



Knights See See

Knights of Columbus — New Prague, MN 56071

July 2017

New Prague Council 2023

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Dear Brother Knights,

I would like to thank Greg Solheid for his great work this past year as Grand Knight. I will work hard to continue to do the job as well as those who

have served before me have done. We have a great group of elected officers ready to advise our council: Lyle Malecha, Deputy Grand Knight; LuVerne Malecha, Chancellor; Jim Wagner, Warden; Roger Skluzacek,

Inside Guard; and Newell Rauschke, Outside Guard.

I hope everyone is enjoying the summer and will have time to attend the picnic on June 30th. Ron Bruzek and Mike Bisek plan on serving us with some fine summer food.

This will be the first time that the See See will be delivered electronically unless you have requested a paper copy. If you do not receive it by email, please contact one of the officers with your email address. You should also be able to pull up the See See on the council web site, newpraguekc.org.

We will again be having bingo at the Scott County Fair. Bingo will be played in the gazebo at the fairgrounds in Jordan on Friday, July 28th, Saturday, July 29th, and Sunday, July 30th. If you are able to help, give Ken Kes a call at 953-758-3578.

The ordering of New Prague Knights of Columbus shirts has started. The cost of each shirt will be approximately \$20.00 to

K. of C. HALL BULLETIN OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 13Third Degree K.C. Meeting

Wednesday, July 26K. C. District Meeting

Thursday, August 10Third Degree K.C. Meeting

For all your special events
and celebrations,
call Larry Entinger, 952-873-6369
Check out our website
www.newpraguekc.org

\$25.00. If you are interested in ordering one, call Mel Malecha at 952-758-3877.
Our meeting will be on July

13th. Hope to see you there! Again, enjoy the summer and may God bless.

Vivat Jesus!
Mel Malecha
Grand Knight

CHAPLAIN’S MESSAGE

Is the fourth of July more than picnics, parades and fireworks?
Even though these items are great and they build community, I pray that we can take part of the day and even the month to focus on our great nation.
Our democracy was born from the declaration that was at the birth of country. Now more than ever we need to come together so that we can be, “one nation under God.”
Our representative republic can grow even stronger if we work together. Despite our

problems, we enjoy a quality of life that is among the greatest in the world. Our duty as citizens calls us to be informed and to take action.
One great right that we have is the freedom of religion. Unlike some countries we are free to believe in God and practice a faith life. We can gather as a religious community and celebrate with little or no governmental control. We can let our faith influence our decisions.
We, as a church, can have our place in the public square. We can earn a living while reaching out to the poor and

disadvantaged. We are free to be a religious community united in faith.
The Knights of Columbus is a patriotic organization. This comes out the clearest in our fourth degree, but really the very life blood of our order relies on us being able to practice our faith.
Remember our liberty all year long and be grateful for the freedoms we share. We should try to be the best Catholic citizen we can be.
Father David Barrett
Chaplain

2016-2017 Third Degree Officers

ChaplainsFathers Clinton & Barrett, Deacon Bob Wagner	Inside GuardJim Wagner	Membership DirectorMike Bartusek
Grand Knight.....Greg Solheid	Outside GuardBrad Bardon	Retention DirectorKen Kes
Deputy Grand Knight.....Mel Malecha	TrusteesGary Pavek, Milo Holey, Mike Bartusek	Public Relations Director ..Don Giesen
ChancellorLyle Malecha	Program DirectorMel Malecha	Vocations DirectorNorb Sticha
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Warden.....Luverne Malecha	LectorHarry VonBank	State AdvocateJim Terwedo

2016-2017 Fourth Degree Officers

Faithful FriarsFr. Roger Hessian, Fr. Dave Barrett	Scribe.....Tom Simek
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