



**Knights of Columbus**  
**Immaculate Heart of Mary Council # 12845**  
**1343 Centerville Lane, Gardnerville, NV**  
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***Michael Houdyshell***  
***Grand Knight***

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***Deputy Grand Knight***

Dear brothers,

With the holiday season just behind us, we now need to look forward to our January and February activities. We can not forget that generosity and kindness is not just for the Christmas season but all year long. We have 2 bingo's this month, the 2nd and 4th Fridays. Please come and help, it is only a few hours and really helps your fellow brothers that have for so many years worked to keep are main fundraiser alive.

We have a officers meeting on the 9th and a general meeting on the 11th. Do not forget about the 50/50 drawing and the wine drawing at the monthly meetings.

The minutes of the council membership meeting held on December 12, 2016, regarding the the building formerly known as the "Knights Hall" were e-mailed or USPS mail to all , as needed. The second vote needs to be taken for the corporation's continued participation in the 5 acre project. The corporation's rough draft of the agreement to be presented to the parish and diocese may be ready for review at the council's January 11, 2017 meeting.

We still have a few positions to be filled. these are a minimal amount of work and can show your support for the council. With some of the present positions needing to be filled at the end of this fraternal year. Please consider being active in a leadership role. As you pledged as a first degree, Charity, let this be your contribution to both the Knights and your Church Community.

Do not forget that the 4th degree assembly is again putting on the Knights of Columbus Mid-Winter Fabulous Feast. They are now selling tickets for either a cioppino or prime rib dinner on February 4th at the St Gall Pastoral Center . This is a very popular dinner, If you can it would be good to get your work place to buy tickets so we can sell out this year. We only have a few weeks so please get that money in early. We can always use a little extra help with this activity.

For any 1st degree Knights that want to advance to the second degree, there is a exemplification on February 25th at Corpus Christi. A great opportunity to advance and not having to drive all the way to Reno.

God Bless  
Michael Houdyshell  
Grand Knight

## **PRAYER OF OUR COUNCIL 12845**

Heavenly Father,

We humbly ask for guidance for our Knights of Columbus Council 12845.  
Please help us to always do your will in all our deliberations, and actions.  
We ask for guidance from the Holy Spirit to drive out any fear that we may have in volunteering or carrying out our duties, replacing that fear with faith.  
We look forward with faith that we will always do what is pleasing to you.  
We thank you for allowing each of us Knights of Columbus to have the privilege serving you.

Amen

### **Columbus Hall of Immaculate Heart of Mary Corporation**

#### **December 12, 2016 Meeting Summary**

The purpose of this meeting was to determine the Corporation's future courses of action with respect to the building formerly known as the "Knights Hall". Corporation President, Jim Baushke, led the meeting. The foundation for this building is located on the Memorial Garden Property and as such will be owned by the Saint Gall Parish and not the our Corporation.

To focus on this issue, a motion was made that the corporation make no further investments to the Memorial Garden Project. After further discussion, the vote was taken and the motion was defeated unanimously.

A second motion was made to determine the will of the membership to invest further funds into the project, how much, and what type of agreement to propose to the parish and diocese. Possible features in the agreement were discussed. Before voting on this motion President Baushke assured those present that points made during the discussion would be included in developing the agreement. The vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

A committee consisting of Jim Baushke, Mike Mullins, and Tom Britanik are developing the first draft of a proposed agreement.

For more details of this meeting, see the minutes of this meeting that have been sent to all council members via e-mail or USPS mail.

## **Knights of Columbus Mid-Winter Fabulous Feast**

The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus from the Gardnerville, Carson, and Dayton councils are now selling tickets for their Mid-Winter Fabulous Feast featuring either a cioppino or prime rib dinner. Mark your calendars for February 4, 2017, and buy your tickets now so you won't miss out. Tickets are \$35 per person and can be purchased at the St. Gall Catholic Church office during the week or after most weekend masses until January 30. The proceeds from this fundraiser supports our men and women in the military, veterans, and related programs.

The event, to be held at the St. Gall Pastoral Center, 1343 Centerville Lane, Gardnerville, begins at 5:30 pm with a no-host bar serving cocktails, wine, beer, and non-alcoholic beverages. Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm starting with a Basque salad followed by dinner. The cioppino dinner is a seafood stew that includes shrimp, crab, clams, and white fish in a special Italian spiced tomato sauce, and will be served with French bread. The prime rib dinner includes potatoes and vegetables. A dessert and coffee or tea completes either dinner selection. Contact Julian Larrouy at 265-2366 for questions.



### **Coats for Kids**

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone that participated in the Coats for Kids this year. 121 coats were donated to

the Family Support Council to be given away to local families in need. Without your support Coats for Kids would not have been such a success.