

SENECA KNIGHTS NEWSLETTER

July 2015

Grand Knight - Jim Reitz 294-2654
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Council 1769

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THE CULTURE OF PROLIFE

Our participation in supporting the efforts of “Kansans for Life” through the Baby Bottle Program was again a great success this year. By handing out baby bottles on Mother’s Day and having them returned by Father’s Day, the members of our parish were again given the opportunity to support the efforts of Kansans for Life. The total amount donated this year was \$3286.06.

Kansans for Life is a nonprofit educational organization dedicated to protecting and defending the right to life of all humans from the moment of conception to natural death. They offer, free to the public, educational items and information, pregnancy help and referrals, libraries in each of their offices, pro-life speakers, media representation, as well as sponsor educational forums and events on various aspects of the sanctity of human life issue. Their legislative department offsets pro-choice lobbyists and presents a professional pro-life voice in the Kansas Legislature, and their political action committee endorses pro-life candidates during elections.

THE KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Kirby Schmelzle was selected as the “Knight of the Month” at our June meeting. He joined the Order in 2000 and is a 4th Degree member. Kirby moved his family back into the area just over a year ago to take the position of K of C Field Agent promoting the Knights Insurance programs. He is one of the new members on our First Degree team and has been very instrumental in recruiting many of our new members. Kirby has 5 young children, with his wife Kristin. The kids attend Saints Peter and Paul School. Kirby and Kristin share a Holy Hour of Adoration and Kirby has participated in a Holy Hour since 2002. He has been active in the Parishes where he has belonged and is a Eucharistic Minister at the SPP Church. Kirby and his wife recently purchased 416 Main Street, as an office location, which they are currently remodeling. We thank Kirby for all he does supporting his Church and his Knights of Columbus Fraternal Organization.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF TOURNAMENT IS AUGUST 16

The Golf Tournament is **August 16** at the Seneca Golf Course. This will be a major fundraiser for the council. Let’s get involved, have fun and make this a great fundraiser! Attached is a flyer with tournament information and contact numbers. For more information contact Jim Runnebaum 785-548-5308 or email - jimrunnebaum@sbsins.com.

LOST AND FOUND

Found at the Seneca Recycle Center, a Knights of Columbus teal green jacket. If you have been looking for your jacket, please call 294-2654.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Aug 15 - Erin Hermesch & Isaac Summers..... John Rottinghaus Crew
Aug 16 - Seneca KofC Golf Tournament
Aug 22 – Tajci Concert in the Church
Sept 5 - Chris Hynek & Alishia Ghyra.....Bill Love Crew
Sept 12 - Natalie Knight & Jordan Droge.....Clete Kramer Crew
Sept 19 - Tracy Olberding & Josh Carpenter.....Mike Steinlage Crew
Sept 26 – Ryan Holthaus & Kari Broxterman.....Ray Shinn Crew

OUR NEXT COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE THE SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH, ON AUGUST 11 AT 8 PM