



Knights of Columbus

Immaculate Heart Council No. 5899

October 2004

Grand Knights Column

Dear Knights and Families,

Just to let everyone know that I will be doing the Newsletter to help Christian out until he get his computer up and running.

I would like to Welcome Tom Beardsley and Family to St. Cecilia Church and as a Brother Knight.

Please don't forget the Oktoberfest on October 16 and encourage your family and friends to come.

Yours In Christ,

Rich Emanuel
Past Grand Knight

Council Website

Did you know that the council has its own website??? Check it out at www.kofc5899.org. Newsletters can now also be received via e-mail. Have an e-mail account, why not receive the newsletter this way? This will save the council money in printing and postage. If you would be willing to receive your newsletter this way, send Mark Hunter your e-mail address at mahunteroh@aol.com.

Oktoberfest

On Saturday, October 16, our council will be hosting an Oktoberfest in the St. Cecilia Parish Center. This event is being held in place of the Fall Fish Fry and the proceeds are to help support the Immaculate Heart Memorial Scholarship. This event will feature German music by the "Ray Galla and the Polka Gems", which is a band led by a fellow Knight from Zanesville. We will also have German Food, such as Bratwurst, German Potato Salad, Creme Puffs, as well as Hot Dogs and Mac & Cheese for the kids. Alcoholic (American and German Beer) and NON-Alcoholic beverages will be available. The doors will be opening at 7 pm and the band will play from 8 to 11. The cost will be \$5 Adult, \$2 children, and \$15 family to get in the door. Beverages and food are available for an additional charge.

As with any event that this council does, we will need help for set-up, cooking, serving beverages, and clean-up. If you are able to help, please contact Mark Hunter at 871-8467.

Fall Family Social

Please join us on Friday, November 5th for our fall cookout at the home of Tom and Tammy Bergman. There will be lots of good food, friends, a hayride, campfire with hot dogs and s'mores. Play a little horse shoes and corn-hole (while there is still light) and share a story or two. Please join us at 6:30pm and bring your favorite dish to share and the beverage of your choice. RSVP at 801-1967 or by e-mail bergmant@attglobal.net. Our address is 6026 Grove City Road. Take Norton Road to Grove City Road. Continue south on Grove City Road until you cross the Hellbranch Creek (about 1/2 mile). On your left will be a county highway maintenance garage, take the first driveway on the left just past the facility. Follow the gravel drive, cross the bridge over the pond, and we're the first house on your left. Come around back, and down the hill to the campfire. If you're there early, we'll even give you a ride!

Color Guard

For those that missed it, Fourth Degree members of Council 5899 were involved in a Color Guard at St. Cecilia's home night football game on Saturday, September 25. The flag was raised by Mark O'Loughlin, our Financial Secretary and also a Naval Reservist. Cassie Capretta, wife Of member Jim Capretta, sang the National Anthem. Several fans in attendance commented on how impressive this pregame ceremony was. Thanks to the members of the Color Guard, Mark, and Cassie for a fantastic job.

Scholarship

The scholarship application for St. Cecilia students has been sent out and is due September 27th. I will administer a qualifying exam later that week and select our 10 finalists. The oral presentations to the scholarship board members will take place Monday, October 11th. Scholarship board members, please put this date on your calendars. It will probably start at 9:30am and run until 11:00am. Any questions? Call Tom Bergman.

Seminarian Student Update

Nick Droll attended our last business meeting and introduced himself to us. Nick is attending the Josephinum college studying for the priesthood. I encourage all of you and your families to pray for Nick and for an increase in vocations in general. Send Nick a note and let him know he is in our thoughts and prayers! His email is nick_droll@hotmail.com and his address is:

The Pontifical College Josephinum
Attn: Nick Droll
7625 North High Street
Columbus, OH 43235

Adoration Team

Thanks to everyone who has helped cover the Adoration slots for me each month. We currently cover the 2-3am and the 5-6am slots the first Friday of every month. All that is required is for you to spend a quality hour in the quietness of the night with our Lord and Savior! I've had some difficulty covering some of the timeslots, so if anyone is interested in joining our team, please call me at 801-1967. If you know that you'll be available for a Friday in the future, and you haven't been able to fill a slot recently, call me and volunteer for a slot. You'll save me alot of trouble scheduling someone! Our current team is: Anthony Spina, Michael Case, Cliff Koch, Frank Gattas, Eric Finchum, Mark Hunter, Mark Williams, and myself.

Congratulations to those Recognized for Special Service (September)

Knight of Month

Randy Smith

Family of Month

Frank and Marta Gattas

Isabella of Month

Jane O'Loughlin

Volunteer of Month

Steve and Mary Chivington
Mark O'Loughlin

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to the following members that have a birthday in October. (If I missed anyone let me know.)

October Birthday's

Robert F. Walter	10-05
Ronald M. Adams	10-06
Roy B. Choate	10-09
Dennis M. Taylor	10-10
Gregg T. Schaner	10-11
Edward J. Warren	10-17
Duane R. Taylor	10-22
Clifford J. Koch	10-23
Thomas K. Lindsey	10-29