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**FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT**

Welcome to April, a time when the flowers are in full bloom and people are busy in their gardens enjoying the outdoors. We are still in the Season of Easter and will continue to celebrate Easter through the Ascension of Jesus and Pentecost.

The month of May is almost here, and we will celebrate May as the month of Mary. In 1917, Mary appeared to three shepherd children in Portugal. Her message for us is to pray the Rosary daily. We will pray the Rosary at our May meeting.

The 50/50 big jackpot is still going strong and continues to grow. As of this writing, there has been no winner of the jackpot.

The Golf course is up and going and the weather is perfect to come and play nine holes or hit some balls on the driving range. All we need is a little cooperation from Mother Nature to keep our nets up. Bring your friends and families out and have some fun. Check online for the hours of operation.

Volleyball and baseball are currently going on, so please watch out for the children on our grounds during these games. We want everyone to have a fun and safe summer.

Remember, no pets are allowed on the Knights of Columbus grounds.

A special thanks goes out to the Knights of Columbus council No 1937 in Palmyra, Mo for their donations to the Mass for Shut ins.

As always, remember to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

Thomas Maas, Grand Knight  
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## FOURTH DEGREE

My fellow sir knights, I hope that every one of you & your families had a blessed & Happy Easter.

I would like to wish all of our mothers a very blessed Mother's Day. I hope all of you have a wonderful day with your families.

If you would like to become an officer for the Fourth Degree, please step forward & let one of our officers or myself know. We are always looking for new faces to step up & get involved.

Keep in mind that the 2023 BBQ will be coming up on Friday, Saturday & Sunday August 11, 12, 13. Your help is always needed so please step forward & help in any way you can.

Just a reminder that the TV mass for shut-ins will have a mass intention for one of our council members each week. Check the TV MASS schedule in the Knightly News for mass intention for that week. I would like to thank all of our setup crews who volunteer their time to setup for these masses. "Thanks again"

Please pray for our sick, shut-ins of our council & always pray for our service men & women who keep us safe.

There will be "NO" fourth degree meeting in May or June.

Your Faithful Navigator, Terry Obert  
(217) 592-6400 or (217) 257-3161

## NOTICE

### K OF C COUNCIL 583 ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND COLUMBUS HOME ASSOCIATION ELECTION OF THREE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2023- JUNE 30, 2024.

**We will be electing K of C officers at our  
June 13, 2023 meeting for the year  
July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024, and we will  
elect three directors of the  
Home Association at the meeting on  
June 19, 2023.**

**If you are interested in running for one  
of these offices or a director's position  
in the CHA, please contact Bill Anderson  
at 217-257-2108. Nominations will also  
be accepted from the floor at our  
May 2023 meetings as well as election  
nights in June.**

## Chaplain's Reflection...

### Defeat Can Be A Moment of Grace

Dear Knights,

Not all problems in life are meant to be solved. Some are just meant to be lived with.

I remember a haunting moment in the movie, *A River Runs Through It*. A father was agonized, wondering how he could help his wayward son. After a long struggle, nothing seemed to work. He finally came to the realization that he did not know what to do. He had to simply love his son and let it all in God's hands.

*Each one of us here today will at one time in our lives look upon a loved one who is in need and ask the same question: We are willing to help, Lord, but what, if anything, is needed? For it is true we can seldom help those closest to us. Either we don't know what part of ourselves to give or, more often than not, the part we have to give is not wanted. And so it is those we live with and should know who elude us. But we can still love them - we can love completely without complete understanding.<sup>1</sup>*

And we have all had family members whose struggles have torn our hearts. Finally, we got to the point where we too had to stand back, let go, and let God.

In the same vein many of us in our own lives finally run into the wall, realizing that there are parts of our lives that we cannot solve or fix on our own.

We finally realize the brokenness in our lives and our inability to fix ourselves.

That is a moment of grace. That is an occasion in which God's grace can flow into our hearts

I have always appreciated the "Serenity Prayer" of the Alcoholics Anonymous movement.

*God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change,  
courage to change the things I can,  
and the wisdom to know the difference.*

We cannot save ourselves. And what is most painful for a strong-willed individual is that long journey before he comes to realize this.

*For by grace, you have been saved through faith, and this is not from you; it is the gift of God; It is not from works, so no one may boast. (Ephesians 2: 8-9, NAB)*

- Fr. Don Blickhan

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All Welcome. Come and join in on all the fun. 18 p.m. to Midnight.

May 13

## QUINCY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 583 SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Quincy Knights of Columbus Council 583 is proud to once again offer \$500 tuition scholarships to **TWO** students from each of the four Quincy Catholic Elementary schools and Quincy Notre Dame for the 2023-2024 school year. The ten scholarships are for students in grades K-12. Winners will be drawn at a regular council meeting on Tuesday, May 9, 2023.

### To qualify for a scholarship, the student:

- Must attend one of the Catholic elementary schools or Quincy Notre Dame during the 2023-2024 school year.
- Must be the child or grandchild of a current third-degree member
- Must have their name submitted by a third-degree member by May 2, 2023

Each K of C Third-Degree member may fill out an entry form for each child or grandchild, but a family may win only one scholarship. Entry forms will be available at the K of C, and all entry forms are to be placed in the red scholarship can at the K of C no later than May 2, 2023

If you are a Catholic gentleman and interested in joining the Quincy Knights of Columbus, there are several opportunities between now and the drawing to become a third-degree knight and enter a child(ren) or grandchild(ren) in the drawing. Dates for joining online in about one hour are Sunday, March 5, at 1 p.m., Sunday, April 23, at 1 p.m., Tuesday, March 14, at 6 p.m., Tuesday, April 11, at 6 p.m., Wednesday, March 22, at 7 p.m. and Wednesday, April 12, at 7 p.m. All are at the Knights of Columbus in Quincy. Dues are being waived for this year for those interested and dues are \$40 each year starting January of 2024.

For more information on the scholarships or to learn more about becoming a third-degree member, contact Bill Anderson at 217-257-2108 or billanders44@gmail.com.

## ST. PETER ADORATION CHAPEL

The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet Him in Adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease (Catechism Catholic Church; 1380).

Hours that need an Adorer for the Adoration Chapel are as follows:

- Tues. 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> of the month. 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> of the month, 11 a.m. to noon, noon to 1 p.m., 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., 10 p.m. to 11 p.m., 11 p.m. to midnight
- Wed Midnight to 1 a.m., 1 a.m. to 2 a.m., 2 a.m. to 3 a.m., 3 a.m. to 4 a.m., 4 a.m. to 5 a.m., 7 a.m. to 8 a.m., 8 a.m. to 9 a.m., 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> weeks of the month, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> weeks of the month.
- Sat 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> week of the month, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. on the 4<sup>th</sup> week of the month

### Ask a friend to join you in taking an hour!!

Please call Mary Voorhis at 217-653-3127 or call or text Gina Wolf at 217-257-9966 with questions or to fill an hour. We absolutely would love to have you be an Adorer with our group! We always have room on our sub list also if that fits your schedule better.



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*Neither height nor depth can measure  
the possibilities of the human soul.*

*-James Lendall Basford*

## MAY SCHEDULE FOR THE TV MASS FOR SHUT-INS MAY 2, 2023

Priest: Fr. Steven Arisman  
Hosts: Dave Fischer, Steve Davis  
*Mass Intention: Jerome Vogel*

## MAY 9, 2023

Priest: Fr. Rafal Pyrchla  
Hosts: John Terstriep  
*Mass Intention: James Martin*

## MAY 16, 2023

Priest: Fr. Tom Meyer  
Hosts: Terry Obert  
*Mass Intention: Ronald Cudney*

## MAY 23, 2023

Priest: Fr. Tom Donovan  
Hosts: Tom Alford, Mike Baker  
*Mass Intention: Robert Ericson*

## MAY 30, 2023

Priest: Msgr. Leo Enlow  
Hosts: John Farwell, Tom Maas  
*Mass Intention: Mary Lou Anderson*

The M 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.