



**Knights of Columbus Council 2439  
Monthly Meeting Tuesday, January 13, 2009  
At 7:30 PM - Anthony Hall**

Brother George Gerspacher is responsible for January's refreshments.  
Brother Dan Goffin is responsible for February's refreshments.

**CHRISTMAS CHEER UPDATE**

The Christmas Cheer program was a success once again, in that we helped 21 families with a turkey and all the trimmings for a Christmas dinner as well as enough food to get them all by for several weeks. Thanks to all those who showed up at Jeff Gries' place on Saturday, Dec. 20th and helped deliver the food. The baskets were all delivered by 11am! Thanks to all who bought raffle tickets, and to those that donated food and money to buy food. The snowy, icy weather closed school at Regis for several days and the food we usually received from them wasn't collected as usual. However, our Brother Knights stepped up when called and more than made up for any shortage we might have had. We had an overflowing collection of food! Special thanks go out to Conrad Spenner, the Estate of Walt Spenner, and Jerry Weis for their generous donations. Also, let us all please remember to pray for the repose of Walt Spenner's soul.

The Christmas Cheer dinner was well attended and everyone seemed to have a lot of fun. Please patronize all those businesses that helped our program by donating raffle prizes. A list of raffle prizes and winners will be available at the next meeting or by contacting Jerry Etzel. Thanks for everyone's help in making this another successful year!

Kent Purdy, Chairman

**CEREMONIALS**

We will have a 1st Degree ceremonial during the March meeting at Anthony Hall. Corvallis Council will host the conferring of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees of the Order on Saturday, January 24th at St. Mary's Parrish in Corvallis. Sherwood Council will host a 2nd & 3rd Degree on Saturday, February 21.

**ROE v. WADE RALLY**

A Roe vs. Wade rally is being held at Pioneer Courthouse Square on January 18th in Portland at 2:00pm. They expect as many as 5000 people (and perhaps many pro-choice radicals trying to disrupt the rally). Archbishop Vlazny will be a Keynote speaker. Please attend if you are able.

**CRAB DINNER**

We will be having our annual crab dinner, Sunday, January 25 from 4:00pm to 7:00pm at Anthony Hall. Whole crab dinner \$22, half crab dinner \$15 and for those who don't eat crab, there will be chicken dinner for \$12. Proceeds will go toward vocations. For more information contact Randy Buchheit at 503-932-5101.

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH**

That the family may become more and more a place of training in charity, personal growth and transmission of the faith.

**PRAYERS**

Charlie Stack and Walt Spenner.

**GOOD OF THE ORDER WINNERS**

\$5 – Ron Bernt, Joe Spenner, Tom Meyerhofer \$4 – Eric Smith, Leo Brinkman, Dave Wendell \$0 – Dan Heuberger  
Monthly Drawing \$40 – Tom Bochsler (not present).  
Christmas Drawing Winner \$45 – Steven Keudell.

**Grand Knight Jerry Etzel**  
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**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

Paul Bischoff, Ralph Bochsler, Robert Bradford, David Butler, Dean Butler, Arthur Christiansen, Dean Christiansen, Dalbert Dalke, Lee Erickson, Gerald Etzel, Jared Heuberger, Glenn Hilton, Ronald Lulay, Anton Mack, Alan McMahan, Rev. Antonio Monteiro, Michael Stuckart, Benjamin Yost, and Steven Zuber.