



Knight Time

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Next Meeting

Monday, April 4th, 2011
ICC Hall 7:00pm

Officers Meeting

Monday, April 18th, 2011
St Michaels room 7:00pm

Fair Update

The Pine City Fair Board and our Lions/Knights groups have agreed on a rent increase to \$1300 for the Beer Stand. This is up from \$650.00

Rules for all workers will also be finalized and given out before the Fair so everyone knows what is expected of them.

Tootsie Roll Drive

Reminder: The Tootsie Roll Drive will be held on April 29th, 30th and May 1st.

Fish Fries

Three more fish fries to go— Bishop Sirba will be attending on April 8th and will be performing the Stations of the Cross at 7:00.



Our last Fish Fry will be the following week, April 15th.

Knights Polo Shirts

Cary Rootkie still has some of the Knights Polo Shirts available. He will bring them to the April 4th meeting—cost is \$10.00.

Finger Rosaries

Finger Rosaries were passed out by the Knights after each mass the weekend of March 18th and 19th and were well received.

Brandon Marovitz Donations

The Knights donated \$250 to Seminarian Brandon Morovitz to show our support the fine work he has done for our parish. In addition a Pancake Breakfast was held by the Parish and raised an additional \$1400 for Brandon. These were done to help Brandon with many of the expenses he has to incur as he continues his training.

Pine City Parade Float

Summer is getting closer and work needs to start on our parade float. A 14 foot boat and trailer were purchased to make into a float but we need some creative and crafty people to bring their ideas to the next meeting. If you can't make the meeting but would like to be part of the committee please contact Loren Skluzacek . (320) 629-1277

District Meeting

Still tentatively set for May 1st but was unable to get a hold of Lee Auers to confirm—hopefully he will be at our meeting with details.

Joke

Public Notices

Sister Mary Ann, who worked for a home health agency, was out making her rounds visiting homebound patients when she ran out of gas. As luck would have it, a Texaco gasoline station was just a block away.

She walked to the station to borrow a gas can and buy some gas. The attendant told her that the only gas can he owned had been loaned out, but she could wait until it was returned. Since Sister Mary Ann was on the way to see a patient, she decided not to wait and walked back to her car. She looked for something in her car that she could fill with gas and spotted the bedpan she was taking to the patient. Always resourceful, Sister Mary Ann carried the bedpan to the station, filled it with gasoline, and carried the full bedpan back to her car.

As she was pouring the gas into her tank, two Baptists watched from across the street.. One of them turned to the other and said,

"If it starts, I'm turning Catholic!!"



Prayer for Those Coping With Depression

Dear Lord, you are our refuge in good and in bad times. In your infinite mercy, bring peace and comfort to those of us who face days sometimes filled with pain and depression. Help us to realize that through you there is joy and the promise of lasting peace. Help us through the rough times. Walk before and beside us so that we may walk in your footsteps and reach out to you in our journey on this earth. Help us to focus on our blessings rather than our misfortunes, dear Lord. Thank you for hearing and answering our prayers. Amen

Please continue to pray for Father David and others struggling with depression.

Contact Information

Any Knight that has given up their land line for a mobile number please call Leroy or Jack so we can update our phone records.

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NEWSLETTER

If you would like to receive the newsletter electronically please send me your name and email address – this will help save on mailing and printing costs. My email address is jim.hatz@gmail.com

Prayer for the Canonization of Father Michael J. McGivney

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan you called your priest, Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make our request). Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen . . . Our Father . . . Hail Mary . . . Glory be to the Father.