



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Council 11187

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Happy Labor Day/Seton Parish Festival

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Dear Brother Knights,

Well, here we are again. September. School is back in session, football has started and of course, we, the Catholic Church, are in the news once again. As a Council, this month we started out with the Pickerington Labor Day parade. The team, lead by DGK Thom Laughery, cleaned up the Santa Maria before marching in the parade with a leading Color Guard and help from our squires. Then we participated heavily in the Seton Parish festival. While we as a council do not "officially" do anything, we as the membership fill vital parts of it; between operating the kitchen, staffing security, and even leading the various subcommittees. We are there in force. So, as is always said ... many hands make light work! Pitch in where you can!

As seen above, our Knights of Columbus are a big part of the parish and we are trying to increase our visibility. Our new PR guy Francis Wilamosky, has been peppering the bulletin with little articles, hopefully that will bring us some new parishioners interested in membership. Francis is also working on getting us back in the shirt business. We have been looking for a reliable source to get new polo's, oxford's, t-shirts and maybe even windbreaker's...hopefully we'll have news on that soon.

Regarding membership: as Grand Knight, I was going to concentrate in this area; because of the emphasis on membership placed on us by the Chapter, State and Supreme. However, with the support of our Officers, have decided against it. Council Awards, which come from meeting membership quotas, are nice. But, they do not make the Council! Therefore, our attention to increase our ranks is going to be one of quality over quantity! If any Members know of quality male, Seton parishioners ... let us bring them in!

Overall, our main attention as Knights is supporting the parish and our priests. The church is under attack and as Father Jim said, "the devil is working hard!" We know the devil picks his targets with ultra-precision. While the media is quick to drag our church through the mud, this is not a "Catholic" problem! We are getting the attention because it is easy to hone in on a target when you can see it.

We, as Knight, must stand by our priest and clergy, especially those who have not committed these atrocities. As you see, the media wants to group all clergy together as doing something wrong. Yes, we need to pray for the victims. We also have to pray for the priests, both the innocent and the ones whom have abused their post.

We also have to defend the church; many people may leave because of this. We need to support our brothers and sisters and show them that Jesus' church will survive the storm. Remember while we are sinners, the church is nothing but a gathering of sinners trying to change their ways. Jesus did not sin and needs to be the role model to follow. Our faith in our church needs to stand strong and we need to show that support. When the dust clears, the church that Jesus left us will survive and be stronger than ever.

So pray and pray hard!

Respectfully, Yours in Christ,

Jesus V Garcia III

Grand Knight

Dates to Remember

02	Knight's Mass
11	Officers Meeting
12	Business Meeting - CL5
19	Assembly Meeting - PAC
23	Squires Meeting

03 Labor Day

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KofC Council News
Serving Seton Parish and the Community

Business Meeting Notes - August 8, 2018

Grand Knight Jesus Garcia called the official meeting to order at 7:35 pm.

Roll Call of Officers: Missing were the Chaplain, Chancellor, and Lecturer, all were excused. Ralph Blamer motioned to approve the minutes from last month's meeting, Mike Croyle 2nd. Voted upon and passed.

Chaplains Report: Absent, no report.

Membership and Reading of Applications: No applications.

Grand Knight's Report: GK Jesus shared the thank you card he received from Jason Trapp, Youth of the Year. Dan M. Murphy volunteered to be our Community Director. Still looking for a volunteer for Culture of Life Director to replace Edd Chinnock. The Squires are now a Parish based organization but are still covered under our liability insurance policy.

Treasurer Report: Dan Murphy reported that we have Capital Reserve Fund of \$XXX, General Fund of \$XXX and total balance of \$XXX. Since our income is over \$XXX a new tax form 990EZ will need to be filed.

Financial Secretary Report: Frank Hare reported that the State and Supreme received all 3 reports, Officers Report, Service Program Personal Report and Semi Annual Audit Form. Received a check for \$XXX from State Council. Expenses were \$XXX for "of the Year" awards, \$XXX for Chapter Dues, and \$XXX for school supplies. On 8/22/18 will submit the retention letters on the new forms. Wayne Patterson motioned to send the bills to the Trustees for payment, 2nd by George Schneider. Voted upon and passed.

Report of the Trustees: Wayne Patterson, no report.

Chancellors Report: Absent, no report.

Report on Programs and Committees:

Membership Director: Shawn Roberts reported we have 271 members with 77 having insurance. Membership goal for new FY is 18 new members and 7 additional insurance members. Received one new applicant via E-Membership and taking candidate for 1st degree tomorrow. Can still use Form 100 for applicants or they can complete the on-line E-Membership.

Program Director: Absent, no report.

Church Director: Bill Richards, no report.

Community Director: Thom Laughery, no report.

Council Director: Thom Laughery, no report.

Family Director: Jimmy Smithberger completed his on-line background report questionnaire. Family Fun Festival is scheduled for 10/17/18.

Youth Director: Wayne Patterson reported 30 kids attended the Leadership - LT Retreat, went well. Looking into transportation for the March for Life event the last weekend in March.

Squires Report: Justin Stone reported that the Squires raised \$XXX from the 7/22/18 candy sale, donating it to the PAC heating unit. Currently recruiting new members and on 8/26/18 they will be meeting with Father Snook at Mother Angeline McCrory Home.

Right to Life Director: Absent no report.

Committees: No reports.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

MOTION: Bill Richards made a motion to spend \$XXX from the Church budget for the TV Church Mass. Wayne Patterson 2nd, voted upon and passed.

MOTION: Thom Laughery made a motion to spend up to \$XXX from the Community Budget to paint and refurbish the float for the Pickerington Labor Day Parade. Rick Schachter 2nd, voted upon and passed.

Francis Wilamosky is working with Harry's Sports Wear in Hebron on getting pricing for polo shirts, oxford shirts, tee shirts, caps and wind breaker jacket.

GK Jesus reported that we need a volunteer for the upcoming Football Frenzy Raffle, \$20 per ticket and goal is to sell 1.5 tickets per active member.

Frank Hare needs volunteers from 4:30 to 8 pm to help with the dinner following the Annual Seton Open, golf outing on 8/26/18.

Report of the Fourth Degree: SK Wayne Patterson reported on the wrestling event held for 80 Vets on 7/28/18 in Chillicothe that the Assembly sponsored. Installation of officers will be 8/11/18 at the Cathedral after 5 pm Mass. Next Assembly meeting is 8/22/18, ice cream social bar, wives and children invited.

Field Agent Report: Mike Williams presented 10 questions to ask your insurance company. It is important to remember when buying insurance that the Knights of Columbus has \$111 billion in insurance coverage and had \$181 million in charitable donations last year.

District Deputy Report: Bill Merriman indicated that 4 people need to complete the background report questionnaire, Community, Family, Youth and Squires. Need to schedule installation for new officers, and focus on Supreme programs, then State programs.

Brothers in Need: Sandra Blamer, Carol Puhmann, Carrie Ebert, Dan Townsend and Family, Maureen Patterson, Jim Patterson, Joanie Croyle, Deacon Greg Waybright.

Lecturer Report: Absent no report.

GK Jesus Garcia officially closed the meeting at 8:37 pm. Next meeting is scheduled for September 12th at 7:30 pm.

Vince Pulles,

Recorder



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Deputy Grand Knight's Corner

WOW!! Summer is fading fast!

The next several months are our the busiest of our fraternal year:

Pickerington Labor Day Parade
Pancake breakfasts
Family Picnic
Fish Fries
Blue Coat Diner
Wives Appreciation Dinner,
and many more events to name a few.

There are many events to get ourselves involved in. Pick an event that looks exciting and fun, something you can spend a hour or two with other Brother Knights or family and maybe make a new friend. We get a little bored looking at the same old volunteers. It would be great to have 20 - 30 new volunteers give just one hour a month, the chairs of these events won't know what to do with all the extra help.

The Lord wants us to give back our time and talents to support the needs of our Church and Council endeavors. Come to a monthly Business meeting (second Wednesday of every month) and give us your input and idea's on how we can make the Council fresh and vibrant.

Reminder: Marchers are needed at the Pickerington Labor Day Parade, Monday 9/3 @ 9 AM near Central High at the Library. Uniform is tan slacks and any Knights shirt. Honor guard volunteers are needed, contact Wayne Patterson or Dan Murphy our new Community Chairperson.

Peace

Thom Laughery

Deputy Grand Knight

Seton Festival Help

Volunteers are needed for the festival being held September 7, 8 and 9.

Our Brother Knight Jason Heitmeyer is chairing the overall festival. Other Seton Knights are chairmen for set up and tear down, security, the bank, the beverage garden, the sandwich wagon, Monte Carlo and Festival food.

These gentlemen need your support at OUR Parish's biggest fundraiser. Please go to the volunteer sign up boards and place your autograph on a line or three. We desperately need your (and your families) time and talents!

Thanks in advance for your help!

Culture of Life: Upcoming Events

Supporting Life From Conception Until Natural Death

Two important Respect Life events are coming to Central Ohio soon:

The first is the fall 40 Days for Life campaign. 40DFL is a coordinated, national campaign to bring continuous prayer to local abortion clinics in more than 500 cities across the world. In Columbus, the program is sponsored by Greater Columbus Right to Life.

Because Founders abortion mill on E. Broad Street closed, this fall the campaign will be moved to the Planned Parenthood surgical center at 3255 E. Main Street., just east of James Road. It will be from September 26 thru November 4, 2018, from 7 am to 7 pm. I will let you know which day Seton parish will adopt for our prayers at the clinic. Please let me know what hour you would like to pray at the clinic so we can make sure all of our hours are covered. If you cannot pray on our adopted day, you are welcome to volunteer for any other day during the campaign.

The second event is the Culture of Life Conference, highlighting Respect Life, bioethics, and leadership, presented by the Catholic Diocese of Columbus Office for Social Concerns. It will be held Saturday, October 20, 2018, at St. John Neumann Church, 9633 E. State Route 37, Sunbury, Ohio, 9 am to 3 pm.

FEATURED TOPICS:

Foundation of Pro-Life Action
Lost in the Labyrinth: Current State of Assisted
Reproductive Technologies
Advocating for Children with Disabilities
Legislative Update
End of Life Discussion and Directives
Answering the Hard Questions - Panel

If past conferences are any indication, the speakers and topics are well worth the registration fee of \$25, which includes lunch. Please let me know if you would like to attend and I will send you the registration information and maybe we can arrange carpooling to the conference.

Edd Chinnock

Culture of Life Chairman

For more information on Pro-Life Activities

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K of C 11187 Donates to Fairfield DD

The Knights of Columbus #11187 Ohio State Council in Pickerington has been a constant support of Fairfield DD for many years and 2018 is no exception.

The organization held its annual fundraising campaign earlier this year called Measure Up. Members occupied several intersections throughout the Pickerington community and collected funds from drivers. Their efforts resulted in the club presenting a check for over \$1600 to Fairfield DD to be earmarked for programs or services benefiting adults with disabilities.

The Knights of Columbus was founded in 1882 and is a service organization made up of Catholic men of faith and of charitable action. Nearly 2 million men in over a dozen countries across the globe are proud to call themselves Knights. Last year alone, these men and their families donated more than \$177 million to charity and performed more than 75 million hours of service. Fairfield DD is grateful, once again, to this organization.



Thomas Laughery, K of C Deputy Grand Chief, presents a check to Temple Montanez, Fairfield DD Director of Community Relations.

2018/2019 Council 11187 Calendar (Tentative)

July	
01	Knight's Mass
10	Officers Meeting
11	Business Meeting
18	Assembly Meeting - HH
22	Squires Meeting
4	Independence Day

October	
02	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
07	Knight's Mass
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting - PAC
28	Squires Meeting - CL5
08	Columbus Day
12	Council Anniversary
20	25th Anniversary Dinner
21	1st Pancake Breakfast
27	Family Fun Festival
28	2nd/3rd Degree

January 2019	
06	Knight's Mass
08	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
09	Business Meeting
16	Assembly Meeting - PAC
27	Squires Meeting - PAC
01	New Year's Day
21	MLK Birthday
20	4th Pancake Breakfast
27	Free Throw Contest

April	
02	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
07	Knight's Mass
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting*
28	Squires Meeting
15	Tax Day
05	5th Fish Fry
12	6th Fish Fry
20	Easter Egg Hunt
14	Palm Sunday
18	Holy Thursday
19	Good Friday Triduum
20	Easter Vigil
21	Easter

August	
05	Knight's Mass
07	Officers Meeting
08	Business Meeting - CL5
15	Assembly Meeting - PAC
26	Squires Meeting
	School Starts
26	Seton Open

November	
04	Knight's Mass
06	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
14	Business Meeting
21	Assembly Meeting - PAC
25	Squires Meeting
11	Veterans Day
22	Thanksgiving
18	2nd Pancake Breakfast

February	
03	Knight's Mass
05	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
13	Business Meeting
20	Assembly Meeting - PAC
24	Squires Meeting
14	Valentine's Day
18	President's Day
2-3	Dodge Ball Tournament
23	Wives Appreciation Dinner

May	
05	Knight's Mass
07	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
08	Business Meeting
15	Assembly Meeting
26	Squires Meeting
12	Mother's Day
27	Memorial Day
4	Blue Coats Dinner
24-26	Convention Weekend
	Measure UP

September	
02	Knight's Mass
04	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
12	Business Meeting
19	Assembly Meeting - PAC
23	Squires Meeting
03	Labor Day
03	Labor Day Parade
07-09	Seton Festival
09	Car Show

December	
02	Knight's Mass
04	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
12	Business Meeting
19	Assembly Meeting*
TBD	Squires Meeting
25	Christmas Day
31	New Year's Eve
16	3rd Pancake Breakfast w/ Santa

March	
03	Knight's Mass
05	Officers Meeting - LIB 7:30
13	Business Meeting
20	Assembly Meeting - PAC
24	Squires Meeting
06	Ash Wednesday
08	1st Fish Fry
15	2nd Fish Fry
16	St Patty's Party
22	3rd Fish Fry
29	4th Fish Fry

June	
02	Knight's Mass
04	Officers Meeting
12	Business Meeting
19	Assembly Meeting
—	Squires Meeting
14	Flag Day
16	Father's Day

* No Assembly meeting at Seton

September 2018

- 02 Knight's Mass: 9:30 am
- 11 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 12 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm/Rosary at 7:00 pm - CL7/9
- 19 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30Meeting - PAC
- 23 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

03 Labor Day

07-09 Seton Festival

October 2018

- 02 Officers Meeting: 7:30 pm
- 07 Knight's Mass: 9:30 am
- 10 Business Meeting: 7:30 pm/Rosary at 7:00 pm - CL7/9
- 17 Assembly Meeting: 6:30 Social/7:30Meeting - PAC
- 28 Squires Meeting: 12:30 pm

08 Columbus Day
12 Council Anniversary

- 20 25th Anniversary Dinner**
- 21 1st Pancake Breakfast**
- 27 Family Fun Festival**
- 28 2nd/3rd Degree**

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of each month

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Prayer Corner

Sandra Blamer, Sarah Rigsby, Thom Laughery, Diane Hare, Joey Lorek (RIP), Carrie Ebert, Deacon Greg Waybright, Maureen Patterson, Jim Patterson, Bill Saucer, Carol Puhlmann Schneider, Amanda Hague, Audrey Chinnock, Dan Townsend and Family, Joanie Croyle, and Mike Silling as he enters the Deaconate program.

We also pray for our first responders (Police and Fire), our Military and Our Priests and religious.