



Knights of Columbus

St Pius X, Council 11623

Coeur d'Alene, ID

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



Fourth Degree: The Bishop Kelley, Assembly 185 of the 4th degree will meet the 3rd Thursday March 14th at 7:00 pm in room 13.

In Christ,
Faithful Navigator,
Tom Schultz

Knight of the Month of December: Ralph Reyes

Family of the Month of December: Jud & Stacy Leifheit

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, Fr Gabriel Morales, Barbara and John Webb, Theo Schultz, Fr. Ron Potts, Adam and Celina Cornelius, Patrick McMonigle, Jed Larrison, Fr David Brault, Sr Rita Louise, Melissa Samayoa, Jim Robinson, Trevor Williams, Jamie Ellis-Sonnen, Julie Fessler, Louise Nielsen, Maria Lowman, Melinia Coffman, Pam Murphy, Ron Carroll, Rich Morse, Art Hanson, Dave Son.

Repose of the soul: Fr Joseph Muha

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

March Birthdays: We wish these brother Knights a very Happy Birthday. This month's celebrants include: Douglas Cornutt, Ronald Douglas, Curt Kastens, Leonard MacMillan, Steven Meier, John Moffitt, Paul Ross, Dustin Shafer.

Recruitment:

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 Phil's email address (planthos1@gmail.com), otherwise enter your own email address and give Phil a call at 206-755-0869 so that he can follow up.

March 2024 Newsletter

Grand Knight, Wayne Hash

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Financial Secretary, Craig Frei

Grand Knight's Report

Brother Knights,

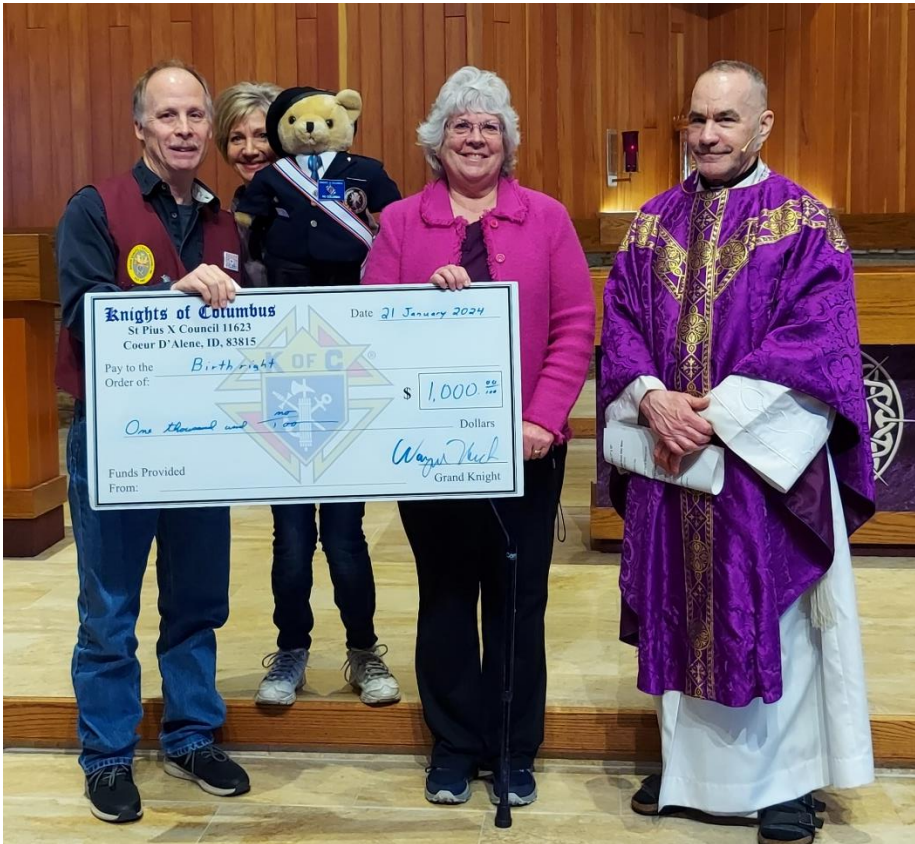
March sure came in like a lion this year! Now that we are in Lent, it means your council is about to get busier. There are lots of events scheduled this month and your council needs your help in being the best we can be. On March 17th, our council is holding a fundraising breakfast benefiting the Father Rassley Scholarship Fund for the benefit of students at Holy Family Catholic School. We should have lots of help from the HFCS families. We do this a lot and they will need your guidance on what needs to be done and when. The evening of March 22nd is our annual Lenten fish fry. Proceeds from the fish fry are used to help fund the Council 11623 Scholarship Fund, which awards scholarships to deserving students from our parish. This event is always fun and is a great opportunity for the whole family to volunteer. Lastly is our Easter egg hunt on March 30th. We'll have egg shells and candy at our March meeting so PLEASE plan on staying afterward to stuff eggs for the kids. Many hands make light work. Thank you all for making our council great.

Vivat Jesus

Wayne Hash - Grand Knight

Upcoming events:

March 9 – Sit with a Knight at 5:00 pm Mass
March 9 – Exemplification after 5:00 pm Mass
March 17 – Breakfast for Fr. Rassley scholarship for HFCS
March 22 – Fish Fry
March 28-30 – Easter Paschal Triduum
March 30 – Easter Egg hunt for parish children
April 14 – Sit with a Knight at 6:00 pm Mass
April 21 – Breakfast for Council 11623 Scholarships
April 26 – 28 – Idaho state convention in Moscow
May 11 – Exemplification after the 5:00 pm Mass
May 12 – Sit with a Knight at 8:00 am Mass
May 19 – Knights of Columbus breakfast



Knights of Columbus council 11623 Grand Knight and wife, Wayne & Michelle Hash, with KC Columbo presented a check to Dorothy Benoit. Dorothy accepted the check on behalf of Birthright of Coeur d'Alene. Fr Len congratulates the Knights of Columbus for their work. This donation is due the generosity of the parishioners of St Pius X. These funds were from the January breakfast.

A big "Thank you" to the following Knights who also helped with the February breakfast for Open Arms: KC Columbo, Glen Abbott, Ray Stongle, John Nolan, Eric Christenson, Ralph Reyes, Warren Holcomb, Mike Buelow, Ben Sturgeon, Nicholas Shaber, Phil Hostak, Pete Obligato, Vince Perez, Dr. Chris Moon, Wayne & Michelle Hash, Craig Frei, Doug Cornutt, Darryl Cutler, Steve Murphy, Tom Tintinger, John Thurston, Tom Dillon, Larry Major, Gia Muehlhausen and Don Moberg.



Brothers Steve Murphy, Dennis Edelbrock, Ray Stongle and John Thurston prepare scrambled eggs and chopped peppers for the February breakfast for Open Arms.



Gia Muehlhausen, Dennis Edlebrock, Phil Hostak, Eric Christenson, and KC Columbo serve breakfast. The proceeds are for Open Arms.



Gia Huehlhausen, KC Columbo, John Thurston, Dennis Edelbrock and Phil Hostak help serve breakfast to District Deputy Don Moberg.



KC Columbo visits with fellow Knight John Webb during the breakfast.



KC Columbo watches as parishioners are served breakfast. The proceeds from this breakfast will be given to Open Arms.



KC Columbo, Craig Frei, and Don Moberg greet parishioners as they come to get breakfast. The check for \$1000.00 was presented to Dorothy Benoit for Birthright from the breakfast in January.



Ralph Reyes is presented Knight of the Month certificate for his work helping at our breakfast events.



Jud & Stacy Leifheit are presented Family of the month certificate. Jud and Stacy helped remove the Christmas decorations at St Pius X. They also volunteered to help with the pew restoration project at St Pius X.



John Mohatt is presented a check from Idaho state for his recruiting efforts.