



Knights of Columbus St. Mary's Council 4196

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Brothers,

In November, we look forward another breakfast and Turkey Bingo. Not only will we promote the events in the St. Mary's bulletin, we will also make these events known at St. Joseph's and St. John Vianney.

Shelley

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Recently I was asked if I participated in any public service activities. I enthusiastically answered yes I'm the chairman of my Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast program. Naturally I was asked to explain about the program, and why the Knights hosts pancake breakfasts. The program generally holds eight breakfasts on Sunday from 8:30 to 11:00 AM during the school year. The proceeds of each breakfast support worthy community activities within my parish. Proceeds support academics, athletics, vocations, scouting, youth groups, and other general parish activities. Those answers of course are the easy ones, but they don't explain why this is my fifth year as pancake breakfast chairman. Each breakfast provides my fellow knights and I the opportunity to experience brotherhood through service. This service takes planning, cooperation, and teamwork. A casual observer watching this interaction of Knights may at times wonder if these men, providing a community meal, are even friends. Each breakfast however produces measureable results with causes supported, families united, and hungry people fed. I feel blessed to be provided the opportunity to lead such a group. I welcome all Knights to participate in the experience. I encourage all parishioners to enjoy our efforts.

Matt

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.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haspert
Georgia Hughes
Ken and Ruthann Janson
Richard Johnson
Carmine Lombardi
Fred McDowell
Ira Scott Moore
Fr. William Van Ommeren
JTara Rainsof
Bob Robertson
James Stanley

Patricia Ward
Joe and Sophia Wetzler
Barbara Wilder
Dana Connell
Tim Gunning
Colleen Gunning
Rosalie Moore
Michael Moore
Annie McCabe
Phyllis Lamb

**General Membership Meeting: Nov. 1st
St. Mary's Adult Center
Dinner starts at 6: 00 pm
Meeting 7:00 pm**

Please come and enjoy dinner before the meeting!

Newsletter

Suggestions Encouraged

Have comments or suggestions for the newsletter? I would appreciate hearing from you! Forward suggestions to sandrhays@netscape.net With "Knights newsletter" in the subject line.

Also, if you have an email address, Please forward it to me at sandrhays@netscape.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.

Leadership Meeting:

**For Officers and
Program Chairmen
November 15th
St. Mary's Adult Center
7:00 pm**



Topics for the Nov 1st General Meeting

- Results of Breakfast #2
- Paper Drive help needed
- Membership Blitz
- Memorial Mass
- Turkey Bingo
- Christmas Card Sales

Calendar of Events

Nov 1	General Business Meeting	Adult Center	7:00pm
Nov 6	Memorial Mass	Mass	9:00am
Nov 6	Pancake Breakfast #2	Gym	6:00am-Noon
Nov 13	Turkey Bingo	Gym	2:00-5:00
Nov 15	Officer/Leadership Meeting	Adult Center	7:00pm
Nov 26 & 27	Christmas Card Sales	Gathering Space/Gym	all Masses

Updates

Help Wanted

Help is needed putting up tables and chairs after 11:15am Masses when coffee and donuts are served.

Turkey Bingo

Turkey Bingo has become an annual tradition at St. Mary's Parish. Started over 30 years ago by neighborhood parish 43, the mantle was passed to Council 4196 when the majority of the originators of the bingo felt that the best way to continue this event that benefits the Religious Education Program at St. Joseph's, our brother parish in downtown Spokane. Turkey Bingo not only earns upwards of \$600.00 annually for St. Joseph's but, it contributes greatly to our efforts to build community at St. Mary's in that we often see over 300 in attendance for the Sunday afternoon event. This year we will be holding our bingo on Sunday, November 13th., and we ask that all Brother Knights get the word out to family and friends.

Annually we ask for contributions of tasty treats (cakes, cookies, trail mix, etc.) from our Knights and all parish members, and this year is no different. Believe it or not, the treats that are contributed make up a significant amount of the money we contribute to St. Joseph's. Please get the word out on this need as well.

If you would like to help at this year's Bingo event and haven't signed up yet, please contact Frank Owens at: 509-868-2413. We hope to see you on Sunday, November 13, 2011, at 2:00pm.

Frank

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

(open)

Turkey Bingo and Golf

Frank Owens 927-3436

Lenten Fish Fry's

Dave Kishel 927-8419

Co-Chair **(need volunteer)**

Scholarships

Dan Greany 928-0206

Spaghetti Dinner

Shelley Hays 990-5775

Parish Picnic

Dan Tabish 939-1590

2011 - 2012 Schedule

DATE	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	TIME
Nov 1st	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Nov 6th	Memorial Mass (Tentative)	Church	TBD
Nov 6th	Pancake Breakfast #3	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
Nov 11th	Veteran's Day		
Nov 13th	Turkey Bingo	Gym	2:00 - 5:00 PM
Nov 15th	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Nov 24th	Thanksgiving Day		
Nov 26th & 27th	Christmas Card Sales #1	Gathering Space	After Masses
Dec 3rd & 4th	Christmas Card Sales #2	Gathering Space	After Masses
Dec 6th	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Dec 10th & 11th	Christmas Card Sales #3	Gathering Space	After Masses
Dec 11th	Pancake Breakfast #4	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
Dec 20st	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Dec 25th	Christmas		
Jan 3rd	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Jan 7th & 8th	Right to Life Candle Sales	Gathering Space	After masses
Jan 8th	Pancake Breakfast #5	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
Jan 14th & 15th	Right to Life Candle Sales	Gathering Space	After masses
Jan 17th	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Jan 19th	Free Throw Contest (Tentative)	Gym	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Jan 28th	Free Throw Contest		
Jan 30st	Nat'l Catholic Schools Week	Gym	7-10 AM Breakfast
Feb 5th	Pancake Breakfast #6	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
Feb 7th	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Feb 21st	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Feb 22nd	Ash Wednesday		
Feb 24th	Fish Fry #1	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mar 2nd	Fish Fry #2	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mar 6th	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Mar 9th	Fish Fry #3	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mar 16th	Fish Fry #4	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mar 20th	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Mar 23th	Fish Fry #5	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mar 30th	Fish Fry #6	Gym	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Apr 1st	Palm Sunday		
Apr 3rd	General Meeting	Mary / Martha	7:00 PM
Apr 6th	Good Friday		
Apr 8th	Easter Sunday		
Apr 15th	Pancake Breakfast #7	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
April 17th	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
Apr 21st	St. Mary's Auction	Gym	TBA
May 1st	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
May 11	Family Fun Night	Courtyard	2:45 - 7:00 PM
May 13th	Pancake Breakfast #8	Gym	6:00 AM - Noon
May 15th	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
May 18 - 21	WA State Convention	Spokane	
May 30th	Memorial Day		
June 5th	General Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
June 19st	Officer Meeting	Adult Ctr	7:00 PM
July 13-14	Summer Leadership mtg	Wenatchee	



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