

District Deputy Dan Gibbons Newsletter Article



The State Winter Mtg was held on Nov 30th & Dec 1st. In attendance were the State of Michigan leadership team, clergy representing each diocese, & most of the state District Deputies. The main topic of the meeting was membership.

As your District Deputy, my main responsibility is to ensure growth for each council. This is where the Faith in Action programs I've been discussing in my monthly newsletters come into play. We need to become an organization that believes in, promotes, and lives our faith. With the rapidly changing society in which we live, men are aching for meaning in their lives, a challenge that pushes them to be better, and fraternity with other men that are striving for a greater goal in life.

The most poignant talk during the state meeting was by our State Chaplain, Father Paul Erickson, on Praying the Scriptures (Lecto Divina). This is a way to bring the scriptures alive through reading and meditation.

At the end of the weekend, Fr Paul stood before us all & said "Turning & listening to the Voice of God is not an option! It is the most important aspect of becoming the men we need to be, & building our councils. We owe each man in our parishes the opportunity to join the Knights & together, we can all become the men that we were created to be.

-- Vivat Jesus! DD Dan Gibbons District 57

**46th Annual March for Life
January 17 - 20, 2019**

Go to www.mikofc.org for more details.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- December 7 - 9 MI K of C Advent Retreat
At St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center at I-96 and Telegraph
- December 18 - Council #13360 Business Mtg
Evening's events to include a talk on the new "Faith In Action" programs, installation of Council's Officers, and Christmas party. To start at 7:00PM in Room 2 at CTK.
- December 23 - Coffee & Donuts after Masses
- January 5 - Epiphany Events
Council #13360 Epiphany Party
2:00pm - 4:00pm at CTK.
Corporate Communion at the Christ the King
4:30PM Mass

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

CHRIST THE KING COUNCIL #13360
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
4000 AVE MARIA DRIVE
ANN ARBOR, MI 48105
KELLY DONNELLON, GRAND KNIGHT



FR. ED FRIDE CIRCLE #5514
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COLUMBIAN SQUIRES
4000 AVE MARIA DRIVE
ANN ARBOR, MI 48105
LARRY GJERNES, CHIEF COUNSELOR

2018 - 2019 COUNCIL #13360 OFFICERS

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| Chaplain | Fr. Bill Spencer |
| Grand Knight | Kelly Donnellon |
| Deputy Grand Knight | Mark Tepen |
| Chancellor | Dcn. Wayne Slomiany |
| Advocate | Alfredo Abolio |
| Financial Secretary | Dan Taylor |
| Treasurer | Tom Genyk |
| Lecturer | Bill Champion |
| Recorder | Terry Dishneau |
| Warden | Steve Gendregske |
| Inside Guard | Ted Koehler |
| Outside Guard | Gene McKay |
| Trustee 3rd Year | Joe Rasak |
| Trustee 2nd Year | Bill Millard |
| Trustee 1st Year | Ken Lafleur |

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www.13360.councilnet.us**

Knight of the Month, October: Fr. Bill Spencer

Fr. Bill is Chaplain of our council. He gives us a good example of a priest who is ready to serve, particularly in the sacraments, despite his health/illness problems.

Family of the Month, October: Greg & Sue Stout

Greg is coordinator of scheduling for our Adoration Chapel, one of the cornerstones of our parish. Sue, among other activities, serves regularly as a volunteer at Emmanuel House.



SQUIRES at EMMANUEL HOUSE

On Saturday, November 16, the Squires from Circle #5514 were at Emmanuel House in Ypsilanti to rake leaves, clean gutters, and perform general outdoor cleanup before winter arrives. Thanks, guys!

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

- SEMINARIANS:**
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|---------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Diego Granados | Bobby Tull | Kevin Hufnagel |
| Jack Jobst | Peter St. George | Justin Yurko |
| Br. Chrysostom (Joseph) Gryniowicz | Michael Sternhagen, LC | |
| Br. Thomas Aquinas Maria (S. Borders) | Dominic Sternhagen | |
- RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS**
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| Sr. Miriam Loveland, SHM | Sr. Amaris Salata, FSE |
| Sr. Lisa Zelfa, SGL | Sr. Katie Perrotta, SV |
| Sr Danielle Victoria Lussier, FSP | |
- PERMANENT DIACONATE**
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| Pete Hanson | Bill Champion |
| Larry Gjernes | David Taccolini |

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

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| JAMES STEIN | December 05 |
| MATT WILK | December 10 |
| LUKE ALTMAN | December 12 |
| DCN DAN FOLEY | December 13 |
| ROB VIPPERMAN | December 14 |
| JEFF HUTTON | December 16 |
| JERRY SCHOENLE | December 17 |
| SETH BROWNE | December 19 |
| ERVIN BARNOWSKY | December 22 |
| PETER CAI | December 23 |