



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Grand Knight Report:

Hopefully all of you had a great Christmas and a very good start to the New Year. As I look at the first part of the new boards tenure I feel we have a good start to doing some very positive things for our parish, community and organization. This past year we held the spaghetti supper for the school. We have hosted a dinner in honor of our Priest, as 2009 was the year of the Priest. We helped with Jenny's Over the Hill Ride. We helped the Ladies of St. James with the Glory "B" Tea as well as several other projects. In the New Year we have planned several other events that will need YOUR help. The Fish Fries are coming up during Lent, which is our main fundraiser for our Council. So please plan on being there to help. When you are contacted by a Brother Knight to work, please volunteer your time for ALL three Fish Fries. Our Council is only as strong as its membership. Ask yourself, "Am I doing everything I can to give time to the Knights and how can I do more to be involved" Please check the calendar on St. James web site for dates.

Important Dates for this Quarter:

Jan. 2nd & 3rd - Roses for Life! Arrive 20 mins. Before your Mass to help out!
Jan. 30th - Chili Supper after 5pm Mass.
Jan. 31st – Fifth Sunday Breakfast 7am-11am.
Feb. 17th – Lent Begins!
Feb. 25th – Cut Fish and setup for Friday's Fish Fry! 6pm-8pm.
Feb. 26th – Fish Fry 5pm-8pm. If you can arrive early (12pm) for setup notify GK!
Mar. 11th - Cut Fish and setup for Friday's Fish Fry! 6pm-8pm.
Mar. 12th - Fish Fry 5pm-8pm. If you can arrive early (12pm) for setup notify GK!
Mar. 28th – 2nd & 3rd Degree in Smithville, 1pm start!

Other Comments:

Membership dues are \$30 and are due in January. Come to your meetings to get your membership card after you have paid. If your email address has changed please notify your Grand Knight of your new email address.

Fourth Degree meeting the third Thursday of every month at 7pm in Excelsior Springs.

Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday in our parish!