



**Knights of  
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**April  
2023  
Newsletter**

*ARCHBISHOP FULTON J. SHEEN  
COUNCIL #7502*

**Serving Christ, His Church and  
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY  
Catholic Parish in Northglenn, Colorado**



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## **GRAND KNIGHT'S LETTER - Paul May**

Brother Knights, Ladies Auxiliary, and IHM Congregation:

As we approach the end of the forty days of Lent, I pray that your journey has given you the chance to grow in your faith and realize God's grace and forgiving love for us.

Our Catholic faith is strengthened by continuing education and daily conversion. This April is a Holy Season of repentance and renewal, to partake of all the benefits gained through faithful service to our Catholic church that Jesus Christ founded.

Please join us in worship on Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and with a special celebration on Easter Sunday through Holy week April 2nd to April 9th. This is a wonderful time to renew our Baptismal promises and to welcome the newly baptized and confirmed members to our IHM church.

Spring arrived March 20th, so hopefully we will have an upswing in more favorable weather as the season progresses. As with the changing seasons, I pray that your period of Lent has progressed for you a better understanding of the need to do a continual conversion of faith on a daily basis, to better understand our connection to our loving Triune God.

I offer a grateful THANK YOU to all of our church members who have participated with our church fish fry dinners. Many volunteer hours have been graciously given for our effort to contribute to several seminarians. I'm sorry that I don't have the space to name and thank every volunteer, but please know that we all appreciate your contribution!

Our God communicates to us in many ways and a large part of his will is given to us through his Catholic church community. Treasure your chance to worship God with us, remember that all we are and all we have comes from Him.

Please refer to the information in this News-Letter for details of the various programs of the Knights of Columbus. As always, we invite you to join us in the Knight's program of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism in our effort to support you personally, as the Catholic Church. If you choose to sign up to join the Knight's program, we will welcome you!

Weekly information can be found in the IHM Church Bulletins. We of the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary pray that you will have a safe and enjoyable April.

Remember that God surrounds you with his loving Care. Please be kind to all you meet and pray the Rosary daily, asking our Mother Mary to send our requests to her Son. Pray for all of our Church leaders and lay community.

Vivat Jesus!

Paul May, Grand Knight

Council 7502, Northglenn, CO



## Pray for vocations! Pray for our seminarians and priests!

### Please include the following Knights and their family members in your prayers:

Ken Newman, Dena Ballinger (Joe Duran's Daughter-in-law), Abel Sanchez, John Luna, Jeannie Bowes, Terry Zrust, Jeff Tuell (Ed Getsch's Son-in-law), Fran Warrior, Amy Mondragon, Judy Nelke, Maryann Gillespie, Arnie Malson, Shirley Hofer, Simon Hermosillo, Gene Dell, Mike Brown, Jim Brozovich, Tom Hermosillo, Frank Taggart, Elisabeth Barron, Margie Archer, Jake Jacobs, Diane Roybal, Sharon Suedkamp, Doli Brown.

Deceased: None to report.

Contact Jerry Starling at [jcstarling@comcast.net](mailto:jcstarling@comcast.net) or 303-451-1648

to add or remove names.



### Scripture of the Month

Isaiah 2: 2-5 (Zion, the Royal City of God)

2<sup>¶</sup>In days to come,  
The mountain of the LORD's house  
shall be established as the highest  
mountain  
and raised above the hills.  
All nations shall stream toward it.  
3 Many peoples shall come and say:  
"Come, let us go up to the LORD's  
mountain,  
to the house of the God of Jacob,  
That he may instruct us in his ways,  
and we may walk in his paths."  
For from Zion shall go forth instruction,

and the word of the LORD from  
Jerusalem.

4<sup>¶</sup>He shall judge between the nations,  
and set terms for many peoples.  
They shall beat their swords into  
plowshares  
and their spears into pruning hooks;  
One nation shall not raise the sword  
against another,  
nor shall they train for war again.  
5<sup>¶</sup>House of Jacob, come,  
let us walk in the light of the LORD!

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Scripture of the Month is taken from *The New American Bible, Revised Edition* (NABRE) at [www.usccb.org/bible](http://www.usccb.org/bible), which provides explanatory introductions and footnotes.

### Prayer of the Month

*Prayer for a Culture of Peace and Nonviolence:*

Lord, God of Abraham, God of the Prophets, God of Love, you created us and you call us to live as brothers and sisters. Give us the strength daily to be instruments of peace; enable us to see everyone who crosses our path as our brother or sister. Make us sensitive to the plea of our citizens who entreat us to turn our weapons of war into implements of peace, our trepidation into confident trust, and our quarreling into forgiveness.

Keep alive within us the flame of hope, so that with patience and perseverance we may opt for dialogue and reconciliation. In this way may peace triumph at last, and may the words "division", "hatred" and "war" be banished from the heart of every man and woman. Lord, defuse the violence of our tongues and our hands. Renew our hearts and minds, so that the word which always brings us together will be "brother", and our way of life will always be that of: Shalom, Peace, Salaam!

Amen.

Prayer of the Month is adapted from Pope Francis's Prayer for Peace, at <https://www.usccb.org/prayers/pope-francis-prayer-peace>, acknowledging the Holy Father's prayer intention for the month of April.

**MINUTES of Council 7502 March 14, 2023 meeting**

by Recorder Doug Blondin

[Bracketed remarks herein are post-meeting explanatory remarks.]

**CALL TO ORDER:** Grand Knight Paul May, at 7:02 p.m. A Members' Rosary preceded the meeting.**OPENING PRAYER:** led by Grand Knight (GK) Paul May**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** All attending members**APPROVAL OF LAST MEETING'S MINUTES:** Motion to accept the February 14, 2023 Council Meeting's Minutes as published in the recent Council newsletter. Motion seconded & passed.**GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT:** GK Paul May

- A reminder that Father Ernest is very supportive of and has given approval for the Knights to serve as Guardians of the Holy Eucharist. I have placed signup sheets and instructions in the hospitality room. Please check-in when attending Mass and help fill this important role.
- We really appreciate the contributions of those of you who have helped with the newsletter. Nick Gaul, Amber Walters and Chris Gaul have done a great job with the editing and preparation. Thanks also to Rob Allan for electronic distribution and newsletter mailings. Rob is looking for someone to help with the mailings.
- As a reminder, the college and high school scholarship applications are due by March 18th. Only children and grandchildren of Knights in good standing are eligible. Larry Allwine has headed this program for many years and is looking for a replacement. Larry also reported that previously the interviews were just conducted by Knights. This year women are being added to the process — with Jan Cogar and Edye Closson taking part in the interviews.
- We started our Lenten fish fry dinners on March 3rd. We had close to 180 people attend and had 21 volunteers to help make the dinner go smoothly. Many thanks to Mike Pfeifer for organizing our dinners. Our final dinners will be on March 24th and 31st.
- Our nominating committee of Byron Day, Chris Gaul and Leon Quintana are working on finding candidates for offices. We will hear their recommendations and open the floor for nominations at the April 11th meeting. Nominations will continue at the meetings on May 9th and June 13th, with elections taking place at the June meeting. Please consider which office you may be willing to fill and help us continue the work of Council 7502. We cannot do it without you.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** GK Paul May

- Our third year trustee, Ed Getsch, has had to resign his position. At the February meeting Greg Heimann accepted the nomination for this position. However, Greg has decided to withdraw his nomination. Byron Day nominated Dave Paul and Dave accepted. There were no other nominations. Dave was elected by acclamation.
- Our lecturer, Ron Ebenkamp, has also had to resign due to family commitments. Ron has done a super job and will be missed. Please consider stepping into that position.

**NEW BUSINESS:** GK Paul May

- For the State Convention on April 28-30 in Aurora, GK Paul May and PGK Chris Gaul will be attending as delegates. Advocate Eric Wilson will attend as an alternate.
- Carl Cogar reported that Ken Newman fell on his icy driveway — cracking 5 ribs, puncturing a lung and suffering a cracked skull. Ken was taken to St Anthony North then later transferred to Central. He was in the ICU for a few days and then moved to progressive care. There is concern that fluid in his lung could lead to pneumonia. It is expected that he'll be released in a few days. Despite everything, Ken is in great spirits.

## Minutes of Council 7502 (continued)

- On Color Corps, Carl Cogar reported that a Knight who died in Arizona was cremated and the remains transported to Colorado for a funeral at IHM. The man had requested an Honor Guard and there were seven present for the funeral. Carl also reported that he would like to restart Corporate Community Sunday - where members of the Color Corps escort the priest for the Processional and Recessional. This helps make the work of the Knights visible to the IHM community. Carl is meeting with Father Ernest to discuss restarting this.
- Ken Allscheid reported that the first meeting on new additions to the Wall of Honor will be held on March 20th. Suggestions for nominees should be sent to James Bernatow.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** GK Paul May — none

### **FINANCIAL and MEMBERSHIP REPORTS:**

- Financial Secretary: Ed Delgado gave his report on expenses, income and membership. Written reports are available to members upon request. We currently have 391 members. Ed also reported that we took in \$1,731 on the first fish fry dinner with expenses of \$1,678.58. For the fish fry on March 10th, we collected \$1,305 for 109 customers with expenses of \$1,201.02. As the first two fish fry dinners included purchase of some food that will be used at the upcoming fish fry dinners, the remaining dinners should show more profit.
- Treasurer: André Casias gave the Treasurer's report of 2/28/2023 account balances in the Council's bank accounts. Written reports are available to members upon request.
- Bingo Report: Greg Heimann gave his report. Written reports are available to members upon request. Ron Ondrak mentioned that \$21,636 (the remainder of our fiscal year budget) has been sent to IHM to help pay the costs of the sound system improvements. We are proposing to increase our budget to push money out of Bingo and help with upcoming church projects. Help at Bingo is always needed and welcome, especially as we're losing two regulars - Zach Politzki and Ken Newman. Bob Specking mentioned that we had a "Must Go" of \$7,500 last Thursday. This drew in 143 people versus a normal crowd of 70-90. It was a wild time. We had 12 horse races and 18 Pink Panther games. Bingo earned \$8,000 on that day. Zach Politzki noted that while he hates playing Bingo, he loves working at it for the fellowship of the group. If you're unable to volunteer on a regular basis, please let Ron Ondrak know if you want to be put on the substitute list to be called when needed.
- Membership Report: Membership Chairman Byron Day - A membership drive will be held on April 29th and 30th. Since it's during the State Convention, we will rely on Council members. Father Ernest really supports the Knights, as do Father Andrew and Father Tadeusz.

### **OFFICER REPORTS:**

- Advocate: Eric Wilson — nothing to report.
- Chancellor: Mike McCarthy — is always looking for family of the month nominees.
- Trustee: Ron Ondrak (1 year), James Bernatow (2 year) & VACANT (3 year) — James reported that the budget meeting on March 25th at 8:30 a.m. in the hall. All are welcome.

**PROGRAM REPORTS:** Deputy GK Patrick Day - excused.

- Family Program: Mike McCarthy — nothing to report.
- Faith Director: Kent Closson — nothing to report.
- Life Director: Vernon Bustos — would like to see if we can do more for the widow's club at IHM (headed by Michelle Garneau) and look at starting a widower's program.
- Community: Chris Gaul — A rose trimming and yard cleanup will be performed at IHM on a date TBD before Easter. Might coordinate this with the Squires cleanup on Holy Saturday (April 8th).

## Minutes of Council 7502 (continued)

- Squires: James Bernard - An investiture was held in February, welcoming two new squires. The next meeting will be March 19th at 2 p.m. in the hall. They will start nominations for officers with elections planned in May. The Squires will be setting up their annual Rosary at the IHM Life Shrine on Holy Saturday (April 8th) at 9 a.m — followed by a yard cleanup. All are welcome. They are no longer able to order the light blue vests — working with the vendor to determine what colors are available. There were 3 counselors and 2 squires helping at the March 10th fish fry. Squires will also help with dinners on the 24th and 31st. James is still looking for a replacement for him as Chief Counselor. Looking at the possibility of having two men to help share the load and be ready for a successor (i.e. sort of a Chief Counselor and Deputy Chief Counselor). There are currently 15 active members in the Squires, but 3 will be graduating. Rob Allan asked a question if we invited the graduating squires to become council members. James reported that we do encourage them, but it's hard as many are going off to college. They also usually have their licenses and are using this new found freedom to take part in other activities.
- Vocations — Ken Allscheid — reported that over the fraternal year we donated \$8,000 to seminarians (16 at \$500 each). We are submitting paperwork to the RSVP program to get back \$100 from Supreme for each \$500 donated.
- Special Olympics - Mike Chacon - excused. GK Paul May reported that there was information in last month's newsletter. There will be more events upcoming.

**FOURTH DEGREE:** Clark Musser — excused.

**FIELD AGENT REPORT:** Waiting for a replacement, following the death of Craig Harris.

**DISTRICT DEPUTY (DD) REPORT:** Tom Walls — reminded us of the State Convention April 28-30, Saturday is the main day and he urges folks to attend. Tom reminded us of the email about the Special Olympics fundraising campaign from March 15th to April 1st. The District Deputy reminded us to get ready for officer election (we have the well under way). Tom also expressed his appreciation for all the work Zach has done for the Council and the church.

**LECTURER:** Ron Ebenkamp — excused.

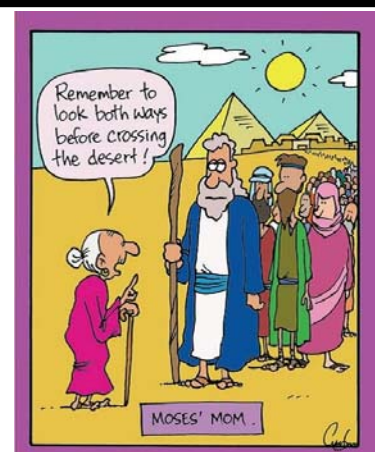
**GOOD OF THE ORDER:** Prayers for Ken Newman.

**Knight of the Month:** Eric Wilson and Rudy Barron

**Family of the Month:** Zach Politzki

**CLOSING PRAYER:** Given by GK Paul May.

**ADJOURNMENT:** GK Paul May at 7:49 p.m.



## MEMBERSHIP IN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

We have scheduled our Membership Drive for April 29th and 30th. We will be available at all Masses.

You may also join online at <https://KofC.org/joinus>

Please indicate Council 7502 as your choice. Our Grand Knight and Financial Secretary will be notified that you are an E-Member. The next step is to become a member of Council 7502.

You are invited to attend our May 9th Meeting and meet your Brother Knights. We meet at 2911 W. 104th with a light meal at 6:00 pm, and the meeting at 7:00 pm if you cannot be there at 6:00 pm.

If you wish to become a Fourth Degree member and join the Assembly, you can attend an exemplification for new members and attain the Second and Third Degrees.

The Assembly includes Councils from Immaculate Heart of Mary, Holy Cross and St. John Paul II, and meets on the Fourth Tuesday of each month. Current meetings are held at Council 7502 Hall. Consider becoming a Fourth Degree Knight.

How about serving as an Officer of Council?

We are selecting nominees for positions of leadership in both the Council and Assembly. Last month's newsletter briefly outlined the duties of officers. We will open nominations on April 11th and on May 9th, and will vote June 13th. Let us know at the Council Meetings if you are interested. You must be a Third Degree Knight.

Many new members come from a member personally inviting them, so, if you have someone who might be interested, bring them by the table on the 29th and 30th!

Byron Day PGK, Membership Director

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## Ladies Auxiliary Report

The Ladies Auxiliary met on March 16, 2023. There were 18 members present at the meeting. After taking care of regular business of accepting both the Recording Secretary's minutes from the February meeting, and the Treasurer's report for February, we celebrated the birthdays of Dolores Brugger, Romelia Carillo and Teri Chatigny. Happy Birthday Ladies.



Treasurer Gay Specking presented the Proposed Budget for the 2023-2024 fiscal year for the Ladies review. We will be voting on the Proposed Budget at our April meeting. The Nominating Committee are contacting the members to ascertain if any of them are interested in running for office for the 2023-2024 year.

The Ladies will be having a social on April 15, 2023. We will have a great day of food, fellowship, and entertainment. On May 13, 2023, we will be having our Honoring Ladies luncheon. The Honoring Ladies committee will be meeting to select the honorees from the names submitted for consideration. The Ladies also decided that we will be submitting an Italian themed basket for the State Ladies Auxiliary Convention auction, which will be held on April 29, 2023. We will collect items for the basket at our April meeting.

Reni Pfeifer shared some of her experiences during her trip with Father Isidore to Africa. Fourteen members from IHM went on the trip. They brought 28 suitcases full of supplies for the new hospital and medical clinic. The Nigerian people were very appreciative. They also visited schools and 3 churches.

In light of what Reni shared with us, I would like to close with this verse. *As each has received a gift, employ it for one another, as good stewards of God's grace.* 1 Peter 4:10

## Prayerfully Consider Serving in a Council Office

Our Council needs a number of men to serve as Council officers. Nominations for these positions will take place in April, May, and June, with elections held in June. Those elected will serve from July 2023 through June 2024. Not all positions require a lot of time commitment, but all are vital to a functioning Council. If you have questions about these officer positions and whether they are right for you, please contact a member of the nominating committee - Byron Day, Chris Gaul, or Leon Quintana.

**Grand Knight** - The Grand Knight is the top-ranking officer of the Council. He oversees all of the Council's activities and is elected by the members of the Council. Some of his duties include presiding over meetings, countersigning orders and checks, reading vouchers and notices relative to the Fourth Degree.

**Deputy Grand Knight** - The Deputy Grand Knight is second in command in the council. He assists the Grand Knight in the operation of the council affairs and is responsible for any duties assigned to him by the Grand Knight. Should the Grand Knight be absent from a council meeting, the Deputy Grand Knight will preside.

**Chancellor** - The Chancellor assists the Grand Knight and Deputy Grand Knight in the execution of their duties and takes charge of the council in the absence of the Grand Knight and Deputy Grand Knight. He is charged with strengthening the members interests in council activities.

**Recorder** - The Recorder's job duties are similar to a court reporter or a secretary. He is responsible for maintaining a true record of all actions and meetings of the council, which he records in a ledger, as well as any council correspondence with outside parties.

**Financial Secretary** - The Financial Secretary is appointed by the Supreme Knight upon recommendation of his council. His responsibilities include maintaining all financial and membership records. He collects and receives all monies, including annual dues from council members. He handles supply orders for the council officers and members, filing the Report of Officers, and submitting all transactions to the Supreme Council.

**Treasurer** - The Treasurer is responsible for the safe-keeping and maintaining records of all council funds and accounts. He is responsible for depositing money into the council's accounts and provides a certificate of such monies to the Grand Knight. He is also responsible for the payment of all expenses.

**Advocate** - The Advocate is the legal representative of the council and serves as the council's attorney at trials and investigations of any interest to the council. While not necessary to be an attorney, he should be familiar with the council by-laws, the Order's Charter, Constitution and Laws, Methods of Conducting a Council Meeting, and Robert's Rules of Order.

**Warden** - The Warden is the material control manager for council property and degree paraphernalia, except the property of the financial secretary, treasurer, and recorder. He is also responsible for setting up the council chambers for meetings and ceremonial work. During ceremonial exemplifications, the Warden will appoint and supervise Guards.

**Guards** - The Inside/Outside Guards have similar responsibilities. They tend to the entrance of the council chamber, admitting visitors and members to the inner door. They are responsible for assisting the Warden with checking for membership cards and in preparing the hall for meetings and events.

**Trustees** - The Board of Trustees consists of three members elected by the council and the Grand Knight, who serves as chairman of the board. They oversee the work of the Financial Secretary and Treasurer, and with the Deputy Grand Knight serve on the council's retention committee. During council elections, only the third-year trustee is elected, with others moving on to become two-year and one-year trustees, respectively.

**Lecturer** - The Lecturer is appointed by the Grand Knight to provide both educational and entertaining programs to the council. He is responsible for the 'Good of the Order' portion of council meetings. In order to provide members with informative and educational programs, he must be knowledgeable and aware of all council programs.

**Chaplain** - The Chaplain is appointed and serves as the spiritual advisor to the brother knights and families of the council. He has no specific duties with regards to running the council. He is an invaluable part of the council, who is invited to make a report at council meetings and gives a brief talk on any religious matters.

## Knight of the Month is Ken Newman

Ken married his lovely wife Pat in 1963. They have a son and daughter that live in the Denver area and another daughter that resides in Gig Harbor, Washington. They have been blessed with two grandsons and three granddaughters. Ken served our country in the Air Force and owned a fence company. He has been retired for 23 years. He enjoys golf, bridge and poker in his spare time. Ken became a Knight in Cheyenne, Wyoming in 1975 and received his Second and Third Degrees in 1976. Ken became a charter member of Council 7502, which originated in 1980. He received his Fourth Degree in 1991. He served as a Council Trustee for three years and held the position of Treasurer for several years. He has volunteered for Knights breakfasts, fish fry, health fairs, Christmas tree sales, paint-a-thons, auto auctions and also Special Olympics.



Ken and Pat were Family of the Year in 2008. Ken received an Honorary Life Membership in 2010. Ken was named to the Council's Hall of Honor in 2014. He began working the Bingo program and has served as bookkeeper, games manager and cashier. Ken just retired from Bingo after 40 years.

Ken and the late Bud Oliver were co-chairmen for the Council's Tootsie Roll Campaign for sixteen consecutive years. Numerous Church activities include Parish Council, Usher, Eucharistic Minister, money counter and as a volunteer with Colorado Share. Pat and Ken were moderators for Marriage Encounter. Ken has served as President of his HOA board in Westminster. Ken believes that as a Knight, he has made a consistent effort and progressed to be a better Catholic, husband and father. The support we provide our Priests, IHM and other charitable organizations are very important to him. Ken believes that new Knights should strive to become active because of the leadership and examples demonstrated by their sponsors.

For his lifetime of achievement, especially 40 years of Bingo, Ken has earned the honor of Knight of the Month.

## FAMILY OF THE MONTH – LEO AND PHYLLIS AMEND

The April 2023 "Family of the Month" is Sir Knight Leo Amend and his lovely wife Phyllis. They were both born in Oklahoma. Leo attended college for two years. Phyllis graduated from an x-ray tech school. They met after a football game in 1972 and married seven months later in 1973.

Leo's job transfer with A T & T brought them to Colorado in 1988 retiring later after 34 years of service. Phyllis was employed 42 years as an X-ray technician.

This year they will be married 50 years! They are blessed with four children; Karen, Sandy, Joe, and Michelle. They enjoy six grandchildren: Sam, Paul, Josh, Sophia, Teresa, and Colette. They cherish time with each and every one of them through family traveling, activities, or camping. They enjoy retirement by relaxing or busying themselves with projects. Camping often with fellow IHM folks has become a favorite pass time. Leo has a special love for his family, church, and the Knights. His devotion to the Knights is exemplified through his commitment to retreats, service projects, social functions, dinners, fish fry's, breakfasts, and brunches. He assists with burritos preparation and sales, tootsie roll drives, the 4th of July picnic, luncheons, and deacon dinners. He can be seen regularly working bingo sometimes with Phyllis by his side.



Leo became a Knight in 1977. He was sponsored by Phyllis's father a Knight's State Warden for Oklahoma. He's earned his fourth degree. He's served as a Grand Knight, Faithful Navigator, usher, and guardian. He has also been the Knight's bartender. Leo served on the committee for the Wall Memory Board honoring Knights. He and Phyllis have volunteered at parishes promoting the Christmas programs, Journey Days and Christ Renew Program which is now the Welcoming Committee.

Since 2009 Phyllis has been an active member of the Knights Lady's Auxiliary also serving 10 years in the Oklahoma Auxiliary. She volunteers with Bingo and the fish fry accompanying Leo on his volunteering assignments.

Leo and Phyllis are members of the Working Seniors loving every year of participation. Their blessed in that dear group of friends sharing many activities and prayers. They believe the Knight's mission of supporting priests, charity, seminarians, and fellow members is of the utmost importance.



# **SUPPORT OUR NORTH METRO RELAY FOR LIFE TEAMS**

**Rudy Barron Team Captain**

**Saturday, May 6, 2023**

**5:00 p.m. Dinner - Taco Bar**

**(Included if playing poker, otherwise \$10)**

**6:30 p.m. Poker Start**

**\$50.00 buy-in**

**\$25 Re-buy before the final table**



**Prize will be a 50/50 split, with the funds raised  
Going to the American Cancer Society Relay for Life**

**First Place: 50%**

**Second Place: 30%**

**Third Place: 20%**

**Location: Fulton J. Sheen Council 7502**

**2911 W. 104<sup>th</sup>**

**(1 block east of Federal, red brick building)**

**To reserve a seat or for questions call**

**Carl Cogar 303-993-2726 or Rudy Barron 720-231-9928**

**( Please Drink Responsibly and the Beer is part of our Fundraiser)**

**Tips are Welcome**

### Calendar of Events for April 2023

Day	Date	Starts	At	Event
Saturday	April 1	10:05 AM	IHM	Patriotic Rosary *A
Tuesday	April 4	6:00 PM	Hall	NKCHA Board Meeting
Tuesday	April 4	7:00 PM	Hall	Council Officers Meeting
Friday	April 7			Good Friday
Sunday	April 9			Easter
Tuesday	April 11	7:00 PM	Hall	Council Business Meeting *B
Thursday	April 13	7:00 PM	Hall	Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Sunday	April 16	2:00 PM	Hall	Squires Meeting with 2 investitures
Tuesday	April 25	7:00 PM	Hall	Fourth Degree Assembly 1966 Meeting
Thursday	April 27	7:00 PM	Hall	JPII Council #17142 Meeting
Fri-Sun	April 28-30	*C	*C	KofC State Colorado Convention *C

\*A: All IHM parishioners are invited by Council 7502 and Assembly 1966 to join in praying the Patriotic Rosary on the first Saturday of each month. The Rosary will be in IHM's Isaiah room at 10:05am, following the 9am "First Saturday" Mass at IHM. The Rosary honors all branches of the military, first responders and National, State and County officials.

\*B: The 7pm Council Business meeting is preceded by a 6pm meal and 6:40pm Rosary.

\*C See <https://coloradokofc.org/State-Council/Calendar> & see the dates for a link to Event info.

### Calendar of Scheduled Special Events for May 2023

Day	Date	Starts	At	Event
Saturday	20-May	4:00 PM	Hall	Hall of Memories Induction

### Special Olympics - 3-25-23 Update

The Knights of Columbus #7502 made a generous donation of \$500 to the Special Olympics Colorado in March.

The Special Olympics Colorado has wrapped up its winter season. The spring season will include regional and state events and runs from April through mid-June. This spring, Special Olympics CO will be offering powerlifting, swimming, track & field, soccer and gymnastics.

Any Knights who have the skills and desire to take on a greater role, know that the Special Olympics CO is currently looking for coaches for the summer season which runs from June to August.

They are looking for head and assistant coaches. Softball, Bocce, Golf, Tennis and Cycling start in mid-June and go through the end of August. No previous experience in coaching or working with people with disabilities is required – the staff provides training and ongoing support. If you or anyone you know is interested, please visit the Coaches webpage (<https://specialolympicsco.org/getinvolved/becomeacoach/>) or contact Denise Hulstrom at [dhulstrom@specialolympicsco.org](mailto:dhulstrom@specialolympicsco.org)

- Weekly practices (days/times vary by sport), approximately 1-2 hours per week
- Must be 16+ years old
- Agree and abide by the Coaches Code of Conduct
- Assist athletes in learning sports skills and applying them in competitions
- Empower the entire athlete, helping them become healthier through fitness and a healthy lifestyle
- Encourage confidence and self-esteem through sport
- Help to recruit athlete and other coaches
- Enter athletes into competitions
- Support fundraising efforts for your team

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES



### Knights Birthdays

### Ladies Birthdays

### Anniversaries

04/01 Donald Howbert  
 04/02 Jerome Starling  
 04/04 Thomas Carter  
 04/05 Mike Brown  
 04/05 Michael Cardenas  
 04/06 Marcin Goczol  
 04/07 Vernon Bustos  
 04/08 David Bowes  
 04/09 Leopoldo Barrios  
 04/09 Michael Gallegos  
 04/11 Carlos Venegas  
 04/11 Lynn Waring  
 04/13 Ernest Paquette  
 04/14 William Honas  
 04/14 Anthony Jude  
 04/14 Joseph Martinez  
 04/16 Caleb Brewer  
 04/16 Richard Marquez  
 04/17 Michael Keaveny  
 04/17 Loren Radke  
 04/18 Dennis Davenport  
 04/19 Justin Langfield  
 04/23 Michael Chacon  
 04/24 John Gaines  
 04/25 Rodney Candelaria  
 04/25 Don Emenim  
 04/26 Joseph Hearty  
 04/28 David Zamora  
 04/29 Martin Cote  
 04/29 Josef Shafer  
 04/30 Leonard Castaneda  
 04/30 Richard Milinazzo

04/02 Kathleen Kettler  
 04/04 Debbi Castaneda  
 04/06 Mary Allscheid  
 04/06 Mary Ebert  
 04/07 Mary Beth Applehans  
 04/07 Roswitha Stonehocker  
 04/08 Rosaline Ziegler  
 04/13 Jennifer Kirchmeier  
 04/13 Linda Rose Lopez  
 04/14 Bonnie Applehans  
 04/14 Monalisa Shafer  
 04/15 Jeanne Bowes  
 04/17 Pennie Sue Harcsa  
 04/18 Elaine Carney  
 04/22 Lea Gerber  
 04/23 April Chatigny  
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