



**Knights of Columbus  
St Paul the Apostle  
Muncie, IN 47304**

**The K of C Council for 2013-2014:**

**Chaplain:** Father Joseph W. Grace

**Third Degree Officers:**

Grand Knight: Tom McComish  
Deputy Grand Knight: Jim Carnes  
Financial Secretary: Dan Waechter  
Recorder: Jim Cheslik  
Chancellor: Rex Stanley  
Treasurer: Leroy Rhea  
Advocate: Phil Nix  
Warden: Jack Young  
Inside Guard: Jack Holland  
Outside Guard: Jack Gardella  
Board of 3 years: Tom Eulitt  
Trustees 2 years: Bill Moore  
1 year: Neal Hazen

**Service Committee Directors:**

Church and Membership:  
Mike Clohessy  
Community: Corey Robertson  
Council: Jeff Huff  
Family: Greg Smith  
Programs: Jim Carnes  
Pro-Life Couple: John & Cathy Kindt  
Vocations: Rex Stanley  
Youth: Brad Robertson  
**Standing Committees:**  
Bingo: Kelly Young  
Building: Tom Eulitt  
Communications:  
Newsletter: Tom McComish  
and Pete Murk  
Webmaster: Tom McComish  
Finance: Jeff Huff  
Gibault: Bob Heintzelman  
Recruitment & Retention: Trustees  
and Tom McComish (chair)  
Scholarship: Jim Cheslik

**Philanthropies:**

Core Charities: Gibault, Harvest  
Soup Kitchen, St Vincent De Paul,  
Christian Ministries, Fr Andre's  
Orphanage Complex in Cap-  
Haitian, Haiti

**Muncie Catholic Parishes**

St. Francis, St. Lawrence, St. Mary

**Business/Building Manager**

Kelly Young (Cell: 749-5285;  
Hall: 282-8280)

**September 2013 Newsletter**

**This Newsletter is on the Web at: [www.kofcmuncieindiana.com](http://www.kofcmuncieindiana.com)**

***Upcoming Events at the K of C Family Center:***

**Tues Knights Meetings:**

Sep 3: Council 560 Meeting - 7pm  
Sep 10: Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting - 7 pm  
Sep 17: Council 560 Meeting - 7 pm

**Dinners and Special Notices:**

Sep 13: St Lawrence Elementary School 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Sep 27: Pope John Paul II Middle School

**Rentals:**

Private function – Sep 6, 7, 13, 21, 28  
Exchange Club – Sep 5, 12, 19, 26  
Sunrise Rotary – Sep 6, 13, 20, 27

**Bingo:**

Every Mon, Wed, and Fri: Early Bird play at 5:30 pm followed by Regular play at 7 pm. Our K of C Bingo Hall is located at 4833 N Wheeling Ave in Muncie.

**Who and What Impacts My Life**

It can be an interesting and worthwhile effort to realize who or what has impacted my life contributing to my well being. Such an undertaking is especially rewarding when an extended period of years is involved.

We are not self-made human products. We depend and learn from persons, events, and circumstances that have touched and shaped our lives.

As to persons, it certainly should be very meaningful to be able to cherish one's family at the foundation of life's fulfillment. Those who were instruments in educational pursuits deserve mention as well as some unique individuals who have influenced spiritual growth.

Impact sources can also be traced to influences that unfolded from various activities ranging from sports to employment and including recreational engagements.

One result of such a probing exercise is to have a sincere appreciation for those persons who have been so helpful as impact agents in my behalf. An 'attitude of gratitude' should even induce an expression of 'thanks' now and then or if deceased to include those names in my list.

Perhaps an even better result is to be more aware of how I need to also be one who in turn is having a positive impact on the good of others.

Our Divine Model and Teacher has so instructed us with these words: "The Son of man has come not to be served but to serve."

A Message from Your Chaplain, Fr Joseph Grace

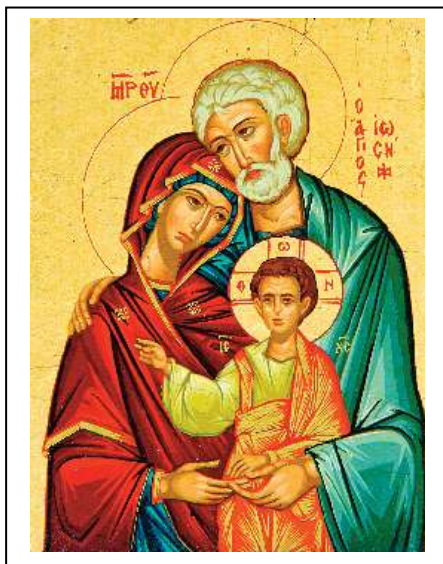


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## Council Receives Year of Faith Award

Our Council 560 recently was recognized as an active participant in the Knights of Columbus “Year of Faith” program. A Plaque to recognize the council was acknowledged at the August 20<sup>th</sup> meeting. Featured on the plaque is the Holy Family icon shown below. To qualify for the award the council had to meet the Year of Faith categories declared by Pope Benedict in his document *Porta Fidei* (Door of Faith) that are designed to lead each believer into a deeper relationship with Christ and His Church – *Faith* PROFESSED, *Faith* CELEBRATED, *Faith* LIVED, and *Faith* PRAYED. The council worked hard at these faith formation activities and charitable programs to qualify for the Order Award sponsored by Supreme Knights of Columbus.



The Year of Faith Icon that portrays the Holy Family. One of the prayers in the Year of Faith booklet is presented below. It is appropriate for our K of C mission.



Receiving the Year of Faith Award for the council are the members of the Board of Trustees from L: Neal Hazen and Bill Moore with Tom McComish, Grand Knight, and another trustee on far right, Tom Eulitt.

### Prayer for Service

(Taken from Year of Faith Prayer Booklet, K of C 10083)

Make us worthy, Lord  
to serve our brothers and sisters  
throughout the world who live  
and die in poverty and hunger.  
Give them, through our hands,  
this day their daily bread,  
and by our understanding love,  
give peace and joy

**Pope Paul VI**



Council 560



Assembly 243

## The Knights of Columbus

### ***We Need Your Help: Donate and Attend the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Dinner and Auctions October 11<sup>th</sup>***

The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly and Knight Jack Gardella, Chair of the Dinner and Auctions Committee, are soliciting items for the Second Annual 4<sup>th</sup> Degree event. Virtually anything of value you no longer want or need we need as donations for the silent auction and live auction. We need lots of clean items in good condition so please call Jack at 765-730-7622 or e-mail him at [Jimamy1921@wildblue.net](mailto:Jimamy1921@wildblue.net)

Please also put the October 11<sup>th</sup> date on your calendar and plan to attend the event. It will be an evening of good food, conversation, fun, relaxation, and good times in general. We look forward to hearing from you about donations that will help to make this event a success. This is the only formal public fund raiser for the Assembly in the 2013-14 year. Thanks in advance for your help!

Finally, please invite your friends and neighbors to attend this evening of food and fun. We are providing the sheet of information below so you can copy it out of the newsletter, print it and use it to invite and alert others:



A Friday Night with the Knights

### **Silent Auction, Dinner, Live Auction**

**You are invited to join us for an evening of fun in celebration of fall  
At the K of C Family Center, 3600 Purdue Ave  
October 11, 2013**

#### **All Profits to Charity**

Social Hour 6:00 pm  
Silent Auction 6 – 7:30 pm  
Pork Tenderloin Meal 7:00 pm  
Live Auction 7:30 pm

Cost: Advance Tickets \$7 (\$3 children) or at the door \$8 (\$4 children)

#### **Partial List of Items:**

Art work: Paintings and Prints	Auto products/services	Florist	Jewelry
Gift Cards (\$25 - \$50)	Bowling	Antiques	Much, much more...
Golf	Dining	Hair/Beauty	

**Sponsored by: Bishop William Arnold, 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly  
Knights of Columbus**

### **An Invitation from the Assembly: Consider becoming a 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knight**

A wonderful opportunity beckons for our 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Council members. We invite them take the step to become 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Sir Knights. The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree for knights is the highest Knighthood attainable. We are fortunate to have a very active 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly in Muncie doing the good work of the Knights of Columbus and we are seeking new members.

Groundwork for the opportunity was recently gained with several Muncie Knights completing the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree at a Council 560 sponsored exemplification in Muncie. Those men along with others already at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree level in the Council are urged to consider becoming 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knights. A special 4<sup>th</sup> Degree exemplification will be held in South Bend on September 14<sup>th</sup>. A group of Bishop William Arnold Assembly Knights will travel to the exemplification along with the candidates. Faithful Navigator Bill Moore and the Assembly invite all of you 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Knights to become one of the group. So far we have three of our knights that will make the trip to become Sir Knights of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. Won't you contact Bill Moore, Faithful Navigator, today at: 765-749-4214 or e-mail him at: [billmoore185@yahoo.com](mailto:billmoore185@yahoo.com) For more information, go to: [kofcmuncieindiana.com](http://kofcmuncieindiana.com) and click on news for August.

### **A Council Project: New Roof to Help a Brother in Need**

The council is going to help a brother knight in need of a new roof for his home. Everyone knows how tight budgets are especially at this time. Where does one come up with the cost of a new roof if you are on a fixed and limited income? Our knights are donating their time, talents, and money to help one of their own. Watch for pictures and more information about the project next month. If anyone wishes to donate to help defray the several thousand dollars cost involved, please contact Kelly at the Family Center: e-mail [kofc560@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kofc560@sbcglobal.net) or cell at 765-749-5285. Thanks and God Bless you for your help!

### **40 Days for Life Vigil Announced**

Knight John Kindt, Chairman of our Council's Right to Life Committee, announced a new effort by the Anderson-Muncie Vigil. He passed out information at a recent meeting and will be the coordinator working with the council on the new local campaign. The campaign will be a peaceful vigil at the Muncie Planned Parenthood location starting September 25<sup>th</sup> and ending on November 3<sup>rd</sup>. To get additional information, contact John at: [jnky83@reagan.com](mailto:jnky83@reagan.com) or check the website: [40daysforlife.com/Muncie](http://40daysforlife.com/Muncie). More information will be forthcoming soon. Plan to participate if at all possible. Our Council supports Right to Life! Check out the website below:

**[40daysforlife.com](http://40daysforlife.com)**

