# NEWSLETTER



Knights of Columbus Council 13181, 131 High Street, Sabattus, ME 04280

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# **Grand Knight's Corner**

Dear Brother Knights,

I hope your Lenten journey has been a prayerful one. As we approach Easter, I wish you and your family the very best and that the sacrifices made during lent will lead to long term positive changes that bring you closer to God.

Once again, we have had a very busy March and I am deeply grateful for your efforts and support in the activities we have been engaged in. In particular, I want to thank all of you that helped with the St. Patrick's Dinner, including James Daigle, Dan Bouffard, Dave Devoe, and Rick Jensen in particular for much of the food gathering, cooking, serving and clean-up. There were many more involved and I apologize if I missed anyone by name. The event was a joyous one, and we served nearly 200 people with 110 lbs of corned beef, 100 lbs of potatoes, 60 lbs of cabbage, 60 lbs of carrots, three sheet cakes, rolls, beverages, and were entertained with music and festive decorations. This is turning into a premier Prince of Peace Parish annual event and you deserve to be pleased with your efforts!

Looking ahead, because Holy Week is the first week of April, we will be pushing our monthly Rosary back one week to April 12 at 6 PM at Holy Cross.

This coming weekend or Saturday, April 1st, we will have our monthly Baked Bean & Casserole Supper at Our Lady of the Rosary from 4:30—6 PM. We are still looking for volunteers to help out and donations of either casseroles or desserts—please call me if you can help 740-6585.

Our next Council meeting is Monday, April 3 at Our Lady of the Rosary and I hope you can join us as we plan for upcoming events.

Another important upcoming event is the Fraternal Benefit Webinar on April 26 at 7:30 PM. We need at least 7 members to attend 2 of these seminars to qualify for Star Council. I e-mailed information out to the Council a few days ago. To register, click here: <a href="https://files.constantcontact.com/716460b3001/7e7de9da-a1de-439f-9385-2d00156754b5.pdf">https://files.constantcontact.com/716460b3001/7e7de9da-a1de-439f-9385-2d00156754b5.pdf</a> or contact me and I can e-

Lastly, as some of you may have heard, I am running for State Warden at the State Convention in April. I am running against two other very solid candidates and so I

mail you the link. Please register to attend today!

will leave it in God's hands. I would sincerely appreciate your prayers.

Yours in Christ Robert Michaud—Grand Knight gk@sabattuskofc.org

#### **Upcoming Activities and Council Needs:**

- Mar 1—Holy Rosary—BAS 6 PM
- Mar 4—\*Canceled\* Bean Supper—OLR—4:30 PM
- **Mar 18—St. Patrick's Dinner—HF—5 PM**
- ♦ Apr 3—Council Meeting—OLR—6:30 PM

# **Prayer Corner**

## Prayer of Adoration

I adore Thee, 0 Jesus, true God and true Man, here present in the Holy Eucharist, humbly kneeling before Thee and united in spirit with all the faithful on earth and all the blessed in heaven. In deepest gratitude for so great a blessing, I love Thee, my Jesus, with my whole heart, for Thou art all perfect and all worthy of love.

Give me grace nevermore in any way to offend Thee, and grant that I, being refreshed by Thy Eucharistic presence here on earth, may be found worthy to come to the enjoyment with Mary of Thine eternal and everblessed presence in heaven.

Amen.

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# **Upcoming Degrees**

• Keep an eye out for upcoming Degree Exemplifications in ours or other districts.

## **Birthdays This Month**

Don Champagne

# **Knights of the Month**

James Daigle—for his ongoing support of the church and Council and for support of the St. Patrick's Dinner

# **Family of the Month**

Justin & Angela Castonguay and family—for leading his family and being active in the church and for bringing his son, Jordan to the Men's Retreat.

# **Insurance Agent:**

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### Photos from the St. Patrick's dinner:





April 2023

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