

KNIGHT & DVOC&TE

St. Benedict-Covington Council 3061

Official Newsletter

July 2025

Brother Knights: As we move through the summer months and enjoy the warm weather, we must not forget our continued pledge of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Our newsletter will be an additional outlet to provide reminders of our commitment to our mission and activities of our council.

Calendar of Events:

July 17 th – 4 th Degree meeting at 7:00 pm	August 12 th – 3 rd Degree council meeting at 7:00
July 27th – Donuts at St. Benedicts after Mass	August 21 st - 4 th Degree meeting
July 29 th – 3 rd degree Officer's meeting 7:00 pm at St. Benedict Church	August 26 th – 3 rd Degree Officers meeting at St. Benedict Church at 7:00 pm

<u>New Officers</u>: At our July membership meeting the newly installed council officers took the reigns to move the council forward. We encourage all members to extend a warm welcome to our new officers and actively engage with them as they embark on this exciting new chapter together. Please feel free to reach out to them with your ideas and questions. We are confident that with their leadership, St. Benedict– Covington Council 3061 will continue to thrive.

<u>Mutual Aid:</u> Our new Bylaws now allow our council to render aid and assistance to its sick, disabled, and needy members and their families. This is also extended to the widows of past members and others. With this said, we have been asked to consider assisting a Past Grand Knight's great-nephew who has Autism, Oppositional Defiant Disorder, Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, Bipolar Disorder, and Fetal Alcohol Syndrome. Our council is in the process of speaking with the family and reviewing all our options to provide the appropriate assistance. A report of findings and a resolution will be presented at our Officer's meeting at the end of July for their consideration and recommendations before being presented to the membership.

<u>Shrimp Boil:</u> A shrimp boil cook off will be held at St. John's Catholic Church in Folsom in August 2025. Our council will support two teams of four members respectively. Please see the flyer with all of the details on our website and/or the printed flyers at our hall.

<u>St. Joseph Abbey:</u> Our council decided in the July membership meeting to support the refurbishment of the Abbey's gym floor to benefit the health and recreation of the seminarians and staff.

<u>New Meeting Dates</u>: Don't forget to visit our website, <u>www.koc3061.org</u> to review the events calendar for all council activities. Our meeting date for the July officer's meeting is July 29th (Tuesday) and will be held at St. Bendict's Church at 7:00 pm. Our August council membership meeting will be held on Tuesday August 12th at 7:00 pm at the council hall. These new days for meeting is a test to see the feasibility of permanently moving our meeting days from Wednesday to Tuesday.

Viva Jesu,

David Schexnayder Grand Knight

Kaycette Corner: Officer's meeting will be held in July 2025. The next meeting will be held on August 12th.