



JANUARY 2026 EDITION

AWARDS BANQUET

Our annual **Awards Banquet** held on Saturday, January 17th, was a resounding success with over 110 members and spouses in attendance. It was a night of recognition and fellowship as we honored those who went above and beyond in 2025.

Award Highlights:

- **Navigator Award:** Gerry Prinster.
- **Ladies Auxiliary Member of the Year:** Mary Beth Huddleston.
- **Knight of the Year:** Awarded posthumously to Bill Thomas.
- **Columbian Award:** Awarded to our council by the Supreme Council for outstanding achievements in 2025.

CHARITY & FAITH

- **State Bowling Tournament:** We provided a \$125 sponsorship, matched by the Ladies Auxiliary for a total of **\$250**. Proceeds from the bowling tournament benefit the Special Olympics and the Center for Autism Education.
- **5th Sunday Mass:** Join us on **March 30th** at the 8:00 AM Mass. Please wear your Knights apparel. Ushers, lectors, and Eucharistic ministers needed. Please contact Matt Schwarz for info.
- **4th Degree Exemplification:** Scheduled for **March 21st** at St. Charles Borromeo Church. Contact James Piel if you are interested in participating.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Community & Socials:

- **Assumption Community Parade:** Friday, January 30th at 9:00 AM. This school procession shows appreciation to the local community. Arrive by 8:45 AM and contact Bill Bequette to join.
- **Non-Lenten Fish Fry:** Friday, February 6th from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM. Team #1 will be serving, featuring a **new fish taco dinner option!**
- **Super Bowl Party:** Sunday, February 8th. Doors open at 2:30 PM for the big game. Registration is available online.

- **Mouse Races:** Saturday, February 21st. Doors open at 6:00 PM with racing at 7:00 PM. Includes an open bar; register your table online today.

Weekly Fun:

- **Queen of Hearts:** Every Tuesday! The jackpot has climbed above **\$15,000**. Doors open at 5:00 PM with drawings at 7:00 PM. Food and drink are available for purchase.



COMPETITIONS

State Bowling Tournament:

- **Dates:** March 7th and 8th.
- **Volunteers:** Help is still needed! A signup list will be posted soon.
- **More Info:** Visit the state KOC state website for full details.

27th Annual Gentleman Euchre Classic:

- **Date:** Saturday, March 14th.
- **Time:** Doors open at 6:00 PM; games begin at 7:00 PM.
- **Cause:** All funds raised will benefit the Special Olympics.
- **Registration:** Please sign up via the website to participate.



FROM THE LADIES AUXILIARY

We are starting this year on a high note thanks to our incredible members and supporters. The Ladies Auxiliary experienced a **very successful fundraising year in 2025**. We are eager to begin putting these funds to work to directly benefit our local community throughout the coming months.

Upcoming Events

- **Blingo:** Join us on **March 22nd** for a night of fun and prizes.
- **Quarter Auction:** Mark your calendars for **June 28th**.
- **Fashion Show:** Our annual showcase will take place on **November 6th**.
- **Pro-Life Prayer Service:** Our Pro-Life representative has organized a prayer service in the chapel on **February 9th at 9:00 a.m.**. All who are able are encouraged to attend.

Social Spotlight: Bunco Night!

Looking for a fun night out? Our next social event is just around the corner:

- **Event:** Bunco
- **Date & Time:** **January 29th at 7:00 p.m.**
- **Location:** The Lower Hall
- **Special Note:** **Men are welcome** to join the fun for this social!

We look forward to a year full of many blessings and community impact. Thank you!