



Knights of Columbus
 St Paul the Apostle
 Muncie, IN 47304

The K of C Council for 2013-2014:

Chaplain: Father Joseph W. Grace

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Bingo: Kelly Young & Jim Cheslik
 Building: Tom Eulitt
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 Gibault: Bob Heintzelman
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Philanthropies:

Core Charities: Gibault, Harvest Soup Kitchen, St Vincent De Paul, 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;
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October 2014 Newsletter

This newsletter is on the web at: www.kofcmuncieindiana.com

Scheduled Events at the K of C Family Center:

Tues Knights Meetings:

October 7: Council 560, Business Meeting- 7 pm
 October 14: Assembly 243, Business Meeting - 7 pm
 October 21: Council 560, Business Meeting - 7 pm

Friday Dinners and Event/Special Notices:

October 3: Dazzle Dance Friday Dinner

Rentals:

Private function – October 4, 10, 12, 13, 14, 24, 25, 26, 31
 Exchange Club – October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
 Sunrise Rotary – October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Bingo:

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

Knights of Columbus Effort: “Building the Domestic Church”

*This article is taken in part from the Knights of Columbus website (<http://www.kofc.org/un/en/domestic-church/index.html>). The original announcement is authored by Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson. It has been modified, and shortened for this newsletter as a newsworthy announcement for all members. For more information and details, visit the website noted above.

The Knights of Columbus recently announced this newest initiative of many that are in place. Carl A. Anderson, our Supreme Knight, says it is an effort to build a **family fully alive** within the Church. In Pope Paul VI's apostolic exhortation on evangelization, he stressed that to truly become a domestic church “there should be found in every Christian family the various aspects of the entire Church.” In the words of St. John Paul II, “The family has the mission to guard, reveal and communicate love.” The Catholic family is able to reveal and communicate this love in a special way because it is founded upon sacramental marriage. Christian spouses first receive this love as a divine gift, but they also receive this love as a task. The task of Christian spouses to live and communicate this love first to each other and their children and then to others is at the center of the family's mission in the world.

It is emphasized that through this program, families can realize more fully their mission to be an authentic domestic church through daily prayer, catechesis and Scripture reading, as well as through monthly charitable and volunteer projects they can do as a family.

The initiative can also help all families, whatever their difficulties, deepen their relationship with the Lord. It can especially help divorced parents meet their obligation to raise their children in the Catholic faith and reassure them that their communion with the Lord is not severed, but rather can continue to grow stronger through prayer, scripture reading, participation in the parish community, service to others, and evangelization. In these ways, they too can be a part of the initiative and grow in their faith.

This Knights of Columbus initiative turns in a special way to the Holy Family and makes our own the prayer of St. John Paul II that “every family may generously make its own contribution to the coming of his kingdom in the world,” and “through the intercession of the Holy Family of Nazareth, the Church may fruitfully carry out her worldwide mission in the family and through the family.”

The Knights of Columbus will undertake this initiative in preparation for the 8th World Meeting of Families to be held in Philadelphia on September 22-27, 2015.



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Council Participates in 40 Days for Life

Calling all knights...Brother Knights: Starting on Wednesday, September 24th and continuing each Wednesday, our mission for the 40 Days for Life is to stand vigil at Muncie Planned Parenthood between the hours of 3:00 and 7:00 pm. Council 560 intends to proudly meet this Life challenge. We just need two Knights for each hour slot (3-7 pm). If you just cannot get there on that day and time, please stand vigil at another day and time that you can make it. Make sure you let John Kindt , our Pro-Life Advocate (jnky83@reagan.com), know at our meetings the hours you stood in vigil so he can track all of the hours that Council 560 has participated. Thank you for all of your time and prayers protecting and defending life!



Short facebook Note Gives Credit to Our K of C Council for Helping!

This note is taken from a recent Harvest Soup Kitchen posting in facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/HarvestSoupKitchenMuncie>

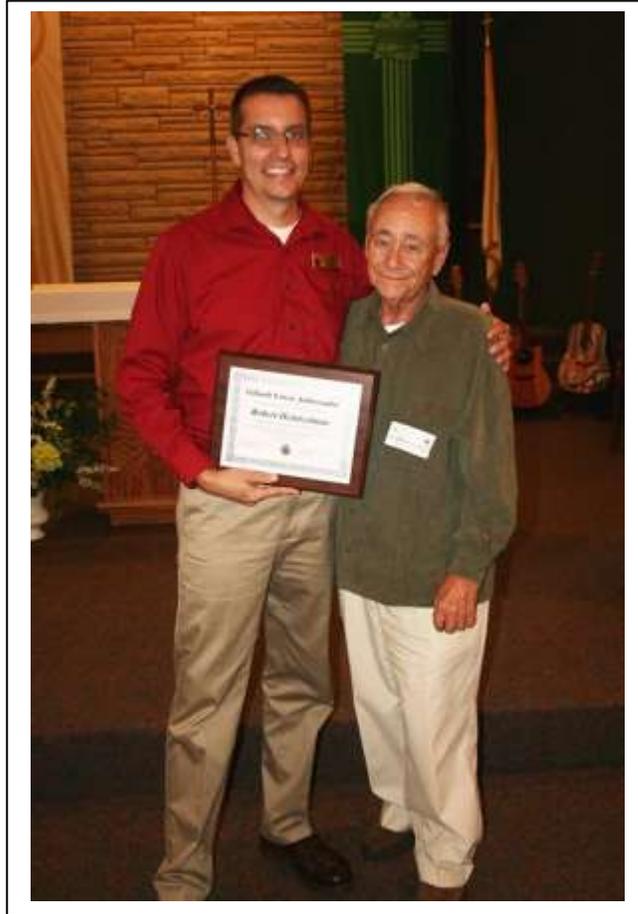
Dated September 21 and published in the Harvest Soup Kitchen facebook Account: “Carol and Tom (McComish) are bringing 100 sack lunches that were prepared by the Knights of Columbus to the Harvest Soup Kitchen. These will be given to guests so that they will have an evening meal. Many service and youth groups as well as churches and businesses prepare and donate sack lunches. We'd love to have your help also. See our web page www.harvestsoupkitchen.org for more info. Thanks. — with Knights of Columbus.”

Editor comment – Check out the facebook address in line three above to learn about the Harvest Soup Kitchen. Also, to find out more about the HSK, see their webpage: <http://www.harvestsoupkitchen.org/>



Knight Bob Heintzelman Receives Gibault Award

A press release: "Gibault is proud to (recently) recognize Bob Heintzelman from Muncie Council #560 as an Envoy Ambassador. Thank you Bob for making Gibault a priority and sharing our mission within your Council and your community! Pictured are Bob (R) and Gibault's Development Director, Zach Pies (L)."



Assembly 3rd Annual Celebration of Fall a Huge Success

The annual dinner and silent auction was held on Saturday, September 27th. The Family Center was beautifully decorated with mums, candles, gourds and pumpkins at tables. The evening began with pre-dinner Hors d'Oeuvres by Val Alexander in the lounge. From there, attendees lined up examining and bidding on the 85 silent auction stations that were offered. Next on the agenda was a buffet dinner of grilled chicken with all the trimmings. Awarding of items to successful bidders followed at 8 pm. The evening went smoothly under the capable direction of emcee, knight Gary Demaree. Some 175 attendees were present with one group of 15 from New Castle.

The event was successful due to the hard work of many knights who did setting up, organizing auction items, cooking and serving the dinner, and otherwise just pitching in as needed. The list of knights working is a long one but much of the planning and organization was due to the good direction of event chair, knight Jack Gardella. A big thank you is due to all the knights who worked so hard.

Funds raised from the event will go a long way toward supporting major commitments by the Assembly to donate to the several groups that specialize in providing the many needs of our veterans. These men and women have served our country well and made many, many, sacrifices of all kinds keeping our country safe and free. The Assembly recognizes that and supports helping with their needs through efforts like this fall fund raiser event.

Again, thanks to all the knights who worked so hard on the event, ladies who did decorations or worked in the lounge, and all who attended from across east-central Indiana and as far away as Florida. Photo's of the event follow that help convey some of the atmosphere and activities of the event:



Bidders enjoyed the evening seeking to acquire a favorite



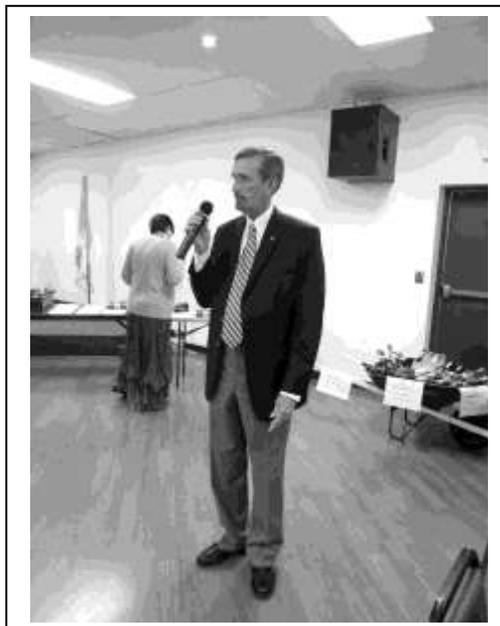
Interest by bidders continued for some time.



Over 175 entered the hall to participate in the event.



A photo of some of the crowd before the buffet opened.



Our emcee for the evening was knight Gary Demaree. He skillfully guided the evening and the successful awarding of all the silent auction items.

Thank you, Gary, for a job well done.



Council Grand Knight, Jim Carnes (L) with, Gary Demaree



The Baughman's (L) and Ritchey's waiting for dinner



New knight this year, Joe McPherson with Mom



The crowd kept busy tracking bids and enjoying each other's company. It was a **FUN** evening with the knights!