



# Newsletter December 2020

## Port Clinton Knights of Columbus Council 1750

### Message from the Grand Knight,

Brother Knights of Council #1750, I hope all of you enjoyed your Thanksgiving celebrations with your family. We now press on to preparation of the Christmas Holiday. With the present Pandemic information, it will be a very difficult this season. I pray that every Brother Knight in this council will be able to enjoy a very special visit with their family and loved ones who may be near and far away. Take the joy of the coming of the Christ Child to magnify the Unity within your families and friends this Holiday season. I want to wish you all the peace and harmony this Christmas and New Year. And the blessings of Fr. McGivney lead us to more unified Brotherhood.

The Next Business meeting will be held this coming Tuesday evening-12/1/2020 by Google Meet at 7:30pm. With the current CDC / Heath Dept. regulations we should not have an open meeting this month. You need to have a gmail account if you want to join in. If you don't have one, you can get one for free. If you want to join, please send Andy ([migasandrew@gmail.com](mailto:migasandrew@gmail.com)) your gmail email address and he will send you an invitation. If you want to just participate via phone, he can also send you the phone number and the pin code. And just a reminder, our Christmas Party has been cancelled. Please be safe.

Plus, I want anyone that is interested, to take a special notice for recruiting any potential new Members. Sign up on line for free, [kofc.org/joinus](http://kofc.org/joinus) The special offer of one year's dues are free by adding promo code MCGIVNEY2020 . This is in effect till DEC.31,2020. Pass it along to anyone interested. There will be another exemplification at a later date done by the Sandusky Degree team. Next one is Jan.11, 2021, more info to follow.

Be safe with your family, and may the star that shined over the baby Jesus, bring you joy and happiness during this magnificent time in our Catholic family. Merry Christmas from the officers- to all of the brothers knights in council #1750.

Vivat Jesus

Paul Messerly Grand Knight #1750



### December Birthdays

Joseph Andrews	12/02
James H Knight	12/02
Richard Winke	12/14
Michael Mier	12/19
Michael Roder	12/24
Lawrence Holman	12/25
Thomas Dressel	12/26
Walter Wehenkel, Jr.	12/30
Steven J Novak	12/31

## ***Deacon Maury's Corner***

Brother Knights,

As we begin a new church year with the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent, we are reminded that Jesus' second coming will happen in the near future, at a time we least expect. We are always shocked when we learn of a brother Knight's death, or that of a family member. Think back a year ago. Who would have believed that a pandemic would soon be looming over us? It is easy to assume that tomorrow will not be the day – yet.

He intentionally withholds the date and time to prompt us to constantly prepare, and not be complacent. The gospel for the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday tells us "...you do not know when the Lord of the house is coming...", rather, let us stay awake in constant preparation.

Blessed Fr. McGivney stressed that charity is the way to preparedness, and to our holiness. We as Knights will then also help others prepare – should the Lord come. That is cause for great joy, that that Jesus will recognize us by our love and service - charity to one another. As Knights, He will say, well done good and faithful servants.

Blessed Fr. McGivney, pray for us.

God bless,

*Deacon Maury J. Hall*

## Calendar of Events

Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> – Business Meeting on Google Meet 7:30 pm

Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Day

Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> – New Year's Eve

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