

Knights of Columbus Council #3134

Sleepy Eye & Leavenworth



Brother Knights,

The Knights of Columbus will be meeting Monday, May 8, at St. Mary's Church social room. Rosary for Brother Knights in distress will be at 7:00pm in Church followed by the meeting at 7:30pm.

Our Cadillac Dinner was very well attended. Fun was had by all, and we enjoyed a delicious meal. The raffle also went well. The \$5000 1st Prizewinner was the St. Mary's Catering Crew. Congratulations to them, they deserve it. We have a few sirloin steaks and packs of hamburger left over. They will be on sale at our meeting. Steaks 2/pk \$15.00, hamburger 1 lb./pk \$4.00. Thank you brother Wayne Pelzel for your many years of chairing the Cadillac Dinner and Raffle. Wayne will be stepping down, and will pass that job on to his nephews, Brothers Jeff and Jamie Pietig. Thank you both for taking on this major fundraiser for our council.

Thank you Brother Jim Soukup for your many years of running our Las Vegas Raffle and for being our gambling manager. We will be looking to fill his position as Jim will be moving to Massachusetts this summer to be with family. We will miss you Jim, good luck in your new home.

We have three major summer events, starting with 4th of July food booth. Be ready to volunteer when Brother Mark Schwartz calls. He will chair that event again this year. Next is the St. Mary's Church Festival KC donuts on August 6. As always we will be serving our famous KC Donuts all day. Please be ready to help when called. Lastly is our food stand at Allison Park during Sleepy Eye Summerfest, August 19, 11am-5pm. The Ski show will be on Saturday this year as well. New this year we will be serving corn on the cob. Brother Dewy Havemeier came up with this idea and has secured the corn for us. Pork chop on a stick, buffalo burgers, and hotdogs will also be served the same as last year. Watch for all these summer events and help out where you can.

This will be our last meeting until September 11, so I strongly encourage all brothers to attend. Have a great summer.

God Bless you all,

Russ McCabe Grand Knight

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May Knights of Columbus Meeting

Monday, May 8, 2023

- KC Rosary for Brother Knights in distress: 7:00 pm
- 7:30 meeting St. Mary's social room
- Call to order & opening prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance and roll call
- Minutes and communications
- Chaplain's report

Old Business

- Bills and treasurers report
- KC Cadillac Dinner, Brother Wayne Pelzel
- CCW Ladies Night Out, Brother Pat Hoffmann
- KC Teddy Bear Benefit, Brother Brian Braun
- Install lights on Choose Life Signs \$900, Brother Greg Braulick

New Business

- KC 4th of July Food Stand, Brother Mark Schwartz
- St. Mary's Festival August 6, KC Donuts, GN Russ McCabe
- Summerfest Food Stand and Parade, Aug 19, GN Russ McCabe & Brother Tom Hirsch
- Gambling Manager & Las Vegas Raffle
- Donations: Handicap Jungle Gym; Tootsie Roll money MRCI; Divine Providence Annual Appeal \$1000; Fr. Cornelius a) Freight \$500 b) car for sisters \$500; Spring Breakfast a) First Choice Pregnancy \$500 b) Options for Women \$500; Pay for buses: Altar servers to Valley Fair, 6th Graders to Capitol
- Good of the Order, Knights in distress
- Next Meeting-Monday, September 11, at St. Mary's Church social room
- Adjournment & closing prayer

Upcoming Calendar of Events:

- 2023 KC State Convention, May 20-21, Bloomington
- KC 4th of July Food Stand, 11am-3pm
- St. Mary's Summer Festival, August 6, KC Donut Stand, All Day
- Sleepy Eye Summerfest, August 18-20, KC Food Stand Aug 19, 11am-5 pm
- KC Officers Meeting, August 26, 7:00 am Hardees
- Next KC Meeting, Monday, Sept 11, at St. Mary's Social Room