



Knights of Columbus
St Pius X, Council 11623
Coeur d'Alene, ID

July 2023 Newsletter

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Third Degree Monthly Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, July 12th** in Room 13, Faith Formation Building at St Pius X at 7:00 pm.



Fourth Degree:

Brother Knights,

The Bishop Kelley, Assembly 185 of the 4th degree will meet in September.

Faithful Navigator,

Tom Schultz

July Birthdays: We wish these brother Knights a very Happy Birthday. This month's celebrants include: Clyde Aldrich, Lee Broemmeling, Eric Christenson, Wayne Ellenbecker, Andrew Flynn, Adrian Garcia, Steven Pelsma, Thomas Tintinger, Olgierd Weiss, James Winter.

Knight of the Month of May: Craig Frei

Family of the Month of May: David & Tammy Sonnen

Good of the Order: Please pray for all knights and their families who need our prayers, especially Rob and Jennifer Palus, Graham and Betsy Crutchfield, Greg Kemp, Barbara Smalley, Dennis and Leora Frei, John Webber, Atamay Foster, Deacon Bredel, Ashley Bryant, Fr Gabriel Morales, Barbara & John Webb, Chuck Davlin, Ron Carroll, Gary Mladjan, Dan Moberg.

Please send your prayer requests to Craig Frei at
CraigFrei@gmail.com)

Recruitment: Brother

Online contact forms are available at <https://info.kofc.org/us.html> . This URL can be made into a shortcut on a smartphone home screen such that it is always readily available. If you fill out such a contact form for a prospective knight, if possible, please enter Craig's email address (CraigFrei@gmail.com), otherwise enter your own email address and give him a call at 208-660.6635 so that he can follow up.

Grand Knight's Report

Dear Brother Knights,

We have started our new fraternal year with a new group of enthusiastic officers. As the newly-elected Grand Knight, I thank you on behalf of myself and the other officers for your support and we will do our best to keep our council an energetic, active, and vital ministry for in St. Pius X and the larger community. For those who don't know me, my wife Michelle and I moved to Coeur d'Alene in 2005. I joined the Knights in December of 2015. We have one son who is a senior at the University of Idaho. I work as a reliability and compliance engineer at Advanced Input Systems. Michelle is very active at St. Pius X by heading up Turkey Bingo and supporting myself in the Knight's activities.

This council never ceases to amaze me in the turn-out for all of our functions. Whether it's at the Dog House during the ten-day fair or merely serving coffee & donuts for 45 minutes after a mass. There's never a lack of support. Thank you for that. One goal I'm going to try this year is to make our breakfasts run a bit more streamlined when we start again. I've reached out to a few of you already and will do more over the summer. The end goal is to allow anyone to participate with easy-to-follow notes on any particular task. This will allow anyone to do anything which will spread the work out to everybody while making less work at the same time. I hope you can help me here.

Looking forward to a new year.

Vivat Jesus

Wayne Hash - Grand Knight

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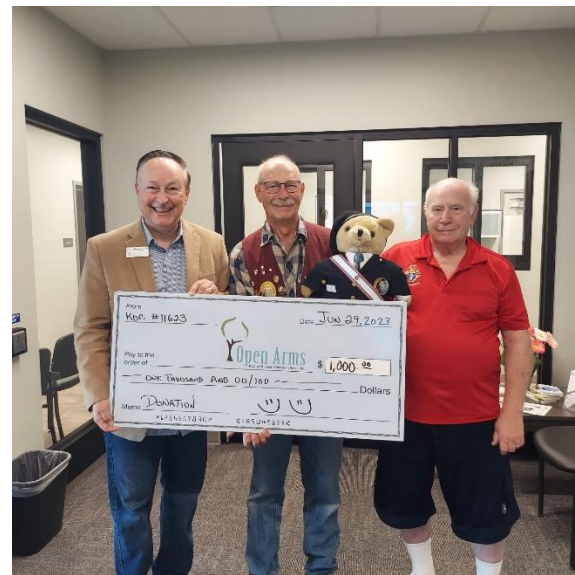
Web: <https://www.stpiuscda.org/knights-of-columbus-council-11623>



Knights of Columbus 11623 member Barry Lyons IV gave an informational meeting on the importance of Cyber safety and means to achieve this. About thirty five members of St Pius X parish attended the presentation. Barry spoke about the risks and methods to protect yourself in the cyber world using your computer or cell phone.



Knights of Columbus incoming Grand Knight Wayne Hash and KC Columbo present a scholarship check to Owen Rose. Owen is this year's recipient of council 11623 annual scholarship program for high school seniors of St Pius X parish.



KC Columbo, Don Moberg and Craig Frei from council 11623 presented a check to Open Arms Pregnancy Center director Richard Hawk. This was due to the generosity of the parishioners of St Pius X parish and Knights of Columbus council 11623.

