

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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October 2021

Knights of Columbus, Council  
7450, Concord, NC

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## Council 7450 Meeting Tuesday October 12, 2021



### Knights Blood Drive

Next drive is Sunday, December 5th. Come give the gift of life! Tell your friends and neighbors, all are welcome! 35 units were donated in



September. LAMB charitable Giving Days Monday, October 18th at El



### Amigo.

The Knights of Columbus places a special importance on honoring the Blessed Mother. Every



man who joins a K of C council receives a rosary and is encouraged to seek Mary's

intercession by praying it regularly. In addition, many join Council 7450, 6:15 PM as we lead the

rosary before the Monday night Novena on the 2nd Monday of the month. Pope Francis launched a rosary marathon at the beginning of May, encouraging the faithful around the world to pray daily for an end to the pandemic. And there is no better time to honor the Blessed Mother.



Tootsie Rolls will be sold after Mass—perfect for halloween candy—money goes to

### LAMB!

### BELK CHARITY SALE—



Oct 28-30 Buy a \$5 ticket to shop SPECIAL VALUES at Belk...

EXTRA 25% of rarely discounted brands and items (you can stack & use other coupons as well) + get your \$5 back on your first purchase! LAMB gets to keep the \$5 paid, a win for all! Ticket for sale after Mass.



### CCM FOOD TRUCK, sponsored by Council

7450 will be in the Geiger Hall parking lot from 2:30-4:30 PM on Thursday, October 28. Help will be needed beginning at 1:30 to set up and distribute food to the community.

### Next Knights Breakfast

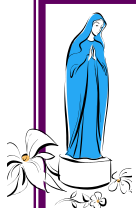


## October 17

Please come and help us serve the parish. Bring the family and friends and enjoy the best breakfast in town for the price!

THANK YOU to those who helped (and ate) last month!!

## Knights of Faith



Knights have always been dedicated to Our Lady. Pray the Rosary daily..... Select your intention. Pray as a family or by yourself.

Attend the Monday Novena, Rosary 6:30

In Memory of Knights  
Mass for departed Brothers:  
All deceased:

Saturday, 12/11 2021 - 5 p.m.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament occurs EVERY

Monday between 9:00 AM and 6:30 PM in the Church. What a wonderful gift you can give to yourself to spend time with Jesus!



# October—Month of the Most Holy Rosary



*Today, when dangers far greater than those of the ancient Turks threaten not only Christianity but all civilization, we are urged by our Blessed Mother to turn again to the Rosary for help. If men in sufficient numbers do this, and at the same time carry out the other conditions that she has laid down, we have the greater reason for confidence that we will be delivered from our dangers."*

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. According to an account by fifteenth-century Dominican, Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after he had been praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the Albigensian heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics and then gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and efficacy, and told him to preach it to others.

## "Since the prayers of the Rosary



come from such excellent sources — from Our Lord Himself, from inspired Scripture, and from the Church — it is not

surprising that the Rosary is so dear to our Blessed Mother and so powerful with heaven.

## "If we consider the power of the

Rosary as seen in its effects, we find a great abundance of proofs of its wonderful value. Many are the favors granted to private individuals through its devout recitation: there are few devoted users of the Rosary who cannot testify to experiencing its power in their own lives. If we turn to history, we see many great triumphs of the Rosary. Early tradition attributes the defeat of the Albigensians at the Battle of Muret in 1213 to the Rosary. But even those who do not accept this tradition will admit that St. Pius V attributed the great defeat of the Turkish fleet on the first Sunday of October, 1571, to the fact that at the same time the

Rosary confraternities at Rome and elsewhere were holding their processions. Accordingly, he ordered a commemoration of the Rosary to be made on that day.

Two years later, Gregory XIII allowed the celebration of a feast of

the Rosary in churches having an altar dedicated to the Rosary. In 1671, Clement X extended the feast to all Spain. A second great victory over the Turks, who once, like the Russians, threatened the ruin of Christian civilization, occurred on August 5, 1716, when Prince Eugene defeated them at Peterwardein in Hungary. Thereupon Clement XI extended the feast of the Rosary to the whole Church.

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The 15 Promises of Our Lady made to St. Dominic and Bl. Alan de la Roche

Until about the 15th century hundreds of mysteries were part of the Rosary devotion then the 15 mysteries that we know today were **definitively fixed as "the Mysteries of the Rosary."** Pope John Paul II, in his encyclical, *Rosarium Virginis Mariae*, in 2002 added the five Luminous Mysteries.

- 1) To all those who shall recite my Rosary devoutly, I promise my special protection and very great graces.
- 2) Those who shall persevere in the recitation of my Rosary shall receive some signal grace.
- 3) The Rosary shall be a very powerful armor against hell; it will destroy vice, deliver from sin, and dispel heresy.
- 4) The Rosary will make virtue and

good works flourish, and will obtain for souls the most abundant divine mercies; it will substitute in hearts love of God for love of the world, and will lift them to the desire of heavenly and eternal things. How many souls shall sanctify themselves by this means!

- 5) Those who trust themselves to me through the Rosary, shall not perish.
- 6) Those who shall recite my Rosary devoutly, meditating on its mysteries, shall not be overwhelmed by misfortune. The sinner shall be converted; the just shall grow in grace and become worthy of eternal life.
- 7) Those truly devoted to my Rosary shall not die without the Sacraments of the Church.
- 8) Those who recite my Rosary shall find during their life and at their death the light of God, the fullness of His graces, and shall share in the merits of the blessed.
- 9) I shall deliver very promptly from purgatory the souls devoted to my Rosary.
- 10) The true children of my Rosary shall enjoy great glory in heaven.
- 11) What you ask through my Rosary, you shall obtain.
- 12) Those who propagate my Rosary shall be aided by me in all their necessities.
- 13) I have obtained from my Son that all the members of the Rosary Confraternity shall have for their brethren the saints of heaven during their life and at the hour of death.
- 14) Those who recite my Rosary faithfully are all my beloved children, the brothers and sisters of Jesus Christ.
- 15) Devotion to my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.





Brothers,

I hope all is well with you and your families...

**\*\* We continue to have a strong start to our fraternal year and hope to continue our efforts to do the best we can to serve our Parish and Community.**

**\*\*Please note our upcoming events and activities and a brief report on the events that have transpired:**

- **Council # 7450 Blood Drive- Sept. 12-** our Council would like to thank all that participated in the One-Blood blood drive on Sunday, September 12. Our goal was set at 23. We had 37 donors present. We collected 35 productive pints. The bus had 2 donors for plasma. **Our next drive is scheduled Sunday, December 5. Thanks** to Brother George for coordinating our Drive and for our Brothers that assisted.

- **Council # 7450 Breakfast- Sept 19-** we had a successful "welcome back" Council breakfast with over 90 parishioners joining us & about 30 Brothers, Columbiettes & youth that assisted- great comradery! We thank all who joined us & look forward to our next Council Breakfast on October 17<sup>th</sup>! Please save the date & join us!

- **Council # 7450 Soccer Challenge- Sept. 25-** our Council hosted our annual Council & District Soccer Challenge. All parish youth that joined us and our Community Service Program Team (Blas, Floriberto, Eduardo, Edgar, Luis, & Joe) had a fun time competing & also enjoyed a soccer game afterwards. Thanks to all who joined us for this successful event for our parish youth.

- **Council assistance- Parish Celebration/Picnic - Sept. 26** - we were honored, blessed & humbled to assist our Parish with this joyful celebration... we cooked over 400 burgers & over 500 hot dogs for the celebration & were thanked by many parishioners for our service to the community and the Parish celebration.

**Brothers Gustavo & Lee** – assisted with the Faith booth providing rosaries and pamphlets to our parishioners / Brother Dave G.- assisted with entertainment to our parish youth...

- **Council Exemplification and Membership drives (future)- Oct 9 & 10 (memb. drive),** thanks to our brothers that participated in the Council Membership drive- we had gentlemen from our Parish that have shown interest in joining our Council Family.... Exemplification- Dec. 4

- **Council Fundraising- Council Car Show- Oct. 16-** we are hosting our next Car Show and invite our Brothers, our parishioners, and community to join us for a fun event with our Car Club partners ...

**MNF books-** books have been sold out- thanks to all who purchased a book and for the brothers that coordinated the raffle

- **Life Chain (Oct 3)-** the annual Life Chain was successful with a good showing of parishioners and Brothers. Thanks to all that participated in this important part of our Faith

- **Council / Parish CCM Food Drive- Oct 28 (2:30-4:30)-** our Council & parish are hosting the next CCM (Cabarrus County) drive... please join us to help others in our Community...

- **Big Brothers / Big Sisters (Cabarrus County)-** our Council will be working with this worthwhile organization as a future partner to continue our Community Outreach in this aspect and in many other ways

**Note:** all Council events/activities are subject to change due to / in conjunction with changing community conditions...

Brothers, Thank you to all of you for being a part of our Council Family and doing your part to make our Council the best it can be. Please feel free to contact me anytime.

God Bless you and your families.

Respectfully,

Joe Amodeo

GK K of C # 7450

# 845-234-8631

# October 2021



## Month of the Holy Rosary

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Donate to St. James		Officers Meeting Guadalupe Hall				Recruitment after Mass
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Recruitment after Mass	Knights lead Rosary 6:15 PM  Columbus Day	Business Meeting - Guadalupe Hall				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Knights Breakfast HELP 7-12:30	Eat for LAMB - El Amigo					
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Donate to LAMB				Food Truck 2:30-4:30 PM Belk Sale	Belk Sale	Belk Sale
31						
All Souls Day						



**PERSON****WE ARE IN PRAYER**

<b><u>FOR</u></b>	<b><u>RELATION</u></b>	<b><u>COMMENTS</u></b>	<b><u>DATE ADDED</u></b>
Val Demarco	Brother Knight	Passed away	12/2020
John Fox	Brother Knight	Passed away	2/2021
Bill Suhy	Brother Knight	Passed away	2/2021
Roberta Scruggs	Mother of Brother Keven Casey	Passed Away	9/2021
Lou Hart	Father of Brother Tim Hart	Passed Away	9/2021
Tim Chase	Brother Knight	Illness	9.2021
S/K Jeff Mathews	Brother Knight	Illness	10/2021
Amy Bertollette	Daughter of Brother Barry	Cancer	10/2021
Kristen Bray	Columbiette	Illness	10/2021
Don Belofski	Brother Don	Illness	9/2017
Keven Casey	Brother Knight	Illness	9/2021
Linda Cawa	Wife-Brother Knight	Illness	8/2020
Sal Cawa	Brother Knight	Illness	8/2020
Clivia Chin	Sister-in-law -Bob Wheeler	Illness	3/2021
Mark Cormier	Son-Ted Cormier	Illness	6/2020
George Coyle	Brother Knight	Illness	
David Crispi	Brother Ken Johnson req.	Illness	
Richard Glass	Brother Knight	Detached Retina	
Ellen Guttridge	Wife-Bill Guttridge	Illness	7/2016
Vic Haugen	Brother Knight	Illness	3/2021
Karen Hopper	Sister of Brother John Green	Cancer	8/2016
Jan Johnson	Wife-Ken Johnson	Illness	3/2020
Beverly Kachmarik	Wife-S/K Bob Kachmarik	Cancer	5/2018
Mrs. McEachern	Mother of S/K Eddie	Illness	5/2021
S/K Eddie McEachern	Brother Knight	Illness	3/2020
Doug McEachern	Brother of S/K Eddie	Surgery	5/2021
Ron Mikesh	Brother Knight	Parkinsons	8/2016
Lillian Martinez	Parishioner Family	Car accident	3/2021
Lake Speed (family)	Family of Brother Knight	Illness	3/3021
Bill Waterson	Brother Knight	Cancer	3/2017
Donna Yurna	Br. Don Belofski Daughter in law	Illness	3/2021
Hyacinth Wheeler	Wife of Bro. Bob	Illness	5/2021
Regina Morris	Daughter of Bro Art Eberhardt	Heart Attack	7/2021
Mike Connor		illness	10/2021

Oppressed Christians  
All Affected by COVID-19

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**Saturday October 16, 2021**  
**8:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

# **Classic Car Show**

**Car Registration 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM**

Come to the Knights of Columbus Classic Car Show. Browse collector cars including Mustangs, Corvettes, classic trucks, restored antique cars, American muscle cars, Post 2000 Modern and many more. Enjoy the music and food available for purchase. Proceeds support local charities.



DJ on site

Prizes Awarded

**Free Admission**

**Car Registration**  
**\$20**  
**Day of Show**  
**\$25**

50-50 Raffle

Food Available for Purchase!

First Come First Served!

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139 Manor Av SW  
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Council 7450 graciously thanks these establishments for their past support of OPERATION L.A.M.B. Charitable Giving Days. We look forward to working with them in the future. Brothers, now it is our turn to support them during these uncertain times for small business. Please dine-in or order take out from our generous sponsors!



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# Knights In Action



Breakfast



Parish Regather Celebration

Eagle Scout Check Presentation



Life Chain