



# The Spirit of 4022

Maria Joseph Council

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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

### August

- 25 Council Officer Meeting,  
7:30 PM Council Chambers
- 27 Brian's Chicken Dinner TGIF/  
KnightS of Recognition, 5-8  
PM at CSC Picnic Shelter.
- 28 **Soccer Challenge**, 5:30 PM  
at St. Albert Field. Event to  
be held in conjunction with  
the school's pep rally

### September

- 2 Monthly Council meeting,  
7:30 PM Council Chambers  
Home Corp. mtg, Election
- 6 Labor Day
- 11 World Day of Prayer  
For Peace
- 11 First Responders Breakfast,  
7-9 AM, AM VETS at 2250  
Patterson Road, Near  
Waternaliet (behind Dot's  
Market)
- 15 Dayton Chapter Meeting,  
7:30 PM, Council 500
- 18 St. Albert Parish Family  
Picnic, 5:30 – 9:00 PM,  
St. Albert Parish Center-  
Hosting BINGO
- 22 Recruiting Open House,  
7-9 PM, St. Albert Parish  
Center
- 29 Council Officer Meeting,  
7:30 PM, Council Chambers

Deadline for October issue is 9/15  
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## GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE

Brother Knights:

September offers us an unprecedented opportunity to write a new chapter in the history of our Council. In our efforts to become a St. Albert the Great parish based Council, the upcoming events will provide an opportunity to raise the awareness of the St. Albert parishioners of the Knights of Columbus and create a positive image for our Council.

After the 4:30 Mass on **Sept. 18 St. Albert the Great** will be holding their **Annual Parish Family Picnic**. We will once again run the **Bingo 7:00 – 9:00 PM**. This has been well received in years past. As you can see we will need volunteers to help run the game and again personally invite men and their families to our

### OPEN HOUSE

On **Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>** we will be hosting a **Recruiting Open House in the St. Albert Parish Center**. Each household in the parish will receive a letter inviting men and their families to come to the Open House and find out more about the Knights of Columbus. In addition to our members, representatives from the State will also be there. On the two Sundays prior to the event volunteers will be needed to pass out literature after all Masses and personally invite the men to attend. On the night of the event we will need a maximum turn out of Brother Knights to attend and be available to greet the families and answer any questions they may have. Sk Bob Burns, Grand Knight

### Grand Knight

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### Pro-Life Chairman

### Vocations Director

SK Robert Erhart 299-2662

### Measure Up Chairman

SK Bob Erhart 299-2263

### Ohio Charities Chairman

Barry Galen 296-1866

### Entertainment Books

SK Dave Cook 293-7469

### Rental Council Chambers

Steve Mantey 434-5993

## CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

First, I know that faith is something we believe even though we can't prove it, and if we could prove it, it wouldn't be faith. What I know very deeply is that we live in a spiritual universe. The space is filled, with prayers that have been prayed before we came. There are prayers that are always ahead of us when we come into an empty room or a room with people. There were people yesterday that prayed for you yesterday or maybe fifty years ago.

I ask you this question and I'll give you the answer: What's the lifespan of a prayer? Good until the end of the year? Good until you reach a certain age? There are no life spans to prayers. Keep that in mind because that's very important. Then, stop and think of all the prayers that have been prayed for you when you were still in the womb, of the grandmother who prayed for that little child that was to be born. Think of the prayers that are prayed for you when you started school. Maybe when you were baptized as a little baby. How do you add them up? How do you recollect remember and recall? You cannot. There is no way you will ever know all of the prayers.  
SK Fr. Gary Aultz, Chaplain

## TGIF & KNIGHT OF RECOGNITION

**EVERYONE IS INVITED**

**K of C Council 4022**

**T G I F & KNIGHT OF  
RECOGNITION**

**AUGUST 27th**

**BRIAN'S ANNUAL CHICKEN DINNER**

**5:30 PM to 8 PM**

**Christopher Swim Club Picnic Shelter**

Fee: \$3 per person, \$5.00 couple,  
\$10.00 for immediate family, includes drink

Please bring a vegetable, fruit or dessert to share!  
In order to know how much chicken to order—

Please call Brian 879-2110 and let him know

Name & number of how many will attend.  
By Wed. Aug. 25th—Thank You!

## HELP WANTED

The Council is in need for volunteers to fill the following positions:

### **MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:**

For the long term viability of the Council we must recruit new members. The Membership Director is integral to the recruiting members, works with the Deputy Grand Knight to retain current members, and works with the Field Agent to promote the insurance program

### **PUBLICITY DIRECTOR:**

Council 4022 has a long and rich history of accomplishments and service to the Church and community. These activities should present a positive image of the Knights of Columbus and attract new members to our Council. Unfortunately, our publicity efforts in the past have been, at best, hit-or-miss. Information has not consistently got out to the community or our membership.

### **WEB MASTER:**

Chuck Gelm has served as the web master for the Council's web site for many years. He has recently transferred to the new Council at St. Charles. We are in need of a replacement to maintain the site and keep the information current. Chuck is willing to train the new Web Master.

If you are interested in any of these positions please contact the Grand Knight Bob Burns @219-4139 or the Deputy Grand Knight Bob Erhart @299-2263.

## A SPECIAL THANKS

A nice article written by Fr Kyle I copied from Fr Kyle website/blog "**CALLED BY NAME**"  
**A SPECIAL THANKS** goes to the Knights of Columbus of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati.

On Saturday, July 17, the Knights of Columbus from the Archdiocese gathered for the annual State Officer Training/ State Tour, something like that. Anyway, it was mostly the heads of the local councils to bring them up to speed on what the initiatives and agendas will be for the upcoming year

Over the last few years, the state treasurer presents the diocesan vocation office with the funds collected from the diocese through the Knights' Pennies from Heaven Campaign. (Side note: the Pennies from Heaven is the jar that the Knights pass around during their meetings and they collect the spare change and pennies from members' pockets; all to be presented to the local Vocation Office.) This year, I was presented with a check for a little over \$15,000, which we can all agree is a bunch of pennies!

We use this money for our media outreach and development, setting it aside until we can do something big with it. Past examples: the revisions that brought about [www.cincinnati vocations.org](http://www.cincinnati vocations.org) when I came on board four years ago were paid for out of these funds. The 'Man Behind the Collar' videos were paid for out of these funds. The upcoming revisions to the main page of the Vocation Office are also funded by this. We use any leftover funds to support the production of our annual Vocation Awareness Week Materials as well. We try to stretch each penny to its max, and I think we have been successful in developing a good product with what we have been given.

As I had a Mass that I needed to get back for, I was going to leave right after the check presentation (I know, ungrateful lout that I am!). However, they told me to hold on for a few minutes.

Unaware, I sat back down to be awarded with the 'Religious of the Year' award from the Knights in Archdiocese of Cincinnati for my work in the Vocation Office: helping raise the awareness of the importance of vocations, for diligence in traveling far and wide for the work of the office, and for the long hours it seems I work. (Yes, Dad, more than three hours a week!)

I was truly humbled and thankful for the recognition. However, as I said in my remarks upon receiving the award, I truly feel that this is just what I have been obliged to do. I very much enjoy the work I get to do as Vocation Director, and am just trying to be a servant in the vineyard of the Lord.

Anyway, a special note of thanks for all that the Knights of Columbus, both here locally and nationally, do to support vocations to the priesthood.

Fr. Michael McGivney, Pray for us!

## K. OF C. INSURANCE

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Fraternally,  
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I really want to be your agent!



## FRATERNAL GREETINGS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

wishes are extend to the following members celebrating their birthdays during the month of

### AUGUST:

Mark C. Coppa	Daniel A. Andrick
Eugene E. Koop	Thomas J. Arquilla
Rev Richard W. Walling	Gerald H. Wildenhaus
Ernest L. Bertke	Jeffrey M. Dalton
Thomas F. Gnau	Robert T. Harnett
William F. Kissell Jr.	Paul W. Theis
William J. Greger	Jeffrey J. Pedro
Jared A. Wagner	

**IMPORTANT ELECTION**

**Maria Joseph Home Corporation  
Annual Meeting & Elections  
Thursday, Sept 2, 2010**

The council meeting will be suspended at the time of New Business for a short Home Corporation Annual Meeting and Election of Directors to the Board. All Council 4022 members are eligible. Three year terms held by Ed Wood, Steve Timmer, and Barry Galen and Tom Horning's one year term will be filled. All nominations will be from the floor. Nine Directors are elected for three year rotating terms. The three council trustees and the financial secretary are directors by virtue of their office. The Grand Knight is a non voting member.

**FOOTBALL FRENZY**

It's back!!! Football Frenzy is here again. Get your tickets and get your friends and gather round for 10 weeks of football fun like no other. For just a \$10 contribution you get 10 weeks of play. That is just a \$1 a week and a chance each week to win \$1,000!!!! Top seller in the counsel wins a free Knights of Columbus shirt and each seller who sells at least 20 tickets gets a free hat. We need to help sell these tickets for the state. If we do well enough, the pay back can reach \$3.60 per ticket but will not be less then \$2.50 for each ticket back to our Counsel. **Dates to remember**

**1st turn in September 17th  
2nd turn in October 29th**

Tickets available in Counsel chambers or call Barry Galen, charity campaign chairman at 620-3900



**ST. ALBERT THE GREAT**

**Garden Guild Farmer's Market**



visit [www.stalbertthegreat.net](http://www.stalbertthegreat.net) or call Rebecca Roepken 298-1122 x 289 & get information about the upcoming events.

Between Mass Volunteers are greatly needed!

\*\* As of Aug.15, **\$2,000 and 150 pounds** of produce donations has been given to St. Vincent's Hotel!

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**St. Albert Parish Family Picnic  
Sat. September 18<sup>th</sup>**

following 4:30 Mass

K of C 4022 has volunteered to run the Bingo event!



We need donated prizes.

"Look through your closets for those unused gifts you and your families have received and are willing to donate".

**\*\* Prizes are needed for all ages.\*\***

Bring donations to the K of C meeting at the Council Chambers, September 2

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**JOIN US FOR FUN, FELLOWSHIP,  
DOOR PRIZES & ENTERTAINMENT!**

**SENIOR'S DAY OUT LUNCHEON  
Men & Women!**

**ST. ALBERT's PARISH CENTER  
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9**

following the Noon Mass.

RSVP: Ann 299-8157 or Angie 294-4367

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**Starting September 26**

**Sunday Coffee & Donuts**

after 8 & 9:30 Sunday Masses

# St. ALBERT THE GREAT PARISH FAMILY

Sat., Sept. 18 Following 4:30 Mass Dinner 5:30 –6:30



Meat, Chips, Pretzels, and Bottled Water Provided

## Please bring:

*Favorite Family Dish* to share in a disposable container Coolers, Folding Chairs/Blankets

## Entertainment:

BINGO, Big Tent, Karaoke, Children's Games, Volleyball, Corn Hole, & more!

(KofC Council 4022 is in charge of running the BINGO) We need donations for prizes for the winners. \* Prizes are needed for all ages.\*\*



## DAYTON RIGHT TO LIFE

On July 31 and August 1 the Dayton Right to Life had the first annual **RIDE FOR LIFE** that was a huge success. The ride raised over **\$10,000** and increased the awareness of the Pro-life movement in our communities. Our council 4022 contributed money for the cause that was greatly appreciated. Also Bob Burns rode in the ride both days and Bob Erhart (and family) rode one day. Each rider was asked to solicit pledges for the Pro Life



cause. The Dayton area Knight of Columbus also supported the ride with food stops and ride organization and was a major sponsor. Next year should be a big success also. Thanks to all who support the Pro Life cause.

You will find, as you look back upon your life, that the moments that stand out are the moments when you have done things for others.  
Henry Drummond

## LECTURE NIGHT

Consider joining fellow brother Knights this fall for a council book read. Beginning Sunday Sept. 19, 7:30pm and meeting every other Sunday evening to discuss, ***A Civilization of Love*** by Supreme Knight Carl Anderson.

We will cover a Chapter each session. Anderson has practical suggestions for contemplation and action at the end of each of the nine chapters. Fr. David Endres of St. Albert will lead the discussions (as his schedule permits). Book's are available from Steve Mantey 269-9986 for only \$6.00 each. We had a very good response at the August council meeting, only two books left. Steve will order more that will be available at the Sept. 2 Council meeting.

The plan is to have an hour discussion and then an hour of beer, soft drinks and popcorn. This will be an informal get together of brother Knights. Feel free to invite men from other councils. If you can't make all of the sessions, just join us when you can.

Professor of Jurisprudence at Princeton University, Robert George wrote, "*Anderson has written a book brimming with insights into the transforming power of Christian faith. A Civilization of Love is both a call to personal holiness and a handbook for Catholics who are prepared to take seriously Christ's command to His disciples to be 'salt and light' in the world.*" Call or email me with questions. Call Steve 434-5003 for books.

Vivat Jesus!

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compassion, unselfishness,  
caring and patience**

**Volunteers don't get paid--  
not because they are worthless  
but because they are priceless!**

## **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE**

The Knights of Columbus World Day of Prayer for Peace seeks to unite Knights, Catholics and all people of good will – regardless of their religious faith – in prayer for peace. While Sept. 11 will always be remembered for the tragic loss of life,



Knights hope that this somber occasion will be the foundation of an annual opportunity for a day of earnest prayer for peace in the world.

To commemorate this tragedy with dignity and hope, the Supreme Council passed a resolution in 2004 to observe September 11 as a day of prayer for peace.

“The World Day of Prayer for Peace will bring to the world the Church’s message of peace and reconciliation, so that religion will always be a cause for mutual respect and harmony, and never for violence or hatred,” said Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson.

“In a special way, we remember the brave men and women of the military who work tirelessly, even to the point of sacrificing their own lives, to bring about true peace rooted in justice,” he added.