

# Knights of Columbus

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## Grand Knights Report

By Tony Thomas  
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The next couple of months are very busy months. Please check the council website for event updates.

We are in need of volunteers to step forward and say yes we can help. We are looking for members to oversee and help plan family activities, help run events and get the council more involved with our parishes. We have lots of chairmen and co-chairmen positions open and need your help in filling them.

Monthly we choose a Knight and Family of the Month if you have some one to recommend please email the recommendation to me. Along with the whom I need to know why you're recommending them.

### Sunday's at the hall

Starting in September the big TV and tables will be set-up in the card room / council chamber on Sundays for children to watch videos and play games while mom and dad are enjoying watch games, munching on snacks and enjoying company of other members.

If you want to bring a dish to share please don't hesitate to bring.

### Birthday Special

Starting in October one Sunday a month we will celebrate members and their family birthdays. I understand that the first one which will be held in October will include the world famous Bud Knight meat loaf. Check the council website late in September for the date.

## Bears beat (vs.) Packers

We will have a special treat this month an Open House which will include free food and beverages. This event will take place on Sunday September 25 with a start time of 2:00 pm. If you know of someone who might be interested in joining the Spalding Council please bring them along with you.

## Monthly Beatification Day

Starting with September we will have a monthly cleanup / repair day at the hall. Starting at 8:30 with coffee and donuts we are looking for help making minor repairs and general cleanup of the hall. Along with coffee and donuts lunch will be provided. This month the beatification day will be Saturday September 24. We need your help.

## Updated Information

We are in the process of moving off the council application to a new web based application but we need your help. We need any address and family updates from you. Family updates include things like your anniversary, your families' birth-dates including all your children. Please drop the information off at the hall or email it to me.

## ID Tootsie Roll Drive Sept. 16, 17, and 18th

Please be at your sign up spot a few  
minutes early.

Not volunteered yet?  
Call Jim Miller 692-1838 or sign up at  
the hall.

Tootsie Rolls available at bar for trick or  
treat purchase.

◀ August		~ September 2011 ~					October ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
				1	2 Fish fry 5-7pm.	3 Rental	
4	5 Labor Day Closed	6 STEAK FRY	7	8	9 RENTAL NO FISH FRY	10 Rental	
11 St. Jude Golf Outing	12 Closed	13	14 7pm 4 <sup>th</sup> degree	15 5pm board meeting 7pm council officers	16 Prime Rib 5-7pm ID Drive	17 Rental ID Drive	
18 ID Drive	19 Closed	20	21	22 7:30 council meeting	23 Fish fry 5-7pm. St Joseph Nursing Home Benefit	24	
25 Bears/Packers Open House – Members Drive 3:15	26 Closed	27	28	29	30 Fish fry 5-7pm.	Notes:	
		~ October 2011 ~					
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2 Rental	3 Closed	4 STEAK FRY	5	6	7 RENTAL NO FISH FRY	8 Rental	
9	10 Closed Columbus Day	11 Ladies Aux pot-luck dinner 6pm	12 7pm 4 <sup>th</sup> degree	13	14 Fish fry 5-7pm.	15 Rental	
16 ID Volunteer Dinner drive	17 Closed	18	19	20 5pm board meeting 7pm council officers	21 Prime Rib 5-7pm	22 Rental	
23	24 Closed	25	26	27 7:30 council meeting	28 Fish fry 5-7pm.	29	
30 Major Degree noon until 6pm	31 Halloween	Notes:					

### Requiescat in Pace

May their souls and all the souls of the faithfully departed rest in Peace. Amen.



**Paul Peter Prunch**, 88, passed away on Wednesday, July 20, 2011, at home in Chillocothe, Ill. Paul was a lifetime, active member of the Knights of Columbus, Spalding Council 427. He was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church.



**G. Michael "Mike" Scurry**, 79, of Peoria, Ill., passed away at 1:15 a.m. Friday, July 29, 2011, at his home. He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church. .



**John C. Koteles Jr.**, 79, of Peoria Heights, formerly of Pekin, passed away at 12:15 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 11, 2011, at OSF Saint Francis Medical Center in Peoria.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Spalding Council 427, Assembly 206, where he was a Fourth Degree Knight, Alhambra, and Friends of Fatherless Boys.

**SAVE THE DATE  
DECEMBER 12, 2011**

**For a special event being planned  
by EA Peters.  
What can that be?**

**Support PARC by ordering MUMS**

PARC's greenhouse is selling mums. Seven colors available. \$6.00 each or \$5.50 if you buy 4 or more.

Call 689-3724 or 689-3750.

### Auxiliary News

Bernie Dooley

The board meeting was held Tuesday, August 16th, at 6:30 p.m. Discussion centered around the Oct.11th potluck and the Notre Dame Scholarship to be awarded.

Don't forget to enter your daughters or granddaughters for the scholarship. For an entry, call Eileen McDonough, 688-3776, or Pat Miller, 692-1838. Members and guests are invited. Bring a covered dish.

A reminder letter will be sent for outstanding 2011 dues (\$10.00) year. The next board meeting is Tuesday, Sept. 20th at 6:30 p.m. All members are invited to attend.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Chaplain, Barb Gusman.

### Notes of Interest

By Bill Bullfer, Recording Secretary

Don't forget that the fish fry on Sept 23 benefits one of our main charities this year, St. Joseph Nursing home.

The **40 Days of Life:** is Sept 28 – Nov 6<sup>th</sup>. Please keep this cause in your prayers and contact Sam Joseph for further actions you may take.

The fifth Monday membership event was held on Monday August 29th. Around a dozen members enjoyed hamburgers and fellowship. Hopefully more will attend the next time we host this event.

Thank you for your support in purchasing barbeque tickets. Our council should net over \$900 from this activity. Thank you Harold Maloney for chairing this event.

### Squires Circle 5352

Our squires have volunteered to care for the sanctuary behind the hall. Don't forget to walk back there sometime and view memorial blocks while saying a prayer for our deceased members.

Our council is also providing T-shirts for the squires. Special thanks to Sam Joseph for his help and donations for this project.

**NFL Football Sundays:** Enjoy the game with Cookie and friends at the hall. All are welcome.

Remember these Knights and relatives in your prayers

### Remember these brother Knights and friends

Paul Prunch Family  
Mike Scurry Family  
John Koteles Family  
Joe Waugh and Family for loss of his bother, Bill  
Dan Biederbeck  
Jim Lancaster  
Bill Drew  
Father Henderson  
Eunice Bingham, wife of Herb  
Joe Naumann family  
John Venzon, recuperating at home  
All men and women in harm's way.

### To Members & Families:

Please, if any Brother Knight is in the Hospital or is sick, please call 692-9696 and report to us.

### 427 Raffle (Aug)

- \$200 Jim Bodke
- \$100 Howard Wiles
- \$ 50 Kevin Collins
- \$ 25 Donna Giradono
- \$ 25 Mike Faley

### Upcoming Events

- Sept. 9—NO FISH FRY
- Sept. —14 4th Degree Mtg.
- Sept. 15—Director & Officer Mtg.
- Sept. 16—Prime Rib
- Sept 16-18 - ID Drive
- Sept. 22—Council Meeting
- Sept. 23—Fish Fry for St. Joseph's Nursing home
- Oct 4—Steak Fry
- Oct. 7—NO FISH FRY
- Oct. 11—Ladies Potluck dinner
- Oct. 12 4th Degree Mtg.
- Oct. 16—ID Volunteer Dinner
- Oct. 20—Director & Officer Mtg.
- Oct. 27—Council Meeting
- Oct. 30—Major Degree

### Knight of the Month

**Bob Frericks.** Bob has been a great volunteer and attendant at the KC events. Congratulations Bob!

### Family of the Month

Very active in their parish and always willing to help out at KC. **Jimmy and Dawn Dotson.** Thank you.

