

Knights of Columbus  
Fr McEnery Council 2357

MEETING Monday, January 3, 2011  
ICC Hall 7:00pm

SANTA DAY was a success again this year with approximately 120 children, parents & grandparents in attendance. Thank you to the Knights that showed up to help bag candy before the event.

FREE THROW CONTEST The Council competition will tentatively be held on Saturday, January 23 at the PCHS. Watch the Pioneer for the details. The District & Regional finals will be announced to the winners. The State Finals are Saturday, March 26, 2011 at JFK HS Bloomington MN.

FISH FRIES will be held on March 11, 18, 25 and April 1, 8, 15. Mark the dates on your calendar and be ready to volunteer when called on.

INITIATIONS are scheduled for Brooklyn Park January 15<sup>th</sup>, Anoka February 27<sup>th</sup> and 3 more in March. Let the Officers know of any catholic man that you think should be joining our Order.

SEMINAR Within the first two months of the year our District Deputy will be holding a "How to Build a Stronger Council" seminar. All are encouraged to attend this event; it will be well worth your time.

EDITOR ON VACATION Jim Hatz is out east this week so you will have to put up with the old style newsletter. Next month we will have the professional looking letter back.

MN KNIGHTS FOUNDATION RAFFLE Members have received two tickets each in their dues statement. Each raffle ticket is \$5.00 a piece with our Council receiving 50% of each ticket sold. There are \$20,000.00 dollars in prizes to be given away making this the easiest fundraiser we can hold with no liability or work on our part. 25 prizes will be given out. Those members that would like to sell some pick them up at the meeting or call Cary Rootkie 629-3414 and we will arrange for you to get them.

SQUIRES COUNSELOR Iver Peterson is still looking for someone to take his place. He will work with you for a year to help you get started. This involves 1 meeting per month working with young Catholic men.

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JANUARY 22<sup>nd</sup> MCCL MARCH FOR LIFE On Saturday, January 22, join thousands of Minnesotans at the State Capitol in St Paul at 12:00 noon for the MCCL March for Life. The March commemorates the deaths of more than 50 million unborn babies killed by abortion since the 1973 U S Supreme Court decisions legalized abortion on demand for the entire nine months of pregnancy. Your presence will help show elected officials and the public the depth of support for pro-life legislation protecting women and unborn babies.

OFFICERS MEETING Monday, January 17<sup>th</sup> in St Michaels room 7:00pm

