



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

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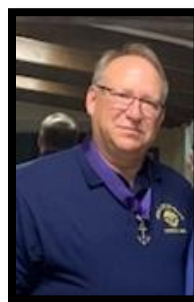
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Message  
from the  
Grand  
Knight

Hello  
Brother  
Knights



*Pray, Pray, Pray!*

Sometimes for various reasons I slip off of the rails in my effort to keep up my stamina to Pray and keep Praying. It can be hard work, at times. I must not let my gear shift for Prayer slip into neutral.

Our Lord teaches us “the necessity of praying always and not losing heart.” This is from Luke, Chapter 18, verse 1 of “The Corrupt Judge”

We also need to be helpful to others. Reach out to them. Give them a lift by letting them know someone out there has them in mind.

I called Daniel Cotter a day or two ago. He used to be our Field Agent. He now has a job with State Farm Insurance and is doing well. He appreciated my call. He gave me a new Field Agent contact name: **Rob Slater**.

I also heard from former Grand Knight, Stephen Gauntner. I had mentioned, previously, that he wrote to me and asked us to pray for him. He was struggling with some health related issues. I tried to call to get an update and he responded with an email letting me know that he appreciated our prayers for him. Things are better.

Steve had had some issues with his heart rhythm. After several visits to the Cleveland Clinic, the doctors, along with prayers from family and friends, have seemed to get things under control. I am glad that Stephen and Daniel are doing well and I feel the same way about our Council.

Brothers, we were notified this past week that we will be receiving the prestigious **Star Council Award** for our efforts during the 2021-22 campaign. Congratulations to each of you as Members of our OLP KofC Council!! Brothers, just like World Series rings, things like this don't just happen.

This announcement has come along following the Council being recognized with **Bronze Awards** for our 2021-22 Donation to Support Our Seminarians and for our Administrative Excellence due to the hard work of our Financial Secretary, Brother Greg Taylor. So, what's next?

We had a busy July that started with a Membership Drive and concluded with the presentation of our “Family of the Year” Award to the **Maynard Family**. Look for the photo of the Maynard Family on the OLP Facebook page and in the newsletter. How did we do in the Membership Drive, you ask? I'll have to share some conversations with you.

Brothers, the August Agenda has surprisingly become jam packed as we lead off with nine days of the Novena to Blessed Michael McGivney, August 5-14.

Just as I began this letter speaking of Prayer, we will Pray the Novena together, daily.

***Yours in Christ,***  
**Mark Warren, Grand Knight**

**Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15**



On August 15 we celebrate the feast of the **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**. This significant feast day recalls the spiritual and physical departure of the mother of Jesus Christ from the earth, when both her soul and her body were taken into the presence of God.

Venerable Pope Pius XII confirmed this belief about the Virgin Mary as the perennial teaching of the Church when he defined it formally as a dogma of Catholic faith in 1950, invoking papal infallibility to proclaim, *“that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever-Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory.”*

His Apostolic Constitution, *Most Bountiful God*, which defined the dogma, contained the Pontiff’s accounts of many traditions by which the Church has celebrated the Assumption throughout history.

The constitution also cited testimonies from the early Church fathers, and described the history of theological reflection on many Biblical passages which are seen as indicating that Mary was assumed into heaven following her death.

Catholic tradition identifies her with the “woman clothed with the sun” who is described in the 12th chapter of the Book of Revelation. The passage calls that woman’s appearance “a great sign” which “appeared in heaven,” indicating that she is the mother of the Messiah and has “the moon

under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars.”

The feast of the Assumption is usually a Holy Day of Obligation, but it is not considered a Holy Day this year.

**Council Receives State Awards**



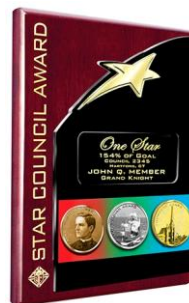
The OLP Council was recognized by the Knights State Organization at the June Columbus Chapter Meeting:

Council 14282 was recognized as a **Bronze Award Winner** for administration. Thank You to **Financial Secretary Greg Taylor** for his efficient administration of our Council’s business affairs.

In addition, the OLP Council received the **Bronze Award** for our collection of funds for the **Save Our Seminarians** program. Check out the awards in our Council’s showcase in the Gathering Space.

**Star Council Award!**

We have been notified by National that the OLP Council #14282 has **again** been awarded the **Star Council Award**



for 2021-2022. The prestigious **Star Council Award** recognizes outstanding achievement in membership, insurance and service programs.

**Thank you and many congratulations to all members who have made our Council a success.**

**OLP Day!**



The parish will celebrate **OLP Day** on **Sunday, August 21, 2022** after the 11:30 am Mass (12:30 pm – 2:00 pm) in the OLP School Gym. There will be a ministry fair, convent open house, meet the OLP teachers, view the new gym floor and more. **Food trucks will also be on hand.**

The OLP Knights will have a Knights table and we need men to volunteer to staff it. A **SignUpGenius** for the event has been created at the following link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0944a4a82fa31-olpday>

There are three slots to man the table. However, come one, come all!! You are welcome to join us if you have some FREE Time

**Eucharistic Adoration at OLP!**



Beginning **September 8, 2022** Our Lady of Peace will be hosting Eucharistic adoration **every Thursday from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm**. Father Dooley has asked the OLP Knights to participate in the adoration. *Please try to attend for an hour and as often as you can.*

In addition to the above Thursday schedule, Eucharistic Adoration continues on the **First Tuesday of each month** following the 5:30 pm Mass.

**Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen:**

*“The only time our Lord asked the Apostles for anything was the night He went into agony. Not for activity did He plead but for an Hour of companionship.”*

**Knights of Columbus Day with the Columbus Clippers**



The Grand Knight has arranged a KofC Day with the Columbus Clippers. They will be playing the **Rochester Red Wings**.

The date is **Sunday, August 7, 2022**. Gates open at **3:00 pm** and the game starts at **4:05 pm**.

Reserved Seat tickets are available for **\$5.00** each. Wives and family members are welcome.

**Reserve your tickets, today, and pay later.** Yes, we'll all sit together in **Section #2**. To reserve your tickets call **Mark Warren** at **Cell Phone: 614-496-9940**

**Eagle Scouts Honored**

At the July meeting, three scouts who have achieved the rank of Eagle Scout were recognized.

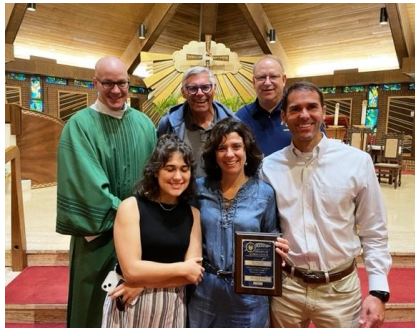


From left to right are Brother Knights Scoutmasters Dan Hageman, Kevin Miller and Slade Hankinson; and **New Eagle Scouts** Jack Stonis, Carson Butcher, and Cole Hankinson.

**Family of the Year**

The Maynard family was named the OLP Knights **Family of the Year** for 2021-2022. They received their award after Mass in July. Following is a photo of Deacon Jeffery, Deputy Grand Knight Jim

Silcott and Grand Knight Mark Warren presenting the award to the Maynard Family.



**Announcements!**

**Brothers, Please Join Us!**



Please attend the monthly meetings. We do need your ideas to help us grow. **Please join us at the 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:

**August 23, 2022\***

September 20, 2022

October 18, 2022

**\*Please note the change in the August Meeting Date. Wings are on the dinner menu at 6:20 pm.**

**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.

**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 77 members.** If you need recruiting information, please contact **Trustee Bob Brehm** at [bbrehm5859@gmail.com](mailto:bbrehm5859@gmail.com)



**Interior of the original OLP Church:** The church was a converted surplus US Army barracks built in 1946. It stood at the far northeast corner of the property. The pews and kneelers were built by German prisoners of war at the Marion Engineer Depot in Marion, Ohio.