

Knights of Columbus

Sacre' Coeur Council 5499



May Newsletter - KC Council 5499

Brother Knights,

In remembrance of Pope Francis, we are reminded of his recognition of the Knights for their "concrete witness to the faith that works through love, in their charitable activities, their outstanding support and encouragement to efforts to defend God's gift of life at every stage of its development, to uphold the dignity of the institution of marriage, and to advance the mission of the Church in developing countries."

He asked the Knights and their families to persevere in offering their Prayers and Masses for the triumph of Christ's peace in the hearts of all people and the building of the civilization of love," and was untiring in calling all "Christians to pray for justice, peace and reconciliation in our human family."

Our Knights of Columbus programs and resources provide opportunities to live and spread the Catholic faith, here are a few of the actions this month that we demonstrated how Knights Live their Faith:

- Knights participated in Holy Week at St Michael Catholic Church, where there were hours of adoration on Holy Thursday and the lighting of the fire to begin Holy Saturday Mass.
- Brother Knights sold tickets and donated over <u>\$600</u> to the Seminary Mission Fund, which directly supports
 Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans and St Joseph Seminary in Covington.
- Our council donated \$300 to St Michael Family Fun Day and volunteered to cook hamburgers for the event. Special recognition goes to Brother Al Leonards, Cyrys Sellers, and Polite Bertrand for cooking.
- Our council donated \$250 to Immaculate Heart of Mary Vacation Bible School. Brother Knights will also cook the meal for this event.
- Our Council will assist the Leroy KC Council for their annual BBQ fundraiser.
- We welcomed a new member, <u>Jesse Crouch</u>, into our council.

Congratulations to our monthly award winners, who were recognized at our regular council meeting:

Knight of the Month – Todd Lormand

Family of the Month - Pat and Tiffany Miller

May / June Calendar of Events:

- Bingo Every Monday at 6:00 PM, please volunteer your time for this charitable work
- May 2-4 KC State Convention, Riverfront Center, Alexandria, LA
- May 7 Officers Meeting 6:00 PM, 1st Wednesday of every month
- May 22 Regular Business Meeting, 6:00 PM Meal, 6:30 PM Rosary, 7:00 PM Meeting.
 3rd Thursday of every month; any Catholic male is invited to attend
- May—<u>Nomination of Officers</u>: Anyone interested in becoming an Officer or Director of any program should contact Grand Knight at (337) 247-3837.
- June Installation Banquet and Celebration of Awards

May Birthdays - Happy Birthday to Brother Knights!

| Cole Zaunbrecher - | 5/5/00 | Stephen Deville - | 5/15/59 | Nelson Broussard – | 5/25/44 |
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| Fred Heinen - | 5/7/57 | Joshua Schexnyder - | 5/15/81 | James Donham - | 5/25/54 |
| Mark Leonards - | 5/11/48 | Rene Boudreaux - | 5/18/69 | Gavin Thibodeaux - | 5/30/96 |
| Kenneth Leger - | 5/14/57 | | | | |

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Vivat Jesus!!

Grand Knight John Hains