

# Knight Moves



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



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## Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

Spring is upon us. Mark your calendar for our highway cleanup on 24 April with an alternate date of 1 May if inclement weather occurs. RV is the park and ride south of the 401 on highway 15. If you can make it notify our organizer Brother Pat Stenson. We ask for you to please bring your masks, gloves and boots as the ditches may not be dry. All will be provided with safety vests and a 3 ft reacher. If you have a reacher or vest, notify Pat that you will bring it with you. Hence, we need to know the numbers participating and to organize it so we are in small groups across the highway to observe safety protocols. At the end, we were treat ourselves to coffee and donuts from the Good of the Order and be separated in groups of five in the Tim's perimeter. Bring your lawn chair. Brother Gary this time, will be limited to 3 donuts unless we have a extra supply.

Friday 28 May is a big fundraiser day for us. It is rain barrel delivery and pickup day at the Rideau Town centre. Earlier, on the 8 May, we will have a rain barrel display at the Rideau Town Centre. Hence, if you wish to talk to an expert about them please go visit our booth. You may also order for the 28 May delivery date.

Our meetings are still being conducted via Jitsi. Partake in a meeting at home. The conference software is so easy to use even the GK can use it. However, he still has difficulty with the share feature.

I would like to thank all the knights of our council who continue to work for the council during this pandemic and in a safe manner. I would like to especially thank our Executive, Directors and our Committee members who are listed on page 6 and have met the challenges to continue our work as a council.

We are now a year into this pandemic. Let us continue to pray that this ends and for those who are less fortunate than ourselves who have lost their employment.

The trucks of vaccine are on the way we just have to be patient a while longer.

Vivat Jésus.

Robert Charest, Grand Knight Council 11886

## A word from the editor

If you have content for Knight Moves please forward to the Editor - Robert Charest at [knights11886RC@gmail.com](mailto:knights11886RC@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 January General Council Meeting the Knights were asked to pray the following: Member(s), relatives or others who are sick or in distress – Basil Brosso, Brian Reitzel, Roger Cole, Roy Gould, Larry Kennedy and Karla Nichols who passed away last week.

## Family of the Month presentation - 9 March



At our March council meeting we did a presentation for the January Family of the month of January, 2021. Brother Justin and spouse Alayna Yoo's family from Holy Family Chapel were awarded the honour. They have two young children, The GK has his puppet Sam and the grandparents on our council occupy the children long enough to take a picture. This is the first time we had children invited to our council meeting.

The council selects one parish family that models Christian family values and visibly lives them every day. Once a year, each participating council also selects one of the previous twelve Family of the Month winners to represent the council as the potential international Family of the Year. The Knights of Columbus Family of the Year is chosen by the Supreme Council and recognized each year at the annual Supreme Convention. If as a Knight you have a family in mind for the program please submit a name for the Family of the Month NLT than the 5th day of the following month (Hence for April the deadline is the 5 May) to the Family Dir, Ray P.

### Recruitment Information for all Knights

Website/email address	Comments
KofC.org	This is what is called the Supreme Website for all councils of the Knights of Columbus
KofC.org/joinus	To Join the Knights of Columbus enroll on line at this location. You must determine which council you wish to belong to in joining. Holy Name of Jesus Council's number is 11886. Presently, there is a \$30 fee for enrollment which our council uses towards your \$40 dues for the year. Military personnel are exempt dues. May Use Promo code <b>SHenderson and dues are waived for 2021.</b>
11886knights.com	Council website. Visit for info on council.
Knights11886RC@gmail.com	Email this address if you have any questions about joining Council 11886
11886knights	Follow Council news on twitter.

## 17 Years volunteering at St. Vincent de Paul



**Picture at left:** Brother Mike is the council's coordinator of our council's worker at St. Vincent de Paul. He has worked at St. Vincent de Paul for 17 years. Now that's dedication and a knight who models our principle of charity. As coordinator he volunteers 1-2 times a month with our members. In fact he volunteers almost every time we require help. Please give your thanks the next time you see him. Working during the pandemic has had its challenges.

On 10 Mar. Brothers Mike Stenson, Robert and his spouse Joan worked in the lunch program. They helped prepared and handed out 99 take-out lunches.

On 31 Mar. Brothers Mike, and Raymond Paquin and his spouse Jeanne worked. Consider volunteering also. They also handed out about 100 lunches. We wonder if Ray had time for his coffee.

## Family Comedy and Entertainment Event on YouTube

**Please view the Event by clicking on:** <https://youtu.be/G5AmMNIw1NU> **then go to "gofundme.com", search "11886" and then donate. Pass this info on to your family and friends.**

**Fundraiser is for the construction of new St Vincent de Paul Society**

**The leaks of the Holy Name of Jesus Church Vestibule.**



On Tuesday March 23 the following Knights and a former Knight inspected and performed partial repairs to the vestibule roof. Present: Knights Pat Stenson, Joe Stenson, Peter Scott, Mike Stenson, Jim Laudanski and Former Knight Peter Bodnick. Father Wes provided support.

The purpose was to inspect the roof flashings for leaks. The Church had received a Quote for \$15-25K to replace the flashing and possibly the roof and membrane. We elected to do a detailed inspection with construction expertise (Peter B.) to possibly avoid this expense. Leaks were found in 2020 and portions of drywall and insulation were removed. A number of roof joists were found to have significant rot. These were shored by scabbing new 2x8's over the rotten areas.

Two outside scaffolds were erected, one near the door and the other on the oppo-

site west wall. Peter B. climbed onto the roof and discovered voids and weathered flashing caulking. As time permitted the worst areas were repaired. Further investigation and caulking repairs will be required after observation for additional leaks.

The scaffolds were disassembled following the work. Please note that all safety protocols were observed. Many thanks to all those that participated and to Pat and Peter B. for providing the scaffolding.

**Submitted by: Brother Jim Laudanski**



## Volunteers Needed

Date and Timing	Task	Number of Volunteers	To volunteer contact :
1. Rain Barrel Display Saturday 8 May	Assist GK with setup at take down	1 Knight	GK
Rain Barrel Delivery. on Friday 28 May	Unload rain barrels 2 remain for rest of day	4 for unloading between 8:30 AM - 6 PM work full day or part day= total 4 persons required.	GK
2. Normally, 2nd Wed of month	Kitchen staff at St Vincent de P	2 Knights from 8 AM – 1 PM and a spouse of one Knight	Mike Stenson, 613-353-6956 each mikestenson@hotmail.com
3. Attend Assembly	Report on Assembly Meetings Once a month	1 Knight	GK
4. On-going	Market Council Fundraisers and recruitment In particular Gift Cards. Manage our tweeter account.	1 Knight	GK
5. Blood Donations -	Council's 11886 donation file is <b>KNIG009249</b> . If you have not done so please register your name and your family members who wish to partake at <b><a href="https://blood.ca/en/ways-donate/donate-partner/becoming-partner/team-member-registration">https://blood.ca/en/ways-donate/donate-partner/becoming-partner/team-member-registration</a></b> . 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.		

## Thank you note.

Hello Worthy Grand Knight.

I want to express our thanks to the Brother Knights who assisted my wife and myself over the winter months.

We certainly appreciated Brother Knights Steve Coombs, Ken Olivier and yourself Worthy Grand Knight.

It was nice to see fellow Knights assisting us by ensuring that our driveway and walkway were clear of ice and snow.

Esther's open-heart surgery a few years ago has limited her ability to shovel snow. Between my back and left shoulder surgery I was advised by surgeons to never shovel or clear snow even operating a blower for the rest of my life.

How nice to see Knights in action when we really needed them. I have been a Knight for 45 years helping others in need and now when I required help the most, these Knights were there.

Also I thank Council 11886 for the prayers for my recovery.

Wishing everyone abundant Blessings from our Lord and Saviour.

Sir Knight Brian Reitzel

# Knights of Columbus Fundraiser Commences 22 Mar



## 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!

### Barrels come in the following sizes:

220 litres/48 imperial gallons (blue grey, black, terra-cotta) - \$55 ;

220 litres/48 Imperial gallons (white or blue with diverter)- \$80

240 litres/52 Imperial gallons - - \$75

1000 litres/ about 370 Imperial gallons for \$150

**Plus** other accessories available. Visit website. Diverters, stands, etc. extra length downspout hoses

**Rain Barrel Sale Commences 22 Mar. Order Online by no later that 21 May at**

*rainbarrel.ca/kingstonkofc/ or*

**Visit our booth at Rideau Town Centre off Gore Road Saturday 8 May 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM** Beside James Valu-Mart) to order or ask questions from an expert.

**Rain Barrel Pick up Details:** Friday 28 May - 11 AM – 6 PM **Or** If required, Email to make alternate pick up.

**Delivery Available** in Kingston Area for a \$15 donation.

**Questions?** Email [knights1188.kofc@gmail.com](mailto:knights1188.kofc@gmail.com)

## Jitsi Council Meetings



This is what it looks like attending a Jitsi council meeting on-line. In Mar. 22 members attended (regret but I had to count two knights out of this picture for the article.) but as you can see pictures do not always appear. However, we carry on as best we can. We find using the Jitsi software easier to use than Zoom. We try to keep the meetings to an hour and we have been successful recently. We are all getting better at using the controls. Please join for our election on May 11. We need knights to fill the positions opening up. If you wish to nominate someone or yourself please contact the GK or the FS until then.



19 April, Richard Mears  
 28 April, Francois Bédard  
 2 May, Geoff Hampton  
 2 May, Basil Brosso  
 4 May, Brian Reitzel  
 7 May, George Smith  
 12 May, Jean-Philippe Goulet

### Our Field Agent

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### Calendar

**Mar - June** Virtual Fundraising  
 Event for St. Vincent de Paul

**Tues. 13 April** - Council Meeting - 7 PM

**Wed 14 April** - St. Vincent de Paul -  
 Lunch Program

**Sat. 24 April**-Highway Cleanup ( 8-11AM) If Inclement Weather, **1 May**

**4 May** - Executive meeting day

**Sat. 8 May** - Rain Barrel Display Day

**11 May** - General Council Meeting

**Fri. 28 May** - Rain Barrel Pickup

**1 June** - Executive meeting

**8 June** - General Council Meeting

**15 Jun** - March for Life in Ottawa

### 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** - Sébastien Gagnéux

### 2020-2021 Executive

- 1. Chaplain:** ..... Fr. Wes Chochrek, 613-546-0418
- 2. Grand Knight:**.....Robert Charest, knights11886RC@gmail.com, 613-547-4731
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- 14. Trustee 1:** ..... François Bédard, paulineb1943@me.com, 613-549-0410 (1 year left in mandate)
- 15. Trustee 2:** .....Pat Stenson, pat@kingstoncollision.ca, 613-767-9710 (2 years left in mandate)
- 16. Trustee 3:** .....Blair Macfie ( 3 years left in mandate) blair/macfie@gmail.com, 613-353-7138

**Knights of Columbus - Knights Deals**  
**Questions - Email [deals@knightsdeals.ca](mailto:deals@knightsdeals.ca) or call or text 613.817.5353**

Check Knight deals website near the end of pandemic.

**Knights of Columbus - Gift Cards**  
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It's simple, buy gift card 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](mailto: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.

Note: At Holy Name of Jesus Church - Knight John Schell will sell cards at the end of the 5 PM mass and Pete Scott will do so after the Sunday mass. At Holy Family Chapel, Knight Scotty Smith will send cards after the English mass as well. Knight Robert Charest is assisting him during the pandemic.



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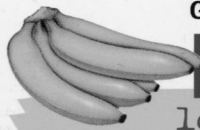
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