



Fr. Solanus Casey Council

JUNE 2018

St Margaret's of Scotland Church

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## Knights Line

Brother Knights,

Vivat Jesus!

As I am writing this newsletter it will be my last, as I must resign due to my wife's health problems. I want to thank everyone for your support throughout the past two years that I have served. I truly am satisfied with the transition into a church council and all the help from members - special thanks to Fr. Ron De Hondt for his support. Thank You. The Nominations that were run last meeting in May are posted in this newsletter. There will be Nominations and Elections at the June 13th meeting. I wish all the newly elected officers the very best. All members be sure to attend. Summer has arrived and we hope the car shows will start on a good note. The weather should be good and the 1st turnout good, with many classic cars showing up and weather we should have a good opening, Jerry Harold will be cooking some awesome hamburgers and sausages. All shows will be every Thursday from 4:00pm till 8:00pm weather permitting. Come out and join us for a good time. The St Margaret's Men's Club will be joining us this year as partners. The officers board has come up with some ideas as to how to invest the money that we have in our savings account, and then bring it up for a vote from the membership. Sunday June 10th will be our Blood Drive in Tocco hall from 9:00am till 3:00pm. Sign up at the third and fourth meetings or walk in.

Today modern culture seeks to topple all authority with which it disagrees, be it not only one in Christianity, true authority in the one who renounces self-serving power in the name of love and Christianity. In that authority lies the nobility of the true Knight. The mission of the Knight still remains: there must always be men who serve that which is Holy in this world without reservation and without salary, caring for the weak, the persecuted and the insulted, renewing the authority of law and fighting against injustice. The Knight exist for the sake of everyone: that is his proper position in the world. The time has come, support your Council and be a Knight in good standing, bring other catholic men into our membership.

Yours in Christ

Gerald Wilczynski, Grand Knight

### **Officers Nominated for Office 2018-2019 term**

Grand Knight;	Paul Desjardin, John Kelleher
Deputy Grand Knight;	Jerry Harold
Chancellor;	Mike Weiss
Recorder;	Alwyn Wunderlich
Treasurer;	Fred Kuplicki
Warden;	open
Inside Guard;	Paul Weiss
Outside Guard;	John Huseltine
3 Year Trustee;	Robert LaMouth

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

JAJMES J ANTHONY  
KENNETH J BROWER  
ALBERT J BALAZ  
ALLEN J BAUMGART  
KENNETH J BROWER  
CHARLES H CZECH  
JAMES J DECKERT  
ROBERT A FERRARIO  
RICHARD S GARSKA  
ERIC J GNACKE  
GEORGE G GRISH  
ROBERT C GIELEGHEM  
JOHN W KELLEHER  
RICHARD W KARSCHNIA  
MICHAEL HJ MAJEWSKI JR  
GERALD J MCGINNIS  
ARTHUR R MARQUEZ  
KENNETH L OLEKSIK  
JASON M OLESKY  
JOSEPH S PIAZZA  
GEORGE L SHEVENOCK II  
EDWARD W STEWART  
ROBERT L STRENG  
MICHAEL F WUJEK  
KEVIN J WOJCIK  
MITCHELL J WOZNAK

## June Calendar

June 6 – Officers Mtg, 6:00 pm, No Dofl Mtg,  
June 10 – Blood Drive, 9-3, Tocco Hall  
June 13 – Membership Mtg, 6:30 pm  
June 19 – News Articles Due  
June 27 - 4th Degree Mtg, 8:00 pm  
June 7, 14, 21, 28– Car show 4pm

## PRAYER

Father we are Blessed to be your child. Make us more like you everyday.

Amen

Newsletter articles due by:

Tuesday, June 19th

7:00 pm or sooner.

**Paula Kreinbring**

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### **Sick List, Remember them in your prayers**

Sheila Vandamme, Glen Hardy,  
Richard Edwards Sr., Santino Lupo,  
Robert Gileghem, Michael Petty, Valery Russell  
Beverly Wilczynski, Leonard Haisenleder

### **ATTENTION: K OF C MEMBERS & THEIR FAMILIES**

Just a reminder that when a K of C member passes away, please contact Michael Weiss or Lenny Bartold as soon as possible. The K of C banner is taken to the funeral home. If the family wishes, the K of C will say a rosary. They also present the family with a Bible, Mass Card and a resolution of condolence from the Supreme Council in memory of that member.

## **THIS IS MY BODY**

(71ST IN A SERIES)

In the fifth century, a Constantinople a man attempted to convert his heretical wife. They attended Holy Mass and she received the Host. The Holy Host changed into stone.

### **FIRST DEGREE DATES**

Monday, June 25

Registration 7:30PM Start Time: 8PM  
ALL DEGREES ARE IN TOCCO HALL  
Park in back lot and enter school

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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Car Shows, 4pm- dusk – every Thur – til the end of August

SUNDAY, JUNE 10 – Blood Drive in TOCCO Hall, 9am-3 pm

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13 – Nominations & Elections of Officers, 6:30 PM

**MAY HE REST IN PEACE  
AND MAY GOD BLESS HIS SOUL**

**Brother Knight Charles Borowicz  
April 2018**

#### **RTL Update: 2018 Oratory Contest**

The 29th Annual Right to Life of Michigan Educational Fund High School Oratory Contest was held on Saturday, May 5 in Holt. First place went to Rori Richardson of Grand Traverse Area Right to Life, a senior at St. Francis High School in Traverse City. Her speech was about the importance of palliative care as an ethical alternative to euthanasia. Rori will represent Michigan in the National Right to Life Oratory Contest on June 30 in Kansas. Second place went to Alayna Ackley, from Oceana County Right to life who spoke about infanticide. Third place went to Michael Carzon representing the Downriver affiliates who spoke about abortion. Congratulations to all High School participants who did an out- Standing job presenting their RTL speeches against abortion of the unborn babies.

John & Barbara Smith, RTL Council Couple

## VETS RETURNING HOME

Please continue to make your donations to **Veterans Returning Home** at 17955 E 11 Mile Rd., Roseville, MI. Take your home items to the back door. (Entrance off Gratiot, just north of 11 Mile on the East side of Gratiot.) Any questions please call Sandy Bowers at 586-216-8510 for Veterans Returning Home.

### Knights of Columbus “BENEFITS NEWS”

#### ONLY HAVING INSURANCE “Through Work” DOESN’T WORK.

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Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It’s very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there’s a possibility that you (or your spouse) could change employers, or even lose your job.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having “through work” insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family’s actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I’ll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you’ll know exactly where you stand.

I’d like to meet with you in your home, at your convenience. I’ll work with you to make sure your family is protected. As a brother Knight you can trust, I’ll take the stress and worry out of the buying decision. As a professional agent and a brother Knight, I have no greater responsibility.

*\*Receive a complete Family Needs Analysis at my expense.*

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In Christ,

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**FR. SOLANUS CASEY  
ASSEMBLY #0521**

Let me, at this time, thank you for letting me serve as your Worthy Navigator for the last 2 years. It was a real learning experience.

Congratulations to our new and old Officers that will be taking over the reigns this coming year.

It was nice to see a good turn out for the Mother's Day Celebration at Church. I was glad to stand in as Color Corps "Commander" for this mass. Thank you, Color Corps Commander, Russell Kreinbring, for the training. Hope to see you back in purple soon!!! Get Well!!!

Happy Birthday wishes to: SK Richard Garska, SK Richard Karschina, SK John Kelleher, PFN, SK Matthew L. McQueen, SK Charles Rutan, PFN.

Happy Anniversary wishes to: SK Joseph and Lady Diane Hobart and SK Matthew and Lady Darnell McQueen.

Please pray for all who are on our sick list and please say hello to or give a simple smile to a passerby...it just may brighten their day!

**Assembly 0521 Officers**

Friar Fr. Ronald De Hondt

Navigator Alarie Jefferson, Sr.

Admiral Thomas Podeszwik, PFN  
PGK

Captain John Zelmanski

Comptroller Russell Kreinbring,  
PFN, PGK

Purser Roy Anzell

Pilot Aldo Cardosi, PGK

Scribe Gerald Wilczynski PGK

Inner Sentinel Rob Houbeck

Outer Sentinel Michael Weiss

Trustee -3yr Ronald Surma

Trustee -2yr Fred Payne

Trustee -1yr Thomas Neil

Your Faithful Navigator,  
Alarie Jefferson, Sr.

**Career Opportunity**

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a field Agent for a Career opportunity representing their insurance program. They offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact Don M. Wesley FICF, General Agent at 888.393.7539 or [don.wesley@kofc.org](mailto:don.wesley@kofc.org)



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**Officers Council 3797**

Chaplain	Rev Ronald De Hondt
District Deputy	Kenneth Warzybok
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Trustee (2 Yr)	Jim Shanahan
Trustee (1 Yr)	Alarie Jefferson Sr.
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