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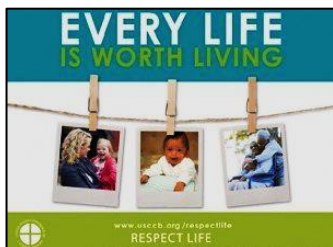
Idaho Knights in Action

St. Mark's Council Knight Earns Pro Life Champion Award

On July 14th, 2021, Sir Knight Jeff Allen of St. Mark's Council 12172 was honored as a pro-life champion at the Pro-Life Champion award dinner sponsored by the Respect Life ministries of Our Lady of The Rosary and St. Mark's Catholic Churches. Jeff was described as someone who truly respects the dignity of all people and who has worked tirelessly, given generously and served faithfully to promote pro-life efforts throughout the years.

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Sir Knight Jeff Allen is presented with the Pro-Life Champion award by pro-life advocate and leader of St. Mark's Respect Life ministry, Emily Naugle.



Inland Northwest Men's Retreat

Council 1363, Coeur d'Alene

We of the retreat committee appreciate the Idaho State KC Council for allowing past support of our retreats. We humbly request help again in the August newsletter. For most of us Catholic men, this event is a once in a lifetime opportunity to interact with a great Prince of the Church, Raymond Cardinal Burke!

Thanks and Blessings. Brother Mike Anderson

St Pius X, Council 11623 - CDA



GK Tom Tintinger presents Knight of the Month Certificate to Jim Connell.



GK Tom Tintinger presents Family of the Month Certificate to Larry Major.

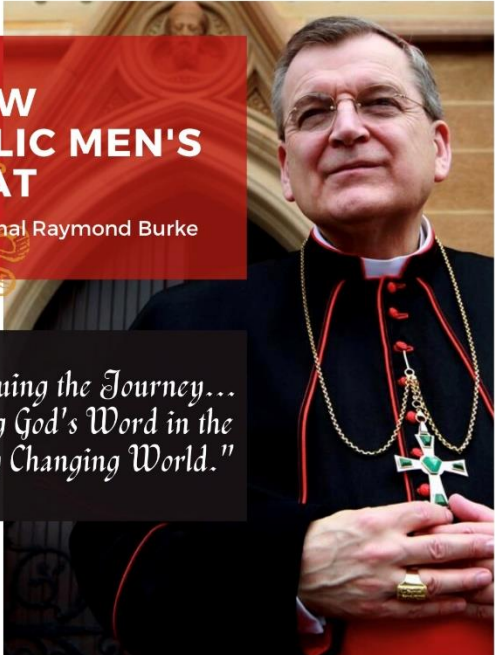


Past GK Dave Sonnen presents Star Council pins to Gary Fessler, on left, and Don Moberg, in middle.



GK Tom Tintinger presents Star Council pins to Pete Obligato, on left, and Larry Major, in middle.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PRESENTS



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Idaho Council Awards ... 2020-21

FYI on Idaho council award winners for this last Fraternal year. We had 27 of our 41 councils win awards, so that is really great to see.



Vivat Jesus,

Roy Bartholomay - Idaho State Deputy

Jurisdiction	District #	Award Type	District Deputy	MEMBERSHIP			INSURANCE
				Quota	NET	Mbr. %	Fraternal Benefit Seminar. %
Idaho	4	Star District Award	ALLEN W. DARROW	16	17	106%	100%

Council #	Award Type	Membership Quota Attained	Council Location	2020-2021 District #	Disqualifier
892	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	0%	POCATELLO	1	
899	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	0%	BOISE	6	
1024	Columbian Award	0%	LEWISTON	9	
1363	Star Council Award	150%	COEUR D ALENE	10	
1389	Columbian Award	0%	COTTONWOOD	8	
1397	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	25%	MOSCOW	9	
1416	Star Council Award	133%	TWIN FALLS	3	
1663	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	36%	IDAHO FALLS	1	
2014	Star Council Award	100%	NAMPA	5	
2685	Father McGivney Award	100%	BUHL	3	
2792	Founders' Award	60%	RUPERT	2	
3086	Founders' Award	16%	CALDWELL	7	
3703	Star Council Award	100%	MOUNTAIN HOME	4	
4777	Father McGivney Award	100%	PRIEST RIVER	11	
5444	Father McGivney Award	200%	GOODING	2	
8310	Founders' Award	66%	BOISE	6	
8780	Founders' Award	0%	JEROME	3	
10581	Founders' Award	0%	BOISE	4	
11548	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	42%	MERIDIAN	5	
11623	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	0%	COEUR D ALENE	10	
12172	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	38%	BOISE	4	
12560	Star Council Award	250%	POST FALLS	10	
12854	Columbian/Founders' Combination Award	0%	BOISE	5	
12881	Founders' Award	33%	BURLEY	2	
13089	Fr. McGivney/Founders' Combination Award	300%	WEISER	7	
17059	Star Council Award	166%	MERIDIAN	5	
17462	Columbian/Fr. McGivney/Founders'	500%	BOISE	4	Not Compliant - OYP



***One Life, One Rose
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Silver Rose Program – 2021 Idaho Tour Wrapup***

With deep regret and sincere condolences to State Secretary George Mesina, please know that George's father lost his battle for life this evening (July 19, 2021).

Please include George and his family in your prayers.

John Pettinger PSD FDM
Knights of Columbus
Executive Secretary

***Silver Rose
Litany of Thanks***

- Thank you, Washington and Oregon state chairs, for your transfer communication.
- Thank you, all of the Idaho Council Silver Rose chairs for your dedication to your Council and Parish.
- Thank you, Idaho State Council for giving me the opportunity to serve the Knights.
- Thank you, Drew, at Supreme, for your assistance and leadership.
- Thank you, Our Lady of Guadalupe, please show us how to create more peace in the Americas.

Peace.
Dave Palumbo
Silver Rose
Idaho Tour 2021 Chair

Location (City)	Number of Services Held	Attendees
06/13-15; Moscow #01397	1	200
06/17-CDA; #11623	1	43
06/18; Kellogg; #03762	1	104
06/20; Salmon; #08283	1	39
06/22-24; St. Anthony/ Rexburg/Ashton/Driggs	1	6
06/25; Idaho Falls; #01663	1	15
06/27-28; Blackfoot; #3013	3	250
06/29; Pocatello; #00892	1	16
06/30; Rupert; #02792	1	21
07/01; Burley; #012881	1	12
07/02;		
07/03; Buhl; #02685	1	24
07/04; Twin Falls; #01416	1	26
07/05; Gooding; #05444	1	12
07/06; Mtn. Home; #03703	1	20
07/07; Sacred Heart; #0899	1	31
07/08; St. Mark's; #12172	3	15
07/09; Weiser; #13089	1	25
07/10-11; Fruitland; #12516	2 w/veneration	100
	3	374

At end of report add the total number of runners (if any) involved in carrying the Rose from location to location and the total number miles traveled (best estimate) by the Rose in your jurisdiction:

Jurisdiction: Idaho
Total services : 26
Total attendees: 1271
Runners used (if any) 0
Total miles Rose traveled 1126
State Chairman signature: David E. Palumbo



KC Insurance – Retirement

Here it is August already...and the summer is more than halfway over. I hope that you are enjoying some rest and relaxation!

I can't seem to pick up anything to read, whether it's a newspaper, some type of news feed on my computer, or a periodical, without finding articles about retirement. With so many baby boomers getting to that age I guess I should expect it. Articles tell me how to boost my retirement, how to save for retirement, how to use certain plans to have a successful retirement. Some of these articles talk about maximizing the money that I've saved some talk about maximizing my government benefits, some talk about how I can lower my taxes in retirement. Some articles talk about retirement without even retiring, they say keep on working or take on a new job in the gig economy. Frankly, that doesn't seem like much of a retirement to me.

When I retire I want to do some of those things I've put off over my working years: spend more time with family, travel, get immersed in my hobbies...those kinds of things. I've begun a bucket list to keep track of all the things I'd like to do when I retire.

Here are a few of my thoughts about retirement:

1. I want to retire "to" something, not "from" something. Many believe that the rocking chair on the front porch kills retirees. Retirement means having something different to engage in, not simply sitting around and doing nothing.
2. "Begin with the end in sight." One of the seven habits of successful people as espoused by Stephen Covey. What do you want your retirement to look like? What do you want to do, where do you want to go, how do you want to continue to contribute to your church, your council, and your community?
3. Have goals and have a plan. If you begin with the end in sight, now you have to make a plan on how you want to get there. Write it down, make it happen, the book by Henriette Klauser might be helpful. A goal without a plan to get there is just a dream.

I've talked to a number of members and their spouses lately and retirement always comes up as a topic of conversation when we review their current situation. It doesn't seem to matter their age. I've had members as young as 35 and as old as 70 over the past couple of months want to talk about retirement and making sure that they're set at some point in the future. Let's face it, the 35 year old has a lot more time to plan. Time is an ally for him. As changes occur in the economy, he has time to make course corrections. He has time to contribute more to meet the family's income goals, he'll probably earn more as he progresses in his career. For the older member, time is no friend. Less time to earn income, less time to cope with the vagaries of the economy, and topped out in earning power. The closer one gets to the planned retirement age, the more important that a strategy be in place.

That's where I can help. Our new financial needs analysis tool allows me to plug in your personal information and let you see where you stand. Are you accumulating enough funds to meet your retirement income goal? Are there ways to make sure you'll never run out of money in retirement? Is your money safe and secure, not following the whims of the market?

Let's get together and make sure you have a strategy to put you in the winner's circle.

Vivat Jesus!

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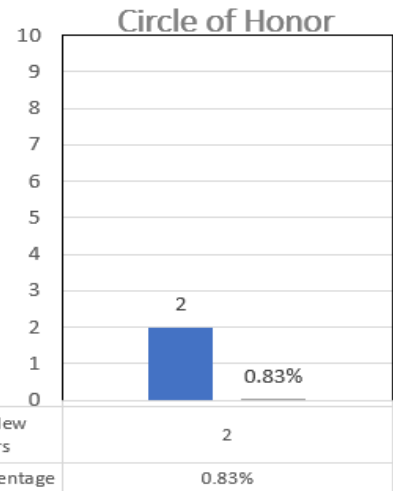
Membership Report

Welcome the start of a new fraternal year. I look forward to having fun this year as much as any other year. If we have fun doing what we do then it's not work or at least it's fun work. July was a slow month in terms of recruiting new members. At the time of this submission there were 2 new members brought into the order and two members that transferred from the on-line membership into local councils.

Recruitment Strike Force:

We are implementing an idea that would benefit everybody and the idea is have a Strike Force. It is a group of guys that would offer their assistance in helping other councils conduct church drives or any activities that involves a possible recruiting of a member. These Strike Teams would be located throughout the state so traveling to the activities won't be a factor. We would need several volunteers to make it happen. The District Deputies were briefed and there will be more to follow.

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State Incentives

1. The top council with the most new members towards the percentage of their goal from July 1st thru Sept 30, 2021 gets 200.00 cash.
2. The 2nd place council will receive 100.00 cash.
3. Every council to earn 100 % of their goal by December 31, 2021 will receive a 150.00 cash.

Supreme Incentive

First Quarter: Takeoff

This is a bracket-based, double elimination competition running in three stages during the first quarter. Each stage will run one month (July, August and September), where teams of jurisdictions will compete for prize money. Teams will be structured in a bracket with the winning team advancing and the losing team going to a consolation bracket. At the end of the competition, all jurisdictions in the winning teams will earn money on a per new member basis. Here's a breakdown of the payouts:

Winners Bracket

	July	August	September
Championship Team	\$4/member	\$7/member	\$10/member
Runner-Up	\$4/member	\$7/member	\$5/member
Third Place	\$4/member	\$3/member	\$2/member
Fourth Place	\$4/member	\$3/member	\$1/member

Consolation Bracket

Winning Team	\$2/member	\$2/member	\$3/member
Runner-Up	\$2/member	\$2/member	\$2/member



and

WIN

Idaho Special Olympics

Fund Raisers & Events 2021

Idaho Special Olympics (IDSO) is celebrating its 50th year of service to children and adults with intellectual disabilities through athletics. The Knights of Columbus will be joining in the celebration by aiding with fundraising, athletic events, and other activities.

The major fundraising project for IDSO during their golden anniversary will be a raffle involving two vehicles and other prizes. The grand prize is a new Toyota 4 x 4 double cab, long bed pickup. The drawing for this prize will be on November 5th at a site to be determined. In addition, there will be an early bird prize drawing on September 17th for a Toyota RAV4, weekly give-a-ways of \$1,000 for 12 weeks and other valuable prizes. Tickets for this raffle are \$25.00 each and, unlike past years, tickets for this raffle may only be purchased online at GemStateRaffle.com. The Knights are being asked to support this raffle in their parishes by encouraging parishioners to go online and purchase tickets at GemStateRaffle.com. A drop-down menu will allow ticket purchasers to name their parish's Knights council as the referring party.

IDSO is holding a second raffle, this one for three firearms: An AR 15 S&W M&P 15 Sport II; an Austrian made Glock 19x and a CZ 620 field 20/28-gauge shotgun. Tickets for this raffle are \$20.00 each and are sold as hard copy – paper tickets. Councils wishing to participate in this raffle can order tickets for themselves or for resale by contacting Mr. Penaloga by email at Opey@IDSO.org, or by calling 208-353 3844. The drawing for these guns will be held on Oct 7, at a site to be announced later.

More information on these raffles along with access to promotional materials will be sent to all Idaho Knights as soon as they become available.

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All raffle proceeds benefitting Special Olympics Idaho athletes.

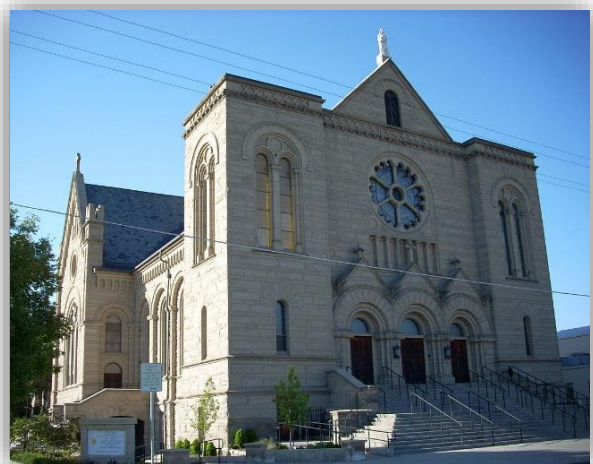
TOYOTA **Knights of Columbus** **Special Olympics Idaho**

Ordination Honor Guard - Boise

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Subject: 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Honor Guard

4th Degree members of St. Michael the Archangel and Bishop Sylvester Treinen Assemblies, Boise, ID, joined the celebration at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist for the ordination of four men to the priesthood for the Diocese of Boise. This is the first time this many were ordained at once in 11 years.



Silver Rose – Boise

On July 8th the Silver Rose of Our Lady of Guadalupe was on site at St. Mark's Catholic Community in Boise. From left to right Dave Palumbo (Silver Rose Chair), Dave Hammes, The Silver Rose and Icon, Fr. Adrian Leszko, and Deacon Terry Nelson were in attendance along with 25 others praying for special intentions from the intercession of Our Blessed Mother.



Assembly Actions

Dave Ellingsen - Idaho District Master

The Idaho District fell Short of our Membership goal of 78, only managing to add 31 new members. We had trouble with Covid restrictions cancelling a couple of our planned degrees. However, four of our 22 Assemblies did hit their membership goals, congratulations to assemblies 183 Pocatello, 186 Coeur d'Alene, 1983 Mountain Home, and 2751 Meridian. I am starting to work on a schedule for this coming year so please begin recruiting from your council's good Third Degree members and get their signed Form 4's So we can contact them and get them to the Degrees. Currently we are planning a Degree in the Magic Valley in September and two degrees in October in Boise, one in English and one in Spanish. We are also hoping to have a Degree in Lewiston and Idaho Falls later in the year. The times and locations have not been finalized at this time, but I will let the Faithful Navigator's and Faithful Comptroller's Know as soon as the details are worked out. We will likely have a couple of these cast virtually for online attendance as well to help some of our smaller assemblies.

The Annual Assembly Audit and Officer s Chosen for the Term - forms 1315 and 186 are now due, let's keep on top of turning in these important reports.

THE LAST WORD

Roy Bartholomay - Idaho State Deputy

Dear Brother Knights,

I hope this warm summer is finding you all doing well. Welcome to the four new brother Knights brought into our councils during July and congratulations to the 21 councils that earned either the Columbian award, Founders award and/or McGivney award. I want to especially recognize our 6 councils that earned STAR award: St. Thomas 1363, Twin Falls 1416, Nampa 2014, Mountain Home 3707, Post Falls 12560, and for the first time ever Blessed Frassati Council 17059! I really appreciate all you do to promote Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism throughout the State.

Happy Founders Day this month!

Vivat Jesus,



Vivat Jesus!

