

# OUR LADY OF THE GROVE COUNCIL

## #13448

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## Calendar of Events

Date	Begin	End	Function	Location
8/25/19	11:30 AM	4:00 PM	Parish picnic	Football field
8/29-9/2/19			Buffalo Grove Days	Food tent
9/8/19	1:00 PM	1:30 PM	Rosary	Old Church
9/12/19	7:30 PM	9:00 PM	Business Meeting	School lunchroom
9/17/19	7:30 PM	9:00 PM	Seton Assembly Meeting	10 N. Hickory Ave. AH
9/20-22/19			LD Drive	Various locations
9/26/19	7:30 PM	9:00 PM	Social Meeting lecture	School lunchroom
10/3/19	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Officer's Meeting	School lunchroom



## Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

Welcome to a brand-new fraternal year! Each year always begins fast and furious, and this one is no different. Thank you to those who worked the beverage station at the Parish Picnic to make sure everyone's thirst was quenched! The opportunities to volunteer don't end there, though, as we need plenty of manpower to staff shifts for corn and beverage sales at Buffalo Grove Days, street and storefront locales for the ID Drive (Tootsie Rolls) and distribution/collection for the Baby Bottle Drive. Even if you can only commit to a single shift or two, your help is greatly appreciated!

I hope you find these activities and the events to come to be exciting and rewarding. My goal this year is to instill a spirit of service to one another and our Parish community as we march towards becoming a Star Council. Growth is important to any organization and will always be an emphasis, but I'm also here to invite all you Brothers who may not have been as active to rediscover what makes being a Knight so special. Let me know where I can help and what you need from me so I can serve you better.

## Vivat Jesus!

Phil Blomeke

Grand Knight, OLG #13448



FAITH



COMMUNITY



FAMILY



LIFE



✚ John Walker

✚ John Krajewski

✚ Jack O'Brien

✚ Paul Loeffler

✚ Cy Schmid

✚ Jean Case

✚ Diane Bartelt

✚ Mary Loeffler

Jim Wroble

Mel Cea

Dennis Delaney

✚ May they rest in peace.



Aug 5 Randy Wildenhain

Aug 14 Bob Zawislak

Aug 15 Tony Stencil

Aug 18 Bob "Mac" McHattie

Aug 22 David Melville

Aug 23 Joe Sikarin

Aug 26 Dan Waddell

Aug 26 Matthew Wojtowicz

Aug 27 Davis Gray

Sep 1 Bill Meinholz

Sep 2 David Beck

Sep 2 John Pasek

Sep 9 Mark Sarlitto

Sep 11 Richard Idstein

Sep 15 Janusz Lersiak

Sep 22 John Bartelt

Sep 24 Ron Tegler

Sep 25 Yann-Yves Cabrel Debarros

Sep 29 Dr. Mike Cua



### Chaplain's Message

The Catholic Church is facing some difficult times these days. It is nothing new. Institutions like the Knights of Columbus and different Religious Congregations join with the Office of the Vatican to keep the Church going with their prayer and encouraging activities.

Bishop Robert Barron has just published a small book at his private initiative entitled "Letter to a Suffering Church" A Bishop speaks on the sexual crisis.

A copy of this book may be found at the narthex of the Church. Please help yourself with a copy and pass it on after reading it.

Bishop Barron very clearly states at the beginning "It has been a Diabolical Masterpiece". God created the Universe, at every stage God saw it and found that it was very good. However, when sin first entered the world, evil continued to prevail. Scripture has referenced to the number of instances. However, in all cases, God has prevailed by working, through people like you and me to bring about good from the evil. The Catholic Church, an institution of Jesus Christ, continues to prevail.

In all that has happened, is happening and will happen, we need to place our faith and trust in God and continue to be Messengers of "Good News" - the Gospel message.



### Field Agent's Message

#### Don't Wait, Act Today!

When you're family is hungry, you see that this need is taken care of quickly. You don't put it off until tomorrow, you act immediately to the best of your ability. As a provider to your wife and children, your responsibilities are great and your time is spread thin. It is easy to forget important tasks or let them slip to the backburner for later. **Everything, including your health, can change in the blink of an eye.** Don't put off today what can't wait until tomorrow. As your professional Knights of Columbus agent, I urge you to make securing life insurance for you and your family a top priority. It is my fraternal obligation to make sure that every member has the opportunity to protect his family with the Order's top-rated insurance products. I'll work with you to put a plan in place that will help your family when that help is what they needed the most.

Your Knights of Columbus insurance program is second to none. **As the premier safety net for Catholic families for more than 137 years, our insurance program makes me proud.** But I'm also concerned that too many of our brother Knights have not yet looked into the needs of their family. I suspect that, for many of them, life insurance has drifted to the backburner until tomorrow. Don't be one of them; move your insurance needs to the forefront today.

Call me at 847-323-0914 or email me at [pierre.zermatten@kofc.org](mailto:pierre.zermatten@kofc.org).

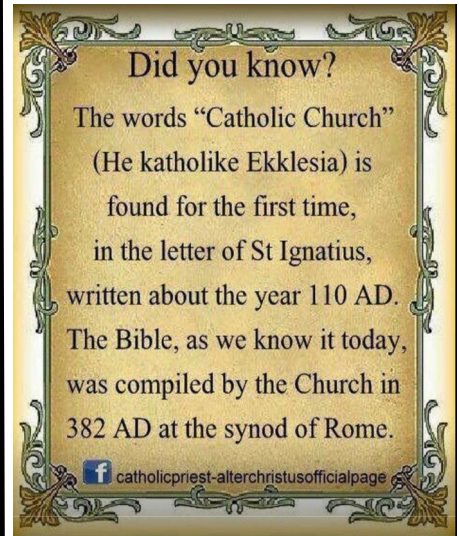
Let's talk.



### Commander's Message

Sept. 7th 4:30PM @ St. Thomas Becket Mass with Cardinal Cupich.

Sept. 13th 7 PM @ St. Raymond de Penafort installation Mass for new pastor.



### Assembly Info

#### Attention all Third Degree Knights

A Fourth Degree Exemplification will be held May 9th, 2020 at St. Edna Parish in Arlington Heights. This is an *excellent* opportunity to become a member of the Patriotic Degree.

Please contact WFC Dean Sordyl ([ssrvs1@aol.com](mailto:ssrvs1@aol.com)) for more information and a Form 4 to apply.

Vivat Jesus!





## Officer Installation 2019



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## Speed Stacking Contest

