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Message from the Grand Knight

Brother Knights, I don't know where this Lenten Season went! Happy Easter to you and your family. I hope you have a Joyous and safe day with your family!

I begin by congratulating our following choices, for Youth of the Year, **Cole Hankinson**, our Religious of the Year **Sister Barbara Kolesar**, our Family of the Year the **Ulibarri's** and finally, our Knight of the Year, **Chris George**. Congratulations to each of our recipients. Please personally recognize them and congratulate them, when you see them.

I also want to thank everyone who was involved with the Food Drive, those who volunteered their time and those who contributed food. The Southside Community Ministry was very surprised by the amount of donations. Our Lady of Peace, as always continues to be a very special and giving community.

We have a new member of the Knights, **Scott Manahan**. Please welcome him when you see him! Please continue to ask friends and neighbors to join our Council. We are scheduling a 1st Degree exemplification **June 13th** after the Noon Mass. It would be wonderful to welcome a 1/2 a dozen new Knights into our order!



One of the biggest projects our Council undertakes is coming up around the corner, **Measure Up** on **May 1!** The 3 main principles of the Knights of Columbus are Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Measure Up, exemplifies these 3 attributes more than any other program we could possibly attempt. Charity being our first and foremost principal, there could not be a greater segment of the population needing our support (we are supporting the developmentally handicapped), excluding maybe the unborn! The only way we can be successful in this endeavor, is by means of Unity, and though our unity we experience fraternity. Brothers I beseech you to graciously consider donating your time to this cause. There is a sign up on our website, knightspotolp.com. We have segmented the time slots to 1 1/2 hr.

As part of the **75th Anniversary** of our parish we have donated funds to the church to have banners created commemorating the anniversary. We are also going to host a donut Sunday on **May 2nd** as part of the 75th celebration. On **May 16** the Knights will also take part of the May Crowning!

As a reminder, please get your Cash Bonanza tickets into **Bob Brehm**, our turn in date is **April 15th**. Thank you for your support and efforts.

**Vivat Jesus,
Grand Knight Dave Heilman**

**Pope St.
Martin I
Martyr
590-655
April 13**



Pope Martin I, also known as *Martin the Confessor*, was the Bishop of Rome from July 21, 649 to his death. He served as Pope Theodore I's ambassador to Constantinople and was elected to succeed him as Pope.

He was the only pope during the Eastern Roman domination of the Papacy whose election was not approved by an imperial mandate from Constantinople.

For his strong opposition to the heresy of Monothelitism (a heresy, strongly supported in the East, held that Christ had no human will), Pope Martin I was arrested by Emperor Constans II, carried off to Constantinople, and ultimately banished to Cherson, in the southern Crimea, where he died from imprisonment, torture and famine. He was a martyr who stood up for the right of the Church to establish doctrine even in the face of imperial power. **He was the last of the Popes to die a Martyr.**

He is considered a saint by the Catholic Church and by the Eastern Orthodox Church.



DIAPER DRIVE

The Women's Care Center of Columbus and the Pregnancy Decision Health Center need your help! The Knights of Columbus are hosting a diaper drive to benefit these organizations helping women who choose life over abortion. Diapers in sizes 3 and 4 are in greatest need. Please place diapers in the basket in the gathering space.

Community Blood Drive!

The Spring Community Blood Drive will be

Sunday, April 25, 2020 from 9:00 A.M. until 2:00 P.M. Our blood drive will be held at the **Red Cross Center, 995 East Broad Street** for easy and safe maintenance of COVID safety protocols.

To schedule an appointment, please call the Red Cross at **1-800-733-2767** or book online at redcrossblood.org. Walk-ins are welcome, please bring a mask. Give the gift of life, GIVE BLOOD!



OLP Knights Annual Measure-Up Campaign

Since its founding in 2007 the OLP Knights have participated in the **Measure-Up Campaign**. Each year the Knights have been out collecting with the proceeds going to aid the **Columbus Special Olympics**.

This year our collection will be held on **Saturday, May 1, 2021** at the intersection of Henderson Rd. and High Street.

There will be two shifts: **10:00 am to 11:30 am** and **11:30**



am to 1:00 pm. We are hoping for 10 men per shift.

You can now sign up on our website at <http://olp.knightspot.com/volunteer/> First click on the **Measure Up 2021** link and fill in your name under the shift you prefer. **Easy to do – we love volunteers!**



Join in the Fun!

Announcements!

**Brothers,
Please
Join Us!**



Please try to attend the monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. **Please join us at the monthly meeting and share your ideas.** Due to Covid, the General Meetings are currently being held on **Zoom**, the third Tuesday of each month at **7:00 PM. Mark your calendar or log the dates in your smarty phone!** The dates for future OLP Council meetings are:

Our Next Virtual Meeting!

Tuesday, April 20th – via Zoom – Watch for the email invite that will be sent to all members!

Parish Food Drive

In March the Food Drive was sponsored jointly by the **OLP Knights**; the **St. Vincent de Paul Society** and the **OLP Boy Scouts**. The food was delivered to the Southside Community Ministry, who were most grateful for the contribution.



Please pray for the sick and deceased members of our Council and for any members of the OLP Parish community who may be ill.

Please pray for our retired priests and religious. They need our prayers and support.

Pray the Rosary for an end to the evil that is abortion.

Editor's Desk



The deadline for submitting items for the newsletter is the **3rd of each month**. Let me know if there is something you wish publicized. You can reach me by email at FCoolavin@aol.com or by phone at **614-268-4166**.

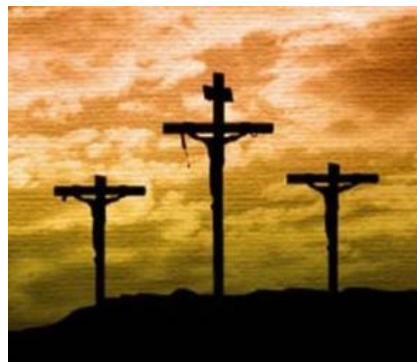
Wanted – New Members

The Grand Knight has asked each member to bring in one new member this year! Ask a friend to join The Knights of Columbus!

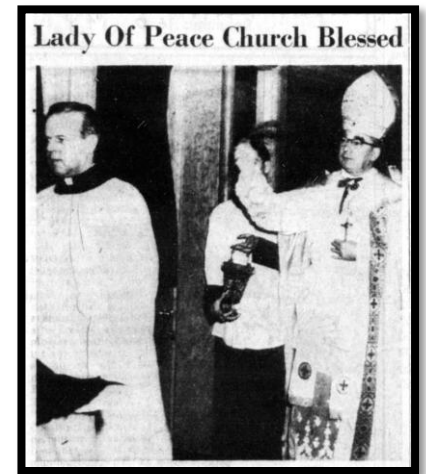


On line registration for new members is now available at www.KofC.org.

Help us continue to grow our Council. **We currently have 90 members.** If you need recruiting information, please contact Trustee **Bob Brehm** at bbrehm5859@gmail.com



Our Parish History



In the spring of 1953 construction began on the new Our Lady of Peace church/gym, which was connected to the rear of the new school building. The new Our Lady of Peace church/gym was blessed **Sunday, December 20, 1953** by Columbus Bishop Michael J. Ready (**above**) immediately preceding a Pontifical High Mass offered by the Bishop in the new building. The church was constructed at the rear of the school building. The new building cost \$80,000 and would seat 500. The temporary church/gym replaced a wooden army barracks that had served as the parish church since 1946. The parish continued to use the new church/gym until December 10, 1967 when the present Church was officially dedicated by Columbus Bishop John J. Carberry.

