



PATRIOTISM

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FATHER MATHIAS ZERFAS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSEMBLY 1211



December 2020

From the Navigator:

On behalf of our entire Assembly, I want to say thank you to all who turned out for our 2nd annual Honor Military Veteran's dinner. We had over 50 in attendance. Given the current events, I consider this a huge success. We had Kim Galske as our speaker. Kim is a Veteran of the Marine Corp, currently serving in the Wisconsin National Guard. She is also former Director of Salute the Troops. Special thanks to Tom Ruby for providing our door prizes to our Veterans. And not least to mention a phenomenal dinner 😊

Next, I want to simply speak of this most blessed season of Christmas. This season is always special to so many people as a time to be with people we love, celebrating the birth of our Savior and generally a sense of peace among humanity. With our current events, it is more difficult than ever to share this joy with our loved ones. Let's make sure that we are reaching out to others less fortunate and perhaps alone. Sometimes, all you need to do to share the joy of Christmas and our Lord's love is to say Hi, or just be there. Look for those opportunities.

With this being said, this month is our Christmas Social. I hope many of you will be able to join us for the evening. This is a nice evening and if you have not attended a social in some time this is a great time to meet other Sir Knights and their Ladies, **please join us.**

Respectfully, Faithful Navigator S.K. David Reilly

From the Faithful Comptroller: 2021 Dues

Dues notices will be sent out shortly. Please pay your dues as soon as possible. Paying your dues ASAP will save the time and expense of sending out a second or more notices.

Thank you, Sir Knight Bill Kartheiser, Faithful Comptroller



ON BEHALF OF THE
ASSEMBLY OFFICERS
WE WISH ALL OF YOU A
"MERRY CHRISTMAS"

4th Degree Raffle: Thank You

This is the fifth year we had the "Meat Raffle" and again all 550 tickets were sold. Thank you to all who sold tickets and to all of you who purchased the tickets. Also, thank you to Sir Knight Tom Ruby for chairing and running the raffle with excellence for so many years. We need a SK willing to take over this fund raiser. SK Tom Ruby will be happy to help the transition of chair. Please consider helping us with this important event. We do not have a lot of fundraisers that require a ton of time, but the ones we do have create an important impact on what we do as Sir Knights.

Assembly #1211-2020 Meat Raffle Winners

Prize #	Name	City
1	Rick Volz	Fond du Lac
2	Nick Chikowski	Waupun
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4	David Schmitz	Fond du Lac

5	Kathleen Osborn	Fond du Lac
6	Barb Seif	Fond du Lac
7	Patricia Loehr	Fond du Lac
8	Richard Dieter	Fond du Lac
9	Mark Wiek	Fond du Lac
10	Janet Buechel	Fond du Lac

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Do you know of another Sir Knight that is either sick or hospitalized?
If so call FN Dave Reilly at 920-251-6173. Dave will have a Mass said for him.



PLANNING THE FUTURE:

Dates to Remember:

- December 17 Dinner Meeting, Sir Knights & Ladies "Christmas Social"
- December 25 Merry Christmas
- January 1, 2021 Happy New Year
- January 19, 2021 Men's Business Meeting (Steak Fry night) Sir Knights Only

- Ernest Pulvermacher 12-07
- Evan Schwalbe 12-07
- Philip Tom Ruby 12-08
- Bruce Unterbrunner 12-11
- Brad Mellenthien 12-12
- John Schmitz 12-13
- Harold Schneider 12-15
- Brian Carter 12-31



- Stephen Streblov 12-16
- Lambert Krentz 12-21
- Cyril Serwe 12-22
- Kenyon Krueger 12-24
- David Chikowski 12-29
- Brian Lewis 12-30
- Lawrence Schneider 12-30

December Meeting: Christmas Social

Thursday evening, December 17th is a dinner meeting for "SIR KNIGHTS and LADIES". This is the Christmas Social. As in the past, you are asked to bring a Christmas card and if possible to put in \$5.00. The money will be donated to residents of a designated nursing home for Christmas. If you do not plan on attending we would still ask you to participate in this by sending your Christmas card and donation to the clubhouse. This year we will give them to Villa Loretto in Mt. Calvary. If we have a large number, I will choose a second nursing home and divide them. Do you have something at home you want to eliminate? Wrap it up; we will be doing a white elephant gift exchange for those wishing to participate. I will bring in a cake this year for our dessert. NEW this year we will have a festive sweater contest. Dress up in your best holiday wear. There will be prizes for the best dressed guy and gal. Although Fr Neil is a favorite, he is not guaranteed to win 😊 RSVP ASAP please.

Cocktails will begin at 5:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM, Entertainment to follow
The menu for the evening will be: Baked Chicken w/dressing
Baked Ham
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
Vegetables, rolls, salad and desert

Cost is \$15.00 per person.

(Cut and Mail)

Christmas Social

Number of Reservations _____ x \$15.00 = \$ _____

Please make checks out to: Knights of Columbus Assembly 1211

Send Reservations to: Sir Knight Dave Reilly
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Fond du Lac, WI 54935