



NEWTON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWSLETTER



*In Service to One.
In Service to All.*



AUGUST 2026



TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE

— HELPING PEOPLE WITH
INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES —



**WEEKEND OF
SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2026**

The Annual Newton Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive will be held the weekend of September 25-27.

Looking for volunteers to help pass out Tootsie Rolls at the entrance of the Newton Football Game Friday, September 25 and at the Masses on Saturday and Sunday.



IF YOU CAN HELP, CONTACT JASON AT 618-562-5822

AUGUST STAG

Ste. Marie

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 2026

Menu:

Porkburgers,
Baked Beans
and Sweet Corn



All are Welcome!

★ MEAL WILL BE HELD IN STE. MARIE ★

BARNEY'S BURGER & CHICKEN DINNER



CHOOSE BETWEEN
A SMASH BURGER
OR CHICKEN LEGS



SIDES:

- HASHBROWN CASSEROLE
- BAKED BEANS

**SMASH
BURGERS
MADE TO
ORDER!**

\$10

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 7TH
5-8 PM**

UPCOMING EVENTS

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August 13, 2026 – Feast day for Blessed Michael J. McGivney

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August 18, 2026 – Council (3rd Degree) Meeting 7pm

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August 25, 2026 – August Stag @ Ste. Marie 7pm

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September 8, 2026 – Council (3rd Degree) Meeting 7pm

SEP
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September 22, 2026 – September Stag Meal TBD



† RECENT DEATHS FROM OUR COUNCIL †

June 8, 2026

† Sir Knight Daniel Meinhardt

June 19, 2026

† Brother Knight James Kocher

July 5, 2026

† Brother Knight David Dhom

July 11, 2026

† Sir Knight Norbert Ochs

July 27, 2026

† Brother Knight Rodger Shamhart

*Eternal rest grant
unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual
light shine upon
them. May they
rest in peace.
Amen.*



THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITH, YOUR SERVICE, AND YOUR BROTHERHOOD.

God Bless You and Your Families!



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

NEWTON KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



★ Ronald Bierman August 1
★ Kenneth Miller August 1
★ Gerald Schackmann August 2
★ Dean Swingler August 2
★ Justin Mahaffey August 3
★ Kenneth Helregel August 4
★ Scott Strutner August 4
★ Roger Zumbahlen August 4
★ Travis Blank August 5
★ Anthony Meinhart August 5
★ Joseph Frichtl August 6
★ Bruce Smithenry August 6
★ Daniel Kerner August 7
★ Matthew Zumbahlen August 7
★ Ramon Kocher August 8
★ Steven Volk August 8
★ Garrett Hall August 9

★ Joseph Hemrich August 10
★ David Kuhl August 11
★ James Ping August 13
★ Joshua Ochs August 14
★ Lance Zumbahlen August 15
★ Kelly Hinterscher August 16
★ Mitchell Stark August 16
★ Mark Nix August 17
★ Franklin Geier August 19
★ Mark Phillips August 19
★ Clint Bergbower August 20
★ Andrew Lidy August 21
★ Bradley Ochs August 21
★ Dominic Ginder August 23
★ Derek Hutchison August 24

★ Francis Ochs August 25
★ Gerald Bergbower August 26
★ Rick Cochran August 27
★ Matthew Ochs August 27
★ Ryan Rohr August 27
★ Eric Weber August 27
★ Jeffrey Miller August 28
★ Eric Blake August 30
★ Roy Will August 30

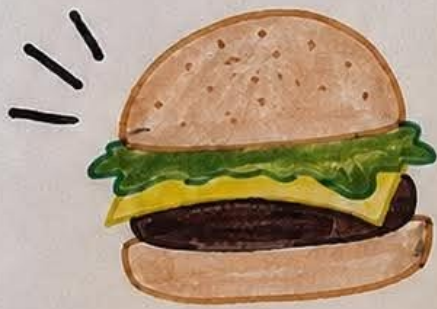


*We thank God for the gift
of our Brother Knights.
May He continue to bless you
and your families!*

★ HAPPY BIRTHDAY KNIGHTS! ★

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HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH PICNIC

Wendelin, Illinois

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2026

10:00 AM – 10:00 PM ★

5782 Ingraham Lane • Newton, IL 62448

★ **FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!** ★★

Famous Chicken Dinner

- Serving in Parish Hall until 4:00 PM
- Adults: \$12
- Children (6-12): \$6
- 5 & Under: **FREE**



Dinner Tickets Sold: 10:45 AM – 3:45 PM



**Lunch Stand Food
Available All Day**

- ★ Live Music All Day
- ★ Kids Games
- ★ Inflatables
- ★ Dunk Tank
- ★ Pedal Tractor Pulls
- ★ Country Store
- ★ Raffle
- ★ Bingo
- ★ Beer Garden



IMPORTANT

Church grounds must be cleared by 10:00 PM

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING HOLY CROSS PARISH!