

# Knighly News

January 2016 - #16-01

## A Word From The Grand Knight

Greetings All,

I hope this note finds everyone well, and I hope and pray everyone had a Blessed Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year! Thank God no snow yet, but you know that it is just around the corner.

If you have visited our club lately you will notice that we have had the exterior doors replaced. We have also gone to a keyless entry system for our members. If you do not have one of the new "fobs" contact trustee Mike Downey at 971 0101 and he will get you one. Each fob has its own identity helping us in the future to know who is coming and going. Our old system had a lot of keys that were not accounted for.

Please mark your calendar's for February 20 for our annual banquet. Where the burning question of who the Knight of the Year 2015 will be answered! We will be having an organizational planning meeting Wednesday, January 20 at 6:30 PM in the Pelican room. Please attend if you can help us out planning the evening.

Thank you all for all you do for our club. My sincerest wishes to you all for a safe and prosperous New Year.

Thanks and God's Blessings to All.

### December Knight of the Month



Karl Kohlrus

Grand Knight, Tom Kohlrus announced the Knight of the Month for December 2015 is Karl Kohlrus. This brother knight is involved with almost everything that goes on around here. He is an officer for the council, he is an officer of the corporation council, he works all the fish dinners, as well as the chicken dinner, he also helps at bingo. He is like a brother to me, that's because he is my brother!

Thank You and Congratulations Karl!

*Remember your KC Council in your will.*

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**Ladies Auxiliary**

The next meeting of the Council 4175 Ladies Auxiliary will be held Thursday, February 4, 2016, in the Council Hall at 7:00 PM. Come spend an evening and socialize with the ladies from the Auxiliary.

**St. Aloysius Chili Lunch**

The gentlemen attending “That Man is You” from St. Aloysius Parish will be holding a **Chili Lunch on Sunday, January 31** in the Parish Hall to support St. Aloysius School. We will have chili and hotdogs available for dine in or carry out from 11:30 am until 4:00 pm. Join us for a quick Sunday afternoon lunch and help us kick off Catholic Schools Week and support St. Aloysius School.

**Danner Family Thank You**

Brothers,

Words cannot express what you did for us during this difficult period of our lives. Thank You for going above and beyond. Dad would have been proud. Love You Guys!

Kevin Jr. and Family

**Upcoming Council Dates**

- Jan 21 ----- Council Meeting
- Jan 22 ----- Fish Fry
- Jan 31 ----- St. Aloysius Chili Lunch
- Feb 10 ----- Ash Wednesday Fish Fry
- Feb 12 ----- Fish Fry
- Feb 14 ----- St. Aloysius Spaghetti Dinner
- Feb 18 ----- Council Meeting
- Feb 19 ----- Fish Fry
- Feb 20 ----- KC 4175 Annual Banquet
- Feb 26 ----- Fish Fry
- Mar 3 ----- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
- Mar 4 ----- Fish Fry
- Mar 11 ----- St. Aloysius Koinonia
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- Mar 12 ----- St. Aloysius Koinonia
- Mar 13 ----- St. Aloysius Koinonia

**St. Aloysius Koinonia**

Please consider joining your fellow Brother Knights on the **St. Aloysius Koinonia (STALK) on March 11**. Koinonia is a time to reflect, pray and enjoy good times with good friends all centered around improving our understanding and celebrating the Paschal Mystery. Christ showed us true selfless love by His death and resurrection and together we will rediscover this saving act that freed us from death. STALK 19 will take place in the Parish Hall, Friday March 11 (starting at 5:30 pm) and will conclude Sunday, March 13 (ending around 3:00 pm). Please contact Matt Daniels at (217) 416-7027 or at [matthew.daniels@icloud.com](mailto:matthew.daniels@icloud.com).

**Council 4175 Annual Banquet**

Mark your calendar and make plans to attend the Council 4175 60th **Annual Banquet on Saturday, February 20, 2016**. This year’s banquet will be held at the Council Hall. The evening begins at 5:30 PM with a cocktail hour featuring an open bar, continues with dinner at 6:30 PM.

Dinner will be followed by the evenings program honoring the Knights of the Month and featuring the announcement of the Knight of the Year. There is a sign up sheet in the Pelican room, please add your names to the list so we can get a count for the caterers. Hope to see you there.

**St. Aloysius Spaghetti Dinner**

The St. Aloysius School Annual PTO Spaghetti Dinner will be held Sunday, February 14 from 12:00-6:30 pm in the St. Aloysius Church basement. Tickets can be purchased at the door. Adults \$9.00, seniors \$8.00, children \$6.00. The dinner includes spaghetti, meatballs, bread, salad, drink and dessert. Carry outs and drive-thru will be available from the parking lot.

*Visit our website at [www.kofc4175.com](http://www.kofc4175.com)*

**2015 - 2016 Council Officers**

Grand Knight ..... Tom Kohlrus  
 Chaplain ..... Fr. Clinton Honkomp, O.P.  
 Deputy Grand Knight .....Kenny Fitzgerald  
 Chancellor..... Matthew Daniels  
 Financial Secretary ..... Jim Meyer  
 Council Treasurer .....Earl Schroeder  
 Recorder.....Bill Haworth  
 Advocate .....John Mehlick  
 Warden .....Karl Kohlrus  
 Inside Guard .....Martin Petterchak  
 Outside Guard..... Francis Nwajei  
 1 Year Trustee ..... Pat Capranica  
 2 Year Trustee ..... John Kern  
 3 Year Trustee .....Mike Downey



**Knights of the Month for 2015**

January.....Greg (Tom) Trello  
 February..... Steve Rose  
 March..... Aaron Crowder  
 April.....Dave Danner  
 May..... Carl Burg  
 June..... Tony Chunes  
 July ..... Jack Denny  
 August .....Matt Noonan IV  
 September..... Bill Haworth  
 October ..... Kenny Fitzgerald  
 November .....Rich Drobney  
 December ..... Karl Kohlrus

**For the Good of the Order**

Family of Jim Metz, Larry Brooks, Rita Ballard, Danille Loftus Family, Mary Schroeder, Leroy David, Chris Call, Deacon Ben Hoefler, Charlie Barber, Brother David Sarnecki, Daniel Caminiti, John Danna Sr., Judy Danna, Larry Sellinger, Stanley Anderson, Gary Schroeder, John Woolisick, Dick Beck, Lyle Canum, Marge White, Tammy Zink, Joe Miller, Father of Vikki Warren, Family of Mick Moffet, Marilyn Flynn, Bill Wentz, Bill Haworth and for all Military Personnel and Vocations.

**Newsletter Items**

Anyone who wishes to put something in the newsletter should call or email Pat Daniels with the information to be included or send it to him before the 21<sup>st</sup> of each month. Any corrections or changes to your home or email address can be forwarded to Pat as well.

Email: [news@kofc4175.com](mailto:news@kofc4175.com)

**KC 4175 of Facebook**

K of C 4175 is now on Facebook. Check us out and like us to stay up to date on events happening at the hall. You can find us at [www.facebook.com/kofc4175](http://www.facebook.com/kofc4175). Like us and share the page with your friends.

**Council Website**

Matthew Daniels has volunteered to update the information on website. If you wish to have information added to the website or have an idea to improve the website please send a message to Matt at [webmaster@kofc4175.com](mailto:webmaster@kofc4175.com).

**Monthly Drawing Winners**

Quarter Drawing - Tom Kohlrus  
 Newman Drawing - Karl Kohlrus

**Knightly News By Email**

Interested in volunteering to receive your news letter by email? Send an email with your name, regular mailing address and email address to [news@kofc4175.com](mailto:news@kofc4175.com).

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**Readers'  
Choice  
Awards**

**#1 Best  
FISH FRY**

**4 YEARS IN A ROW!**

**2015 - 2016 FISH FRY SCHEDULE**

January 8 & 22, 2016

February 10 (Ash Wednesday), 12, 19 & 26, 2016

March 4, 11, 18 & 25(Good Friday), 2016

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|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Catfish Dinner</b>     | <b>Walleye Dinner/Sandwich</b>     |
| <b>Shrimp Dinner</b>      | <b>Carp Dinner/Sandwich</b>        |
| <b>Baked Herb Tilapia</b> | <b>Walleye Nuggets &amp; Fries</b> |
| <b>Hot Dogs</b>           | <b>Chicken Nuggets &amp; Fries</b> |

**Baked Potatoes - French Fries - Cole Slaw - Potato Salad  
Beer - Wine - Soda - Mixed Drinks**

**Serving from 4:30 PM until 7:00 PM**



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**Knights of Columbus #4175**

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