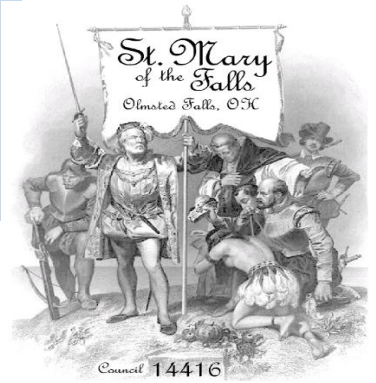




KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



The Knightly News

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Please Keep the following Seminarians from St. Mary of the Falls in your prayers:

- Andy Gonzales
- Josh Cochrac Scott Swinerton
- Eddie Miller Sean Neville

From our Advocate

Human Trafficking: Assault on Dignity

As part of the Knights' ongoing defense of the dignity of life, the Council devoted much of its September meeting to confronting the heart-breaking crime of Human Trafficking. Joining us to provide information on the topic was Special Agent Erin Dulaney from the FBI's Cleveland field office.

Agent Dulaney described the common elements of this crime in which criminals use force, fraud or coercion to lure victims into lives of captivity and exploitation -- either in the sex trade or as forced labor. Our guest speaker explained the cruel circumstances that typically attend human trafficking: prostitution of minors; leveraging of drug addiction; threats of violence against family members in a victim's home country.

The frequency of these crimes, both globally and locally, often escapes notice because the victims are methodically kept from regular interaction with the general public. While hidden, it was made clear that incidents of this exploitation are not merely a far-away occurrence, but do take place right here in our area.

Agent Dulaney has been with the Bureau since 2002, first specializing in forensic DNA analysis in the FBI Laboratory then coming to the Cleveland office in 2004. She has worked on cases in Foreign Counterintelligence, Public Corruption, and Civil Rights. The Knights thank her for her service to law enforcement and for her generous gift of time spent briefing our Council.

2015-2016 Jubilee of Mercy LOVE hopes & bears All Things

Corporal Works

- Feed the hungry*
- Give drink to the thirsty*
- Clothe the naked*
- Shelter the homeless*
- Visit the imprisoned*
- Bury the dead*

Spiritual Works

- Admonish the sinner*
- Instruct the ignorant*
- Counsel the doubtful*
- Comfort the sorrowful*
- Bear wrongs patiently*
- Pray for the living and the dead*

Opportunities to Serve

Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism

MEETINGS & DEGREES:

Council Meetings

October

11th – Officer's Meeting

25th – General Meeting

November

8th – Officer's Meeting

22nd – General Meeting

Officer's meetings are held in the Parish Office Conference room every second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm.

General Meetings are held in the Parish Hall every fourth Tuesday of the Month at 7:00 pm.

UPCOMING DEGREE OFFERINGS:

1st Degree

Oct 3-2750 W Market St, Fairlawn 6:45 pm

Oct 10- St Helen, Newbury 7:00 pm

Oct 12 - St Clarence, N. Olmsted 7:30 pm

Oct 13 - 1905 Portage Tr, Cuyahoga Falls 7:30 pm

Oct 18-929 Pearl Rd, Brunswick 7:30 pm

Oct 18-Garfield Hts Council Hall 7:00 pm

Oct 23-St Ladislav, Westlake 6:30 pm

Nov 3-16271 Pearl Rd, Strongsville 7:00 pm

Nov 7- 476 Mull Ave, Akron 6:45 pm

Nov 14-148 N. Lyman 6:30 pm

2nd Degree

Oct 3-2750 W Market St, Fairlawn 7:15 pm

Oct 10- St Helen, Newbury 7:30 pm

Oct 18-Garfield Hts Council Hall 7:30 pm

Nov 7- 476 Mull Ave, Akron 7:45 pm

Nov 14-148 N. Lyman 7:30 pm

3rd Degree

Oct 9-2750 W Market St, Fairlawn 1:30 pm

Oct 19-1545 S. Green Road 6:30 pm

4th Degree

BROTHERS IN NEED:

Our brother, Dave Satink asks that we pray to Mary, Our Lady Of the Light - for our children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren, to align our will, and theirs, to the Will of the Father, and to convert our lives and our children's lives back to obeying God. Tom Novak asks that we pray for his cousin, Rick Sedlacek.

DONUT SUNDAY - October 2

This event is in support of our Church and is held the first Sunday of each month in the School cafeteria.

Knights are needed for: Setup beginning at 7:30 am; Serving donuts and drinks after each mass; Clean-up after the noon mass.

Please consider helping provide this monthly service for our Parish. Contact Brother Knight Bill Dormer by email at: williamrdormer@att.net for further information. Don't forget: Wear your Knights of Columbus shirt.

Stations of the Cross-October 8

On the second Saturday of each month the Knights will lead the "Outdoor Stations of the Cross" after the 8 am Mass. We will meet at 8:45 am by the Jesus statue located to the right of the Community Room.

St. Mary of the Falls Spaghetti Dinner **Sunday, Oct 16, 1:00 - 4:30 pm**

Brother Knights are needed for set-up, clean-up or to help in the kitchen. Please contact Dee Vanyo (216-956-3824) or the Parish Office (440-235-2222) if you can contribute some of your time for this Church fundraiser.

Trip to St. Anthony's Chapel

Only twenty seats remain on the bus for the one day autumn trip to **St. Anthony's Chapel** located on Troy Hill in Pittsburgh on Saturday, Nov. 12th. This spiritual journey is filling up fast so this may be your last chance to get tickets. Please see Steve Hupp this weekend at "Donut Sunday" if you'd like to join us with your loved ones! The cost is \$35 for adults and \$30 for children.

Respect for Life Mass & Adoration

Mass will be held on Friday, October 21 at 7 p.m. at St Mary's Church at 250 Kraft St in Berea. Following Mass there will be an overnight Eucharistic adoration in the Resurrection Chapel at St Mary's. Join that adoration at anytime during the night. Hourly prayer devotions will be held throughout. Light refreshments will be available in the church vestibule. A closing Benediction will begin on Saturday, October 22 at 8 a.m. Please share this information with friends and family; and let us fill the chapel throughout the night with our prayers for the unborn. Brother Knights contact John Mastandrea (johnmastandrea@gmail.com) to sign up to lead an hour or more of the adoration.

FOOTBALL FRENZY TICKETS

Please note that we have available additional "Football Frenzy" raffle tickets for purchase or to pickup after each of the Masses at "Donut Sunday". The cost for each ticket is \$20. We are on the "home stretch" of this fundraising effort, selling 94 tickets to date and meeting our Council's quota. Can we sell 100 tickets? Please see your Grand Knight for tickets this Sunday. Also, Don't forget to drop off your aluminum cans for recycling in the cart located behind the wooden fence in-between the church vestibule and school.

Knights of Columbus T-Shirts

Grey and Green t-shirts are available. Even if a size or color sells out - it only takes about 3 weeks to get a fresh batch - so no worries. These sell for \$10, and are available in L, XL or XXL - cash only please, 1st come 1st serve. Please see John House, Deputy Grand Knight if interested.

Knights in Action

8 Knights from St. Mary of the Falls Council 14416 joined parish Apostles Build Team Leader Kevin Hoy on Thursday September 8th for 6 hours of work at Habitat for Humanity homes on Manor Avenue, located in Cleveland, Ohio. Under the guidance of Habitat for Humanity Site Supervisor Reuben, the team installed windows, doors, laminate flooring, and plumbed in a kitchen sink with its counter top. Great team work and progress.



Greater Cleveland
Habitat for Humanity
APOSTLES 2016 BUILD

Brecksville United Methodist Church
 Buckeye Ministry in Mission Alliance
 Church of St. Dominic
 The Church of the Covenant
 Church of the Gesu
 Church of the Holy Angels
 Church of the Western Reserve
 The Congregation of St. Joseph
 Fairmount Presbyterian Church
 Forest Hill Church
 John Knox Presbyterian Church
 Lakewood Presbyterian Church
 Lakewood United Methodist Church
 Lord of Life Lutheran Church
 Old Stone Church
 Plymouth Church United Church of Christ
 St. Basil the Great
 St. John Neumann Catholic Church
 St. Joseph Catholic Church
 St. Mary of the Falls
 Strongsville United Methodist Church
 The United Methodist Church of Berea
 The United Methodist Church of Chagrin Falls



Knights in Action (cont.)

4 Groups of Golfers participated in the inaugural Knight of Columbus Council 14416 Family Golf Outing held at Meadowood Golf Course in Westlake, on Saturday September 24th. The Scramble was won by the foursome of Michael Downing, Joe Davis, Frank Pedicini and John Presnar. Everyone enjoyed a barbecue picnic lunch afterwards. Please consider joining us next year when it is rumored you could play either 9 or 18 holes. Special Thanks to Joe Sciarillio for hosting this event, and our cooks.



From the Editor

It is enough. How many times have I uttered these words to myself, ready to quit. Why are promises often broken? What more do I have to do to help others? What am I doing wrong? But, then I realize its not about me. Our Lord on the Cross did not say "It was finished" until after He had forgiven the criminal, and forgiven us. Only **God's Love is enough!!**

"Come to Me"

*Come over to me, all you who are restless,
And I will teach you how to be quiet,
How to leave yourself alone.
Come over to me, all you who are anxious,
Even if I don't take your anxiety away,
I will change it into fresh currency,
As you turn your cares into greater belief in my caring.
Come over to me, all you who are lonely,
I was lonely too,
And could find no place to lay my head.
Come over to me, all you who worry what others really think about you.
It doesn't matter.
They misunderstood me,
No matter what I did.
Come over to me, all you who are always
Talking and pleading and explaining yourselves to others.
I know you inside out. I know the worst.
So you can come to me without any explanations.
Come over to me, all you whose great plans for yourself have failed.
You don't know how lucky you are.
And others too.*

*Come over to me, all you who can't stand yourselves.
I touched lepers,
And once I called a man out of a tomb
Who had been stinking there for four days.
So come over to me-
I can stand just about anything.
Come over to me, all you who can't stand other people.
I know what is behind their misery.
I know the worst in them
As I know it in you.
And I embrace you both.
Come over to me, all you who fret about the past.
I was there, I was part of your past,
And I have forgotten all about it.
So be like me and forget it too.
Come over to me, all you who can't live peacefully in the present
Come to me now, without reserve.
That is the way to live peacefully in the present.
Come over to me, all you who fear the future.
Do not fear. I am your future.*

Father Thomas Dominic Rover, O.P.