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MESSAGE FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

Brother Knights,

As we move into the Lenten season, we have a lot to be thankful for and plenty of great events on the horizon. Thank you to everyone who stepped up this past month to make our February initiatives such a success.

Next Meeting: Monday, March 2nd @ 7:00 PM (Note: Our normal meeting place)
At the beginning of our March meeting, we will be welcoming Deb Selthun, the Faith Formation Coordinator. She will be speaking to us about an upcoming retreat for the Confirmation class in April and will be asking if the Council can help assist with some of the expenses. Please make sure to be there to hear her presentation.

Upcoming Events & Volunteer Needs

Calendar Drawing: The drawing will take place on April 13th at 7:00 PM where we normally hold our meetings.

Sacred Heart School Marathon: Mark your calendars for April 22nd, starting around 4:00 PM. We had a great turnout of volunteers to help last year, and we want to do it again this year!

State KC Convention (Duluth): The convention runs from May 15th-17th, with Saturday, May 16th being the main day to attend. I am planning to go and would love to have a few more members join as delegates. Let me know if you are interested!

Tootsie Roll Drive Update: The Tootsie Rolls have been ordered! Todd has kindly taken the lead on trying to get us set up at Wal-Mart this year. As of right now, we haven't been able to get approval to be in the store. We need everyone to start brainstorming: if Wal-Mart doesn't come through, where, when, and how can we get these Tootsie Rolls into people's hands? Bring your ideas to the next meeting.

Thank you all for your continued dedication to our Council, our parish, and our community.

Vivat Jesus,

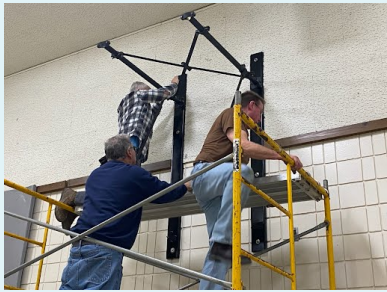
Matthew Petsinger
Grand Knight



Sacred Heart Backboards Completed

If you haven't been in the Sacred Heart gym recently, the new basketball backboards look absolutely great. More importantly, we got them installed just in time for the Free Throw contest!

Thank you to everyone who gave their time, talent, and energy to get this project across the finish line. It's a great upgrade for the school and the kids.



Free Throw Championship Success

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40 Cans for 40 Days Food Drive

Since we are officially in the Lenten season, our "40 Cans for 40 Days" food drive has officially begun. The collection box has been put out at the church. Thank you to those who got the box set up and ready to go! Let's make a strong push to fill it up and support those in need in our community.



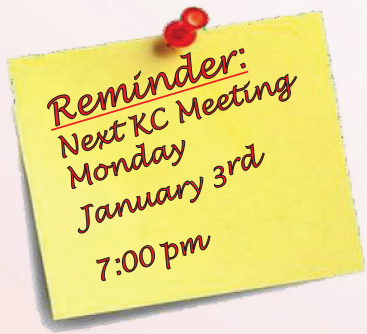
Burger & Fish Fry Recap

Our Burger and Fish Fry at the Legion was a wonderful success with an incredible turnout! It was great to see so many Brother Knights, families, and community members enjoying the food, the meat raffles, and the live music.



A huge thank you to every member who helped plan, cook, serve, and clean up. Your hard work behind the scenes is what makes these fellowship events run so smoothly.



**A QUICK LOOK AHEAD
KC COUNCIL 2768
CALENDAR OF EVENTS
2025-2026**









March 2026

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Monday 2nd - KC Meeting 7pm

April 2026

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Monday 2nd - KC Meeting 7pm

Monday 13th - Calendar Drawing

Wednesday 22nd - Sacred Heart School Marathon

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