NEWSLETTER



Knights of Columbus Council 13181, 131 High Street, Sabattus, ME 04280

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Grand Knight's Corner

Dear Brother Knights,

May

I hope you all had a blessed Lenten season and a joyous Easter! We were quite busy as a Council throughout Lent, and I really appreciate all that you have done for our Council, Church, and Parish. From our Bean Suppers to the Rosary, Coffee & Donuts, and special events like the St. Patrick's Dinner — you always knock it out of the park and show everyone what it means to be a Knight!

One gentleman who watched our Knights in action and decided he liked what he saw is Tom Page, who has chosen to join our Council. He took his Degree on April 5th and then joined us for our Bean Supper. Welcome, Tom!

This past weekend, FS Dan Bouffard and I attended the Maine State Knights of Columbus Annual Convention. It was a full weekend of prayer, great food, fellowship with Knights and their families from all over the state — and we even won a couple of awards! Congratulations to all of you for winning a **Faith in Action Award** in the Community category for our Thanksgiving Dinner, and another award in the Faith category for our participation in the weekly Men's Group that Father Dan hosts each Saturday morning. A picture can be found on the next page.

Looking ahead, we have a number of events coming up:

- First, we have our May Baked Bean and Casserole Supper on Saturday, May 3rd, starting at 4:30 PM at Our Lady of the Rosary. This will be our last Bean Supper at Our Lady let's make it a great one! Please call or email me if you can provide a casserole or a dessert.
- On **June 21st**, we will host our first Bean Supper at our new home at **Holy Trinity Church** more information on that to come.

Other upcoming activities:

- On Monday, May 5th, we will have our regular Council Meeting at Our Lady of the Rosary at 6:30 PM. In addition to planning for upcoming activities, we will review and vote on scholarship recipients. I have received a few applications already, so your participation would be greatly appreciated.
- On Wednesday, May 7th, our monthly Rosary will be at Holy Cross Church at 6:00 PM.
- On Sunday, May 11th, we will celebrate Mother's Day by handing out Roses for Life at the start of Mass.

• On Saturday, May 31st, there will be the Ordination of three new priests at the Basilica. The Knights have been asked to help with parking (much like we did with the Fr. Larry Richards retreat), and the 4th Degree will be processing at the Mass. We need volunteers for both parking and the Mass. If you can help that day, please call or email me for details. This is going to be a huge and memorable event!

Yours in Christ,

Robert Michaud — Grand Knight gk@sabattuskofc.org

Upcoming Activities and Council Needs:

- ♦ May 3—Bean Supper—OLR—4:30 PM
- ♦ May 5—Council Meeting —OLR—6:30 PM
- ♦ May 7—Rosary —HC—6:00 PM
- ♦ May 11—Mother's Day
- **♦ May 25—Coffee & Donuts**

Prayer Corner

FOR THE HELP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

May we be assisted, we beseech Thee, 0 Lord, by the worshipful intercession of Thy glorious Mother, the ever-Virgin Mary; that we, who have been enriched by her perpetual blessings, may be delivered from all

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dangers, and through her loving kindness made to be of one heart and mind: who livest and reignest world without end. Amen. Roman Missal.

Upcoming Degrees

4th Degree—May 17th, Rockland

Birthdays This Month

Justin Castonguay Fern Langlois Alex Michaud Don Morin Laurant Roy Louis Sullivan

Knights of the Month

Dan Bouffard—for his faithful execution of his role as our FS, his tireless work to support our Council and the church.

Family of the Month

Justin and Angela Castonguay and family—for their unwavering support of their church and example as a Catholic family.

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| .4 | 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Council Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Officer's Meeting | 1 | 7 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM K of C - Monthly Rosary at Holy Cross | 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Lectio Divina | 9 | 10 |
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| 25 7:30 AM - 10:30 AM Coffee & Donuts | 26 | 27 | 28 | 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Lectio Divina | 30 | 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM Ordination - Basiliea |



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