

**What do we stand for as members
of the Knights of Columbus?**

**The Knights of Columbus has
five main objectives:**

- 1) To Support the Church.
- 2) To build fraternal bonds through social, religious, educational and athletic activities.
- 3) To provide comfort and assistance to the sick and needy members and their families.
- 4) To reach out to meet community needs through programs of charity and service.
- 5) To provide for the financial security of our members and their families through our fraternal insurance program.

**The core values of the
Knights of Columbus:**

Charity, Unity
Fraternity & Patriotism
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**Some of the activities
of our Council include:**

Spiritual

“Keep Christ in Christmas” Awareness
Good Friday Way of the Cross Procession
Communion Breakfast
Spiritual Retreat
Our Lady of the Island Pilgrimage

Service

Vocation Fund Raising
Support and volunteer our services at
parish-sponsored events and fundraisers
Fraternal Assistance-Charitable Donations
Blood Drives
Children’s free throw contest
Financial scholarships to members
March for Life in Washington, D.C.
Prayer Rally to Albany, NY



Social

Christmas Party....St. Patrick’s Day Party
Pasta Night...Summer Picnic
Parades...Children’s Christmas Party
Annual Council Dinner Dance

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St. Agnes Knights of Columbus

“The Cathedral Council”

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Unity
Fraternity
Patriotism**

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**Are you ready to become
A Knight of Columbus?**

Who are the Knights of Columbus?

Our Founder “Venerable Servant of God” Fr. Michael J. McGivney



The Knights of Columbus was founded in 1882 in New Haven, Connecticut, by Fr. Michael J. McGivney to provide spiritual and financial assistance to Catholic families.

Since our founding, the Order has grown to become an internationally known and respected Catholic organization. Today there are over 12,000 Councils worldwide with over 1,750,000 members.

On March 15, 2008, Pope Benedict XVI approved a degree recognizing the heroic virtue of Father Michael J. McGivney as “Venerable Servant of God.” If canonized, Fr. McGivney would be the first American born priest to be so honored.

Learn About Who Knights of Columbus Are

Membership Requirements

In order to qualify for membership in the Knights of Columbus, you must be:

- > A Catholic gentleman who is 18 years of age or older
- > A practicing Catholic
- > A person willing to make a difference in the parish, in the community and the world!

Our Membership Profile

The membership of our Council reflects all of the strengths and diversity of St. Agnes Parish. We have members of all ages, occupations, and ethnic backgrounds and each member brings to the organization unique gifts and talents. Many of our members are actively involved in a wide array of parish ministries.

Find out how you can make a difference. Contact us today and become a Knight of Columbus.



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Council Meetings— For Members Only

The Knights of Columbus meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 8:30 PM in the St. Agnes Ministry Building, 2nd Floor.

One meeting each month is reserved for conducting the necessary business of the Council and one meeting is reserved for fraternal and social activity.

We Welcome New Members and Welcome Back Prior Members

We actively seek to bring in to the order Catholic gentlemen who are interested in making a difference in our parish. We also welcome back members who may have been away and would like to rekindle relationships with friends and meet new men who share similar values and ideals.

The Knights of Columbus: “The Experience of a Lifetime.”

**Consider membership in the
largest Catholic fraternal
organization in the world.
You could qualify to join the
Knights of Columbus Today.
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