



# Knights of Columbus St. Mary's Council 4196

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Brothers,

I hope everyone had a great Christmas. I want to remind everyone that as amended in the bylaws, beginning January, the dinner before the General Meeting will start at 6:00 PM, and the General Meeting will begin at 7:00 PM. Likewise, the officers' meetings now begin at 7:00 PM

Our council was very busy during December with a number of activities - all of which were greatly appreciated by the parish. I regularly hear comments and words of thanks for the work we do. I am proud to be part of such a supportive group of men, and I thank you for that.

Everyone should have received a notice from Don McCabe for the council's annual dues by now. Please complete the service survey and return it with your payment as soon as possible.

God Bless and Happy New Year!

Jeff Garlock - GK

## Prayers for the Sick and Distressed

Please keep the following brothers and their families in your prayers. We need your help keeping our prayer list up-to-date. Please notify Jeff Garlock of any other brother sick or in distress and in need of our prayers and support.

Jack Bauer  
Mary Bestick  
Doris Galles  
Gene Hanson  
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haspert  
Deacon Cary Heth  
Georgia Hughes  
Barbara Hunton  
Ken and Ruthann Janson

Carmine Lombardi  
Fred McDowell  
Ira Scott Moore  
Rose Murphy  
John Paullin  
Tara Rains  
Patricia Ward  
Jean Ward  
Mother of James Stanley

**General Membership Meeting: January 4th**  
**St. Mary's Adult Center**

**NEW TIMES**

**Dinner starts at 6:00 pm**

**Meeting 7:00 - 8:00 pm**

Please come and enjoy dinner before the meeting!

**Menu**

PIZZA!

**Newsletter**

**Suggestions Encouraged**

*Have comments or suggestions for the newsletter? I would appreciate hearing them!*

*Also, if you have an email address, Please forward it to me at [jeff.garlock@comcast.net](mailto:jeff.garlock@comcast.net) to receive a color copy of the newsletter via email.*

**Program Chairmen**

If you are interested in participating in one of the Council's programs, please contact the program chairman to find out how to get involved.

These are listed on page 3.

**Officers Meeting:**

**January 18th**

**St. Mary's Adult Center**

**7:00 pm (new time!)**



## Kudos and Thank You

### Pancake Breakfasts

The turnout for our breakfasts has been great this month. Thank you to our chairmen, **Matt Hunton and Don McCabe**, and all those who participated with setup, serving, and cleanup. Please consider helping, if only for a few hours. We are blessed to have such a dedicated group of guys doing such great work!

### Christmas Tree

The church Christmas tree was donated by parishioner's from Metzker's Tree Farm, and setup on the evening of December 22<sup>nd</sup> by Dan Greany, Victor Vera, Dave Kishel, Rob Heacock and Jim Clarizio. Plans are to remove the tree on Saturday, January 8th.

### Turkey Bingo

We had a great turnout this year for Turkey Bingo, netting \$725 to St. Joseph's Church. Special thanks to Frank Owens and his wife for their hard work organizing and running the event. Thank you also to all others that helped him make this a fun time for all participants.

### Church Bells

At long last, bells ring during mass again! Through proceeds from 50/50 drawings at pancake breakfasts and other events, we are able to cover the cost of the bells for the altar. Thank you Joe Wetzler for working with Fr. Vic in the selection and ordering of the bells. They look and sound beautiful!

## Upcoming Events

### Retreat for All Knights of Columbus and their Families

Father Michael Maher, SJ, an experienced Knights of Columbus chaplain, is conducting a retreat open to all Knights of Columbus from the Northwest, and their families. The retreat, Family Life and Prayer in the Modern World, will explore the journey of conversion to God in our daily lives through the practice of attendance at the sacraments, especially Confession, the Holy Eucharist, and prayer. The retreat will take place on January 21 thru 23, at the Immaculate Heart Retreat Center in Spokane (6910 S. Ben Burr Rd. Spokane, WA 99223). If interested, please contact Deacon Al Rizzo at 509-375-0446 by January 10th.

For those who receive the newsletter by email, the flyer is included as an attachment.

### Right to Life Candle Sales

Sales will be held after masses on the weekends of January 8th and 15th, with the lighting ceremony on January 22nd. Contact Chairman Joe Wetzler if you are interested in helping with sales or the ceremony.

### Free Throw Contest

The Free throw contest is tentatively scheduled for January 19th. Please contact chairman Michael Ward if you can help run this event. District competition will be held at St. John's at noon on January 22nd, with Regionals on February 26th at St. John Vianney's at noon.

### Nat'l Catholic Schools Week

As we do each year, we will be serving breakfast for the students in the Gym on January 31<sup>st</sup> from 7:00 AM to 10:00 AM. Volunteers are needed to help cook and serve, and will be discussed at the General meeting.

### Regional Knights Meeting

Any Knight is welcome to attend, as long as they are at least a 1st Degree. This will be January 8th at St John Vianney from 8:00 AM to 4:15 PM. Contact: DD Tom Sokol (509)924-0506



## Important Dates

• Jan 4th	General Meeting & Dinner	Adult Center	6:00 - 8:00 PM
• Jan 8th & 9th	Right to Life Candle Sales	Gathering Space	After masses
• Jan 9th	Pancake Breakfast #5	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
• Jan 15th & 16th	Right to Life Candle Sales	Gathering Space	After masses
• Jan 18th	Officers' Meeting	Adult Center	7:00 - 8:00 PM
• Jan 19th (tentative)	Free Throw Contest	Gym	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
• Jan 31st	Nat'l Catholic Schools Week	Gym	7:00 - 10:00 AM (Breakfast)
• Feb 1st	General Meeting & Dinner	Adult Center	6:00 - 8:00 PM
• Feb 6th	Pancake Breakfast #6	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon

## Get Your Food Handler's Card

We need many more brothers to get their Food Handlers Card from the Spokane Regional Health District. The Council will reimburse you for the cost of the card.

### (1) Take the Class

This on-line class is offered in English only. You may also take the class at the Health District, where other languages are available - call 324-1563 for more information. Go to <http://srhd.gibbymedia.com/foodsafety2/>.

### (2) Take the Test

The test must be taken on touch-screen computers at the Health District - 1101 West College Avenue, Room 402 - 8:30 am to 3:30 pm, Monday–Friday. You will need to bring your certificate of completion from the on-line class, a photo I.D., and the \$10.00 permit fee. For more information, call 324-1563.

- Your first permit is valid for 2 years. Renewal of an expired permit is also valid for 2 years.
- Renewal of a current permit is valid for 3 years. You will be issued a 3-year permit if your previous card is current or has not been expired for more than 14 days.
- A 5-year card is available to anyone who has taken an approved ServeSafe course **and** who is renewing their card.

## Paper Recycling

Payment per ton is on the rise! It was \$70 per ton last month, which meant a check for more than \$800 for November. Let's keep that paper flowing! Everyone's help is appreciated to empty the bins into the trailer. Especially **Byron Greany, Dan Greany, Jim Clarizio, Dave Kishel, Joe Wetzler, and Harold Schaefer**, who routinely stop by to pitch a load in the trailer. The money from this program goes to support our seminarians!!

## Program Chairmen

The following men chair selected events. Please contact them to volunteer, or become their backup.

### Pro Life Poster & Essay Contests

Joseph Wetzler 928-1864

### Pancake Breakfasts

Matt Hunton 922-9056

Don McCabe 928-4779

### Christmas Card Sales

Ed Galles 251-3227

### Free Throw Contest

Michael Ward 768-0640

### Soccer Challenge

**(TBD)**

### Turkey Bingo

Frank Owens 927-3436

### Lenten Fish Fry's

Dave Kishel 927-8419

Co-Chair **(need volunteer)**

### Scholarships

**(TBD)**

### Spaghetti Dinner

Dave Kishel 927-8419

### Parish Picnic

Dan Tabish 939-1590



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**2010-2011 Officers**

Chaplain	TBD	
	(Pending Bishop's assignment)	
Grand Knight	Jeff Garlock	926-4515
Deputy Grand Knight	Shelley Hays	928-8933
Chancellor	Michael Routt	533-0533
Recorder	Jim Diehl	893-2989
Treasurer	Greg Hanson	255-9288
Financial Secretary	Don McCabe	928-4779
Advocate	Michael Ward	768-0640
Warden	Jim Clarizio	924-3512
Inside Guard	Ron Connell	924-1346
Outside Guard	Roy Lamb	922-7911
Trustee	Dave Kishel	927-8419
Trustee	Dan Tabish	939-1590
Trustee	Damon Smith	921-6566
Lecturer	Ed Galles	251-3227



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