

Knight Moves



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
HOLY NAME OF JESUS COUNCIL 11886**



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Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

Thank you to the 5 knights who donated to the Clothes for Kids on behalf of the council.

Thank you to our audit committee and Pete Scott for completing the gift Cards and Knight deals audit.

Thank you Roger Levac and Mike Stenson for your scrap metal donation of \$41 dollars.

Thank you Jim Laudanski for organizing and conducting the Christmas Poster Contest.

Thank you Mike Stenson, and Joan Charest for working in Nov. at the St. Vincent de Paul Lunch.

Thank you Pat Stenson for purchasing and mounting the deceased members plaques and getting the required picture mounted of the former GK.

Thank you Brothers Ray Paquin and his son Paul, Scotty Smith, and Jean-Philippe Goulet for moving the creche and statues from the shed at Holy Family Chapel and setting them out-site.

The council purchased two copies on the recent illustrated history of the Knights of Columbus. In reading it I find that the organization has gone thru some turbulent times. In the middle of 19th century in the U.S. we see that Catholics were harassed and discriminated against.. In one state it became law, for a short period of time, that Catholics could not vote. The K of C became a beacon for those who wanted to practice their faith and have the same rights as other citizens. The Klu Klux Klan targeted Catholics and in particular the K of C. I cannot imagine being a Grand Knight and having a cross burned on my front lawn, but it did happen to some. In the operational theatres the Knights of Columbus in WWI created what were called KC Huts which were social areas for all members of the forces and from all backgrounds. Everyone who visited were treated equally. The K of C were in the front ranks of civil rights, 50 years before the times. They created and fostered a good relationship with all those who served which stood well for the K of C after the war from the Klu Klux Klan campaign against them. The K of C were also targeted by the Communists. All in all, the K of C had developed a good reputation among all faiths and members of society. We must continue this work as we continue to live in this turbulent pandemic time

A word from the editor

If you have content for Knight Moves please forward to the Editor - Robert Charest at knight11886RC@gmail.com no later than the Tuesday of the week prior to the council meeting. If you submit after that there is no guarantee that it will appear in the next issue. Also, please forward any comments or feedback including errors on Knight Moves that you might have found.

Your Prayers are needed

At the November General Council Meeting the Knights were asked to pray the following:

- a. **those in sick or distress** – Hudson MacIsaac, Roger Cole, Brian Reitzel,
- b. **deceased** – Hudson MacIsaac's wife and Brother Mac Robinson's brother-in-law,

Memorial Service for Deceased Members - Sat 7 Nov. 4:20 - 4:40 PM

On Saturday, November 7th at 4:20 p.m. Grand Knight Robert Charest conducted the annual remembrance ceremony for our deceased Knights in the area adjacent to Mgr Raby House. Robert did a lot of research on those individuals and was able to share some of the outstanding memories these men have left with their fellow Knights. Robert had set up chairs at a safe distance in order to comply with COVID 19 issues. The small group enjoyed excellent weather during the 30 minute trip down memory lane. With only 6 attending and one other (Gary Richards) delayed with a transportation issue, we realized that the pandemic had some impact on attendance and hope things return to normal in time for next years gathering. We all said a prayer in memory of those who have gone before us but for myself, I was quietly praying that my name doesn't land on that bench anytime soon. We hope to see more Knights attend next year and pray there are no new additions to the plaque count by then.

Contributed by Knight Mike Stenson

Pictures below, start clockwise from the left: GK, Robert Charest standing behind the memorial bench, addressing the attendees ; Joe and Pat Stenson with their wife's and Faith Stenson in the background; the name plates of our deceased knighs(15) on the bench.



St Vincent de Paul Lunch Program—11 November



Picture at left - Brother Robert and Mike finishing up cutting celery and looking forward to peeling apples for a fruit cocktail.

Mike Stenson, Joan and Robert Charest represented the knights at the lunch program. We prepared and served 136 take-away lunch bags for the noon day meal. The main course was a hot beef soup with a bun, fruit cocktail and a dessert. At one point Brother Robert had to decide if he should listen to the instructions of the Chef or listen to his wife on doing things in the meal preparation. He chose the former but was not well received.

Since it was Remembrance Day, Brother Robert asked for a minute of Remembrance to our fallen members of the Canadian Forces.

Food for Family Program

In October and November, Holy Family Chapel and Holy Name of Jesus Church collected a total of 64 lbs. of food and \$1305 of cheques for the program. The council also donated \$300.00 and \$270 from money donations from parishioners. These funds and food were donated to St. Vincent de Paul Society. The society, in their lunch program, are making and distributing 42%, on average, more meals than in the past. Well done, parishioners and knights. There also has been a major rise in access to their emergency food bank.

A little bit of Humour

In the last hours when Mother Teresa was dying all the nuns in the convent were praying by her bedside.

To ease her suffering one nun poured her a glass of brandy to which she replied, "No, thank you."

This same nun decided to pour the brandy in a glass of milk and asked her, "Mother Teresa, do you wish a glass of milk?" Mother Teresa took the glass and drank it. At this time she told the nun: That cow that produced that glass of milk, do not sell that cow when I am gone."

From a sermon given by Knight Father Burke at Holy Family Chapel



Laughing at your own mistakes lengthens it.

Laughing at your wife's mistakes shortens it.

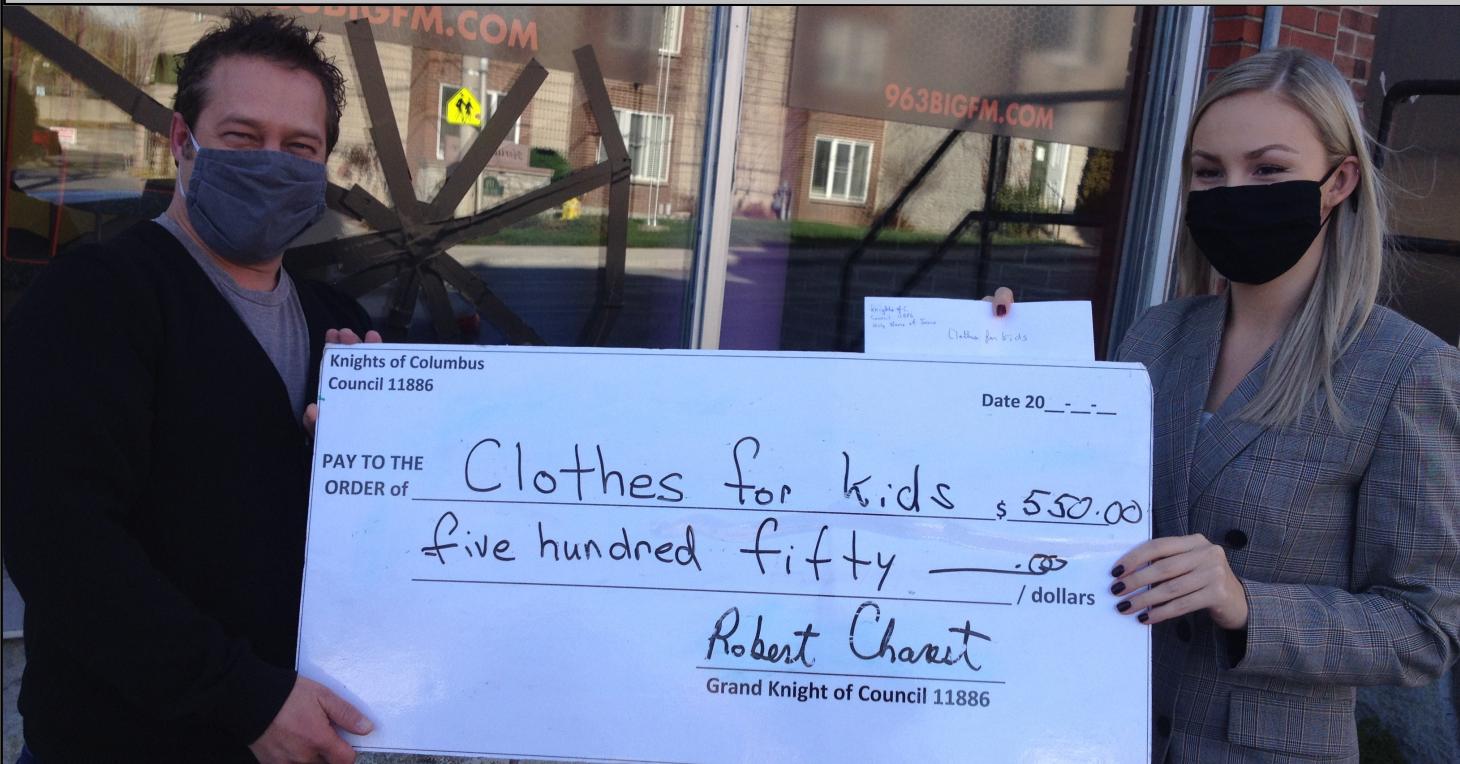
Contributed by Raymond Paquin

Editor Note: Is Ray speaking from experience?

Volunteers Needed

Date and Timing	Task	Number of Volunteers	To volunteer contact :
1. Normally, 2nd Wednesday of m.	Kitchen staff at at St. Vincent De Pau l	2 Knights from 8 AM – 1 PM and a spouse of one of them	Mike Stenson, 613-353-6956, mikestenson@hotmail.com
2.	Take in the background check and and the Environmental Safety Crse	1 Knight	GK
3. Attend Assembly Meeting Once a month.	Report on Assembly Meetings items to the council	1 Knight	GK
4. On-going	Market Council Fundraisers In particular Gift Cards	1 knight	GK
5. 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, Kingston, ON, K7M 3XP. However phone 1- 888-2Donate/1-888-236-6283, first to make an appointment.		

Clothes for Kids Donation



Picture above : Two staff members of Corus Entertainment, the Kingston organizer for the Clothes for Kids Program, are seen holding the cheque of funds which were donated by the Knights from a sum of individual donations from 5 Knights.

Due to the pandemic our council's fundraisers except our Gift Card Program efforts have been put on hold. An alternative to meeting our fundraising goals is asking our council members if they wish to contribute to the organizations and charities our councils donated to in the past. The Knights may write a cheque to the council or write a cheque directly to the organization. The council then submits the cheques to the organization under a covering letter(including those cheques written to the organization). Some Knights have particular organizations which they would like to submit too. This is the first organization where knights have contributed an individual donation to on behalf of the council. At the 8 December General Council meeting knights will receive a deadline for providing any funds to the organizations/charities we have provided to in the past.

Comprehensive Long-Term Care Insurance Can Keep You Out of a Nursing Home

Many people equate long-term care with a nursing home. And since that's someplace they really don't want to go, they don't think they need a Long-Term Care Insurance policy. A Knights of Columbus comprehensive Long-Term Care Insurance policy is designed to help you get the care you need in the comfort of your own home. Here's how:

- **Stay-at-Home Benefits** – Our policy allows you to get the help you need to continue living at home. This includes help with the activities of daily living like bathing and dressing, homemaker services such as grocery shopping, meal preparation and housekeeping, and the professional services of a registered nurse, home health aide or therapist.
- **Home Modification/Medical Equipment Benefit** – Our policy pays 100% of expenses incurred for structural modification to your home that will allow you to remain in your home, or medical equipment designed and used to treat a sickness or injury, up to the limits stated in the Contract Specifications. (Ask your Field Agent for more details.)
- **Care Management Benefit** – This is another way our policies help people access policy benefits designed to help you remain safely at home. There's no elimination period to satisfy for the Care Management Benefit, so a care manager can be assigned right away. The care manager then will assess your needs, develop an individualized plan of care and help arrange for long-term care services. (Ask your Field Agent for more details.)
- **Informal Caregiver Training Benefit** – Our policy pays for expenses incurred for Informal Caregiver Training received by an informal (unpaid) caregiver for up to the policy limits.

If you know that home is where you want to stay, I can help you plan for the day when you can no longer manage on your own. A Knights of Columbus Long-Term Care Insurance policy can help pay for the care you may need someday. Please email me at stephen.henderson@kofc.org or call me on my cell 613.770.4092.

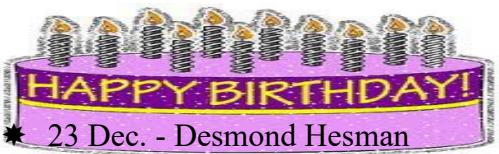
Knights set up the creche at Holy Family Chapel



Photo above: Brother Ray Paquin is in the creche in between two wise men statues (Please do not interpret this as 3 wise men in the creche. LOL.). Paul Paquin is standing at the bank of the creche and Brother Jean-Philippe is kneeling at the right with one of the wise man's hand containing the frankincense. Knights Scottie Smith, Ray Paquin and son Paul, Jean-Philippe Goulet and Robert Charest were involved in setting up the creche at Holy Family Chapel. It is a large task as the creche is one piece item and had to be moved from a shed at the back of the church to the front of the chapel. We were lucky we had young men to help with this task.

Health rules for setting up a creche in a pandemic are as follows;

- * A maximum of 4 shepherds are authorized to be in the creche at one time. All must wear a mask and respect social distancing. Joseph, Marie and Jesus may remain in their family bubble.
- * The donkey and bull must obtain a non-contamination certification from the Agricultural Society of Ontario.
- * The 3 wise men will be kept in quarantine for 15 days or until they receive a negative test for the virus.
- * The angel over the creche will not be authorized to fly as a result of the aerosol produced from the flap of the wings.
- * The choir will be limited to one individual. No shepherd should be more than 65 years of age. All non-authorize participants such as romans are forbidden to be present.



- * 24 Dec. - Glenn Johnson
- * 1 Jan. - Charles Ray
- * 11 Jan - John Schell
- * 12 Jan—Jean Pellerin Senior

Our Field Agent

Stephen Henderson at Cell 613-766-7648 or Stephen.Henderson@kofc.org

Calendar

- ♦ 8 Dec - General Council Meeting.
- ♦ 6-15 Novena. 9 days of prayer
- ♦ Christmas Poster Contest Endex
 15 Dec
- ♦ 5 Jan - Executive and Director
 meeting on Jistsi
- ♦ 12 Jan - General Council Meeting
 on Jitsi
- ♦ Jan - Substance Abuse Poster con-
 test
- ♦ Mid-late January - Bottle Return
 Collection Fundraiser - 24
 knights will be required for a 4
 hour shift over 2 days on a week-
 end.

Service Personnel

- ♦ **Faith Director** – Robert Bouvier
- ♦ **Vocations Director** – Mike Stenson
- ♦ **Community Director** - Jim Laudanski
- ♦ **Family Director** - Raymond Paquin
- ♦ **Program Director**- Robert Charest
- ♦ **Membership Director, and Retention Chairman** – John Schell
- ♦ **Recruitment Committee/Retention** – Pat Stenson, François Bédard, Blair Macfie
- ♦ **Holy Family Chapel, Round Table Chairman** - Scotty Smith
- ♦ **Webmaster, twitter account holder**- Sébastien Généreux

2019-2020 Executive

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Knights of Columbus - Knights Deals

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

Check Knight deals website until further notice or end of pandemic.

Note: When Senator game tickets will be sold in the future, free parking may be provided.

Knights of Columbus - Gift Cards

Supporting our Parish, our Community and other charitable activities.

Gift Cards Make a Difference

It's simple, buy gift card sand 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 and spend \$50.

Or buy cards on-line at <https://group.fundscrip.com/en/JQMHYU/all-activities> as well as E-cards and reloadable cards. If you buy \$500 worth of plastic cards during this pandemic delivery is free.

Plastic Cards

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

We are not asking you to spend more money. We are simply asking that if you shop at these stores, please buy the gift card from us then use it to make your regular purchase Our council will receive 1-4% depending of the value of the card you purchase. It takes about 4K of cards to raise over a \$100.

Or buy plastic cards **on-line**, minimum amount of \$500 purchase during the pandemic and save on delivery charges.

Regular Movers - Plastic cards in stock by the council

Farm Boy, 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.

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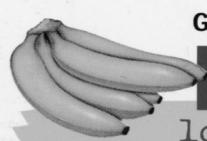
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