



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

## MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



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*There will not be a  
Regular Membership Meeting in September.  
Our First Council Meeting of the  
year will be *Italian Night*,  
*Tuesday, October 17, 2023**

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**The following officers will serve the Council during Columbian Year 2023-2024**

Michael Kohler .....	Grand Knight
Joseph P. Wilk .....	Deputy Grand Knight
Richard C. Delahunt Jr. ....	Chancellor
Michael J. Damiano .....	Recorder
Frank J. Buffa Jr. ....	Warden
Robert J. Gondek .....	Inside Guard

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### *Grand Knight's Message*

Dear Brother Knights,

As we begin this new Columbian year, I would like to express my gratitude for the privilege to serve as the Grand Knight of the Utica Council. Remember Brothers, we are men of faith and men of action. This year let us strive to keep others in our charity and exemplify Christ's teachings through our actions and lend a helping hand to those in need.

Fraternally Yours, *Michael Kohler, Grand Knight*

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## **BROTHERS WHO ARE ILL**

**John F. Pryor, PGK [1985]  
Joseph P. Kearney [1985]  
William S. Hartnett [1965]  
Samuel L. Russo [1972]**

## **SENIOR KNIGHTS**

The Senior Knights Luncheon will be held on Wednesday, September 27 at 12 noon at the American Legion Post on 8616 Clinton St., New Hartford. New members are always welcome to attend. Please call Jim Solan for reservations at 315-768-4443

## **IN YOUR CHARITY**

**Kevin J Kearney (1957)  
Stanley C Mitura (1950)  
Stephen E. Zapisek (1967)**

## **UTICA ASSEMBLY 733 4<sup>TH</sup> DEGREE**

There will be a 4th Degree meeting on Tuesday September 26, 2023 in the 4th Degree Chambers at 7:00 pm. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. If you're interested in becoming a member of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree contact Tim Fitzgerald, Faithful Navigator. Email: [timfitzgerald21@gmail.com](mailto:timfitzgerald21@gmail.com) for more information.

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## **KNIGHTS IN THE NEWS**

Happy Birthday to **Donald A. Van Waes** [1953] on celebrating his **100<sup>th</sup> Birthday** on July 9, 2023

## **HOLIDAY NURSING HOME VISITS**

Please let us know if one of our members is in a nursing home. We will visit them during the Christmas season and present them with a gift from the Council. Charles Lange, PGK will again chair this activity. We don't want to miss anyone, so please contact us at 315-735-6171 or [kofc189@roadrunner.com](mailto:kofc189@roadrunner.com)

## **K of C INSURANCE**

If you need service on a policy, such as change of beneficiary, etc., contact Thomas McKeon Field Agent 484-343-8711 email [Thomas.Mckeon@koc.org](mailto:Thomas.Mckeon@koc.org), Joseph Grayeske Field Agent at 484-924-8449 email [Joseph.grayeske@kofc.org](mailto:Joseph.grayeske@kofc.org)

## **GYMNASIUM/FITNESS ROOM**

To schedule a time to reserve to use our facility, please call Len Montana [315-534-9584] in advance or with any questions. Refer to our Website [www.kofcutica.org](http://www.kofcutica.org) for upcoming events already scheduled.

## **NEW MEMBERS/VIRTUAL DEGREES**

Joining the Knights of Columbus has never been easier. The online application is very simple. If you know of a prospective member, send an e-mail to Len Montana, FS at [kofc189@roadrunner.com](mailto:kofc189@roadrunner.com) Len will give you, or the new member, the link – it's that easy. Also, membership degrees are also offered in a virtual format online. Contact us for new member information. NOTE: if you are a 1st or 2nd degree member yourself and never took your 2nd or 3rd degree, contact Len and he will invite you to the next Supreme Council virtual degree.

## **COUNCIL WEBSITE**

[www.kofcutica.org](http://www.kofcutica.org)

Check out our updated website. This site gives a wealth of information on the business of our local Council 189. [www.kofcutica.org](http://www.kofcutica.org) covers all Council information, upcoming events, our history of the past, and an updated calendar so you will never be left out of an event. Thanks to Mike Kohler for arranging and maintaining the Council website. With just a key stroke it's all at your fingertips. This site is updated regularly so you are constantly in the loop. Don't forget [www.kocutica.org](http://www.kocutica.org)

# 2023 June Cookout & Recognition Night



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>COMING EVENTS!</b>		<b>ITALIAN NIGHT OCTOBER 24</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26 4TH DEGREE MEETING 7 PM</b>	<b>27 SENIOR KNIGHTS AT NOON</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>