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Monthly Honors



KNIGHT of the MONTH: Rick Couri

FAMILY of the MONTH: Dave & Carol Bullock

These honors are bestowed with sincere appreciation for their service to our Parish and our Council.

The Grand Knight's Column



Our third and final fish fry was again a success. We served 333 dinners and made a profit of \$1,685.30 at the last fish fry. Thank you to all of our volunteers throughout the three fish fries and thank you to all who came out for dinner and be a part of the success.

Roberto Avina informed us at the officers meeting that the awning on the inn needs repaired for the nativity scene.

Please plan on attending this week's meeting as Tim Houston will be making some Sloppy Joe's before our regular meeting on Tuesday April 16th @ 6:00pm.

We had our 1st pork chop fry on Saturday April 6, 2024, at Morton's Kroger store. Bill Rogers will share how we performed at the meeting. As of April 11,2024, we are still not able to go to East Peoria as usual for our pork chop fries. So, if you see our signs around town like always go to East Peoria. If you see our signs with an addition on top that says "Now in Morton", we will be at the Morton store.

On Monday May 1st, 2024 the Scholarship Applications are due to Scholarships Committee.

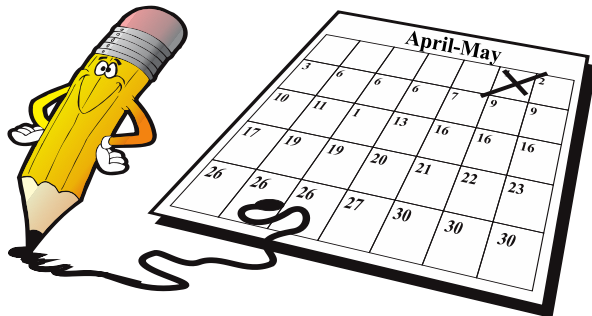
May 4 and 5 is the Pro LIFE Baby Shower.

Congratulations to this month's winners:

Knight of Month- Rick Couri

Family of the Month-Dave and Carol Bullock

God Bless,
Adolph (Arnie) Arnold G.K.



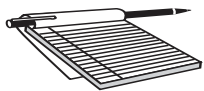
All meetings begin at 7:00PM at Parish Hall unless noted:

Regular Business Meeting	April 16
Pro-Life Baby Shower	May 4-5
Officers Meeting	May 7
Regular Business Meeting (Election of Officers)	May 21

Read on for more details on these and other activities check the church bulletin and our www.epkof.org website and look for Flock Note updates. If you know of any member in need of assistance contact or e-mail the Grand Knight at grand-knight@epkofc.org



Join Us Online... More activity pictures are located at the Council's website. Take a look at: <http://www.epkofc.org/>



Notes & Things

2024—2025 Proposed Slate of Officers

Proposed Officers - Elected Positions

Grand Knight	Adolph Arnold
Deputy Grand Knight	Roberto Avina
Chancellor	Rick Couri
Recorder	Ed Feldshau
Treasurer	Bill Rogers
Advocate	Bob Schlink
Warden	Len Vestal
Inside Guard	John Palmer
Outside Guard	Jerry Campen
Trustee (3 Year)	Greg Berry
Trustee (2 Year)	John Dickerson
Trustee (1 Year)	Tim Houston

Proposed Officers - Appointed Positions

Chaplain	Fr. Bazimenyera
Faith Director	Steve Racki III
Financial Secretary	Roy Fonseca
Lecturer	Rick Couri



Spiritual Reflection...

From: St Monica's Church Bulletin
Live The Liturgy-Inspiration

Any reader of psychological thrillers will come across the “dead main character trope” fairly often. This is the famous Sixth Sense twist ending (spoiler alert) where the reader finds that the main character has been dead for all or most of the story.

I'm always a little disappointed when this happens. It delivers shock value, sure, but it also undermines everything that happens in the story. You've come on a journey with this character, only to find out that nothing you saw transpire was real in the way you thought it was. You feel a little stupid, because the whole time you only had part of the truth.

I suspect Jesus knows this about us. He knows we don't like to have the rug pulled out. It's why he is so up-front about his humanity following the resurrection. See how Jesus, resurrected, shows the disciples his feet, his hands. See how he asks them for food and lets them watch him eat it. See how this creates in them an understanding, a belief.

The humanity of Jesus Christ is absolutely crucial. It's what bridges the divide between the sons of Eve and the God she defied. Our reconciliation with God cannot happen unless human flesh pays the price that will balance the scales. Human flesh: skin that can tear and bleed, bones that can break, a mouth that can thirst, a stomach that can ache with hunger.

The passion and death of Jesus Christ is not a thriller with a twist ending: he was a ghost the whole time! The twist, if anything, is this: he was human the whole time.

— Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



April Birthdays

These Brother Knights celebrate their birthday in April:

Paul Blough, Jerome Campen, Juan Chanto, Rick Couri, Michael G. Couri, Dr. Ray Ramirez, and Leonard Vestal.

May the coming year bless them with happiness, health and grace.



Attend & Earn

Join us at the monthly business meeting at St. Monica's Parish Hall and win some money. February “50-cent” drawing went to Bill Rogers. He donated the winnings to the Nativity. February “Must attend” pot of \$25 would have gone to Paul Blough if he was present. You must be present to win. Please join us.

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