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Grand Knight's Report

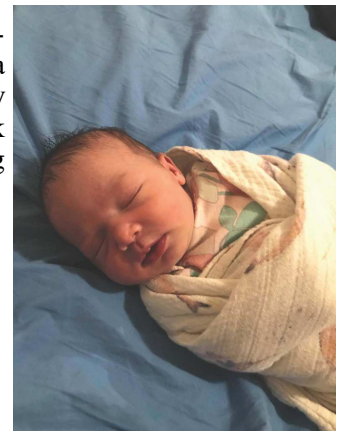
Hello Brothers,

So this weekend Kevin Colborg and I missed out on all of the fun and went to the state convention. I found out some cool things that the new degree and the new way of recruiting, is really working. Did you know that we as Knights have a 13 week trial run? Well we do, in my opinion we need to be working on better engaging our Knights so that they want to stay engaged. On the other hand I know that family and life in general can get in the way and sometimes they need a gentle reminder that we are there for them and more than likely we have been there also. Another good point was brought up, if the Knights are having an event on church property the knights in charge should have Safe Environment training from both the Knights and the Archdiocese. I really never thought about it but after they said it, it clicked. Did you that the Form 100 somewhere that when one of our knights pass that will automatically take them off of our roster and then Supreme also sends out a condolence letter. Did you know that bible is an acronym: BIBLE = Basic Instruction Before Leaving Earth. Another thing that the state chaplain said is that it is our job to evangelize and bring souls to the church and it is up to the priests to take it from there. I thought that it was an interesting idea. Did I tell you that we should have 2 new pieces of hardware, but only one was ordered. So we have only got one for now. Congratulations guys we are #6 in the State of Colorado. I think with the new degree team will help us recruit and bring in new members. The last thing is that we had the privilege to elect one of our Knights Jason Pasioneck to his new position as State Advocate Elect.

With the new degree team coming onboard I think we should make a real hard run on Star Council next year. We are still a few gentlemen (5) short this year. I am a firm believer in the softer sale for recruiting. I would like all of our Knights to really want to be here and ready to work and help evangelize with the rest of us. I like the idea of returning focus to Charity, Unity, and Fraternity. I also like COR program and I would like for it to be a big success. It is time for elections again so I would like to put the election roster just to keep it out there.

On a final not there is a new addition to the Knights of Columbus family, our insurance agent has been absent for a very good reason, Agnes Josephine Moore. Mom and baby are doing good and I assume 10 fingers and 10 toes. I think Brandon is ready to get back out there because he is asking for calendar dates.

Vivat Jesus
Scott Ludwig



Minutes

Meeting Called to Order at 7:32pm by Grand Knight Scott Ludwig

1. Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Matt Rock and Seconded by John Wolfe, the motion passed.
 2. Chaplains Report: NA
 3. Grand Knights report: We are good to go for the State Convention on the 28th through the 30th. An email is owed to the exemption team. Mothers day cards with seeds will be sold at the May Pancake Breakfast.
 4. Financial Report: Dan Murphy
 - Savings: \$203.35
 - Contingency: \$195.04
 - Disaster Relief: \$1919.98
 - Checking: \$13,074.72
 5. Membership Report: Stephen Meyer-NA
 6. Service Programs: Kevin Colborg:
 - a. Faith and Vocations: Gary Lauricella-NA
 - b. Community: Kevin Colborg- April 22nd, Tree Maintenance around the Watson center, 9am. Charlotte Francalancia needs her yard raked. Anne Lockwood needs her fence put up. Don F. is looking for volunteers and requesting help for the parish cleanup.
 - c. Treat and Greet is on the 15th, Membership drive is the weekend of the 23rd. The last breakfast is May 27th.
 - d. Culture of Life- Dan Murphy: Planned Parenthood is the first Saturday of the Month. The May breakfast is for Right to Life and going to Catholic Charities.
 - e. Communications- Scott Ludwig and Steve Rovira- Email is the main mode of council communication.
 - f. Marketing: Lyle Maretech- Nothing!
 - g. Website: NA
- Trustees: Matt Rock, Sean Murphy, Gary Tuka: The Trustees have Nothing to Report!!!
7. Fourth Degree Report: Jason Pacionek: NA
 8. Field Agents Report: Brandon Moore: NA
 9. District Deputies Report: Dave Dudden: NA
 10. Unfinished Business:
 - A, Mothers day cards and seeds. Cost covers both cards and seeds.
 - B. The Memorial Knights board needs to be updated. Looking for Volunteers to make sure that all of the fallen brothers are on the board.
 - C. Rockies Tickets! Bring your families!- 30 left, end of the month is the deadline.
 11. New Business:
 - a) Bob Nellans put forward the proposal to have the council pay for the Lodging for the Grand Knight and Delegates for the Three big meetings for State, Convention, Org and Midyear, around \$700 for each meeting. Motion was 2nd by Matt Rock and passed.
 - b) A motion was put forward by Dan Murphy to take the proceeds of \$1,500 from the March Breakfast, raise it to \$2,000 and give it to the church in Africa. Motion was Passed by Kevin Vassina.
 - c) A motion was made by Dan Murphy to take the proceeds from the April Breakfast, \$2,000, raise it to \$2,500 and give it to Sister Molly, United with Migrants.
 - d) Nick Stumpf is advertising COR, a men's formation meeting, like That Man is You, and Exodus 90. Colorado is one of the Pilot States to launch this.

Minutes

12. Good of the Order:

Prayer list additions: Tom and Janet Loux, Cindy Krockner, Souls in Purgatory and Military Communications: Kaleb Archer

-A thank you card from a seminarian that we gave \$500, for World Youth Day.

-A Thank you from Maddie Pixler for the Care Package that we gave her.

KOM/FOM: Steve Rovira

KOM: Stephen Meyer: For organizing and pulling off the RCIA dinner and his service to the council.

FOM: Jay Pixler: For helping out at the breakfasts and burritos.

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

Birthdays: Joe Zibrick, Kaleb Archer, Mike Mally, Ed Mally, Father Nathan,

Anniversaries: Joe Zibrick 23 years, Larry Harold, 43 years.

13. Lecturers Reflection: Bill Poska; A Lesson on the religious side of the Easter Bunny.

14. Grand Knights Report Part 2: We slimmed down the Budget. Treat in Greet is this weekend. Let's have a good month!

15. Closing Prayer.

Meeting called to a close at 8:36pm by GK Scott Ludwig.

Minutes Respectfully submitted by: Kaleb Archer

Mark Your Calendar

To sign up for events; please go to our web site: <http://www.kofc12392.org>

May

5th Burrito Making 5:30 PM Orleans Kitchen
 6th Prayers at Planned Parenthood meet at St Joan parking lot at 8:30 AM
 7th Burrito sales after all Masses
 7th Pancake breakfast 6 AM prep 8 30 AM start, Orleans Hall
 10th Knight's business meeting 7 PM Lorraine room
 20th Heaven's helpers meet at SJA parking lot 9 AM
 21st Membership drive After all Masses
 25th Newsletter articles due
 28th Planning Meeting and Officer installation 6:30 PM Lorraine room



June

3rd Prayers at Planned Parenthood meet at St Joan parking lot at 8:30 AM
 10th Knights at the Rockies 1:40 PM game
 13th Vitalent blood drive Orleans Hall 2 – 6 PM
 14th Knight's business meeting 7 PM Lorraine room
 17th Treat and Greet 10 AM Orleans Kitchen
 23rd Membership Drive after all Masses
 24th Heaven's helpers meet at SJA parking lot 9 AM
 25th Newsletter articles due
 25th Knights picnic East side of Church Noon
 26th Planning Meeting 7 PM SJA

Exemplifications

Onsite Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity

[View On-Demand](#)

Patriotic Degree

Knights in Action

Memory Lane

2003

- May 1 - First Day - Phil Kroeker (new Financial Secretary)
- May 4 - Pancake Breakfast - after all morning masses.
- May 9 - Scout Recognition Night - S.O.C. - 7:00pm - regalia at 6:30pm
- May 11 - Mother's Day
- May 12 - World Vocation Day
- May 12 - Business meeting - @ 7:30pm - Rosary @ 7:00pm - (nominations)
- May 13 - Rockies Game - Tues. - 7:05pm - meet in church park lot @ 3:30pm
- May 14 - Marian Hour of Prayer - Marian Chapel - @ 8:00pm - with Choir
P. S. - bring your rosary!
- May 18 - Majors - Loveland council 3434
- May 18 - 4th Degree Exemplification - Security
- May 25 - Memorial Day - Holiday
- June 7 - Majors - Colorado Springs council 582
- June 8 - Corporate Communion - 6:00pm Mass
- June 8 - Membership Drive - after all Sunday morning Masses
- June 9 - Business meeting - @7:30pm - Rosary @ 7:00 pm - (elections)
- June 16 - Rockies Game - 7:05pm - meet in church park lot @ 3:30pm
- June 22 - Rockies Game - 1:05pm - meet in church park lot @ 9:30am
- June 23 - Pot Luck - Awards

2008

May

- 1 Feed the Poor—Broadway Assistance Center 4PM
- 3 Pray the rosary at 7 AM for the unborn. St Michael the Archangel Organization sponsor
- 4 Pancake Breakfast—1st 3 Masses
- 5 Knight/Family of the Month to GK
- 8 Feed the Poor—Broadway Assistance Center 4PM
- 10 Yard work morning, 8:30 AM meet at church parking lot
- 14 Yard work for Dominican sisters 1 PM
- 14 Council Mtg.—Rosary @ 7PM
- 17 Metro Meeting—730PM—
- 21 Marion Hour—7PM
- 24 Mary, Maternity of Motherhood yard work 8AM meet at church parking lot
- 25 Newsletter article submission deadline
- 31 1st degree practice 2 PM Room 2

Knights in Action

Memory Lane—continued

2013

May

- 2 Feed the poor at Broadway Assistance Center 4 PM meet at church parking lot
- 2 Dominican Sisters fundraiser 3:30 PM meet at church parking lot
- 3 Parish volunteer dinner
- 3-4 Melodrama at St Anne's—7PM
- 4 Rosary at Planned Parenthood 8:30 AM departure SJA parking lot
- 5 Knight/Family of the Month to GK/ Membership drive
- 5 Pancake Breakfast after first 2 Masses
- 8 Knights business meeting 7 PM
- 9 Feed the poor at Broadway Assistance Center 4 PM meet at church parking lot
- 11 1st Degree 10AM—930AM candidate show
- 11 Scout Sunday 10 AM IHM Northglenn—meet 830AM church parking lot
- 12 BAC Food Drive after all Masses—1st degree 10AM—930 candidate show
- 16 1st Degree—7PM
- 18 Ordination of Deacon Scott Bailey—10AM—meet JOA 830
- 19 4th Degree social at Randi's 7PM
- 19 Reception for Fr. Cuneo (50 yrs) and Deacon Rex (25 yrs) after 11:30 AM Mass
- 21 Heaven's Helpers 6PM JOA parking lot
- 25 Dedication of War Memorial in Aurora—12PM meet JOA parking lot
- 25 Newsletter article submission deadline
- 26 Mass celebrated by newly ordained Scott Bailey 9 AM honor guard requested
- 27 Memorial Day Mass at Mount Olivet Cemetery Time TBA
- 29 Officer meeting 7 PM Lorraine room

2018

May

- 4th Dominican Derby 5 PM
- 5th Rosary at Planned Parenthood meet at St Joan parking lot at 8:30 AM
- 5th Knight/Family of the Month to GK
- 6th Pancake breakfast after 7:30 AM and 9 AM Mass
- 9th Knights business meeting 7 PM all members requested Lorraine room
- 12th 1st degree exemplification 9 AM St Joan Durrie hall
- 19th Heaven's helpers 9 AM SJA parking lot
- 20th 4th degree social 6 PM Mickey's
- 23rd 7 PM Officer meeting Lorraine room
- 25th Newsletter submission deadline
- 28th Memorial Day Mass Mount Olivet TBA

How to Sign up...

Please see below for the steps to sign up a new member to the Knights of Columbus. It is very easy to do this and no need for a form 100, as it is all done online. **Blue bolded items are provided for things that help default new member to our parish council.**

Kofc.org/join then follow the below prompts and input new members details:

Title

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

Email

Confirm Email

Mobile Phone

Date of Birth Month MM Day DD Year YYYY

Preferred Language

Agent Referral Code (Leave Blank)

Check the box - I am a baptized Catholic Male

Check the box - I am a practical Catholic.

Mailing Street address

Zip/Postal Code

City

State

Country

Preferred Local Council **12392**

Member Referral Number **5134359** (this is Stephen Meyer's to work toward Traeger raffle)

Church Parish Name **St. Joan of Arc**

Church Parish City **Arvada**

Church Parish State **CO**

Promo Code **BLESSEDMCGIVNEY** (free for the first year Jan - Dec)

Hit the Add button

Check the box - I agree to abide by the Laws and Rules of the Knights of Columbus,

I'm not a robot

Once this is done an email will be received to the email address confirmed above. New member will need to confirm the email address within 24 hours to get started and enrolled.

Once this step has been completed please text Stephen Meyer at 303-513-6170 to get new member processed through the Online Exemplification or scheduled with our in person exemplification team.

Knights in Action

What we are all about!!



When brother Knight, Gil Leyba lost his life many brothers came together to pray the rosary and to attend his funeral in support of the family, especially his son, sir knight Don Leyba.

Our organization is a brotherhood, where every member is important and our support of each other in tough times as well as in celebrations of good times is what defines us as a group.

Thank you to all who make the effort to show the unity and brotherhood that makes us special.

Help end abortion in our time

On Saturday, April 1st, the knights (Jeff Kamosa, Ed Bradley, Dan Boskoskey, Bill Poska, Matthew Rock, Chris Newton, Terri and Jim Windholz, Sean and Dan Murphy) plus Jean Schreffler, came together to pray for an end to abortion.

You can join these prolife advocates on the first Saturday of each month by joining us at St Joan's at 8:30 AM on [May 6th](#) to carpool to Mass at the Planned Parenthood building. For more



information contact our prolife chairman, Dan Murphy. Also, we are asking our council members to take time to pray on that Saturday to ask Our Lady to help bring an end to abortion at this clinic and to direct the young ladies to Lighthouse at the other end of the street at 9 AM on the 1st Saturday.

Knights in Action

WHY WOULD I MAKE TIME?

Why would you spend time with brothers and widows, letting them know we care and still want to be a part of their lives. Well because of the smile you bring, the hope for a better day, the chance to talk with someone new, and the isolation you feel being afraid to go to Mass. Congratulations to Adrian Ybarra, Steve Rovira, Kevin Kroeker, Gary Tuka, Sean and Dan Murphy who found time in their schedule to visit and bring cookies to our elder knights and families. Their act of kindness made a big difference, maybe next time you can be the one who makes a difference getting to know those who paved the roads that we now travel.



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Knights in Action

Knight of the Month

Brother knight Stephen Meyer has been selected as Knight of the Month for council number 12392 in Arvada, Colorado.



Stephen has been a Knight for 3 years and a member of St. Joan of Arc for 7 years. According to him, he is best known for being married to his wife Carolyn Meyer who has worked for St. Joan for 4 1/2 years. Stephen and Carolyn have two kids; Courtney who is attending Metro State, and Ryan who is at Red Rocks Community College. Ryan also recently started working for SJA on the maintenance team and helping to ensure the building is secured in the evenings after events.

Stephen enjoys serving and doing things for others. He helps as an EMHC at mass and as an Usher when needed. He also gets extra opportunities to serve with Carolyn on events that she plans for the church. Recently, he enjoyed getting to help decorate for Lent and Easter, transforming the worship space several times over the last few months. According to Stephen, his favorite activity is making breakfast burritos on Friday night and the pancake breakfasts, as that was the one place that he was able to visit the most with past knight Pat Francalancia. In addition, he describes the pancake and breakfast burrito crew as a great group of guys

who regularly show up to help, making it a ton of fun.

Stephen was instrumental in starting a new appreciation and welcome (to SJA) for our RCIA candidates by serving them a meal. He is hopeful this is something that will continue as he plans to coordinate doing this again if it is approved.

Congratulations Stephen and thank you for all the work you do for our council and parish!

Family of the Month

The Jay Pixler family has been selected as Family of the Month for council number 12392 in Arvada, Colorado.

Jay and his wife Holly have been with St. Joan of Arc since 2003 and Jay has been a knight for about 7 years now. Jay is a 3rd degree knight and recently made a choice to become more active in our council in the last 6 months. According to Jay, "I find it very rewarding, and it's been good getting to know some of my brother knights and their families during this time." Jay also helps usher and is a eucharistic minister.

Holly and Jay will be celebrating 30 years of marriage in August of this year and have 3 daughters. Their oldest, Madi, is a senior at Notre Dame studying Chemical Engineering. Their middle daughter, Aubrey, is a senior at Arvada West HS and getting ready for college to study Aerospace Engineering at either Notre Dame, or University of Florida. And their youngest daughter, Bristol, is a 7th grader at Shrine of St. Anne school.

The past few months, Bristol and Jay have helped out a couple of times making burritos and pancake breakfasts which Jay describes as a really nice way to volunteer and spend time with his daughter. They also helped at our Oktoberfest celebration this past fall. In addition, Jay has also helped out recently with our council's salsa making. According to Jay, "both groups of knights, burrito making and salsa making, were very welcoming and fun to be around!"

The Pixler's are faithful attendees of weekly mass at St. Joan of Arc and say they love our parish and its people. They find the Easter sunrise mass to be their favorite event of the year and state, "there is something magical about seeing that sun rise as we celebrate our risen Lord."

The family is going to Israel for a pilgrimage to the Holy Land this summer. They are excited to see where Jesus spent his time and began his ministry and where, ultimately, he gave himself completely for our sins and ascended into heaven.

Jay has stated he is looking forward to spending more time with his brother knights, helping out where he can in the future.

Congratulations to the Pixler family and thank you for all the work you've done for our council and our parish!



Good of the Order

GOOD OF THE ORDER – PRAYERS NEEDED

Knights & Knights' Families

Gil Leyba – Repose of his soul
 Kathy Schroder - Health
 Cindy Fagnant- Health
 Fr. Joseph Cao – Health issues
 Marilyn Cunnings – Health
 Mike Kwiecinski – Health
 Tony Calabrese – Health
 Terry Zrust- Health
 Trudy Rock – Health
 Gary Lark – Health
 Ed and Alice Mally - Health
 Jim Archer – Health
 Gabriel Streams – Health
 Irene Zerr – Health issues
 John Jurbala – Health
 Kailee Kemp – Health
 Terry Biernet - Health
 Dexter and Helen Williams – Health
 Paul Moser - Health
 Armella Gerber- Health
 Hal Halley – Health
 Deacon Hugh Downey – Health issues
 Dean Watson - Health
 Dave Wiegand– Health
 Victor Greco – Health issues
 Stephanie Colborg – Health
 Patty Kinsey – Health issues
 Christine Bokoskey – Health
 Tom Ballanger -Health
 Pat Merchon - Health
 Dave Dudden, health issues
 Dawn O'Connor, health issues
 Wayne Ludwig, health issues

Knights & others in the Military

People of Ukraine

Matthew Streams
 Tanner Colborg

Knights Widows

Mary Berger
 Helen Burtschi
 Jennie Daly
 Charlotte Francalancia
 Barbara Fahey
 Maureen Fallet
 Armella Gerber
 Brenda Bartolletti
 Ann Lockwood
 Kathy Schroder
 Loucille Pesce
 Nora Polito
 Jill Puz
 Joyce Calton
 Patti Lennox
 Norine Tuka
 Barbara Mann
 Kathy LaBrenz
 Jean Schreffler
 Terri Carey
 Veronica Wills
 Pat Conley

Vocational Prayers

Chris Marbury
 Ryan Mack
 Simon Ortiz
 Alex Diaz
 Antonio Villafranca

Zachary Michalczyk
 Luke Metzger
 Charbel Allen
 Gregory Armstrong