

# The Knight Flyer



## Knights of Columbus

St. Joseph Council # 5398  
February 2025 Newsletter

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*From the  
Grand  
Knight  
Dave  
Kwasigroch*

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Dear

Brother Knights,

Happy New Year, I hope the Holidays went well for both you, your families and your loved ones. As I stated in our meeting, we are blessed to have Pope Francis declare this year 2025 as a “Jubilee” year for Pilgrims of Hope. A Jubilee in the Church is a special year of prayer and normally takes place every 25 years.

The columnist George Weigel of the National Catholic Register gives us a few tips on how to draw closer to God this Jubilee year. They are as follows:

Frame each day with the Church’s prayer. Immerse yourself in the Bible. Get in touch with the Saints. Dig into the Nicene Creed. Make a regular Holy Hour. Rediscover the hope in the Sacrament of penance.

Stay positive as I discussed, and remember all good things come from God. Take the time to thank him for our gifts.

Thank you for all your support.

**Sincerely,  
Dave Kwasigroch  
Grand Knight**

**From The Editor:** *Ted Barbuto 315- 572-0081* now, how to contact me for information in the newsletter, beside by phone will be by mail at 903 Buckley Rd. Liverpool, NY 13088. But my best option would be by e-mail or *request newsletter emailed at [info@kofc5398.org](mailto:info@kofc5398.org)*. But please put in the subject 5398 Newsletter information. **Due Date is by Saturday February 15<sup>th</sup> 2025.**

### **Current Events**

- **Next meeting** February 10<sup>th</sup> at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 7:00pm
- **Planning Next meeting** February 10<sup>th</sup> at Blessed Sacrament Cafeteria 6:15pm. (before Regular Meeting)
- ***As New Knights Of Columbus Rule The minutes read is this notice. Any corrections please bring them up at next meeting. Look at the minutes on next page.***
- **Rosary before 5pm mass:** Starting up again 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.

### **Upcoming Events Volunteers Needed**

- **Spaghetti dinner January 25<sup>th</sup>** 4:00pm to 7:00pm we will need help for this event. There will be 3 shifts needed 1<sup>st</sup> option Prep 1:00PM till about 4:00PM. 2<sup>nd</sup> option Event 4:00PM till 7:00PM and 3<sup>rd</sup> option Clean would be 6:00 till 9:00PM. Please contact an officer or come to January meeting to volunteer.
- **Mystery Dinner Theater on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025.** 6 pm for dinner, then 6:30 shows first act “A death of their own” intermission, where dessert will be served, then the second act approximately 30 minutes. Entire show approximately 90 Minutes, including intermission. Please contact an officer or come to January meeting to volunteer.

# January 13th, 2025, Meeting Notes

## Members 14 present

- **Grand Knight:** Dave opened the meeting and wished all a Happy New Year. Dave also talked about 2025 as a Jubilee year and special year of prayer. He also read several thank you letters from our gifts and donations
- **Financial Secretary:** 72 Total members, 48 associates, 20 insurance, 4 inactive, 2 Honorary, 28 Honorary Life, 4 inactive and 0 EXM. Semi-annual report due by 2/15/2025 and Fraternal survey due by 1/31/2025. Per Capita total of \$128.00 due and Ted will send a check out.
- **Unfinished business:** Finalizing the plans for pasta dinner and Mystery theater dinner, volunteers needed. For pasta dinner on 1/25/2025 help needed between 1pm and 8pm, especially from 5pm-8pm for serving and clean up. Please help if you can. At pasta dinner we will also be selling tickets to Mystery Dinner. Also we are looking into a pay pal account to purchase tickets as well.
- **Treasurers report:** Ted passed out report on all checks written and deposits and a quarterly statement on the Investments.
- **Donations:**
  1. Motion was made to donate \$200 each for our church's religious program and 2 school libraries for a total of \$1,400 and 2<sup>nd</sup>, all were in favor, motion passed.
  2. Motion was made to pay for supplies and food needed for pasta dinner and 2<sup>nd</sup>, all in favor.
- **Events:**
  1. Spaghetti Dinner January. 25,2025.
  2. Mystery Theater Dinner on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Needed volunteers for both events. 6 pm for dinner, then 6:30 shows first act "A death of their own" intermission, where dessert will be served, then the second act approximately 30 minutes. Entire show approximately 90 Minutes, including intermission.
- **Insurance Agent:** Our agent for investments retired and a new agent is taking over, more details will come.
- **Chaplain's Summary:** Monsignor Tim followed up on the Jubilee year and talked about "The word among us" and importance of Penance. He also thanked us for the Christmas gift and how he enjoys being our Chaplain. Monsignor also will be helping at Blessed Sacrament while Fr. Severine is on vacation.
- **Rosary before 5pm mass:** We are doing every, 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 4:30 right before the 5:15pm mass at Blessed Sacrament.
- **Under Good of the Order:** Please pray for: Sal Buonocore, Fran Foley, People of California affected by the fires and any other member or family who are in need our prayers.
- **Next meeting; February 10th 2025** at **7:00 PM Blessed Sacrament, planning meeting will precede meeting at 6:15 PM.**



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
To our February - Council #5398 Members  
(Day of month in bold)

(2) Minchin Lewis                      (6) William Clark  
(9) Hani Alkhouri                      (9) Kevin Kuehner  
(18) FR. Severine Yagaza              (25) Richard Kane

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**St. Joseph's Council #5398**

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*The next Council #5398 meeting*

*Is February 10<sup>th</sup> 7:00PM*

*Please attend Located @  
Blessed Sacrament School  
Address is  
3129 James Street  
Syracuse, NY 13206*

*The next 4<sup>th</sup> Degree meeting*

*??? @ 8:00PM*

*Please attend Located @  
St. John the Baptist  
Address is  
1406 Park Street (In the Cafeteria)  
Syracuse, NY 13208*

**BLESSED SACRAMENT**

# PASTA DINNER

HOSTED BY THE EAGLES FUND  
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**CELEBRATING CATHOLIC  
SCHOOLS WEEK**

JANUARY 25TH • SCHOOL CAFETERIA • 4-7 PM

**\$10/PERSON**  
**\$30/FAMILY OF 4**  
(**\$5 PER ADDITIONAL PERSON**)

**CAN'T  
MISS  
RAFFLES**



**100% OF THE PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARD STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS**

# THE 3<sup>rd</sup> MYSTERY DINNER THEATER

An Evening of good food and *foul* play with the  
BSC Players 2025 Production of

## A Death of Their Own



Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup> 2025

Doors open @5:30PM With Dinner serve @ 6:00PM Show starts @7:00PM

Blessed Sacrament School Cafeteria

Full Dinner with Choice of Ham or Eggplant Parmesan

Tickets available:

- Online (Paypal) at the Knights of Columbus Website [www.kofc5398.org](http://www.kofc5398.org)
- Blessed Sacrament Rectory 3127 James St. Mon-Fri (9AM-noon or 1-430PM)
- Call Dave Kwasigroch (315) 350 - 9201

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