



Massillon Council 554



Knights of Columbus

WEBSITE ISSUE

February, 2018

Grand Knight's Report, by Gary Lamielle, Grand Knight

Council 554 held its annual Anniversary Dinner on January 28, 2018 at the Knights of Columbus hall in Massillon. The evening started with a prayer from our worthy chaplain Msgr James Kolp which was followed by a delicious meal prepared by the staff at the KofC. Following the dinner, the awards ceremony began. The first award Supreme Knight Award going to Walt Featheringham. Our second award was the Religious of The Year Fr. Raymond Paul. The next award Lady of The Year went to Sharlene M Dunn (Charlie). This was followed by Volunteer of the year going to Leonard Hughes. The next award went to Bob and Barb Pittinger as our Family of The Year. Our last award went to Ken McLaughlin Knight of the Year. The evening concluded with a closing prayer by Msgr Kolp.

Third-Degree Notice

For our Members needing their Third Degree: We will hold a **THIRD DEGREE** on Sunday, March 11 here at the Massillon Knights Hall. Candidate Call is 1:30. Degree at 2:00. Please plan to attend. Call Tim Paul at 330-837-6670.

Chaplain's Report, by Msgr. James Kolp, Chaplain

I know it's over but I just have to say a word about the March for Life of several weeks ago. Paul and Mary Ann Haig attended, as well as our Council's Culture of Life Chairman, Phil Glatz. Brother Knight Paul Crowley and I were on the bus that left from Canton Saint Michael's. To me it was an answer to prayer to have the President and Vice President speak to us from the Rose Garden of the White House. Both are so very pro-life. We will continue to see changes for life in the government as the days go on.

Lent is very early this year. Ash Wednesday is on Valentine's Day-February 14th. I ask you to join me in praying and fasting like we have never done before. Our country is being threatened by North Korea. Also, I urge you to attend the Council Meeting on the night before Ash Wednesday and all the meetings during the Lenten season.

Let us live our faith. Nothing is more important.

Club Room Hours: Mon-Tues-Wed: 4-11 PM Thu-Fri-Sat: 4 -12 AM

Dining Room Hours: Wed, Thur, Sat 5-8 PM, Friday; 4 – 8 PM

Council Meetings 2nd & 4th Tues at 7:00 PM

MKF Clubroom Dinners

Served 5-7 PM

February 20, 2018

“All You Can Eat” Spaghetti Dinner or Meatloaf Dinner

\$10 -Adults \$6-children
age 2-12, Under 2-FREE

What's Happening in...

.....February, 2018

- 2 6:00 PM 200 Club Banquet
- 6 7:00 PM 4th Degree Meeting
- 7 7:00 PM Squires Meeting
- 8 7:00 PM Stark County Chapter Meeting
- 10 6:00 PM “Love Boat”
- 13 7:00 PM Reg. Council Meeting
- 14 *Ash Wednesday*
Valentine Day
5:00 PM Clubroom Fish Fry
- 20 5:00 PM MKF Clubroom Dinner
6:30 PM Program Director's Meeting
7:00 PM Officer & Trustee Meeting
7:30 PM Columbian Ladies Meeting
- 21 7:00 PM Squires Meeting
- 27 7:00 PM Council Social Meeting
- 28 7:00 PM **Admission/1st Degree (DVD)**

.....March, 2018

- 6 7:00 PM 4th Degree Meeting
- 7 7:00 PM Squires Meeting
- 8 7:00 PM Stark County Chapter Meeting
- 11 1:30 PM **Knighthood/3rd Degree at MKH**
- 13 7:00 PM Reg. Council Meeting;
Nom/Elect delegates State Convention
- 14 1:00 PM Bloodmobile
- 20 5:00 PM MKF Clubroom Dinner
6:30 PM Program Director's Meeting
7:00 PM Officer & Trustee Meeting
7:30 PM Columbian Ladies Meeting
- 21 7:00 PM Squires Meeting
- 17 *St. Patrick's Day*
6:00 PM Nite at the Races
- 27 7:00 PM Past Grand Knights Meeting/Dinner
- 28 7:00 PM **Admission/1st Degree (DVD)**
- 31 10:00 AM Easter Egg Hunt (Pavilion)

Columbian Ladies Guild, By Darlene Catazaro, President.

Have you "heard " the news? The Columbian Ladies Guild recently made a donation to the Quota International Club, an organization that provides local children with hearing aids and batteries. In addition, the child's school is given batteries to make sure the child always has batteries available. Member Sue Hall brought this community service project to the Ladies Guild.

Members are serving food at bingo on the 1st, 2nd, and 5th Monday of the month. Do you have a little time to volunteer from 5-7p.m. or 7-9 p.m.? Dessert donations are always welcomed. Show us your baking skills.

Don't forget to pay you membership dues. Give to Elaine Lambert or leave at the bar, with your name and address.

Next meeting date; February 20th at 7:30 p.m.

By Karen Frantz

Massillon Council 554 2016 - 2017 Officers & Trustees

Chaplain	Msgr James Kolp	871-8346
Grand Knight	Gary Lamielle	327-7223
Dep. Grd Knight	Bob Pittinger	571-5150
Chancellor	Matt Meyer, PGK	284-9365
Recorder	Jim Fondriest	854-4850
Treasurer	Paul Haig, PGK	837-1185
Financial Sec	Tim Paul	837-1411
Advocate	John Ferrero, Jr.	833-3534
Warden	Ken McLaughlin	571 1203
Inside Guard	Phil Glatz	844-5330
Outside Guard	Leonard Hughes	834-7638
1- Year Trust	Jim Sieber, PGK	478-2363
2- Year Trust	Bill Shane, PGK	830-9224
3- Year Trust	Walt Featheringham	
Field Agent	(Vacant)	
Bulletin Editor	Ken Girt, PGK	837-6670
Webmaster	Kyle Shane	

<u>Parish Round Table Coordinators</u>		
St. Mary	Ken Girt, PGK	837-6670
St Joseph	Randy Smith, PGK	323-5904
St Barbara	Ray Tully	837-4877

<u>Program Activity Chairmen:</u>		
Church	Ken McLaughlin	571 1203
Council	Jim Sieber, PGK	478-2363
Community	Matt Meyer	284-9365
Family	Jim Fondriest	854-4850
Culture of Life	Phil Glatz	844-5330
Youth/Squires	Mike Szillat, PGK	830-4930
Membership	Ken Girt, PGK	837-6670
Complex Mgr	Mary Ann Cowley	837-9101
Bingo Mgr	Ron Kurpieski	936-8058
200 Club	Bill Shane, PGK	830-9224
Web: http://www.massillonkofc554.org		

Fraternal Report, by Ken Girt PGK

On Our Sick List: Gerald Meyer, Bill Ringley, Ron Blogna, Bill Hamit, Ron Kurpieski, Jim Kracker, Jim Bushway, Richard Rootes, Gene Hammer, Joe Vogt and Chuck Meyer.

If you want your name added to our sick list, or if you know of a brother knight who should be added, please send me an email at girtken@sssnet.com or call me at 330-837-6670.

The Massillon Knights Foundation

Foundation Trustees 2016 – 2017 James Brelish (Treasurer), Paul Lambert (President), Bill Shane (Vice President), Jeff Heitger (Secretary), Ron Kurpieski, John Williams, Dave Cowley, Jim Sieber, Bob Catazaro

Foundation Report, By Paul Lambert, President

Make sure you cruise with us on the Love Boat on February 10. Call the office for reservations. 330-837-9101.

And check on your neighbors during these winter months!

Complex Manager Report, By Mary Ann Cowley

"10th Annual Love Boat Cruise" - Saturday, February 10th - \$40.00 each. This price includes oeuvers, dinner, open bar for the evening, DJ, Casino and surprise Celebrity Guests at 9:00 p.m. Menu will include: 8 oz. strip steak, with 6 grilled- shrimp, baked potato, green beans, mixed greens salad, rolls/butter. Horsd'oeuvres include: cream cheese salami wraps, cheese/crackers and Italian meatballs. We will "leave the dock at 6:00 p.m. and return by Midnight". If you've never attended this event, this is certainly the year you don't want to miss. If you've cruised with us before, guaranteed you will be back. For reservations call Mary Ann, 330-837-9101.



Fish Fry's

Every Friday in our Clubroom 4:00 to 8:00 PM

On Fridays during Lent: 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Ash Wednesday FISH FRY Special
4:00 to 8:00 PM

MASSILLON K of C BINGO

Every Monday Night 7PM

Doors open at 4:30 PM

ALL PAPER GAMES