

#### **GRAND KNIGHT REPORT**

Brother Knights,

We are about to embark on a new year. Let us begin by remembering our Brother Knights that have fallen asleep in the Lord through the years, and especially Jeff Goettemoeller and Jack Walter that have completed their earthly journey this past year. Our time on this earth is so finite that we should strive to make the most of our time. In perspective, we have so little time to do good. This is where the Knights come into play in that through our council, we are given opportunities to spend some of this precious commodity of time trying to share the kingdom with the people that are around us in our family, council, church and community. Try and plan some time doing good this year and join other Brother Knights, share an experience, make a new friend and do some big good.

Upcoming this month is several projects. First is that Fr Schwieger is beginning to move us forward, after a long respite, with the building of many cabinets that will finish off the social hall. If you have any time to spare, ask Father what you can do to help. On Jan. 14th is the annual Walk for Life, downtown on the north side of the capital where we all will gather before 10 am behind our banner and walk to the University as our show of support for LIFE. Come join us for an hour or more, as your schedule permits. Also on January 21st, we will require help with the annual free throw contest is the gym beginning at 900am. Finally, for now, we begin another year looking forward to the fish frys that will soon begin on March 3rd. Hope you can make room in your schedule to help out, plus there may be another pancake feed or other food event coming before lent starts.

I would be remiss if I did not mention that 2017 dues are needed to help finance our many giving projects. Please get them paid to Al as soon as possible. It is still not too late to get your dues paid for 2016 if you haven't yet. If not sure you paid, ask Al and he can check on

it for you. Fraternal survey are also due asap as Al needs the info for his report to Supreme on the 15th of this month. Thanks, God Bless and have a wonderful NEW YEAR!!!

David Wilson, Grand Knight



# JANUARY 2017

#### Jan. 1

HAPPY NEW YEAR

#### Jan. 4

• General Meeting, 700pm

#### Jan. 10

• Fraternal Survey deadline, Al needs them

#### Jan. 13

• Annual Clergy Dinner, 6 p.m. Cathedral, 3500 Sheridan Blvd. \$15.

#### Jan. 14

 Walk for Life, 1000am, North of Capital, come walk with us

#### Jan. 21

Free Throw Contest in Gym

#### Jan. 21-22

 One Rose, One Life after Masses, need help handing out envelopes and cards

### Jan. All Month

woodworking at cabinet shop

## Birthdays for January

- Aaron R Delahoyde 01-03
- Gerry L Peirce 01-08
- George A Stoner 01-08
- Steven P Becker 01-13
- Chris R Mcgahan 01-14
- Donald E Archer 01-17
- Christopher A Hattan 01-17
- Donald J Green 01-18
- Kenneth J Dolezal 01-22
- Thomas D Mc Bride 01-23
- Eric J Martin 01-24
- Stephen L Budler 01-25
- James J Petrzilka 01-30



Pray for Our Seminarian

Deacon Jason Doher

And Postulates

Sister Megan Theresa

Sister Joan



November, 2016

Knights of Columbus Council #13576 6141 Morrill Ave Lincoln, NE 68507

Dear Knights of Columbus,

This past year brought shocking "Brave New World" revelations in biomedical research, including genetic engineering breakthroughs using a gene editing tool called CRISPR-Cas9.

As I write this, new just broke revealing a new clinical trial initiated by China that seeks to cure cancer in adults using the CRISPR-Cas9. This is an exciting and ethical use of the new tool that NCER can endorse. However, human nature always seems to push some people across that ethical line to change something good into something destructive. How long before "designer babies" and "transhuman" people are created, making anyone who is "imperfect" unwanted and unacceptable? Closer to home, the state of Nebraska continues to allow UNMC to conduct new embryonic research and continued experimentation using fetal tissue from elective abortions.

The Board at NCER would like to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks to you for faithfully partnering with us over this past year in our shared mission to stand for the life, dignity and rights of every human being at each developmental stage.

Progress in 2016 at NCER:

- Our Updated Website This past year, our ethicalresearch.net website had over 4,311
  page views with over 2,401 unique first-time visits. On average, this translates to 7 first-time
  visits per day! The website has also has been updated to function properly with your iPad and
  iPhone, not just the computer.
- Social Media Over the last year, our Facebook page has reached over 4,000 people: about 120 new people each week, and this in turn feeds them into visiting our website.
- 3) Direct Outreach We conducted several educational presentations at high schools, community groups and churches in order to provide understanding of the latest genetic engineering advances found in the latest news headlines.

in 2017, NCER vitally needs your support:

- Your financial gifts: to sustain and expand our educational and marketing efforts.
- Your sphere of influence: Follow us on Facebook, and tell your friends, family and colleagues about NCER.
- Your ideas Let us know if your school, community group, church or business would be interested in a customized presentation to answer questions about the "Brave New World" we are entering.

Finally, please check to see if your employer will match your charitable contributions to NCER, and sign up top support NCER through Amazon Smile. Thank you for your generosity!

Carol Szczepaniak,

President of NCER

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#### **FIELD AGENT NEWS**

# The Value of Life Insurance for Children

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As a father, you worry about your children and do everything you can to protect them. You try to raise them right and make sure they are prepared to become adults. But have you ever thought about buying life insurance for your child?

When you insure a child, you are protecting his or her future. Did you know that one out of every six adults get rated, postponed, or denied for insurance coverage? If you purchase a policy for your child from the Knights of Columbus with a guaranteed purchase option, it guarantees that more insurance can be purchased for that child at certain set dates, without proving insurability.

Unfortunately, as fathers we don't have a crystal ball, and we don't know what the future may have in store for our children's health. But did you know that right now you can purchase a child's policy, in many cases, for less than \$10 a month?

I've heard it said that people don't want to "profit" from the death of a child, so they won't purchase coverage on their children. God forbid something tragic happens, those funds can come in handy at a time when finances will be the last thing on a parent's mind. I have never heard a story about someone who regretted buying coverage on their child.

Contact me today to discuss the many policy options for child plans, including 10- and 20-Pay life insurance.

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# Monsignor David Hintz CO 13576 Lincoln, NE

Statement Date: 01-01-217		Amount Enclosed:	
Member #:		Balance Due: \$61.00	
Billing Period:	01-01-2017 – 12-31-2017	Make Checks Payable to: Knights of Columbus Council 13576	
Name:		Send Payment to Financial Secretary	
Address	<del>-</del>	Al Schrader	
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**Monsignor David Hintz CO 13576** 

Lincoln, NE

Membership Bill for: General Form

Statement Date: 01-01-2017 Annual Dues: \$25.00

**Detail of Charges** 

		Previous Balance:	0.00	
Current Assessments:				
01-01-2017	Dues Assesment		25.00	
01-01-2017	Special Assessment	Buck-a-Month	12.00*	
01-01-2017	Special Assessment	Collections for the Poor	12.00*	
01-01-2017	Special Assessment	RSVP Vocations Program	12.00*	
		Total Due:	61.00	

<sup>\*</sup> This assessment is not mandatory

What's in you wallet?
If your membership card does not say 2017
then use this form to pay your dues
and get brand new member card! Thank you!