

St. Joseph Council # 5398 May 2023 Newsletter

From the

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Tom

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# Brother Knights, Next Meeting May 1<sup>st</sup> @ 7:00pm at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria. Tom Law Grand Knight

**From The Editor:** *Ted Barbuto 315- 572-0081* now, how to contact me for information in the newsletter, beside by phone will be by mail at 903 Buckley Rd. Liverpool, NY 13088. But my best option would be by e-mail or *request newsletter emailed* at *info@kofc5398.org*. But please put in the subject 5398 Newsletter information. **Due Date is by Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup> 2023**.

Our Insurance Field Agent is Dan Horan Contact him about Knights of Columbus insurance policy or ask about the policy you have at Contact info: Phone (315)395-6918 email: danielhoran@kofc.org

### **Current Events**

- Next meeting May 1<sup>st</sup> at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 7:00pm
- Planning Next meeting May 1<sup>st</sup> at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 6:15pm. (before Regular Meeting)
- Please fill out Volunteer sheet and return to P.O. Box 81, Syracuse, NY 13206 or E-Mail <u>info@kofc5398.org</u>
- As New Knights Of Columbus Rule The minutes read is this notice. Any corrections please bring them up at next meeting. Look at the minutes on next page.
- Rosary before 5pm mass: Starting up again 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.

## Volunteers will Be needed for Following Events

- Breakfast for the communion class in May. Knights donated \$300 for purchase of Coffee, donuts, and pastries.
- We also will look into volunteering at coffee and donuts after 9:15 mass at Blessed Sacrament on June 4<sup>th</sup>
- The Mass Honoring Msgr Elmer 50<sup>th</sup> year as a priest will be at 11am on Sunday, May 21. Fr. Yagaza is anticipating that the Knights of our Council would prepare and host a celebratory lunch following Mass. The other parishes where Msgr. Elmer has served (St. Margaret, Mattydale, St. Patrick's, Chittenango) will be invited. BSC parish office will obtain an estimated head count. More Information to come.



 Officers in Place Currently Vote For Officers Coming Up Grand Knight: Tom Law
 Deputy Grand Knight: Sal Buonocore Chancellor: Fran Foley
 Recorder: Mike Terranova
 Inside Guard: David Carnie
 Outside Guard: Hani Alkhouri
 Trustee (1<sup>st</sup> Yr.): Steve Neumann

### April 3rd, 2022 Meeting Notes Members 13 present

- **Grand Knight:** Tom opened the meeting and Talked about Father McGivney. Dave read an article from NY Post about a miracle during Mass at St. Thomas, where Father McGivney was a priest. There were not enough hosts for the parishioners, but when it was time to distribute the host multiplied and there were more than enough. They submitted this as a miracle for Father McGivney and it is being investigated. Tom also talked about the Ignite Conference.
- Financial Secretary: 73 Total members, 48 associates, 21 insurance, 4 inactive, 2 Honoree, 27 Honoree Life, 4 inactive and 1 EXM. Jim let us now 5 members still owe dues, but only 1 year. Jim let us know of members that passed between March 2022 and February 2023, Werner Buchmann, Richard Sheeran, Anthony Caruso, Ralph Conte and Anthony Kordziel. Jim also let us know that Supreme will be sending out a Satisfaction Survey online. Jim also did RSVP paperwork and submitted for us to receive our \$100 back from Supreme. In addition, we will need a slate of Officers for Mays meeting to put in news letter to vote on during June's meeting. Trustees Jerry and Steve will get together a list.
- New Business: Breakfast for the communion class in May. Knights donated \$300 for purchase of Coffee, donuts, and pastries. We also will look into volunteering at coffee and donuts after 9:15 mass at Blessed Sacrament on June 4<sup>th</sup>. Dan talked about fund raising and brought up doing a Meat Auction. Dan will look into more and come up with a suggested date in the fall. The Bishops Burse is coming up, 5/19/23 We will vote on during May 1<sup>st</sup> meeting on people going.
- **Treasurer's report:** Ted passed out copies of all checks written and deposits. Ted also reported on the investments and will continue reporting quarterly on the investment with the Knights.
- Events: Dave did a presentation on Climate Change and what is happening.
- **Donations:** 1. Ted motioned \$50 for State convention for Hospitality Suite, Paul 2nd, all in favor, motion passed.
  - **2.** Dan motioned for \$300 for coffee, donuts and supplies for First Communion Breakfast, Jerry 2<sup>nd</sup> all were in favor, motion passed.
- **Insurance agent:** Dan let us know that if the Knight donate \$500 or more for Birthright, Supreme will donate another \$100 as well.
- Lecture's report: Deacon Dan Stevens talked about Parish news and a funeral at St. Vincents about a shooting on Clinton Street from 2022.
- Rosary before 5pm mass: Starting up again 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.
- Under Good of the Order: Please pray for: Bishop Lucia, Sal B, Lual family, The Pope, the widows of Ukrainian families, and any other member or family that needs our prayers.
- Next meeting; May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 PM Blessed Sacrament, planning meeting will preceed meeting at 6:15 PM..



## Member Satisfaction Study

## Share your feedback

WHAT IS THE MEMBER SATISFACTION STUDY?

Knights of Columbus Supreme Council, in partnership with the Catholic Leadership Institute (CLI), one of the country's premier Catholic research firms, is conducting a **multi-year study of the overall satisfaction and experience of our members**, starting with an initial **online questionnaire**. Specifically, we want to know about how membership in the Order aligns to your personal, spiritual and financial journey.

#### WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?

**Every brother Knight** is encouraged to participate, no matter how long you have been a member. We want to hear from first-year members, current officers, honorary life members and everyone in between.



Participate Today March 30–April 30

For more information, visit kofc.org/kofcstudy





To: All Grand Knights and Faithful Navigators of the Knights of Columbus Councils and Assemblies in the Diocese of Syracuse

Dear Brothers and Sir Knights,

Bishop Lucia cordially invites you to join him for a special Holy Hour for Vocations on Wednesday, May 3rd at 5:30pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Columbus Circle, 259 E Onondaga St, Syracuse, NY in honor of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

Immediately following the Holy Hour for Vocations with Bishop Lucia, Father Jason Hage, the diocesan Director of Vocation Promotion, will deliver a presentation in the Cathedral Gathering Space (entrance located in the Marian Prayer Park on the East side of the Cathedral) on how the Knights of Columbus can take an active role in promoting vocations to the priesthood and religious life at the parish level. No RSVP is necessary to attend the presentation. Refreshments will be provided.

We need your help. Please give the Bishop's invitation every consideration. If you are unable to make the event, Father Hage's presentation will be live-streamed via Zoom beginning at 6:30pm. Please reach out to Matt Thelen at mathelen6542@gmail.com to receive the Zoom link if you will be participating with us online.

Thank you.

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY To our May- Council #5398 Members (Day of month in bold)

(12) Daniel Stevens(13) David Kwasigcoch(26) Alexander McEneny

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The next Council #5398 meeting

Is May 1<sup>st</sup> 7:00PM Please attend Located @ Blessed Sacrament School Address is 3129 James Street Syracuse, NY 13206 The next **4**<sup>Th</sup> **Degree meeting** 

April 18<sup>th</sup> @ 8:00PM

Please attend Located @ St. John the Baptist Address is 1406 Park Street (In the Cafeteria) Syracuse, NY 13208