

OPENING PRAYER

Fr. James Lang





PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE





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2009)

Paul Upman, PSD (2009-2011)

David Helmstetter, PSD (2011-

2013)

Robert Collins, PSD (2015-2017)

Kevin Miller, PSD (2017-2019)

Robert Byers, PSD (2019-2021)



OPENING REMARKS JEFF KILIANY STATE DEPUTY ELECT





SUPREME 2023 STATE DEPUTY MEETING

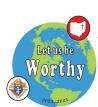




2023 OHIO STRATEGIC PLAN

Keeping Ohio Engaged in Growing the Order

STATE LEADERS
DISTRICT DEPUTIES
COUNCILS



GROWING THE ORDER

- Bring in New Members
- Establish New Councils
- Rejuvenate Struggling Councils
- Develop Leaders



COR INITIATIVE

At the Heart of Our Mission

A new K of C initiative invites men to build bonds of brotherhood through prayer and faith formation

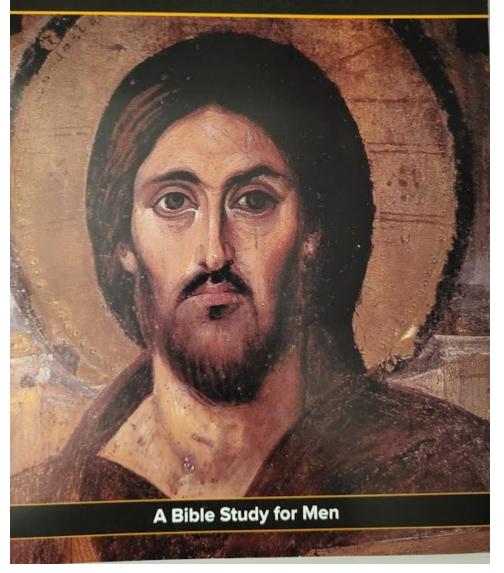


THE WORD 'COR' IS LATIN FOR HEART ...

and the purpose of the *Cor* meeting is to get to the heart of the matter, and to form men to have the heart of a father.



Men of the Word The Good News





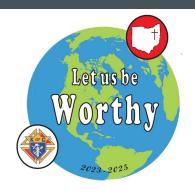
"MEN OF THE WORD,"

a new Bible study for Catholic men, titled "Men of the Word," which will provide discussion content for the *Cor* meeting.



form and strengthen Catholic men in faith and virtue throughprayer, formation, and fraternity.





GOALS

2023-2024

1860 NEW MEMBERS

59 STAR COUNCILS







Supreme Knight Video



Steve Cohen

Supreme Territorial Growth Director







"Leading the Way to Success!!!"

District Deputy Organizational Meeting June/July 2023



Agenda

- 1. You have Chosen To Be Leaders
- 2. Your Responsibility As Leaders
- 3. Leading on Membership Growth
- 4. Leading on Membership Experience and Programs
- 5. Getting off to a Fast Start





Your Role!

 Know that YOU are critical to the growth of the Order

AND to council success



You Have Chosen To Be Leaders

- Membership intake and engagement has been challenging for some councils post-COVID.
 - · Zero recruiting councils
 - Re-engagement of members
- The Church needs our help!
- You can accept excuses or respond positively.
- As leaders, you must set the tone for council growth and member engagement.





Your Responsibility As Leaders

- Lead by Example
 - Be Positive
 - Inspire & Motivate
 - Teach and Train
 - Develop District and Council plans
 - · Execute and Measure
 - · Communicate often and Be Present
 - Be Accountable and Enforce Accountability







Leading on Membership Growth

- Embrace continuous improvement
- Be Present!
 - Attend council meetings
 - Convene District Meetings
 - Advise Grand Knights on how to improve
- Help councils find the right talent
- Encourage councils to put the best people in the right positions
- Share best practices regularly





Leading on Membership Growth

- Go back to basics:
 - · Delta Church Drive training
 - A membership presence at every event
 - 1:1 recruiting "talk track"
- Create membership opportunities
 - Plan 1 District exemplification per quarter
 - Promote Supreme & State Incentives
 - Design your own District incentive
 - Promote online membership and Supreme virtual exemplifications
 - Get councils the training that they need
 - Seek RGD and Trainer Support





Leading on Membership Experience and Programs

- · Faith in Action Programs
 - Get all councils active and promoting Faith programs
 - Vivat Jesus Prayer Books
 - Eucharistic Procession Materials
 - Into the Breach Videos
 - Promote our programs to your councils, members, pastors and chaplains, and to the broader community
 - Treat the Columbian Award as a roadmap to success for councils
 - New ASAP Program: Aid and Support After Pregnancy
- New Cor Meetings



National Eucharistic Revival!

"My Flesh for the Life of the World"

Mission: To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

Vision: A movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission "for the life of the world."

3-year initiative

- K of C is a major partner
 - Developed resources that the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops shared with every diocese in the US.
- Launch date: June 19, 2022 (Corpus Christi Sunday)
- www.Kofc.org/eucharist for resources





Leading on Membership Experience and Programs

- Strong programs lead to engaged members
- Engaged members = satisfied members
- Satisfied members not likely to defect
- Satisfied members will become advocates and will recruit new members





Leading on Membership Experience and Programs

- If we give men what they want, we will never have a retention problem
 - Find out what men are looking to get out of their membership
 - Give them every chance to get it
 - Ensure councils are welcoming to new members
 - Encourage councils to get new members involved fast
 - Councils should conduct regular member surveys
- Help councils get credit for what they do and tell their story
 - Make STAR the goal for every council!
 - Strive to achieve STAR District
 - File SP-7's and 1728 Forms by deadline dates





Leading on Membership Experience and Programs

- On time submission of new DD Council Evaluation Form DD 944 – due September 15
- Timely submission of Fraternal Benefit Night and 10784 reports – don't wait until June
- Open and Read Fraternal Leader Advisories
 - Require your council officers to do the same
- Make it a priority to attend Fraternal Webinars and encourage your councils to do the same
 - Promote these to your council officers





Start Fast

- Answer the "why" recruit and "why now" questions for councils – share the talk track
- Have a written District plan
- Ensure that all councils have plans ideally written plans - and work them – use the Financial Planner
- Instill a "culture of accountability" in all councils
 - Ensure that council leaders lead by example
- Ensure councils build strong relationships
 - With their pastors and that pastors know who we are - and what we do!
 - With Field Agents
- Schedule Fraternal Benefit Nights 2 per year
- Promote Supreme, State and District Incentives





Thank You!

- Remember YOU are the key to success for the Order – AND of your councils
- For all you do every day to grow the Order - and to carry on the mission and vision of Blessed Michael McGivney in your District!







"Leading the Way to Success!!!"

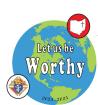
DD TRAINING

Chris Dodson Recovering





District Deputy Director Phil Salasek (for Chris Dodson)



DISTRICT DEPUTY COORD

Chris Dodson State District Deputy Director

John Hoffman District Deputy Coordinator - Cinn

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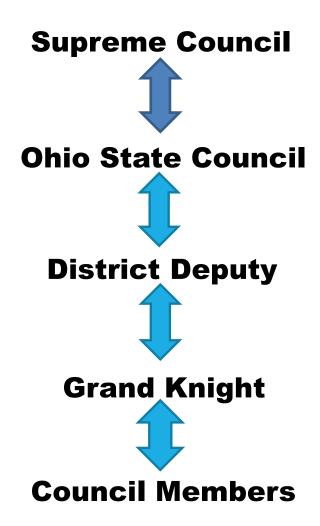
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Council Assessment:

- Look in the mirror
- Be Honest
- Act on your results







State GeneralProgram DirectorMike Jordon



STATE PROGRAM DIRECTORS

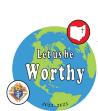
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Tim Mangan
<u>Family Director</u>

Joseph Hartle <u>Community</u>Director

Stewart Vetter

Life Director



Faith in Action

The Four Basic elements of *Faith in Action* are:

- Faith
- Community
- Family
- •Life





Faith in Action Featured Programs Faith

- RSVP Program
- Holy Hour
- Into the Breach

Community

- Coats for Kids
- Wheelchair Mission
- Habitat for Humanity



Faith in Action Featured Programs

Family

- Food for Families
- Family of the Month/ Year
- Family Fully Alive

Life

- March for Life
- Special Olympics
- Pregnancy Center Support (A.S.A.P.)



- The Program consist of doing 4
 activities in each of the four
 Faith in Action Programs
- And each council can do anything they want for their 5th program.



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

- This is the 5th program. Your council can do any great program that they want and fit it into each of the four Faith in Action Programs
- This is the council choice.



State Faith Director Mark Kahanca



State Family Director Tim Mangan



FAITH IN ACTION FAMILY PROGRAMS

- Family of the Month/Year
- Food For Families
- Keep Christ in Christmas
- Consecration to the Holy Family
- Family Fully Alive
- Family Prayer Night



FAITH IN ACTION FAMILY PROGRAMS

- Family Prayer Night
- Family Week



FAMILY SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES

- Family Picnic
- Movie Night
- Sporting Event
- Holy Hour
- Family Social Nights
- Honor Family of the Month/Year at a banquet



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- Each Council must participate and report Five (5) total community activities. Four (4) of the activities must come from the Faith in Action ("FIA") Guidebook Community Program, which includes:
- Helping Hands
- Coats for Kids (Supreme Featured Program)
- Global Wheelchair Mission
- Habitat for Humanity
- Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest
- Disaster Preparedness
- Free Throw/Soccer/Hockey Challenges



- To earn credit for these four activities, a council does NOT need to fulfill all steps/requirements of the FIA Guide. Participation in the activity in any manner will be sufficient to earn the Council credit for State programming purposes. So, THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX about new ways to implement the FIA activities in your council/community.
- Each program will be worth 25 points. Be sure that the report is submitted via the State website to earn program credit and via the Supreme 10784 Form for Supreme/Columbian Award credit.

- The fifth program is Council Choice, meaning a Council can do anything tangentially related to the Community Program and earn credit. The activity does NOT have to be from the FIA Guidebook, though a Council can choose to do a fifth FIA activity.
- For Council Choice, we encourage councils to THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!!! Look for new and unique ways for your Council to get involved and do good works in the community. Some suggestions include:

- Domestic Violence & Homeless Shelter Support
- Nursing Home/Senior Living/Veterans Home Events/Visits
- Community Clean Up/Adopt-a-Highway
- Veterans/Patriotic Events and Flag Day Recognition
- Boy Scout/American Heritage Girls Events/Activities
- Fundraiser for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (\$250 minimum donation)



- Bottom Line- If the activity benefits the community, the Council will earn the 25 points for the Council Choice program.
- In addition, to max the State Community Program, a Council will also need to submit a Youth of the Year Nomination to me either via the State website, email to me, or via regular mail. Councils are encouraged to submit more than just a nomination form, such as photographs, letters of support from priest, youth director, teachers, etc., news articles, etc.



THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO TO SUPPORT YOUR PARISH, LOCAL AND WORLD COMMUNITIES!!!!

LET US BE WORTHY
FOR THE WORLD HE DIED TO SAVE!
VIVAT JESUS!



CULTURE OF LIFE M. STEWART VETTER



HOW IT STARTED

LIFE PROGRAMS

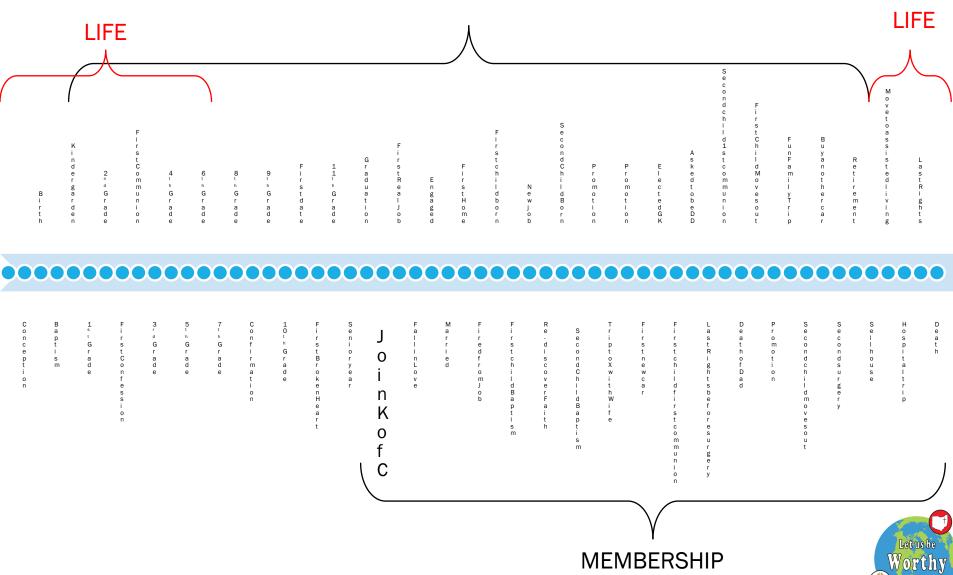
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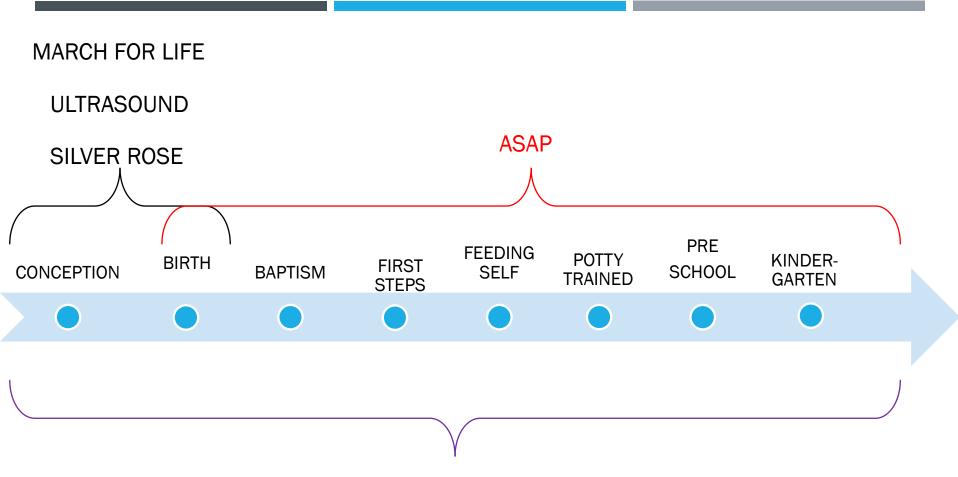




WHAT REAL LIFE LOOKS LIKE

FAITH COMMUNITY FAMILY





NOVENA FOR LIFE

CHRISTIAN REFUGEE FUND

PREGNANCY CENTER SUPPORT



THE OTHER END OF THE TIMELINE

Final Arrangements Education
Inform the family
Euthanasia & Assisted Suicide
Life has dignity until it's natural end
Visit the Imprisoned
Imprisoned in your own mind and body





SPECIAL NEEDS SERVICES

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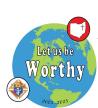






Let Us Be Worthy! "1,000 Point"

State General Program



The Faith in Action program areas (Faith, Family, Community & Life) each require 7 (seven) activities for 200 points:

- 4 Faith in Action activities ~ as listed in this handbook or the Supreme guidebook
- 1 Council Elective activity ~ as related to the respective Faith in Action area

- 1 Honoree of the Year submission ~ as listed in the individualized program area below
- 1 Council Member Safe Environment
 Compliancy ~ as listed in the individualized area below

The (Membership) Growth program requires completing the activities listed below for 200 points leading to council membership growth.



■ FAITH – Complete 7 Activities (200 points)

Complete 4 Faith in Action Activities	25 Pts.
Complete 1 Non-Faith in Action Activity	25 Pts.
Honoree of the Year: Chaplain/ Spiritual Advisor	50 Pts.
Grand Knight - Youth compliant by October 1	25 Pts.



FAMILY - Complete 7 Activities (200 points)

Complete 4 Faith in Action Activities	25 pts
Complete 1 Non-Faith in Action Activity	25 pts
Honoree of the Year: Family	50 pts
Council Family Director - Youth compliant by Oct. 1	25 pts



COMMUNITY - Complete 7 Activities (200 points)

Complete 4 Faith in Action Activities	25 pts.
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Complete 1 Non-Faith in Action Activity 25 pts.

Honoree of the Year: *Youth* 50 pts.

Council Community Director - Youth compliant by Oct. 1 25 pts.



LIFE - Complete 7 Activities (200 points)

Complete 4 Faith in Action Activities 25 pts.

- Complete 1 Non-Faith in Action Activity25 pts.
- Honoree of the Year: Knight
 50 pts.
- Council Program Director Youth compliant by Oct. 1 25 pts.



6 Steps to Max the State General Program

- Step # 1 Max the FAITH Activities Program
- Step # 2 Max the FAMILY Activities Program
- Step # 3 Max the COMMUNITY Activities Program
- Step # 4 Max the LIFE Activities Program
- Step # 5 Max the GROWTH Activities Program
- Step # 6 Complete the 8 Administrative Requirements



Administrative Requirements

Your council has 8 administrative requirements that must be completed to qualify for the TOP STATE awards. Successful completion and submission of the required forms will be the first tiebreaker to determine the top councils in the State General Program.



Program Tiebreakers

Councils that complete all the required Steps of the State General Program will be in the running for the top state honors. The tiebreaker rules shown below will be used to position those councils that max the *Let Us Be Worthy!* State General Program by completing all program activities, earning 1,000 points.

Tiebreaker # 2: Highest Percent gain in Growth for the Fraternal Year

Tiebreaker # 3: Participation of Councils: Football Frenzy, Matching Funds, Super Cash Bonanza, and/or Support Our Seminarians



State, Division, & Diocesan Awards Councils have the chance to earn a variety of awards based upon their performance in the Let Us Be Worthy! State General Program. Councils that complete the following list of requirements will receive their awards at the 2024 or 2025 Ohio State Council Convention. There will be 3 (three) award levels.



The Joseph Award

Complete and report any program activities to earn at least **500 program points**.

Record a membership growth gain of 1 (one) new member as of May 1.



The Mary Award

Complete and report the required 28 program activities in the 4 reporting areas and earn 1000 program points.

Record a membership growth gain of 2 (two) per cent as of May 1.

The Jesus Award

Complete and report the required 28 program activities in the 4 reporting areas and earn 1,000 program points.

Achieve your council's Supreme Growth Quota as of May 1.

Administrative Award

This recognition will be presented to all councils that complete the 8 (eight) required administrative activities shown under the Administrative Requirements section. This award recognizes those councils that keep current with the Supreme and State reporting requirements.



Top Overall Statewide Awards

The **Top 5** (**five**) **councils** statewide regardless of division size will receive an award for their standing in the State General Program contest. The Tiebreaker rules will also be used to determine the overall council standings.

Eligible councils shall have earned the **1,000 program points** and submitted all the required **Administrative Requirements.**

Division Awards

One council in each of the 5 Divisions (based on size of council) will be presented with the Ohio State Council ~ Let Us Be Worthy Award. This will be the council in each division based on its standing at the conclusion of the state general program and the total number of points achieved with any tiebreakers.

Let Us Be Worthy! Award

One council in each of the 5 Divisions (based on size of council) will be presented with the OHIO COUNCIL OF **DISTINCTION AWARD**. This will be the council in each division based on its standing at the conclusion of the state general program and the total number of points achieved with any tiebreakers.

Supreme Council Awards

An award will be given to the council regardless of division for the Best Overall Statewide Activity. *There will be a total of 4 (four) state awards*.

Recipients of these awards will have their activity forwarded to Supreme Council for consideration at the Supreme Convention. The 4 program areas of the Supreme Council awards are Faith, Family, Community, and Life. Please use Supreme State Council Service Program Awards Entry Form (#STSP)--one entry form should be completed for each program category.

Honorees of the Year

Six Diocesan Awards - One State Award

One award will be given to an outstanding individual in each of the 6 dioceses for each of the following categories: Chaplain, Family, Youth and Knight.

An overall state award honoree will be chosen from each category. Each of the state award winners will receive 1 complimentary room for Saturday night at the state convention and 2 state convention banquet tickets. *There will be 24 diocesan and 4 state awards for the Honorees of the Year.*

State Officer of the Year Award

The **State Officer of the Year** will be presented to the State Officer whose diocese has the highest percentage of active council participation in the state general program and the highest percentage growth. *There will be 1 (one) state officer designated as the award recipient.*

Charles Riesbeck Memorial Award

This award will be presented during the State Council Tour for the following: The council with the highest new membership intake in the state during the fraternal year regardless of Division. *1 (One) Award*.

The council with the highest total percentage increase in membership growth in the state during the fraternal year regardless of Division. *1 (One) Award*.

ELECTRONIC REPORTING

The state general program is viewable on the Ohio State Council website for review and reference. It is in .pdf format so all or some of its contents can be readily downloaded and printed. *The Ohio State Council Knights of Columbus website address is www.kofcohio.org*.

All reporting is to be completed online. Snail mail is only permitted for the Honorees of the Year, but all other reporting is to be completed online unless advised otherwise.

Special notice: Reports are to be entered as completed or **MONTHLY** as applicable. The portal will close for this year's submissions for the state general program competition on **April 15**.

If applicable or necessary, reports can also be submitted to Supreme Council, following instructions for Fraternal Programs Report Form # 10784.

Please report all programs in a timely manner.

Big Surprise!!



LET US BE WORTHY

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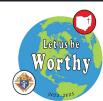


Knights of Columbus Ohio State Council

2023 Super Cash Bonanza Winners List

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ONLINE PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORTING

- The state is not using Form #10784 for reporting activities to state directors
- Form #10784 will no longer automatically submit activities to the state
- Form #10784 should still be used for submitting activities to Supreme



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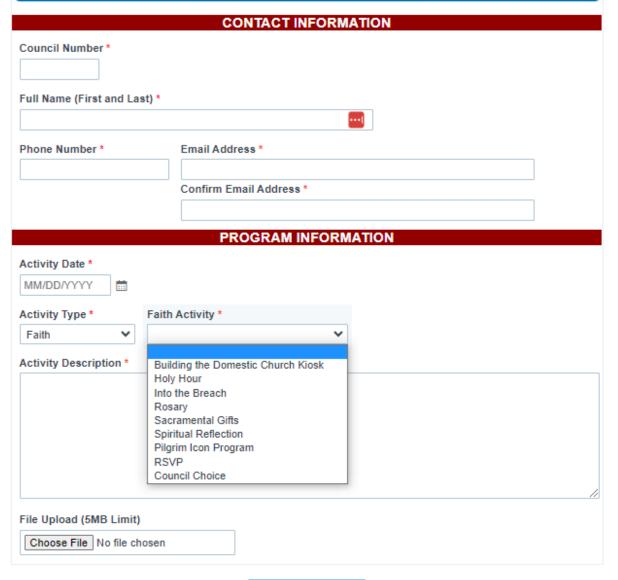


FRATERNAL PROGRAMS REPORT FORM

CONTACT INFORMATION Council Number * Full Name (First and Last) * Phone Number * Email Address * Confirm Email Address * PROGRAM INFORMATION Activity Date * MM/DD/YYYY Activity Type *



FRATERNAL PROGRAMS REPORT FORM







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Thank you for submitting your Faith council program and/or activity.

This is your confirmation email indicating that your entry was submitted successfully. A notification was sent to the appropriate program director to let them know of your submission.

If there are any questions or concerns, please reply to this message and it will be forward appropriately.

God Bless.

Council Number	14406
Full Name (First and Last)	Tom Buehner
Phone Number	2165540722
Email Address	tom.buehner@gmail.com
Activity Date	07/05/2023
Activity Type	Faith
Faith Activity	Council Choice
Council Choice Activity Title	An amazing faith activity
Activity Description	Let me tell you about this amazing faith activity!
Activity Status	Pending
Faith Director Email	doy.kofc.ddc@gmail.com



AFTER THE PROGRAM DIRECTOR GRADES IT...



Council Program Report #25077960 - Reviewed > Inbox ×

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to me 🕶



Your Faith council program and/or activity has been reviewed.

If there are any questions or concerns, please reply to this message and it will be forward appropriately.

God Bless.

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Activity Description	Let me tell you about this amazing faith activity.
Activity Status	Approved
Activity Status Director's Comments	Approved You're right! That is an amazing faith activity!



Break



FAITH FORMATION



LUNCH

Get Receipt or charge to room



DD BREAK OUT SESSIONS

- Communications Phil Salasek & Mike Thomas Olentangy A
 Group A 1:00-1:20 Group B 1:25-1:45 Group C 1:50-2:10 Group D 2:15-2:35
- Rejuvenation of Councils Ken Girt & his team Olentangy B
 Group B 1:00-1:20 Group C 1:25-1:45 Group D 1:50-2:10 Group A 2:15-2:35
- Delta Church Drives and Growth Steve Cohen and Andy Nuckols Ohio A
- Group C 1:00-1:20 Group D 1:25-1:45 Group A 1:50-2:10 Group B 2:15-2:35
- Programs and Fraternal Benefits Michael Jordan and Dave Roberts
 Ohio B
- Group D 1:00-1:20 Group A 1:25-1:45 Group B 1:50-2:10 Group C 2:15-2:35



STATE GROWTH TEAM

Cincinnati

Willi Meyer

Toledo

Vic Lauterbach Cincinnati North

Mark Kosobud

Cincinnati South

Eric Yang Columbus

Columbus

Michael Incorvati

Youngstown

Diocese

Cleveland

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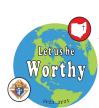
Dom Capezzuto Youngstown

Erol J. Hosdil Steubenville



STATE GROWTH TEAM

- Michael Freil Membership Retention Coordinator
- Robert Hernandez Hispanic Council Coordinator
- Greg Singlar E-MembershipCoordinator



STATE GROWTH TEAM

You! All District Deputies in the Great State of Ohio!



TALKING POINTS

Men of Action

Knights are men who step into the breach with concrete, charitable action, fueled by faith.

Leader for Life

 Knights stand firmly in support of life. We stand tall behind what we've done in support of the movement. There is much more to do.



Firm in the Faith

A strong faith is and must be at the heart of our work. Given today's challenges, we are redoubling our efforts in the area of faith formation and spiritual revival.

Growing Catholic Fraternity

- Membership is growing now is the time to aim even higher.
- Financially strong, Committed to Charity
 - Financial solutions are among the original signs of our charity. This now includes access to insurance, investments and philanthropic products and services for eligible members, individuals and institutions.

MEN OF ACTION

Charity, our first principle, impacts lives at home and around the world. We can see it in our disaster relief efforts in places like Kentucky, Louisiana and Haiti; our contributions to Special Olympics; our work in the Middle East, the cradle of Christianity and, since February 2022, our response to the invasion of Ukraine.



LEADER FOR LIFE

- Life, from the moment of conception to natural death, is sacred and the fundamental right from which all other rights stem. In all our jurisdictions, this fundamental right will continue to be under attack, and it is our duty as Knights to stand in support of life. With the recent reversal of Roe v. Wade, now is the time to double down on efforts to help expectant and new mothers, make our voices heard to change the culture, and grow our life-affirming programs, locally and nationally.
- Aid and Support After Pregnancy (ASAP)
- Ultrasound
- Silver Rose
- Ohio March for Live in October



FIRM IN THE FAITH

- On so many fronts, the shapers of culture are working to undermine the truths on which all societies depend. We see it in the denial of human dignity, attempts to redefine the human person and the rejection of our basic human rights. Amid this crisis, it's getting harder to be Catholic. Each of these challenges is a serious breach a breach in the foundation of society. The Order urges members to plan for spiritual formation at the state and local levels and to consider these initiatives as part of your efforts:
- Eucharistic Revival Our Order is strongly supporting the National Eucharistic Revival a critical movement throughout North America to correct a critical misunderstanding of the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.



FIRM IN THE FAITH

- Into the Breach Our popular video series (and study guide) seeks to answer the questions "What does it mean to be a man?" and "how should a man exercise his manhood in today's world?" These educational short videos have been viewed more than a million times. If you have not yet organized a study program based around this series in your council, please do so in 2023-2024.
- Vivat Jesus Vivat Jesus is a prayer guide to assist members in growing their prayer life. It includes a daily prayer plan, feast days, a monthly challenge from our supreme chaplain, prayers and devotions, spiritual reflections and other aides for a renewed, vibrant spiritual life. Consider purchasing copies for yourself, council members, gifts for parishioners, prospective Knights, men's retreats and much more. Be sure to look for the 2023 edition coming out this November.
- COR Heart to Heart

GROWING CATHOLIC FRATERNITY

- Blessed Michael J. McGivney Knights of Columbus Founder, exemplary parish priest Today, as in 1882, men need what Father McGivney envisioned when he founded the Knights. Join us in praying for his intercession and registering as a member of The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild. Visit www.fathermcgivney.org and receive information about the life, works and spirituality of our founder.
- "The Holy Father is confident that the Knights, in the spirit of Blessed Michael McGivney, will discover innovative ways to inspire young Catholic men to serve our Lord and his Church, to share in the Order's high ideals of faith and fraternity, and to join in its charitable works." – Papal Message to the 140th Supreme Convention (Nashville, Tenn August 2022)

FINANCIALLY STRONG, COMMITTED TO CHATITY

What started as a small mutual aid society is now a Fortune 1000 life insurance company and, through Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors and Knights of Columbus Charitable Fund, we offer today access to a wide assortment of investment and philanthropic products and services. Through these financial services we are not only able to protect Catholic families and offer faith-based solutions but are also able to spread the mission and vision of Blessed Michael McGivney and the good works of the Order

PATRICK KELLY – SUPREME KNIGHT

Now is the time for you to make your impact: in your own life, in your family, in your parish, in your community, and in the world.



STAR COUNCIL

- Father McGivney Award (Growth) 6% growth
 - Min-5 new members, Councils with Less Than 80 Members
 - Max-15 new members, Council with Greater Than 241 Members
- Founders Award (Insurance Growth)

Changed All councils must host / promote at least two Fraternal Benefit Events during the fraternal year. The required **SUM TOTAL ATTENDANCE** of members, or member eligible men, at both of these events combined, must equal or exceed:

- 10 for councils with 99 or fewer members
- 14 for councils with 100 or more members



STAR DISTRICT CHECKLIST

- Form #944 District Deputy Report Due 9/15
- Membership Growth
 - Reach 70% of combined council growth quotas
- Insurance Growth
 - Founders Award earned by 50% of councils in district
- Overall District Excellence
 - At least one council in the district must earn Star Council Award

EXEMPLIFICATION OF CHARITY, UNITY AND FRATERNITY

- Four ways to conduct an exemplification:
 - Conduct a live in person exemplification using the script
 - Watch a live online exemplification, Ohio State Council via Zoom on Wednesday 7 pm
 - Download the exemplification video for viewing
 - Supreme on the demand exemplification
 - Kofc.org/ceremonials



EXEMPLIFICATION OF CHARITY, UNITY AND FRATERNITY

- Hold a CUF Exemplification at least once per month in your District and file the from 450 via Ohio State Council site
 - https://kofcohio.org/forms/ DD State Exemplification Report (#450)
 - Make it a full District Degree for all your councils.
 - Rotate the Degree each month to different council
 - Promote the Shining Armor Award



SHINING ARMOR AWARD



- Mentors / Proposers / Sponsors help new members earn Shining Armor Award
- Qualifications
 - Be involved in at least 3 council Faith in Action programs
 - Attend at least 3 council meetings
 - Attend an Exemplification of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity
 - Meet with your council's insurance representative or attend a fraternal benefits night
 - Sponsor at least one man who becomes a member in the Order



Requirements

- Worked on 3 council Faith in Action programs ______
- Attended at least 3 council meetings _____
- Met with council insurance representative

Let us be Worthy

The above items must be completed and approved by our Grand Knight during a fraternal year in order to qualify.

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DELTA CHURCH DRIVE

- Take regional training and encourage councils to also take online training webinar
- Council Goal two Church Drives per year
 - Blessed Fr. McGivney Church Drive to strengthen our support for the cause of sainthood for Our Founder in August
 - Columbus Day Weekend (preferred) or anytime during the month of October
 - Founders Day(March 29) Weekend (preferred) or anytime during the month of March
- Delta Church Drive Kits are FREE from Supplies Online



HOW TO ORDER YOUR DELTA CHURCH DRIVE KIT

1. Log on to Supreme website and sign in to your Officers Online. From there click Supplies online



- 2. It will take you to the Supplies website
- 3. Click on Kits
- 4. Then click on Delta Church Drive KIT





GENERAL PROGRAM - GROWTH

- Church Drive
 - Blessed Fr. McGivney Church Drive or (25 Points)
 - Columbus Day Church Drive or (25 Points)
 - Founders Day (March 29) Church Drive (25 Points)

(25 points first drive; 25 points second drive with maximum of 50 points)

- In Person Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity Degree (25 Points)
- Fraternal Benefit Event (25 Points)
- Council Growth % of new members based on Supreme on May 1st (1 to 100 points)

(Council receives 200% Double Star Council will get bonus 25 points)



GROWTH - CHURCH DRIVES

- Blessed Fr. McGivney Church Drive to strengthen our support for the cause of sainthood for Our founder. Complete in August, the month in which Father McGivney was born and died.
- Columbus Day Weekend (preferred) or anytime during the month of October
- Founders Day(March 29) Weekend (preferred) or anytime during the month of March



GROWTH - CHURCH DRIVES

- To earn credit for this activity, submit the online report for two church drives, following:
- Your council **Must** grow your council by at least **one new member**, for any of the statewide growth drives.
- Submit on your online report the new member name and membership number and the date of his Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity Degree.
- The new member must show up on the Supreme Council Membership Report:
 - August State Membership Drive by October 1
 - October State Membership Drive by December 1
 - March State Membership Drive by May 1
- More information about Delta Church Drives can be found in the OSC Growth Handbook.



GROWTH – EXEMPLIFICATION OF CHARITY, UNITY, AND FRATERNITY

Our current Exemplification is a combined degree designed to convey our lessons effectively in under an hour. It is tailored to involve our Priests as well as families, friends, and fellow parishioners. Ideally it will be performed in the Church itself but can be performed in a Parish or Council Hall. The new degree requires a smaller team with much shorter speaking parts. It exemplifies the lessons of Charity, Unity and Fraternity in a quicker, non-sense way. At the conclusion, candidates become Third Degree members. Whether presented from memory or read from a script, the degree must be professionally presented. We want every Council in Ohio to have an Exemplification team of Charity, Unity and Fraternity.



GROWTH - EXEMPLIFICATION OF CHARITY, UNITY, AND FRATERNITY

- Your council **Must** grow your council by at least **one new member,** for Exemplification of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity held live and in person by the council team.
- Submit on your online report the new member name and membership number and the date of his Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity Degree.



GROWTH - FRATERNAL BENEFIT EVENT

- A Fraternal Benefit Event is not only a great way to remind members of the fraternal benefits available to them, it's also a great way to introduce prospective members to the Knights of Columbus. The Founders' Award recognizes excellence in the promotion of our insurance and fraternal benefits. Councils striving for the Founder's Award must host/promote at least two Fraternal Benefit Events during the fraternal year. The required sum total attendance of members can be found in the Star Council requirements. Please consult the Fraternal Benefits Event Guidebook.
- To earn credit for this activity, Grand Knight submit form #11077 to the General Agent within seven (7) days of the Fraternal Benefit Event.



GROWTH - COUNCIL GROWTH PERCENTAGE

■ Your Council must experience positive membership growth by May 1st Star Council report. Based on percentage of Growth, points will be awarded. Example, If your council had 75% growth, then council would be awarded 75 points to general program contest. Any council making 200% (Double Star) or greater in Growth, will receive bonus of 25 extra points towards general program contest.



E MEMBERSHIP CORDINATOR:

Greg Singlar

gsing50@gmail.com

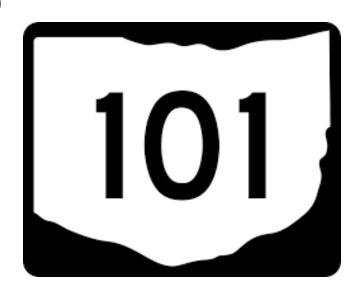
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E-MEMBERSHIP 1.0

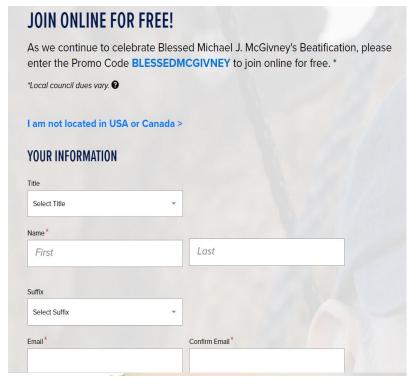
- Why do we use E-Membership?
 - A fast and easy way to sign up members to join the Knights of Columbus
- E-Membership vs the Form 100 way?
 - A man can be a Knight within 1-2 days, vs 1-2 months with an old school Form 100





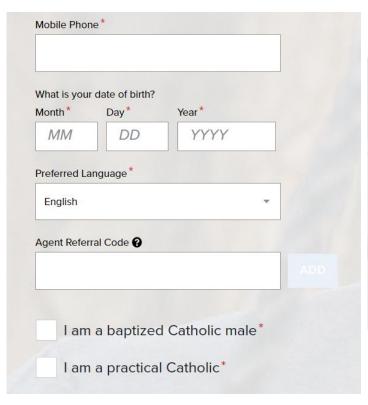
THE PROCESS TO SIGN A MAN UP ONLINE

- Go to Kofc.org/join
- Fill out all the information on the form
 - Anything with a Red * is required
- Make sure he has an email address! This is very important for after he signs up
- If they don't have an email, they need to use someone that does that is not a Knight of Columbus
 - This registration will recognize any Knight's email address





ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NEEDED

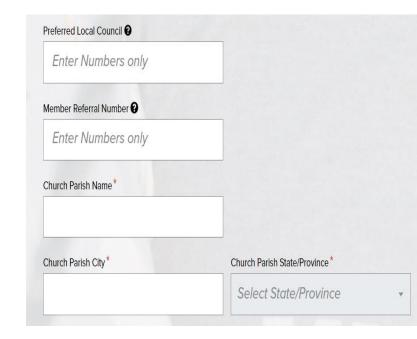






SIGN THEM INTO YOUR COUNCIL!

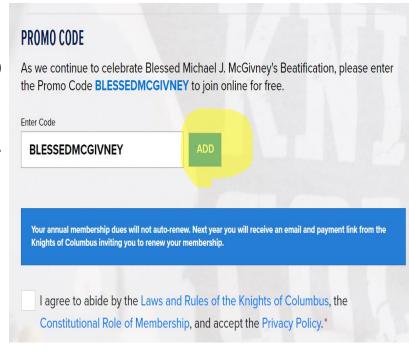
- If you are signing someone up, please make sure your Council number is entered in the
 Preferred Local Council section
 - Otherwise, my best educated guess will be put forward and it will assign him to the nearest council to their parish
 - If a member is assigned to the wrong council member, Worthy DD please contact me, and I can get a new form sent out





ENTERING THE FREE MEMBERSHIP CODE

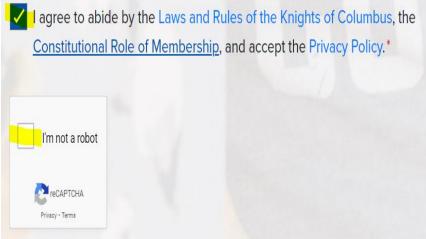
- Don't forget to make sure the online code BLESSEDMCGIVNEY is added to their sign up, otherwise, they will be required to enter a credit card number and be charged the \$30 for membership
- The blue button is clickable!
- Simply click the blue button, click add and it will add to the cart for them





FINAL REGISTRATION STEPS

- Click the checkbox that you agree to the Laws
 & Rules of the order
- Confirm that you are not a Robot
- Click Submit and boom! They are a Knight of Columbus!





AFTER REGISTRATION – URGENT STEPS NEEDED!

- The new member will immediately get an email stating that they need to confirm their membership
- This must be done within 24 hours otherwise their registration goes inactive, and the process needs redone
- Once their email is confirmed, they will get a notification from Supreme congratulating them that they are now officially a member of the Knights of Columbus

Please click the button below to confirm your membership in the Knights of Columbus and let's make this official!

CONFIRM MEMBERSHIP

The Confirm Membership button is unique to you and will remain active for 24 hours.

Please reach out to eMembership@kofc.org if you require any assistance.

Fratemally, Membership Engagement Team Knights of Columbus



IT'S OFFICIAL, YOU'RE A KNIGHT!

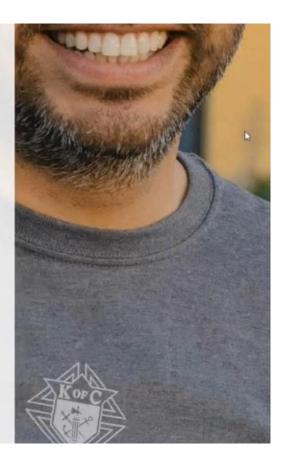
IT'S OFFICIAL YOU'RE A KNIGHT!

Welcome to the Knights of Columbus, the world's largest Catholic fraternal organization! We are a brotherhood of over 2 million Catholic men, bound together by the principles of charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism.

This is the first part of an onboarding program that will help you fully appreciate this fraternal Order that was founded by Blessed Michael J. McGivney in 1882. Over the next three months, you will receive weekly emails that introduce you to the many benefits and experiences that Knights enjoy. You will also receive a personalized welcome packet by mail.

You may reach out at any time to local councils and participate in their social life, prayers, charities, and service projects. Please reach out to eMembership@kofc.org if you require any assistance.

Membership in the Knights of Columbus can be the experience of a lifetime. You are encouraged to take advantage of every opportunity to grow in faith and perform works of charity. We look forward to guiding you on this first stage of your formation as a Knight.





THE REMAINING STEPS TO KNIGHTHOOD

- Supreme vets the new member then he appears in the Prospect tab – this takes 1-2 days
- State Online Director sends online form 100 council
- Council contacts member to verify desire to transfer and coordinates degree participation
- E-member attends degree
- Council transfers e-members



THERE'S ALWAYS A BUT WHAT IF AND FAQ'S!

- Member signed up online on own, what if we can't get ahold of them?
 - Contact the parish to see if they know him and have them contact the member to contact you
- How long does the member stay on the prospect tab?
 - 60 Days from the date in which they are added to the prospect tab
- Can I still fill out an old school Form 100 to sign a new member up?
 - Absolutely! Just be aware the processing time will take a lot longer and make sure all the required information is filled out
- What happens after 60 days and the member still hasn't transferred?
 - He goes on the state e-membership roster and if the member decides to join a council, they must use a Form 100 and list as a transfer

Thank You! See Me Anytime This



Weekend For Questions!



Steve Cohen



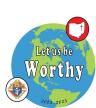
SUNDAY OPENING REMARKS



2023-2024 STAR COUNCIL AWARD

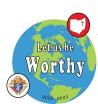
Special Reports
Chairman

Ken Girt, PSD

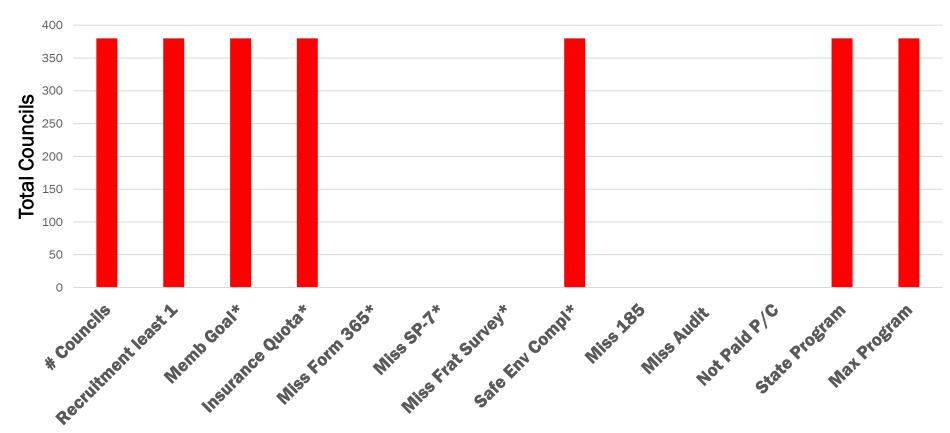


Star Council Award:

"Blueprint for a Successful Council"



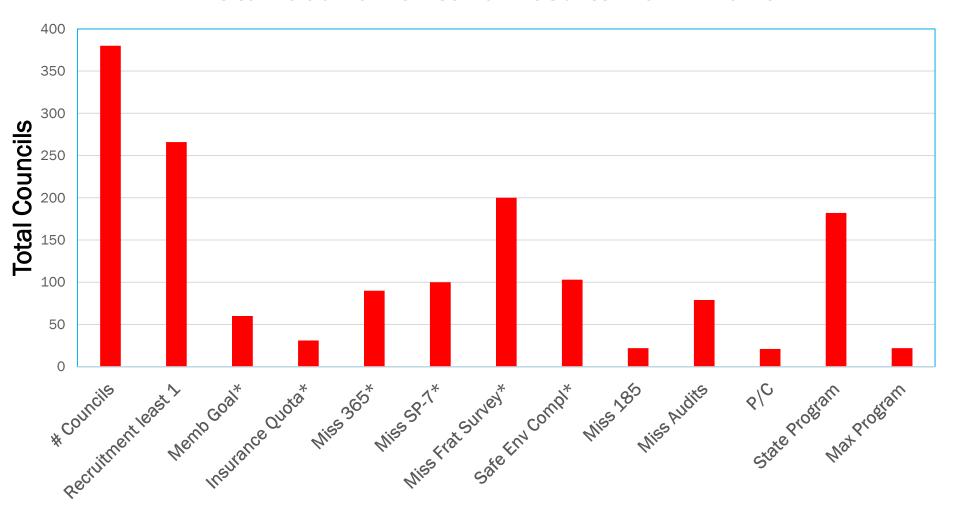
Ideal Ohio State Council



Star Council Criteria (*) & Requirements



Star Council Criteria Results 2022-2023



Star Council Criteria (*) & Requirements



State Deputy Jeff Kiliany's Circle Of Honor Goal for 2023-2024...

59 Star Councils!



At the January 2023 DD Meeting.....

STAR COUNCIL AWARD 2021 – 2022 (LAST FRATERNAL YEAR)

Ohio had <u>24</u> Star Council Awards or <u>6.5%</u> of the 372 Active Councils.

By comparison, Michigan had <u>45</u> Star Council Awards or <u>11%</u> of the 412 Active Councils.

COUNCIL AWARD 2021 – 2022 (LAST FRATERNAL YEAR)

Ohio can do 11% !!!!

We need <u>41</u> councils to achieve the 2022-2023 Star Council Award for 11% of our active councils.



STAR COUNCIL AWARD 2023 - 2024

We need 59 councils to achieve the 2023-2024 Star Council Award for 16% of our active councils.



COUNCIL AWARD 2023-2024

- 1. McGivney Award (Membership)
- 2. Founders Award (Insurance)
- 3. Columbian Award (Service Activities)
- **4 Submit forms 365 and 1728**
- 5 Safe Environment Compliant (All 4 required Council Officer positions)
- 6. Must be in Good Standing with Supreme Council



1. McGivney Award

- 6% INTAKE Membership Growth
- Minimum of <u>5</u> Maximum of <u>15</u>
- No penalty for Suspensions and Withdrawals!



2. Founders Award (Insurance)

- Host and promote <u>TWO</u> fraternal benefit seminars (virtual or in person.)
- SUM ATTENDEES OF BOTH SEMINARS: Minimum of 10 members or Member Eligible attendees for councils with 99 or less members. Minimum of FOURTEEN members or M.E. for councils over 100 members.
- GK submits Form 11077 to Supreme.
- GA is allowed to challenge list



Council Form 11077



Fraternal Benefit Seminar Council Report Form

Councils striving for the Founder's Award must host for co-host) two fraternal benefit seminers (in person or virtual) per year. Each council must have a minimum of 7 members or member-eligible attendees at each seminar. Suggested methods of promotion include council email/social media, parish email/social media, pulpit announcement, builetin notice, and personal outreach to prospects.

DATE HOSTED:	
NUMBER IN ATTENDANCE:	
GRAND KNIGHT SIGNATURE OF APPROVAL:	

This form must be submitted to the council's general agent within 7 days of the Fraternal Benefit Seminar.



General Agent Form



Fraternal Benefit Seminar General Agent Monthly Report

The below councils satisfied the criteria for one fraternal benefit seminar in the month of ______

COUNCIL NUMBERS

GENERAL AGENT SIGNATURE:

General agents must forward this form to Council Growth Pkofc.org for each month

General agents must forward this form to CouncilGrowth@kolc.org for each month seminars are conducted. Final submissions for the fraternal year must be received by the Supreme Council no later than June 30.



3. Columbian Award SP7

16 Total Program credits in 4 Faith in Action categories

- 4 programs in Faith, Family, Community and Life
- No required programs
- Featured programs One Featured Program equals TWO Program Credits.
- Columbian Award Form SP7 submitted by June 30



FEATURED PROGRAMS – COUNTS FOR TWO ACTIVITIES FOR THE COLUMBIAN AWARD

FAITH	COMMUNITY
RSVP	Coats for Kids
Into the Breach	Global Wheelchair Mission
Spiritual Reflection	Habitat for Humanity
Holy Hour	
FAMILY	LIFE
Food for Families	March for Life
Family of the Month/Year	Special Olympics
Family Fully Alive	Ultrasound Initiative
Family Prayer Night	Pregnancy Center Support



Columbian Award Application

Due by June 30th

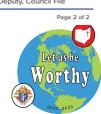
Council Number:	
FAITH PROGRAMS: RSVP, Into the Breach, Spirit Kiosk, Rosary Program, Sacramental Gifts	ual Reflection, Holy Hour, Pilgrim Icon Program, Building the Domestic Church
1. Program Name: Program	Featured Program? YES NO [Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.]
Description: 2. Program Name: Program	Featured Program? YES NO [Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
Description: 3. Program Name: Program	Featured Program? YES NO [Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
Description: 4. Program Name: Program	Featured Program? YES NO [Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
Description: FAMILY PROGRAMS: Food for Families, Family in Christmas, Family Week, Consecration to the H 1. Program Name:	y of the Month/Year, Family Fully Alive, Family Prayer Night, Keep Christ Holy Family, Good Friday Family Promotion Featured Program? YES NO [Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.]
Program Description: 2. Program	Featured Program? YES NO
Name: Program Description:	Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
3. Program Name: Program	Featured Program?
Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
Program Description:	

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS: Leave No Neighbor Behind, Coats for Kids, Global Wheelchair Mission, Habitat for Humanity, Disaster Preparedness, Free Throw Championship, Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest, Soccer Challenge, Hockey Challenge, Helping Hands

1.	Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
	Program Description:	
2.	Program Name:	Featured Program?
	Program Description:	
3.	Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
	Program Description:	
4.	Program Name:	Featured Program?
	Program Description:	
	FE PROGRAMS: Pregnancy Center Support, March fo lief, Silver Rose, Mass for People with Special Needs, No	r Life, Special Olympics, Ultrasound Program, Christian Refugee ovena for Life
1.	Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all featured program minimum requirements.)
	Program Description:	
2.	Program Name:	Featured Program?
	Program Description:	
3.	Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all <u>featured program minimum requirements</u> .)
	Program Description:	
4.	Program Name:	Featured Program? YES NO (Selecting yes indicates you have fulfilled all <u>featured program minimum requirements.</u>)
	Program Description:	
		Signed:
	Grand Knight	Program Director Date

 ${\tt SUBMIT\;ELECTRONICALLY\;TO:fraternal mission@kofc.org} \quad \bullet \quad {\tt SEND\;COPIES\;TO:State\;Deputy,District\;Deputy,Council\;File}$

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4. Forms

A. Submit Form 365

Over <u>90</u> Ohio Councils did not submit this form for 2022-23 fraternal year!! Due Aug 30

B. Submit Fraternal Survey 1728

Over <u>43</u> Ohio Councils did not submit this form for last fraternal year!! Due Jan 31



Service Program Personnel Report

July 1, 20 through June 30, 20

Council #	Jurisdiction:	Due By: AUGUST 1
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The Service Program Personnel Report (#365) must be received by the Supreme Council by August 1 for the council to be eligible to earn the Star Council Award. Please complete and submit the report with the council's appointed personnel.

- · Strongly consider submitting this report through Member Management for expedited processing. This is the preferred method.
- · If filling out this report on paper, be sure to include the accurate membership number for each role.
- Required roles to be appointed have been designated Program Director, Family Director, Community Director, Membership Director, Retention Chairman.
- Changes during the fraternal year should be made using Member Management to update the roles accordingly. If your council uses the paper form, only complete and submit that information which has changed.

PROGRAM DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
REQUIRED		EMAIL	-	-						
FAITH DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
		EMAIL								
FAMILY DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
REQUIRED		EMAIL		•						
COMMUNITY DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
REQUIRED		EMAIL		•						
LIFE DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
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MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
REQUIRED		EMAIL								
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VOCATIONS CHAIRMAN	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
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PUBLIC RELATIONS	MEMBERSHIP NO.	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL						
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SEND ORIGINAL TO: De	epartment of Fraternal	Mission (email: fraternalmission@kofc.org)								
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SEND COPIES TO: State Deputy, District Deputy, Council File

Grand Knight

Service Program Personnel Report Form 365



Date

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Let us be Worthy

Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity

January 1, 20___ through December 31, 20__ State/Jurisdiction

Section I. Fraternal Program Activities

Due January 31st

	Charitable	Hours	
Faith Activities (where applicable)	Disbursements	of Service	Meetings
a. Refund Support Vocations Program			1. Regular
b. Church Facilities			2. Social
c. Catholic Schools/Seminaries			3. Special/Committee
d. Religious/Vocations Education			TOTAL MEETINGS 0
e. Prayer & Study Programs			TOTAL MEETINGS
f. Sacramental Gifts			
g. Miscellaneous Faith Activities			
TOTAL FAITH CONTRIBUTIONS	Δ.		Other Fraternal Commitments (Annual Application)
TOTAL PATTH CONTRIBUTIONS	,		Visits to the Sick
			Visits to the Bereaved
Family Activities (where applicable)			Number of Blood Donations
a. Food for Families			Masses Held for Members
 Family Formation Programs 			
c. Keep Christ in Christmas			Hours of Fraternal Service to
d. Family Week			Sick/Disabled Members and their Families
e. Family Prayer Night			
f. Miscellaneous Family Programs			
TOTAL FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS	0	0	
Community Activities (where applicable)			All information provided on this
a. Coats For Kids			
b. Global Wheelchair Mission			report is to be from Programs
c. Habitat for Humanity			& Activities conducted
d. Disaster Preparedness/Relief			
e. Physically Disabled/Intellectual Disabilities			January 1st through
f. Elderly/Widow(er) Care			December 31st annually.
g. Hospitals/Health Organizations			December 51- annually.
h. Columbian Squires			
 Scouting/Youth Groups 			Due January 31st
j. Athletics			Due Sandary Sist
k. Youth Welfare/Service			
 Scholarships/Education 			Submit form to:
m. Veteran Military/VAVS			
 Miscellaneous Community/Youth Activities 			fraternalmission@kofc.org
TOTAL COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS	0	ů.	
Life Activities (unere applicable)			
a. Special Olympics			
b. Marches for Life			
c. Ultrasound Initiative			State Deputy Date
d. Pregnancy Center Support			
e. Christian Refugee Relief			Member #
f. Memorials to Unborn Children			
g. Miscellaneous Life Activities			
TOTAL LIFE CONTRIBUTIONS	0	ů ů	State Secretary Date
TOTAL	0	0	Member #
		45	
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Section II. Fraternal Commitment Activities

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Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity

Section I. Fraternal Program Activities

Submission Due Date is January 31st

Faith Activities

- a. Refund Support Vocations Program direct contributions to students studying to become priests or postulants
- b. Church Facilities construction, repairs, remodeling, memorial gifts, etc. c. Catholic Schools/Seminaries - donations, grants, equipment, etc.
- d. Religious/Vocations Education scholarships, CCD, lay apostolate, programs, speakers, films, program materials, etc.
- e. Prayer & Study Programs direct contributions to prayer groups, faith program materials, domestic church kipsk, resary program, Marian Icon program, etc.
- t Sacramental Gifts costs related to gifts presented to congregation.
- g. Miscellaneous Faith Activities all other disbursements not outlined above relating to Faith Activities.

Family Activities

Food for Families - direct contributions to food banks, pantries, soup kitchens.

- b. Family Formation Programs Family Fully Alive, Family of the Month/Year, Consecration to the Holy Family, Good Friday Family Promotion, etc.
- c. Keep Christ in Christmas all contributions to KCIC, Journey to the Inn, Light Up for Christ, Christmas Poster Contest, billboard signs, etc.
- d. Family Week direct contributions to the coordination, promotion, and conduct of this program.
- e. Family Prayer Night direct contributions to coordination and execution of this program.
- 1. Miscellaneous Family Programs all other disbursements not outlined above relating to Family Activities.

Community Activities

- a. Coats For Kids direct contributions to purchasing and distribution of coats to those in need.
- b. Global Wheelchair Mission direct contributions to purchasing and coordination of wheelchair distribution to the needy.
- c. Habitat for Humanity direct contributions to Habitat for Humanity projects, materials, tools, and construction.
- d. Disaster Preparedness/Relief direct contributions to planning and executing disaster preparedness and response, food, water, equipment, etc.
- e. Physically Disabled/Intellectual Disabilities direct contributions to schools, care services, organizations, etc.
- Elderly/Widow(er) Care direct contributions to homes for the aged, retired/senior volunteer programs, construction, repairs, remodeling, gifts, etc.
- g. Hospitals/Health Organizations direct contributions to filed Cross, Hospice, heart/cancer funds, equipment, construction, donations, etc.
- Columbian Squires direct contributions to the operations and support of the Columbian Squires program.
- Scouting/Youth Groups direct contributions to sporsorship, volunteer efforts, projects, 4-H, Big Brothers, CYO, mentoring, etc.
- Athletics direct contributions to council sport events, youth sport sponsorships, equipment, transportation, etc.
- Youth Welfare/Service direct contributions to substance/child abuse, foster parents, etc.
- Scholarships/Education direct contributions to career nights, essay contests, scholarships, tuition, fund raising, etc...
- m. Veteran Military/VAV5 direct contributions to veterans. VA hospital support/visitation, memorials, parades, etc.
- Miscellaneous Community/Youth Activities all other disbursements not outlined above relating to Community Activities.

Life Activities

- a. Special Olympics direct contributions to local, state, and national events.
- b. Marches for Life direct contributions to local, state, and nation marches.
- c. Ultrasound Initiative direct contributions to the purchase and placement of Ultrasound machines for crisis pregnancy centers.
- d. Pregnancy Center Support direct contributions to donations, diapers, supplies, baby showers, birthright, etc.
- Christian Refugee Relief direct contributions to aid provided to refugee relief, Solidarity Crosses.
- Memorials to Unborn Children direct contributions to purchases, fund raisers, donations, construction, etc.
- q. Miscellaneous Life Activities all other disbursements not outlined above relating to Life Activities.

Section II. Fraternal Commitment Activities

Meetings

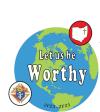
- Business discussing or conducting business
- 2. Social dinners, dances, parties, etc.
- 3. Special/Committee lectures, films, educational, etc.

Fraternal Survey Form 1728



5. Must be Safe Environment Compliant

- All 4 required positions: Grand Knight, General Program Director, Community Director, Family Director (Emails taken from Form 365)
- Personal Emails only! No generic addresses like grandknight18566@gmail.com
- Compliant for three years.
- For Information, access: www.kofc.org/safe



Councils can check on their Safe Environment status by using Officers On-Line.



Officers Online

Hi Kenneth Girt | Last Login: 6/17/2021 at 5:35 pm

Additional Membership ...



Urgent Messages

Council Officers & Service Program Personnel Changes

For a member to be compliant with the Office of Youth Protection, he must have an email in his Primary Email filed on his General Information screen in Member Management, to be assigned to one of the following positions: Grand Knight, Program Director, Community Director or Family Director.

2020-2021 REVISED AWARD REQUIREMENTS

Council, Assembly, and District Award requirements for the 2020-2021 fraternal year have been revised in light of COVID-19. The announcement of these changes can be found here. You can also read more about these changes here.

2020-2021 Revised Award Criteria FAQ

2020-2021 Adjusted Membership Quotas

IMPORTANT NOTICE ON IMPORT FEES AND SHIPPING:

We have opened Knights Gear Canada to serve our Canadian Councils! We strongly recommend that you place all Canadian orders with KnightsGear.CA to avoid US brokerage fees, taxes and duties that are due upon delivery. KnightsGear.com is a US company and the total price paid on the website is in USD and does not include any shipping or taxes import fees. Should you choose to order from KnightsGear.com in the US please note that ALL SALES ARE FINAL and no refunds will be given even for abandoned or refused items. If there are items you are interested in purchasing from KnightsGear Canada that are with not on the site – please email and we will work to get you what you need.

KnightsGear Canada Item Inquiry

Ohio

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Council



Supporting Applications



Office Of Youth Protection



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MEMBER STATUS REPORT

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Country	Juris dicti on	District	Unit Type	Unit Number	Member Number	Role	Name	Email	Training Program Type	Training Program Start Date	Training Due By/Compliance	Re-training Eligibility Date	Background Check Start Date	Background Check Due By/Compliance	•	Member Status
US	OH	34074	council	554	2254000	Program Director (511)	KENNETH J GIRT	GIRTKEN@SSSNET.COM	Refresher	2020-08-31	Compliant	2023-09-01	n/a	n/a		Compliant
US	OH	34074	council	554	3407783	Community Director (514)	MATTHEW J MEYER	GOZIPS02@GMAIL.COM	Initial	2020-08-28	Compliant	2021-08-13	2018-08-06	Compliant	2021-08-10	Compliant
US	OH	34074	council	554	4545173	Family Director (519)	ROBERT J PITTINGER	BPITT1936@GMAIL.COM	Initial	2020-08-28	Compliant	2021-08-09	2020-08-31	Compliant	2023-10-12	Compliant
US	OH	34074	council	554	4842958	Grand Knight (501)	KEN L MC LAUGHLIN	KMAC.NEO@GMAIL.COM	Initial	2020-07-17	Compliant	2021-08-13	2018-08-13	Compliant	2021-08-20	Compliant

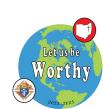


PLEASE NOTE:

If any of the four Council Members fails to obtain Safe Compliant Certification, they are removed from the Council's list of required positions.

The Council's Form 365 is Null & Void and the council must submit a replacement 365 with new Members for those positions.

The Star Council Status Report will list the Council's Form 365 as being Non Submitted



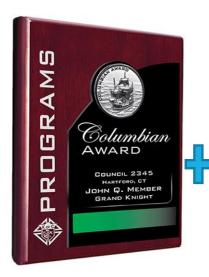
6. Must be in <u>GOOD STANDING</u> with Supreme Council for all assessments



COUNCIL AWARD 2022 - 2023

- 1. McGivney Award (Membership)
- 2. Founders Award (Insurance)
- 3. Columbian Award (Service Activities)
- **4 Submit forms 365 and 1728**
- 5 Safe Environment Compliant (All 4 required Council Officer positions)
- 6. Must be in Good Standing with Supreme Council









Service Program Personnel Report

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Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity

January 1, 20___ through December 31, 20__ State/Jurisdiction

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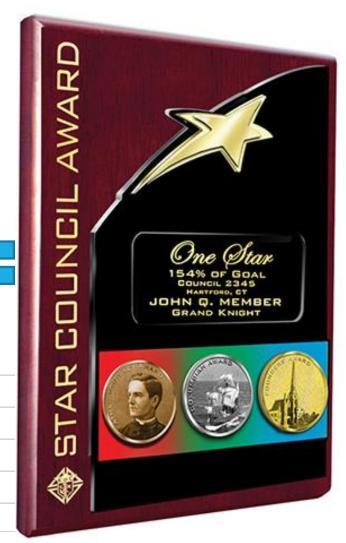
Member Status

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Use the Monthly Star Council Report to keep track of your councils' progress!

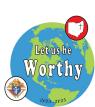
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Worthy District Deputies: We need your help to promote the Star Council Award. Please work with your Grand Knights!



Contact me anytime..... Ken Girt, PSD, State Special Report Chairman 330-608-1729 girtken@sssnet.com

Thank you!



S.K. ED PONDER

Vice Supreme Master





STATE INSURANCE LIASON

David Roberts



GROWTH DIRECTOR COMMENTS

Andy Nuckols



FAST START - INCENTIVES

- From July 1st to September 30
- Ohio "Let Us Be Worthy" Pin
 - Members who recruit at least one new members into a council, if their membership number is on the application for membership will earn an Ohio pin. One pin per recruiter.





FAST START - INCENTIVES FOR DISTRICT DEPUTY

- District Deputy Monthly Competition
 - DD with the highest percentage growth intake in each diocese will receive \$50.00 Knights Gear gift card.



FAST START – INCENTIVES FOR FIELD AGENT

- Field Agent Monthly Competition
 - Field Agent the highest Recruiter of new members will receive \$50.00 Knights Gear gift card for each Agency.



FAST START – INCENTIVES FOR E-MEMBERSHIP

- E-Membership Council Fast Start Incentive
 - The Council in each diocese who recruits and transfers the most E-Members into their council will receive \$100 gift card from Knights Gear during the period from July 1st until September 30th.



FAST START - INCENTIVES FOR COUNCILS

- Fast Start Council Quarterly Challenge
 - Winning Council in each diocese (Cincinnati, Columbus, Cleveland, Toledo, Steubenville, Youngstown) with the highest percentage growth intake. Winner will pick from Knights Gear on of the following, personalized to the winning council.









SHINING ARMOR AWARD – YEAR LONG

The first 100 completed Shining Armor Award cards turned into the State Membership Director will have their pins paid for by the Ohio State Council and they will be in a drawing to win \$100.00. These pins will be purchased by the State Council and sent to the Grand Knight for presentation at the council. Anyone that sends their completed Shining Armor Award cards in after the first 100 will also be placed into a separate drawing to win \$100.00



SUPREME DD YEAR LONG INCENTIVE

HTTPS://WWW.KOFC.ORG/EN/FOR-MEMBERS/RESOURCES/STATE-LEADERS/STATE-DEPUTIES/DD-YEAR-LONG-INCENTIVE.HTML

- Each quarter of the 2023-2024 fraternal year, there will be a new incentive for district deputies. To learn more about these quarterly incentives and to track your progress, see below:
 - Q1 DD Incentive (July 1 September 30)
 - Q2 DD Incentive (October 1 December 31)
 - Q3 DD Incentive (January 1 March 31)
 - Q4 DD Incentive (April 1 June 30)



DISTRICT DEPUTY Q1 INCENTIVE

Every district deputy who attains 30% or better of his District Intake Goal by September 30, 2023, will receive a Custom DD Knights of Columbus Polo shirt and a coin/medallion depicting Charity.



DISTRICT DEPUTY Q2 INCENTIVE

Every district deputy who attains 70% or better of his District Intake Goal by December 31, 2023 will receive a Custom DD Knights of Columbus Jacket and a coin/medallion depicting Unity. District Deputies who qualify in all four quarters will earn the prizes for the <u>Year Long DD Incentive</u>



DISTRICT DEPUTY Q3 INCENTIVE

Every District Deputy who achieves his District Intake Goal by March 31, 2023, will receive a Custom DD Knights of Columbus Dress Shirt and Knights of Columbus tiew and a coin/medallion depicting Fraternity. Similar contests will be run in each quarter and district deputies who qualify in all four quarters will earn the prizes for the <u>Year Long DD</u> <u>Incentive</u>.



DISTRICT DEPUTY Q4 INCENTIVE

- Every District Deputy who attains Star District will receive a Knights of Columbus watch and a coin/medallion depicting Patriotism.
- District Deputies who qualify in all four quarters will earn the prizes for the <u>Year Long DD Incentive</u>.



FINAL DD INCENTIVES

- Additional district deputy incentives include:
- Every District Deputies achieving all four quarters awards will receive a display box containing his 4 coins/medallions depicting Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism, along with a special Blessed Michael McGivney coin/medallion in the center.
- These qualifying District Deputies will also have their name entered into a drawing for a trip to the 2024 Supreme Convention for him and his wife, including travel, lodging, and tickets to the States Dinner.



SUPREME FAST START COUNCIL INCENTIVES FOR 2023-2024

The top (10) councils (based on percentage of recruitment goal) in each jurisdiction that achieve a minimum of 100% of their intake goal by the end of the 1st quarter (September 30, 2023) will get a choice of either a personalized Feather flag, tablecloth or roll up retractable banner from KnightsGear to be used for council membership drives and events.



SUPREME RECRUITER INCENTIVE FOR 2023-2024

Every individual recruiter who recruits 5 new members by the end of the First Quarter (September 30, 2023) will receive a limited-edition recruiters' lapel pin to show his pride in growing the membership in the Order.



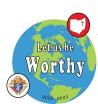
FOOTBALL FRENZY

Gary Eckstein



GENERAL PROGRAM DIRECTOR COMMENTS

Mike Jordan



Big Surprise!!



Quick

Start



July

August



SOS



Councils that bring in 1 New Member and report 4 Activities

State Councils will donate \$ 25.00 to S O S in the councils Name

When Council sends in their S O S Contribution

State will then send in Contribution in Councils Name



Councils that bring in 2+ Members and Report 4 Activities

State Council will Donate \$50.00 to \$ 0 \$ in the councils name

When council sends in their S O S Contribution

State will then send in Contribution in Councils Name



STATE WARDEN ELECT

Tony Offenberger



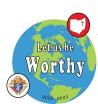
STATE ADVOCATE ELECT

Chris Sarka



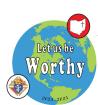
STATE TREASURER ELECT

Jim Maslach



STATE SECRETARY ELECT

Mike Felerski



2023 SUPER CASH BONANZA RAFFLE

- Thank you for all your help and support!
- We did not hit the One Million in Sales
- But we didn't fail
- "We made a boatload of money for Charity"



-Curtis



2023 SUPER CASH BONANZA RAFFLE

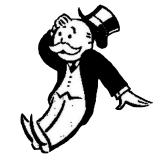
- Over 196,000 Tickets Sold.
- This is also a record year for REBATES!
- I expect to have these rolling out in July.





2023-2024 FRATERNAL YEAR PER CAPITA





 Once per capita payments are received the State Convention milage and per diem checks will be sent to the councils.



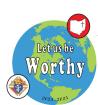


CONTACT INFORMATION FOR QUESTIONS:

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EMAIL: MFELERSKI@ICLOUD.COM

MOBILE: 513.869.0180 (TEXT/VOICE)



IMMEDIATE PAST STATE DEPUTY ELECT

Mark Siracusa



S.O.S 2023-2024

S.O.S

Support Our Seminarians



S.O.S 2023-2024

1St Turn in December 15, 2023



S.O.S 2023-2024

Any questions, please contact
IPSD Mark Siracusa
at cuzza52@gmail.com



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Ohio State Council (kofcohio.org)



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Thank You!



STATE DEPUTY ELECT

Jeff Kiliany



STATE CHAPLAIN

Fr. James Lang



CLOSING PRAYER





THANK YOU

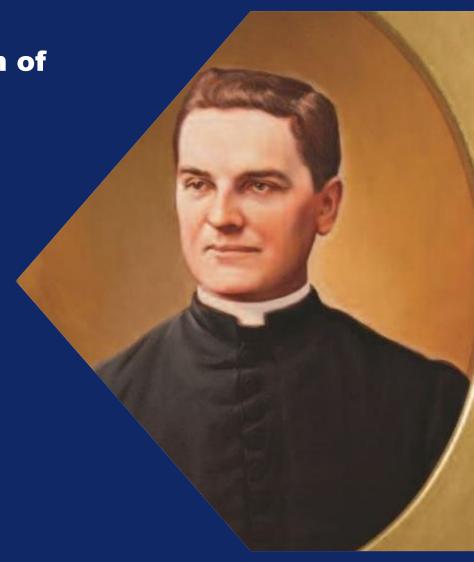
For being a part of the team!

Safe Journey Home



Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

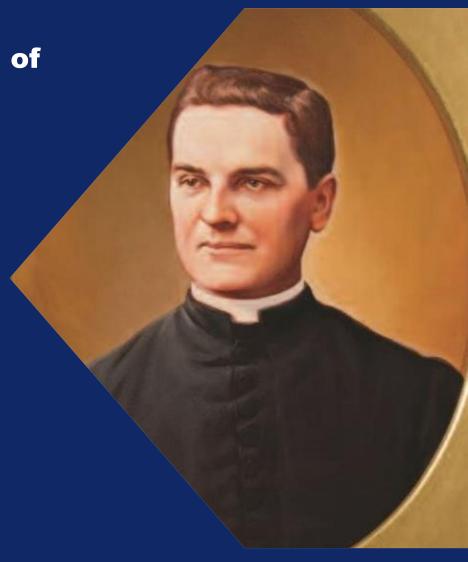
God, Our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church.





Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



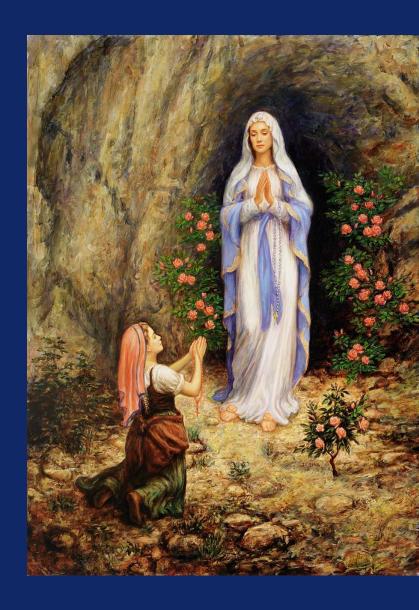


A Prayer to Our Lady of Lourdes

Ever Immaculate Virgin Mother of Mercy, Health of the sick, refuge of sinners, Comforter of the afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; look with mercy on me. By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes, you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favors; and already many sufferers have obtained the cure for their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal.

I come, therefore, with complete confidence to implore your maternal intercession. Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests. Through gratitude for your favors, I will endeavor to imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory.

Amen.



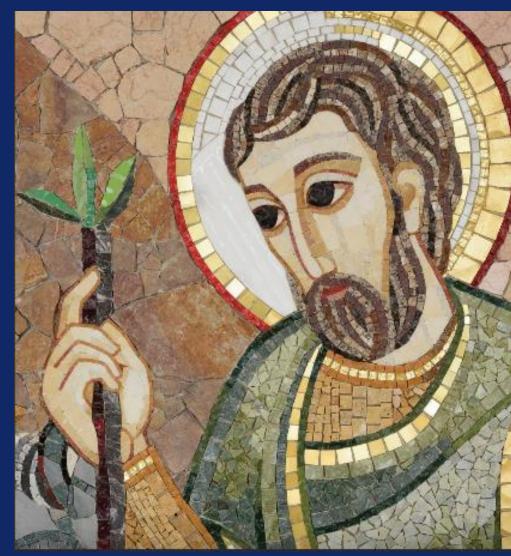


Prayer to St. Joseph

Hail Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil.

Amen.





Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.
Be our protection against the
wickedness and snare of the devil.
May God rebuke him,
we humbly pray,
and do thou,
O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan,
and all the evil spirits
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.



