



## 2018 Council 207

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The days and months just seem to fly by. Here we are now in October with Halloween just around the corner. Though September is now a memory we, none the less had a very busy month as we kicked off our busy season. The 4th quarter is packed with events. C&B fund raiser, Christmas Appeal (yes Christmas), \$100 raffle, Caroling, Meat raffle, Breast Cancer Pink Party, Tyburn Sports Banquet featuring Jim Boeheim and honoring our own Bernie Simmons, start of the weekly soup kitchen, day after Veterans Day, to name a few. As always thanks to the many volunteers that help to make it all happen.

Revenue was up approximately 25% in September vs August. We also stayed within our budget guidelines. Cost ratios vs buy continue to remain steady and below industry standards, (15% better vs industry standards). Increased margins will continue to provide a steady increase to our bottom line and further enable us to give back to the community and to those in need. Activities continue to increase thru year end and into 2019. Please book your activity early thru Don Poole to secure a date in advance.

Our Roof Project continues to receive donations. We will continue to accept donations thru the end of October. A donor plaque will be displayed and will identify all those that contributed to this special project. Work on the new roof will begin and will be completed in October. Thanks again to the generosity of those that contributed as well as the hard work of our roof project committee. (NOTE: should any donor not wish to have their name listed on the donor plaque, please contact either myself or Bruce Sherman asap)

I would now like to devote the rest of my message by highlighting the awareness and importance of recognizing October as Breast Cancer Awareness Month. I am sure that most of us, if not all of us, have been involved with someone or knows of someone that has been effected by this disease. Though major strides have been made combating this disease the cure is yet at hand. It is thru campaigns like Breast Cancer Awareness October that enable all of us to better understand this disease and work together in many ways to help find a cure. Lets make October the month that we all help to make a positive daily difference in the life of a Breast Cancer Survivor, patient or family.

The following pages are an excerpt from an article out of the Daily News that addresses the importance of awareness in helping to combat this disease.

Fraternally,

*Jack*

Jack Baraczek  
Grand Knight, Council 207

# Breast Cancer Awareness

If you walk down the aisles of any department store, you'll notice during October that shelves are flooded with all kinds of pink merchandise. It's Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The hope is that seeing all things pink will "make you aware" of the disease – by spurring you to research early detection or contribute financially to cancer research.

All these things are good reminders, but it's easy to write them off as trivial. It's probably not likely you'll buy a keychain you don't need just because it's pink. It's probably less likely you'll see one and stop what you're doing to schedule a mammogram or make a \$100 donation to a breast cancer charity.

What will instigate that research and action though?

Statistics?

- According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, other than skin cancers, breast cancer is the most common cancer among American women.
- Each year, more than 200,000 women are diagnosed with breast cancer and more than 40,000 die from the disease.
- While most cases of breast cancer impact women older than 50, about 10 percent of all new cases are found in women younger than 45.
- According to the National Breast Cancer Foundation, one in eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime.
- On average, a woman is diagnosed with breast cancer every two minutes
- One woman dies from breast cancer every 13 minutes.

Real life scenarios? It's easy to gloss over something that's tough to think about when it doesn't directly impact you. But, chances are, it will impact you or someone you love in your lifetime. Consider these things:

- Not every woman is diagnosed in time. While screenings and treatment have come a long way, some cancers are too aggressive or found too late. What if you, or someone you loved, found out too late or could have known sooner?
- Not every woman fights or has a strong support system. Some are overwhelmed with what-ifs, too afraid to tell family or friends, don't have the support to push through treatments or are unable to handle the medical bills that come as a result of a cancer diagnosis. Would you want people to know if you got that kind of news? Would you want to know if someone close to you did? Would you offer help or accept help if it were you?
- Not every woman undergoes chemo or radiation. Some women choose to deal with breast cancer in their own ways, enjoying the time they're given without seeking medical treatment or turning down those options if other treatments fail. What would you do? What would you want your mother, sister or friend to do?

- Would you choose to have a mastectomy? Would you get breast implants if you did? Have you ever thought about the psychological struggles of a woman who loses her breasts because of the emphasis society places on them?

- There are ways to know your genetic chances of developing breast cancer. Would you want to know your risk? Would you want your mother, sister or best friend know hers?

Those things probably didn't inspire the brightest of thoughts. But there is some positivity to share. There are more than 2.8 million breast cancer survivors alive in the United States today. And death rates from breast cancer have been declining since about 1990, partially because of better screenings, early detection, increased awareness and improving treatment options.

If you notice something different about your breasts at any age, get it checked out. If you have any reason to believe you're at higher risk for breast cancer, talk to your doctor. If you're 40 to 44, start thinking about mammograms. If you're 45 to 54, get a mammogram every year.

In addition to all of that, if you know someone fighting breast cancer, let them know you're on their side.

Breast cancer research and awareness is worth every effort we can make. So next time you see that pink ribbon, instead of passing it off as trivialized and commercialized, think about how deep that symbolism goes to people who have faced this monster head-on. And do whatever you can to make yourself truly aware.



**Grand Knight Suggestion Box:** I am always interested in any and all suggestions and recommendations that are in the Best interest of Council 207. There is a Grand Knight Suggestion Box located at the table near the front door. Your input and ideas are welcome.

**Christian Activities:** We will continue to expand our involvement in Catholic Christian Activities throughout the year. Increased involvement by Council in activities at Tyburn Academy, St Joseph, Catholic Parishes, Champions for Life, Special Council Masses, Seminarians, Christian couple's events, Deacon Dennis Virtues events, local Pastors and Deacons, KOC Supreme special events and activities, Young men's group activities, etc. Important that we all work together to ensure success and sustainability for these projects now and in future years.

Work is complete in constructing a special permanent display area at the KOC to remind us all of our Catholic parishes and Catholic Christian affiliates and their roles in our faith community. Displays will be posted in the near future.

**Notable Events:** Planned events for 2018 - sports night - casino night - clam/seafood night, Old timers recognition dinner - Wine Tasting - bourbon tasting - Past Grand Knight cocktail hour - KOC Mass Dedication at Sacred Heart Church - Police Officers/Firemen recognition day - Pancake breakfasts - Mass at KOC - I have met with Father Brown at Sacred Heart/Saint Ann's and plans are also under way to host a "Special Mass" of recognition for Council 207 (2018). If anyone has Council 207 memorabilia, please advise me "ASAP" - Rosary prayer service prior to Council meetings - \$100.00 Raffle - Building fund roof campaign - Membership drive

**Ongoing Updates:** Please forward additional weekly update request directly to Rich Kloster each Monday. E mail updates will be sent to all Council members + Ladies Auxiliary members that have an e mail on file. We are also looking for a volunteer to assist Rich in updating the council web site.

*Please feel free to contact me should you have questions or just to talk. I would welcome your input.*

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**Special Thanks - I would like to give “Special Thanks and Recognition” to the following individuals: The list grows.....**

**Families** - Thanks to our Families for your support, understanding and participation in our KOC activities

**Finance committee** - The mission continues - year over year improvements continue— Bob Pine-Mark Carr-John Montone-Pat Crawford-Bruce Sherman-Dave Henry - for their continued efforts , professionalism and commitment to stay the course

**Charitable committee** - Bruce Sherman (Chair) Alex Vanderpool, Tom McNabb, Tim Delaney, Andy Sheridan, Dave Pappert - our mission continues - our charitable donations remain strong and growing - we anticipate a strong “Giving” thru year end.

**Veterans** - thanks always to our Veterans - we celebrate you not only on Veterans Day but each and every day of the year - thank you for your service to our Great Country

**Volunteer of the month - September - Bob Pine** - I would like to congratulate Bob as our volunteer of the month for September. Bob has been the Chairman of our finance committee for over 2 years. His experience and guidance as a CPA as well as a business leader has helped both Council and Home Corp. develop and adopt solid financial plans to follow well into the future. Thanks Bob for your continued help and support of Council 207. Your actions and deeds do not go unnoticed.

**Deacon John Tomandl - Mike Skomsky** - Thank you for starting up our Rosary Service in September at 6:30 prior to our Council meetings.

**Father Enright**—We always welcome your words of “Wisdom” at Council meetings.

**Patrick Carbonaro** - thanks for your continued council and guidance in support of Council 207

**Joe LoPiccolo, John Montone** - Co Chairs of Operation New Roof building campaign. Thank you for a very successful campaign.

**Lee Vanderpool** - thanks for your continued support of our newsletter

**Building fund donations** - thanks to all who have so generously donated to our campaign - your contributions will be duly noted and posted on a special plaque unless you choose otherwise. If you do not want your name recognized please advise Joe LoPiccolo or John Montone. Every day we receive a contribution. All donations regardless of amount are truly appreciated and are tax deductible. **NOTE: we will post a donations board in Nov. If you do not want your name displayed on the board please contact Jack Baraczek or Bruce Sherman.**

**Wives, Families, Significant others** - thanks for your support of our Council Brothers and members of The Ladies Auxiliary - volunteering takes time and effort and your support is appreciated

**Officers, Trustees, members of Home Corp.** - thanks always for your extra effort and support of Council.

**Jeff Gage** - Thanks for your time as President of Home Corp and always lending a hand with your musical talent and equipment. Jeff has also been reelected as President of Home Corp. for another term.

**Don Poole** - all of us appreciate your event and schedule coordination

**Jim LaMay** - thanks for your continued time and efforts in managing the bar and your newsletter updates

**Bartenders** - thanks for your continued wit, your humor, your infectious smiles and putting up with the antics of our patrons - thanks Patrons for putting up with our bartenders. We are also looking for additional bartenders to supplement our Team. Please contact either Jim LaMay or Jack Baraczek if interested.

**“THE” Ladies Auxiliary** - Sandy and TEAM - thank always for your continued charitable contributions to our community and Council - your efforts and that of the Ladies Auxiliary

**Council 207 Brothers and Ladies Auxiliary members** - thanks for helping to promote Council 207 and also for your participation in Council activities and visiting the KOC

**Special thanks** - to the many volunteers that continue to appear in this section each month

**News and Views:** Results year over year continue to be very favorable, YTD September 2018 vs YTD September 2017 for both Council and Home Corp are within our fiscal budgets. Buy vs gross % continue as “Best in Class”. The average past 3 months gross vs spend averaged 35% or 15% better, vs the industry average of 41%. Every % of improvement = increased profits for Council and increased charitable contributions. Our financial committee continues to meet each month. Mark Carr provides an update on our fiscal performance, YTD, for both Council and Home Corp. Detailed financial updates are available at monthly Council meetings.

Activities beginning in September are on the increase. Many organizations are booking their events/meetings well into 2018 with some now in 2019. It is very important that you contact Don Poole well in advance when booking an event. A debit/credit system was approved by Home Corp. We will delay implementation until the 4th quarter of 2018.

Our physical building is in need of repair over the next 1-5 years. In addition to the new roof we are in need of the following - painting inside and out - repair of outside rear wall - stove repair or replacement - coat parking lot - remove and replace rear landscaping - security system - new computer - reconfigure kitchen - replace ice machine - replace air conditioner (21 years old) - more to come on these items. Over time we will establish a budget and timeline and all will require Council approval.

**Building Fund New Roof:** So far we have received \$28,000 + from 120 individuals. Thanks to all for your contributions. Our roof campaign is considered a “Special” building fund campaign given the costs associated for this major project. We are also expected to incur additional maintenance costs to our building this year beyond the roof project and anticipate that we can cover these costs thru the existing building fund. Our roof campaign will continue to run thru October (completion and install of new roof) We will continue to accept contributions thru end of October.

#### **Degree Updates:**

We postponed our 1st Degree ceremony scheduled for September 25 due to lack of committed candidates. A new 1st Degree is scheduled for November 27. Many Brothers have also recommended that we form a Degree TEAM for the purpose of interviewing all perspective candidates to the 1st Degree prior to the ceremony. I believe this is a good idea and will provide additional details in the future.

**By-Laws:** Our Advocate, Patrick Carbonaro, has advised me that the current BY-Laws for both Council and Home Corp. require updating. Patrick has also reviewed same with our former Advocate, John Rossi. We will be working closely with Patrick, Jeff Gage, Mark Carr, Bruce Sherman, Pat Crawford, John Montone and Alex Vanderpool to begin the updating process. As a guide we will follow the current BY-Law and Charter Constitution Laws received by Supreme. This is a significant process and work is still underway to complete. We will continue to update on progress in future newsletters and Council meetings. We are also required by Supreme to comply with newly established guidelines for Councils with Home Corps.

**Additional Council members:** We will add approximately 25 new members to Council in 2018. In addition we are receiving transfer members from other Councils that should add an additional 15-20 members. Please join me in welcoming all of our new members.

Plans are also underway to hold KOC Council 207 membership drives at the end of Mass either this fall or early in 2019. We will be meeting with all parish priests in our area to review our program and obtain the necessary permission to proceed.

**New look:** Improvements and reconfigurations continue at Council. Reconfiguration of the back office will complete our updating by year end. Volunteers needed for some sweat equity to refresh the outside of our building along with some painting and general housekeeping.



**NOTE:** Use of our facility by members and guests is "Welcome" - please police all areas that are used and ensure that all items used are returned to their original location(s). Thank you.

Events: It is very important that you schedule your event "ASAP" with Don Poole. Depending on the event, we can also host multiple events at the same time. We continue to host simultaneous events in the front room + the main bar area + the back room.

**Prayer Intentions:** Nancy Villano - Dave Henry - Ann Scanlon - Big D - World Peace - Our Veterans - Pope Francis - Hurricane victims - earthquake victims - the homeless and the needy - the Catholic church

**NOTE:** If you have a prayer intention please let Sandy Jorgensen or Myself know. We will publish in the newsletter as well as acknowledge at monthly Council and Ladies Auxiliary meetings.

**Volunteers:** We continue to receive requests from individuals to volunteer for events and committees. Large upcoming events = Continuing Membership drive - Charitable contributions committee see Bruce Sherman. All hands on deck. All are welcome and your participation is appreciated. Volunteers can sign up for events at Council or can fill out a volunteer form and drop off at the bar.

## A Note from Bruce...

The Membership Committee has been contacting Council 207 members who have outstanding dues for 2018. I appreciate the help from Mark Carr, JD Pabis, John Breanick, and Dave Henry making the calls and texts to our Brothers and getting this item wrapped up. One key component here is that Council 207 still gets assessed by Supreme and State for members on the books, regardless of their status as paid members. This results in less money that Council 207 has for the operating budget and charitable causes. Please pay your 2018 dues if you have not done so.

Speaking of charitable causes, that Charitable Contributions Committee will be meeting in October to get started again after summer and reviewing requests and our budget items.

Thank you all for your continued support.

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# OCTOBER UPCOMING EVENTS...

## BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH



- FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR
- C&B CAMPAIGN
- ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE (TBA)
- CHARITABLE GIVING COMMITTEE (TBA)
- MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
- 1 AUBURN CORRECTIONAL MEETING
- 2 FINGER LAKES SKI CLUB
- 6 BREAST CANCER FUNDRAISER
- 6 SU AT PITT 12:00
- 6 ND AT VIRGINIA TEC. - TIME=TBA
- 7 GUEST BARTENDER
- 7 PARTY
- 8 LADIES AUXILIARY MEET
- 9 DEACON DENNIS MEET
- 10 VIRTUES MEETING
- 13 ND VS PITT 2:30
- 13 GOBBLE N GO AUBURN EDUCATIONAL FUND RAISER
- 14 GUEST BARTENDER
- 14 13 RUN CLUB
- 14 CATHOLIC SCOUTING RETREAT
- 17 TYBURN ACADEMY SPORTS BANQUET HONORING BERNIE SIMMONS
- 18 AUBURN REALTORS PARTY
- 19 REHEARSAL PARTY
- 20 SU VS N CAROLINA TIME=TBA
- 21 GUEST BARTENDER
- 22 AHS SOCCER PARTY
- 23 FINANCE COMMITTEE
- 25 ROSARY PRAYER - 6:30
- 25 COUNCIL MEET - 7:00
- 26 RETIREMENT PARTY
- 27 SU VS NC STATE TIME = TBA
- 27 ND VS NAVY 8:00
- 28 GUEST BARTENDER
- 29 PARTY



# OCTOBER 2018 Virtue in the Home

## REVERENCE

It was popular a few years back to display a bumper sticker reading *my child is a honor student*. Cultivating the virtue of reverence will allow a parent to expand that bumper sticker to say MY CHILD IS AN HONORABLE PERSON. “Reverence is a disposition of heart that leads us to the good in all things and draws us closer to God. Reverence brings us closer to other people and to the world around us. The reverent person notices and responds to the mystery of life and the sacredness of all things. Reverence is an attitude of dependence and humility, an appreciation of the splendor and beauty of all reality, and a longing for something greater”.

Our contemporary world has lost a sense of reverence. “In an individualized and person-centered world, it is easy to domesticate God, trivialize relationships, and flee from the sacred.”

We must teach our children to tap into their “own experience of reverence by reflecting on contemplative moments of awe”. There are ways to do this in the moments of life if we simply slow down and take in the moment rather than rushing from one activity to another. Taking in a sunrise or sunset on the way to hockey or back from soccer and talking about the awesomeness of nature and God is one easy way. Sitting by a fire, counting the stars or taking a slow hike in a field or woods with a child again offers innumerable opportunities to practice reverence. And of course taking time to understand the mystery of the Mass and explaining what is truly happening in the Mass to your child is a powerful way of increasing reverence and bringing your child closer to God!

“Ignatius believed that anyone who prayerfully considers the basic truth that we are created out of love by a transcendent God of holiness will grow in a sense of reverence. We will have a deepened sense of the sacredness of all things if we think of everything as continually being called and sustained in being by God. We will stand in awe not just before sunsets and mountains, flowers and trees, but also, and especially, before every person we meet. Reverence is a disposition of a heart that allows us to live before the beauty and goodness of every creature and the God who made them. In Ignatian terminology, reverence will enable us to **find God in all things**.” (Quoted text drawn from *Learning to Live Reverently* by Gerald Fagin, SJ)



### Holy Father's Prayer Intention

**Offered in Solidarity with Pope Francis**

That any far reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasurers of humanity.

# LADIES AUXILIARY UPDATE FROM SANDY JORGENSEN.....

**H**appy Fall! I love the crispness in the air and the cool nights. The sun is still shining and beauty in the fall foliage is starting to burst.

Our **ONE WISH TWO WISH OUR WISH YOUR WISH PINK PARTY** is in the final stages of the planning process. When this issue is published the event may have already happened and hopefully been a huge success. The community has been overwhelmingly supportive. All proceeds that are taken in from admission, raffles and the 50/50 and outside donations will go to Carol M Baldwin Breast Cancer Research Fund of CNY. Mena Hansinger, chairperson, and her committee have worked diligently on this event and met weekly to make sure that it is successful. Our thanks to all who have helped in the planning stages and donated money and items to be auctioned and raffled.

**SAVE THE DATE:** The Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting a Columbus Day Happy Hour on October 8th from 4-6 PM. We will provide appetizers for you to enjoy and the club will be offering Happy Hour prices. Stop down and enjoy some snacks and support our club. Our monthly auxiliary meeting will meet at 6 PM following Happy Hour.

**SAVE THE DATE:** TRUNK OR TREAT Sunday October 28th from 2-4 PM The Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their 2nd annual Trunk or Treat for members and their families, Bring the kiddies down in their costumes to trick or treat and enjoy some safe fun. Weather permitting we will set up outside in the parking lot. In case of rain we will be inside set up for the kids.

Welcome to our newest members: Jenna Meyers, Sue Bertonica, Jeanne Kuhfta, Kenzie Cunningham, Michelle Kuhfta, and Monica LoCastro.

Congratulations to Amie and Alex Vanderpool on the birth of their daughter Natalie born on September 9th. Congrats also go out to Paul and Gail on the birth of their beautiful granddaughter, Natalie. I am not positive of the actual birth weight but I believe she weighed in at 9 lb. 2 oz.

Congratulations to Jack and Jean Baraczek on the birth of their grandson John/Jack September 17th weighing in at 8 lb. 12 oz.

See you at the club and remember to bring a friend!!!

Sandy

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## BAR UPDATE FROM JIM LAMAY....



As always, thanks for your continued support, loyalty and patronage of Council 207. Our Brothers as well as Ladies Auxiliary and their guests are truly making a difference thru your participation, support and attendance at the Knights.

We got back in the swing of things in September. Our gross receipts increased by 25% and our margins remained very consistent. Activities were up as well and will continue to increase thru year end and into the new year. Always important to book early with Don Poole to secure a date. Several large activities are scheduled for September that will require additional bartenders. Year over year monthly revenues and margins continue to be positive. We are also well with in our fiscal budget guidelines.

We are looking at Tuesday "Specials" again beginning in October. \$1.00 dogs and \$1.00 draft beer, 5:00-7:00. I am interested in your thoughts? We will continue to offer happy hour pricing each Friday beginning in October - pizza, snacks etc. will also be provided. **Specials also for all SU + Notre Dame games - happy hour pricing + snacks during game times - feel free to bring a snack to pass.**

We reopened Sundays beginning September 2 at 12:00. A guest bartender sheet will also be posted for Sundays beginning late September. Guest bartenders are on from 12:00-2:00 and promise to bring special food for all to enjoy.

We are still looking to set up a bourbon and wine club in the fall. Minimal annual membership with quarterly tastings by local merchants and suppliers. Special wine and bourbon glasses for each individual joining. Additional ideas are welcome.

Please get the word out with in our Council members and The Ladies Auxiliary. We are looking for 2 additional bartenders as well as 2 temporary bartenders. Please contact either myself, Jack Baraczek or Jeff Gage if anyone is interested.

I look forward to seeing you soon and don't forget to bring a friend. Any recommendations or ideas you may have are always welcome. Again, thanks for your loyalty and support of council 207. I look forward to seeing you soon and don't forget to bring a friend.

Thank you, Jim

## For Our Service Men & Women

Dear Lord, we thank you for the lives and service of our men and women in the Armed Forces. Strengthen them and give them guidance as they stand in harm's way to protect our nation and way of life. May they face each day of service in the same way Your Son Jesus did; with courage, dignity, and faith. And if it is your will when their work is through, bring them safely home. Lord, please also bless the families of our troops. Reward them generously for their sacrifices which are known only to You. May we never forget those who paid the ultimate price for our freedom and safety: those that have died in the service of our country. May they rest in peace forever with you in your Kingdom. Amen. In Honor to All Who Have Served.



(Veterans Memorial Dedication Monument at St. John The Evangelist Church, Naples, Florida)

## Special Thanks....



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## **“An urgent request from the Scanlan Family in support of their Mother Ann Scanlan”**

We are **rapidly approaching the first anniversary of Mom’s liver cancer diagnosis**. On this journey, with her wonderful team of care providers at U of R Medical Center (Strong Memorial Hospital), we have an abundance of information. We have processed and sorted out what our best course of action may be. And that is what brings us to this platform.

The best option for her quality of life is to have a liver transplant. She is currently on the National transplant waiting list, but with over 16,000 people on the list and only 4,500 deceased donors annually, there is a critical shortage of organs. With the shortage of available organs, the **BEST** option is finding a suitable donor for Living Donor Liver Transplant (LDLT).

- Between 18 and 55 years old
- O blood type (Rh factor does NOT matter)
- No major medical problems like cancer, heart disease or diabetes
- Be physically fit and in general good health and healthy body weight
- Compatible frame (around the same height or taller than recipient)

Throughout the past year we have met several times with the most proficient medical staff that specializes in this field and have complete confidence in the direction the team at Strong is taking our family.

We are opening this conversation to our community because **we have an urgency to find a living donor for liver transplant**. The liver of the potential donor regenerates within weeks, which is an amazing opportunity to give the gift of life to Ann.

To learn more, please don't hesitate to reach out to anyone of us. We will answer any questions and/or put you in contact with our medical team and LDLT Coordinator. By calling the coordinator (585-275-5875) directly, your information and call will be kept confidential. This is completely voluntary and you may opt out of the process at any time. We have watched our community of family and friends come together when we need it most. Please don't hesitate, we need help from someone out there and you may potentially be a match for **our** mother.

Thank you in advance and have faith!!!

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## Fraternal Get-Together Highlights October Activities

### Grand Knight's Column

John J. Schattinger

#### "MEMBERSHIP IN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS"

In a recent talk with a few friends and K. of C. brothers, the topic: "What has, or what can the Knights of Columbus do for me, and why should I be a Knight of Columbus?" came up. If we had attended meetings this should be a very easy question to answer. But let's say you come up short for an answer. Trying to cover this topic very briefly is like trying to walk across an ocean. Let's take the K. of C. on the state level, the following has been done through the C and B funds: (1) approximately \$400,000 in student loans to attend colleges. (2) Aid to the parochial school fine in Chicago of \$10,000. (3) paid tuition for nuns, priests and brothers at Fordham and St. John's for post-graduate courses specializing in retardation, guidance, and reading. (4) annual gifts of \$500 to each of four Bishops in the state for seminarian training, etc. and \$1,500 to the New York State Chaplain. (5) annual scholarship awards for Oratorical Contest are sponsored by C & B. (6) contributions toward Catholic Relief Services for Cuban refugees from Castro. (7) expenses are paid for teenagers, selected by Bishops in each Diocese, attending the White House Conference, when there is no other way to finance the trip. (8) the C & B sup-



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### Chaplain's Corner

Rev. Clarence W. Gardner, Chaplain

#### PRAYER—LIFE—LOVE

Jesus Christ is our life and resurrection. We believe this; we repeat the thought at funerals. But how often do you commend to Christ the souls of your dear ones; your families, your relatives and friends who may be needing plenty of divine help right now? How about those around you who may have doubts about their faith; or those who may be very tired of struggling against sickness or poverty or discouragement? Do you wait for your loved ones to die before you pray for them? An invitation to go to confession with you may very well do more for a dear one than a thousand dollars worth of misses after he is dead.

How good are you? By this I mean: how does God measure your worth? You are as good as your prayer. The value of what you do corresponds exactly with the value of your prayer. The first duty of every man is to pray and every other duty is included in the duty of praying. Most of us become so absorbed in our troubles or our business or other activities that we forget that the only true treasure and riches is our Lord. We pray "Our Father" and say my business; we speak of "Holy Mother Church" and wonder how little money we dare put into the mission collection.

There are men who do not know how

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A new community organization to be called the Fraternal Fellowship Group was formed August 31 when representatives of the Masons, Elks and Knights of Columbus met at the K. of C. Home to make plans for the group's first program.

After a general discussion, it was decided that the first event would be a social hour beginning at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, October 3 at the K. of C. Home, followed by a chicken barbecue to be served at 4:00 p.m. Informal entertainment will be provided during the afternoon and it is expected that a large attendance of members of the three organizations and their wives will participate. We urge all our members to cooperate on this occasion and meet the members of the Elks and the Masons in the spirit of good-fellowship and fraternity.

Both the Elks and the Masons are planning joint meetings of the three organizations at a later date—affairs we will look forward to with anticipation.

Last week the Committee sent to each member a letter and a return post card to be returned, marked whether or not you will attend the barbecue; it is very important that you return the card so that we will know how many dinners to prepare. Please mail your card today. It is already stamped.

The committee is composed of Clarence W. Nelson, William D. Ganey, Raymond W. Glaney and Francis C. Cuddy from the Knights of Columbus; Ellis K. Atwater, Perley A. Bertrand Jr. and Joan W. Fawley of the Masons; Thomas H. Brogan, R. James Pinckney, Francis E. Muldoon and Raymond Slayton for the Elks.

#### Clergy Night

Thursday, October 7th, has been

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# events

sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council #207



**17  
OCTOBER  
6PM**



**ANNUAL  
SPORTS BANQUET  
HONORING BERNIE SIMMONS**

Dinner by CIAO & The Italian Kitchen Crew  
Silent Auction & Live Auction

**SPECIAL  
GUESTS  
DOUG LOGAN,  
JIM BOEHEIM &  
SU COACHING  
STAFF**

**Sacred Heart Church  
Melrose Road  
Auburn**

\$50 tickets  
For ad booklet information &  
tickets-contact  
Tyburn Academy 315-252-2937  
[www.tyburnacademy.com](http://www.tyburnacademy.com)

All proceeds benefit Tyburn Academy

## BENEFIT RAFFLE

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name
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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS \$100.00 BENEFIT RAFFLE**

**FIRST PRIZE - \$5,000.00**

2nd Prize - \$1,500 • 3rd Prize - \$1,000  
4th-7th Prizes - \$500 ea. • 8th-10th - \$200 • 11th - \$150  
(Prizes based on 250 tickets sold - need not be present to win)

Drawing - November 18, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.  
Knights of Columbus, Market Street, Auburn  
Open Bar & Buffet - 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

**DONATION - \$100.00 ~ GUEST - \$20.00 extra**

\$250 Early Bird Drawings:  
April 15, 2018 ~ August 26, 2018 ~ October 26, 2018

*Celebrating God's Gifts:*



*an afternoon for spirituality  
at Camp Gregory*

*Sunday,*

*October 14th, 1-4 p.m.  
come and go as you like*

Activities are ongoing except as noted:

*Song and Silence in Taizé Worship*

*Religious Art through Rubbings*

*Avenues to Personal Prayer*

*Labyrinth Arts*

*Liturgical Dance*

*Meditation Walk, 2:30 p.m.*

*Singing together, 3:30 p.m.*

*All ages, everyone welcome!  
Please dress for the weather and  
bring your own water bottle*

*Hosted by the Southern Cayuga Wider Parish  
Donations accepted for local food pantries.*

**WEDDINGS  
BANQUETS  
BEREAVEMENTS  
SPECIAL EVENTS**

The Knights of Columbus in Auburn, NY is the perfect spot for your next special occasion. The impressive hall and lounge can accommodate over 130 guests and is equipped for all your party needs.

*Catering is available for an additional fee,  
or you may use our kitchen facilities*

*For inquiries and reservations, contact:*

**Donald Poole: 315-730-1608**



47 Market Street  
Auburn, NY 13021



**Knights of Columbus**  
**AUBURN COUNCIL #207**

September 14, 2018

Dear Brother Knights and Members of the Ladies Auxiliary,

Once again it is time for our annual Charitable & Benevolent Fund Raiser. This C&B program is a great way to raise funds for our ongoing efforts to continue to fulfill the many requests we receive from those in need in our community.

This program not only helps our council raise funds but it also benefits the state council in their efforts also. For every book we sell our Council receives six dollars (\$6.00). If we sell  $\frac{1}{2}$  book per member we receive an extra dollar and if we sell one book per member we would receive two dollars extra. This year we are sending this notice and a copy of a ticket, that we are asking you to fill out and return to the council with payment. One book will be \$13.00 the extra dollar is for Tyburn Academy. The students at Tyburn will fill out all the tickets in the book for you. So all that is necessary from you is to fill out the sample ticket.

In closing remember the first Principle of our Order is Charity. It is the prayer of the council that none of us will ever need to seek funding, but knowing that we would be able to if needed is the reason for this request. "One who is Gracious to a poor man lends to the Lord, and He will repay him for his good deed" Proverbs 19:17.

Fraternally Yours,

Tom Crawford, PGK  
*Tom Crawford*  
Chair of C&B Program

Bruce Sherman, DGK  
  
Co-Chair of C&E Program

Number of books requested \_\_\_\_\_ X's \$13.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ Thank you and God Bless You.

PLEASE RETURN BY NOVEMBER 30, 2018

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Donation \$1.00 - Donor need not be present													
2018 Final Drawing will be held													
on Saturday December 1, 2018													
Villa Roma / Callicoon, NY													
Contributions to the New York State Council Knights of Columbus C & B Program are not deductible as a charitable contribution for Federal income tax purposes.													

# Save the Date

## Catholic Scouting Retreat



ROMAN CATHOLIC  
DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

Sunday, October 14, 2018  
St. Alphonsus Parish  
85 East Genesee Street



A fun, faith-filled day for all Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts preparing for and working towards their religious emblems and patches.

Check-in begins at 9:30 a.m. in the parish center.  
Retreat starts with Holy Mass at 10:00 a.m. in the church.  
All parents and families are invited to join us for Mass.  
  
Lunch is provided.

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For more information, contact Mark Capellazzi at  
<https://conta.cc/2AXJwEd>

# NOTES FROM OUR INSURANCE AGENT

**Kevin Kiernan**

**315-406-0980**

Email: [kevin.kiernan@kofc.org](mailto:kevin.kiernan@kofc.org)

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As your fellow member, and Insurance Agent, please give me an opportunity to share with you and your family the benefits that the Knights of Columbus have to secure their future



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