

## THE "CHICKEN" IS BACK!!

Every Friday Night

Our Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner is back.  
5 p.m. to 7 p.m. / \$11

Half Chicken • Mash Potatoes and Gravy  
Green Beans • Corn • Roll



### 2022 Calendar Raffle Update

The 2022 Calendar Raffle had reached the break-even point by Christmas Cheer on December 12, which puts us ahead of last year at the same time. We're hoping to at least make the same income as last year which will benefit our charities. But your help is still needed to keep selling raffle calendars well into the new year so that we reach our goal. We want to thank everyone involved with the 2022 Calendar Raffle for their generosity and hard work.

We still have 2022 calendars available that can be purchased at the east building during regular club hours or by calling John Veith at 653-0258.

Thank you for your generosity and support. Good luck in 2022. — K of C #583 Officers

### Early-Bird Winners

Congratulations to the 3 early-bird winners listed below who won \$100 each. We thank everyone who entered early.

Roy Hummelsheim, Blake Ulrich, and Lindsay Zanger

### Thank You

Thank you to the following people for their donations to the Raffle...Santa and Mrs. Claus and the entire Elf Committee appreciate your kindness in donating items for the raffle.

- \* Illinois School Supply – Paul Stegeman
- \* Peoples Prosperity Bank
- \* Farm and Home Supply
- \* A Friend of Santa and Mrs. Claus
- \* Jane Dietrich
- \* Bernie VandenBoom
- \* Knights of Columbus Council 583
- \* Terry Johnson
- \* Scott Shupe

\* The Family of Daulton Michael Gibson in his Memory

\* Sparrow Plumbing

\* Michael and Renea Kurfman

Santa and Mrs. Claus and the Elf Committee want to thank the following for helping with tickets and/or the day of the event:

Mary Venverthoh  
Anna Baugher  
Barb Reinhart  
Jane Dietrich  
Nancy Leckbee  
Billie Steinkamp  
George and Connie Schrage  
Bill Anderson

## BIG 50/50 RAFFLE

Tickets on sale each Thursday from  
6:00 p.m. to 7:45 p.m.

Drawing at 8:00 p.m.

**Jackpot is approaching \$12,000!!!**

Come early to get a \$2 PIN card with your own ID number if you don't have one from the other drawing nights. You only need this once.

Tickets are 6 for \$5. Write you ID number from the PIN card on each ticket you buy and drop them in the basket.

Complete set of rules available when you get your PIN number or when you purchase tickets.



### JANUARY SCHEDULE FOR THE TV MASS FOR SHUT-INS

#### January 4

Priest: Fr. Tom Donovan

Hosts: Alvin Kurk, Tom Alford

#### January 11

Priest: Msgr. Leo Enlow

Hosts: John Farwell, Tom Mass

#### January 18

Priest: Fr. Pawel Luczak

Hosts: Terry Mitten, Matt Schulte

#### January 25

Priest: Msgr. Mike Kuse

Hosts: Mel Koch, Dave Kattelman

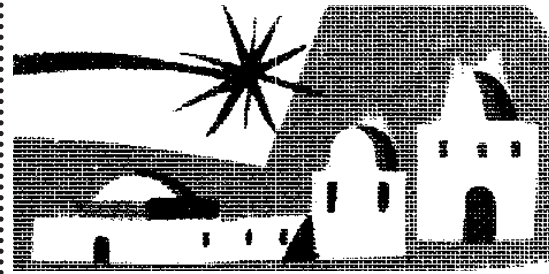
**These Masses are taped in the Channel 7 studio at 301 S. 36th St., Quincy, at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday afternoon. They are shown the following Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. on Channel 3 (ABC). Please check in at the front desk at 12:30 p.m. and sign in. Please make every effort to show up for your scheduled Mass set up. Thank you for your participation.**

### Insurance Agent

We have an insurance agent, Niemeyer Insurance Agency from Breese, IL. Any insurance issues or questions can be addressed to them at 618-526-7991. We don't have a field agent here! So they are our contact with any questions.

## PASTORAL REFLECTIONS

Chaplain's Column/Fr. Don Blickhan



Dear Knights & Friends,

We are well into the Christmas season and the New Year will soon be upon us. What will it bring? Shall we find success and new opportunities, or will we see failures and setbacks?

Each year that God gives us is like a gift, beautifully wrapped like those we found beneath our Christmas tree. We wonder what it contains.

One of the blessings about God's gift of time is that, to a good extent, we ourselves can determine what is in that present. God gives us time, and we make the choice of how to use it.

Some people approach life by worrying. They are concerned about what will be and constantly fret about losses, failures, unpleasant events, and problems.

Worrying, however, accomplishes nothing. Indeed, it hampers our best efforts by draining our energy and coloring our attitudes.

As Henry Ward Beecher once observed:

*It is not work that kills men; it is worry. Work is healthy; you can hardly put more upon a man than he can bear. Worry is the rust upon the blade. It is not the revolution which destroys the machinery but the friction. Fear secretes acids; but love and trust are sweet juices.*

The best asset in life for moving beyond worry is our Faith in God. A person rooted in the Lord has the vision and strength to successfully meet life's challenges each day.

As Jean Vanier once observed in his book, *Be Not Afraid*:

*The Spirit will give us tomorrow what he wants us to live tomorrow, but we must not waste time worrying about it. We should live the beauties of the relationship with Jesus and his Spirit and with each other in the now. We must become like children living in wonderment and in trust. The Spirit will give us the peace, the strength, and the love to live tomorrow when it comes. Now, he gives us the strength to live this moment. That is why we must rejoice at all times, rejoice in what he is giving us now – the joys, the sufferings, the peace, the hopes. This is his gift to us today.*

*It is only when we learn not to fear, but to trust in God's love, to surrender ourselves, that we learn to relax. God likes relaxed children. He doesn't want us to strive to be perfect. He wants us to be confident that he will give us strength.*

If you are inclined to make a New Year's resolution, perhaps it might be to trust more fully in the Lord, to turn each day over to Him with all your heart.

What a difference this can make in what you find inside that gift which is 2022! It's up to you!

Blessings! — Your Chaplain

## 2022 Raffle Winners

- Gene Grawe Gift Certificate - Mary Lee Miller
- George Foreman Rotisserie Grill - Larry Hildebrand
- 18-ft. Inground Flagpole/3 X 5 ft. Flag - Norma Obert
  - Round Steel Outdoor Firepit - Bob Turner
- 25-piece Girls Party/Doll House - Jake Messner
- Estee Lauder Perfume/Lotion Set - Mary Blickhan
- Pampered Chef Quick Prep Food Grater - Tom Grawe
  - Handmade Wooden Cheese Cutting Board - Mike and Janice Zanger
- 3-piece Stock Pot Set with Lids - Norb Mock
  - Handmade Wooden Bowl - Steve Neisen
  - 54-piece Stack-N-Store Containers and Organizer Carousel - D. Vahle
  - 1/2-gallon Cooler Jug - Zach Morrison
- Play Tent with Packing Tools - Cindy Hoffman
  - Throw/Blanket - Mark Morrison
  - Homedics Vibration Foot Massager with Heat - Mike Schlipmann
  - 48-piece Stubby Tool Set - Jason Gibson
- Jesus is the Reason for the Season Plaque - Pam Rein
  - Oversized Luxury Throw - Brad Boeing
- Tis the Season Thirty-One Basket - Mary Blickhan
- K of C 365-day Calendar Raffle Ticket - Peggy Kaiser
  - 3-piece Martha Stewart Stoneware Set - Bradley Holtmeyer
  - 20-piece Kitchen Gadget Set - Cindy Hoffman
  - Country Girls Playset - Lincoln Holtmeyer
  - Gene Grawe Gift Certificate - Judy Smith
  - Weighted Blanket - Terel Batemann
  - 24-piece Glass Food Storage Set - Peggy Kaiser
- Cozy Throw and Hallmark Movies - Virginia Blickhan
- Large Green Barn Birdfeeder - Larry Wottman
- 9-piece Stanley Repair Tool Kit - Matt Schulte
- Comfort Zone Ceramic Heater - Steve Neisen
  - \$20 Cash - Barbara Sohn
- Basket with Men's Bath & Body Mug & More - Mike Kurfman
- Melissa & Doug Wooden Train - Jerry Timerwilke
- 3-pack LED Lanterns with Flashlights - Don Hoffman
- Skybound Z-13 Transformable Drone - Matt Ehrhart
  - Wodden Nutcracker - Paul E. Morrison
  - Quincyopoly Game - Julia Ballard
- Bath & Body Pampering Basket - Mike Kurfman
- Simply Essential Mixing Bowl Set - Ralph Boden
  - Playskool Glo-worm - Peggy Koetter
  - Assorted Tool Basket - Michelle Horman
- Micky & Minnie Mouse Kitchen Set - Sharon Welchert
- Giraffe Puzzle/Gene Grawe Gift Certificate - Robert Bengel
  - Mexican Food Basket - Paul Roberts
- Elephant Puzzle/Gene Grawe Gift Certificate - Noah Wear
  - Melissa & Doug Talking/Counting Ball - Mike and Janice Zanger
  - Red Children's Basket - Bill Neisen
  - Kids Cookie Basket - Nate Davis
- Robo Alive Duck Bath Toy - Vieve Veith
- Green Children's Basket - K. Anderson
  - Crayola Basket - Laura Zanger
- Care Bear/Wish Bear - Rodney Miller
- Melissa & Doug Mickey Mouse Wooden Shape Sorting Clock - Mike Uppinghouse
- Gingerbread Sleigh Cookie Kit - Mike Liesen
- Fisher Price Little People Dump Truck - Bill Anderson
  - S'Mores Cocoa Mug Set - Mike Kurfman
  - Playskool Mr. Potato Head - Alexis Schafer
- Melissa & Doug Chunky Puzzle - Phil Hildebrand
  - Muppet Christmas Carol DVD - Bob Cook
  - Baby Yoda Stuffed Toy - Joe Zanger
- Yahtzee Game - Mike and Janice Zanger
- Hi Ho Cherry-O Game - Gerald Epping

## McGIVNEY HALL AND SPORTS BAR

228-9360

FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS ONLY

COUNCIL #583 MEETINGS  
SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH  
AT 7:00 P.M.

FOURTH DEGREE MEETING  
JANUARY 4, 2022 • 7:00 P.M.

COLUMBUS HOME ASSOCIATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
THIRD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH,  
7:00 P.M.

DEADLINE  
FOR KNIGHTLY NEWS  
SATURDAY FOLLOWING THE  
COUNCIL MEETING

KC WEBSITE: [www.quincykofc.org](http://www.quincykofc.org)

## K.C. CLUB KARAOKE

Januray 8 • February 5  
March 5 • April 2 • May 7

8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

All Welcome!



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