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## LaSalle Council

#5621

Cincinnati, Ohio



FATHER MICHAEL J. MCGIVNEY,  
FOUNDER, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Father Michael J. McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus in 1882 at St. Mary's in New Haven, CT. as an organization committed to Unity as a Catholic lay organization, Charity to those in need and Fraternity with fellow brother knights.

Today, Knights and their families remain true to these principles and work to spread Columbianism around the world.

You and your family will benefit from membership in the Knights of Columbus. Join today and help make a better tomorrow.

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### Some things you may not know

- Through our Refund Support Vocations Program, the K of C contributes to the thousands of seminarians and postulants, both in our archdiocese and abroad.
- The K of C was the FIRST to pay out over \$1 million in immediate support to the families of victims of 911.
- The Kof C commits millions of dollars to overturn the proabortion mentality and defend the right to life.
- The K of C gave \$2.5 Million to those affected by Hurricane Katrina.
- In 2005 our first European Council was started in Poland.
- The K of C was responsible for putting the phrase "under God" in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- The K of C staunchly supports Priests and the Ten Commandments

### Your Membership

#### Cost and degrees

To be a member you must be a practicing Catholic male 18 years old. The dues for membership are \$30.00 per year for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Degrees. after you have been a member for at least one year you may join the 4th Degree Assembly.

### What About our Council ?

LaSalle Council #5621 was organized in 1964 and has been an exciting, innovative council ever since its formation. Many area activities were started by its members for the enlightenment, knowledge and amusement of the community.

An organizational meeting was held in St. James school basement in White Oak. These meetings were subsequently moved to the White Oak Civic Club on Cheviot Rd. in White Oak.

The Council was instituted on Nov. 8, 1964. A first Degree was held for the Charter Class Knights and the first election of officers was held. LaSalle Council was now a functioning council of the Knights of Columbus.

The name LaSalle was selected from several proposed names because it was felt that the council served the same area as LaSalle High School. It is ironic that the name LaSalle was chosen because the first organizational meeting was held on May 14, and May 15 is the feast day of St. John De LaSalle, the founder of the Christian Brothers who started LaSalle High School.

Today after over 40 years of service to the church and community, LaSalle Council, with over 100 members stands ready to carry on the activities to better its members and those they touch.

St. Ignatius today is the home of LaSalle Council. We are Grateful to the parish and its members for making us welcome.

### Some facts you may not know.

LaSalle Council was an early advocate of Pro-Life displays and had one of the first displays in the community.

Had a Pro-Life display on Fountain Square downtown.

Participated in several Pro-Life marches in Washington, D.C

Had Manger displays at Christmas.

Held bingos, with profits going to the Connelly Home for mentally retarded women on Colerain Ave.

Participated in numerous community activities.

Has earned many Top 10 Council awards in the State of Ohio.

Had the Kase Haus-cheese house in Downtown Oktoberfest starting in 1984.

Started the "Taste of Colerain" in 1991.

Hosted an appearance by the Ohio State Lottery at the "Taste" in 1993

Started the Colerain Township calendar in 1998

Continues to be a part of the community it serves.