



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

FATHER BARAGA COUNCIL # 2934

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Grand Knight's Comments...

To all Knights of Columbus, it is a requirement of the Order that all members are practical Catholics. Furthermore it is imperative that we exemplify character becoming of our position in the Church and in the community and that we lead by example everywhere we go and in everything we do.

This year's officers are as follows:

Financial secretary...Mark Massicotte
Treasurer... John Juntunen
Secretary... Bob Koskinen
Deputy Grand Knight... Al Rule
Grand Knight...Nick Lindemann

This month's Knight of the Month is Howard Chartier.

This month's Family of the Month is the Bob Koskinen family.

CORPORATE COMMUNION

The next scheduled Corporate Communion will be at Sacred Heart Church in L'Anse on Sunday, October 30th, at the 10:00 am Mass.

UPCOMING DEGREE SCHEDULE

Our next 4th Degree Exemplification is set up for October 22 in Traverse City; any questions please contact Vern Miron at 353-6507 or vmiron@up.net.

COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday, September 21st
Meal @ 6:30 pm
Meeting @ 7:30 pm

ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

A special thanks to all that helped with this year's Adopt-A-Highway cleanup. The group was organized by John Juntunen, and the group did an excellent job. If you are interested in taking on this program next year, contact John Juntunen @ jjunt@up.net or call 906- 338-2733.

Faith Formation registration night will be at 6:00 pm, Sep 21st, Sacred Heart Church and Sacred Heart School. All Faith Formation families have been asked to attend this event to register children in Faith Formation and to get to know the teachers. The Knights of Columbus have volunteered to provide hot dogs, chips, and a soft drink for the occasion. We will need volunteers to be there at 5:00 to begin cooking and serve the food. The kitchen duties will be handled by the youth, and the Knights will have the opportunity to leave to attend the monthly meeting.

Nature of the Order

It is well that the nature and objectives of the order be known. The Knights of Columbus was organized as a fraternal benefit society in New Haven, Connecticut in 1882 by the Reverend Michael Joseph McGivney, a curate at St. Mary's parish in New Haven, and a small group of Catholic men for the primary purpose of providing protection for the families of its members. The Order was granted a charter by the Legislature of the State of Connecticut on March 29, 1882. The charter has been so amended as to now provide for "the purposes for which said corporation is formed are the following:

- (a) Of rendering pecuniary aid to its members and their families;
- (b) Of rendering mutual aid and assistance to its sick, disabled, and needy members;
- (c) Of promoting social and intellectual intercourse among its members; and
- (d) Of promoting and conducting educational, charitable, religious, social welfare, war relief, and welfare, and public relief work.

CHAPLAINS THIS YEAR

The Knights of Columbus are honored to have Co-Chaplains this year. Congratulations go out to Father John and Father Anthony.

Knights of Columbus Upcoming Events

September 11th

Open house to men interested in learning more about the Knights of Columbus. This event will begin at 1:00 pm and go until 5:00 pm. A meal and refreshments will be served. Entertainment will be cards and Football. I encourage anyone at all interested in learning about the Knights of Columbus to attend.

October

Wild game fall harvest feed. Date to be determined.
First degree.

Knights of Columbus Sign

A sign will be located in front of the Knights of Columbus Hall for the purpose of helping communicate to the public and our members what the next event will be. Monthly meetings, dinners, corporate communion, etc. will be posted. This just gives us one more way to get the information you.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please keep the following Brothers and Sisters in your prayers: Pope Benedict, Bishop Sample, priests of the diocese, seminarians, vocations prospects, family of Dave Goulet, family of Bill Rolof, Ray Vizina, Cindy Hubbard, Virginia Penokie, Don Vizina, Eric Jorgenson, John Smith, Homer Dault, Al Rule, Bill Turner, Nick Lindemann Sr.

Vivat Jesus! Nick Lindemann Grand Knight