

The Knight Flyer



Knights of Columbus

St. Joseph Council # 5398

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*From the
Grand
Knight
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Dear

Brother Knights,

Hard to believe this year's Council activities have now ended. Thank you for a very successful year which ended with our clam bake this past Sunday. We also welcomed our new District Deputy in Nick Caputo to our last meeting.

From the letter of the apostle Paul to the Colossians: Your life is hidden with Christ in God therefore be intent on things above rather on things of earth. After all the old you is dead. Your life is hidden now with Christ in God. Put to death whatever in your nature is rooted in earth.

God bless our new Pope Leo XIV our first American Pope. May we as Knight's support him to protect our Holy Church. Have a great rest of your summer and see you in September, I think that's a song I heard my late Father sing at one point in time. God bless him he was a great father and spouse.

Special thanks to Tom Knapp the Chili was wonderful at our last meeting.

Thank you for all your support.


Sincerely,

Dave Kwasigroch
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 September 13th 2025.**

Current Events

- **Next meeting** September 8th at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 7:00pm
- **Planning Next meeting** September 8th at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 6:15pm. (before Regular Meeting)
- **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.**
- **We do have CNY NFL Football tickets Fundcrazr tickets to sell for \$20.00. Contact Ted at info@kofc5398.org. or phone (315)572-0081 to get tickets to sell or buy see sample below.**



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HIGHEST	\$120
2ND HIGHEST	\$70
3RD HIGHEST	\$60
4TH HIGHEST	\$40
5TH HIGHEST	\$35
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7TH HIGHEST	\$20
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- **Rosary before 5pm mass:** Starting up again 2nd Saturday of the month 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.

Coming Events

July 14th, 2025, Meeting Notes

Members 14 present

- **Grand Knight:** Dave opened the meeting by introducing the New District deputy, Nick Caputo. He talked about information Supreme sent out about victims of Texas Flood and a website online to help donate to the victims.
- **Financial Secretary:** 72 Total members, 50 associates, 1*9 insurance, 3 inactive, 2 Honorary, 29 Honorary Life, 4 inactive and 0 EXM. No money is due currently. From Semi-Annual #1295 due by 8/15/2025, this will be sent in. Bills per capita are due at \$50 and will be sent in. Jim also said that 50% of members have paid dues so far. The drawing for early paying members for free dues next year was drawn. Brian Carr was the winner.
- **Unfinished business:** Discussion on program directors, needed for Program, Fraternity, Community, Membership and Retention.
- **4th degree:** Color Guard was present at the mass at the Basilica and attended the wake and Funeral of Past Grand night, and one of the original members of the council 5398, Steve Heffron.
- **Treasurers report:** Ted passed out report on all checks written and deposits. The Quarterly report on Investments was added to the report passed out. Ted thanked all who sold football tickets, and a shout out to Enrico who sold 50 books!
- **C&B:** So far 22 books have been sold. Nick Caputo will deliver the books.
- **Donations:** Jim motioned if Blessed Sacrament Outreach does another picnic and asks, we donate \$300 like we did last year. Dan 2nd the motion, all in favor, motion carried.
- **Events:** Dave thanked everyone who attended the clambake. The food was good, and all had a good time. Dave said 21 people attended and \$94 was the profit of the clambake.
- **District Deputy:** Nick Caputo introduced himself and said Gary Leonardo is the new State Deputy. He talked about the CORE program and what is involved. The focus of CORE is developing men's Faith.
- **Chaplain's Summary:** Monsignor Tim talked about the new Pope, Pope Leo.
- **Rosary before 5pm mass:** We are doing every 2nd Saturday of the month at 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.
- **Under Good of the Order:** Please pray for: Sal Buonocore, Fran Foley, Steve Heffron, Al Vecchiarelli, Flood victims of Texas, and any other friends or family who are in need our prayers.
- **Next meeting:** September 8th, 2025, No August meeting at 7:00 PM Blessed Sacrament, planning meeting will precede meeting at 6:15 PM.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To our August - Council #5398 Members

(Day of month in bold)

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| (2) Christopher Shepardson | (3) Joshua Bonila |
| (6) Tony Scro | (14) Michael Terranova |
| (18) Thomas Knapp | |

To our September - Council #5398 Members

(Day of month in bold)

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| (1) Vincent Finocchio | (2) Donald Malay |
| (3) Rev. J.B. Santisuknira | (6) Jonathon Pilowa |
| (14) Theodore Barbuto | (25) Albert Vecchiarelli |
| (27) Carl Pettengill | (28) John Giocondo |
| (28) John Soldo | |

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The next Council #5398 meeting

Is September 8th 7:00PM

*Please attend Located @
Blessed Sacrament School
Address is
3129 James Street
Syracuse, NY 13206*

The next 4th Degree meeting

September 16th @ 8:00PM

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