



Knights of Columbus District Meeting August 22, 2023



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The Mission of My Life

God has created me

To do Him some definite service.

He has committed some work to me which He has not committed to another.

I have my mission.

I may never know what it is in this life.

But I shall be told in the next.

I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons.

He has not created me for nothing.

I shall do good; I shall do His work.

Therefore, I will trust Him.

Whatever, wherever I am, I cannot be thrown away.

If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve Him

If I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve Him

He does nothing in vain, He knows what He is about.

He may take away my friends.

He may throw me among strangers,

He may make me feel desolate, make my spirit sink.

Hide my future from me— still He knows what He is about. Amen

St. John Henry Cardinal Newman







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— State Officers 2022-24



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Programs, basically, are all the things that we do. We currently categorize programs into four areas: Community, Faith, Family, & Life.

In Pennsylvania, we have additional programs such as license plates, Chance of a Lifetime Sweepstakes, Scholarships & School Grants, Football sweepstakes, Address labels and more!

PA SPECIFIC PROGRAMS

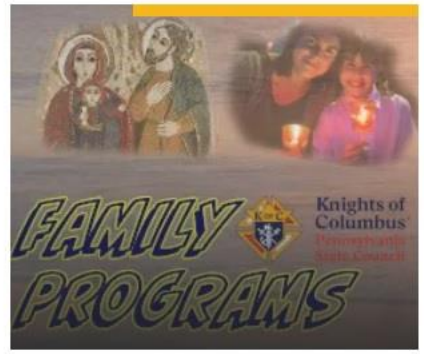
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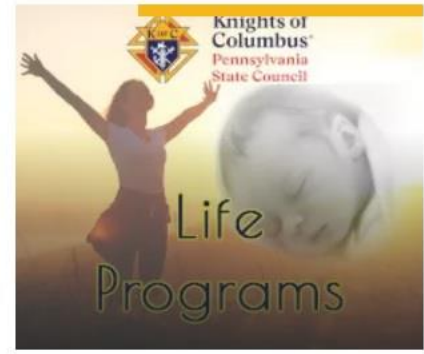
Community Programs



Faith Programs



Family Programs



Life Programs

Community Programs



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Global Wheelchair Mission - Featured Program



Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest

Disaster Preparedness

Coats for Kids



Free Throw Championship

Habitat for Humanity



Helping Hands

Leave No Neighbor Behind

Soccer Challenge



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Faith Programs



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St Joseph Pilgrim Icon

Blessed Michael McGivney Holy Hour

Building the Domestic Church Kiosk

Holy Hour 

Into the Breach 

Refund Support for Vocations Program (RSVP) 

Rosary Program

Sacramental Gifts

Spiritual Reflection 

Family Programs



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Family Week

Food for Families - Featured Program ❄️

Family Fully Alive ❄️

Family Prayer Night ❄️

Good Friday Family Promotions

Family of the Month/Year ❄️

KCIC Cards & More

KCIC Billboard Photos

Life Programs



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Pregnancy Center Support - Featured Program ✱

Ultrasound - Featured Program ✱

Christian Refugee Relief

March for Life ✱

Mass for People With Special Needs

Novena for Life

Silver Rose

Special Olympics ✱



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PRAYER

LIFTING OUR HEARTS AND
MINDS TO GOD



FORMATION

BECOMING LIKE CHRIST



FRATERNITY

CENTERING BROTHERHOOD
ON CHRIST

The mission of *Cor* is to refocus Catholic men on Jesus Christ and to form and strengthen them in faith and virtue through a brotherhood committed to **prayer, formation, and fraternity.**

PA Specific Programs

These are programs specific to Pennsylvania and benefit our members, families and charities.



Address Labels Program



Council State Awards



Catholic School Grants



C.O.A.L. Sweepstakes



College Scholarships



Football Sweepstakes



State Golf Tournament



State License Plates



Labels Program

Label Program Chairman



Andrew C Smith *Mollie*

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— About the program

Each year in March, the Knights of Columbus members in Pennsylvania receive a set of return labels with the Knights of Columbus emblem. These labels were sent to you as part of the Pennsylvania K of C Label Program. This is a voluntary, but highly encouraged program for all members to participate. We simply ask that you use the labels and in return make a donation for them.

If you did not receive or misplaced the return envelope the address for returns:

**PA State Council
Knights of Columbus Label Program
PO Box 27245
Pittsburgh, PA 15235**

Your financial support for the Labels Program directly benefits Pennsylvania Special Olympics, promotes vocations awareness in our 10 state Dioceses and provides a rebate to those qualifying councils attending the State Convention.

The information on your labels is based on your record at Supreme as of January 1. If there is a discrepancy have your Financial Secretary correct your record at Supreme and contact Labels Chairman for new labels.

Please use your Labels to let others know you are a proud member of the K of C.

Thank you for your generous support of the State Labels Program.



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Council Awards

State Program Director



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Information Coming

Grants Program



The Educational Foundation will be processing up to fifty (50) \$1,000.00 Knights of Columbus Student Grants paid to the Catholic School Grades 1 through 12 where the Knight of Columbus member's child is enrolled. Applications will be accepted by the Educational Foundation Secretary, if postmarked beginning January 1, 2023. The Educational Foundation members will then hold a drawing and the winners will be notified by the Secretary and also posted on the state web site. Only applications post marked between January 1, and January 31, 2023 will be eligible for the drawing.

Only **ONE application** per eligible student and only **one application** per envelope is allowed.

Each *Member* must comply with the following:

- The student's father must be a Knight of Columbus in good standing of a Pennsylvania Knights of Columbus Council.
- Be the son or daughter of a deceased Knight who was a member in good standing of a Pennsylvania Knights of Columbus Council at the time of death.

Applicant must be aware and comply with these instructions :

- Grant application is to be sent to the Foundation Secretary, (George Beckes, 10236 Sidehill Rd. North East, PA 16428) postmarked between "January 1 and January 31, 2023" of the new school year. No application will be accepted if post marked prior to January 1st or after January 31st 2023.
- **ONLY ONE APPLICATION PER ENVELOPE.**
- Applicant must complete the application including obtaining all required signatures and **Council Seal.**
- Applicants are required to file for a Student Grant each year even if the student was awarded a Grant in the previous year.
- A letter will be required from the Catholic School that the student will be attending. This letter must have, School letter head, name and address, contact person, telephone number and e-mail address. Once a copy of the letter is received by the Educational Foundation Secretary stating the student is enrolled for the coming school year, the process of sending a \$1000.00 Grant check to the Catholic School of choice will begin. This check will be processed by the Educational Foundation Treasurer in the July / August time frame.



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COAL

COAL Chairman



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COAL Sweepstakes 16 Great Prizes

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1 st Prize \$15,000	2 nd Prize \$10,000	3 rd Prize \$7,500[®]	4 th Prize \$5,000
5 th Prize \$5,000	6 th Prize \$5,000	7 th Prize \$2,500	8 th Prize \$2,500
9 th Prize \$2,500	10 th Prize \$2,000	11 th Prize \$2,000	12 th Prize \$2,000
13 th Prize \$1,000	14 th Prize \$1,000	15 th Prize \$1,000	16 th Prize \$1,000

Benefits State Council Scholarships
Drawing – PA State Council Convention
Crown Plaza, King of Prussia, PA
April 27, 2024 – 9:00 PM

TICKET HOLDERS NEED NOT BE PRESENT
Game of Chance License # 19XX

Donation - Five Dollars



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Scholarships

Scholarship Chairman



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TEN SCHOLARSHIPS, each totaling \$4,000.00, payable in four installments of \$1,000.00 per year, for Knights, sons and daughters of Pennsylvania Knights of Columbus, and Columbian Squires.



Each candidate must be at least one of the following:

- A currently paid up member of a Knights of Columbus Council in the jurisdiction of Pennsylvania.
- A child or stepchild of a currently paid up member of a Knights of Columbus Council in Pennsylvania.
 - (NOTE Grandchildren are not eligible unless the grandfather is the legal guardian of the applicant.)
- A child or stepchild of a deceased member of the Knights of Columbus in a Pennsylvania council who was not in arrears at the time of his death.
- A qualified Columbian Squire.

Other conditions that must be met:

- The candidate must be a candidate for graduation in a recognized 4-year high school, or its home schooling equivalent, during the term ending June 2024 (or January 2024 for early graduates).
- The candidate must submit a properly completed application form -- with all the appropriate signatures as required on the application -- to the Scholarship Chairman of the Pennsylvania State Council, Knights of Columbus, no later than December 31, 2023.
- The council of the applicant must have completed and submitted Form 185 (Report of Officers Chosen for Term).
- The council of the applicant's father must sell at least 75 "Chance of a Lifetime" (C.O.A.L.) Chances for the 2023-2024 campaign. Tickets are distributed by the State Council Charities Committee.
- Each candidate must be accepted and enrolled at either a college/university or a school of nursing connected with a hospital prior to payment of the scholarship. Such college or school may be under Catholic or non-Catholic auspices, subject to approval by the committee.



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Sweeps

Label Program Chairman



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It is that time of year again where I collect information about the next Football Sweepstakes program.

There are links on the website to the report from last year showing how many tickets were sold by each council to help you determine how many tickets you need this year. I have also attached my State Report for the 2022-2023 campaign.

Let's all work towards a record year!

Thank you!

Andrew Smith

PA State Labels/Sweepstakes Chairman

How it works: *This is a unique sweepstakes that runs for a 10 week period. There are multiple winners and you may even be a winner for losing! This program benefits PA Charities.*

- *There are 10 Chances to Win Per Ticket.*
 - *\$3,000.00 in Weekly Prizes / \$30,000.00 in Total Prizes*
- *Each ticket provides 4 random Professional Football Teams per week.*



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Golf Tournament



Audit Committee, Chairman
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FRIDAY
AUGUST 25, 2023

The 43rd State Golf Outing will be held August 25 at Kimberton Golf Club in Phoenixville.
Register today!

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 2023

Registration: 8:00 - 8:45AM

Shotgun Start: 9:00 AM

SCRAMBLE FORMAT
AWARDS CEREMONY AT THE FINISH

ENTRY FEE: \$100.00 per Player



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License Plate



Lewis G Nordin, Sr.
License Plate Chairman
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License Plates

About the program

What better way to get advertising for the Knights of Columbus but on your vehicle. It goes where you go!

License plates are only available to Knights of Columbus members. Simply download and complete the TWO forms, and sent them to the license plate chairman. Remember that your Financial Secretary needs to sign the PA State Council Application Form and affix the seal to the form. The State License Chairman will take care of the rest.

License Plate Program FAQs

- **How much does it cost?**
 - *The total due for a standard issued PA K of C License plate is \$60.00*
- **Can I Personalize my PA K of C Registration Plate?**
 - *Yes. However there is an additional fee of \$125.00 to add personalization. You can use the Online tool to see if the combination of letters and numbers are available. The total cost of a personalized PA K of C License plate is \$185.00. AVAILABILITY TOOL*

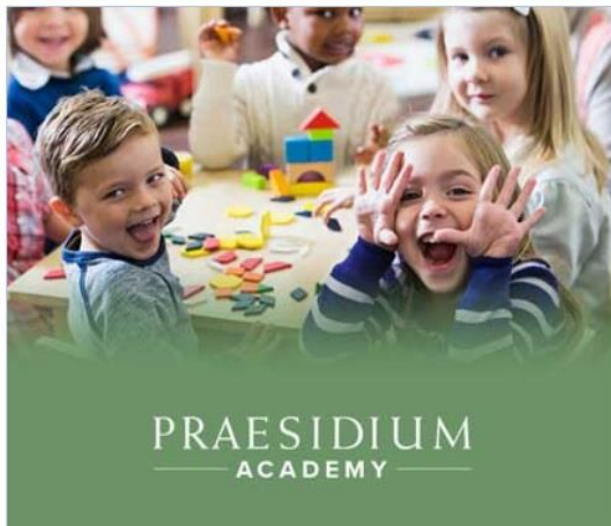


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Youth Protection



WHO WE ARE



KEY LEADERS

State Deputies, State Advocates, State Program Directors, State Youth Directors, State Community Directors, State Family Directors, State Squire Chairman, Grand Knights, Program Directors, Community Directors, Family Directors, Faithful Navigators, Chief Counselors, Counsellors.

TRAINING FOR LEADERS - GET STARTED

WHAT WE DO



MEMBER SELF-REGISTRATION

All members are encouraged to complete this training.

UNITED STATES TRAINING

CANADA TRAINING

U.S. TERRITORIES/ INTERNATIONAL TRAINING

GET INVOLVED



NON-MEMBER SELF-REGISTRATION

We encourage everyone interested in understanding Knights of Columbus safe environment policies and procedures to complete our training.

TRAINING FOR NON-MEMBERS - GET STARTED

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Supplies Online



Canadian Supplies Online

Membership

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Forms

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Prospect

Candidate

Awards Progress

	Quota	Month to Date			Year to Date			%
		Gain	Loss	Net	Gain	Loss	Net	
MBR	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	
INS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Council Membership

Total Membership 8/21/2023	YTD Change in Membership
304	0



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kofc.org /Officers Online

cda913.org

kofcmasterpaeast.org.org



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Fourth Degree



Cardinal Dougherty Assembly meets at 7:30 PM on the First Wednesday of the months September through June at Peace Council, 1195 Haverford Road, Crum Lynne, PA 19022. **NOTE: ZOOM** will also be available for meetings. Invitations will go to members.

Congratulations to Cardinal Dougherty Assembly for 101 Years of Service to the Catholic Church and the Pennsylvania Community. Please support our sponsors listed in the [Ad Book](#).

See pictures of the 100th Anniversary Dinner Dance below;

Convention

126th State Convention



— Crown Plaza
King of Prussia, PA

April 26 - 28, 2024



Committee



Hotel Information



Philadelphia Attractions



Volunteer

cda913.org/slides

