



FR. SHYSHKOWICH COUNCIL #8925



February 2024



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Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!



Brothers,
Br. Peter Washchyshyn has arranged for all of us to attend a communion breakfast on Sunday morning, February 11 at Holy Family Home. It will begin with Divine Liturgy with Fr. Sianchuk at 11am in the lovely nursing home chapel. All Knights of our council are urged to attend and to respond positively to a personal invitation from our phoning committee. After the breakfast, we will be blessed with a presentation from the CEO of the home, Ms. A. Peeler. There is a nominal fee of \$10.

We will be holding our annual Fish Fries in March. We need you to attend this month's meetings to become aware of our plans for this major fundraiser and your role to ensure its success.

I invite all of you to:

1. Respond with a "yes" when you are notified about the communion breakfast for our council on
2. Pick up and sell your ICCD tickets from Br. Don Gulchak. Please respond to his phone calls.
3. Attend this month's meetings on Feb. 8 (planning) and Feb. 12 (business).
4. Sign up for assisting at our Fish Fries.
5. Complete the K of C environmental safety and the provincial food handlers' courses offered online. Our council will pay for any fees.
6. Contact one of the officers or directors (executive) to offer your assistance in other committees that interest you.
7. Encourage new members to join.
8. Pay your membership dues.

PLANNING MEETING

Thursday February 8

7 pm



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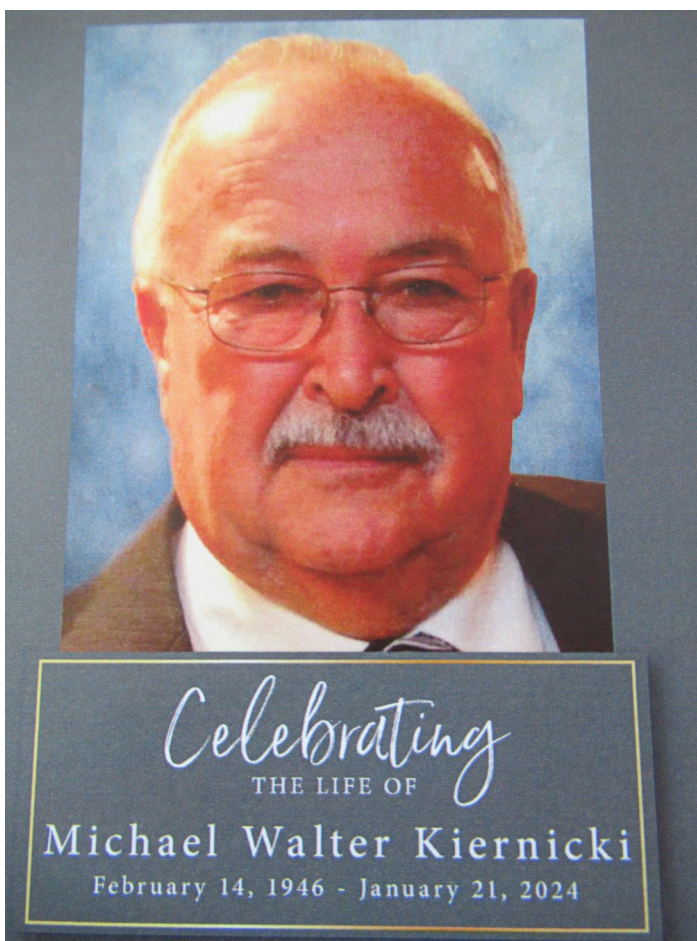
COUNCIL MEETING

Monday February 12

7 pm

As the time of the Great Fast (Lent) has begun, we are obliged to prepare spiritually for the resurrection of our Lord at Pascha (Easter). We should make time in the “heart month” of February to:

1. Attend the half-day retreat sponsored by our brothers at St. Nicholas parish. See the poster in this bulletin for further information.
2. Improve our spiritual life by attending liturgies in church and praying the rosary.
3. Show our love to family, friends, and others by kind words and deeds.
4. Contact our brother Knights and others to make sure they are doing well.
5. Improve our physical fitness through appropriate activities.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of our brother and Past Grand Knight, Michael Walter Kiernicki, who recently fell asleep in the Lord. Br. Michael's gentle manner and strong leadership, especially in recent years, contributed greatly to the vitality of our Council and to its many achievements. May his legacy of dedication to our council and parish be a continuing example for all of us. To his loving wife Hazel, a frequent partner of Mike's when hosting many council events, and to the rest of his family and many friends, we extend our deepest condolences and assurances of our prayers. We will remember him! Vichnaya Pamyat!

Michael Ryczak

Grand Knight

The Perogy Bee needs extra help with clean up. As you know from Fish Fry, the cooking and distribution of your product takes a huge number of volunteers. Similarly, with the Perogy Bee, we have many positions to be filled. Hopefully many of our Knights and their wives will come out to help.

We do need assistance with clean up. You are welcome to come for lunch around 12:00 pm, have a bite and then tackle the cleanup chores.

Upcoming Perogy Bees

February 12 & 13

March 5 & 6 and 19 & 20 (pre-Easter orders)

April (nice long break after perogy bee and Easter prep) 23 & 24

May 14 & 15



Steve Sumka



February 2023

FEBRUARY

- 4 Raymond Rawluk
- 8 Harvey Slobodzian
- 10 Richard Safiniuk
- 16 Edward Tycholis
- 17 Michael Ryczak
- 27 Peter Washchyshyn





The Knights of Columbus
Father Filipow Council # 8944



Hosting

Knights Lenten Retreat



LENT

Retreat Master
Rev. Fr. Larry Kondra, CSsR

"There is an appointed time for Everything"

Ecclesiastes 3:1

It's time to get back to the Basics!

Saturday February 17, 2024

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St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church
737 Bannerman Avenue

Program

9 am. Registration & Coffee

9:30 am. Program start

10:15 am. Coffee

10:30 am. Program continues

11:15 am. Moleben Service

11:50 pm. Closing program

\$5.00 per guest



"Bring A Tin For The Lenten Bin"

{Remembering Those Less Fortunate Than Us}





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Father Filipow Council # 8944



January 25, 2024

Worthy Grand Knight



Knight's Lenten Retreat Invitation

Father Filipow Council #8944, wish to invite your Council to join us in our Knight's Lenten Retreat, being held on Saturday February 17, 2024. Our Lenten Retreat will be hosted at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, 737 Bannerman Ave. {Bannerman Ave. & Arlington Str.}

This function is to enlighten and prepare us for the Great Lent before us, while promoting solidarity between our Councils, Church's and their Members. We encourage all brothers to bring a friend who may want to enhance & embrace themselves within our faith at this very special time.

We are extremely honored to have as our Retreat Master, Rev. Father Larry Kondra, CSsR of The Welcome Home A Mission of St. Alphonsus. Rev. Father Larry, will bring knowledge about our Faith and Traditions, while bringing vast experience working within our communities.

Please RSVP the number of members & friends from your Council, so we may prepare our refreshment requirements for this event, by Wednesday February 14, 2024. By email or calling Brother Robert Erstelle at 204 – 339-3837 or emailing at Coltsp2015@gmail.com Brother Peter Skrinski at 204 – 632-0484 or emailing at pmskrinski@shaw.ca

We hope & pray to see many of you on Saturday morning February 17, 2024 at St. Nick's

Viva Jesus!

Brother Conor Lynch

Grand Knight Brother Conor Lynch
Father Filipow Council

FUNDRAISING I.C.C.D BOOKS

Brothers, as mentioned in the last newsletter, this fundraiser has not even come out from the starting gate. Brothers, we should be half way to the finish line. Last year we had almost 200 books sold at this time. Please revisit this fundraiser and mark this URGENT. I have made it my priority to have these books available on the Saturday and Sunday masses with the hopes of having each member of our Council take or purchase at least 2 books each. Manitoba State has even given us bonuses of \$2.00 for every SOLD book forwarded before Feb. 15. 2024. Please support our largest charity fundraiser. Our Council needs these funds to assist our charities and our commitment to our church.

Brothers, this week we will be at NO FRILLS Jan 29, 30,31 and maybe Feb 1, 2, 3rd if I can get more than 6 people to sit for 4 hrs on any given day. Please call if you can help, thank you.

SUPER BOWL TICKETS

Brothers please forward all your sold ticket stubs to either Br. Bohdan or Br. Don within the next week in order to get them all in order.

Thank you all who purchased and supported this fundraiser event.

Super Bowl Sunday is February 11, 2024. Good Luck to all!

Br. Don Gulchak I.C.C.D. Fund Raising Chairman

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Bulletin and Meeting Dates

2023 - 2024 Columbian Year

Bulletin Submission Deadline (Monday)	Planning Meeting (Thursday, 7:00)	Business Meeting (Monday, 7:00)
January 29	February 8	February 12
February 26	March 7 (tentative)	March 11
March 25	April 4	April 8
April 29	May 9	May 13
May 27	June 6 (tentative)	
	June 10 – Business and Fraternal	

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