

## Insurance and Benefits

*Purchasing Knights of Columbus insurance is no longer compulsory to obtain membership, but there are many benefits for you and your family for carrying even a minimal amount. Our field agent will be only too happy to sit with you under no obligation and explain all of the benefits.*



***Our founder  
Venerable  
Fr. Michael J. McGivney***

## Who can become a Knight

*Membership into the Knights of Columbus is open to all practicing Catholic gentlemen 18 years of age and older, who have a desire to volunteer some of their time to the needs of church and community*

*Squire and Squirette programs are available for practicing Catholic males and females between the ages of 10 and 18 years of age*

## Application for interview

*I wish to learn more about the Knights of Columbus and the benefits to me and my family*

*Please have someone contact me.*

First Name.....  
 Last Name.....  
 Age.....,Marital status.....  
 No. of children, (if any) .....  
 Phone number.....  
 Best time to call.....  
 Comments.....  
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**Leave at Church office or Mail**

# Knights of Columbus



**PADDY NOLAN COUNCIL  
6994**



***St. Luke's Church***

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## What is a Knight ?

*A Knight is a Catholic Gentleman 18 years of age or older who was initiated into the first degree where he learned the virtues of CHARITY. He may then advance to become a full 3rd degree Knight by initiation into the 2nd & 3rd degrees (major degree) where UNITY, FRATERNITY and DEFENSE of the PRIEST HOOD are emphasized. He attends monthly council meetings and becomes active by volunteering whatever time he can to the activities of the Knights of Columbus who work for the benefit of family, church and community*

*Some Knights may choose to join an assembly where they advance further and are initiated into the 4th or Patriotic degree. This degree is recognized by their formal dress, where a tux is worn on special occasions. Members of the 4th degree may purchase the required regalia and serve on the Honour Guard. This Corps of men bring that added touch to processions, funerals and other occasions.*

*The Knights offer an opportunity for fellowship with people who share the same beliefs, and who recognize the same duty to God, to family and to folks down the block or across the sea.*

## About Paddy Nolan Council 6994

*Received its charter Oct. 31, 1977 with a total of 44 members.*

*Associated with the parish of St. Luke's who also provide chaplains for our spiritual guidance.*

*Named after Paddy Nolan a well known Christian and staunch Catholic as well as a brilliant and respected lawyer.*

*With the granting of charters to other parishes bordering St. Luke's the membership fluctuated over a number of years then increased yearly, where at the end of the Columbian year 2017, we boast a membership of some 206 members.*

*These members unselfishly give of their time and talents in support of many projects that benefit the family, the church and the community. What greater reward could there be when all of this is accomplished through the compassion, dedication enthusiasm, generosity and camaraderie as displayed by these men called KNIGHTS.*

## Things that we do

- \* Assist in the ministries of the church as well as church functions aimed towards uniting the congregation.*
- \* Raise funds in support of the needy and the many organizations that work to improve Christian values for the betterment of our communities*
- \* Work with our youth to ensure that they feel they are respected members of our community and provide activities that they enjoy.*
- \* Support and recognize the efforts made by the religious members of our community that devote their lives to doing God's work.*
- \* Socialize with fellow Knights and their families to promote unity and fraternity within our council.*
- \* Meet on the second Tuesday of each month throughout the Columbian year (September to June), with mass at 7:00 pm and the meeting at 7:40 pm in the Knights chambers, at St. Luke's church.*