

NEWSLETTER



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

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Grand Knight's Corner

Dear Brother Knights,

As Easter is nearly upon us, I hope this newsletter finds you well and that your Lenten season has been spiritually uplifting. Soon we will be celebrating the greatest mystery—the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ!

We have certainly had a busy start to this year so far, and I want to thank all of you for your help. In particular, I want to recognize DGK Jim Daigle for his leadership with our Bean Suppers and leading the cooking effort for our St. Patrick's Dinner and FS Dan Bouffard for making the sauce and lasagna for each bean supper and for baking a cake for the St. Patrick's Dinner. Once again, the St. Patrick's Dinner was a huge success and somehow we managed to feed just about everyone (at least one Knight and a few visiting priests were unable to enjoy the meal). Many of you participated and helped out with the meal and I thank you very much. It has been an event that has successfully brought people together from around the Parish.

Looking ahead, we have some very important business to address at our upcoming Council Meeting on Monday, April 1st. As District Deputy, I have been working to find ways to rejuvenate Council #2358—Lisbon Falls, but unfortunately, it seems that we are going to have to look at a different approach. Specifically, we are looking to merge their Council with ours. The proposed result will be that the new combined Council will serve both churches. There are many advantages to this, which I will go into further at our Council meeting. I encourage you all to attend so that we can discuss this and vote on it.

We have our next Baked Bean and Casserole Supper scheduled for Saturday, April 6th at 4:30 PM at Our Lady of the Rosary. As always, I am looking for volunteers to both help serve food as well as to donate casseroles or desserts. Please contact me if you can offer either or both.

Our next monthly Rosary will be at the Basilica Chapel on Wednesday, April 3rd at 6 PM. Please bring a friend or family member to pray together!

April is the month of our Annual State Convention during the last weekend of the month. I will be attending

along with our 2nd Delegate, Rick Jensen, and we will be sure to bring back much information on the direction of the State Council. One thing that is certain will be the renewed emphasis on finding new Brother Knights. I have personally been working harder on this and have signed up a new e-member and have been talking with some new faces at Our Lady. Take some time to chat with new men, and perhaps some old friends that may have not considered the Knights before. We have a lot to offer, and it is easier than ever to sign a new member up. Just have the candidate go to: kofc.org/join - they can do this from their computer or smart phone. Once they become an e-member, we can schedule them for a Degree Exemplification and they can join our Council. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours in Christ
Robert Michaud—Grand Knight
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Upcoming Activities and Council Needs:

- ◇ Apr. 1—Council Meeting—OLR - 6:30 PM
- ◇ Apr. 3—Rosary—BAS—6:00 PM
- ◇ Apr. 6—Bean Supper—OLR—4:30 PM
- ◇ Mar 16—St. Patrick's Dinner—HF—5 PM
- ◇ Mar. 24—Coffee & Donuts—OLR—9:30 AM
- ◇ Mar. 31—EASTER!

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Prayer Corner

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Thy faithful and enkindle in them the fire of Thy love.

V. Send forth Thy Spirit and they shall be created.
R. And Thou shalt renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray. O God, Who didst instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same Spirit to be truly wise, and ever to rejoice in His consolation. Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Upcoming Degrees

◆ TBD

Birthdays This Month

Howard Levesque
Daniel Moreau

Knights of the Month

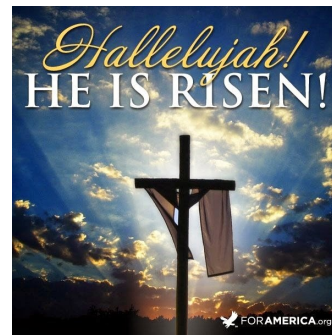
Jim Daigle—for his leadership at K of C activities such as the Bean Suppers and the St. Patrick’s Dinner, as well as his ongoing support of the church as a eu-charistic minister and usher..

Family of the Month

Don and Lena Champagne—for their ongoing support of the church and K of C functions together.

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April 2024 Knights of Columbus Council #13181

March 2024							May 2024						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM Council Meeting 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM Officer's Meeting	2	3 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM K of C - Monthly Rosary at Basilica	4	5	6 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM Baked Bean & Casserole Supper
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