the Cross, Knights of Columbus during Lent 6:30 p.m.
- March 29th** 5th Sunday Rosary programme following Mass
- April 14th** Right to Life Kent Banquet, UAW Hall, 88 Elm St. Wallaceburg
Dinner 6:00 p.m. **Advance tickets sales only**, \$35.00, call 519-352-3611

Chaplains Message:

Grand Knights Message:

Brother Knights, you are making a difference in our faith community with all that you do to support our beliefs. The Homes for Hope pasta dinner had the best ever attendance. Several people from our Family of Parishes, like Brother Pete Bogaert, are going to build home with Father Chris. Next year they would like each adult volunteer to be accompanied by a teenager. I like that idea. Many teenagers in our society are so gifted that they have no idea what it's like to be poor and suffer. This will be a great opportunity for you to volunteer to build Homes for Hope and influence a teen you care about.

So, the big event currently on our calendar is Lent. The perfect time to reflect on our KofC values of charity, unity and fraternity. Do you remember that vow you took? Are you happy with your contribution? There's so much more we can do if we stay united as Brother and focused on what really matters. One of the other things that I have been involved with is a Family of Parishes charter. A charter is like a blueprint describing what we want to accomplish. Our mission statement is "To use all the resources and tools available to reach out to our community and engage people with meaningful activities that will enhance spiritual health and community wellbeing." Our KofC council will play an important role in accomplishing this mission. To make this a success we'll need everyone's help. Stay tuned for more information as this initiative unfolds.

Have you seen the KofC video series "Into the Breech"? If you haven't started, watch it on your computer by clicking [here](#) and enjoy. It's very well produced.

Mike Bechard
Grand Knight - Council 10873

Anniversary: K of C Council 2102 is celebrating 100 years of community service, **What an achievement.** To celebrate this event they are holding an evening at the UAW Hall at 88 Elm St., Wallaceburg. Mass by Bishop Dabrowski at 3:30 p.m. with a 4 course dinner put on by the Black Goose Restaurant and then a reception to follow. Tickets are \$40.00 per person.

Pasta Dinner:

Our Pasta night held on Feb 8th was huge success. I would like to thank Brother Phil Kraayenbrink and Brother Pat Murphy and their team for all their efforts in putting on this event. Oh, the pies were delicious. Father Chris Gillespie truly appreciates all the effort. **Thank You**

Membership Drive:

On a final note, how is our membership drive doing? **Have you asked anyone to join the Knights of Columbus order yet?** There is always room for one more member so please ask just one person to join. He might surprise you and **say yes but if he is not asked you will never know.**

Ordination:

Deacon Robert Renaud who our Council 10873 has sponsored through the K of C RSVP program is being ordained a priest on May 23-2020 at St Peters Cathedral in London, Ontario.

Ontario State Convention: will be held from May 1st to May 3rd Sheraton Fallsview Hotel in Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Car Raffle Tickets: Please return your car raffle tickets to Brother Phil Johnston **immediately** whether they are sold or unsold. **Thank you**

Prayers:

Brothers Jim McGee, John Gilmore, Chris Palocz, George Houle, Chris Braun from Corunna Council,
Lady Marg and Br. Bill Demars,
Lady Sharron and Jessica Van Dorsselaer,
Mrs. Judy Marosics, Bev & Art Moffat, Leo Johnston
Mrs. Florentine Bogaert mother of Brother Peter Bogaert

Birthdays:

Geoff Coene	March 7
Fr. Chris Gillespie	March 7
George Houle	March 12
Bill DeMars	March 16
James Matlovich	March 22

K of C Draw Brother Jeremy Ramboer's name was drawn at the February meeting. Brother Jeremy was not present. The March draw will be for \$10.00. **Remember you must be present to win.**

Insurance: Protecting Your Family ... Business?

You already know that the Knights of Columbus are here for all your personal and family financial protection needs, but did you know that the Order can help secure your business too?

Business insurance is the term used in the insurance industry to describe the use of life insurance and disability income insurance to solve certain financial needs of businesses and their owners. The products offered through the Order can cover many needs, such as:

Economic loss to the business when a key employee dies, Disposition of a business owner's interest upon death or other separation from the business. If you've worked hard to establish a business, you owe it to yourself and your family to learn about the opportunities that the Knights of Columbus can offer.

With protection for the family, the business, the farm, retirement, long term care and disability coverage, the Knights of Columbus truly is your shield for all the elements of your life.

Members can still contact me at my same number and e-mail. I have agreed to still service our members until Chris gets officially hired. Hope this clarifies things.

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