



Knights of Columbus

St Pius X, Council 11623

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Council 11623 Monthly Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, August 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 Knights of Columbus next meeting will be September 18th at 7:00 pm in **St Thomas council chambers at St Thomas center.**

We are in recess for the summer months of June, July and August.

In Christ,
Faithful Navigator,
Tom Tintinger

Knight of the Month of June: Pete Obligato

Family of the Month of June: Phil & Kathleen Hostak

Good of the Order: Please pray for all knights and their families who need our prayers, especially Rob, Jennifer and Anna Palus, Graham Crutchfield, Greg Kemp, John Webber, Barbara and John Webb, Fr. Ron Potts, Adam Cornelius, Jed Larrison, Fr David Brault, Sr Rita Louise, Jim Robinson, Trevor Williams, Louise Nielsen, Maria Lowman, Melanie Coffman, Art Hanson, Fred & Cleo Woeller, John Mohatt, Marlyn Christenson, Fr. Lou Faust, Bill & Sue Sturgeon, Ed Schiffner, Sam Redline, Fr. Stephen Arabadjis, Pasquale & Karen Mastantuano, Stacy Sanborn, Eric Kréma, Mike Anderson, Ron & Sally Carroll, Jason Abbott, Charlotte Alger, Maggie Schutlz, Barbara Stongle, Dolly Lillis, Dennis May, Donna & Jon Shoemaker, Diane & Ralph Reyes, Shari Frei

Repose of the soul:

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

August Birthdays: We wish these brother Knights a very Happy Birthday. This month's celebrants include: Ron Carroll, Albert Castillo, Ron Chaput, Graham Crutchfield, Ray Daigh, Gary Fessler, Joseph Funk, John Hallgreen, Henry (Steve) Horst, Eric Kenner, Duncan Koler, Brenden Larsen, Raymond Mertens, John Mohatt, Robert Paffile, Robert Pierce, Patrick Reardon, James Sanborn, Joe Skeeahan, Thomas Spielman, Salvatore Taibi, Richard Trudell.

August 2025 Newsletter

Grand Knight, Glen Abbott

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Financial Secretary, Craig Frei

Grand Knight's Report

Brother Knights!

This year I want to highlight Faith in Action

Our **Faith** Director is Pete Obligato, Last year Pete held our first Vocations Bingo Night.

Three NEW Seminarians attended the event. Sunday Morning Rosary, ect.

Our **Family** Director is Warren Holcomb, Last year our Fish Fry grew from one dinner to two. Food for Families, Family of the Year, Keeping Christ in Christmas, etc.

Our **Community** Director is Tom Tintinger, This year we will expand events for students of Holy Family School, Catholic Citizenship Essay, Sporting events, Boxing, etc.

Our **Life** Director is Chris Moon, Last year our Tootsie Roll Fundraiser exceeded \$5K again. Benefiting Special Olympics & Tesh, March for Life, Open Arms Clinic, Silver Rose, etc.

Brothers our success depends on YOU, Volunteer, Please consider co-chairing an event. Hope to see you This Friday, KofC Picnic. Thank You for volunteering at the Fair.

Vivat Jesus,

Glen Abbott – Grand Knight



District Deputy Don Moberg presents to past Grand Knight Wayne Hash a certificate and past Grand Knight pin for Wayne's service to St. Pius X council 11623 these last two years. Thank you Wayne for all that you have accomplished as Grand Knight.



Grand Knight Glen Abbott presents a certificate to brother Knight Pete Obligato for Knight of the Month of June. Pete is active in the Serra Club, leads the Knights in the Rosary Sunday mornings between the Masses, and is a Sacristan for St Pius X parish.



Maddie Andres receives a check from Chris Gummesson of the St Pius X Knights of Columbus. She is one of three seniors receiving money from the Knights this year.



Grand Knight Glen Abbott presents a certificate to brother Knight Phil Hostak for Family of the Month of June. Phil and his wife Kathleen are very active with the children at Holy Family

Catholic School. They both participate in Bible studies at St Pius X parish. Phil helps with the safety committee of St Pius X.



District Deputy Don Moberg presents the Award from Idaho State for the Penney's from Heaven to Grand Knight Glen Abbott. St Pius X council 11623 contributed the most money this past year from all the councils in the state.

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 John Thurston's email address (johnthurston@waskia.com), otherwise enter your own email address and give John a call at 208-660-3582 so that he can follow up. **Be sure to input BLESSEDMCGIVNEY for the promo code and 11623 as the Preferred local Council.**

Upcoming events:

August 8 – Council bar-be-que
August 10 – Sit with a Knight at 6:00 pm Mass
August 13- Council meeting at 7:00 pm
August 15 – 24 – North Idaho State Fair food booth
September 7 – Multi parish picnic
September 10 – Council meeting at 7:00 pm
September 13 – Exemplification following the 5:00 pm Mass
September 14 – Sit with a Knight at 8:00 am Mass
September 21 – Breakfast for Knights Penney's from Heaven charities
September 24 – COR meeting
October 8 – Council meeting at 7:00 pm
October 12 – Sit with a Knight at 10:00 am Mass
October 19 – Breakfast for Michael