

February

2026 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
#5 • Bingo (Team Worker)						1
2 • Bingo (Team Worker) #6	3	4 CCD Classes	5	6 • Fireman's Drive-Thru Supper	7 • Community Dance (1 worker @ 2:00 pm - 5:30 p.m.)	8 • Super Bowl Party at the KC Hall. Doors open at 1:30 p.m.
9 • Bingo (Team Worker) #7	10 • House Mtg. @ 6:00 pm • K.C. Meeting (Meal Team #2: Edward Kusy)	11 CCD Classes	12	13 • Men's Prayer Group (6:00 am to 7:30 am)	14 • Valentine's Day • Private Dance (1 worker @ 2:00 pm - 6:00 p.m.)	15 • CDA Fried Chicken Drive-Thru Dinner
16 • Bingo (Team Worker) #8	17 • CDA Meeting (6:00 pm - 8:30 pm)	18 • CCD Classes • Ash Wednesday • Fish Fry	19	20 • Men's Prayer Group (6:00 am to 7:30 am)	21	22 • KC BBQ Pork Steak Drive-Thru • Swiss Alp Dance (1 worker @ 3:00 pm - 6:30 pm)
23 • Bingo (Team Worker) #1	24	25 • CCD Classes	26	27 • Men's Prayer Group (6:00 am to 7:30 am)	28	MARCH 1
2 • Bingo (Team Worker) #2	3	4 CCD Classes	5	6 • Men's Prayer Group (6:00 am to 7:30 am)	7	8
9 • Bingo (Team Worker) #3	10 • House Mtg. @ 6:00 pm • K.C. Meeting (Meal: Fish Team)	11 CCD Classes	12	<b>TEAM LEADERS:</b> #1 - David Kalmus #2 - Edward Kusy #3 - Dennis Johnson #4 - Pete Garcia, Jr. & #4 - Ryan Besetzny #5 - Joe Kurtz #6 - Larry Brown #7 - Michael Seger #8 - Ernest Srubar		

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**SUPER BOWL SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8**

On Sunday, February 8, SUPER BOWL SUNDAY. The KC Hall will be open for anyone who wants to watch the Super Bowl. Men and Women are invited. The game will be shown on a big screen. Doors will open at 1:30 pm. There will be card and domino playing if anyone chooses to part take of any of these games. There will be Square Boards available to participate in. Everyone is invited and if you wish to bring a snack that would be appreciated.

**FEBRUARY (NOTE THE MILESTONE BIRTHDAYS) Happy Birthday Guys!**

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|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Feb. 02 - Eugene Krupala | Feb. 10 - Larry Brown     | Feb. 21 - Robert Hollas      | Feb. 25 - Kenneth Berger |
| Feb. 04 - Ernest Kutac   | Feb. 14 - Willie Svetlik  | Mark Schindler               | Thomas Konvicka          |
| Garrett Kutac            | Feb. 17 - Clarence Jochen | Feb. 22 - Jason Ohnheiser    | Feb. 26 - Chip Bubela    |
| Feb. 05 - David Brown    | (73 Service Years)        | Dennis Plocheck              | Feb. 27 - Thomas Tackett |
| Gary Quinton             | Feb. 19 - Fr. Tim Kosler  | Feb. 23 - Jordan Machac      | Gabe Velasquez           |
| Feb. 06 - Ted Kolek      | (60 Service Years)        | Feb. 24 - Christopher Miksch |                          |
| Feb. 07 - David Melnar   | Hunter Schulz             |                              |                          |



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Brother Knights,

The Knights of Columbus Organization was founded on February 6, 1882 with a mission of charity to protect catholic families in times of hardship, like the loss of a father. I cannot imagine living in the 1800's in America, families coming to America for new found prosperity and freedom only to be fatherless because of deathly disease soon after they arrived. A wife losing her husband, kids losing their father in a strange far-away place left without a means to support or feed your family. The Knights of Columbus provides the security needed if just that event would happen. Celebrating years of charity, unity and fraternity were the principles Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney set out to accomplish. Today as we celebrate our 144th anniversary, remember those brother knights who built our organization into what it is today. They planted the seed and nurtured the product, we are fertilizing the established tree and reaping the fruits of their labors, however we must cultivate the soil for future generations to come. You are what the Knights of Columbus organization is about and we are glad you are a part of our council. Be sure to take full advantage of the products agent Bear Kana, and the Knights of Columbus Insurance Agency has to offer.

Thanks to everyone who purchased, sold and/or supported our annual **Sportsman's Raffle**. We appreciate all your hardwork and dedication to its success. We had a complete sell out of 2250 tickets. Thanks to Brother knight Quinton Riche for serving as chairman of the 2026 Sportsman's Charity Raffle and his team consisting of: Dennis, Albert, Ernest, David, Edward, Ron, Case, Paddy, Paul, Amber, Erin and all those who sold tickets. Also, I would like to thank Michna Bookkeeping and Tax Service for their years of financial support towards our raffle and community. Your support is greatly appreciated. Next time you see Brother knights Harvey Michna and Stanley Pesak be sure to tell them thank you and May God Bless them for their generosity.

God Bless America,  
 Paul Zapalac, Grand Knight

**JANUARY MONTHLY MEETING CHALLENGE**

The January Monthly Meeting Challenge winner was Steve Strickland, you won \$575 cash certificate prize. The 2nd attendance prize pot of \$50 went to Dusty Broun. You must be in attendance to claim your prize. Join us February 10th for fellowship starting at 6 pm, supper at 7:00 pm and a meeting at 7:30pm.

**ST. ROSE CDA FRIED CHICKEN MEAL FEBRUARY 15, 2026**

The Catholic Daughters of America St. Rose Court will host their annual Fried Chicken meal on February 15, 2026 at the KC hall. Please make plans to support their annual event by purchasing a to-go plate dinner. For more information contact Grace Lebeda or see the church bulletin.

**SCHULENBURG KC FISH FRY FEBRUARY 18**

The Schulenburg KC Fish Fry supporting St Rose School on Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026 starting at 3:30 pm will soon be here. Please contact Chairman Paul Zapalac for more details, your availability and/ or willingness to help at the event. The to go only plates will consist of 2 fried fish fillets(very lightly seasoned), 3 hush puppies, buttered onion red potatoes, coleslaw and homemade tarter for \$15 per a plate. Serving 1000 plates from 3:30 pm till 6:30 pm. The proceeds will go to the St. Rose School. Brother knights, please come help teach the students while they join us to make this a successful event. Parents, students and supporters are definitely needed.

**KC PORK STEAK DINNER FEBRUARY 22**

Our annual KC February Pork Steak Dinner with all the trimmings is scheduled for February 22, 2026 starting at about 10:30am. Plates are \$15 and will include a Grilled BBQ pork steak served over vegetable rice and 2 sides. The fellowship workers list is included but we can always use some extra help. The profits from our meals help support charities like: the Schulenburg Sharks Swimming Team, the Schulenburg Area Food Pantry, and the American Legion flag program, just to name a few. Your generosity is always appreciated.

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**K.C. MEETING FEBRUARY 10, 2026 - 7:30 P.M.**

**ELECTION DAY**  
March 3rd is Election Day, make sure your voices are heard at the ballot box.

**ST. ROSE CHURCH SPRING DINNER MARCH 8**  
Coming up on March 8th is the St. Rose Church Spring Dinner, be an exemplary Christian by listening to the words from St. Francis of Assisi and dedicate your time, talents and treasures to help our church. Your work contributions are greatly needed and appreciated to make this fundraiser a success for the St. Rose Church. Please show up Saturday or Sunday and we will certainly find something for your whole family to do. Meal details will be in the church bulletin.

**ST. ROSE ALTAR SOCIETY TO GO MEAL MARCH SUNDAY, MARCH 29**  
The St Rose Altar Society to go meal is scheduled for Palm Sunday, March 29, 2026. Please make plans to support the Altar Society, those who can help by working the event please do so. For more information, contact Ann Florus or check out the St Rose church bulletin.

**SAVE THE DATE - APRIL 24 PORK STEAK MEAL & RAFFLE**  
Save the Date: On Friday, April 24, 2026 the community will host a drive thru Pork Steak Meal (from 4-6 pm at the Schulenburg Hall) and Raffle for the Carmen Stoner Family. Carmen's house suffered severe damage in a house fire on Monday, January 20. Brother knight Howard (Carmen's husband), whom passed away just 3 years ago, was an avid supporter and regular presence around our KC hall. Scott, Howard and Carmen's son, carries on in his dad's footsteps by regularly working our drive thru dinners and supporting our yearly KC Scholarship raffle. Please keep their families in your prayers. Thanks to those who have reached out to help support them so far. For more information about the dinner and/or raffle or if you would like to help sell tickets contact Paul Zapalac @ 966-9187 or Clarence Hartensteiner @ 505-0247.

**Financial Secretary's Corner: Rodney Kalich 979-208-9414, email - rkalich88@gmail.com**

**KC 2902 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**  
The most up to date one can be found on our website: [www.kcschulenburg.org](http://www.kcschulenburg.org) We have shaded the drive thru meals in light green so our community can easily find them.

**2026 DUES NOTICES/MEMBERSHIP CARDS (FOR THOSE PAID UP) SHOULD HAVE BEEN RECEIVED**

The 1st notice of 2026 KC Dues was emailed to 45 members that owe for 2026 dues. Please consider joining this program (renewing if first 4 years are up. **God is Good All the Time! All the Time God is Good!**  
If you have any questions regarding your dues, please give me a call.

Rosary led by KC Brothers/family before St. Rose Mass. Please join the group in front of church 35 minutes before mass time below. You can now see semi-annual schedule on website: [www.kcschulenburg.org](http://www.kcschulenburg.org) click on Events; click on St. Rose Rosary Service

View schedule on Schulenburg KC website:  
<http://www.kcschulenburg.org/strosaryservice.html>

**Recruiting New Members**  
Brothers, we need your help in recruiting new members. Please keep a look out for great Catholic gentlemen that will strengthen our council. Please ask your family members, friends, business acquaintances who are in good standing with the Catholic Church to join the KC's.  
Goto [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org)  
Click menu at top and click on JOIN

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