



**Knights of Columbus**  
 FOURTH DEGREE  
 BISHOP GRIFFIN ASSEMBLY # 0201  
 Post Office Box 8831  
 Springfield, Illinois 62791-8831

**Meeting: Mar 14, 2023**  
**6:00 PM – Fish Fry/Mtg**  
**SJV Sherman Activity Center**  
 902 St John Dr  
 Sherman, IL 62684

**March 2023**

**From the Faithful Navigator**

**Sir Knights,**

Thank you to all who attended our Memorial Mass. Again, if you become aware of the passing of any Sir Knight or Lady, please forward that information to one of the officers.

I hope that you and your Sweetheart enjoyed a loving Valentine’s Day. Consider treating all your “loves” like you do this special day every day.

Ash Wednesday is February 22, 2023...and so Lent begins. The Knights of Columbus are fond of saying, “Keep Christ in Christmas”; however, Christmas without Easter is meaningless. Lent is the time we use to prepare ourselves to celebrate the highest feast in the Church year. We recognize that Jesus’ resurrection is salvation for each one of us. During Lent we offer sacrifices and humble ourselves as our Lord did when he took on our humanity and bore our sins.

Our next meeting is scheduled for March 14, 2023. Your Faithful Navigator will provide a taste of Council #14024’s Lenten fish fry at 6:00pm, with the regular meeting to follow at 7:00pm. Please be prepared to discuss your thoughts regarding a Chalice Dinner at this meeting.

**Vivat Jesus!**

***SK Anthony Schmillen, Faithful Navigator***

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**Assembly Website: [www.kcassembly0201.org](http://www.kcassembly0201.org)**

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**New Honorary Members**

SK Thomas W. Calvert, Council 2120

SK David J. Dirksmeyer, Council 661

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**Sir Knights Ladies Auxiliary Ladies,**

Daylight is lengthening into springtime, which is my favorite time of the year. I hope everyone is well and enjoying the days that are warmer and longer. Stay safe and we will join, together again in March.

***Barb Schmidt, President, Ladies Auxiliary***

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**Honor Guard**

**Apr 22, 2023 IL State Annual KC Convention, Springfield**

**June 11, 2023, 10 am, Eucharistic Procession**

**Feast of Corpus Christi at Holy Family, Athens**

**Oct 28th, 2023 Diocesan Eucharistic Congress and Jubilee Mass, Bank of Springfield Center, Springfield**

**Dec 8th, 2023, Closing Mass of the Diocesan Year of the Eucharist, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Springfield**

**SK Rob Bentel, Color Corps Commander**

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**Happy Birthday / Anniversary\***

**Birthdays:**

Cherri Mennemeyer 2/28; John R Bockrath 3/10; Pauline Roll 3/12; Rev Mark A Schulte 3/15; Louis L Bringle 3/16; Robert J Williams 3/16; Toni Bentel 3/17; William J Lehnert 3/18; William H Mills 3/18; Bradley P De Luka 3/21; Andrew S Adams 3/23; Timothy P. Kennedy 3/23; Darrell L Roll 3/24; Maryanna Crow 3/26; Ivan E Maras 3/26; Florian L Scherzer 3/27; John J. Ippolito 3/30.

**Anniversaries:**

John and Ramona Von Berg 3/5.

\*Reminder to ensure your FS and/or FC has all your contact info, up to date, including spouses BD, wedding dates. Thank you, SKs!  
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**In Memoriam - Sir Knights**

Life Member SK Dr. Wallace F. Strow

Council 364, 1-26-2023

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**Officers**

Faithful Friar– Fr. Raphael Paul de Moreno \* Faithful Navigator – Anthony W Schmillen \* Faithful Comptroller – Darrell L. Roll \* Faithful Captain – Robert A. Bentel \* Faithful Admiral – Lambert P. Fleck IV \* Faithful Purser – Dale J. Smith \* Faithful Pilot – David M. Haley \* Faithful Scribe – Timothy P. Kennedy \* Faithful Inner Sentinel – Charles W. Fagan \* Faithful Outer Sentinel – Andrew S. Adams \* Faithful One Year Trustee – John M. Lucchesi \* Faithful Two Year Trustee – Charles R. Muller \* Faithful Three Year Trustee – John R. Bockrath \* Faithful Color Corps Commander – Robert A. Bentel \*