

# Knights Of Columbus Our Lady of Peace Council #14282 Columbus, Ohio

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Brother Knights,



Easter Sunday has past. I will be eating hard boiled eggs for a couple more weeks, but the candy gone! Thanks to Deacon is Jeffrey and Father John for helping us to be better Catholic Men on Easter than we were on Ash Wednesday. I also want to give a special thanks to Chris George for leading TMIY and providing The Lenten book "Into Great Freedom" by Mark Hartfiel. It IS the most meaningful Lenten iourney I have ever completed. Thanks to Dave Davisson for chairing the Red Cross Blood Drive last weekend. What a way to aive life to others!

Congratulations to our Knight of the Year **Terry Martin** and our Family of the Year the **Rick Fields** family. They are truly deserving of the recognition for their service to our parish and community.

**Cash Bonanza update** -We sold 136 tickets, which have raised \$326.40 for Sam's Fans. Sam's Fans provides music and art therapy for kids in hospitals. It is a foundation in memory of **Samantha McCarthy**, an OLP student who passed away from a rare blood disease. I need to receive your ticket stubs and money by **May 9<sup>th</sup>** so the check can be sent to the state by **May 10**<sup>th</sup>. Participation in this project is a great opportunity for those Knights who have limited time to participate in other projects. We need your help.

The challenge from our Supreme Chaplain this month is to deepen our desire for new knowledge of the Church's teaching and doctrine by taking 5-10 minutes each day to read the Catechism or listening to Catholic Radio (AM 820).Just do it! You will be glad you did.

We will have our council consecrated to the **Sacred Heart** of Jesus. Learn how to consecrate your house. Hope to see you at our meeting at 6:30 on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Beer tasting and snacks following the meeting.

#### In His Honor, Bob Brehm, Grand Knight

Feast of the Apparition of St. Michael the Archangel May 8



Apparition of St. Michael on **May 8** is very remarkable. In the year 404 AD, a man had a large herd of cattle grazing on Monte Gargano in Italy, not far from the city of Siponto. One day his bull went astray from the herd. The owner and his hired men went in search of the bull, and finally found him on the summit of the mountain, lying at the entrance of a cave. The animal refused to leave the spot. The owner, angered by its stubbornness, took up his bow and sent an arrow toward it. However, the arrow whirled about in mid air, and, returned to the archer, wounding him.

Everyone was frightened at this strange incident. They went directly to the Bishop of Siponto and related the incident to him. The Bishop decided that there must be some mystery connected with it. He therefore praved fervently that God's holy will might be revealed. St. Michael then appeared to him and said: "I am Michael, the Archangel, who ever stands before the Lord. I am keeping this place under my special protection. By this strange occurrence, I wish to remind men to celebrate the Divine service in my honor and that of all the Angels."

After this revelation, the Bishop and the inhabitants of the place went up the mountain in solemn procession, and prayed to the Lord through the intercession of St. Michael. When they arrived at the cave, they found an entrance which led down a stairway. The bishop built a church inside of the cave where Masses were offered. After that many pilgrimages were made to this spot.

# Donut Sunday

The Next Donut Sunday will be held on Sunday, May



**5, 2019** after each Mass. Your help is needed to work after one Mass or after all three, if you can. This is a great way to meet parishioners and talk about the good works of the OLP Knights. You can sign-up to help through our website at www.olp.knightspot.com

# Annual Measure-Up Campaign

Volunteers are needed to help collect donations at the intersection of Henderson and High Sts. for our annual



Measure-Up Campaign to benefit the Special Olympics. We are asking for two shifts of 10 men each, to collect at the intersection on Saturday, May 4, 2019. The shifts are from <u>9:00 am until 10:30</u> <u>am</u> and <u>10:30 am until 12:00</u> <u>Noon</u>. Of course, you are welcome to sign-up for both shifts if you choose.

We have established a *Sign-Up Genius* link for your convenience. It is as follows:

https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/10c054eafab2ca1fa7-measure

#### Said by the Pope

"There is in the Sacred Heart the symbol and express image of the infinite love of Jesus Christ which moves us to love in return."

## Pope Leo XIII



"Thanks to all who volunteered their time to give blood or help with the Spring community Red Cross blood drive Sunday, April 28. Every two seconds, someone in U.S. needs the а blood transfusion. That someone may be an accident or a burn victim, heart surgery or an organ transplant patient, or someone receiving treatment for leukemia, cancer or sickle cell disease. Thankfully, because of you, those needs are being met. Thank you!"

The next drive is scheduled for **Sunday, August 18, 2019, 9 -** 2 in the Old Rectory."

# New OLP Knights Website

Have you checked out the new OLP



*Knights Website yet?* It is located at the following address: www.olp.knightspot.com

The website contains useful information including an up to date calendar (be sure to hit the subscribe button to sync the calendar to your smart phone and computers), event announcements with volunteer signups, council news, photos, prayer requests and the newsletter. Check it out!

Your username for the website is your email and the password is your member number. However, most of the info will be public and not require you to login.

#### **Announcements!**

# Brothers, Please Join Us!



Please try to attend the

monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. <u>Please</u> join us at the monthly meeting and share your ideas. The General Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at <u>6:30 PM</u> in the Old Rectory. <u>Mark</u> your calendar or log the dates in your smarty phone! The dates for future OLP Council meetings are:

> May 21, 2019 June 18, 2019 July 16, 2019

Important Meeting Notice: Meetings are now held at 6:30 pm, immediately after the Rosary service in the Old Rectory.

### Words to the Wise

**Rosary Service After Mass:** The Knights conduct a Rosary Service following the **5:30 pm Mass on the Third Tuesday of each month.** The next service will be held on Tuesday, <u>March 19, 2019</u> <u>following the 5:30 pm Mass</u>.

**Congratulations!** Congrats to **Terry Martin** for being named OLP **Knight of the Year** and to **Rick Fields** and his family for being named **OLP Knights Family** of the Year. They will be formally recognized at a dinner later this month.

**Bracket Beaters** – First Place in the March Madness Bracket Challenge went to **Bob Brehm** the third place winner was **Mark Warren**. Honorable mention went to **Pat Gauntner**. Thanks to all for participating.

Opportunity – If you are a Past Grand Knight and are computer savvy, the Order is looking for men to become District Deputies and District Wardens. If you are interested contact District Deputy Richard Wade at richardwade@rocketmail.com

From the Editor's Desk

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submitting information for the newsletter is the **5<sup>th</sup> of each month**. Let me know if there is something you wish publicized. You can reach me by email at <u>FCoolavin@aol.com</u> or by phone at **614-268-4166**.



Please pray for the sick and deceased members of our Council, in particular, Paul McMahon, who is seriously III.

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

Pray for the many Catholics killed and injured in Sri Lanka on Easter Sunday. The dead were truly martyrs.

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

### 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 <u>www.KofC.org</u>

Help us continue to grow our Council. We currently have 82 members. If you need recruiting information, please contact Grand Knight Bob Brehm at bbrehm5859@gmail.com



May is the Month of Our Lady

## **The Fourteen Holy Helpers**



The Fourteen Holy Helpers are a group of saints invoked because they have been efficacious in assisting in trials and sufferings. Each saint has a separate feast day, and the group was collectively was venerated on **August 8**, until the 1969 reform of the Roman calendar. These saints were often represented together.

The Holy Helpers were invoked as a group mainly because of the Black Plague which devastated Europe from 1346 to 1349. The victims of the plague were attacked without warning. No one was immune, and the disease wreaked havoc in villages and families. The epidemic appeared incurable. The pious turned to Heaven, begging the intervention of the saints, and praying to be spared or cured.

The fourteen saints are: St. Acacius; St. Barbara; St. Blaise; St. Catherine of Alexandria; St. Christopher; St. Cyriacus; St. Denis of Paris; St. Elmo; St. Eustace; St.George; St. Margaret of Antioch; St. Pantaleon; St. Vitus; and St. Giles.

"The Church is like a great ship being pounded by the waves of life's different stresses. Our duty is not to abandon ship, but to keep her on course." – **St. Boniface of Mainz, Bishop and Martyr**