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## *Fraternally Yours, Grand Knight's Message*

Dear Brother Knights,

I want to remind everyone that you still have time to return your money for the vocation raffle tickets, the drawing will be in December. The Council will be conducting a Major Degree on November the 5th at the Effingham Event Center. Please bring a new member prospect to join our Council, contact any of our officers if you need a Form 100.

I want to thank everyone who helped make the celebration for Our Lady of Fatima on the October 13th a big success. Also thanks go out to everyone who prayed for an hour during the Knight's Day of Prayer and those attending the Respect Life Rosary on the 26th.

I would also like to extend congratulations to Brother Dan Koester on being inducted into the Hall of Fame on October 28th.

*Fraternally yours,  
Brian K Colwell, Grand Knight*

## **A CELEBRATION OF THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE APPARITIONS OF FATIMA AND MASS IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA WAS HELD ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17.**

Our Council organized this event hosted by Sacred Heart Parish and the help and assistance of the Parish Staff was greatly appreciated.

There were over 250 who attended Mass and participated in the candlelight Rosary Procession around Sacred Heart Church after the Mass con-celebrated by Monsignor David Hoefler, Fr. Brian Alford, Fr. Michal Rosa and Fr. John Titus.

We were blessed to have seminarians from our Deanery; Dominic Vahling, Michael Trummer, Michael Meinhart, Troy Niemerg and Alex McCullough make the quick trip "home" to participate in the Mass and Procession.

We also had Squires Jacob and Luke Johnson, Caiden Wiedman, Gabe Koester, Calvin Sudkamp and Henry Kemme participating as servers and gift bearers.

Our Fourth Degree Honor Guard was in attendance to add pomp and ceremony to the evening. And a Special Thank You goes out to Barb Konrad and the St. Hildegard von Bingen Schola for providing some absolutely fantastic music to the celebration. Jami Johnson did a fantastic job building the litter for the statue of Our Lady of Fatima that was carried by Knights Greg Koester and Bob Utz and Seminarians Michael Meinhart and Dominic Vahling during the Procession led by Sir Knight Rick Johnson with the Cross.

We also want to thank Sacred Heart and St. Anthony for printing the flyers for the Church bulletins. And a big thanks to the ladies led by Jami Johnson for

setting up the Parish Center and their help with the food and refreshments after the Mass.



In addition to the Mass and Rosary Procession on Friday evening, our Council and the ladies also helped out with the America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally on Saturday by attending and having some soup and refreshments afterwards. The Celebration, Mass and Procession event was chaired by Rick and Jami Johnson and there were numerous Knights and their ladies from our Council and neighboring Councils and members of area parishes who helped make this a memorable celebration in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.



Thank you to all who participated and helped in any way.



## **REMEMBER**

The deadline for  
**December 2017**  
Newsletter Articles is Noon  
Friday, Nov. 24, 2017

**EFFINGHAM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MAJOR DEGREE INITIATION FOR NEW MEMBERS IS  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5 • REGISTRATION AT 11:00 A.M.**

**ADMISSION (1st) DEGREE STARTS AT NOON WITH FORMATION (2) AND KNIGHTHOOD (3) DEGREE FOLLOWING.  
LIGHT LUNCH BEFORE DEGREES AND MEAL AFTERWARDS – AROUND 3:30.**

**ST. ANTHONY HIGH SCHOOL IS IN NEED OF  
USHERS AND TICKET TAKERS** FOR THE UPCOMING BASKETBALL SEASONS. If you are interested, please contact St. Anthony High School Athletic Director Kevin Palmer at (217) 342-6969 or (217) 343-6875.

**THE TOY SHOW** IS ON DECEMBER 10 AND WE WILL NEED HELP WITH KITCHEN CONCESSIONS. Please contact Greg Koester (821-7731) or Jerry Steppe (343-1042) if you would like to help for a couple of hours between 7 am and 2 pm.

## CHRISTMAS COMMITTEE AND CHRISTMAS PARTIES

The Christmas Committee will be getting together soon to make plans for decorating the facility for the Christmas Season and we need a few more couples to join in on the fun. If you are interested, please call GK Brian Colwell (918) 504-8458, Keith Willenborg (217) 821-0374, Jerry Steppe (217) 343-1042 or Greg Koester (217) 821-7731. The committee also makes plans for the Kids Party on Sunday, December 3 at 2:00 p.m. and the Adult Christmas Party (no children under 18 please) on Sunday, December 17, doors open at noon, eat at 1:00 p.m. Please invite or bring a prospective Knight or him and his lady to the Adult Christmas party or him and his family to the Kids Christmas party. It gives them the opportunity to meet our members and their families and discover some of things we do as a Fraternal Brotherhood for charity, support of the Church and our local parishes and the community.

## KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS POSTER CONTEST

Our Council will once again conduct a "Keep Christ in Christmas" Poster Contest this year. Youth Director Greg Koester will be getting rules and entry forms out to the schools in early November. The rules and entry forms will also be posted on the Council website at [effinghamkc.com](http://effinghamkc.com).

## \*\*\*VOCATION RAFFLE\*\*\*

You should have received two books of Vocation raffle tickets in the envelope with the October newsletter. These tickets ask for a donation of \$15.00 per book. We need your support with this raffle again this year. Our goal as set by the Illinois State Council is \$2.50 per member, which totals out to a little more than \$2900.

It is realized that you get many request to contribute to any number of causes but since charity is the first virtue of the Knights of Columbus, we think this cause should rank near the top of your list of places to contribute funds too. What could be more important than helping our young men who are in studies to become our priests of future years?

Let's do our best this year with this raffle. In addition to the support that this raffle gives to the Illinois State council we get to keep a portion of the sales receipts for our local vocation funds uses. At least purchase one book if you cannot afford to donate for two books.

Please send your funds and ticket stubs with the front cover attached to: Don Niebrugge 1117 N. Martin St. Effingham. IL 62401

Before the deadline of December 2, 2017

P.S. *If you do not take both books of tickets please do not return the one you don't use since it makes the letter too heavy for one stamp, which then makes the envelope postage due. This raffle runs to December 2, 2017 so you have about one month to respond. Can we count on you to help?*

## Annual Memorial Service

Thirteen Brother Knights who have died in the past year will be remembered at the annual Memorial Mass and services to be held in the Council building Wednesday November 15, 2017 at 7:00 pm. Council Chaplain Rev. Ralph Zetzl OFM will be the celebrant assisted by other local co-celebrant priests. This memorial ceremony offers a very moving experience and can be of benefit to the bereaved as it may offers some closure to the death of your loved one. Please come and witness for yourself and pay your respects for our deceased Brother Knights.

Deceased member with the date of death are listed below. Families and friends of the deceased as well as all council Brothers are encouraged to attend. Following the Mass and services council 665 will host refreshments for those attending.

### Effingham Council #665 Knights Death List for Memorial Services November 15, 2017

NAME	DEATH DATE	SPOUSE
Gregory T. "Greg" Donsbach	February 24, 2017	Kathy
James A. "Jim" Warren	April 24, 2017	None
Ronald R. Seiler	May 11, 2017	None
Wilbert A. Kinkelaar	June 11, 2017	Patricia
Donald L. "Don" Hill	July 19, 2017	None
Bernard J. Schallert Sr.	August 15, 2017	Rosanna
John D. Cordes	September 4, 2017	Kayla
Virgil A. Wortman	September 6, 2017	Mary E. "Betty"
Joseph L. "Joe" Ruholl	September 17, 2017	None
James R. Beckman	October 01, 2017	Rhonda
Michael W. Ludwig	October 11, 2017	Marie
Richard J. Hoene	October 17, 2017	None
Ray L. Pals	October 19, 2017	Betty Jean

## THANKS FOR ALL THE HELP

*It takes a good deal of work to get the Vocation Raffle tickets and the Newsletter enveloped and ready to be put in the mail. Thanks to the following twenty people who helped with this process:*

*Brian & Julie Colwell, Don & Paula Niebrugge, Greg & Clara Koester, Chloe & Gabe Koester, Richard & Donna Feldhake, Lovell & Alice Wines, Josie Wines, George Menard, Jim Miller, Frank Kabbes, Gerald Will, Charlie Kramer, Charlie Luchtefeld and Charlie Tegeler. We could not have done it without your help.*

## PATRIOTIC DEGREE NEWS

### Greetings Sir Knights,

On **September 22**, Sir Knight Robert (Bob) Walker called me to say he was stepping back for the time being from his responsibility of Purser of the Fourth Degree. Bob said he'll remain a Knight. We'll miss Bob's leadership, but this is what happens when a person get "burned out". At the **October 11th**, regular Assembly Meeting, Sir Knight Charles Tegeler graciously offered to accept the Purser position. Thanks for stepping up Charlie!

If you have not done so yet, please remember to return your completed memoriam form, (Chalice or Cardinal Glennon Donation).

Sir Knight Don Niebrugge represented our Assembly, at the opening and closing ceremonies, and the Mass, as 13 Sir Knights were welcomed into the Patriotic Degree as the Bishop Griffin Assembly in Springfield hosted an Exemplification on **September 16, 2017**.

Ten Sir Knights in Regalia, participated in the Honor Guard as St Michaels Church, Sigel celebrated their 150th Anniversary on **October 1st**.

**October 13th**, Seventeen Sir Knights in Regalia, participated in the Honor Guard, additional Sir Knights were Cross bearer, Lecter, and helped

to carry the litter bearing Our Lady of Fatima at Sacred Heart Church for 6:30pm Mass, celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun and last vision of our Blessed Mother at Fatima, Portugal.

Regarding the **New Fourth Degree Uniform:**

The old regalia can still be worn until the end of the current fraternal year (June 30, 2018). After that date, only the new uniform should be worn.

The Order will subsidize the new uniform with a 25 percent discount offered to all members who order the new uniform prior to October 31, 2017.

For additional information please go to <http://www.knightsgear.com/regalia>

**October 29th** Sacred Heart Church, 10:30am Mass, will be celebrating their 125 Anniversary, we are planning on Honor Guard for this celebration.

Also on **October 29th** at 2:00pm, we will decorate the cemetery with flags for our deceased military. Please contact Don Niebrugge for details or simply show up, at the cemetery, if you can help.

We are also planning on an Honor Guard for the Memorial Mass on November 15th at 7:00pm.

George Menard, OFS Faithful Navigator

## IN LOVING MEMORY

*Published in November 2017 K C Newsletter since for some unknown reason this obituary got missed being published in the March K C news as it should have been. The editor apologizes for this error and ask for the families forgiveness.*



**Gregory Thomas "Greg" Donsbach**, 61, of Watson, IL, passed away on Friday, February 24, 2017 at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, MO.

A funeral mass was said at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, March 2 at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in Effingham.

Burial was in St. Anthony Cemetery in Effingham. Visitation was held from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday at Johnson Funeral Home, 1110 N. Fourth Street, Effingham. Memorials may still be made in loving memory of Greg to the donor's choice.

Greg was born on July 19, 1955 in Effingham, IL, the son of Robert and Elizabeth (Walk) Donsbach. He married Kathy Lohman on June 12, 1982 at St. Anthony of Padua Church in Effingham. Greg was a member of St. Anthony of Padua Church and a thirty eight year member of Effingham Knights of Columbus Council #665. He was employed at Quad Graphics in Effingham for over 41 years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and the outdoors. He liked spending time with his family and friends. Greg was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and brother.

Greg is survived by his wife, Kathy of Watson; son, Kyle Donsbach of Watson; grandchildren, Madison, Trevor, Lucas and Elijah; step-grandchildren, Kaylee Bridges and Michael Miller; special nephew, Brett Tabor of Watson; brothers, Mike (Jeanne) Donsbach of New Orleans, LA, Bob (Pam) Donsbach of Toledo, Randy (Amy) Donsbach of Effingham, Bill (Sandy) Donsbach of Altamont, David (Sally Henkelman) Donsbach of Effingham, and Steve (Joyce) Donsbach of Mason; sister, Cindy (Matt) Matteson of Effingham; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his son, Andrew "Andy" Donsbach; and his parents.



**James Richard Beckman**, 77, of Sebring, Florida, formerly of Effingham, died at his home on Sunday, October 1, 2017 while recuperating from surgery.

Funeral services were held at 10:30am Wednesday, October 4 at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church

in Avon Park, Florida. Following the service, lunch and a Celebration of Life followed at the Grogan Center. Burial will take place at a later date in Fletcher Cemetery in Fletcher, Ohio. Memorial contributions may be made to Ridge Area Arc.

He was born in Richmond, Indiana on February 7, 1940 to Kenneth John Beckman and Dorothea Virginia Beckman. He was an Air Force veteran, serving from February 1958 until March 1960. While on active duty, he was stationed in Korea before being honorably discharged. He was a member of the BPOE, American Legion and a Thirty Eight year Honorary Life member of Effingham Knights of Columbus Council #665.

Like his father, Jim was employed by Pennsylvania Railroad. He began his career in Richmond, Indiana before being transferred to Effingham. He later retired from Conrail Railroad while living in Effingham after 25 years of service.

In January 1995, he and his wife Rhonda Beckman moved to Florida where they eventually settled in the Sun N Lake Community, where they made a multitude

of friends while playing many rounds of golf.

Survivors include his wife of 41 years, Rhonda Worthington Beckman; two daughters, Barbara Lynn Beckman-Black (Charles) of Richmond, Indiana and Sheryl Kaye Beckman-Locke (Dwayne) of Woodbridge, Virginia; one son, David James Beckman (Jennifer) of Carmel, Indiana; one brother, John Edward Beckman (Sara) of Columbia, South Carolina; six grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and one niece.



**Michael W. Ludwig**, 95 of Effingham, passed away Wednesday evening, October 11, 2017 at Lakeland Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Effingham.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, October 14, 2017 at St. Anthony of Padua

Catholic Church in Effingham with burial in St. Anthony Cemetery with military rites. Visitation was held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday evening at Bauer Funeral Home in Effingham. Memorial donations may be made to the Effingham Knights of Columbus Council 665, in which he was a reinstated member having first joined the order in 1951. Online condolences may be left at [www.bauerfh.com](http://www.bauerfh.com).

Michael was born September 29, 1922 in Sigel, the son of William A. and Marguerite (Hofman) Ludwig. He married Marie K. Nobsisch on September 1, 1948 and she survives. Michael served in the United States Navy during WWII and later earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois. He enjoyed a career in Aeronautical Engineering and was a member of St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in Effingham.

Michael is survived by his wife, Marie of Effingham; son, Gerald (Sandra) Ludwig of Suwanee, GA; daughters, LuJean (Doug) Hileman of Midway, Utah and LeAnn (Mark) Lee of Stevenson Ranch, CA; brothers, Clem and James Ludwig, both of Sigel; sister, Julia (Fred) Murphy of North Little Rock, AR; granddaughter, Micaela.

Michael was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Carl, Louis, Paul, Richard and Philip; sisters, Nona and Mary Lou.



**Richard J. "Dick" Hoene**, 90, of Teutopolis, IL entered into eternal rest on October 17, 2017.

Funeral mass was held on Monday at 10:30 am at St. Francis Church, Teutopolis, with burial in St. Francis cemetery. Visitation was from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm at St. Francis Church, Teutopolis, Sunday, October 22, with a Knight of Columbus rosary beginning at 6 pm.

Dick was born at home in Sigel, IL on January 13, 1927 to Ben and Anna (Will) Hoene. From an early age, he greatly enjoyed working on the family farm, and he continued farming until his retirement. His nieces and nephews were incredibly important to him, and he was proud to be involved in their lives. He married Frances Holkenbrink Buehnerkemper in December 1989 and immediately embraced her family of eight children. He reinforced in his new family the virtues of kindness, humility, and generosity.

He was a devout Catholic and member of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church and was a fifty nine year honorary life member of Effingham Knights of Columbus Council #665. He was a faith-filled man obedient to the will of God. He never uttered a negative word and could only see the good in the world. He was dedicated in serving weekly prayer hour in Perpetual Adoration at

the hospital chapel, and in serving at church funerals. In his healthier days, he could be seen walking his miles along Main Street and visiting with Dennis at the post office, or driving around the countryside admiring God's creation. He had a ready smile and charming comeback for everyone he met.

He is survived by his children Deb (Ron) Starwalt, Rick (Christal) Buehnerkemper, Sandie (Skip Niebrugge) Buehnerkemper, Gary (Karen) Buehnerkemper, Jim Buehnerkemper, Jane (Dan). Boone, Cindy (Mike) Gaddis, and Christy (J.R.) Elder. He is also survived by many cherished nieces and nephews, 19 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife Frances and his siblings Lawrence, Leonard, Clarence (J Estella (Carl) Donsbach, Ida (Louie) Hille, and Mary (John) Ordner.

Anyone who met Dick agreed that his patience was unparalleled. Affectionately known by his family as 'the baby whisperer', his grandchildren adored him because of his calming nature and affection, and they will always remember the joy a Tootsie Roll could bring. The family believes that he is dancing with Francie in heaven at their very own honky-tonk. As Dick would say, "His work here was done." The family extends their utmost thanks to Dick's caregivers, Crystal Morgan and Kathy Brown. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Harmony Playground to memorialize Dick's love for all children



**Raymond L. "Radar" Pals**, 85, of Effingham, IL, passed away peacefully at home Thursday evening, October 19, 2017, surrounded by family and love.

A funeral mass was held at 10:30a.m. Monday, October 23, 2017, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Effingham. Visitation was from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday at Johnson Funeral Home in Effingham.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Sacred Heart School, Sacred Heart Church, or Sarah Bush Lincolnland Hospice. Online condolences may be shared at [www.johnsonandsonsflh.com](http://www.johnsonandsonsflh.com).

Raymond was born on February 9, 1932, in Teutopolis, IL, the son of Lawrence and Anna (Weishaar) Pals. Ray shared life with his bride, Betty Jean (Coates) Pals. They were married on October 31, 1953 and to this union seven children were born.

Ray was a devoted Catholic and a member of Sacred Heart Parish and a forty nine year honorary life member of Effingham Knights of Columbus Council #665 He was a self-employed Surge Dealer for forty years. Ray will forever be remembered as an ornery, reliable, the most loving and dependable husband, father, grandpa and "poppa".

Ray is survived by his loving wife of sixty-four years, Betty Jean Pals of Effingham; children, Cynthia deceased (Chuck) Yocum of WV, Ronald (Melissa) Pals of Stillwater, OK, Larry Pals deceased, Tamela Hankins of Effingham, David (Delores) Pals of Beecher City, Bryan (Wendy) Pals of Effingham, and Cheryl Gephart of Effingham; grandchildren, Angie, Kendra, Kacie, Shelly, Kelly, Chelsey, Shelby, Sadie, Bailey, Jessica, Josh, Ethan, Shane, Brandon, Garrett, and Casandra; 18 great-grandchildren; and brother, Robert (Nancy) Pals of Teutopolis.

He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Cynthia Yocum; son, Larry Pals; grandson, Adam Losh; and sisters, Loretta Isley and Elvera Faltemeier.

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Meetings: First and Third Wednesday  
of each month in the Effingham Event  
Center (formerly the K of C Building)

4th Degree Meetings:  
Second Wednesday



**Calendar of Events**

- 1 ..... All Saints Day—Holy Day  
Council meets 7:30 pm
- 3..... First Friday
- 4..... First Saturday Mass 6:30 STA
- 5 ..... End Daylight Saving Time  
**Major Degree Initiation  
Effingham K C Building  
Register 11:00 am**
- 7 ..... Election Day • Go Vote  
Columbia/Lightning Raffle  
7:00pm • Bingo 7:15pm
- 8 ..... 4th Degree Meets 7:30 pm**
- 9 ..... Squires meeting 6:30 pm**
- 11 ..... VETERANS DAY**
- 14..... Columbia/Lightning Raffle  
7:00pm • Bingo 7:15pm
- 15 ..... NO Council meeting**  
Memorial Mass & Service  
7:00 pm
- 20 ..... Event Center Corp Board  
Meets 7:30 pm**
- 21..... Columbia/Lightning Raffle  
7:00 pm • Bingo 7:15 pm
- 23 ..... Thanksgiving Day**
- 24 .... Newsletter Deadline-Noon**
- 28..... Columbia/Lightning Raffle  
7:00 pm • Bingo 7:15 pm



**COLUMBIAN SQUIRES**

The Squires will be meeting on November 9 at 6:30 p.m. and have been asked to bring prospective Squires. There, they can give the prospect and their parents more information on the Squires and what we do. The Squires were active this last month serving Mass and bringing up the Gifts for the Our Lady of Fatima Mass and Celebration and participated in the America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally. Plans are in the works for a lock-in and laser tag after the first of the year. The lock-in is where the Squires and prospective Squires get together for an evening of fun and games, camp out overnight and have mass (if we can arrange a priest) and breakfast together the next morning.



**October Sick List**

Brothers reported sick, hospitalized or in nursing homes during October who need our prayers are as follows; Joe Adams, **William Althoff**, George Bauer, Steven Bierman, Kenneth Birch, Doug Bushur, Dale Fitzpatrick, **Frank Esker**, **Charles Gebben**, Don Kemme, Dennis Koester, Kenneth Koester, John Looman, Lloyd Ludwig, **Bill Mette**, Anthony A. Niebrugge, Kenny Palmer, Kenneth Polarek, Robert Reiss, Fred Schaefer, **Leonard Unkraut** and James Zacha.  
Remember these brothers in your prayers. Perform one of the corporal works of mercy by visiting these sick brothers especially if they are shut-ins.  
(If a member should be placed on or taken off of this prayer list please notify the editor @ 342-6985)  
(Bold print indicates 4th Degree members)

**Newman News**



We now have 29 Newman Century Donors for the 2017-2018 Fraternal Year. The latest are: Dan Ritz, In Memory of Junior Stephens, and Charlie Tegeler.

Thanks to all who have contributed for this fraternal year. For those who plan on giving please make checks (\$100) payable to K of C Council #665 with the added notation this is for the Newman Fund. Send to one of the addresses below:

Newman Chairman, Charlie Luchtefeld

Charlie Luchtefeld K of C Council #665  
1607 N Lakewood or 1501 W. Fayette Ave, P.O. Box 303  
Effingham, IL 62401 Effingham, IL 62401

**HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CEREMONY**

The Springfield Diocesan Chapter of the Knights of Columbus Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony and Banquet is on October 28 at St. John Vianney Council 14024 in Sherman, IL. Over the years, Effingham Council 665 has had a number of members inducted into the Hall of Fame. This year our Council has Daniel L. Koester being inducted into the Hall of Fame. Photos from the induction ceremony will be in the December Newsletter.