



# The mpass



**Knights of Columbus**  
**Monsignor George Lewis Smith Council No. 3684**  
**Monsignor George Lewis Smith Assembly No. 1074**  
A Catholic, Family, Fraternal, Service Organization

**November-December 2018**

**Meetings: Council No. 3684, 7:30PM, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays; Assembly No. 1074, 7:30PM, 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday**

**Bingo every Monday, 7:00PM, Columbus Club Hall, 1003 Spaulding Dr., Aiken, South Carolina 29803**

## **Grand Knight's Report**

Kevin P. O'Donnell, Grand Knight, [kod327@msn.com](mailto:kod327@msn.com)

### **Brother Knights**

Knights of Columbus, and Sheppard Community Blood Center will host a blood drive at Saint Mary Help of Christians Church On Fairfield Street

Saturday December 1<sup>st</sup> from 3:30 to 7:00 PM

Sunday December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7:45 AM to 1:30 PM

The Knights of Columbus are asking for your help!

This is the time of the year to show the Holiday Spirit.

Open your hearts and donate blood, the gift of life.

You Can Help Save Someone's Life, perhaps even your own!

FATZ Café of Aiken,

Sheppard Community Blood Center, and

The Knights of Columbus Council No. 3684

Are offering nine (9) gift certificates for FATZ Cafe.

All donors will be entered into the drawing

The certificates are for \$25.00 each

Donors should drink plenty of water prior to donating!

You will need a picture ID, driver's license, or donor card to donate.

Each donor will receive a T-Shirt and a

Free Lipid Profile after your 3<sup>rd</sup> donation in a calendar year

Thank you

Vince Ingrasciotta

### **Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass**

Council #3684 & Assembly #1074

Old St. Mary Help of Christians Church

Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> 2018, 7:30PM

Knights, Sir Knights, their Ladies and Widows are invited

Ladies Auxiliary will be serving refreshments in Smith Hall after Mass

## **Navigator's Log**

Edward H. Cordes, Faithful Navigator, [ehc58@comcast.net](mailto:ehc58@comcast.net)

### **Brother Knights**

Please consider participating in the Knights of Columbus Golf Classic at Cedar Creek Golf Club on Saturday, November 3, 2018 as a sponsor and/or as a participant. Cedar Creek is in great shape. The format is Captain's Choice best ball, shotgun start, registration is at 9:00 AM, and tee off is at 10:00 AM. Details are on the Sponsorship and Registration Forms. The deadline for registration is October 27, 2018 (not October 22 as indicated on form) but registration after this date will likely be accepted. Cost is \$65 for 18 holes, cart, meal at the end of the tournament, door prizes, 2nd place prize, and 1st place prize. Fill out the registration form (individuals up to teams of four) and send with a check to: Mark Kranjc, 103 Cobbs Way, Aiken, SC 29803.

Proceeds go to charities supported by the Knights of Columbus. Thank you for your generosity.  
Mark Kranjc, 803-646-4206

### **Veterans Outreach**

Thank you, SK Wayman Johnson, for your initiative in getting this program going and promoting it for 12 years!  
Vivat Jesus!

We are continuing our VA Outreach with visits to the VA Medical Center once per month. We could use additional volunteers, just 4 to 5 hours of time you can spare once per month.

Monsignor George Lewis Smith Assembly No. 1074 VA Outreach Program received the International "To Be a Patriot" award from Supreme for the 2006-2007 fraternal year and the District "To Be a Patriot" award a couple years ago. SK Wayman Johnson began the VA Outreach Program during the 2006-2007 fraternal year, twelve years ago.

"Don't ever question the value of volunteers. Noah's Ark was built by volunteers; the Titanic was built by professionals."

Wayman Johnson, (803) 648-4378, Cell: 803.507.0349, [waymanrosa@atlanticbb.net](mailto:waymanrosa@atlanticbb.net)

## **Monsignor George Lewis Smith Council 3684**

### **Monsignor George Lewis Smith Assembly 1074**

#### **Brothers**

Please join me and other Brothers every Month prior to the first Knights of Columbus Meeting to pray the Rosary. The time is 7:05 PM. We will go into the Bar area to pray the Rosary. I ask everyone joining to observe silence.

Thanks, Stephen Baris

#### **Columbus Club**

Brother Knights of Council 3684, Assembly 1074, and Members of the Ladies Auxiliary.

Brother Knights the following is an overview of recent Columbus Club Activities and some future outlook on the light side.

##### **Oktoberfest**

The Oktoberfest was a success with approximately 133 tickets sold and we had some good Sponsors. Plenty of food, drinks, boiled peanuts, with music and dancing. Not to mention a few tall tales told by the young and old. (Note: extra food went to the Salvation Army.)

If you haven't attended an Oktoberfest, please consider planning to attend next year. It is fair to say that the cost is well worth it. Even if you only come and dine, you won't go away thirsty or hungry. Guaranteed!!

Thanks to all that assisted in selling tickets, obtaining food stuff, getting things ready, and the always enjoyable clean-up. (Food and Beverage-SK Fraser; Tickets-SK Schreck to highlight a hidden special thx)

##### **Fish Fry**

The Fish Fry is Friday, Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 PM. So, buy your tickets and/or be a Sponsor.

##### **Rummage Sale**

The rummage sale is Fri and Sat, Nov.16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> at the Columbus Club. Tuesday morning, Nov 13<sup>th</sup> we'll set up the hall about 9:00 AM. Tuesday night at 7:00 PM we will start bringing in items to be sold.

Remember the pick-ups are a pain and moving the items from the storage containers into the hall, Wed Nov 14, is a pain. Marion could and really needs help in organizing and pricing items on the tables Wed/Thurs, Nov 14, 15. To alleviate some of the pain; please come and help move/organize items in the Hall. Please come and help to load up unsold items on Sat, Nov 17<sup>th</sup> to take to Good-Will. This act will alleviate the rest of the pain.

##### **Work Activities**

We probably should've taken down names, but, in the past we have mentioned that " it's amazing what gets accomplished, if no one cares who gets the credit". So, Keep Volunteering or Sponsoring, Santa Claus knows, who's been naughty or nice.

\*The Knights helped set up, cook, and cleaned-up at the Chocolate Festival. Some Knights gave blood in some cases in lieu of Chocolate.

\*The Knights also worked at the cemetery and assisted in placing (11) eleven pallets of sod. It's greener on the top side.

\*The Knights placed some limited rock on the KC area roads; which needs more rock, but read between the lines.

\*A Knight installed some lights. with an Italian touch, in the Club entrance way and painted the exterior lights adjacent to the front door.

\*We want to install some new doors in the main hall, as well as paint the main hall. There will be a bulletin sent out on

dates for that in near future; it's only time and money. If you find some, please let us know and where to find it.

\*Also want to have an outside clean-up/fix-up in near future. Keep an eye out for details, requests etc.

\*We also had a couple of rentals, that have put some money toward our commitments / improvement funds. (Could always use some volunteers to work the events. (Basically baby-sit the event)

\*Remember there's always room for Bingo volunteers, one Monday a month. Contact Jim Loftis if you have a Bingo Feeling.

In addition to the above, in discussions with the Church Office, remember when wanting to set up and sell tickets for Knights' events or give out Knights' items; schedule your activity with the Church Office. Father wants to limit the number of people and organizations in the Church court-yard to (2) two or (3) three. Just get with the church office, they will explain.

In closing, Thanks to all the Brother Knights, for all that you do and donate. Amen

Brother Knight, Mark Szymanski, 803-645-1405

#### **Knights of Columbus**

##### **Think You Are Too Old for Coverage? Maybe Not**

You are never too young or too old to consider purchasing life insurance. If you have a financial need for coverage, or will in the future, a permanent life insurance policy can be just the thing you need.

When you are young and presumably healthy, coverage will be very inexpensive when compared to purchasing the same policies when you are older.

If you've put off purchasing coverage, or you realize that you may need additional insurance, the Order may still be able to help you, even if other companies cannot. In fact, in 2012, the issue age of our permanent life insurance products was extended to age 80, and in 2014, the issue age of our term insurance was extended to age 70. Naturally, your health, and whether or not you smoke, will be taken into consideration, so underwriting standards for risk and age apply. But, the extensions are a great blessing for me; and it could be for you too. Now I can help members that I could not help before. Are you or one of your brother knights one of those members?

Whether you're 18 or 80, the Knights of Columbus has products that will work for you and your family. I look forward to discussing coverage with you.

Ray Visotski, PGK, FA, 803-507-5187,

Ray.Visotski@KofC.org

**TEAM #1**

Jan 29, 2018  
Feb 26, 2018  
Mar 26, 2018  
Apr 23, 2018  
May 21, 2018  
Jun 18, 2018  
Jul 16, 2018  
Aug 13, 2018  
Sep 10, 2018  
Oct 08, 2018  
Nov 05, 2018  
Dec 03, 2018

**TEAM #2**

Jan 08, 2018  
Feb 05, 2018  
Mar 05, 2018  
Apr 02, 2018  
Apr 30, 2018  
May 28, 2018  
Jun 25, 2018  
Jul 23, 2018  
Aug 20, 2018  
Sep 17, 2018  
Oct 15, 2018  
Nov 12, 2018  
Dec 10, 2018

**TEAM #3**

Jan 15, 2018  
Feb 12, 2018  
Mar 12, 2018  
Apr 09, 2018  
May 07, 2018  
Jun 04, 2018  
Jul 02, 2018  
Jul 30, 2018  
Aug 27, 2018  
Sep 24, 2018  
Oct 22, 2018  
Nov 19, 2018  
Dec 17, 2018

**TEAM #4**

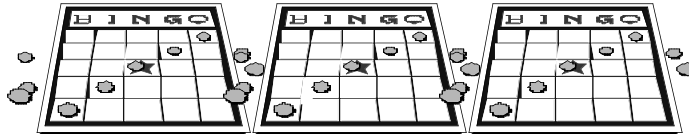
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Oct 01, 2018  
Oct 29, 2018  
Nov 26, 2018

**Council Meetings 7:30PM 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays; Assembly Meeting 7:30PM 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday**

Ask a friend and family to join us for BINGO, Columbus Club Hall  
**SOFT** chairs!

Columbus Club Hall  
1003 Spaulding Drive  
Aiken, South Carolina  
Every Monday, 7:00PM

**BINGO! 2018 BINGO!**



“The Ladies Cafe”



**Council 3684 Officers**

July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

Grand Knight:	Kevin P. O'Donnell
Deputy Grand Knight:	Richard J. Hesson
Chancellor:	Randall T. Brown, PFN
Warden:	Frank Novotny
Recorder:	Mark D. Kranjc
Treasurer:	Charles R. Goergen, PGK, PFN, FDD, PSW
Advocate:	Craig S. Burgess
Inside Guard:	Michael G. Serrato
Outside Guard:	Michael D. Pawley
Financial Secretary:	James G. Loftis, PGK, PFN
Trustee 3 yrs:	Thomas N. Baker, PGK
Trustee 2 yrs:	David Didimamoff, PGK
Trustee 1 yr:	Dennis A. Fraser, PFN, PGK
Lecturer:	Max B. Gorenssek, PGK, PFN
District Deputy Chaplain	Sherril (Ed) Wilcox
Insurance Agent	Rev. Michel Bineen Mukad Ray Visotski, PGK, 803-507-5187, rav.visotski@kofc.org

**Assembly 1074 Officers**

July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

Faithful Navigator:	Edward H. Cordes
Faithful Captain:	Daniel E. Mefford
Faithful Pilot:	Joseph Deskevich, Jr.
Faithful Purser:	Thomas A. Arnedos
Faithful Comptroller:	Maximillian B. Gorenssek
Faithful Scribe:	Mark D. Kranjc
Faithful Inner Sentinel:	Richard J. Hesson
Faithful Outer Sentinel:	Alejandro J. Leguizamon
Faithful Trustee 3 Year:	Randall T. Brown
Faithful Trustee 2 Year:	Wayman J. Johnson
Faithful Trustee 1 Year:	William G. Collins, Jr.
Faithful Admiral:	John R. Shea
Faithful Friar	Very Rev. Gregory B. Wilson, VF
Commander of the Guard	James G. Loftis
Insurance Agent	Ray Visotski, PGK, 803-507-5187, ray.visotski@kofc.org

**Ladies' Auxiliary Officers**

July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

President	Carole Casciotta
Vice President	Marion Engel
Secretary/ Treasurer	Mary Ann Burgess

**Compass Editor**

The next issue of *The Compass* will be for January and February 2019. Please provide e-mail input to: Pat Welsh, [jpwelsh@bellsouth.net](mailto:jpwelsh@bellsouth.net) by, 8:00PM, Friday, 4 January 2019. (803) 648 2140.

**Calendar**

2018 Meetings

- Nov 07: Columbus Club 7:30 PM
- Nov 14: Council 3684 Meeting 7:30 PM
- Nov 21: Assembly 1074 Meeting 7:30 PM
- Nov 28: Council 3684 Meeting 7:30 PM
- Dec 05: Columbus Club 7:30 PM
- Dec 12: Council 3684 Meeting 7:30 PM
- Dec 19: Assembly 1074 Meeting 7:30 PM

2018 Events

- Oct 31: 8:00 PM, November-December 2018 Compass input to: Pat Welsh, [jpwelsh@bellsouth.net](mailto:jpwelsh@bellsouth.net)
- Nov. 9: Fish Fry
- Nov 10: United States Marine Corps Birthday, 1775
- Nov 11: Veterans Day
- Dec 16: National Guard Birthday 1636
- Dec 25: Nativity of our Lord (Christmas): Holy Day of Obligation

**BINGO Schedule**

Bingo every Monday, 7:00PM, Columbus Club Hall, 1003 Spaulding Dr., Aiken, South Carolina 29803. All are welcome. Please come and enjoy.

**Veterans Outreach visit schedule****Knights of Columbus life insurance**

Sir Knight Ray Visotski is the Knights of Columbus life insurance Field Agent for several Councils, including 3684. Contact information is: Ray Visotski, PGK, 803-507-5187, [ray.visotski@kofc.org](mailto:ray.visotski@kofc.org)

**Compass Online**

St Mary Help of Christians Parish web site  
<http://www.stmarys-aiken.org>

**South Carolina Knights of Columbus Calendar of events:**

<http://southcarolinaknights.org/>