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Special Points of Interest:

- **March 4—Pancake Breakfast**
- **March 5—O & D Meeting**
- **March 6—Council Meeting**
- **March 9—Fish Fry**
- **March 29—Holy Thursday**
- **March 30—Good Friday**

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School Donation

School Security

St. Pius X Council 11101 donates over **\$5,000.00** to St. Pius X School to secure the existing building.

With the participation of many knights, several fund raisers and many man hours; the council was able to accomplish this deed. The biggest by far was the Belk Charity Sale. Without this event the council could not have achieved this goal. A special thanks to all who worked the event.

The school contracted with the local access control company to install a card access system on high use doors. All the exterior locks were changed to a secure key that the school controls. No more borrowing a key and going to the local key shop to get a copy. All access must be

done through card access. If the school wants you to be in the building, you will get a card. Keys are no longer available. A brother knight donated his time to change all the locks on the building. This enables greater security for all the students and staff.

The buildings are able to be locked at all times offering security for all who attend. Unless you are known, one does not get into the school.

The same is true for the Connolly Gym. It now has card access thus limiting the use to outside groups not in the parish who use the gym for basketball games.

This by far is the single largest donation our council has ever made to the school.



Youth Group Donation

Our council held several pancake breakfast over the past months. With overwhelming success, we were able to donate **\$1200.00** to the parish youth work camp this year.

The youth assisted our brother knights with the breakfast in the capacity of dining room help and cleanup. Under the direct su-

pervision of the youth consular, many of our parish youth took part in this great effort. By the looks on the faces of the youth, everyone had a good time doing so.

The council hopes to continue utilizing their help with other projects.

All the council efforts are directed to Building the Domestic Church.

After all, we are a part of the church, not a part from the church.

Our first principle is Charity which begins at home.

Lenten Fish Fry



March 9, 2018, is the council's Lenten fish fry for the year.

Planning has been going on for some time to fill all position necessary to make this work. Unlike the operations in the past, the event has been broken into several parts.

Overall responsibility for the project is John Joyce, Greg Rachal and Walter Kulla.

Greg Rachal will be in charge of the cooking area at the fryers

with the help of his team John Joyce will handle the dining room overseeing the entire operation.

Frank Fratoni will be in charge of the Simmons's Center kitchen.

Warren Duhaime will oversee the serving line and the people in it.

Ed Campbell and Walter Kulla will be in charge with the collections of money.

Any questions should be directed to the individuals in the above areas.

Prices for the fish fry are as follows:

Adults - **\$8.00**
Children ten and under - **\$5.00**
Children **under five** are **FREE**

Fish Fry Hours will be from **5:00 pm - to 7:30 pm.**

Setup is 2:00 pm.

State Chaplin Leads Retreat



Fr. William Lesak the Knights of Columbus State Chaplin will be having a one day retreat on April 7, 2018.

The retreat will start with a Mass at 8:00 am followed by coffee and donuts. The retreat will be held in the Simmons Parish Center upstairs in room # 1.

The retreat is open to all who wish to attend. This includes

wives, knights or any parishioner in the city of Greensboro can attend. You do not have to be a knight from St. Pius X parish.

The retreat will end with a light lunch at 2:00 pm.

The topic of the retreat is Discipleship.

Fr. Lesak will be subbing for Monsignor who is on vacation

all weekend. During his stay, our council will hold a membership drive at all the masses.

A minimum of 5 knights is needed at each mass to cover the drive. Please call John Joyce sign up.

Council Message



In order for our council to speak with one mind, all published communications are to be cleared by John Joyce [Trustee].

This change has become necessary because a misunderstanding has arisen on several projects.

Bulletin announcements have gone out wrong due to misplaced sentences.

After being cleared verbally, sentences were changed making it opposite of its intended meaning.

All announcements must be submitted in writing for review by John Joyce before submission to any kind of printed publication.

Therefore, make sure you allow plenty of time to make

the publication deadline.



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District Deputy's Report

On Feb 8th, St Pius X Council hosted a First Degree before our regular business meeting. Colin Flick and Eric Duncan received their Initiation Degrees and are now new members of our Council. Congratulate them, and encourage them to get involved in our Council's activities.

On Feb 19th, Council 939 hosted a Second Degree at which 3 of our First Degree members upgraded to Second Degree: Duncan Fratoni, Peter

Snow, Kevin Barth. Congratulate them, when you see them.

St Mary's Council 8684 will host a First Degree on Mar 22nd. Reidsville/Eden Council 6970 will host the next First Degree on Apr 5th. SPX will host its next First Degree on May 5th. New candidates can go to any of these degrees.

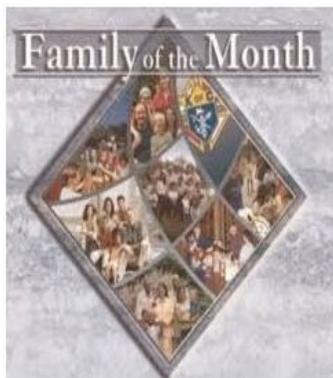
On Saturday, **April 28** there will be a **Second Degree** at

Council 939 in the morning and a **Third Degree** in the afternoon at St Paul's Council 13236. This is a change. Please make sure all potential candidates realize this date is revised. If you are a 1st° or 2nd° member, please contact Sam Waters, Membership Director, to reserve your slot at either or both of these upcoming degrees. This is a once a year opportunity to complete both degrees on Saturday morning.

Directors, this is your opportunity to reward the hard work of your teams. It's simple. Just write a short story about your best Service projects and send them to your Grand Knight or other Council Officers. The Grand Knight will apply for an award for your work team.

The awards will be distributed at the state convention, and brought home to the program and project directors.

Family of the Month



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Jim & Lynn Duffy

[Http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm](http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm)

Check our website for more information on the Family & Knight of the Month

Knight of the Month



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Dan Curran

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Business Meetings—
Second Thursday of the Month

Officers & Directors Meeting -
Monday before the Business
Meeting

All Meetings in the Simmons
Parish Center at 7:00 pm

Membership Chairman -
Sam Waters
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Knights of Columbus Field Agents Report

Plan for this Tax Day and into the Future

April 15 (tax day) is right around the corner. It's become popular this time of year to encourage the opening of an IRA or similar retirement annuity, or the depositing of additional funds into an existing account, as a tax-savings vehicle. Or perhaps someone has tried to convince you to open an account, touting the rate of interest that money in one of these accounts can earn. Let me join the chorus of folks encouraging you to open or add funds to an annuity, but for a different reason.

Certainly, contributing money to a Knights of Columbus annuity will allow you to save some money on your income tax return. And, our annuities do pay a very competitive interest rate, consistent with our primary goal of absolute safety of principal. Opening or adding to an annuity for these reasons, however, strikes me as taking a short-term view of a product that is designed to provide long-term security. How much security? How does retirement income that you cannot outlive — guaranteed — sound to you?

Here at the Knights of Columbus, you can open a retirement annuity for as little as \$300. Consistent and disciplined savings placed into that annuity over time can — properly structured — guarantee you an income at retirement that you cannot outlive. That guarantee — along with the fact that no one has ever lost money left in a Knights of Columbus annuity (remember — absolute safety of principal) — really will provide you with peace of mind.

I am happy to meet with you — at your convenience and in your home — to explain in detail the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top-rated life insurance, disability income and long-term care insurance plans.

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