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Knight Letter

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4th Degree Assembly



Council #722

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The KC Advent Fundraiser Raffle Winners

- 1st \$750.00 – James Schnell
- 2nd \$300 - Ed Tesovnik
- 3rd \$100 - Ed Tesovnik
- 4th \$100 - Jed Hoffman
- 5th \$100 - Rich Tauferner
- 6th \$100 - Bruce Henry
- 7th \$100 - Steve Strauss
- 8th \$60 - Vern Baus
- 9th \$60 - Bill Wallace
- 10th \$60 - Linda Neil

Sincere thanks to Mike and Jan Wirth who chaired this program and the many individuals who purchased tickets. Our charitable giving could not happen without YOU!



Knight's Calendar

KC Rosary for Vocations – St. Clement, Sheboygan every Tuesday 3p.m. during Eucharistic Adoration

Grand Knight's Column

As the Grand Knight, I plan to use part of this column to answer FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions). Let me know if you have any questions regarding our council, and I'll try to find the answers!

Our council's participation in the KC State charity raffle allows the Wisconsin State office the ability to immediately send a check of \$300 to the families of every house fire victim in the state. We need to notify the State office if we have a local fire.

Work is being done to update the Council 722 Website <https://www.sheboygankofc.com>. It hasn't been maintained in quite some time so the information out there is pretty old. Let me know if there's anything you would like to see on the site. I will pass it on to the administrator on the site.

This year's Free Throw Championship will be held at our parish schools during their Phy. Ed. classes in the afternoons on January 13th (Seton Catholic) and

January

- 1 Happy New Year!
- 5 Officer Meeting 5:45
- 12 KC Membership Meeting 7; Ladies Aux. 7
- 18 4th Degree Pro-Life Mass 5:30; Social 6:15; Dinner 7:00; Sheboygan KC Center
- 19 3rd Thursday Burger Night 5-7
- 20 Free Throw Championship, CCA
- 28/29 North Side Parishes Membership Drive

February

- 2 Officer Meeting 5:45
- 9 KC Membership Meeting 7; Ladies Aux. 7
- 14 **Valentine's Day**
- 15 4th Degree Meeting; Social 6; Dinner 7; Sheboygan KC Center
- 16 3rd Thursday Burger Night 5-7
- 22 Ash Wednesday

This particular QR code directs users to kofc.org/join webpage. This is a simple way to invite new members into our council.



Join the Knights

January 20th (CCA). If you have some free time, come and watch! We will also need a few Knight volunteers.

A Membership Drive is scheduled for the North Side parishes the weekend of January 28th/29th. Please, if you are able, try to attend the masses that weekend at Holy Name, St. Dominic, and St Clements to speak with people interested in joining. Are you interested in promoting the Knights by giving an announcement? Let me know.

Vivat Jesus!
GK Gary Reinholtz



Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for January

Vatican City, 1 January 2023 (VIS) – The Holy Father's prayer intention for January – For Educators “We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.”

Chaplain's Column

Brother Knights and Families,

A Blessed New Year to all of you and your families! May this reminder of the everyday presence of God and Jesus in our life help us through each day with its joys, difficulties, and sorrows. Yes, it contains many of the same truths found in the “Our Father” and the poem “Footprints in the Sand”. This prayer was developed by Saint Pope John XXIII who said it daily. Why not add it to your collection of prayers?

“To get through life I know I need You close to me O Lord.

But today I need You closer than ever. I need your strength to face whatever is to come.

This day, I need to feel You very near to me... To give me courage and help to overcome my fear.

By myself I cannot meet the challenge of this day, today I need a Higher Power sustaining me in all that it may bring, Dear Lord, hold my trembling hand and be with me this day. To know You are holding my hand, is all I need to know.

Just to know Your Blessed Presence is near.”

Praying for you and your family,

Father Dick

Fourth Degree News
From Your Faithful Navigator

Worthy Sir Knights and Ladies,

I am very happy to report we received three checks from the Sheboygan Northside parishes totaling \$2,304. Including the funds already raised in 2022, our assembly raised \$5038.50 through Operation Archangel. What a wonderful donation for the Catholic Chaplains at the Milwaukee VA!

The Fourth Degree officers are having a planning meeting on Thursday, January 12 through email.

The next Assembly 1204 meeting takes place on Wednesday, January 18th at the KC Center. Mass 5:30; Social 6; Dinner 7.

Happy New Year,
FN Fran Goettl

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Prayers Requested

Please pray for our fellow Brothers or members of their families who have taken ill or are in distress in some way.

Chris Bramm, Christy Carpenter, Marietta Rodriguez, Charlene and Francis D. Goettl, Sr., Ken Johnson, Randy & Julie Lorfeld, Rhonda Fouts, Frank and Linda Keglovits, Cindy Keglovits Trieu, Don and Jane Lydolph, William Peloquin, Don Pitzen, Anchor of Hope Health Center, Children of the Knights and special intentions

If you know of a Brother Knight or his family member who needs our prayers or a visit, contact our Grand Knight Mike Gary Reinholtz so he can inform the members of our Council. Contact: 920-917-3676 or webmastersheboygankofc.com

**December
Knight of the Month
James Raff**

**December
Family of the Month
SK Vince and Mary
Karls**

In Memoriam

Years of Service

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|-----------------|----|---------------------|----|
| Wayne Orsted | 56 | James Opgenorth | 21 |
| Richard Gruenke | 47 | Roger Lahm | 20 |
| Charles Simon | 23 | David Eirich | 17 |
| Todd Jarvis | 22 | Donald Grimm | 17 |
| James TenPas | 22 | Jed Hoffman | 17 |
| Phillip Zastrow | 22 | Bruce Urban | 16 |
| Justin Virant | 22 | George Souik | 16 |
| Louis Erlicher | 21 | Bryan Hendricks | 15 |
| John Jacobchick | 21 | Gordon Stanskas | 11 |
| | | James Tarnowski | 11 |
| | | Jeremiah Rauwerdink | 9 |
| | | Randal Lorfeld | 2 |

Happy Birthday!

Wishing you a day that is as special in every way as you are!

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| Adalbert Miller | 01-01-1938 |
| Nathaniel Nygaard | 01-07-1994 |
| James Spender | 01-09-1963 |
| John Zalewski | 01-13-1958 |
| Mark Deckert | 01-17-1948 |
| Richard Edman | 01-17-1935 |
| John Nielsen | 01-17-1936 |
| Kenneth Horkan | 01-18-1965 |
| Peter Herman | 01-20-1942 |
| Richard Meyer | 01-22-1942 |
| Bernard McGinley | 01-31-1929 |

Wisconsin State Council Knights of Columbus Charity Raffle

- 1st – 2023 Ford F-150 XLT or
\$50,000.00
2nd – 2023 Harley Davidson or
\$25,000.00
3rd – 100th \$500.00

The Wisconsin State Council of the Knights of Columbus through its Charity Fund will help alleviate sorrow, ease financial burdens, and restore hope to families and victims of accidents and illness.
Council 722

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Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle. Be our
protection against the
wickedness and snares of the
devil; May God rebuke him, we
humbly pray; And do thou, O
Prince of the Heavenly Host, by
the power of God, thrust into hell
Satan and all evil spirits who
wander through the world for the
ruin of souls. Amen

Campus Corner - CCA

Christ Child Academy has had a busy month of December. Preparations for the birth of Christ were evident throughout the building! All grades and specials participated in a "Deck the Door" contest...winners to be announced. All students in grades 2-8 participated in the sacrament of Reconciliation during the Advent season; stressing the idea of readying our hearts for Jesus as well as our homes.

Students and staff also participated in special dress up days during the last days before break. Favorite Christmas characters, items, and festive colors were donned by many!

The Christ Child Academy Christmas Band Concert was held Tuesday, December 6th in the Staskunas Activity Center/Gym. Family and friends were treated to the sounds of the season as the students shared the holiday spirit through their musical talent. Grades 4-8 performed a wide variety of Christmas classics featuring several students as soloists. This special performance was directed by our most gifted music director, Mr. Ryan Kautzer.

The date and location have been set for Winter Extravaganza! Please mark your calendars for Saturday, February 25, 2023 with the event being held at The Village at 170 located on Rangeline Road, Kohler. Please watch for further details!

Christ Child Academy's Christmas Choral Concert was Tuesday, December 13th, at 6:00 pm at Immaculate Conception Church. The concert featured students from Kindergarten - 8th grade. All enjoyed the sounds of the season as the students shared the Christmas spirit in traditional songs featuring the works of Woody Guthrie. The performance was once again directed by Mr. Ryan Kautzer, our music instructor and accompanied by Mrs. Judy Wilsing, on the piano.

On Friday, December 16th, the Middle School students spent the morning at Sheboygan Progressive Care Center. The students sang Christmas carols and distributed handmade ornaments to the residents. This provided the students the opportunity to bring the spirit of Christmas to the elderly of our community.

The students and staff enjoyed an annual spaghetti lunch on Wednesday, December 21st. The meal was prepared by Erin Hutton, our school cook, with parent volunteers serving the lunch. We also enjoyed the sounds of Christmas music as we ate together as a school family. It was a special way to celebrate the Christmas season. Our CCA teachers and staff wowed the students with our own creative version of the Twelve Days of Christmas! It was a huge hit!

CCA breaks for Christmas from December 21-January 1. Classes will resume on January 2.

Christ Child Academy students and staff wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,
Melissa Raff
Math/Science
CCA Middle School

Knights In Action December



The Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of the Rosary, Council 722 chose Vince and Mary Karls. as their December Family of the Month. Vince and Mary serve St. Dominic parish as choir members and as an usher. Both enjoy providing assistance as the first to volunteer at parish fundraisers and members of various church committees
In the photo, Grand Knight Gary Reinholtz presented the December Family of the Month award to Vince and Mary Karls.



The Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of the Rosary, Council 722 chose Daniel and Mary Petrie as their September Family of the Month. Dan is active at Holy Name parish as an usher. Mary serves as Administrative Assistant at Holy Name and active as Sacristan, Extraordinary Minister, and various other ministries. In the photo, Grand Knight Gary Reinholtz presented the September Family of the Month award to Daniel and Mary Petrie.