

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 9139  
May, 2016



Business Meeting 1st Tuesday of Month  
Planning Meeting Last Tuesday of the Month  
**Paul Greninger, Grand Knight**



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## A Prayer for the Poor

**L**ord, help us to enter Your kingdom as friends and neighbors to the poor. Let us learn from them how to trust only in Your goodness and love. Let them free us from the chains that enslave us to things and make us true stewards of Your many gifts to us.

Jesus, help us hear the cry of the poor and to look on them with Your eyes. Above all, help us recognize You in their midst that we who call You Lord might serve them with the same love and devotion we offer You.

Hand in hand may we walk with the poor as You, Lord once walked with us. Fill us with the joy of knowing we will one day reach our heavenly home together.

**Amen**

Fr. Joseph Veneroso, M.M.

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## Calendar of Events

Every Saturday at 10:00 a.m. the  
rosary is prayed at the Robbinsdale  
Abortion Center, 3819 West Broad-  
way, Robbinsdale.

**Rosary every Tuesday evening in  
the Cry room at 6:30 p.m.**

May 1, Awards dinner  
May 3, Membership meet., 7 p.m.  
May 8, Mother's Day  
May 14, Fishing opener  
May 26, Blood Drive  
May 31, Planning meeting, 7 p.m.

## Italian Dinner

On Saturday night, March 12, our Council hosted an Italian themed dinner to raise money for WomenSource and Feed My Starving Children. The menu consisted of tossed salad, pastas and sauces, garlic bread and a delicious dessert. We served approximately 150 people in Regan Hall. All those who attended enjoyed the meal and the theme music. Our effort succeeded in raising nearly \$1,100 which was evenly split between WomenSource and Feed My Starving Children. The Council made an additional contribution and we were able to send \$550 to each organization. Thanks to all who helped and attended this event.



Workers at the Italian Dinner are (left to right); Jack Barr, Rachel Barr, Marty Carman, Dick Bowman, Paul Greninger, Chris Ayika and his son Ike.

## The human race

A little girl asked her mother, "How did the human race appear?"

The mother answered, "God made Adam and Eve and they had children and so all mankind was made."

Two days later the girl asked her father same question. The father answered, "Many years ago there were monkeys from which the human race evolved."

The confused girl returned to her mother and said "Mom, how is it possible that you told me the human race was created by God and Dad said they developed from monkeys?"

The mother answered, "Well, dear, it is very simple. I told you about my side of the family and your father told you about his."



Membership Meeting,  
1st Tues., 7:00 p.m.  
West Meeting Room

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## Grand Knight's Message Paul Greninger, Grand Knight



**Brother Knights and families,**

Jesus rose from the dead on Easter Sunday; now he offers to you the gift of eternal life and forgiveness of sins. Celebrate this new beginning with your loved ones. I hope you and your families had a very blessed and joyful Easter! Please thank Father Treacy, Father Barsness and Deacon Lawinger for all they do for the Knights.

Spring is here! It is a time many people clean up around their homes and yards. As you do that project, I would like you to think about how you help out your council this year. Did you volunteer in two or more programs, attend one or more membership meeting, paid your dues on time, co-chair an event? If you did these I would like to THANK YOU VERY MUCH! It is never too late to

change your ways, moving forward, please mark your calendar in July for the Anoka Co. Fair, our largest fund raising event. Please put time aside to help work the ticket booths, call and volunteer. Then come to more membership meetings and learn about what upcoming programs you can be active in. If you are looking for a leadership role call me and volunteer in a co-chair position.

Let God fill you with his love, Joy and Peace. These are Glory-gifts, flowing from his living presence. Though you are in an earthen vessel, he designed you to be filled with heavenly contents. Your weakness is not a deterrent to being filled with God's spirit: on the contrary, it provides an opportunity for God's power to shine forth more brightly.

God Bless you all



## Happy Mother's Day May 8th



Check for \$550 from the KC Italian Dinner was received by Adam Hanson from Feed My Starving Children. Presenting the check were Knights Scott Benik, Duane Crosland and three future Knights - Matthew, Tim and Josh Benik.



Brother Knights please pray for the people on our prayer list: Dorothy Stevenson (Robert's wife), Rich Scherber, Dan Spanier, Peter Crego, Wendy Thorson (Gregg Johnson's daughter); Evan Steeves, son of Mark Steeves; Seminarian Bryce Evans; Bob McCaffrey's sister, Anna Hoffman; Tony Jochim, Arlene Niles (Bob Fashing's daughter); Marty Whatmuff (Dave's wife); Tom Cameron, Rich Grugal, Bill Peloquin Sr., Frank & Leona Butina, (Russ Funk's mother-in-law & father-in-law); Bob Vogelpohl, Jim & Marlys Wishy, Bob Hazelton, Vincent Bazzani, Austin Loeffler, Joyce Kirscher (Jack's wife), Don Kramer, Toy McGee (Larry's wife), Christine Munoz (Bob Clark's daughter).

Remember family members & friends who are sick or are having surgery, men and women serving in the military and those men studying for the priesthood or deaconate. If you know of any Knight or family member who you would like to be included on our prayer list please call **Dave Wilhelm, 763-425-7754 or Tom Heltemes, 763-425-2314 or e-mail: tom@heltemes.com**



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## State KC Bowling Tournament participants

The tournament was held in Hutchinson MN on the weekends of April 2nd - 3rd and 9th - 10. Two of the teams are pictured below.



Left to right back row, Mark Bergeron Osseo/Maple Grove council, Dave Plante, Anoka council. Front row left to right, Tom Heltemes and Larry Gerold, both Osseo/Maple Grove council



Let to right, Terry Fagerberg, Osseo/Maple Grove council; John Ruffing St. Joseph the Worker council; Lee Bilbro, Osseo/Maple Grove council; and Gary Wolanin, St. Joseph the Worker council.

**ATTENTION:**

Brother Knights, we have a list of e-mail addresses from members. If you have e-mail and would be willing to share it please contact me. It would only be used to announce breakfasts and other events Council 9139 holds and to inform members of deaths in the Council.

Please e-mail your address to: tom@heltemes.com

## Dues reminder!!

Unpaid dues? Knight Alerts were mailed February 18th. If you haven't paid your dues yet, please do so now. The retention committee has also begun to call past-due members. Please do not wait for their call. If you have not paid your dues and have not heard from the retention committee, we probably need an updated telephone number for you. If you are experiencing a financial hardship, please contact the Grand Knight to discuss deferring your dues for one year. Our council does have a financial hardship policy, but the member must make that request of the Grand Knight, Paul Greninger 425-7316 or email prg1958@yahoo.com.

If any Brother Knight is leaving town for a few months and would like to continue receiving the Leaflet or you have a change of address please e-mail me at: kc.finsec9139@gmail.com.  
Sean Olmstead, FS, 712-5457

## The shredder

A young executive is working late one evening. As he comes out of his office about 8 p.m., he sees the big boss standing by the shredder in the hallway, a piece of paper in his hand.

"Do you know how to work this thing?" the older man asks. "My secretary's gone home and I don't know how to run it."

"Yes, sir" says the young executive, who turns on the machine takes the paper and feeds it in.

"OK!" says the boss, "I just need the one copy."

## Rosary

We are praying the rosary every Tuesday evening at 6:30 in the cry room led by Kevin Ahlers. Please join us whenever you can.



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