



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
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Newsletter

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Grand Knight's Corner

Brother Knights.

First, let me thank those who have volunteered their time this past month. Your continued support of our council is one of the main reasons we still remain active and in good standing with Supreme.

Our annual Tootsie Roll Drive was a great success this year!

I would like to extend my wishes that each of you and your family have a safe and happy Christmas!

Let's remember to KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS and in our lives each day!

Michael O'Donnell
 Grand Knight

Remember Our Founder.

Join the Fr. McGivney Guild

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Dec. 05 Altar Guild Christmas Breakfast after the 8:15 AM Mass Help Needed
- Dec. 08 Business Meeting 7:30 PM. All officers should attend. 12 members are needed for a quorum.
- Dec. 12 We will make Spaghetti Sauce. We will need help starting at 8:00 AM
- Dec. 13 Egg Breakfast after the 8:00 AM Mass Help Needed
- Dec. 20 Rosary service 7:35 AM, before the 8:00 AM Mass.
- Dec. 25 MERY CHRISTMAS
- Dec. 27 Pancake breakfast after the 8:00 AM Mass. Help needed

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Fr. Bryan Timby and his Father and Mother. Deacon Don Bennis, Bob Bustos, Louis Bompreszi and his brother, Woody Warden, Henry VanNess, Patrick, Larry, Lindsay & Shannon O'Donnell, George and Jean Shemwell, Patty Bridges, Victoria Lindsay, Roy Bridges Granddaughter, Mac Macdonald, Louise Macdonald, Mac. Macdonalds Mother Lauri Murrie, Mrs. Mann. Donna Bailey, Bill & Geri Meadows, Chris Meadows Wife Holly Meadows Joe Sweats Mother and Aunt, Jim Popowich and Family, Jim Sawicki's Mom and Uncle, Lyons Popes Mother and any other brother or family members that are sick. Also for Brother Elmer Scheidhauer.

Please keep all of our service men and women in your prayers especially those that are in harms way.

PRAY THE ROSARY

7:35 a.m. Third Sunday before the 8:00 AM Mass. Come and show the parish the dedication we have to our Blessed Mother.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

The grass is rarely greener

We all know the old adage, “the grass always seems greener on the other side of the fence.” When it comes to replacing your existing Knights of Columbus life insurance with coverage offered by another company, the adage holds true. Perceptions are deceiving. A move to the other side of the fence might seem like a good one, but it can leave you with less green in your wallet – in some cases, a lot less. That’s why it pays to remember another old saying, “Read the fine print.”

There are many reasons to keep your existing coverage in force, whether that coverage is with the Knights of Columbus or with another company. There are two major potential pitfalls of replacing coverage. Be sure that any agent trying to convince you that the grass actually is greener covers these key factors.

First, it’s unlikely that you can obtain the same amount of coverage, for the same premium, that you were able to obtain with your existing contract. The two factors that determine how much you’ll need to pay for life insurance coverage are age and health. Certainly, you’re older now than you were when you took out your current coverage. There’s no way around that one. And you have to ask yourself, has your health changed during that time? Is your blood pressure the same? Your cholesterol? Have you gained weight? All these factors affect the amount of coverage you’ll get for your premium dollar.

Second, all life insurance contracts contain a contestability period, which allows the insurer to contest claims made for a period (typically two years) after the contract is issued. Chances are this is no longer an issue with your current coverage.

If someone encourages you to replace – or worse, drop - your existing coverage with any insurer, please call me. I’ll show you how your existing coverage is working for you and why replacement is rarely in your best interest.

Brad Bradley @ 482-1104

Congratulations

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH
Andy Meadows

FAMILY OF THE MONTH
Michael and Linda O’Donnell

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Patrick O’Donnell 12/26
James Mann 12/28
John Trouy 12/30