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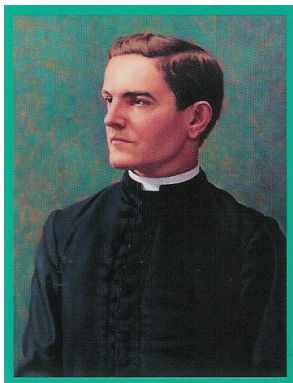
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What is the Knights of Columbus organization?

The Knights of Columbus is a family, fraternal, service organization based on the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. The order has 1.6 million members throughout the free world.

The order was founded in 1882 in New Haven, Connecticut by Father Michael J. McGivney. His purpose was to help Catholic men remain steadfast in their faith through mutual encouragement;



to promote closer ties of fraternity among them; and to set up an elementary system of insurance so that widows and children of members in the group who might die would not find themselves in dire financial straits.

The name "Knights of Columbus" was chosen because the founder and first officers felt that it should relate to Christopher Columbus, the Catholic discoverer of America. This would emphasize that it was Catholics who discovered, explored and colonized the North American continent. At the same time "Knights" would signify that the membership embodied knightly ideals of spirituality and service to Church, country and fellow man.

Who can become a member?

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to practical Catholic men in union with the Holy See, who are at least 18 years of age. A practical Catholic is one who lives up to the Commandments of God and the Precepts of the Church.

How do I become a member?

Application forms are available from any member of the Knights of Columbus. Every Knight is happy to propose eligible Catholic men for consideration as members. If favorably voted upon, the applicant becomes a member by initiation in what is known as the First Degree. He subsequently is advanced through additional ceremonies known as the Second and Third Degree. After six months as a member, the Knight has the option of becoming a Fourth Degree "Sir Knight".



L-r Back row: White, Robertson, Zimmerman, Budde, Ouimet, Boyle, Cabacungan, Horan, Fr. Eric, Smit, McCulloch

Tell me about the history of St. Joseph's Council 9202?

St. Joseph's Council 9202 was chartered January 24, 1986 by then Supreme Knight Virgil Dechant. The new Knights then set out to chart a bold course of action for the Catholic men of St. Joseph Parish that continues to this day. We celebrated 24 years of service in 2010.

What activities does the St. Joseph Council support?

The St. Joseph's Council of the Knights of Columbus is very active. The annual community service activities include: the Annual Fund Drive for Mental Retardation, providing a community dinner at Thanksgiving in the parish hall (members of the community unable to travel have their meals delivered),

In addition, the council has been very active in the annual golf tournaments and parish festivals, annually conducts a youth Free Throw Basketball Tournament, provides financial support to needy families, Immaculate Heart Radio station (KSMH), the Lincoln Little League, holds annual Christmas and Easter parties for the youth, and provides scholarships to graduating seniors.

The council sponsors the Squires for young men ages 10 - 18.

The GO-TO Men

When Father needs work done around the parish, he knows he can turn to the Knights. The Knights are the Go-To Men if it needs to get done, large or small. We are always looking for more Go-To men, the leaders, the doers and shakers.

Where can I get more information?

Any member of the St. Joseph Knights of Columbus Council 9202 can provide you with additional information. Phone numbers and e-mail addresses for the Grand Knight and Membership Chairman are shown on the back of this brochure.