

St. Gregory the Great

Council #12604

## December 2022

A meeting is planned for Tuesday, December 6th at 7:30pm in Elmdale. If anyone has questions or items for the agenda, please call Grand Knight Jeff Czech at 320-630-2753. Thank you.

## Agenda Items...

- Free Throw Contest update,
- VA mass escorting by our council

Days of importance this month... 12/8 - Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary 12/12 -Our Lady of Guadalupe 12/25 - Nativity of the Lord / Christmas 12 / 30 - Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph 1/1 - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

## KC Family Potluck Christmas Party

All Council members and their families are invited to our annual Christmas party on Sunday, December 11 after the 10am Mass in Bowlus. Word has it that Santa may be stopping by...

\*Please note the time Change for December's meeting – 7:30 pm in Elmdale. We will also be packing bags for the family Christmas party. Enclosed are dues, please mail to Mike Nix, PO address or bring to meeting. Membership Cards will be sent out. Trivia question...How many U.S. American born saints are there? And who?

**Thank you to Tammy and Darren Lange and Mike Nix** with the work on the Box of Joy program. It was a great success!

St. Cloud VA... The council has decided and elected to help as escorts on Sunday mornings for taking the Veterans to Mass/Service. There is a minimum of 6 or more volunteers to help with this. We will establish a contact person or persons. We will be helping on the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month. There are 5 Sundays we are assigned to during the 2023 calendar year (Jan. 29, April 30, July 30, Oct. 29 and Dec. 31. In addition to the Knight, the spouse, children and family friends are welcome to help. I would like our council Knights to consider this great act of service for our Veterans. Please call Jeff if you are interested in helping out.

## Brother Knights,

Hopefully all families had a blessed Thanksgiving. We are now beginning the Advent season and to recognize the birth of Jesus, our Lord. I ask you to pray for our families, nation and world for the openness of heart, mind and conversion to put the truthful meaning of Christ back in Christmas. Have a joyous and blessed Merry Christmas! *–Jeff Czech*