



Massillon Council 554



Knights of Columbus

August, 2023

Grand Knight's Report, by Chuck Maier, Grand Knight

August is the month of the Blessed Sacrament and dedicated to The Immaculate Heart of Mary. We know as Catholics, that we encounter Jesus whenever we go to Mass and experience the Consecration. When wine and bread are transformed into His Body and Blood, and we receive Him. It grants a special grace to handle the trials of Christian living. As Knights we are Christians and others watch us. Be an example to others.

We had a recruiting weekend at Divine Mercy Parish on Sunday July 30 along with a First Second and Third Degree at St Barbara's Campus at 12:15PM. If you know someone that is not a Knight of Columbus invite them to join. We are Catholic men who lead, serve, protect, and defend. We share a desire to be better husbands, fathers, sons, neighbors and role models and to put charity and community first.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday August 8th at 7:00PM. Come out and join us, there are a lot of things planned for this fiscal year. You can be in the know and have a hands-on experience with your council. Don't forget Ladies night and bunco on Tuesday August 29th 6:30PM. the more that want to play the merrier.

Most notably, during August, we celebrate the feast of the Transfiguration (August 6) and the feast of the Assumption (August 15). Have a great month of August. May He keep you healthy, safe, and happy, and may God Bless.

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

This first week of August is the time of the Supreme Convention of our great Order. Please join me in watching as much as possible of this week's convention. Here are some highlights on EWTN-TV

On Tuesday, August 1st there will be the Opening Mass at 9:30 A.M. At 1:00 P.M. there will be the opening business session. There will be Masses at 8:00 A.M. on Tuesday and Wednesday. May the good of our Order reach all of the USA, the Ukraine and the whole world.

Family, Knight and Volunteer of the Month for July 2023

Congratulations to **Bryan Stewart** for being selected as our Knight of the Month for July. Bryan was recently elected as Council 554 Deputy Grand Knight. He also volunteers for many of our programs.

We also congratulate **Dale and Barb Piper** for being selected Family of the Month for July. Dale and Barb help at our weekly Hot Lunch and Dales helps at the St Mary – St Vincent de Paul Food Pantry.

We also congratulate **Karen Franz** as our Volunteer of the Month for July. Karen is President of the Columbian Ladies Guild and works every Monday at our Bingo.

From the Editor.....Ken Girt, PSD, PGK, Newsletter Editor

Our "printed" newsletter format includes the first four pages of our multi-page electronic newsletter. This four-page document will be mailed to those who requested it. There will be copies of the four-page newsletter in the clubroom. We encourage you to read the complete electronic newsletter on our website.... <http://www.massillonkofc554.org>.

Massillon Knights Foundation Complex –Business Hours

K-Club Bar: Hours: open Monday thru Saturday from 4:00pm to closing at the discretion of the Bartender.

K-Club Dining: The Kitchen is open 4-8 pm Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.
See page 10 of website newsletter for latest K-Club Menu

The Massillon Knights Foundation

Foundation Trustees: **One-Year:** James Brelish (Treasurer), Paul Lambert (President), Bob Pittinger, **Two Year:** Dan Skirtich, Dave Harman, Bill Beese **Three-Year:** Bill Shane (Vice President), Jeff Heitger (Secretary), Rick Chapis

Massillon Knights Foundation Report, By Paul Lambert, President

Here it is August already. The weather has been very different this year from calm to very stormy and warm to very hot. I hope everyone is okay and has checked in on your families and friends to make sure they are fine. School will be starting in a few weeks and kids will be walking and riding back and forth to school. Please be careful when driving and please stop and wait for school buses to pick up the kids or drop them off.

The new dishwasher has been installed and has been working. There are a few minor adjustments that must be made which everything is in the making to do. If you haven't seen it, please come out and see the new machine. The old one has been there since the building was built and needed replaced badly. I want to personally thank all the volunteers and everyone who helped install the new dishwasher, from taking the old one out, and bring the new one in, cleaning and preparing the space for the new dishwasher, and the electricians, plumbers, sheet metal fabricators, The cost of the dishwasher was over \$16,000.00. We have received a grant of \$4000.00 to help defray some of the cost of the new dishwasher.

Fraternal Report, by Ken Girt PGK

On our Member Sick List: Gerald Meyer, Bill Ringley, Bill Hamit, Jim Kracker, John Scheetz, Walt Featheringham, Sam Meyer, Mike Ziegelhofer, Ted Burch, Chuck Meyer, Paul Lucchesi, Joe Vilhosky, Jim Sieber, Fr. Mike Seifert, Ralph Huff and Neil Maier. **On our Member's Family Sick List;** Barbara Piper (wife of Dale), Mary Francis Carmola (daughter of Al).

If you want your name added to our sick list, or if you know of a member or family member who should be added, please send me an email at girtken@sssnet.com or call 330-608-1729.

Clubroom Report, Julie Harman, Complex Manager

Happy August!! We had a Summer Fest on July 22nd and it went great! Thanks to Lisa Lowden for all of her hard work promoting this event and thanks to the volunteers, Mike Papas, Kris Youngdahl, Mary & Russ Richardson, Anne Ziegelhofer, Val Krause, Bill & Bridget Beese and Sandy Skirtich!! Thank you to Terry Pacelli for the music! It was a lot of fun! Please join us for our October Fest Saturday, October 21, 2023. it's sure to be a great time!!!

Browns yearly board available at the bar & you can make reservations for the "Browns Kickoff Steak Fry" August 26, 2023! Doors open at Noon Dinner approximately at 4PM! 2-steak dinners \$28 (1-Dinner \$14) New for the NFL games we are running a 33-board. See bartenders for details.

We will be open Thursday, August 3, 2023 for the Hall of Fame game, Browns vs. Jets! We will have hot dogs & chips and you can bring in your own food for the game. (Just like our tailgates)

Mark your calendars we will be having a Nite at the Races on Saturday, November 18, 2023 co-sponsor Domestic Violence Project. Inc. You can call me now to reserve your seats only \$20.00 a ticket includes buffet dinner & open bar!

New menu for the Club room starting on Tuesday, September 5, 2023!!

Bingo every Monday at 6:30pm & doors open at 4pm. We still need volunteers as well!! If you are interested, please call 330-837-9101.

Friday Fish Fry's

Every Friday 4:00 to 8:00 pm

With weekly specials. Take-Out meals available.

BISHOP MASSILLON ASSEMBLY FOURTH DEGREE

Faithful Friar	Fr. Raymond Paul 833-8091	Faithful Navigator	Roger Piper 936-0974
Faithful Purser	Edward Shuman 854-3691	Faithful Inner Sentinel	Charles Meyer / Leonard Hughes
Faithful Captain	Bob Pittinger 571-5150	Faithful Outer Sentinel	Jim Coughlin, PFN 704-0048
Faithful Admiral	Matthew Meyer, PFN 284-9365	Faithful 1-year Trustee	Charles Maier 418-8741
Faithful Comptroller	Dan Flanagan 966-4937	Faithful 2-year Trustee	Joseph Vilhosky 806-4036
Faithful Pilot	Bryan Stewart 605-8840	Faithful 3-year Trustee	Paul Haig, PFN 837-1185
Faithful Scribe	Graham Zeneri 844-7712	Commanders	James Sieber / Graham Zeneri

Faithful Navigator Report, By Roger Piper, Faithful Navigator

Sir Knights, the next Assembly business meeting will take place on Tuesday August 1st. This is a Ladies Night with a short meeting at 6:30 PM. Following the meeting we will have our Annual Assembly picnic in the pavilion. This is an enjoyable evening with good food and drinks. We look forward to seeing you.

During the Annual Assembly picnic at the pavilion, we plan to have our Flag Retirement Ceremony (time permitting). The ceremony scheduled in May was cancelled due to the weather. In May, we still collected flags and did the three new flag drawing during the meeting. Please bring your additional worn-unsuitable display flags to be honorably disposed of.

We currently have two Fallout requests for the month of August: The first event is The Fest - is a day-long festival of music and family activities on Sunday the 6th. It will take place at the Center for Pastoral Leadership at 28700 Euclid Ave, Wickliffe. The day will conclude with an outdoor Mass for which Sir Knights in uniform are requested. The Mass is at 8:00 PM, the fallout is at 7:30 PM. Second event is The Feast of the Assumption on Tuesday the 15th. At Holy Rosary Church, 12021 Mayfield Rd - Cleveland's Little Italy. Solemn Mass is at 10:00 AM with procession to follow. Also, a night procession and closing service will take place that evening. Details of when Sir Knights are needed in Uniform has yet to be indicated.

This year Patriot Day, in memory of the people killed in the September 11th 2001 attacks, falls on a Monday. Details of whether we will participate in a daily Mass are yet to be determined. Please consider saving the date and attend a daily Mass at one of local Parishes.

The Fall Fourth Degree Exemplification will take place on Saturday October 14th at St. William in Warren. Details for this October 14th Exemplification are still being worked out. The Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus was established 1900, adding patriotism to its foundational principles. An inspiring testament of our founding fathers, patriotism as love of God and love of country go hand in hand. Being a "Sir Knight" is more than a title – it's an honor!

Please call me if I can address any questions.

Columbian Ladies Guild, by Karen Franz, President

I hope you all have had a chance to see Mary's gazebo at the KC. Mary and her gazebo have had a power wash cleaning and new paint. Thanks for a great job by SE Johnson painting and the Columbian ladies for maintaining the gazebo. This is a good place for reflection or just taking time to rest. The gazebo is also wheelchair accessible. We hope that you will take advantage of this unique place on the KofC grounds.

Need more exercise in your life? KoC has the answer, the walking track is open to members and the public. Remember in this hot weather you should be walking in the late afternoon when it's getting cooler. Don't forget to stay hydrated by taking a water bottle with you. Let's spend more time at the KofC by taking advantage of all of the things available.

Congratulations to all the winners of the end of the year awards. They include our own treasurer Ann Ziegelhoffer as the Volunteer of the year. Ann works Bingo and the hot lunch program. She is always willing to help with other activities.

A REMINDER We will be meeting in September as our first meeting of the year. If you have items that should be included in the agenda, please let Karen know. Our meeting will be September 26 at 7 p.m., at the KofC. Please come.

Remember your pets and gardens in this hot weather make sure they have plenty of water. Check on your neighbors and keep yourself hydrated. Remember water is the best when it's hot.

Until we are together again may the Lord bless you and your families.



Upcoming Calendar of Events...

.....August, 2023

- 1 6:30 PM 4th Degree Meet – Picnic Pavilion Ladies Night
 8 7:00 PM Reg. Council Meeting, Budget Vote
 10 7:00 PM Stark County Chapter Meeting
 15 **Feast of the Assumption**
 22 6:30 PM Officers and Trustees Meeting
 29 6:30 PM Council Social Program - Bunco

.....September, 2023

- 4 **Labor Day**
 5 6:30 PM 4th Degree Meeting
 11 Assembly Patriot Day Mass (TBA)
 12 7:00 PM Reg. Council Meeting
 14 7:00 PM Stark County Chapter at Co 554
 20 1:00 PM Bloodmobile
 21 5:00 PM MKF Clubroom Dinner
 26 6:30 PM Officers and Trustees Meeting
 7:00 PM Columbian Ladies Meeting

Bingo: Monday Night 6:30 pm **Hot Lunch:** Wednesday 10:45-Noon **Massillon Knights Foundation Mtg:** 3rd Tues of month 6pm
Massillon Squires Circle Meeting: 1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7pm at St Joseph School

MASSILLON COUNCIL 554 2023 - 2024 OFFICERS & TRUSTEES

<u>Officers</u>			<u>Round Table Coordinators</u>		
Chaplain	Msgr James Kolp	428-5555	St. Mary	Ken Girt, PGK	608-1729
Grand Knight	Chuck Maier	418-8741	St Joseph	Tom Ferrero	844-0469
Dep Grd Knight	Bryan Stewart	605-8840	St Barbara	Joel Fichter	830-9301
Chancellor	Tim Paul	603-502-4455	<u>Program Activity Chairmen:</u>		
Recorder	(OPEN)		Gen Program Dir	Ken Girt	608-1729
Treasurer	Ken McLaughlin	571 1203	FAITH	Ken McLaughlin	571 1203
Financial Sec	Paul Haig, PGK	837-1411	FAMILY	Bob Pittinger, PGK	571-5150
Advocate	John Ferrero, Jr.	265-9584	COMMUNITY	Matt Meyer, PGK	284-9365
Warden	Graham Zeneri	844-7712	LIFE	Joe Vilhosky	806-4036
Inside Guard	Joe Logan	413-2754	Squires	Mike Szillat, PGK	268-9879
Outside Guard	Jim Brelish	844-1855	Membership	Chuck Maier	418-8741
1- Year Trust	Gary Lamielle, PGK	327-7223	Complex Mgr	Julie Harman	837-9101
2- Year Trust	Ken Girt, PGK	608-1729	Bingo Mgr	Ron Kurpieski	936-8058
3- Year Trust	Bob Pittinger, PGK	571-5150	Bereavement Chr	Graham Zeneri	844-7712
Field Agent	Marty VanDevere	858-0963	Webmaster	Kyle Shane	
Bulletin Editor	Ken Girt, PGK	608-1729			

Web: <http://www.massillonkofc554.org>

2023 Family, Knight and Volunteer of the Months

	Family of Month	Knight of Month	Volunteer of Month
January	Mike & Sue Ziegelhofer	Ron Kurpieski	Anne Ziegelhofer
February	Matthew & Carrie Competty	Dan Skirtich	Paulette Martin
March	Jeff & Denise Campbell	Eric Fichter	Linda Girt
April	Matt & Ivy Meyer	John Birman	John Blackstone
May	Paul & Mary Ann Haig	John Dorka	Sue Hall
June	Paul & Elaine Lambert	Gary Lamielle	Stacey Dougherty
July	Dale and Barb Piper	Bryan Stewart	Karen Franz

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MEMBERSHIP & DEGREES: There are three ways that a Catholic man or existing 1st or 2nd Degree member can advance to 3rd Degree.

Method 1. Ohio State Council Exemplification:

For Council 554 First- and Second-Degree Members:

The Ohio State Council has a “virtual” online Third-Degree Ceremony that is held every Wednesday at 7:00 pm. If you are interested in advancing to the third degree, and we do encourage it, please email me (Ken Girt) and I will provide a link for registering. My email is.... girtken@sssnet.com. You then will be sent a link for viewing the 30-minute ceremony at home. And yes, your family can view the ceremony as well. Call Ken Girt with any questions. 330-608-1729

Procedure for Online Exemplification for Advancing Members:

1. The GK, FS or other council designee forwards the **Exemplification Registration** link to members that wish to advance to the to the Third Degree.
2. The member accesses and registers with the Ohio State Council for the degree using the link.
2. The State will then forward the **Exemplification Degree** Link is sent to member after he registers.
3. Advancing Member attends the live online exemplification on Wednesday at 7 PM. Member must be on-line and attend the entire degree. Family members are welcome to view ceremony.
4. The FS or GK are notified that member attended the online Ceremony.
5. FS sends in Form 100 to Supreme indicating member or members advanced to Third Degree. FS issues new Degree card.

For New Candidates:

If you know of a worthy candidate for membership in the Knights of Columbus, he can also attend the new online Exemplification from the Ohio State Council. See procedure below. Call Ken Girt with any questions. 330-608-1729

Procedure for Online Exemplification for New Member

1. NEW MEMBER completes a Form 100 and submits to Council.
2. Council Admission Committee contacts and talks with the NEW MEMBER. This can be over the phone or an online meeting.
3. Upon approval of the Admission Committee, the Council votes on the NEW MEMBER.
4. Once the council approves the NEW MEMBER, the GK, FS, Ken Girt or other council designee sends the candidate the Ohio State Council **Exemplification Registration** link to NEW MEMBER.
5. NEW MEMBER accesses the registration link, choosing the Wednesday 7:00 PM Degree, completes the form using “554” for the Council Number field, and signing it with an electronic pen on a tablet or via mouse or finger for touch screen. Then click [Submit].
6. The system will automatically forward the **Exemplification Ceremony** link to the NEW MEMBER.
7. NEW MEMBER attends the entire online exemplification via live degree on assigned date and time. Family members welcome to view ceremony.
7. Upon completion of the degree, the State Warden or other appointed designee will complete the Form 450 and submits to Supreme. Exemplification result are sent to Grand Knight, Financial Secretary, and Membership Director per normal procedure.
8. GK, or FS or other council designee completes the Form 100 from the Officer-On-Line with all fields completed, including dates, proposer name and Membership Number, and ensures all signatures and the proper check boxes are complete. The Form 100 is then submitted to Supreme and State.
9. FS issues a Third-Degree card to NEW MEMBER.

Remember the Ohio State Council sponsors - LIVE - Online Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity every Wednesdays at 7 PM. This allows the user to either log in via a computer, tablet or smartphone as well as call in on the phone.

Each person is required to register. The GK, FS and Council Membership Director are the keepers of the registration link. Therefore, at least one officer should be aware of candidate taking the Exemplification.

Contact any of the following for the registration link:

Chuck Maier Grand Knight: massillonward2@yahoo.com
 Paul Haig, Financial Secretary: haig@sssnet.com
 Ken Girt: girtken@sssnet.com

Method 2. Massillon Council 554 Exemplification:

Council 554 will continue to offer the Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity ever Second Wednesday of the month, with a DVD of the ceremony at 7:00 PM. This is for new members as well as current 1st Degree and 2nd Degree members wishing to advance to the full 3rd degree of the Order. It is a 35-minute video. Please contact Ken Girt to register. 330-608-1729 or girtken@sssnet.com,

Method 3. "Live" Exemplification in area Churches:

Also, Council 554 is conducting a "live" Degree Ceremony every other month in our local churches after a Sunday Mass, for New Members as well as for 1st and 2nd Degree members to advance to the 3rd Degree. If you wish to attend the "live" degree, please Contact Ken Girt at 330-608-1729 or email at girtken@sssnet.com. Family members are now welcome to attend our degree ceremony! Watch for notices in the newsletter on upcoming degree ceremonies.

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COUNCIL 554 MEETING MINUTES: Date: 7/11/23 Present: 10

Chaplain's Message: We have so much to be thankful for and with this new year we'll need to continue doing what we've been doing by continuing to invite our new members to our meetings and events. Let's keep up the good work following the direction of our leaders and we'll have another successful year in our council. Thank you.

Minutes from Last Meeting: Approved as distributed in newsletter.

GK Report: Next Council meeting will be on August 8th at 7pm. Next Officers and Trustee's meeting will be on July 25th at 6:30pm.

I would like to thank everybody for your faith in me to have me as your Grand Knight. I intend to do the best I can.

Financial report and Previous Meeting Minutes: Accepted as distributed.

Membership report: We have a degree set up for the last Sunday in July in St. Barbs after 11 am Mass. Two members pending.

Other Reports:

4th Degree Report: No Report.

Squires: No Report.

Insurance report: No Report

Massillon Knights Foundation Nominations for MKF Trustee was held. Rick Chapis was nominated to fill opening.

Parish Round Table Projects: No report.

District Deputy Report: DD 73 Matt Meyer. We had our District Deputy meeting in Columbus a couple of weekends ago. Ron Macala who is your District Deputy was present. They talked about the tour coming up this Sunday and they have some new incentives to present. One is with the Shining Armor Award. Ron will be by next month.

Old Business: None

New Business: We are having a speaker for mental health coming to our meeting, possibly on October 10th.

Good of the Order Honorees for June: Knight of the month -Gary Lamielle Family of the month - Paul and Elaine Lambert, Volunteer of the month - Stacy Dougherty

Closing prayer recited:

COUNCIL 554 PROGRAM ACTIVITIES:

Massillon “Knights in Action”

The “Massillon Knights in Action” lists some of the charitable projects accomplished by Council 554 members. If you want to help in our charity work, please contact any Officer / Round Table Coordinator.

Hot Lunch Every Wednesday, volunteers from our council and our social membership cook a hot meal for the needy of the Massillon area. Meals are packaged and distributed from 10:45 am to 12:00 pm. Volunteers are asked to call Hot Lunch Chairman Paul Lambert at the complex office at 330-837-9101.

Bingo Our major fundraiser for the Massillon Knights Foundation is our weekly Bingo which starts at 6:30 PM every Monday. Volunteers can call the complex office at 330-837-9101

Coats for Kids Our Coats for Kids project is a Supreme Council program in which 554 can purchase boxes of new coats for needy children in the Massillon Community. Coats are purchased from donations from Council 554, the Columbian Ladies, St. Mary – St Vincent de Paul Society, Massillon American Legion Post 221, and private contributors. If you would like purchase a box of coats, please contact the FS office at 330-873-1411.

Adopt-A-Highway Volunteers from Council 554 pick-up trash along Route 21 north of Massillon in a two-mile corridor on both north and south lanes. Council 554 needs 8 to 10 volunteers for cleanup in the spring and fall. Cleanup detail involves two to three hours on a Saturday morning. If interested, contact Matt Meyer at 330-284-9365

Charitable Donations: Council 554 annually donates to the Ohio State Council’s Measure-Up Campaign (supporting programs for those with Developmental Disabilities), S.O.S. Campaign (Support our Seminarians), and Matching Fund (provide financial support of the Youngstown Diocesan Media Library for instructional books and videos on our faith.

Impact Massillon: Knights support Divine Mercy Parish in this annual ecumenical service to beatify a local neighborhood

Round Table St. Barbara Church (Contact Joel Fichter: 330-830-9301 email: fichterlaw@sssnet.com)

1. **Divine Mercy Chaplet.** Council 554 Round Table members promote a monthly recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet every Tuesday of the month following the 9:00 am Mass.
2. **Cemetery Cleanup** Council 554 Round Table members meet on a Saturday morning in March or April to clean the cemetery. Look for announcement in Sunday bulletin.
3. **Rosary and Novena for Life and Patriotic Rosary.** Council 554 round table members sponsors a Rosary and Novena for Life and a Patriotic Rosary throughout the year. Look for announcements in Sunday bulletin

Round Table St. Joseph Church (Contact Tom Ferrero 330-844-0469 email: tferrero@sssnet.com)

- 1 **Divine Mercy Chaplet.** Council 554 Round Table members promote a monthly recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet every Friday of the month at 12:30 pm preceding the closing of the Holy Eucharist Adoration and 3:30 pm on Saturday, prior to the 4:00 pm Sunday Mass.
- 2 **Landscaping parish grounds.** Council 554 members volunteer landscaping parish grounds. They especially take pride in maintaining the St. Joseph Memorial Garden located at the north side of the parish office building. If interested in helping, please call Tom Ferrero 330-844-0469.
- 3 **Soup Kitchen** Council 554 members volunteer at our "Soup Kitchen" held every Monday
- 4 **Holy Name Society** Council 554 members are active in the St. Joseph Holy Name Society which raises money for church projects. Members also volunteer for many parish activities.

Round Table St. Mary Church (Contact Ken Girt, PGK 330-608-1729 email: girtken@sssnet.com)

- 1 **Divine Mercy Chaplet.** Council 554 Round Table members promote a weekly recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet every Wednesday at 3:30 pm before the close of the Holy Eucharist Adoration in the church. (10am - 4pm)
- 2 **Support St Vincent de Paul Society** Various Council 554 Round Table members help each week at the St Mary – St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry for distributing food for the less fortunate in the Massillon community. Also, members help to unload the weekly delivery of 4,000 pounds-plus of food from the Akron-Canton Food Bank each Thursday at 9:30 am. If you are interested in helping, please call St Vincent de Paul Society at 330-837-0084.
- 3 **Sanctuary Decorations for Christmas and Easter** Council 554 Round Table members help to erect and take down the Christmas and Easter decorations for the sanctuary and church each year. If you are interested in helping, please call Ken Girt at 330-608-1729.
- 4 **Landscaping parish grounds.** St. Mary Round Table members are asked to provide landscaping and miscellaneous repair for the church grounds. If interested in, please call Ken Girt at 330-68-172.

PRAYERS:

Prayer for Vocations

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons and consecrated persons. Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth and young adults. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

Prayer to St. Joseph

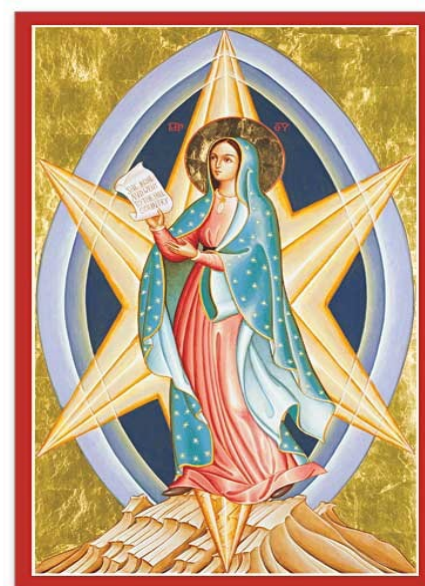
Glorious Patriarch St. Joseph, whose power makes the impossible possible, come to my aid in these times of anguish and difficulty. Take under your protection the serious and troubling situation that I commend to you, that they may have a happy outcome (*list requests*). My beloved father, all my trust is in you. Let it not be said that I invoked you in vain, and since you can do everything with Jesus and Mary, show me that your goodness is great as your power. Amen

Youngstown Diocese Prayer & Icon Visitation Program

There is a new Diocesan Prayer and Icon Visitation program in our diocese that highlights and emphasizes the "Journey of Love" of Bishop Bonnar's Episcopal Motto "*That All May Be One*". The icon "*Mary, Star of the New Evangelization*" was presented to our new Bishop on April 11, 2021, on behalf of the Knights in the Youngstown Diocese.

Massillon Council 554's Icon is now available for members to use in their homes. Please contact Ken McLaughlin at 330-571-1203 to reserve the Icon along with a manual for suggested prayer services. Please feel free to invite members of our parish to participate as well, even if they are not members of the Knights of Columbus.

The icon is to be placed in a different home each week and remain there until the following week, when it will be transferred to the next intended recipient. During this program, a log of weekly visitations will be maintained by each council.



Massillon KofC SNAPSHOTS



Massillon Council 554 conducted a Charty-Unity-Fraternity Degree on Sunday, July 30 at St. Barbara's Church. Pictured front row, left to right: Chuck Maier - Grand Knight and Degree Team member, Keith Wilson – new member, Vince Spicocchi – new member, Ken Girt – Degree Team. Back row: Degree Team members -Joe Vilhosky, Bryan Stewart, Graham Zeneri and Ken McLaughlin.

Faith Activities: Parish Round Table Support

The purpose of the Knights of Columbus -Parish Round Tables is to encourage councils which own separate facilities from the parishes, to bring their charitable service and support back into their parish. Parish Round Tables have been established in our Massillon parishes and we will announce projects or requests from our pastors. Each of our Parish Coordinators have an email list that we use to get the message out for a short notice, upcoming project. Please email the coordinators below so they will have your address for your parish.

St. Joseph Church Coordinator: Tom Ferrero, 330-844-0469 - tferrero@sssnet.com ,

Please email me your address so that I can add your name to our St. Joseph Round Table Committee list for notification of future projects.

St Barbara Church Coordinator: Joel Fichter, 330-830-9301 - fichterlaw@sssnet.com

Please email me your address so that I can add your name to our St. Barbara Round Table Committee list for notification of future projects.

St Mary Church Coordinator: Ken Girt, 330-608-1729 – girtken@sssnet.com

We will help with the 2023 IMPACT MASSILLON project on June 3. Please let me know if you are interested to help. We need to register all volunteers and order t-shirts by May 3. Thanks. Please email me your address so that I can add your name to our St. Mary Round Table Committee list for notification of future projects

K-CLUB Dining Menu

Massillon Knights Foundation

Home for Knights of Columbus - Massillon Council 554

988 Cherry Road, Massillon OH 44647

Open: Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday – 4 to 8 pm.

APPETIZERS \$6.00 EACH

Fried Pickles, Cheese Sticks, Onion Rings,
& Pub Pretzels

SALADS \$9.00

Grilled Chicken Salad
Buffalo Chicken Salad

JUMBO BONLESS OR BONE IN WINGS:

6 Wings **\$6.00**/12 Wings **\$12.00**

(Wednesday Dine-in Special \$0.75 each)

Breaded Wings-6 for \$7.50/12 for \$15.00

(Wednesday Dine-in Special (\$1.00 each)

OUR SAUCES

Jack's Whiskey BBQ, Buffalo, Sweet Chili
Drunken, General Tso, Garlic Parmesan

SALAD DRESSINGS:

House, Balsamic, Ranch, Italian, French,
Sweet & Sour, Honey Mustard & Blue Cheese

BURGERS & SANDWICHES Served with Fries

Hamburger \$10.00 add cheese \$0.75

BLT on Texas Toast \$8.00

Grilled Cheese on Texas Toast \$6.00

4 Chicken Tenders with Fries \$8.00

FISH FRY FRIDAY'S ONLY

Battered or Floured Blend Fish Dinner

1, 2 & 3-Piece Dinner w/2 Sides

\$8.00 \$10.00 \$12.00

Ala Cart: Piece of Fish \$3.00

9oz. Broiled Scrod w/2 Sides \$15.00

Shrimp Basket w/Fries \$10.00

Fish Sandwich w/Fries \$9.00

(add cheese \$0.75)

TACO TUESDAY'S ONLY

2 Tacos Hard or Soft with Rice \$6.50

Loaded Nachos \$7.00

Taco Salad \$10.00

6 Pack of Tacos Hard or Soft \$9.00

Chicken Quesadillas \$8.00

Chicken Fajita Quesadilla \$10.00

Ala Cart:

1 Taco \$2.25

Mexican Rice \$2.75

Jalapenos can be added!

KIDS 10 AND UNDER

(With Accompanying Adult Meal)

Grilled Cheese w/Fries \$5.00

2 Chicken Tenders w/Fries \$5.50

Hamburger w/Fries \$6.00

Cheese Quesadillas \$6.00

1 piece Fish Dinner w/Fries \$5.00

(Friday Only)

SIDES

Tossed Salad, Veggie of the Day, Fresh-Cut Fries & Sweet Potato Fries

Baked Potato \$2.00

Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry etc. may increase your risk of food illness.