

Maryland State Council			
2022-2023 State Planning Calendar			
<i>Draft updated 12/28/2021</i>			
Month	Date	Event	Location
May 2022	5/13/2022	State Convention 5/13-5/15	Princess Royale
Jun 2022	6/17/2022	Leadership Seminar 6/17-6/18	Holiday Inn Solomons
Jul 2022	7/3/2022	Installation Mass & Banquet	Leonardtwn
	7/21/2022	Program & Membership Seminar	Columbus Gardens
	7/27/2022	Program & Membership Seminar	Boswell Hall
Aug 2022	8/1/2022	Supreme Convention 8/1-8/4	
	8/9/2022	Program & Membership Seminar	Annapolis/Good Counsel?
	8/15/2022	Program & Membership Seminar	Rosensteel Council
	8/27/2022	IPSD Testamomial	
Sep 2022	9/10/2022	State Family Picnic & Mass	
	9/11/2022	State Tour #1 9/11-9/17	
	9/24/2022	TBD Navy Football Sep/Oct/Nov	Navy Marine Corps Stadium
Oct 2022	10/8/2022	Columbus Day Ball	Crown Plaza, Annapolis
	10/10/2022	Columbus Day	Union Station, DC
	10/21/2022	Fall Meeting 10/21-22	Seton Shrine
Nov 2022	11/13/2022	State Memorial Mass	TBD
Dec 2022	12/17/2022	State Christmas Party & Star Knight	Columbus Gardens
	12/22/2022	Mass - Anniversary of Blessed Michael McGivney Ordination	Baltimore Basilica
Jan 2023	1/7/2023	Midterm Meeting	Columbus Gardens
Feb 2023	2/22/2023	Ash Wednesday	
Mar 2023	3/26/2023	State Founder's Day Mass	
	3/18/2023	State Spring Meeting 3/17-18	Elks Lodge Easton
Apr 2023	4/2/2023	Palm Sunday	
	4/9/2023	Easter	
May 2023	5/5/2023	State Convention 5/5-7	Crown Plaza, Annapolis
	5/21/2023	State Tour #2 5/21-27	
Jun 2023	6/23/2023	Leadership Seminar 6/23-25	Holiday Inn Solomons



Deputy Grand Knight Training January 8, 2022

Opening	State Secretary Chris Powers
Council Programs	2022-2024 Program Director Tom Reumont
Faith Programs	2022-2024 Faith Activities Director Thom Partenope
Family Programs	2022-2024 Family Activities Director Mike Lynch
Community Programs	2022-2024 Community Activities Director Steve Law
Life Programs	2022-2024 Life Activities Director José Rivera
Council Growth	2022-2024 Council Growth Director Jeff Koscho
Church Drive	All
Online Membership	2022-2024 Online Membership Director Bill Newbrough
Public Relations	2022-2024 Public Relations Director Vern Hawkins

Be Engaged
Ask Your Questions
Make New Contacts for Ideas & Resources



Faith in Action Programs

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Engage

- ✦ Your Pastor or Pastors
- ✦ Council
- ✦ Parish
- ✦ Community
- ✦ Advertise what you do

Inspire

- ✦ Programs with IMPACT
- ✦ Be visible
- ✦ Men to be better Husbands and Fathers
- ✦ Live Your Faith Publicly and Proudly

Mobilize

- ✦ Men and Women into Action
- ✦ Positive Welcoming Atmosphere
- ✦ Make it fun
- ✦ Fraternalism
- ✦ Fellowship

Council Programs Prep Checklist

What is your vision?

Assemble your Team

Faith Activities Director

Family Activities Director

Community Activities Director

Life Activities Director

Take inventory of your programs

What programs to keep?

What programs to add?

What programs to enhance

What programs to remove.

Meet with your Pastor or Pastors by June 5th 2022

Assure your pastor/s you are here to serve the needs of the church, parish, and community to the best of your ability. Open the lines of communication and get contact information. Ask about using the church bulletin and/or Flock Notes to advertise and publicize your events.

Ready to hit the ground running by July 1st, 2022

Try a new Program

With your Grand Knight's approval pick a program in each of the 4 categories. Suggestions to try in the next 6 months:

Faith - Spiritual Reflection or Holy Hour

Family - Family Prayer Night or Good Friday Liturgy Promotion

Community - Helping Hands or Leave No Neighbor Behind

Life - Mass for People with Special Needs or Novena for Life

Sample planning calendars from the Fraternal Planner are provided for your convenience below. Use this information to start preparing your 2022-2023 Council calendar.

Some Faith in Action Resources

Supreme Council's Website

<https://www.kofc.org/en/what-we-do/faith-in-action-programs/index.html>

Columbia Magazine

<https://www.kofc.org/en/news-room/columbia/index.html>

MD State Council's Website

<https://www.kofc.org/en/what-we-do/faith-in-action-programs/resources/index.html?1tab=1tab0>

Faith Activities

<https://www.kofc.org/faith>

Family Activities

<https://www.kofc.org/family>

Community Activities

<https://www.kofc.org/community>

Life Activities

<https://www.kofc.org/life>

- ✦ Enter Parish events
 - ✦ Father's birthday & anniversary of ordination
 - ✦ Parish anniversary
 - ✦ Major liturgical events
 - ✦ Major grounds clean-up
 - ✦ Ministry Fair
 - ✦ Other?
- ✦ Enter Community events
 - ✦ Opportunities to showcase Faith in Action
 - ✦ Other?

Build your Council Budget

- ✦ Review Council calendar to identify activity costs
- ✦ Identify major fundraising opportunities
- ✦ Incorporate lessons from previous budgets

Program Planning Calendar — Faith in Action Programs

For detailed information on each program, how to conduct them, and all related resources, please visit kofc.org/faithinaction.

Each green box below represents a suggested time-frame to run each respective program. When you choose to run your program is completely at the discretion of your council.

	Q3			Q4			
	JAN 2022	FEB 2022	MAR 2022	APR 2022	MAY 2022	JUN 2022	JUL 2022
FAITH:							
<i>RSVP</i>							
<i>Into the Breach</i>							
Pilgrim Icon Program (Y)							
Building the Domestic Church Kiosk							
Rosary Program (Q)							
<i>Spiritual Reflection</i>							
<i>Holy Hour (Q)</i>							
Sacramental Gifts							

FAMILY: Key M=Monthly Q=Quarterly Y=Year Long Bold Italics=Featured

<i>Food for Families (Y)</i>							
<i>Family of the Month/Year (M)</i>							
Keep Christ in Christmas							
<i>Family Fully Alive (Y)</i>							
Family Week							
Consecration to the Holy Family							
<i>Family Prayer Night (Y)</i>							
Good Friday Family Promotion							

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COMMUNITY							
<i>Coats for Kids</i>							
<i>Global Wheelchair Mission (Y)</i>							
<i>Habitat for Humanity (Y)</i>							
Disaster Preparedness							
Free Throw Championship							
Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest							
Soccer/Hockey Challenge							
Helping Hands (Y)							
<i>Leave No Neighbor Behind (Y)</i>							

LIFE **Key M=Monthly Q=Quarterly Y=Year Long Bold Italics=Featured**

<i>March for Life</i>	USA				Canada		
<i>Special Olympics (Q)</i>	Winter Games				Summer Games		
<i>Ultrasound Program (Y)</i>							
Christian Refugee Relief (Y)							
Silver Rose (jurisdiction schedule)			Start→				
Mass for People with Special Needs (Y)							
<i>Pregnancy Center Support (Y)</i>							
Novena for Life							

Build Your Planning Calendar

- ✦ Personal calendar – prep for Fraternal Year 2022-2023
- ✦ Work with Council Leadership to plan full slate of officers and chairmen before Council elections (May 01-June 15). See Forms 185 & 365 for full team list.
- ✦ Propose Fraternal Year 2022-2023 calendar by June 1st
- ✦ Propose Fraternal Year 2022-2023 budget by June 1st
- ✦ Attend State Convention (optional) 5/13-5/15
- ✦ Attend Leadership Seminar 6/17-6/18
- ✦ Schedule Council Installation – July or August

- ✦ Work with Council team to document FY22-23 calendar
- ✦ Select preferred calendar layout tool
- ✦ Enter State Council events, specifically
 - ✦ Pgm & Mbrship Sem – select best location/time
 - ✦ State Family Picnic (optional)
 - ✦ State Memorial Mass –plan to bring Widows
 - ✦ Anniversary of Blessed McGivney’s Ordination
 - ✦ Midterm Meeting
 - ✦ State Convention (Annapolis)
 - ✦ Leadership Seminar
- ✦ Enter Chapter monthly meetings
 - ✦ Baltimore Chapter – 2nd Tuesday
 - ✦ McNamara Chapter – 3rd Wednesday
 - ✦ Seton Chapter – 4th Tuesday
- ✦ Enter District events
 - ✦ District meeting within 2 weeks of quarterly mtgs DD will coordinate date/location
 - ✦ Council Official Visit – coord with DD
 - ✦ District Soccer Shootout, Free Throw
 - ✦ District social events
- ✦ Enter Council events
 - ✦ Coordinate Council Installation with DD & Pastor complete all Council Installations by August 31st
 - ✦ Council Anniversary event
 - ✦ Council Soccer Shootout, Free Throw
 - ✦ Keep Christ in Christmas Programs
 - ✦ Major social events

MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL
FACEBOOK PAGE

<https://www.facebook.com/KOCofMDUnited>

INSTAGRAM PAGE

https://www.instagram.com/koc_md_united/

GROUPS.IO FILES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

Maryland State Council Groups.io is used for statewide messages including prayers for members known throughout the state, generally DD/Chairman and above. To subscribe, send an email to:

MarylandStateCouncil+subscribe@groups.io

Chapter Groups.io are used for regional messages.

To subscribe to the Baltimore Chapter Groups.io, send an email to:
BaltimoreChapterGKs+subscribe@groups.io

To subscribe to the Bishop McNamara Chapter Groups.io,
send an email to:
BishopMcNamaraChapter+subscribe@groups.io

To subscribe to the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Chapter Groups.io,
send an email to:
SEASChapter@groups.io

Note. When sending a subscription request, include your name and affiliation so that the moderator can know you should have access to the group.

Council Growth Team

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Council Growth Planning Steps for the Deputy Grand Knight

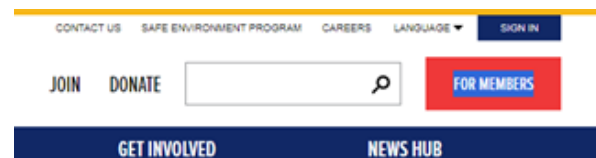
-  Council Growth Director
-  Assess Committees
-  Recruitment
-  Admissions Board
-  Retention
-  Parish Coverage - Roundtable(s)?
-  Personal Recruiting
-  Assist with Spring Church Drive planning

Supreme Council Resources

<https://www.kofc.org/en/for-members/resources/index.html>

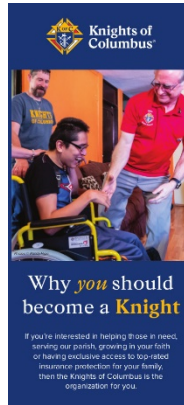
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Additional resources available from Supreme Council -Simply enter the publication number in the search window on the home page at KofC.org





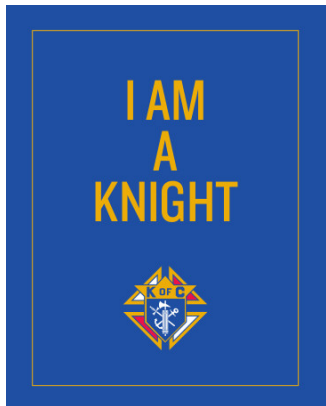
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MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL WEBSITE
kofc-md.org

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
<https://kofc-md.org/newsletters/>

MEMBER RESOURCES
<https://kofc-md.org/council-resources/>

LEADER RESOURCES
<https://kofc-md.org/leader-resources/>

COUNCIL GROWTH
<https://kofc-md.org/membership/>

FIA PROGRAMS
<https://kofc-md.org/programs/>

CALENDARS/FLYERS
<https://kofc-md.org/calendars/>

MARYLAND CHAPTERS
<https://kofc-md.org/maryland-chapters/>

4TH DEGREE DISTRICTS
<https://kofc-md.org/4th-degree-districts/>

FORMS
<https://kofc-md.org/>