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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Oct 5	Dinner and Night at the Races @ the Woodlands;
Oct 8	Council Business Meeting @ 7:30; Rosary @ 7pm
Oct 8	1 st and 2 nd degree at Northside Council @ 7pm
Oct 17	1 st Degree DVD at St John Council; @ 7:30pm
Oct 22	Social; Guest a Veteran Speaker @ 7:30pm
Oct 24	1 st and 2 nd degree at Mother Seton Council @ 7pm
Oct 24	Bingo at the Nursing Home; @ 7pm
Nov 7	1 st and 2 nd degree at St. Joseph Council @ 7pm
Nov 12	Council Business Meeting @ 7:30; Rosary @ 7pm
Nov 12	3 rd Degree at St. Mary's Seminary
Nov 14	1 st and 2 nd degree at St. Margaret of York @ 7pm
Nov 26	Social, Memorial Mass; @ 7:30pm
Dec 10	Council Business Meeting @ 7:30; Rosary @ 7pm

Council website:

stjosephkofc.org

Most Holy Rosary Assembly website:

mhra2170.org

Cincinnati Chapter website:

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Ohio State Council website:

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Mission Statement

St. Joseph of the Three Rivers Council

To promote the Catholic values of all families, and particularly the families of the membership of St. Joseph of the Three Rivers Council, through activities and assistance, and to proclaim the teaching of our Catholic faith while sharing our material wealth with those in need of our help.

Member News

Prayers Needed

Please keep in your prayers all council members, families, and friends who are sick or in distress:

Dave Schrader	Tom Butz
Bob Schmidt	Mary Lou Sutkamp
Mary Carr	Frank Graham
Tom Frondorf	Ernie Prater & Wife
Kim Dupler	Ginger Taylor
Peg Hundemer	John Coffard
Jim Wolfe	Elaine Berninger
Cheryl Joesting	

Chaplain's Report

- No report.

Grand Knight's Report

- Knight of the Month for August is Joe Bredestege.
- Presentation of a K of C wrist watch was given to Past Grand Knight Carl Braun.
- Thank You letter was received from Donna Reising in appreciation for our visitation, Prayer Service and Chalice Presentation.

Meeting Stats

- The September business meeting attendance prize winner was Brian McMahon. He was not present to win \$20. Next month the attendance prize will be \$25.
- Split the Pot, worth \$35, was won by Bob Nieporte
- Approx. 26 members were in attendance.
- \$36 was collected for Support the Seminarians.

Treasurer & Financial Secretary Report

- Mike Groh was excused: Matt Madar reported: Beginning Balance for August was \$15,478.20. Ending Balance was \$16,914.71. Expenses were \$1,289.96. Income was \$2,726.47 There was 1 uncashed of \$150 (Mark Hoffman).
- John Hughes reported: on membership changes: losses were Deacon Ed Reising (passed away) and Mark Rolfes (transferred to St. Bernard council); gains (Kevin Huschart and Mainerd Sorensen; Totals: 101 Associates, 53 insured, 1 member switched from insured to Associate, 159 total Members.

New Business/Unfinished Business

- A motion was made and approved to donate \$150 to the Most Holy Rosary Assembly for their dinner, Auction and Knight at the Races.
- Men's Annual Eucharistic Procession will take place on Saturday, October 19th from 9-11am; it begins at St. Peter & Chains and ends at Old St. Mary's.

Our Programs

Program Director Dan Warnock

- Dan explained our S.O.S (Support our Seminarians) program to the new members. A container is passed around during the Business Meeting to collect a small amount of money to help our Seminarians.
- Talked about the September Social and the Visi Parish Picnic, both activities have already taken place in September.
- Bob Sandhas: The last turn-in for the Football Frenzy Raffle will be at our October Business Meeting on October 9th.
- Bengals Games – we need more volunteers; Our next Bengals home game October 8th; this program made us over \$7000 last year.
- October social: our guest speaker, on October 22nd; will be Veteran Bob Doolan.

Membership Director: Jim Bischoff

- We have one new Applicant for Admission; his name is Jacob Nichols; Jacob was approved.
- Dan introduced one new member, Mainerd Sorensen. He is a parishioner of St. Al's Bridgetown; he took his 1st Degree DVD before the Business Meeting.
- Jim talked about us sponsoring the Chapter's 3rd degree Program on September 12th @ 7pm.
- See the Calendar of Events for the upcoming degrees and meetings.

Council Director: Joachim Fischesser:

- Joachim talked about the Reds baseball Game; we are going on Wednesday, September 25th; this event has already taken place; we all had a good time; this included hot dogs and drinks before we left St. Joes.

Community Director: Paul Beck

- Paul thanked all who helped park cars at the 2 concerts and for helping work at the Bingo's; also thanks for the 3 checks written to support his 3 on-going community programs.

Family Director: Don Larrick

- Our November Social, Tuesday November 26th is our annual Memorial Mass.
- We will award 2 schools \$3100 Checks at our October Business Meeting.

Youth Director: John Hughes

- "Coats for Kids" – we will order half the quantity of coats as last year; instead, we will add an equal number of Gloves, Mitts, Hats and Caps; John will request a check at the October business meeting.
- Working on setting-up: Praying the Rosary & Study of the Saints to Non-Catholics.

Church Director: Steve Kruse

- No report.

Culture of Life Director: Gil Carr

- No report.

Report of the 4th Degree: Scott Schrader

- Scott talked about the Annual Dinner Auction & Night at the Races; Saturday, October 5th, 2019 at the Woodlands; dinner tickets now available at a cost of \$20 per person; contact Charlie Wilke; This important event will have already taken place by the time of publication.
- Scott also talked about the Exemplification in Dayton on 9/27-29.

Trustee Report

- No report.

District Deputy

- No report.

Future Programs

- Memorial Mass on November 26ths

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Fraternally,

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Auxiliary

- Elaine Kruse, President. Contact Elaine at 608-8596 or email at kofcstjoeladyaux@aol.com
- Ladies Auxiliary will meet the 2nd Tuesday in October to stuff pillows for hospice. Meet at Cleves Township hall at 7pm.

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