



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



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GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES

Fred Gaede, Grand Knight

I am pleased that our Council is sending three teams to the State Golf Tournament to be held at Southwind Country Club in Garden City on July 24-25.

The Feast of the Sacred Heart was a big success with approximately 150 in attendance. Thanks to organizer Jim Pickert and those who helped cook and set-up for this event. Thanks to Tom Steinlage and Fanestil for the donation of bratwurst and hot dogs. Also, thanks to Dan Schneider for donating eggs for the Senior Recognition Breakfast.

I want to personally thank all of the officers who have agreed to serve the Council for another fraternal year.



SOFTBALL ANYONE?

The 35th annual Knights of Columbus softball tournament will be at Our Lady of Guadalupe sports complex in South Hutchinson, July 10-11.

The deadline to register is approaching fast – it's June 29. The entry fee per team is \$175. All team members need to be Knights of Columbus members and show proof of membership. Contact Grand Knight Fred Gaede for more information.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH



May – Larry/Linda DeDonder

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH



May – Jim Pickert

CALENDAR NOTES

The calendar reflects two date changes from previous announcements. Please take note:
August Officers' meeting changed to TUESDAY, Aug. 10, 5:30 at Knights Hall.

ESU Welcome Back Block Party – August 17 – this is a date change by ESU!!

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Contact: Rick Moore or Vince Hammerl

Upcoming dates to note:

June 27 Honor Guard for Olpe 125th Anniversary

KNIGHTS NOTES

- Welcome to Adam Wilczak, the seminarian who is spending some time in the parish with Fr. Rich this summer.
- Thanks to the Knights and their family members who made the Parade of Flags possible at Sacred Heart Cemetery on Memorial Day. It was an awesome display! If you weren't able to help with or observe the display, we'll do it again on Veteran's Day on Nov. 11. Mark it on your calendar now!
- Want to receive the newsletter via e-mail? Contact Ron Dinkel (dinkel@cablone.net) or Vince Hammerl (nuhusker@sbcglobal.net). It can also be viewed on the council's web site.
- Council web site: www.KofCEmporia.org

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- June 28 Business meeting, 7:00 p.m., rosary at 6:30
- July 12 Officer's meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- July 24-25 K of C State Golf Tournament, Garden City
- July 26 Business meeting, 7:00 p.m., rosary at 6:30
- Aug. 10 Officer's meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- Aug. 17 ESU Welcome Back Block Party
- Aug. 22 Ice Cream Social
- Aug. 23 Business meeting, 7:00 p.m., rosary at 6:30
- Oct. 3 Family Picnic, Peter Pan Park Grape Arbor

ULTRASOUND MACHINE UPDATE

Thanks to the generosity of Knights from across Kansas, the effort to place an ultrasound machine in the Wyandotte Pregnancy Center in K.C., Kan., is moving forward. Approximately \$19,000 has been paid or pledged in just a few weeks. A total of \$26,719 needs to be collected before the state council can request the other half of the funds from the Supreme Council.

Any council or individual wishing to donate to this effort may send a check payable to the Kansas State Council, c/o Ron Zishka, State Treasurer, 23878 211th, Leavenworth, KS 66048. Note on the memo line it's for the ultrasound machine. Individuals making a donation will receive a receipt for their tax-deductible donation from the Wyandotte Pregnancy Center.

It's the hope of the Knights this effort will be successful and will be repeated in other areas of the state.