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Pope John Paul I



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From the Grand Knight

My Brother Knights –

2025 is a “Jubilee Year” for the Church, every 25 years the Pope opens a Holy Door at St. Peter’s Basilica and at the end of the year the door is again sealed for another 25 years.

This year the Pope chose “Pilgrims of Hope” for the theme. Let us make Jesus the Key for our Door to Salvation.

Many thanks to Brother Knights, families and friends who made the annual Christmas Party and December’s Texas Hold ‘Em event a huge success.

This month’s events is the “Wild Game Dinner” and Texas Hold “em. **As always, we need volunteers for these events.**

Annual dues have been sent out, please pay them timely, so that additional mailings will not be necessary.

Best wishes for a Happy New Year

Vivat Jesus

Daryl Bukowiecki
Grand Knight
586-453-3577

Chancellor Notes

Mark Bruski

Remember us in your prayers...

Please remember our Brother Knights in your prayers ~

Ed Burley, Brother Knight
Paul Cozort, Brother Knight
Larry Gerbe, Brother Knight
Michael Gray, Brother Knight
Glain Guilmette, Brother Knight
Kenneth Iwankowski, Brother Knight
Sal Lanni, Brother Knight
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Ronald Rau, Brother Knight
Richard Rondeau, Brother Knight
John Shaw, Brother Knight
Jerry Simon, Brother Knight
John Spears, Brother Knight
Joe Spears, Brother Knight
Ray Szukala, Brother Knight
Dave Trumbull, Brother Knight

Pray for all our friends, extended family members, and for all the men and women serving in our Armed Forces; that they may return to their families unharmed.

Please contact Mark Bruski for any changes, deletions, or additions to our prayer lists at mark39146@comcast.net or by phone 586.264.5493.

Extended Family & Friends Prayer List

Josephine Armstrong

Wife of Brother Knight Paul Armstrong

Mandy Borsenik

Wife of State Deputy Brother Knight Barry Borsenik

Paulette Brent

Family member of Brother Knight Bernie Snarski

Charles Clendenen

Relative of Brother Knight Gil Anderson

Bernice Corbat

Wife of Brother Knight and PGK John Corbat

Paul Cornacchia

Brother of Brother Knight Mike Cornacchia

Joseph Cox

Nephew of Brother Knight Ed Skupny

Lily Grace Douda

Friend of Brother Knight Paul Schaefer

Karen Fontera

Wife of Brother Knight & District Deputy Larry Fontera

Paula Iwanicki

Wife of Brother Knight Fred Iwanicki

Jadwiga Kelly

Mother of late Brother Knight Dale Kelly

Kiyo Kielasa

Step-daughter of Brother Knight & District Deputy Larry

Jan Krcek

Wife of Brother Knight Glenn Krcek

Renee Krotche

Daughter of Brother Knight Michael Krotche

Jim Laethem

Brother-in-law of Brother Knight Gil Anderson

Florence Lister

Wife of Brother Knight Leverne Lister

Tim McGrath

Son of Brother Knight Greg McGrath

Claudia Messina

Wife of Brother Knight, John Messina

Donna Messina

Daughter of Brother Knight John Messina

Patricia

Mother-in-law of Brother Knight Tony Sobiechowski

John Padula

Son of Brother Knight Vince Padula

Marco Rebolledo

Family Member of Brother Knight Gil Anderson

Susan Rondeau

Wife of Brother Knight Richard Rondeau

Barb Schaefer

Mother of Brother Knight Paul Schaefer

Tammy Sikorski

Daughter of Brother Knight Dave Trumbull

Susan Sobiechowski

Wife of Brother Knight Anthony Sobiechowski

Carolyn Spears

Widow of Brother Knight Jim Spears

Kathy Staskowski

Widow of Brother Knight Ray Staskowski

Larry Tople

Friend of Brother Knight Mark Bruski

Glenn Van Buren

Brother of Brother Knight and PGK Doug Van Buren.

AWARD WINNERS FROM DECEMBER

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Ken Iwankowski

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

John & Bernice Corbat



MONTHLY 50 / 50

\$41 Jim Richard

Council Attendance Raffle – \$182 The winner name pulled was Dennis Walkowicz and he was not present. The pot will rollover to next month's meeting.

Remember YOU must be present at the meeting to win. All council members in good standing are in the drawing each month.

Remember:

Brother Knights:

Dues Notice were sent out in December. Please address this as soon as possible. _ Also there will also be a request for donations for the **Take 10 Program requested donation of \$10. The Endowed Scholarship is also requested at this time with a request of \$6.**

Thanks for your support!!

**Ed Glowniak Jr.
Council Financial Secretary**

*Blessings to all Brother Knights
Celebrating January Birthdays!*

Vincente Padula	01-01
James Lotito	01-01
Glenn Glanert	01-04
Daren Peplinski	01-06
Demetre Sakorafos	01-11
Fr. Randall Phillips	01-13
Robert Benoit	01-26

May God Bless you this year and always.



Pope John Paul I Council 6865
Twelfth Annual

WILD GAME
DINNER

SATURDAY – JANUARY 11, 2025

5:00 to 11:00 pm

St. Blase Social Center

Donation \$40

Children 16 years and under \$15

Tickets available through parish office starting December 1st

And at the Business Meetings in December and January

Contact Ed Glowniak Jr.
for more information @ 586-536-6021



2024 and 2025 (Through Mid-Year) Calendar

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Membership Meetings - First Tuesday of every month

<u>2024</u>		<u>2025 (Through Mid-Year)</u>
January 2, 2024	July 2, 2024	January 7, 2025
February 6, 2024	August 6, 2024	February 4, 2025
March 5, 2024	September 3, 2024	March 4, 2025
April 2, 2024	October 1, 2024	April 1, 2025
May 7, 2024	November 5, 2024	May 6, 2025
June 4, 2024	December 3, 2024	June 3, 2025

Officers' Meetings - Third Tuesday of every month

<u>2024</u>		<u>2025 (Through Mid-Year)</u>
January 16, 2024	July 16, 2024	January 21, 2025
February 20, 2024	August 20, 2024	February 18, 2025
March 19, 2024	September 17, 2024	March 18, 2025
April 16, 2024	October 15, 2024	April 15, 2025
May 21, 2024	November 19, 2024	May 20, 2025
June 18, 2024	December 17, 2024 (expected to be cancelled)	June 17, 2025

Events for 2024

Wild Game Dinner	January 13, 2024 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Chili Cook Off	February 10, 2024 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Palm Sunday Tootsie Roll Drive	March 23 -24, 2024 (Sat. - Sun.)
Spaghetti Dinner (HOM)	May 11, 2024 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Spaghetti Dinner (HOM)	September 21, 2024 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Columbus Day Tootsie Roll Drive	October 11 - 13, 2024 (Fri. - Sun.)
Chili Cook Off	October 19, 2024 (Sat.) 6:30 PM

Events for 2025 (Through Mid-Year)

Wild Game Dinner	January 11, 2025 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Chili Cook Off	February 8, 2025 (Sat.) 5:00 PM
Palm Sunday Tootsie Roll Drive	April 12- 23, 2025 (Sat. - Sun.)
Spaghetti Dinner (HOM)	May 10, 2025 (Sat.) 5:00 PM

Texas Hold'em Schedule 2025:

1. January 24 - 27, 2025 @ Diccico's Charity Poker Lounge
2. July 16 - 19, 2025 @ Rosemack Poker Room
3. September 24 - 27, 2025 @ Rosemack Poker Room
4. December 8 - 11, 2025 @ Paradise Poker Lounge



January 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1 HAPPY NEW YEAR	2	3	4
5	6	7 BUSINESS MEETING	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 INAUGURATION DAY MLK DAY	21 OFFICERS MEETING	22	23	24 Texas Hold'em	25 Texas Hold'em
26 Texas Hold'em	27 Texas Hold'em	28	29	30	31	

EDITOR: Any article input or corrections can be forwarded to my email or via phone noted below.

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