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Acting Grand Knight's Message

What does it mean to be a Knight?

It means a life of faith in action.

This spring we look for the next leadership team for our council. A Grand Knight to run the meetings, a Deputy Grand Knight to oversee the Knights Programs and a Financial Secretary to manage the administration & reporting.

Will you all give these positions prayerful consideration.

A friend of mine belongs to the Salvation Army International faith group. Just this week he told me about a gathering of all faith's & religions that took place before Covid. Each religion was asked to bring a symbol that represents their faith. He said the symbol that had the greatest impact came from the representative of the Catholic faith. Most would have thought the symbol would be a crucifix, but it was in fact a towel & a basin. He reminded everyone about the story of Jesus washing the feet of the disciples. This was a lesson Jesus taught on the day before his death, a lesson about leadership & servant leadership values. His words,

"I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you."

Pat Stenson

Acting GK of K of C Council 11886

A word from the Editor

If you have any articles or amendments to our newsletter please submit them the Wednesday, the day after the Executive meeting. There will be no newsletter in the month of May.

Your Prayers are needed

Knights at our Feb General Meeting were asked to pray for the following who are ill. Prayers were made for: Gerard Goulet, Karen Olivier, John Gillis, Onnie Coulter, Joe Simon , Roger Bédard nd Gary Richards:

Catholic Men: Put your Faith into Action.

Be a Knights of Columbus Member. Contact our Membership Director or DGK.

Contact details are on page 6.

Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser - Sunday 12 May



Picture above (from left to right): Some of our **pancake workers** S/K Scotty Smith, S/K Guy Lahaie, K Mike Stenson, K Jim Laudanski and Blair Macfie (our Pancake organizer),

The pancake breakfast this morning was reminiscent of old times. The volunteers made everything operate like a well oiled machine while the parishioners were very generous and seemed to enjoy themselves. Thank you to the volunteers (in alphabetical order). We all worked well together at it.

Bob Bouvier Robert Charest Guy Lahaie Jim Laudanski George "Scotty" Smith Mike Stenson



Balance sheet

Expenses - \$118.82 (details below)

Donations - \$430.10 (the ten cents was a tip by Br. Ray Paquin for coffee service to his waiter. He is the last of the dime tippers but he was not born in the 19th century).

Profit - **\$311.28 which will go to St. Vincent De Paul .**

Thank you all again. Let's hope next year will be bigger and better.

Submitted by: Knight Blair Macfie. Pictures by the KM Roving Reporter.

Picture at left: S/K Guy demonstrating how to turn a pancake properly without hitting the ceiling.

K of C 50/50 Lottery draws - Our Knights of C. Lotteries.

The **first** lottery begins on **February 1st** and the early bird draws of, \$500, \$250, \$250 on March 1st and April 1st with the final grand prize draw on April 30th at the State convention hotel at 10 am. **Our portion of the lottery funds, 25% of ticket sales sold from our Website will be dedicated to St. Vincent de Paul.**

The **second** begins on **September 1st** and the early bird draws of, \$500, \$250, \$250 on October 1st and November 1st with the final grand prize draw on December 31st at 12 noon.

The final draw in the last quarter at the end of the Sep-Dec quarter was **\$16,825 for the winner**. Our profits from those who bought tickets from our council was **\$175.00 which will go to St. Vincent de Paul Society.**

You may **purchase tickets** at the QR code shown or at the link:

<https://ontariokofcraffle.5050central.com/?olc=11886>



Tickets prices are as follows:

15 tickets for \$10 (or 66 cents per ticket)

40 for \$20 (or 50 cents per ticket)

100 for \$40.(or 40 cents per ticket).

Note: If you are apprehensive of buying on-line contact Robert Charest at 613-547-4731 or Jim Laudanksi at 613-544-9489 who will buy them, upon payment when you see him next he will give you the photocopy of the email of the tickets purchased.

Knights of Council 11886 Respond to the call of Volunteers at St. Mary's Warming Centre

We have a new volunteer from our council at the centre for the month of march, **Bob Bouvier**. Thank you Bob.

Also for the third shift of 11 March two volunteers could not make it at the last minute and if they could not get volunteers the shelter was going to close for the night. However, **Brother Joe Stenson** submitted his name the day before along with a priest and they were able to remain open. **Thank you Brother Joe for helping save the day.** Pat Stenson has also volunteered for a few extra shifts since the last report. There is always some weeks where someone cannot make it from one reason or the other.

The shelter could not run without the organization skills and dedication of one individual who seems to work behind the scenes 7 days a week since it began. Her name is Ann Lyng. She has a list of over 100 volunteers and could easily do the job of an Army's job of a Company Commander. If you ever meet her or know say thank you to her on behalf of the Kingston community.

It is not known yet if the warming centre will be open in April but if the cold weather continues it will.

The shifts are as follows (volunteers indicate which shifts we can work in):

- 8:30 PM to 12:30 AM - 4 volunteers. This shift is responsible for registering the clients in and giving them their linen for the bed after setting their cot and dividers. The clients are given some food to eat and may take a shower. Lights out are at 10 AM if possible. After that, we mostly listen to the snoring.
- 12:30 to 4:30 AM - 2 volunteers supervise the sleepers and take care of any incidents which may have happened during the nights
- 4:30 to 8:30 AM - 4 volunteers wake them up at 6 AM, feed the clients if they are hungry, and try to get them out the door by 8 AM. The latter task is not easy as sometimes some of them are reticent to return outside.

Next Men's Ministry - Saturday 1 April 7-9 AM

Regretfully, due to the snowstorm, the last Men's Ministry scheduled on 4 Mar was cancelled.

All men are welcome to attend these sessions. All you have to do is show up at 7 AM have an enjoyable breakfast in the company of other Catholic men and attend the session. The next session is on Saturday 1 April.

Encourage Family members to consider Donating Blood for our Program



Blood Donations - Council's 11886 donation file is **KNIG009249**. If you have not done so please register your name and your family members who wish to partake at <https://blood.ca/en/ways-donate/donate-partner/becoming-partner/team-member-registration>.

Visit a blood donor clinic or make an appointment to visit Canadian Blood Services on 850 Gardiners Road or ask the location of the next clinic.

3rd Degree Knights may Join the 4th degree Assembly 857



Picture at left: A knight from our council at the St. Patrick's Parade event held on 11 March for the patriotic memory of the 10,000 Irish buried in McBurney Park and the surrounding area. He's the one without a Green Hat but a 4th degree ball cap.

Patriotism is the fourth core principle. Each 'degree' of the Knights of Columbus is associated with a particular virtue, the fourth being "Patriotism". Thus the 4th Degree is often known as 'The Patriotic Degree'. Upon completion of the new degree ceremony members are 3rd degree qualified. Hence, all recently 3rd degree Knights may apply to join the Kingston Area Assembly of 4th Degree Knights who meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month in the Diocesan Centre (across from St. Joseph's church parking lot).



Picture at left: Three 4th degree Knights pictured with a St. Patrick Stand-in at the 11 Mar parade. The two on the right are wearing the new uniform.

The Fourth Degree is a group of outstanding Knights, dedicated to promoting patriotism enlightened by their Catholic faith. These Knights, distinguished by exemplary deeds for God, for country, and the Order, are united by the Fourth Degree to support religious, civic, and charitable causes.

If a 3rd degree Knight is interesting in joining the knights **contact your 4th degree Knights in your council or the Fraternal Navigator William Coppens at lcoppens@cogeco.ca**.

St Vincent de Paul - Lunch Program 8 FEB. and 8 MAR.

On Wed 8 Feb Mike Stenson, Jeanne Turcotte and spouse S/K Ray Paquin worked at St. Vincent de Paul Lunch program. Just over 160 meals were served.



Picture at left: Brother Robert Charest is passing to a client one of the special donations for the day, a container of grapes. Strawberries and grape donations are big hits with our clients.

On Wednesday March 8th, Brother Robert Charest, his wife Joan and myself prepared and served takeout meals for 150 needy and thankful patrons of St. Vincent de Paul. There were additional offerings of grapes, strawberries, bread and buns, and potatoes for those who could use them. As usual, there was plenty of coffee and bottled water served up by Robert who worked the front line. The meal was simply a penne pasta with meat sauce, two buns and a salad. There's a noticeable reduction in the variety and quantity of available food items for those dependent on those food handouts. It was good to see the mild weather return so those people eating their lunch are not shivering in the cold out back.

Staff member and general handyman, "John," after hearing a host of one or two lines from a wide variety of songs from Brother Robert, commented "**That man sure must of gone to a lot of musicals as a kid !!!**"

It was a reasonable conclusion but the patrons appreciated the serenade for the most part.

Our Council will once again return this month to help on March 29th for the 5th Wednesday of the month.

Submitted by: Chancellor Mike Stenson

Rain Barrel Sale—22 March—24 May 2023

★ PLEASE SUPPORT OUR ★
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Buy A Rain Barrel

Each rain barrel includes :

- leaf & mosquito filter basket
- spigot
- overflow adaptor
- overflow hose



Thank you for your support and PLEASE SHARE this post with your family and friends!

K of C Rain Barrel Fundraiser. **Best Deal in Town.** Proceeds go to St. Vincent de Paul Society . Last year our barrels were \$6 cheaper than those offered at the city of Kingston and at **least Half the price of any comparable barrel for sale.**

Sale orders may be accepted online hopefully on or near 22 March until 24 May, while supplies last. Visiting rainbarrel.ca/kingstonkofc/ to order

Rain Barrel Pick up Details: 9:30 AM – 5 PM, 27 May 2022 in front of Independent Store off Gore Road and Highway 15. Questions? Email 11886.kofc@gmail.com Alternative Pick-up dates?

Note on Volunteers needed : Friday 27 May—we need 7 volunteers from 07 –09:30 AM to unload an 18 wheeler truck of plastic rain barrels and set up our display n the Rideau Town Centre Parking Lot. 9:30 AM—5:30 PM we need 2–3 volunteers to handle the pick-up. **Note: We have 5 tanks (1000 L at \$200 and 14 sandstone (240 L at \$85) left from last season, can sell at 2022 prices.**



Birthdays from March 14 - April 11 2023

14 March - Marcel Neron

20 March - Paul Coulter

25 March - Roger Levac

Our Field Agent

Daniel Gimpel contact info is: Cell: 613-920-5632 e-mail: Daniel.gimpel@kofc.org

Calendar of Events

Wed 29 Mar. 8 AM – 1 PM – St. Vincent de Paul
Lunch Help – contact Mike Stenson

Thurs 30 Mar. 8:30-12:00 AM Basketball Free Throw - St. Martha School.

Saturday 1 Apr. 7-9 AM. Men's Ministry - St Mary's Cathedral

Tues 4 Apr. 10:30 AM Chrism Mass --St. Mary's Cathedral. 4th degree arrive at 10 AM.

Sat 22 Apr.—Highway Cleanup on Highway 15-(Alternate day if inclement weather 29 Apr.. 8:30 - 11:00 AM- Knights RV at 401/15 parking south of 401.
9:00—11:00 - AM Knights with children RV N of Tim Horton's on HW 15.

11 May - National March for Life in Ottawa 12:30 - 4 PM. Bus is being planned to depart and return from St. Joseph's Church. Details to follow.

Friday 26 May—0700—9:30 AM Rain Barrel unloading and set up for pick-up. 6 Volunteers 9:30 AM— 5:30 PM pick-up – 2-3 Volunteers. Contact Robert Charest

Sunday 4 June - Family BBQ for Council (TBC)

Saturday, June 17 at Camden Braes Golf and Country Club, 149 Simmons Rd, Odessa. St. Paul the Apostle KofC Funraiser for St. Mary's Drop-In Centre and Veronica's Veil Overnight Shelter. Shotgun start. Price is \$125 per golfer. Includes 18 holes of golf, a golf cart and dinner. Dinner only is \$50. Early Bird Registration Prizes for registration by April 30. Register at 613-572-4892 or KofC9652golftournament@gmail.com

Friday 11 Aug Set-up and take down tents at St. Mary's Cathedral. 3 Volunteers.

Service Personnel

- ◆ **Faith Director** – Robert Bouvier
- ◆ **Vocations Director** – Mike Stenson
- ◆ **Community Director** - Jim Laudanski
- ◆ **Family Director** - Paul Coulter
- ◆ **Program Director**- S/K Pat Stenson
- ◆ **Membership Director, Public Relations Director, and Retention Chairman, 50/50 Lottery Rep** –S/K Robert Charest
- ◆ **Webmaster** - Sébastien Généreux

2022-2023 Executive

- 1. Chaplain:**S/K Fr. Wes Chochrek, 613-546-0418
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- 8. Lecturer:**.....Nominations being accepted at this time.
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- 14. Trustee 1/Retention Committee Member** ..Blair Macfie, blair/macfie@gmail.com, 613-353-7138(1 year left in mandate)
- 15. Trustee 2/Retention Committee member** ...Pat Murray (2 year), 613-542-5729, patmurrayhabysanks@gmail.com
- 16. Trustee 3/Retention Committee Member** Stephen Woods, 613-422-4859 swoods@kos.net

Knights of Columbus - Knights Deals

Questions/Purchases - Email deals@knightsdeals.ca or call or text 613.817.5353



Visit Knight Deals website? Offerings. Deals open to public. During this period we have Senator tickets. In proud association with the Ottawa Senators, tickets for games are always sold by KNIGHTS' DEALS less than box office price with access to discount parking. Free parking for season ticket buyers

VISIT <https://www.knightsdeals.ca> .

Our season seats section 220 row B, look directly out over the face off dots in the visitors end, Great view of the entire playing surface.

Up to 8 additional seats can be purchased any game, any where in the rink for less than box office price. Parking discounts also available if you get the tickets through us.

The season tickets for games highlighted in bold are sold, . Again, if these are sold additional tickets may be purchased. Any member of the public may buy these tickets. Funds raised go to Holy Name of Jesus, Church, Holy Family Chapel and our council charities.

Thursday, March 16 vs. Colorado, 7 p.m.

Saturday, March 18 vs. Toronto, 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 23 vs. Tampa Bay, 7 p.m.

Monday, March 27 vs. Florida, 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 30 vs. Philadelphia, 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 1 vs. Toronto, 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 8 vs. Tampa Bay, 7 p.m.

Monday, April 10 vs. Carolina, 7 p.m. Note: If **bold** then season seats sold but have access to up to 8 more seats at discount prices

Knights of Columbus - Gift Cards

Supporting our Parish, our Community and other charitable activities.

Gift Cards Make a Difference

It's simple, buy gift cards and use as cash for those every day things: gas, groceries, clothing, dining, coffee, and more. For more info contact us at 11886.kofc@gmail.com call or text 613.817.5353. Gifts cards come in various amounts: \$25. \$50. \$100, etc. Example buy a \$50 card gas card and spend \$50. Our council will receive 1-4% depending of the name of the card you purchase. It takes about 4K of cards to raise over a \$100. The profits go to the two parishes and the council in a 50/50 split. The council use their profits to go to their list of charities.

Plastic Cards

If not bought on-line, cheques should be made payable to "Knights of Columbus Council 11886."

Regular Movers - Plastic cards in stock by the council

Loblaws/Valu-mart/NoFrills, Metro/Foodbasic, Sobeys/Freshco Esso, PetroCanada, Shell, Ultramar, Canadian Tire, Staples, Ultimate Dining Card, Tim Hortons,

Periodic Movers - some of these cards in stock by the council

Marks Work Warehouse, Walmart, Amazon, Shoppers Drug Mart, Chapters/Indigo, Red Lobster, Boston Pizza, Subway, M&M, Starbucks, Pizza Pizza, Home Sense/Winners/Marshalls, Keg, Home Depot, Lowes, Rona, Home Hardware, itunes, cineplex, bodynbath, Irving Gas, McDonalds, A&W, Giant Tiger, Land Mark Theatres, LCBO

Can get but other plastic but allow 2 weeks to obtain.

E-cards purchasing at <https://group.fundscrip.com/en/JQMHYU/all-activities> then click on Support/

Ecard Inventory include Starbucks, Itunes, Best Buy, Amazon, Old Navy, Gap, Boston Pizza, Cineplex, Hudson Bay, Dollarama, Walmart. Esso/Mobil, and the Ultimate Dining Card of 16 Restaurants.

Note: At Holy Name of Jesus Church - Pete Scott will sell cards after the 09:30 Mass and Jim Laudanski at the Stat mass. At Holy Family Chapel, Knight Scotty Smith will sell cards. after the English mass as well. Knight Robert Charest is assist him.

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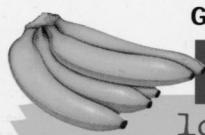
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