



The Knightly News

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Anniversaries

William & Katherine Sleva
04/04 41 years

Kevin & Diane Banker
04/31 25 years

Kevin & Kathleen Bullock
04/17 17 years

Gilberto & Debra Mata
04/17 12 years

Terry & Millie Castagnier
04/24 40 years

James & Kathryn Bromley
04/25 57 years

John & Judy Martis
04/30 67 years

Randy & Peggy Srygley
04/30 35 years

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From the Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

The fish fries are complete for another year. I would like to thank everyone that was involved and my most gracious thanks to Kevin Steber for running the fish fries for us this year. Kevin took over the bull by the horns and gave us seven successful fish fries. I would also like to thank Eric Ast for putting together our first Easter Egg Hunt in a few years. He put together a highly successful and great event for the enjoyment of all. We will have to make sure that this event continues for many more successful years.



April brings us many great things to participate in. First is our membership drive on the 17th. I hope as many us will attend as possible. This is to help raise interest in the Knights and our activities to more Men within our parishes. We will be explaining what the Knights do and how we benefit our communities and each other. Also, this is a great opportunity to see all of the activities that our council does and to get involved. This will be a great event not only for future members, but for all of our membership to attend. As well as the membership drive, there is also a 2nd and 3rd degree being planned for the month, with more details yet to come. We will be contacting those eligible when the time is set. April also brings our yearly State Convention in Indianapolis. This year is a voting year, so we will be electing new State Officers to lead and guide the Knights of Indiana.

Looking to the future, we will soon also have our nomination and selection of Officers in the coming months. As tradition, most of us will be reelected into our current offices for another term. We do however still have some vacancies that need to be filled. If you have any interest in becoming an officer in our council, please contact myself (cox.steven@gmail.com) or John Abel.

Thank you for your continued support and I look forward to another great month.

Vivat Jesus,

Steven Cox, GK

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!**Bedford Columbian Home Association, Inc. Annual Meeting of Corporation Members****May 3rd, 2016****April Birthdays**

Dean J. Dupps
 Halfdan E. Pederson Jr.
 Stephen H. Kopp
 Ryan W. Thompson
 John G. Martis
 Wesley A. Gouty
 David J. Parsch
 Michael E. Hunckler
 Robert J. Stone
 Daniel J. Long
 Gary R. Jean
 Matthew T. Scarlett
 Gregory A. Stanley
 Scott R. Gootee
 John J. Marshek
 James M. Kelly

Notice is hereby given to all members in good standing. You are officially notified of the annual meeting of the corporation membership, to be conducted on Tuesday, May 3rd, 2016, following the regular Council membership meeting, which starts at 7:00 PM, in the Council chambers, at 2202 M Street, Bedford, IN. It is emphasized that all Council #1166 members in good standing are members of the Bedford Columbian Home Association, Inc. Your attendance at this meeting is hereby solicited and will be heartily appreciated by your Board of Directors.

Primary business to be brought fourth includes: The election of two members to the board and any other matter brought to the attention of the Board of Directors and the membership, will be addressed.

Fraternally Yours,

J. T. Parsch

President, Bedford Columbian Home Association

From the Patriotic Order:

Knights and Sir Knights,

We believe that one of the preferred methods of communications is by text message and via mobile phones. In order to facilitate better communications in this way we are asking all members to text or email John Abel with your NAME and CELL PHONE NUMBER. John's cell phone number is [812-583-2884](tel:812-583-2884) and his email address is jeabel38@yahoo.com.

Vivat Jesus

Jim Parsch

Faithful Navigator

**Membership Drive**

Just a reminder we are trying to get a 1st degree initiation in April. Potential members should be getting information in the mail about joining the Knight of Columbus. But word of mouth and encouragement by the current members of our council will go a long way in getting them to join. If you know of someone who is interested please let me know and we can get in contact with them to share the benefits of being a Knight.

Thanks,

Chancellor

Kevin Steber—812-278-0748 ksteber104@gmail.com

The Deacon Corner

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates the month of April to the Blessed Sacrament. Obviously, one of the things that set us Catholics apart from other Christians is our belief in the Real Presence during the consecration at Mass and afterwards. This is why we can have the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. We have been blessed with the Adoration Chapel in our community and can go there at any time day or night to pray before the Blessed Sacrament, which is the Body of Christ. It is always good to pray what is on our hearts before the Blessed Sacrament but there are also special prayers like the Act of Adoration. In the Act of Adoration, we thank Christ for His continued presence among us, not just through His grace but physically, in the Holy Eucharist. His Body is the Bread of Angels, offered for our strength and salvation.

Act of Adoration

I adore You, O Jesus, true God and true Man, here present in the Holy Eucharist. I humbly kneel before You and unite my spirit with all the faithful on earth and all the blessed in heaven. In deepest gratitude for so great a blessing, I love You, my Jesus, with my whole heart, for You are all perfect and all worthy of my love.

Give me the grace never to offend you in any way, and grant that I, being refreshed by Your Eucharistic presence here on earth, may be found worthy to come to the enjoyment with Mary of Thine eternal and ever blessed presence in heaven. Amen.



Pictured is a newly constructed canopy at Parkview Primary that provides shelter for developmental pre-school children as they travel between the bus and the building entrance. With the help of a Lawrence County Community Foundation (LCCF) grant, this project was funded by Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive proceeds. Pictured (L-R) below the canopy are: Hope Flores - LCCF Executive Director, Greg Stanley - Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive Chairman, Emily Dykstra - North Lawrence Community Schools Director of Special Education, Jerry Hill - LCCF Board President, and Christy Wintczak - Principal of Parkview Primary.

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April 2016

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1 Bar—Ikerd Family Night 7:00 pm	2
3	4 Bingo—Tinsley Pulltab—Steber Bar—Kostin	5 1st Degree Meeting 7:00 pm	6	7	8 Bar—Crandall Family Night 7:00 pm	9
10	11 Bingo—May Pulltab—Crandall Bar—Ikerd	12	13	14	15 Bar—Tincher Family Night 7:00 pm	16
17	18 Bingo—Kostin Pulltab—G. Stanley Bar—Heffernan	19 4th Degree Meeting 6:30 pm	20	21	22 Bar—Tinsley Family Night 7:00 pm	23
24	25 Bingo—Tinsley Pulltab—J. Abel Bar—Tincher	26 Officers Meeting 7:00 pm	27	28	29 Bar—Kostin Family Night 7:00 pm	30