



# September

Official Newsletter of St. Pius X Council 11101  
Greensboro, NC

## Special Points of Interest:

- Sept 6—Adoration
- Sept 8—Family Brunch
- Sept 8—Youth Kick Off
- Sept 8—Rosary
- Sept 9—O & D meeting
- Sept 12—Business Meeting
- Sept 13—Blood Drive
- Sept 19—Fourth Degree Meeting
- Sept 29—Fifth Sunday Rosary

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## Grand Knight's Corner

Brothers, as summer rapidly winds down, you should know that your council officers, program directors and project chairmen have been busy the past several weeks revising, planning and scheduling programs and activities for the fraternal year (now through June 30, 2020).

All of our on-going programs – Blood Drives, Parish Family Brunches, monthly Rosaries, Coats for Kids, Family Christmas Dinner, and Lenten Fish Fry - are all set. Some new programs have been planned under Faith and Life, and dates just have to be confirmed on a few

others to have our calendar complete.

Once complete, the calendar will be e-mailed to every council member. Having this annual calendar will be of benefit as it will help prevent things from "slipping up" on us, avoid conflicts with other parish programs, and help program directors and project chairs submit information for our council newsletter, Echoes and the parish bulletin in a timely manner. It will more importantly allow you to see up-coming programs that interest you so that, hopefully, you can plan to be available to help and/or at-

tend the event.

Now, we can plan the best program calendar ever, but the year will not be successful without YOU! So, when the calendar comes out, look it over, pick the programs and activities you like, and volunteer to help when it comes time to sign up.

I hope to see you at our next council meeting on Thursday, Sept. 12.

Peace,

GK Glenn Spivey

## Calendar of Events

Sept 6 - Adoration in the Chapel 12:00— 7:00pm	Sept 9- Officers and Directors Meeting 7:00pm
Sept 6-7 - Eucharistic Congress - Charlotte	Sept 12 - Council Business Meeting 7:00pm
Sept 8 - Knight's Family Brunch after the 10:15 am	Sept 13 - Blood Drive 9:30 am to 6:30 pm
Sept 8 - Rosary in the Chapel 1015 am	Sept 19 - Fourth Degree Meeting 7:00pm
Sept 8 - Youth Kickoff 5 to 7 pm	Sept 29 - Fifth Sunday Rosary after the 9:00 am Mass

## Potential New Members

If you know someone who would like to join the Knights of Columbus, our council will be holding an Admission Degree [1st] Degree on October 12, 2019.

Now is the time to ask the individual who sits next to you, in front or back to join our great organization in doing chartable works.

This year we have a wide range of projects and events from which to choose.

Our council is more than just attending meetings and paying dues. We support our brotherhood, church, community and the youth both financially and physically.

One does not have to attend

meetings to be a good knight. Meetings are necessary to insure the health of the council by paying our bills and preparing and planning for a scheduled event.

New members are the life blood of any organization. The knights are no different.

Recruit someone today.

## Knights Family Brunch



September 8, 2019, will be the kick off of the new Knight's Family Brunch after the 9:00 am Mass. It will continue until 1:00 pm.

This give everyone the opportunity to attend whether you go to the 9:00 am Mass or the 11:30 am Mass.

Our head chef has promised a new menu with many new items for you eating enjoyment. This will be in addition to our famous pancakes and eggs.

The hours have been extended

to give all the many parishioners the ability to come and socialize with other member of our parish.

There is no need to jump in to your car, drive to a local restaurant and wait hopefully for someone to serve you. When all this is available within walking distance of church. And to top it off, have friendly members of your church to greet, serve you with a big smile and a warm welcome.

All of this is free. The only thing asked is a donation to help off set the cost of the brunch.

All the proceeds of the brunch are used to finance our charitable giving and support our church and school.

Encourage your fellow parishioners to come and support our efforts. After all, this is your church and council.

## Youth Kick Off



September 8, 2019, starting at 5:00 pm, the youth group of St. Pius X will hold its annual kick-off.

This year, as in years past, the knights have been asked to do the cooking for them. This is a wonderful time to show your

support for both the church and youth.

Come out and help with the cooking serving and clean-up of the area.

Our own chief and **Sir Knight Greg Rachal** will be heading up the cooking crew.

For new members who are seeking a means to serve the parish, here is a good start. Become involved. Meet your brother knights in a social environment. Help with this project.

Come out, help and enjoy the fun!

## Blood Drive



September 13, 2019, from 9:30 am to 6:30 pm the knights will host a blood drive in the Parish

Center on the second floor. We are looking for donors, help with the setup and clean

up. Bake goods would be greatly appreciated.

## Rosary



Every month on the second Sunday, we gather in the chapel to say the rosary after the 9:00 am Mass. This is open to all who wish to attend especially the knights.

Considering the number of people who attend the 9:00 am

Mass, this is a poor showing. It takes less than 20 minutes to say the rosary. With all that is going on in the world around us and our country, we need all the help we can get.

If you will recall in the First Degree, you promised to pray the rosary as often as you could.

A second rosary will be offered on September 29, 2019, for the fifth Sunday of the month after the 9:00 am Mass.

Four times a year there is a fifth Sunday in the month.

## District Deputy Report

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Several of your Council Officers attended Regional Leadership Training in June and District Training in August. Their willingness to learn and help your Council improve is terrific. I know I speak for all of you, as we thank them for their fraternal efforts.

Do your part too, by asking your Council Leaders how you can help. All you have to do is ask, and they'll help you get involved. Your personal commitment of time, energy and ideas are key to our Council program and membership successes.

Speaking of membership, fall drives are a great opportunity for Council growth. E-

membership is our newest tool for quickly signing up new members, especially young members. The new tool allows Catholic men to join the Knights easily online.

Spread the word and forward this info to a Catholic man you know:

<https://www.kofc.org/apps/joinus/en/registration/index.html>

Here's a link to answer FAQs about the new E membership program:

<https://www.kofc.org/newjoin/en/faq.html>

On Saturday, October 12th, we will host an Admission (First) Degree. Chancellor, Scott Richter and the entire First

Degree Team deserve your support. Please come to renew your 1st° oath as an Observer and to endorse our new 1st° Candidates. Please arrive by 8:30AM. Business casual dress is required. Please let me know of any Candidates who want to attend.

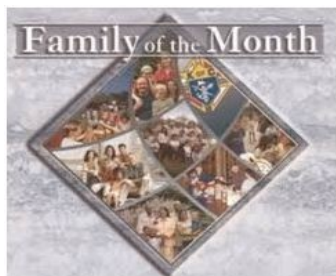
On November 16 at 8:30AM, our District will host a Formation Degree (2nd°), held at SPX. All First Degree Knights are encouraged to attend. By the way, you are not considered a full Knight until you receive all three degrees of Knighthood. Please arrive by 8:30AM. Business casual dress is required. Please RSVP to: John Joyce 336-814-5005.

Knights often engage in respectful dialogue and debate, even in matters in which mem-

bers have strong opposing views. Knights are discouraged from bringing politics into the Council Meeting. Let us remember to bear wrong patiently and to forgive offenses willingly. These are the spiritual works of mercy that all Knights should practice.

Vivat Jesus  
John Joyce  
District Deputy # 24

## FOM



### October 2019 Greg & Liz Pendergrass

[Http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm](http://stpiusxcouncil11101.org/fom.htm)

Check our website for more information on the Family & Knight of the Month

## KOM



### October 2019 Gary Fennie

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Business Meetings—  
Second Thursday of the Month

Officers & Directors Meeting -  
Monday before the Business  
Meeting

All Meetings in the Simmons Par-  
ish Center at 7:00 pm

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## Knights of Columbus Field Agent Report



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*Making a difference for life.*

### **Raising Awareness About Life Insurance**

Each September since 2003 has been designated as Life Insurance Awareness Month. Like most awareness-raising campaigns, Life Insurance Awareness Month was created because there is an overwhelming lack of understanding of life insurance, its uses, its benefits, and its variations among the general public. Each year, the Life Insurance Market Research Association (LIMRA) puts out the results from a recent survey, and unfortunately, the numbers they report continue to be discouraging.

A recent survey found that more than 75 percent of people polled did not have a personal financial advisor, even though 68 percent of them said their opinion of the current economic conditions was somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable.

In other words, a majority of those surveyed were uncomfortable with the economy and the uncertainty it brings, yet they did not seek professional assistance. Maybe they spoke with their friends and family? Maybe they hoped the instability would go away on its own? Maybe they did not know to whom to turn?

If you fall into this category, please remember that as a member of the Knights of Columbus, you have a full-time, professional agent you can call your own. My primary responsibility is the care and service of your family's financial future; planning, life insurance, retirement and long-term care needs. I'll answer your questions because I want your decisions to be informed ones. I want to help. Brother Knights helping brother Knights and their families!!

Another LIMRA statistic said 43 percent of people did not buy life insurance because they worry about "making the wrong decision." Talk with me, your field agent, and, afterwards, you'll understand that the only wrong decision was not getting together sooner to protect your family's future.

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