



Grand Knights Message



Brother Knights,

Welcome to the May publishing of the Knights Edition. At #8891 we are very fortunate to have high quality newsletter that goes out to all member Knights. Over the past two years as Grand Knight I have been able to talk with quite a few other Councils in my travels. Most do not have a monthly newsletter. A lot of work goes on behind the scene that is often taken for granted. Brother Barry Price has spent many hours putting his faith into action publishing the #8891 Knights Edition. If that is not enough, he is also working with Dan Beck, this year's State Convention Chairman, to publish all the advertisements, dignitary letters, and agenda/schedule for the State of Pennsylvania 125th Knights of Columbus Convention ad/program book. No small feat. Barry, many thanks for all your efforts.

A special thank you to Father Wilke and support team for shepharding an exceptional Easter Season. Considering all the challenges with the church renovations and concentration of effort needed it was truly a reverent experience. Now please extend a very warm welcome to Father Fredrick Masayi. While he has a very busy schedule, let's see if we can get him on board a member of #8891.

April continued to see numerous Knights in Action including the Lenten Dinners. What a huge success by all measures especially seeing so many parishioners and neighbors fill the Capitani Center. Shout out to Don V and all the Knights that pulled together to make it happen. We far exceeded budget enabling us to more than double the planned donation going back to SJBCC. Our Faith Director-Steve U. continued coordination of the Knights Holy Rosary that takes place the first Saturday of each month in the perpetual adoration chapel, and before each council meeting. Also, another Seminarian Raffle successfully completed in support of Brother Michael Pray. Community Director Tom R saw completion of the Roadside Clean-up keeping our town beautiful, and the Lord's Lunch serving those in need. Family Director-Dan B has been cranking full steam with over 2 tons of food, \$2K+ for Food for Families and this is before the Walmart Food Drive numbers are in. Also, a wonderful Easter Egg Hunt complete with the easter bunny saw dozens of children with big smiles on their faces. David and Barbara T. stuffed over 1,000 eggs for the event. Life Director-Tom E continues support for the most vulnerable of all, praying in front of PP York every week. In addition, we received a Life matching grant from Supreme that went to Undefeated Courage. If you have not come out and had a tour of the life

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Articles are due via e-mail to Barry Price bpent@comcast.net by the Sunday prior to the Business Meeting. I can accept MSWord, PDF, text, and articles included in an e-mail. I can also accept graphics and photos in a JPG, GIF, and PNG format.

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saving Little Bee yet, please contact Tom. This is just a sampling of the difference members of #8891 make when we put our Faith Into Action. Special thank you to all that supported these events.

One big accomplishment at the April Council meeting was the establishment of the KofC #8891 Legacy Fund. Brother Paul 'Doc' S and committee have been working on this since late last year. The fruits of this labor put into motion a perpetual fund where the interest can be used to support special projects. The original seed money came from the old Home Fund. Many thanks to all the Brother Knights that built this fund over the years to make the Legacy Fund possible.

Annual elections are fast approaching. At the May meeting nominations will be accepted for all elected positions. If you are interested in running or want to nominate a Knight, please contact Joe M or Greg G. The next step will be officer elections at the June Council meeting with newly elected officers taking their position at the July Council meeting.

Congratulations to Aubrey Baker this year's winner of the PVK Scholarship Award. We will have a special presentation immediately before the May Council meeting. Thanks again to Richard Corriveau for coordinating. More Congratulations to Steve and Laura Udzenski for being named Family of Month, and to Tom Rodowsky who was presented Knight of Month. Thank you for all you do in putting your Faith Into Action!

As Brother Knights we are all called to defend our faith, "1Peter3:15" ... always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asked you for a reason for your hope, but do it with gentleness and reverence, keeping your conscience clear

Tim Schott – Grand Knight – timschott@hotmail.com

Pro Life Report

Brothers,

Please consider joining us in Lady's Chapel on May 21, right after the 9:00 Mass for the recitation of our monthly Pro-Life Rosary.



Gov. Shapiro has created a Pennsylvania website which provides abortion information to the abortion-minded. I urge you to look it up. It gives locations of clinics, it speaks to both medical and surgical abortions, it lists groups who might help pay for abortions, etc. It also notes that out-of-staters are welcome to come to Pennsylvania for their abortions.

The fight goes on, Brothers. The issue of life is not going to go away. The Supreme Court just punted on a case that involves the FDA's authorization of the pills that make up the RU-486 regimen. For now, the FDA will be allowed to OK the use of Mifeprestone and Misoprostol for medical abortions. The Court really didn't rule on the merits. They are sitting back until a New Orleans case in the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals is adjudicated. That should happen in mid to late May.

Keep praying for the end of abortion.

Tom Evans - tomevans54@comcast.net - 717 235 8833

Special requests from the SJB School Fundraising Committee

Coming up soon, more ways to put your Faith into Action by Supporting Saint John the Baptist School:

GIVE LOCAL YORK – May 4 - 5, 2023

More information on the parish website.



SJB SCHOOL AUCTION & DINNER – May 6, 2023

The Kentucky Derby theme evening of fun.

Watch the church bulletin and Flocknote for further information.

OPPORTUNITY: Would you like to provide an auction item ?



Please contact Lovell or Lenny Casiero at lovell@lovellcasiero.com

Food for Families Report



The February donations of Food were **266.7 lbs.**

This brings our year to date donations to **4,107.4 lbs** of food, **\$2,125** cash, and a **\$15** Gift card.

Don't forget the **Food Drive** at Walmart on **April 29th**. Please be a genius and signup. Your help is greatly needed!.

All the turkeys that the council was storing in or freezer for the Food pantry have been returned to the.

Thanks for your food donations after the meetings. Keep it Coming! Please remember that it is extremely important that each of you donate at least one food item for each meeting that you attend!

Thank You!

Please check the weekly Parish bulletin for items that are currently most needed.

Remember that donations can be taken directly to the pantry **Monday-Saturday 9:00-11:30 AM**. Let the pantry know that your donations are from the Knight of Columbus so that our efforts will get recorded. Financial donations should go through our Financial Secretary; otherwise the Council will not get credit from Supreme.

If you cannot get to the Pantry, please contact me @ (717-424-4567) and we will work out a way to get your donations there. *No food items or financial donations will be refused. Plastic/Cans/Boxed products preferred.*

For Pantry assistance call 717-235-6370.

Spring has Sprung, Enjoy! Thank you and God bless you!

Bowen Gifford, Food for Families Chair, PGK, & PFN - 717-424-4567 - boknows@nfdc.net

Dues Message from the Financial Secretary



Brothers,

For your 2023 council dues, you should have received a dues statement by email in January to the e-mail address on file. The e-mail came from Supreme, (Knights of Columbus Email no-reply@kofc.org with subject Dues Notice for Council 8891) so check your junk email box if you don't see it. I also included a paper invoice in the February's paper newsletter that was mailed to all members via the USPS. For members that do not have an email address on file, the February Knight Edition included a paper copy of your dues invoice. If you did not receive an e-mail or paper copy of your dues invoice, please contact me.

Note that any extra you include in your check will be going to the Southern York County Food Pantry (which late winter is the time they need funds the most). Please make your checks out to **'Knights of Columbus Council #8891'** and mail them to my home address or place them in the K of C cedar box in the Fr Capitani Social Hall. My home address is: **95 Smokebox Circle, Stewartstown, PA 17363**. Some of you will have last year's dues included in the amount you owe this year if you did not pay last year's dues. If you have any questions, please email me at kocgering@yahoo.com. Thank you!

Vivat Jesus,

Greg Gering - Financial Secretary - kocgering@yahoo.com

Get Out and Vote on May 16th



May 16 is Election Day and the last day to register to vote is May 1.

It behooves us to remind people to vote. Judgeships have become important in politics, unfortunately, but there it is. This time around we will have the chance to pick who we want our party to run in November. Vacancies exist for the Commonwealth Court, the State Superior Court and the State Supreme Court



Community Report

1. **Roadside Pickup:** Many thanks to Tim and Dennis for picking up the trash along Campbell Road and Reehling Road on April 15th. The roadside pickup had been rescheduled for April 22nd, but Tim and Dennis showed up and proceeded to pick up the trash.
2. **Knights In the Community:** Also on April 15th the Knights participated in preparation for The Lords’s Lunch at St. John’s Lutheran Church. I came down with the flu, but Robert Banasiak, Dan Beck, Lenny Casiero signed up to help with The Lord’s Lunch. I’m sure others helped out. Thanks to all who helped. The next Saturday for the Knights to help will be May 20th.
3. **The Shroud Presentation:** Space will not be available for Bill Wingard’s presentation of the Shroud in June. We are shooting for a Sunday in September now.
4. **Community Leaders’ Partnership Meeting:** On March 27th the Community Leaders’ Partnership Meeting was held for community leaders in Southern York County at Susquehannock High School. We were given a tour of the school’s renovation. Of significance was the emphasis on student protection, such as placing the student activity in the core of the building. Classrooms are on the outside of the building. The doors on the classrooms are placed at the corners of the classrooms so students can line up against the wall out of sight of a shooter. The doors can only be unlocked with a card. The ceilings are high. Windows were installed around the perimeter of the classroom at the ceiling level to allow plenty of light without allowing vision to a shooter. Studies show that plenty of lighting slightly raises test scores. Trades courses are offered for students who do not desire to go to college. Career exploration programs are offered including internships. There is a lot more offered at the school, but space doesn’t allow me to go into everything. It was impressive.
5. **Mission of Mercy:** Who is Mission of Mercy? Quoting from their brochure, “Mission of Mercy is a volunteer-driven, non-profit organization that provides free healthcare through the support of over 220 licensed medical and non-medical volunteers. These include retired and actively practicing licensed physicians, physicians’ assistants, dentists, dental assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, physical therapists and other health related professionals. On Saturday May 6th they will be holding a Clay Shoot fund raiser and luncheon. It will include a competitive shoot, fun shoot, auction and luncheon. All of this is included for \$150.00. Or you can support them with just the luncheon for \$25.00. For more information contact Tom Rodowsky at trodowsky@hotmail.com . I can email the information to you. This is a very worthy cause.

Rodowsky at trodowsky@hotmail.com

2023 Chance Of A Lifetime Raffle (C.O.A.L) Campaign Wrap-Up

Brother Knights of Council #8891,

As we wrap-up the 2023 COAL campaign, the 2023 campaign has gone **GREAT** with **503 tickets** sold, which is **83 more** tickets than last years campaign, and **72 Brother Knights** participating, which is **35.5%** of Council #8891, this is **OUTSTANDING!** **Thank You** to the Brother Knights, Family, and Friends that have participated and supported this very important fundraiser!

The raffle drawing will be held on **Friday, May 5th, 2023** at the PA State 125th KofC Convention in Harrisburg.

Thank you all for supporting our Council with this important fund-raising project. With your help, this has been a **very successful fundraiser** for our Council. **GREAT JOB and Thank You 8891!**

*Thank You and Vivat Jesus,
Barry A Price, Council #8891 2023 C.O.A.L. Campaign Chairman*

COAL SWEEPSTAKES 16 GREAT PRIZES 0111193

1 st Prize \$15,000	2 nd Prize \$10,000	3 rd Prize \$7,500	4 th Prize \$5,000
5 th Prize \$5,000	6 th Prize \$5,000	7 th Prize \$2,500	8 th Prize \$2,500
9 th Prize \$2,500	10 th Prize \$2,000	11 th Prize \$2,000	12 th Prize \$2,000
13 th Prize \$1,000	14 th Prize \$1,000	15 th Prize \$1,000	16 th Prize \$1,000

Beneficial State Council Scholarship
 Drawing - PA State Council Convention, Harrisburg Hilton
FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023 - 9:00 P.M.
 *PA State Council #8891 will be present.
 State of Chance License # 108

DONATION FIVE DOLLARS

Food for Thought

A good man is not a perfect man; a good man is an honest man, faithful and unhesitatingly responsive to the voice of God in his life.

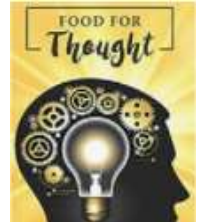
(St. John Fisher)

(Publicity is) as artificial as rouge on the cheek. Doing the job is the most important thing, even if you are a street cleaner.

(Archbishop Fulton Sheen)

I will see people (in heaven) that I did not expect to see. I will not see people that I did expect to see. (My) biggest surprise, even relying on God's mercy, I will find myself there.

(Archbishop Fulton Sheen, Treasures of Clay)



Special Request for Sister Jane

Brothers, I have mentioned this topic at the last several meetings I've attended that Sister Jane, the head of St. John's Religious Education Department, is in need of a used vehicle. The car that she is currently driving is a 2005 Honda with 265K miles, is not dependable to go anywhere other than the immediate local area for fear of breaking down. It has been repaired 3+ times in the past year to the best of my knowledge, and anytime she wants to visit her Family near Gettysburg or go on a Retreat, I lend her my own car to make sure that she's safe. Her current vehicle was donated to St. John's 8 years ago by a parish member. Sister is 76 years old and has no Family or Relatives close by so she is confined to the immediate area for the most part without a reliable vehicle.



I would like to reach out to the Knights and see if anyone or their friends have a used vehicle that may have belonged to a loved one that's passed away, maybe a child that moved away, etc. to see if they can donate it. I know there are partitioners that have extra vehicles and this is an excellent opportunity to help a wonderful kind Lady.

Thank You! Jim McNicholas 717-804-7228

**TIME TO
SIGN UP**

**2023 Council #8891 GOLF OUTING
FRIDAY, JUNE 16TH – 12:30 PM START
HICKORY HEIGHTS GOLF COURSE,
SPRING GROVE, PA.
“Best Ball Play”**



It is time to sign up again for our Annual Golf Outing – **the most fun event of the year!**

Just like in years' past – it includes a round of golf, cart, beverages, lunch, steak dinner and more! **The steaks are the BEST you will ever eat!** Plenty of hole-in-one and other contests. Even if you are not a good player, you KNOW that this is such a FUN event to play in! The cost of the event is now \$75 !!!

We can use everyone's help on **getting Sponsors (\$40/hole) and also getting prizes for the players/winners.** Ask what your employer can donate as a prize!

Register your foursome now! **Need to know by June 9th!**

Email to kocgering@yahoo.com for information or to register!

Attached to the end of this Knight Edition is a copy of the Golf Outing flier with registration form, a copy of the Golf Outing Hole Sponsor form, and a copy of Golf Outing Sponsor letter.

FTGOTO: Please keep the following in your prayers:

Our Religious
The Catholic Church
Our Troops
Law Enforcement
Fire Fighters & First Responders
President, Legislators, & Our Country
Health Care Workers
Vosnick & Saidek Family
Annie Bongiovano & Family
Michael Wengryn & Family
LA Bishop David O'Connell

William Kelly & Family
John Schleicher & Family
Will Smith & Family
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St. John the Baptist Council 8891
 Recognizes

Steve & Laura Udzinski
 as the April 2023
FAMILY OF THE MONTH



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Tom Rodowsky
 as the April 2023
KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Knights of Columbus May 2023 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 April  Don't forget to attend Mass	1	2	3	4 GIVE LOCAL YORK	5 COAL Drawing at the PA KofC 125th Convention & GIVE LOCAL YORK	6 Knights Rosary 10AM Perpetual Adoration Chapel & SJB SCHOOL AUCTION & DINNER
7  Don't forget to attend Mass	8	9	10	11 Council Meeting Rosary 7:40pm Meeting 8pm Neumann Hall	12	13
14  Don't forget to attend Mass	15	16 PA ELECTION DAY Get out and vote	17	18 4th Degree Meeting 8:00pm 7:45pm Rosary	19	20 Lords's Lunch St. John's Lutheran & June 2023 Knight Edition Articles Due bapent@comcast.net
21  Don't forget to attend Mass & Pro-Life Rosary in Our Lady's Chapel, after the 9am Mass	22	23	24	25 Officer Planning Meeting (OPM) NH 7:30pm Neumann Hall	26	27  I-83 Rest Stop 8am – 5pm
28  Don't forget to attend Mass	29 Memorial Day 	30	31	1 June	2 June	3 June

Saturday April 29th - Walmart Food Drive - 9am to 3pm

Friday June 16th – 2023 Gold Outing – 12:30 Shotgun Start