

# Knights of Columbus

Harry J. Tucker Jr. Council 11780



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### Calendar for January

1	New Year	Happy New Year	
5	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Exemplification Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
6	Epiphany		
10	Pancake Breakfast	St. John's, MPR	10:00 AM
18	Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Celebrate diversity	
19	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
21	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	Holy Spirit Parish Hall	7:00 PM
23	Blood Drive	St. John's MPR	7:00 AM

### Calendar for February












2	Groundhogs Day		
2	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Exemplification Council Meeting	St. John's, Rooms C	7:00 PM
5	Eucharistic Adoration	Sanctuary	9:30 AM
13	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree Exemplification	Bothell, WA	Call to inquire
14	Valentine's Day	Celebrate our Love for one another	
15	President's Day	Honor our Presidents	
16	Business Meeting	St. John's, Room 3	7:00 PM
17	Ash Wednesday	Beginning of Lent	
18	Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting	St. John's, Rooms 7	7:00 PM
27	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification	Assumption Parish, Bellingham, WA	11:30 AM

### Wedding Anniversaries in December












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If you have a wedding anniversary this month send an email to sagilyeat@comcast.net.

### Birthdays in January

 Lawrence D. Racicot	1/5	 Rudy Bien-Aime	1/14	 William J.G. Cogswell	1/26
 Vernon C. Newton	1/10	 Roger J. Rammer	1/17	 Patrick H. Wallace	1/28
 Mark D. Sigurdson	1/10	 Nick D. Bujanovich	1/20	 Paul R. Felcyn	1/29
 John R. Fanning	1/12	 John G. Kiefer	1/25		

### K of C Anniversaries in January

 Otto T. Fink	'51	 James P. Coyne	'81	 Roger J. Rammer	'97
 Thomas W. Kivley	'53	 Kenneth V. Arnts	'83	 John R. Fanning	'99
 Denis J. Taft	'62	 Steven E. Baus	'83	 Jude M. Restis	'09
 Ted R. Childs	'64	 Jude H. Restis	'90		

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## **Grand Knight's Message, Harry J. Tucker, Jr. Council 11780**



Brothers, I wish you and your families a very Happy New Year. It's been a while since the last newsletter. The Christmas celebration for our family was a happy and joyous time and I hope yours was as well. The first half of our fraternal year is in the books and we start our next six months ambitious as ever. I am asking all of you to help make all our sponsored events a success and plan to attend at least one of them. Don't worry there are more than enough events to choose from. I know we are all busy and have other obligations, but I am looking for each brother to participate in at least one event on our council calendar.

One year has ended and another has begun with the second half of the fraternal year at hand. I am very optimistic about the balance of the fraternal year and that Council 11780 will further evolve into being a greater council. The officers are brainstorming diligently on ways to further improve operations and create bigger and better fundraisers. Any ideas are especially welcomed. Let us all work together to enhance the good of the council.

Annual dues are due and the billing has gone out. Please help us and pay your dues ASAP. Dues may be turned in at the next meeting or by mail to Al Myers, our Worthy Financial Secretary, at 24050 183rd Ave SE, Kent, WA 98042-4803.

Please make all checks payable to Knights of Columbus #11780. You may turn your dues in at any council meeting or mail it to Al Myers

The dues are \$30 again this year. If you are a student or are in the military, our council passed a motion making your dues half that of a regular member or \$15. If you are a priest or honorary life member, your membership is free.

I want to thank all those great Knights who have helped with our events this past year. Carl Chilo brought us through to half way through the year. I took over in July and had a rough start but I think I'm getting the hang of things.

Please continue to pray for me and my family as I try to lead this council for the remainder of the fiscal year.

My goals for this council this year are as follows:

1. Encourage as many as our 1st degree knights to get your 2nd and 3rd degrees as possible.
2. Fulfill our membership and insurance quota for the year.
3. Meet all our state goals.
4. Achieve Star Council Award.

I think these goals are all attainable. Will you help me reach these goals?

**Vivat Jesus! Scott Gilyeat, Grand Knight  
Council 11780**



## **Knights and Knight Families Honored**

The council would like to honor those knights that have shown the spirit of what it really means to be a Knight. The Knight and Family of the Month are selected for their commitment to the council, church and community. They have shown all the qualifications in the three things we hold dear in the Knights: CHARITY, UNITY, and FRATERNITY. They are each picked from a fine group of people, all deserving of this award for that period. I personally congratulate each for their efforts to make our community better.



**Knight of the Month**  
**November**  
**Mark Thompson**

**Family of the Month**  
**November**  
**Peter & Joan Cunningham**

## Pennies for Heaven

Pennies for Heaven program is one of the most important programs that the Knights of Columbus sponsor, because it supports our seminarians as they go through their vocation training. Consider making a donation to support those that serve the church.

Our council has been assigned a seminarian from Spokane, WA by the name of David Kruse.

## Membership Recruitment

**Form #100  
Belongs in  
All of These Places**

- Briefcase
- In Your Pocket
- Near Your Phone
- Glove Compartment
- Everywhere You Go!

**SIGN UP A  
NEW MEMBER  
TODAY!**



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

## Husky Seat Cushion Removal



On Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, our council again coordinated the removal of the Husky Seat Cushions under the dedicated guidance of Dave Parks. There were 223 people helping remove the seat cushions.

All seat cushions were removed, cleaned and stored in the trailers by 12:30 PM. Stew and clam chowder was served for lunch provided by Howard Baus and his crew in the Don James Center.

## First Degree Ceremonial Books

Those that have first degree ceremonial books need to turn them into the Financial Secretary Al Myers PGK. Our council has only been assigned five books that have to go around to all that wish to memorize a ceremonial position. The books need to be recycled to other individuals that wish to participate on the first degree team.

## First Degree Certification

At this moment our council does not have any prospect for new members. Our last First Degree was in July and several months before that. As a result our First Degree has not been certified for the year and needs to have some refresher training.

New members of the degree team are needed to replace those that are not able to fulfill the role any longer and also we need backups for all positions for when someone is not available. Please take this opportunity to fill a vital role in our council.

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## Anniversaries



We have only received 36% replies on the wedding anniversaries. Many more of you should reply to this call and honor our spouses for putting up with us for so many years.



## Christmas Party

Our Annual Council Christmas Party at Paolo's Italian Restaurant was held on Tue., Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. There were 27 people in attendance and the food was delicious. Thanks to Paolo's for allowing us to have our party there. Thanks to all who attended the party.

## Pancake Breakfast

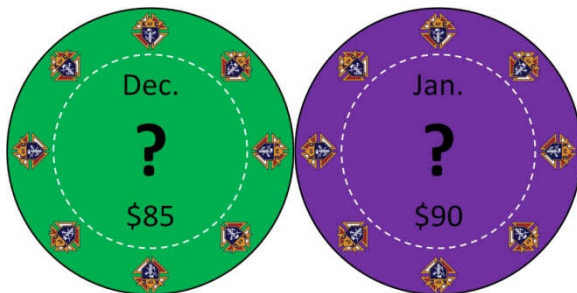


The Knights of Columbus will host a Pancake Breakfast in the McMullen Center the second Sunday of Jan. from 9:00 AM to 12 PM. Come join us for pancakes, sausage, eggs, coffee and juice. Cost is free, but

donations will be accepted. Proceeds will benefit the seminarian David Kruse from Spokane, WA. Brother Knights please come and assist in this activity. Many hands make light work.

## Attendance Lottery

Attendance at our regular business meetings has been low. So there was an idea that we have an attendance lottery. Each month after the meeting a poker chip is drawn from a bag. That individual will receive the amount set for that meeting. The individual must be in attendance to win. If the individual is not in attendance, the amount goes up by \$5. Who will it be next? Chips were not available at Dec. meeting for drawing.



## Council Dues

Council Dues will be \$30 again this year. Dues can be paid by mail to Al Myers at 24050 183rd Ave SE, Covington, WA 98042-4803 or at the next meeting you are in attendance. Your membership card must be current to attend a council meeting.

## Good of the Order



Please pray for those brothers that have past and pray for the brothers and family members that are sick.

If you have any good of the order that you want people to pray for send a message to

Scott Gilyeat at [sagilyeat@comcast.net](mailto:sagilyeat@comcast.net).

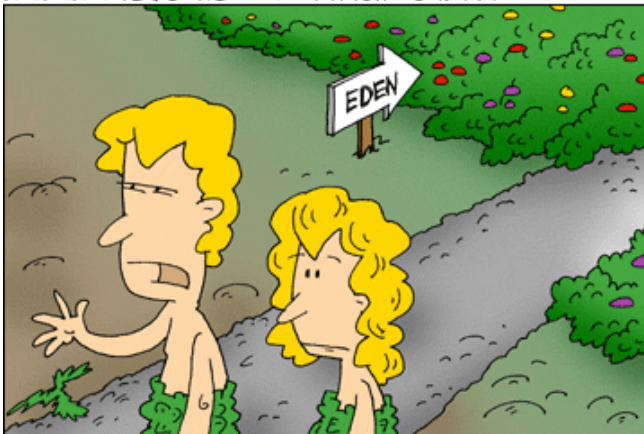
### November Meeting:

- Br. Gary Weber – Father died
- Br. Tony Fuoco – Niece died
- Br. Howard Baus – Liver Biopsy
- Br. Dave Parks – Father surgery – thanks for prayers
- Please pray for all those previously mentioned.

## Newsletter Input

If you have something that you would like added to the council newsletter, please submit it the Scott Gilyeat at [sagilyeat@comcast.net](mailto:sagilyeat@comcast.net).

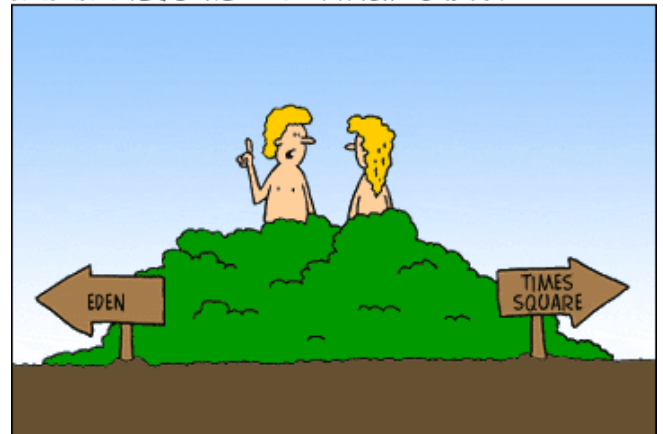
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OUR RESOLUTION LAST YEAR COULD HAVE BEEN  
"LESS FRUIT", BUT NO ... WE WENT WITH  
"TRUST PEOPLE MORE"

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WE HAVE PERMISSION TO GO FOR NEW YEAR'S  
EVE ... BUT HE MADE ME PROMISE NOT TO  
EAT THE APPLE