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Wedding

Anniversaries

William & Kathy
Sleva 4/04
38 Years

Kevin & Diane
Banker 4/13
22 Years

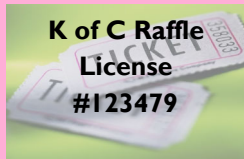
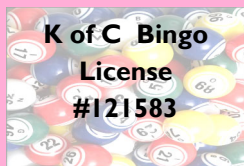
Kevin & Kathleen
Bullock 4/17
14 Years

Burl & Lena
Woodward 4/21
70 Years

Terry & Millie
Castagnier 4/24
37 Years

James & Kathryn
Bromley 4/25
54 Years

John & Judy
Martis 4/30
64 Years



From the Grand Knight

Brother Knights,
Easter, Spring, New Beginnings – excitement and anticipation! On the day I wrote this article I watched the Inauguration Mass of Pope Francis before going to work – it was a great way to start a day. As I wrote this article, intending to write about upcoming events, I was struck by a comment from Pope Francis during his homily, “True Leadership is Service”, he said. Succinct and true, and a perfect lead in to what I believe will be a season of leadership through service for our council.

I am asking all of you to involve yourselves in our council activities in some way this year – a year that promises opportunity for us to lead and to serve. We have several events coming our way, and I promised to

highlight some of them in my article last month...so the following (page 3) is what our program list looks like so far (most dates approximate). I may have left



Grand Knight Jim Parsch

one or two off, and correct me if I did. If you have any questions about any of these – give me or our Program Director, Jake Dwyer, a shout. You can contact Jake at 812-583-2056 or mdwyer@lehighcement.com or me at 812-275-6075 or email jparsch@comcast.net. I would like to point out that we are hosting a

major degree event on April 7th at our Hall. We will commence with a First Degree at around 10 am with Second and Third Degrees following. We need First Degree candidates and have many members who do not yet have their Second or Third Degrees – please come. Points of contact on this are John Abel and Bob Kostin.

Is there opportunity here to lead? Yes.

Is there opportunity to serve? Yes.

Is there opportunity for you and me? Yes!

Let’s join forces, have fun, and do good works!

God Bless Pope Francis and God Bless His Knights!

Vivat Jesus,

Jim Parsch, GK

There will be a Blood Drive on Thursday May 16, 2013 from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., at the K of C Hall. Contact Sir Knight Robert Kostin 279-3559 or Cell 583-2161 if you want to reserve a specific time to donate.



The Blessed Sacrament

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates the month of April to the Blessed Sacrament. The Roman Catholic Church encourages the faithful to make frequent, if not daily, communion. Today, the normal opportunity to receive the Eucharist comes at daily Mass. When we cannot make it to daily

Mass, however, we can still make a spiritual communion, in which we express our faith in Christ and in His Presence in the Eucharist, and we ask Him to unite Himself with us. The following text is a popular form of spiritual communion; you can memorize it or use it as a guide to offering your

own act of spiritual communion in your own words.

~*Deacon Dave Reising*

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

April Birthdays

Please join us in wishing these Brother Knights a Happy April Birthday:

Dean Dupps

Haldie Pederson

Stephen Kopp

Ryan Thompson

John Martis

Wes Gouty

David Parsch

Paul Murphy

James Torphy

Mike Hunckler

Robert Stone

Daniel Long

Ross Jean

Tom Scarlett

Greg Stanley

CDR Scott Gootee

John Marshek

James Kelly



Fourth Degree

Don Beenblossom and Nathan Childers made their Fourth Degree Exemplification in Corydon on Saturday March 6th.

Congratulations Don and Nathan and welcome Sir Knights!



Our Council
Program List

PROGRAM	FREQ	DATE(S)
Bingo	Weekly	Mondays
Family Night at the Hall	Weekly	Fridays
Lenten Fish Fry	Weekly	Fridays of Lent
Newsletter	Monthly	1st Week of Month
1st-3rd Degree Meeting	Monthly	1st Tuesdays
Family of the Month	Monthly	1st Tuesdays
Second Friday Dinners	Monthly	2nd Fridays
4th Degree Meeting	Monthly	3rd Tuesdays
Officers Meeting	Monthly	Last Tuesdays
Friday Pitch-In	Monthly	Last Fridays
First Degree Exemplifications	Quarterly	Feb, May, Aug, Nov
Blood Drives	Semi-Annual	May & October
Free Throw Competition	Annual	January
Holy Thursday Honor Guard	Annual	Holy Thursday
4H Fair	Annual	July
Memorial Mass	Annual	July
Installation of Officers	Annual	July
Oktoberfest	Annual	September
Super Bowl Party	Annual	February
March for Life	Annual	May
Boys Club Spring Banquet	Annual	May
Membership Drive	Annual	April
First Degree Exempl (special)	Annual	April 7
Second Degree Exemplification	Annual	April 7
Third Degree Exemplification	Annual	April 7
Indiana State Convention	Annual	April
KofC Presents: For Greater Glory	One-Time	April 27
Mother's Day Brunch	Annual	May
Gibault Raffle	Annual	June
Columbus Cash and Cookout	Annual	June
Knights Ride for Gibault	Annual	August
Feed the BNL Football Team	Annual	August/Sept
Tootsie Roll Campaign	Annual	September
Gibault Envoy Conference	Annual	September
Coats for Kids Fund Raiser	Annual	October
Columbus Day Dinner	Annual	October 12
Boys Club Fall Banquet	Annual	November
Thanksgiving Dinner	Annual	November
Ladies Christmas Party	Annual	December
New Year's Eve Party	Annual	December 31
One Rose One Life	Annual	unk
Bus Tour	Annual	UNK
Special Olympics	Annual	UNK
Habitat for Humanity	As Needed	UNK

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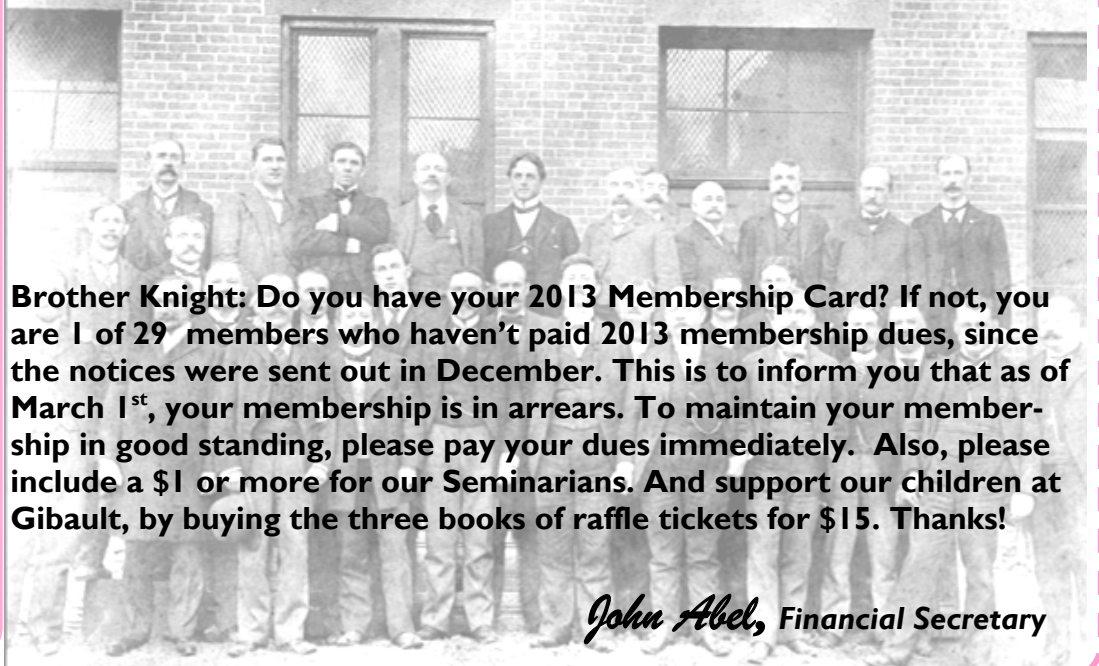
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Brother Knight: Do you have your 2013 Membership Card? If not, you are 1 of 29 members who haven't paid 2013 membership dues, since the notices were sent out in December. This is to inform you that as of March 1st, your membership is in arrears. To maintain your membership in good standing, please pay your dues immediately. Also, please include a \$1 or more for our Seminarians. And support our children at Gibault, by buying the three books of raffle tickets for \$15. Thanks!

John Abel, Financial Secretary

April 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Bingo—Esboldt Pulltab—Steber Bar—Kostin	2 1st Degree Meeting 7:00 pm	3	4	5 Bar—G. Stanley Family Night 7:00 pm	6
7	8 Bingo—May Pulltab—Crandall Bar—Ikerd	9	10	11	12 Bar—Ikerd Family Night 7:00 pm Euchre Tourney 7:30 pm	13
14	15 Bingo—Kostin Pulltab—G. Stanley Bar—Hefferenan	16 4th Degree Meeting 7:00 pm	17	18	19 Bar—Crandall Family Night 7:00 pm	20
21	22 Bingo—Esboldt Pulltab—J. Abel Bar—Whipple	23	24	25	26 Bar—Tincher Family Night 7:00 pm	27
28	29 Bingo—May Pulltab—Steber Bar—Kostin	30 Officer's Meeting 7:00 pm				