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My Brothers, welcome back from your vacations and other summer activities. I know many of you have or are going through the frenzy of start-up for the school year or sending your older children off to college. I certainly hope your relaxing summer provided enough of an energy boost to get through the stress of the school restart.

Speaking of restart, I've seen the emails about needing Keep Christ in Christmas supplies and Coats for Kids locations and partnering opportunities. I'm encouraged that councils are getting

ready to go out into the public sector to demonstrate our evangelization through action. I look forward to see other emails announcing dates for these and other events. One event I'm particularly interested in reading about is the Church Drive, whether traditional or Delta. Every activity in the community and in the Parish is a membership event, don't miss the chance to grow your council.

I want to repeat some points I made at the Organizational Meeting in June. I shared the goals I had made and some I had been given for this year. I am committed to growth in four areas; membership, charitable outreach, volunteer hours and family protection. Each of these areas come with a standard to determine success. So let me talk a bit about those standards.

Membership – The goal for us is 840 new knights. To date we've picked up 98 new knights, primarily through the online membership tool. People want to be knights! Some don't use computers or smart phones so we have to go out and meet them and ask them. And how do we meet them? Faith in Action programs – Christmas Cards, Tootsie Rolls, Coats for Kids, Special Olympics – and Church Drives.

Charitable outreach – What did your Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity show last year? That's your benchmark, the goal is 10% increase. How can you meet this goal? Increase your blood donations, visit the sick or infirmed, visit the homebound, drive people to Church or meetings, Increase your donations to RSVP, Boy Scouts, American Heritage Girls, and Special Olympics.

Volunteer Hours – What did your Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity show last year? Again, the goal is 10% increase. How? Increase the types and times of support to your sick and/or disabled members and their families, do errands, work Special Olympics events as escorts, judges, refreshment and nutrition workers, set up and clean up custodians or anything else that's needed. And what about in your Parish? Liturgical ministry, Religious Education teacher or aide, RCIA, grounds/garden maintainer, set up/tear down crew for the various information events. The opportunities are endless, just look around, someone needs your help.

Family Protection – Insurance. Are you sure your family can survive your untimely catastrophic death or injury resulting in hospitalization and permanent institutional care facility residence? How would you know without talking with your council field agent? Don't interpret this paragraph as an advertisement for K of C Insurance. Understand this as my fraternal appeal that you be able to answer my question – Yes. As a Knight you are entitled to the services of the field agent whether or not you have a K of C policy. He is your Brother too. He has the same fraternal obligation to you as any other Brother. He can look at your policies and honestly evaluate the adequacy of your coverages and offer advice on how best to fill gaps or overlooked areas. This is Father McGivney's reason for starting our organization, keeping the family together. I know in 1882 the primary wage earner was the man and when he died more often than not the mother and children were turned out, separated, placed in homes or orphanages or at the mercy of society. He wanted to reverse that. Today we have working parents and double income families but I dare say the loss of one of those incomes would place a hardship on today's family. Can your family survive the loss of your wife and your children's mother? Make time to meet with an agent and mitigate the threats against your family's future.

So let's have a good month of doing the business of being Knights; extending a helping hand to those who need it, protecting the lives of those who can't do it alone, banding together to build a better society and sharing the joy of membership with every Catholic man we meet in our Parish, living complex, work environment and the neighborhood community.

We are Knights of Unity, on a journey of brotherly love enriching the lives of our members and families and the lives of those to whom we are offering the gift of membership.

Ut Prosim (that I may be of use),

Chris Foley

Colorado State Deputy





A MESSAGE FROM THE STATE ADVOCATE

Brothers in Christ,

I would like to address another common issue that all councils face...**BRANDING**. We all use the name/emblem/logo in different ways to promote our various council activities and/or our charitable outreach. In the following article, we will explore when to use it and how it can be used.

Ordinary Fraternal Use

Supreme states in the Officer's Desk Reference, "The name and emblems of the Knights of Columbus are among its most valuable assets. For this reason, the Order has registered them as trademarks. The registered and unregistered trademarks and service marks (collectively the "Marks") are intellectual properties that belongs to the Knights of Columbus. Proper use of the Order's Marks ...is one of the most important responsibilities of any Knights of Columbus officer. The Order's Marks do not belong to subordinate councils or other branches and divisions of Knights of Columbus. Home corporations, which are independent legal entities, may not use the Order's Marks under any circumstances. Similarly, individual members of Knights of Columbus may not use the Order's Marks, except in connection with approved activities of a Council or the Supreme Council."

The entire point behind using our brand is to do so under "Ordinary Fraternal Use". "Ordinary Fraternal Use" means the use of the Marks in connection with activities or programs approved by a Council to accomplish one or more of the following objectives:

- 1) Increase public recognition of the Order, consistent with the Catholic mission and identity of the Knights of Columbus;
- 2) Promote charitable, fundraising, or civic activity, consistent with the Catholic mission and identity of the Knights of Columbus;
- 3) Enhance the fraternal bond among members of a Council;
- 4) Cultivate goodwill among members of a Council and the parish(es) directly served by that Council

Some examples of "Ordinary Fraternal Use" would be:

- 1) Banners, flyers and other materials promoting fraternal or charitable events of the Council
- 2) Stationery (letterhead, envelopes, business cards, etc.)
- 3) Websites (and other social media sites like Facebook® or Twitter®) and apps providing information and education
- 4) Forms and Brochures
- 5) Newsletters
- 6) Annual reports

"Ordinary Fraternal Use" also means that a council is required to add its name, number and geographic location. This information should be located within close proximity to the Marks to make clear that the activity is sponsored by the Council, and not the Supreme Council. Our marks can only be used within a council's geographic region.

If you are unsure if the function/way you want to use the logo is defined under "Ordinary Fraternal Use", please do not hesitate to contact the State Deputy or myself with questions.

Vivat Jesus,
Marc Solome
State Advocate

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MASTER'S KNIGHTLY NEWS

The Marshals and I have had a busy couple of months as we completed installation of assembly officers. If it does not ring a bell with you as you are reading this article, it may be time to contact your Marshal or myself and schedule an installation of officers. It is a formality but it is a time for open lines of communication or just socializing with your Brother Sir Knights and their families.

Speaking of communication, I know that there are some of you that have questions as I have had them filter down to me from Supreme. It seems that when questions arise, it appears that calling or e-mailing, first the Faithful Navigator or then maybe a Marshal or even I as the Master is not thought of as an option and we call or e-mail, the Supreme Master. Just to be clear, 99% of the time,

one of your local leaders will have an answer and if he does not, he can get it for you rather quickly. Most of the questions recently have to do with the new uniform and old regalia. Over the past couple of years, as I have received information, I have summarized it in memo form or addressed it in the Knights Call. Memos from the VSM or Supreme have been distributed to the FN's we have listed and they have also been posted on the webpage for the 4th degree on the State website. Yet the same questions continue to be asked, mostly to Supreme, concerning being able to wear the old regalia, specifically if a long tenured Knight passes on and requests only the old regalia at his service. The Supreme answer is no more old regalia. Does it pose problems? Indeed it does and we have to work through them.

How and what can an assembly do to pay homage to a deceased Knight? First respectfully advise family members that the old regalia has been officially retired. It is no longer to be worn at any functions. If the family wishes an Honor Guard for funeral services, solicit assistance from the surrounding area assemblies. There are a number of assemblies in the Denver, Colorado Springs and northern area that have many members who have chosen to purchase the new uniform. The obvious difficulty is more with the times and days of events that preclude many being able to help but at least ask. If your assembly has only a few members with the new uniform being able to participate, utilize them to open and close the Honor Guard and in between, have 4th degree members dressed in a dark gray, dark blue, black suits or tuxedo along with social baldric. They may stand by the casket in respect of the Brother Knight. They would not wear a sword as that is for Honor Guard members in the Honor Guard uniform. If questions should arise, contact your Marshal or myself and we can provide you with direction. I have had requests for one time exceptions but for two reasons they are not granted. One, Supreme has directed no exceptions and two, if you grant one exception why not grant others for similar reasons. Bottom line, no exceptions are granted.

My focus for assemblies is to see them focus on the positive and promote programs. I have pushed this focus for quite some time, yet it seems we spend more time complaining on what we cannot do rather than what is available for us to do. A case in point is when at the end of last year, I provided information to assemblies with regard to statuary needed for the new VA hospital's Catholic chapel. This was a great opportunity to do a fund raiser at the assembly level for a great cause or at least write a check with assembly's existing funds. A few assemblies did just that and we were able to raise the funds necessary to accomplish the purchase. With that task accomplished, we returned to our old ways. Or at least that is how it seems as less than 30% of the state's assemblies submit the Civic Award paperwork listing 4 events accomplished during the year and less than 17% submit a To Be a Patriot Award application to brag on 1 program they accomplished during the year. Now maybe there is more activity and programming being completed but who knows about it and no one shares info.

There are two events coming up assemblies have an opportunity to participate in requiring little effort. The first was sent out to FN's concerning the 1st annual "In God We Trust" program that involves reaching out to veterans who have left the faith. The Archdiocese of Denver is sponsoring this event on Saturday, September 28, 2019 at the Colorado Freedom Memorial in Aurora. An outdoor mass will be celebrated by Bishop Rodriquez at noon followed by a lunch. The Knights have been asked to supply and help with the lunch of hot dogs, hamburgers and chips and being there to act as guides for the people attending. After mass, the Bishop will bless the memorial. The information is attached to this month's Knights Call in case you missed it. Let me know if you can help. Manpower and funds are needed.

The second event is the Donut Race in support of Special Olympics Colorado. This event takes only a donation to purchase a donut, half dozen donuts, baker's dozen donuts or as many as you want to race down the river located at the Gaylord Hotel. Of course they are not real donuts but the donation goes to a good cause and you have the opportunity to win one of 3 monetary prizes, 1st prize being \$5000. The details for that event were recently e-mailed as information by our State Deputy.

Do you need any other ideas. How about adopting a veteran for Christmas or Thanksgiving, collect new or gently used stuffed animals, donating them to local Emergency Service personnel or Victim Advocacy programs for children involved in accidents or traumatic incidents, Wreaths Across America and many other programs are available. Sir Knights, let us do what we were designed to do, be charitable in our lives helping others and doing so as a Catholic gentleman living our faith.

Vivat Jesus, Vivat Maria
Roger G Muller
Roger Muller, PSD
District Master

Upcoming 4th Degree Exemplifications

Assembly 3818
Saturday October 12, 2019
St Margaret Mary Catholic Church
Cortez, CO 81321
Contact: Leroy Roberts 505-967-5192 leroyrobertssr@gmail.com

Assembly 3124
Saturday October 26, 2019
Our Lady of the Valley
Windsor, CO
Contact: Chuck Rohrer 970-672-6109 charlesrohrer6@gmail.com



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OFFICE OF DIACONATE

July 9, 2019

Veteran Community Sponsor:

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me." Isaiah 6:8

For generations the call to military service has been answered by men and women drawn by the Lord's voice asking, "Whom shall I send?" And when their service was completed they often found themselves distanced from the Lord, by things they had seen, and done, that made them feel somehow unworthy of God's love. They returned home, struggling to make the events of their service leave their dreams and those dreams became nightmares and the nightmares became a barrier between many of our veterans and their faith. It is time for us to help our brothers and sisters who have lost their connection to the Lord come home, to be reminded the will of God will not take you where the Grace of God will not protect you.

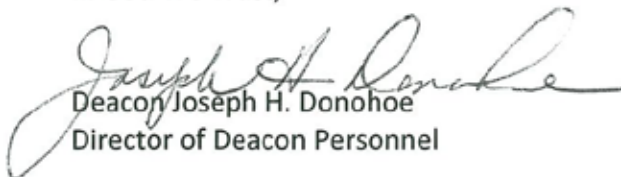
On Saturday, September 28th, the Colorado Freedom Memorial in partnership with the Archdiocese of Denver will host "In God We Trust", a calling to all veterans to be reunited with Christ at a Special Outdoor Mass, followed by a reception where veterans can connect with others who have served and others who can help us on the journey back to our faith.

If you have questions, are interested in supporting the day's celebration financially or otherwise, please contact Deacon Joseph Donohoe or Amy Vigil in the Archdiocese of Denver Diaconate Office at 303.715.3198 or deacon.donohoe@archden.org or amy.vigil@archden.org

The Archdiocese of Denver is a 501(c)(3) organization and any donations received will be tax exempt. A donation letter will be provided to those individuals/organizations offering their assistance.

For those who left simple lives at home to answer the calling of service to country it is time we welcome them back home and help them find peace in their relationship with the Lord.

In God We Trust,


Deacon Joseph H. Donohoe
Director of Deacon Personnel

“This powerful article relates to our efforts to help veterans return to the faith with the In God We Trust program. No one is above being forgiven!!!”

🏠 SPIRITUALITY

How the Commandant of Auschwitz Found God's Mercy

John Burger | Mar 04, 2016

Not even an "animal" like Rudolf Höss is exempt from Christ's forgiveness, Polish nun says

Those who survived Auschwitz called the man in charge an “animal.” Rudolf Höss presided over the extermination of some 2.5 million prisoners in the three years he was commandant of the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp. Another half a million died there from disease and starvation. A year after his tenure came to an end, he returned to oversee the execution of 400,000 Hungarian Jews.

And yet even an “animal” such as he was not beyond the reach of God's mercy.

My wife and I learned about Höss when a young nun from Poland [spoke at our church](#). I was taken aback when I first heard the telling, in part because I thought Sister Gaudia was speaking of Rudolf Hess, the deputy to Adolf Hitler. The names sound similar. But what happened to Höss, who held a less prominent position in the Third Reich, was perhaps more stunning.

The lecture was part of the parish's observance of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, declared by Pope Francis. Sister Gaudia and Sister Emmanuela, members of the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy — the congregation to which St. Faustina Kowalska belonged — are touring the United States, speaking about Christ's revelations to St. Faustina and the image and devotion of the Divine Mercy. Sister Gaudia, by the way, is part of the planning committee for World Youth Day 2016, which will take place in Krakow this summer.

Seventy or so years ago, Krakow, and all of Poland, was a very different place than it is today. Sister Gaudia spoke of Auschwitz, one of the Nazis' deadliest camps, with its extensive use of gas chambers and medical experimentation, set right in the heart of her country. One in six Jews killed in the Holocaust died there.

But the camp was not only for Jews. Catholics, such as Saints Maximilian Kolbe and Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), were here as well.

“One day they took the whole community of Jesuits here,” Sister Gaudia said. “Only the superior was not at home,” so he was not captured. “When he came home, he was in such pain that he said, ‘I need to be with my brothers.’”

Somehow, he snuck into the camp and searched for his brother Jesuits. The guards found him and took him to Höss. “They were totally convinced that he would simply kill him, without any questions,” Sister Gaudia said. But he let him go, much to the guards' surprise.

After the war ended, Höss was captured, tried and convicted of crimes against humanity. He was sentenced to death, and the execution would be in Auschwitz, where he had worked diligently to implement Hitler's “final solution.” He would be held in a prison in Wadowice (which, of course, was the birthplace of Karol Wojtyla, the future Pope John Paul II).

Höss was in great fear — not of death, but of prison, Sister Gaudia said. “He was totally convinced that the Polish guards would take revenge on him and he would be tortured as long as he was in prison, and that it would be unimaginable pain. How great was his surprise when the guards — men whose wives, daughters and sons were killed in Auschwitz, treated him well. He couldn't understand.”

And that, she said, was the moment of his conversion. “They treated him mercifully,” she said. “Mercy is the love we know we do not

deserve. He doesn't deserve their forgiveness, their goodness, their gentleness. And he received all that.”

Höss was a cradle Catholic but had abandoned the faith in his youth. Now, facing his mortality at age 47, and perhaps encouraged by the guards' treatment, he asked for a priest. “He wanted to confess his sins before he died,” Sister Gaudia said.



IN GOD WE TRUST



AN OUTDOOR MASS & PROGRAM FOR MILITARY VETERANS

with Bishop Jorge Rodriguez



Rick Crandall
Master of Ceremonies



Mike Duggan
Retired Air Force General



Bill Lancaster
Retired Air Force Sergeant

SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 28, 2019

COLORADO FREEDOM MEMORIAL

756 Telluride Street,
Aurora CO, 80011

11:00 A.M. - 1:30 P.M.
Complimentary Lunch
Immediately Following

QUESTIONS?

Interested in supporting
the day's celebration?



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Please bring a chair or blanket.

Contact Deacon Donohoe or Amy Vigil.
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or call 303.715.3198



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A MESSAGE FROM THE STATE PROGRAMS COORDINATOR

Welcome to September!! Time to really start thinking about your Coats for Kids program along with, Soccer shootout. Is your Free Throw competition scheduled?

Part of the planning of these events and other events in your parish/community, is to make sure the key players in your council has taken the proper training. If you have not been directed to, please go to <https://www.kofc.org/un/en/members/programs/youth-activities/safe-environment-program.html> to complete the training and background checks. Let's make sure that you have a Safe Environment for all!!

Later this month Special Olympics Colorado will be having a Donut race, it's like a rubber duck race but with donuts!! I encourage your council to purchase a donut or more!! Each donut is \$10, you can purchase a baker's dozen for \$100, that's 13 donuts!! This will count towards your Special Olympics involvement. For more information please visit. <http://www.specialolympicsco.org/donutderby/>.

How are you promoting your events/programs? Do you have a social media site for your council? Points will be awarded for social media sites and also for keeping them updated. I'm sure we can all find someone in the council to help with this. Having a social media site is highly recommended by Supreme, last month they published a how to in the monthly Knightline. Let's share what we do in our parishes and communities. Let's show everyone how we put our Faith in Action!!!

As always please let me know of your event/program. I will attend and help out if my schedule allows it. I would also like to share what your council is doing or has done on our 3 social media sites.

Vivat Jesus,
Clark Musser
State Programs Coordinator
clarkmusser69@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS CARDS

The State Council is providing an opportunity for Councils to sell quality Catholic themed Christmas Cards. The Keep Christ in Christmas Card program offers Catholic Christmas cards for sale by Councils providing members and local parishioners the opportunity to purchase these Christmas Cards. This is a fundraising opportunity for councils who can earn on average a 40% profit to be used for Council projects.

All the information on the Program and how to order is located on the State Website at <https://www.coloradokofc.org/programs/faith/keep-christ-in-christmas/>

Please contact me if you have any questions
John Eiler, KCiC Chair, 720-839-8588, cokcic@yahoo.com

A MESSAGE FROM THE STATE FAITH PROGRAMS DIRECTOR

“I’d like to think when life is done
That I had filled a needed post.
That here and there I’d paid my fare
With more than idle talk and boast;
That I had taken gifts divine.
The breath of life and manhood fine,
And tried to use them now and then
In service for my fellow men.”

Edgar Guest wrote those words, and they ring true for the Faith Programs in your Council, hopefully in fact for your membership as a Knight of Columbus! How is your Council living and offering membership and program opportunities that you can say this is a part of your life as a Catholic gentleman? Here are two possible answers to that question, from a program perspective. And remember, no program is complete until you have finished the paperwork.

Holy Hour – (<https://www.kofc.org/en/programs/faith/holy-hour.html#/>) this is a new program offering in the Supreme-Recommended Program Category Matrix. This program has some flexibility, take a look at the website. The Supreme Council’s overview captures the program’s essence: “The chivalric character of the Knights of Columbus and the Church’s long tradition of spiritual combat resonate with men today – especially as threats from the world and the devil are so keenly felt. Eucharistic adoration in the form of a regularly scheduled Holy Hour is a simple, direct, and meaningful way to address these needs. It is familiar to many, easy to organize, and something everyone can participate in together regardless of age, vocation, stage of life or membership status. Councils can organize their Holy Hours in a variety of ways and incorporate aspects such as: perpetual adoration, the sacrament of reconciliation, prayer for particular intentions and more.”

40 Days for Life (<https://40daysforlife.com>) is an opportunity for your Councils to participate along the Front Range in Colorado. Take a look at the page and determine where you might be able to participate: Fort Collins, Greeley, Boulder, Littleton, Colorado Springs, and Denver. The Denver Metro Chapter is working to have three Masses during the day of Saturday October 5 outside the Denver Planned Parenthood, the only Planned Parenthood facility in the Denver metro area that performs physical abortions.

Vivat Jesus,
Stephen Sweeney
State Faith Programs Director

Delta Church Drive Training Module via GoToMeeting

Monday's at 7:30pm & 9:00pm Central Time

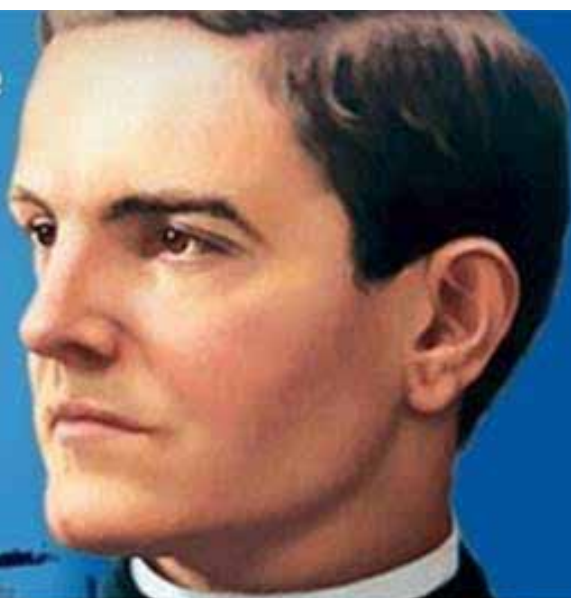
Saturday's at 9:00am Central Time

Meeting Link:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/317091949>

Meeting Access Code:

317-091-949



DELTA CHURCH DRIVE

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2019 Vocations Walk

Saturday, September 14th

**St. John Vianney Seminary
1300 S. Steele St.
Denver, CO 80210**

10 am | Stations of the Cross

11 am | Mass @ CTK Chapel

Noon | BBQ Lunch

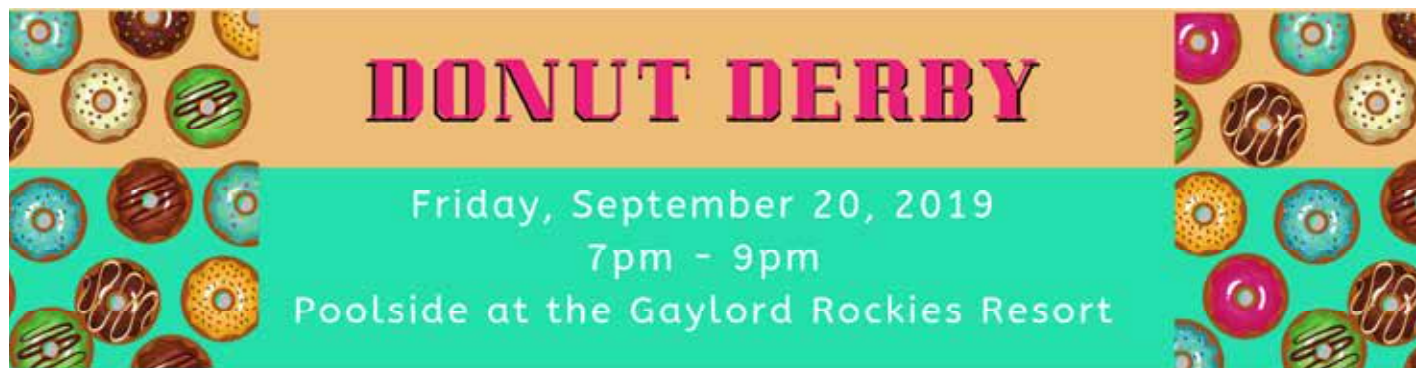
**Pray for an increase in vocations
to the priesthood and consecrated life**



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Do-Nut Miss Out on the Donut Derby!

*Grand Prize: \$5,000 • 2nd Place: \$2,500 • 3rd Place: \$1,000
Specially-priced Appetizers & Drinks for purchase • Live DJ*

Join Special Olympics at the Gaylord lazy river for a chance to win the Donut Derby Grand Prize!

Register Today & Cheer on your donut to the finish line!

<https://donutderby.givesmart.com>

\$10 = 1 Donut

\$50 = Half Dozen (6 Donuts)

\$100 = Baker's Dozen (13 Donuts)

Or purchase any increment of foam donuts!

(You do not need to be present to win)

All proceeds benefit Special Olympics athletes

If you do not wish to register online, please click to download the form for your organization [HERE](#). Credit card form available [HERE](#).

Contact Jenn at jdormann@specialolympicsco.org for more details

EVENT SPONSORS



COATS FOR KIDS

Through the past few weeks of temperatures in the high 90's and 100+ degrees, it is hard to think about cold weather and the need for warm winter coats, however winter will be here sooner than you think and there are children in need of your help!

Many children of families struggling to make ends meet often go through the winter without a adequate winter coat to keep them warm. Coats for Kids is our Community activities that can help your Council provide warmth this winter for the children whose parents do not have the means to buy them an adequate coat.

Below are the procedures for participating in this program. Once again, however, this program is not about ordering coats from Supreme, it is about putting coats on kids that need them. If your Council does not have the financial means to do so, contact your District Deputy and partner up with other Councils. Unified, we can make difference. Make a difference. Provide a child a coat this winter!

Vivat Jesus,
Deris Wolff
Coats for Kids Chairman

COATS FOR KIDS

A Higher Purpose

Provide warmth for deserving children during cold winter months. Councils across North America can purchase new winter coats for children in need at a discount and distribute them in their local communities.

Overview

Families struggling to make ends meet use their scarce resources to meet the most basic needs and cannot always afford the vital essential of a new winter coat. The goal of the Coats for Kids program is to ensure that no child in North America goes without a coat during the winter season. Through the dedication of councils across the United States and Canada, hundreds of thousands of new winter coats have been distributed to children since program inception.

Featured Program Requirements

Councils are required to distribute a specific number of coats. The requirements for each coat type are different and outlined in the table below. Councils must distribute the amount of coats shown in one of the lines of the table. Shipping cost are not included in these numbers. Report activity using the [Coats for Kids Report Form\(#10675\)](#).

Type of Coat	Coats in One Case	Cases Required to Satisfy Program	Total Coats (Coats Per Case * Cases Req.)
Youth Coat	12	6	72
Canadian Youth Coat	12	4	48
Teen Coat	12	4	48
Light Coat	24	4	96

Action Steps

1. Contact the state council to inquire about assisting in a Coats for Kids event or coordinating one in your community.
2. Coats can be purchased through Supplies Online, the supply ordering portal available on [Officers On line](#) in the United States and www.knightsgear.ca in Canada.
3. Prior to the Coats for Kids event, use the sample press release as a model to create and distribute a tailored release to local media.
4. Build public interest! Promote the Coats for Kids event in your parish and larger community through a variety of efforts:
 - o Prominently display promotional posters
 - o Bulletin announcements
 - o Pulpit announcements
 - o Posting on your council and parish website / social media pages
5. Invite the media to attend. (For publicity reasons, councils might also consider inviting local athletes, TV personnel, and the parish priest to the distribution, as well.)
6. On the day of the event, wear Knights of Columbus-branded apparel and have the council membership director set up a table with brochures and membership documents (including [Prospect Cards#921A](#)). Do not forget that this event is a recruiting opportunity!
7. Enlist a fellow Knight or community member to photograph the event.
8. Following the Coats for Kids event, update the community on the success of your program by amending the sample press release and distributing it to local media, along with energizing photographs from the event.
9. To gain credit for your program, complete the associated reporting forms and submit them to the Supreme Council Department of Fraternal Mission. Remember to retain copies for your council records.
 - o Immediately after your event is finished, complete the [Coats for Kids Report Form\(#10675\)](#) and [Fraternal Programs Report Form\(#10784\)](#).
 - o At the end of the fraternal year, complete your [Columbian Award Application\(#SP-7\)](#)



SAVE THE DATE!

CELEBRATE LIFE RALLY AND MARCH

Saturday, January 11, 2020

Colorado State Capitol

Rally - 1:00 p.m.

March - 2:00 p.m.

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MADE THIS WAY: MALE & FEMALE



**REGISTRATION NOW OPEN
SIGN UP TODAY!**

6:30 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 10, 2019

**McCallin Hall, St. Thomas More Catholic Parish
8035 S. Quebec St., Centennial, CO 80112**

Featuring



Emily Zinos

This Minnesota-based mom and advocate helps parents and educators identify and address the threats of transgender ideology.



Dr. Patrick Lappert

This Alabama-based plastic surgeon and deacon in the Catholic Church provides revelatory insight into transgender surgery.



For details on this event, please go to
respectlifedenver.org





You Are Invited!

EWTN's FREE Family Celebration Event



The University of Denver – Magness Arena • Denver, CO
Saturday • September 21, 2019

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EWTN Family Celebration

Schedule of Events • Faith Can Move Mountains

8:00am	Doors Open
9:30am	Opening Prayer and Welcome by Michael P. Warsaw, EWTN Chairman of the Board & Chief Executive Officer (Magness Arena)
9:45am	Address by Dr David Anders, host of <i>Called to Communion</i> (Magness Arena)
9:45am	Address by José Pepe Alonso, host of <i>Nuestra Fe En Vivo</i> (Gates Field House)*
10:30am	Address by Johnnette Williams, host of <i>Women of Grace</i> (Magness Arena)
10:30am	Address by Fr. Agustino Torres, CFR, host of <i>Clic, con Corazón Puro</i> (Gates Field House)*
11:30am	Lunch Break
1:30pm	Address by Fr. Agustino Torres, CFR; Fr. Angelus Montgomery, CFR and Fr. Innocent Montgomery, CFR, hosts of <i>Icons</i> (Magness Arena)
1:30pm	Address by Alejandro Bermúdez, host of <i>Cara a Cara</i> (Gates Field House)*
2:30pm	Family Talk with Michael P. Warsaw, EWTN Chairman of the Board & Chief Executive Officer; Doug Keck, EWTN President & Chief Operating Officer; Fr. Joseph Mary Wolfe, MFVA and Fr. Mark Mary Cristina, MFVA (Magness Arena)
2:30pm	Address by Fr. Pedro Núñez, host of <i>Conozca Primero su Fe Católica</i> (Gates Field House)*
3:30pm	LIVE Show with Fr. Mitch Pacwa SJ, Johnnette Williams, Dr. David Anders, Chris Stefanick and other special guests (Magness Arena)
3:30pm	Q&A with José Pepe Alonso, Fr. Agustino Torres CFR, Alejandro Bermúdez and Fr. Pedro Núñez (Gates Field House)*
4:30pm	Pray the Rosary with the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word (Magness Arena)
5:00pm	Holy Mass with the Most Reverend Jorge Rodríguez, Auxiliary Bishop of Denver and the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word (Magness Arena)

Throughout the day, there will be opportunities for *Confession and Adoration* of the Blessed Sacrament. Your favorite EWTN hosts & the Friars will be available in the *Family Corner*. Kids will have fun learning about their faith at the *EWTN Kids Booth*. Meet the staff of the "National Catholic Register" at *EWTN's News Booth*. EWTN's best selling authors will be available at *Meet the Author* or shop for Holy Reminders at the *EWTN Religious Catalogue Shop*. Find out about all the different ways you can access EWTN via Television, Radio or the Internet...EWTN, It's Everywhere. This schedule is subject to change.

*Spanish Language Sessions

www.ewtn.com/familycelebration

You're Invited to EWTN's Family Celebration in Denver, Colorado!

We are pleased to announce that **EWTN** is hosting our next Family Celebration in Denver, Colorado!

We warmly invite you to the **University of Denver - Magness Arena** on **Saturday, September 21st** for an inspiring day for the entire family!

This is a wonderful day for fans and supporters of EWTN to come together and, best of all, it's **free!**

Seating is limited, so we encourage everyone to register online at **www.ewtn.com/familycelebration**.

We need your help to spread the word! We have enclosed a copy of our flyer in both English and Spanish for your convenience. Please consider announcing the Family Celebration.

EWTN is also honored to announce that **Bishop Jorge Rodríguez, Ph.D.**, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Denver, will serve as the main celebrant and homilist at Holy Mass which will begin at 5:00 pm.

Attendees will be renewed in their faith with inspirational talks by their favorite EWTN hosts. Speakers will include **Fr. Mitch Pacwa, S.J.**, host of "EWTN Live" and "Scripture and Tradition"; **Johnnette Benkovic Williams**, host of "Women of Grace"; **Dr. David Anders**, host of "Called to Communion"; **Frs. Agustino Torres, Angelus Montgomery**, and **Innocent Montgomery, CFRs**, hosts of "Icons"; as well as our own Chairman and CEO **Michael P. Warsaw!** The host of the Family Celebration is our President **Doug Keck**, who is well known as host of "EWTN Bookmark" and many of the Global Catholic Network's live events. This year's theme is ***"Faith Can Move Mountains."***

Once again, we are offering a dual track of Spanish speakers including EWTN Español favorites **Fr. Pedro Núñez, José "Pepe" Alonso, Alejandro Bermúdez** and **Fr. Agustino Torres, CFR!**

Doors open at 8:00 am. Throughout the day, attendees have the opportunity to spend time in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and go to confession. They also have the opportunity to be part of a live TV audience!

For more information about the event, visit www.ewtn.com/familycelebration (*English*) or www.ewtn.com/celebracionfamiliar (*Spanish*) or call us at 1-800-447-EWTN (3986).

If you need additional printed flyers or please contact me at erodriguez@ewtn.com

May Our Lord and Our Lady continue to bless you and your parish!

Sincerely,

Elena Rodriguez
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Dedication of James E. Harrison Park, Lakewood Co.

August 26, 2019 a park was dedicated to James E. Harrison (1925-2010), Tuskegee Airman, Congressional Gold medalist, Commercial pilot, Community Leader and Brother Knight (KofC). James was a dedicated humanitarian, he was a community member who served in various capacities in the city of Lakewood, Colorado, HOA president, neighborhood Block Police captain with the city's Police Neighborhood Watch. James was also a Knight of Columbus who was active with several councils and Assemblies, he was a Sir Knight 4th degree the Patriotic degree which he exemplified to the highest degree.

The dedication was attended by James wife Margret, daughter Jeanette and grandson Ryan, other family and community members, Lakewood city council members and a very well-deserved large contingency of Brother Knights, Past State Deputies, District Deputy, Faithful Navigators, Past Grand Knights, Grand knights and fellow brothers from many councils and assemblies paying their respect to Brother James. Margret was presented with James sword which will be on display at the Knights of Columbus museum in New Haven, Ct.

James was a veteran who served in WWII with the famed Tuskegee Airmen nick named the "The Red Tails". Also paying their respects at the dedication was a representative from the Tuskegee Airmen Association and to add to this event was a Tuskegee airman who was the first "TOP GUN" won in 1949! This group of fighter pilots were so successful protecting our bombers that there were asked for specifically by bomber squadrons. He also served in Korea and Vietnam, he achieved the rank of Major before retiring.

In 2007 President Bush recognized James and the remaining Tuskegee Airman with the Congressional Gold Medal for their committed service to our country. After retiring from the military James also worked for United Airlines as a pilot and flight instructor. Our Brother James E. Harrison truly lived by the virtues of the Knights of Columbus, Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. In Service to One, In Service to All. Vivat Jesus!



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Getting Started on Social Media

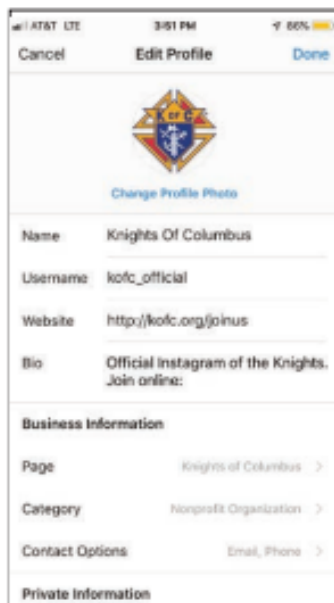
What's the quickest way to expand your council's communications?

Social media, especially Twitter and Instagram. Use this guide to get started today: Every council should select a member who is confident with social media and can manage the council's social media pages.

GETTING STARTED ON FACEBOOK

1. **Open Facebook** on your computer or smartphone.
2. Click "Create" → "Page" → "Community or Public Figure" → Put your council name and start uploading photos and stories of your local Knights in action.

IMPORTANT: Be sure that your social media presence complies with K of C's policies. Because your council page represents the Knights of Columbus, it is very important that it remain a positive forum, with communications that reflect our Catholic values and protect the good name of the Order. The Knights of Columbus Social Communications Policy, found in the Officer's Desk Reference on kofc.org, is a must-have guide for every council.



The screenshot shows the 'Edit Profile' screen in the Instagram app. At the top, there's a status bar with 'AT&T LTE', '3:51 PM', and '86%' battery. Below the status bar are 'Cancel', 'Edit Profile', and 'Done' buttons. The main content area shows the K of C emblem with a 'Change Profile Photo' link below it. The profile information is as follows: Name: Knights Of Columbus; Username: kofc_official; Website: <http://kofc.org/joinus>; Bio: Official Instagram of the Knights. Join online:; Business Information: Page: Knights of Columbus >; Category: Nonprofit Organization >; Contact Options: Email, Phone >; Private Information: (collapsed).

GETTING STARTED ON INSTAGRAM

1. **Open the Instagram** on your smartphone.
2. **Create an account:** follow the steps and fill in the required details.
 - Choose an identifiable username, e.g., *gableskofc*.
 - Make sure to convert your account to a business account. Do this by clicking the top left button and then the settings button (It will ask to link to your council's Facebook page).
3. **Customize your profile:**
 - Choose a profile picture such as the K of C emblem. Download it here.
 - Pick a nickname like "K of C Council 10705" to go above your username. You can change this anytime and your username will remain the same.
 - Write a short bio, e.g., *Knights of Columbus Council 10705 helps strengthen Catholic men, their families and their church in New Haven, CT.*
 - Include a link to www.kofc.org/joinus or your local council website.
4. **Post your first photo:** Tap the plus sign on the bottom of the Instagram app to upload your first photo. You can also post several photos in a slider by clicking the square in the bottom right corner.

GETTING STARTED ON TWITTER

1. **Open Twitter** on your computer or smartphone.
2. **Create an account:** follow the steps and fill in the required details.
 - Choose an identifiable username as it will be visible publicly. Example: *kofc10705*
3. Before you start tweeting, take time to **customize your profile:**
 - Add a profile photo. The K of C emblem is a great choice. Download it here.
 - Pick a nickname like "K of C Council 10705" to go above your username. You can change this anytime and your username will remain the same.
 - Write a short bio.
 - Include a link to your local council's website or www.kofc.org/joinus.
 - Add a profile banner to the top of your profile. A photo of your council members in action is perfect.
4. **Start tweeting.**

If you already have a personal Twitter or Instagram, both apps allow you to easily switch between multiple accounts on the same smartphone. Just tap the button with the three dots (Twitter) or the username (Instagram).

Questions? Email communications@kofc.org or knightline@kofc.org.



Thank you to the Lakewood residents and visitors from across the nation who attended the dedication of James E. Harrison Park this morning to meet Harrison's family members and honor the former Tuskegee Airman for his years of service to the Lakewood community. James E. Harrison worked on the incorporation of the city, led the Glennon Heights Homeowner's Association, was a Knights of Columbus member and participated in the neighborhood watch program for many years prior to his death in 2010. Formally, S. Simms St. Park, City Council approved the renaming of the park on June 10, 2019 under the category of "Outstanding Individual" of the city's policy for naming and renaming parks. www.lakewood.org/harrisonpark



The Knights of Columbus team won "best T-shirt design" for the Corn Shucking Contest at the Loveland Corn Roast Festival!



We had the privilege and honor of attending the 5th Annual Ecumenical Breakfast. Our State Chaplain Father-John Stearns and our State Deputy spoke at the event. Huge thanks to council #8909 at St. Francis of Assisi Castle Rock for cooking a great breakfast!!

Please continue to pray for our brothers and sister in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.





Many councils help with parish picnics. On Sunday, Knights of Columbus - St. Mark Council 13131 did it all!! The served around 500 parishioners!! The council provided the main dish, and the parishioners brought the sides. What a great family event!! The you Knights for putting your [#FaithinAction](#)

The event even brought out the District Deputy and his wife, the District Warden and the State Programs Coordinator and his wife, the President of [Colorado State Ladies Auxiliary](#).



COMMUNICATIONS

Here are the states social media accounts, please visit and share!!

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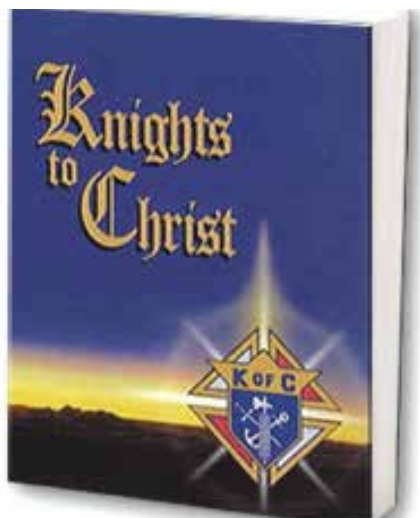
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COMBINED FORMATION AND KNIGHTHOOD DEGREE (no frills)

DATE Saturday, September 28, 2019
COUNCIL 14006
LOCATION Sacred Heart of the Valley
ADDRESS 1210 17 1/2 Road
CITY/STATE Fruita, CO 81521
CONTACT John Sowieja DD-31
PHONE 970-230-1032
E-MAIL soyajnz@msn.com

COMBINED FORMATION AND KNIGHTHOOD DEGREE

DATE Saturday, October 5, 2019
COUNCIL 7502
LOCATION IHM NorthGlenn
ADDRESS 11385 Grant Drive
CITY/STATE NorthGlenn, CO 80233
CONTACT Tom Walls
PHONE 303-961-8005
E-MAIL twalls28@aol.com

COMBINED FORMATION AND KNIGHTHOOD DEGREE (no frills)

DATE Saturday, November 9, 2019
COUNCIL 14338
LOCATION Holy Apostles
ADDRESS 4925 N Carefree Circle
CITY/STATE Colorado Springs, CO 80917
CONTACT John Bettenourt
PHONE 719-229-1177
E-MAIL colorado55chevy@msn.com

COMBINED FORMATION AND KNIGHTHOOD DEGREE

DATE Friday, January 25, 2019
COUNCIL 3285
LOCATION Sait Augustine
ADDRESS 178 S 6th Ave
CITY/STATE Brighton, CO 80601
CONTACT Doug Ore
PHONE 720-371-0293
E-MAIL dougore@yahoo.com

PATRIOTIC DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATIONS (2019)

DATE Saturday, October 12, 2019
ASSEMBLY 3818
LOCATION St Margaret Mary Catholic Church
ADDRESS 28 E Montezuma Ave
CITY/STATE Cortez, CO 81321
CONTACT Leroy Roberts
PHONE 505-967-5192
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DATE Saturday, October 26, 2019
ASSEMBLY 3124
LOCATION Our Lady of the Valley Windsor
ADDRESS 1250 7th Street
CITY/STATE Windsor, CO 80550
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