



# Knights' Line

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### Grand Knight's NOV. Message

Worthy Brothers,

I hope this finds you all safe and healthy. October was busy for our council. Our Fallen Knights Ceremony was very well attended and we had several guests for dinner. Thank you Fr. Gilstrap for officiating at the ceremony. We supported the Parish Octoberfest by cooking and serving food and whatever else was needed in the way of support. We hosted our first annual Cornhole Tournament on the 9th. Congratulations to Curt and Noah Reamy for taking first place. Our kitchen/cooking crew came through yet again by preparing dinner for approximately 115 celebrating the 20th Anniversary of Adoration @ OLOL. That is three big dinners in one month, talk about going above and beyond! Please take a moment at our next meeting to offer congratulations and thanks to the kitchen/cooking crew.

I attended the Newcomers Dinner on Oct. 28th and welcomed some Brothers from afar to transfer into our council and also encouraged several young men new to our area to check us out.

Our Into the Breach program is under way on Tuesday nights at 6:30 at OLOL. Thirteen men of the parish are participating.

So far in November, our Assembly provided an Honor Guard for the Priesthood Sunday 11:00 AM Mass and a brief prayer outside by the flags after Mass to honor our Veterans. This was followed by a flyover led by our own PGK Tim Kolp.

Then the Veterans Day Parade, our Assembly had a float again in this parade. Many thanks to all who helped get our float ready for action and for the veterans who showed up to ride the float in the parade. PGK Tim Kolp and friends made another flyover along the parade route, thanks Tim!

Upcoming events include the Annual Indian Lake Loop Fun Run on Thanksgiving morning, contact Joe Staub if you would like to volunteer. Our annual KofC Christmas Party for Knights and their families is scheduled for Dec. 11th in the Msgr. Bevington Hall. Next council meeting is Nov. 21st, I hope to see you all there!

Vivat Jesus!

Jerry Taylor, GK

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"What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the lives of others." - Pericles

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**11/21 4th Deg Assembly Mtg - 5:00 pm**

**11/21 Council Mtg - Dinner 5:20 pm, Mtg 6:00 pm**

**11/25 Thanksgiving Day/ Indian Lake Loop Run**

**12/11 Council's Kids Christmas Party - Msgr Bevington Hall, 6:15 pm - bring dish to pass**

When you make a commitment you build hope. When you keep it you build trust.

### Children's Christmas Party

Worthy Brothers All,

Please save the date! December 11th for our Christmas Party starting after Mass. It has been two years since we have had a family event so, please mark your calendar and round up the kids and grandkids and come to our Christmas party. Come even if you don't have children at home. Also you are encouraged to bring a prospective Knight and his family.

The price of admission is just a dish/dessert or two to pass. The council will supply the meat and there will be drinks for all.

What a great chance to have great food and refreshments, renew friendships with brothers and their families that you might not have seen in a while, and celebrate the reason for the season, Christ!

For the kids, it is rumored that Santa will take time out from making toys to visit and he will bring a gift for the little ones

I hope to see you all there.

Vivat Jesus!, Jerry Taylor

I stayed up all night to see where the sun went, and then it dawned on me.

### Tootsie Roll Drive Brings in \$4075

On Saturday, Nov. 13, Knights of our council took to the streets of Hendersonville to solicit money from the motoring public for those with Intellectual Disabilities. A total of 21 knights and two wives either solicited or assisted in sorting and banding currency that was collected.

The total funds collected was \$4075. This money goes to the MR Foundation of Tennessee, a Knights of Columbus charity for use in building homes in Sumner County.

A great job Knights!!! - John Bolger, Chairman

Forgiveness does not change the past but it does enlarge the future.

### Veteran's Day Parade Float

Spearheaded by Jerry Holtman the Council and Assembly built a float that was then entered in the Hendersonville Veterans Parade on Sunday, Nov. 7. A large contingent of Knights rode on the float demonstrating the large number of veterans in our Council.

There was also a flyover during the parade in which one of our own, PGK Tim Kolp Led a group of private aircraft from Gallatin airport in a great flyover.

Unfortunately there was mishap during the float construction as Jerry Holtman was hit by the trailer and fell backwards on the concrete. He had major swelling to the back of his head and at press time was still suffering from severe headaches.

(See parade pictures on last page.)

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## New Knights & Transferee

At the Sept meeting we brought in 5 new Knights . Their picture was published in the October newsletter but we did not get to write up their personal information for that issue. In addition we had one new transferee in July that your stalwart editor neglected to put in a newsletter back then. So we will correct all that in this issue.

The September new Knights are: Robert Bennett, Dylan Bufkin, Liam Farris, Ryan Mullen, and Steven Wasilowski.

Robert Bennett and his wife, Deborah, moved to this area 7 years ago. They have two children at home, a daughter 11 and a boy 1. Robert is with IT Shipping Co. His email address is RSBennett87@icloud.com.

Dylan Bufkin is a seminarian who is just starting on his journey to the priesthood. He grew up in Mt. Juliet and Came to OLOL this past summer. His email address is DBufkin @Nashvocations.org.

Liam Farris is also just starting his journey to the priesthood and came to OLOL the same time as Dylan. He is a native of Nashville. His email address is LFarris@Nashvocations.org.

Ryan Mullen designs jewelry as part of a family business. Ryan is a longtime resident of this area. He and his wife, Sarah, have two children, a boy 5 and a girl 2. Ryan's email address is RyanAMullen@gmail.com.

Steve Wasilowski and his wife, Sarah, moved here 3 months ago from Pittsburgh. They have a daughter 2 and at the time of the Sept meeting were expecting a boy to arrive momentarily. He is the Vice-President of Paint Jet, a robotic painting company. His email is Steve.Waz@outlook.com.

The transferee from July is John Mooney. He moved here with his wife, Cheryl, in June of this year from New Jersey. They have two children at home, a boy 17 and a girl 13. John is in financial services with UBS. His email address is john.mooney823@gmail.com.



John Mooney

One day you will be able to tell your grandkids, "I survived the Great Toilet Paper Shortage of 2020."

## Knights Help Homebound Meals

As has been the custom for many years, our Council provided the majority of kitchen help for this years annual Homebound Meals fund raising pancake breakfast. Our effort and that of the HBM Board Members resulted in a net income of about \$24,000

Chairman Bill Walker of the HBM board extends his thanks to all of the knights who participated in the breakfast.

Those knights who worked are Tony Calderon, Thorn Schoch, Dan Bernier, Kevin Rottero, Dave Eliskovich, Noel Lotz, and Bill Sherman. Apologies to anyone missed.

Bulletin Bloopers - Our youth basketball team is back in action Wednesday at 8 PM in the recreation hall. Come out and watch us kill Christ the King.

## Cornhole Tournament

The Cornhole Tournament on October in St. Joseph's Hall had 8 teams competing and everyone attending agrees a lot of fun was had by all

Brothers Tom Ashton and Clarence Payne came in 2nd but first place went to Curt and Noah Reamy who were untouchable.

special thank to Jerry Taylor and Dave Eliskovich along with everyone else who made it a success.

The hot dogs were great and the biggest ones I had ever seen.

Tony Calderon, Chair

## Fallen Knights Ceremony

At our October meeting we held our annual Fallen Knights ceremony on the prayer path honoring all our deceased brothers, especially those who passed on in the recent past: Jim Cunningham, Laymon Davis, Ken Hall, Jim McMahon, Steve Soncek, and Mike Williams.

There was a good turnout of relatives of the deceased knights and most stayed after the ceremony to enjoy another of our kitchen crew's excellent meals and the special cake Randy Herron arranged for.

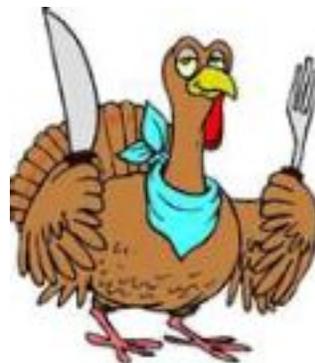
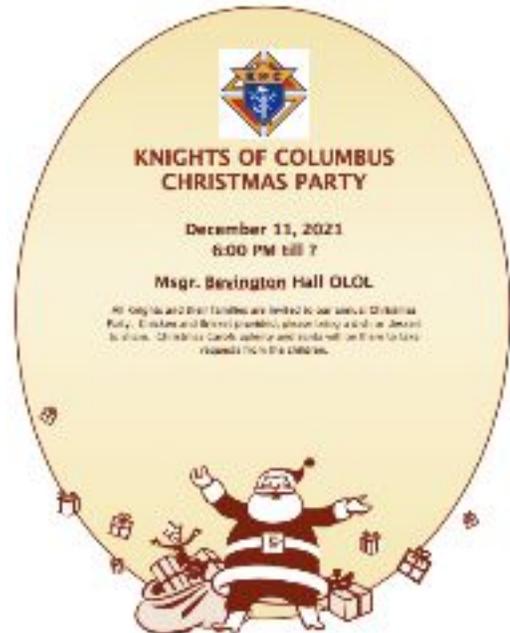


Two silk worms were in a race; they ended in a tie.

## Knights Cook for Adoration

In October the Adoration ministry celebrated 20 years of Adoration with a dinner for all adorers and the Knights were front and center as Knights Randy Herron, Mike Yurcic, Mark Gierla, Mike Murray and Mike Rector put on a meal that was praised by all attending.

In a world where you can be anything, be kind.



HAPPY  
THANKSGIVING  
TO YOU ALL

## A Spiritual Message

From Henri Nouwen...

True friendships are lasting because true love is eternal. A friendship in which heart speaks to heart is a gift from God, and no gift that comes from God is temporary or occasional. All that comes from God participates in God's eternal life. Love between people, when given by God, is stronger than death. In this sense, true friendships continue beyond the boundary of death. When you have loved deeply that love can grow even stronger after the death of the person you love. This is the core message of Jesus.

When Jesus died, the disciples' friendship with him did not diminish. On the contrary, it grew. This is what the sending of the Spirit was all about. The Spirit of Jesus made Jesus' friendship with his disciples everlasting, stronger, and more intimate than before his death. That is what Paul experienced when he said, "It is no longer I, but Christ living in me" (Galatians 2:20).

You have to trust that every true friendship has no end, that a communion of saints exists among all those, living and dead, who have truly loved God and one another. You know from experience how real this is. Those you have loved deeply and who have died live on in you, not just as memories but as real presences.

Dare to love and be a real friend. The love you give and receive is a reality that will lead you closer and closer to God as well as to those whom God has given you to love.

## For Brother Knights, by Brother Knights

We all know and appreciate the good work the Knights of Columbus does for the Church and charitable causes. But did you know that our insurance program is an essential part of the Order?

Protecting families from economic adversity has been a key part of the Knights of Columbus mission since its founding in 1882. Our founders passed the hat to support the widows and children of Brother Knights who had died. We've grown into one of the largest individual life insurers in North America – with nearly \$50 billion of individual life insurance in force.

Moreover, contrary to some misconceptions, our insurance program is not directed in any way by a "separate company" and never has been.

Our insurance is available exclusively to members, their wives, and their dependent children. All field agents – including me – are themselves Brother Knights. We all work full-time for the Order, serving the needs of you and your family and answering any questions you have.

In this day and age, personal attention has become rare – but in the K of C, we specialize in it. In fact, it's our job to get to know you and your family, and to make ourselves available to you for assistance. We are different from other insurers – and that difference greatly benefits our members. Give me a call to find out more about how the K of C has been "Making a Difference for Life."

Contact me by e-mail at [jason.allman@kofc.org](mailto:jason.allman@kofc.org) or by phone at 615-260-8589. I want to hear from you.

Vivat Jesus!, Jason Allman

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## Veterans Parade



A Good Looking Float



And It Held a Lot of folks



A Flyover of Private Planes from the Gallatin Airport Led by PGK Tim Kolp