

## Where do the Knights Contributions Go?

Largest Contribution is to St. Mary's  
Local Catholic School Scholarships  
Special Olympics  
Benedictine Homes of DE  
The ARC of DE  
Easter Seals of DE  
Mosaic of DE  
Our Annual Childrens Christmas Party  
Christmas Gifts: Priests, adopted family  
Emanuel Dining  
Ronald McDonald House  
Bishop's Mission Breakfast  
Chaplain's Night  
RSVP Seminarian Fund  
Ice Cream Social  
Basketball Free Throw  
March For Life  
Ministry of Caring  
St. Paul's School  
Bayard House  
DE Right to Life  
Mom's House  
Wellness / Condolences / Bibles for Brother  
Knights & Wife's  
Our Overhead is 7% for newsletters,  
mailings, our state convention & misc.

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The Bible's message about Faith and  
Works is summed up at the end of  
James Chapter 2 Verse 2:26 which  
states:

**“For just as a body without spirit is  
dead, so also faith without works  
is dead.”**

Works – Service and Charity  
Are vital to our Christian Life

Decide now to make a  
DIFFERENCE



## COFFEE RUN COUNCIL 6768

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## Knights of *Coffee Run Council 6768*

Devoted to St. Mary of the  
Assumption Parish  
and the  
Newark & Hockessin, DE  
Communities

### WELCOME TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus is the  
world's largest organization of  
Catholic men.

Our core values are: Charity,  
Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Here at St. Mary's of the  
Assumption Church our council  
gives those values meaning  
through the actions of our  
members.



## Who Are We?

Knights of Columbus, Coffee Run Council 6768, the oldest Catholic name in Delaware history, was chartered on 24 March 1976. Our Council was started by a group of 31 dedicated men, determined to make a difference in the church, family, and community. Since then, our Council has grown steadily to nearly 100 plus members.

We meet at 7:30 PM on the second and fourth Mondays of the month at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, "Coffee Run Room", 7200 Lancaster Pike, Hockessin, DE 19707. Meetings usually last until about 8:45 PM, followed by time to socialize with fellow Knights. Our meetings are small enough to be friendly and informal, yet large enough to provide activities to satisfy members of any age or interest.

The typical activities in which we are involved during the year include:

### Council and Family Programs

We are a family oriented organization that sponsors activities such as:

- Parish Breakfasts
- Annual Beef 'n Crab Feast
- Friday Lenten Fish Fry's
- St. Valentines Dinner / Dance
- Memorial Mass
- Church, Council & State Picnics
- Parking Cars at Uof D Football games
- St. Mary's Golf Outing
- Guest Speakers and Presentations
- Children Christmas
- Annual Parish Chili Cook Off
- Bowling League

## What We Do.

### Church Programs

We provide a visible and active presence in the parish as:

- Priest / Deacons
- Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors
- Ice Cream Social (Feast of Assumption)
- Ushers & Money Counters
- Christmas Creche
- Respect of Life Crosses

We are actively involved with other parish organizations or programs including:

- Youth Ministry
- Bishops Breakfast of Champions
- Souper Bowl Canned Food Drive
- March For Life
- Eucharistic & Rosary Devotions
- Ronald McDonald House

Our Fourth Degree members provide Color Guards for special church events, First Communions, and Confirmations.

We provide financial support to Seminarians

### Youth Programs

We serve the youth of the parish and community by sponsoring activities such as:

- Basketball Free throw contest
- Chess tournament
- Declamation & Essay Contests
- Track Meet
- Scholarship Fund Drives

## Why Not Join Us!

### Community Programs

We reach out and serve the community by sponsoring activities such as:

- Special Olympics
- Blood Donors
- Community Parades
- Tootsie Roll Drives to Support Persons with Intellectual Disabilities

Ladies are welcome to join the Ladies Auxiliary at Coffee Run Council, which works to support the Knights activities.

### What can we do for you?

If you are a man, age 18 or above, and serving our parish, youth, or community appeals to you, then we may be just the organization for you. Come talk to us about joining your fellow parishioners who have helped make our Council the success that it is.

### What can you do for us?

By joining our Council, you can help us increase our level of commitment to our church, our families, our youth, and our community. We not only welcome new members, we also welcome new ideas on how we can be of better service.

### Time Commitment ?

Most of the Knights help out with 1 program per year. Some programs are just a couple of hours, an average is 2 to 4 hours. What ever you can do will be appreciated.

### Want more information?

You can contact our Membership Director or any of the other Knights listed in this pamphlet. We will gladly arrange to meet with you at your convenience.