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## Message from the Grand Knight



## Brother Knights,

As I write this letter, we are just 3 weeks away from Easter! How is your Lent going? Mine started out real good, I lost focus for a few days and I'm working to get back on track.

I thoroughly enjoyed the **Men's Conference**, and had picked up a book, "Prayer Works", by Matthew Leonard. He references our Catechism quite a bit, so I am finding myself looking up the information and really engaging in the topic.

If you notice in the gathering area of the church, our Kiosk is finally up. The books are free to take and enjoy! Please spread the word.

Proverbs 27:17 reads, "Iron sharpens Iron, and one man sharpens another." It is our brotherhood that makes us Knights, and strong Knights. I could not do the things I am called to do without a strong faith and I am incapable of obtaining the necessary degree of faith on my own. I can only do these things through the strength I obtain being part of this brotherhood. Otherwise, I am just one single strand of string that easily breaks. But bound together in unity, and part of the cable, my faith is made strong, through each brother

who has indeed played his role in sharpening me.

As a reminder, April 2nd & 3rd, we are collecting after Mass in support of our Seminarians. We still need a couple of volunteers. Please take a few minutes in their support, as did Jesus, they are giving their entire life, we only ask for 15 minutes! Also we will pray the Rosary after the first Mass.

In April's meeting we will be nominating and electing a Family of the year, Youth of the Year and Religious of the year. These recognitions are open to anyone of the Parish. If you have someone in mind and are unable to attend the meeting, please feel free to forward your nomination to me or mention it to any officer.

The next item is of the utmost importance. We need to fill 2 positions. The first position is a Trustee position. This has to be filled by a Past Grand Knight. I am hoping one of our Past Grand Knights will graciously return for 2 years of service! We also need someone to assume the Chancellor position. The Chancellor is responsible for recruitment and is in line to become a future Grand Knight. Assuming this position guarantees the continuance of our Council. Your experiences will prepare you and grow you to serve the Council and Parish. Remember, God does not call the qualified, He qualifies the called. If you have any questions, please contact me, Mark Warren, Jim Silcott or Bob Brehm.

**Vivat Jesus!**  
**Dave Heilman,**  
**Grand Knight**

**Saint  
Stanislaus  
of Kraków  
Bishop and  
Martyr  
1030-1079  
April 11**



Of noble birth, Stanislaus

studied at Gniezno, Poland, and probably at Paris. While serving as pastor and preacher at Kraków, he was elected—after Pope Alexander II nominated him—Bishop of Kraków in 1072.

During that time Poland was in a state of political unrest, with active opposition to King Boleslaw II the Bold.

Boleslaus for a while made a show of a better life. Soon, however, he returned to the most scandalous excesses, and the bishop, finding all remonstrance useless, pronounced the sentence of excommunication.

In defiance of the censure, on April 11, 1079, the king went to a chapel where Saint Stanislaus was saying Mass and commanded three groups of soldiers in succession to slay him at the altar. Each in turn came out, saying he had been alarmed by a light from heaven. At this the king himself rushed in and slew with his own hand the Saint at the altar during the Holy Sacrifice.

Following the execution of Stanislaus, King Boleslaw was forced to flee to Hungary.

Miracles and legends spread the cult of the martyred bishop to Lithuania, Belorussia, and Ukraine, and Stanislaus became the patron saint of his native Poland.

He was canonized in 1253 by Pope Innocent IV and was the first Polish person to be honored with sainthood. Wawel Cathedral, which holds the saint's relics, is a principal national shrine.

## **Donut Sunday**



Donut Sunday for **March** will be held on **Sunday, April 10, 2022**, after all Masses. This is a great way for us to serve the parish and assist in recruiting new members. **Your help is always needed after every Mass.**

## **Support our Seminarians!**

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Seminarians

Vocations are needed, now more than ever before. On Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup> and Sunday April 3<sup>rd</sup> the Knights will be collecting for the Support our Seminarians program. These funds are used to help Seminarians in the Columbus Diocese who need additional help for books, incidentals and emergency expenses. Your help is needed after all Masses.

## **Museum of Catholic Art and History**



**The Museum of Catholic Art and History** (formerly the Jubilee Museum) is located on the first floor of the Catholic Foundation Building at **257 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio** (across from St. Joseph Cathedral). The hours are **1:00 pm until 4:00 pm on Sunday, 10:00 am till 4:00 pm Tuesday through Friday.** Admission is **\$10** for adults and **\$5** for Children and Seniors.

I had the pleasure of visiting the newly installed museum, and while it is much smaller than the Jubilee Museum, it is packed with church history from stained glass windows to vestments of the past. **Executive Director Shawn Kenney** has done an excellent job of utilizing the space. If you are interested in church history and art, please plan on a visit. Take your children.

## **Announcements!**

**Brothers,**  
**Please**  
**Join Us!**



*Please attend the monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. **Please join us at the monthly meeting and share your ideas.** Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at **7:00 PM**, in the **Ave Maria Room (formerly the Old Rectory)**. **Mark your calendar or log the dates in your smarty phone!** The dates for future OLP Council meetings are:*

**April 19, 2022**

**May 17, 2022**

**June 21, 2022**

### **Kiosk in Place**

A kiosk of free religious books is now installed in the Gathering Space. Please stop by and pick up some Easter reading material. All of the books are Free.

## **Editor's Desk**



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



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 great evil that is abortion.

**Pray for Peace.**

**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](http://www.KofC.org).**

Help us continue to grow our Council. **We currently have 97 members.** If you need recruiting information, please contact **Trustee Bob Brehm at [bbrehm5859@gmail.com](mailto:bbrehm5859@gmail.com)**

**As Said by the Pope**

**Pope Francis, February 26, 2022:** *"Every war leaves our world worse than it was before. War is a failure of politics and of humanity, a shameful capitulation, a stinging defeat before the forces of evil,"*



**Pope Consecrates Russia and Ukraine to Our Lady**



WASHINGTON (CNS) — Bishops in the U.S. took part in Pope Francis' invitation to join him in a moment of prayer, consecrating Russia and Ukraine to the **Immaculate Heart of Mary** March 25, entrusting the people of both countries to the care and protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

"Friends, we are all deeply disturbed by the war in Ukraine, and the unconscionable attacks on innocent men, women, and children in their homes and neighborhoods," said Los Angeles Archbishop José H. Gomez, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, in a video message.

"In this time when our world is weighed down under the shadow of war, I invite you to enter into this solemn moment of prayer with the Holy Father," the archbishop said. "Together with him, let us ask our Blessed Mother to turn her eyes of mercy toward all her children. Let us ask her to intercede with her son, to deliver her children from evil and grant us peace."

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles suggested that parishes ring their bells "29 times to mark the 29 days since the invasion of Ukraine began on Feb. 24, 2022." The March 25 prayer of consecration took place on the feast of the Annunciation of the Lord, when tradition says, the Angel Gabriel visited Mary to tell her she would be the mother of Christ.

Cardinal Wilton D. Gregory of Washington during a homily at the Basilica of the National Shrine said: "We come together today in one of the darker moments in

human history. We can literally see the war being conducted via our smartphones," he said, watching the path of rockets resulting in the death of defenseless children and the elderly and worrying about the threat of nuclear war.

He praised Pope Francis for his efforts, including for directly walking into the Russian Embassy to the Holy See to express his concern a day after the attacks against Ukraine began Feb. 24.

<https://www.catholicnews.com/us-bishops-join-pope-in-worldwide-prayer-for-ukraine-and-russia/>



**A Happy and Joyous Easter to All**

**Pope John Paul II's Prayer for Peace**

Lord Jesus Christ, who are called the Prince of Peace, who are yourself our peace and reconciliation, who so often said, "Peace to you," grant us peace.

Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice, and brotherly love.

Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace.

Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend the great gift of peace.

May all peoples on the earth become as brothers and sisters.

May longed for peace blossom forth and reign always over us all.