



Knights of Columbus

St. Mary - Mokena #6993

Mokena, Illinois

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COUNCIL SCHEDULE 2011-2012

(Note: subject to change)

JULY 2011

Sunday 4	Parade	12:00 AM	Show up at VFW At 11:30 AM
Tuesday 5	4 th degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At Council 4400
Tuesday 12	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Friday 15 thru Sunday 17	Turtle race sales	6:00 AM – 8 PM	Turtle race ticket sales Volunteers needed
Saturday 23	Turtle Race	1:00 – 3:00 PM	191 st Street behind the Sewer plant
Saturday 23	Council Picnic	2:00 PM - ?	At Joe Sluis' house Volunteers needed
Tuesday 26	Officers/Directors	7:30 – 10 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

AUGUST 2011

Monday 1	4 th degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At council 4400
Sunday 7	Family Mass	9:00AM Mass	St Mary Church
Tuesday 9	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Saturday 20	Road Cleanup	9 – 10:30 AM	St Mary cemetery
Saturday 20	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Larry Jourdan's house
Tuesday 23	Officers/Directors	7:30 – 10 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

SEPTEMBER 2011

Tuesday 6	4 th degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At council 4400
Saturday 10 and Sunday 11	St Mary MR Drive	At all masses	Volunteers needed
Tuesday 13	Council Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Friday 16 and Saturday 17	MR Drive in town	All day	The main event – Volunteers needed
Saturday 17	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Joe Kral's house
Saturday 24	Spaghetti Dinner	4 PM until	In Burnett Hall – Volunteers needed
Tuesday 27	Officers/Directors	7:30 – 10 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

OCTOBER 2011

Sunday 2	Family Mass	9 AM Mass	St Mary Church
Sunday 2	Right to Life Sunday	2:30 – 3:30 PM	Demonstrate for life On US 30 in New Lenox at Council 4400
Monday 3	4 th degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At St Mary cemetery
Saturday 8	Road cleanup	9:00 – 10:30 AM	Burnett Hall
Tuesday 11	Council Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At Tom Snyder's house
Saturday 15	Poker Night	7:00 PM - ?	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.
Tuesday 25	Officers/Directors	7:00 – 10 PM	

NOVEMBER 2011

Sunday 6	Pancake Breakfast	All morning	Burnett Hall Volunteers needed
Monday 7	4 th Degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At 4400
Tuesday 8	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Tuesday 15	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm
Saturday 19	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Tim Cosgrove's house
Thursday 24	Thanksgiving		

DECEMBER 2011

Saturday 3	Manger Set Up	9:00 – 11 AM	At St Mary School
Saturday 3 and Sunday 4	Pictures with Santa	After All Masses	K of C Santa will be making photos with Parish kids at Doughnut Sunday
Monday 5	4 th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	At 4400
Thursday 8	Blessing of the Nativity	After 7:30 AM Mass	All knights - The Feast of the Immaculate Conception
Saturday 10	Nun's Bingo	1:00 – 3 PM	at St Francis of the Woods
Saturday 10	Christmas Party	After 5PM Mass	Burnett Hall – all Knights and families Volunteers needed
Tuesday 13	Council Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall

JANUARY 2012

Monday 2	4 th Degree meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	at Council 4400
Tuesday 10	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Franciscan Room
Wednesday 11	Manger take down	9 – 11 AM	At St Mary School Volunteers needed
Sunday 15	Pancake Breakfast	all morning	Burnett Hall Volunteers needed
Saturday 21	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Joe Kral's house
Tuesday 24	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

FEBRUARY 2012

Sunday 5	Family Mass	9 AM Mass	All knights should Attend together at Council 4400
Monday 6	4 th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Tuesday 14	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Franciscan Room
Thursday 16	Local Spelling Bee	7:00 – 10 PM	Volunteers needed
Saturday 18	District Free Throw	8:30 – 11 AM	St Mary School Gym Volunteers needed
Tuesday 28	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

MARCH 2012

Monday 5	4 th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	at Council 4400
Saturday 10	Regional Free Throw	8:30 – 11 AM	St Mary School gym Volunteers needed
Saturday 10	Regional Spelling Bee	11:00 PM – 3 PM	St Mary School Gym
Tuesday 13	Council meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Franciscan Room
Saturday 17	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Dan Michalak's
Tuesday 27	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

APRIL 2012

Monday 2	4th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	at Council 4400
Tuesday 10	Council Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Saturday 14	Road Cleanup	9:00 – 10:30 AM	St Mary Cemetery
Tuesday 24	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

MAY 2012

Sunday 6	Family Mass	9:00 AM Mass	All knights (Doughnut Sunday) at Council 4400
Monday 7	4th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Tuesday 8	Council Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	The fourth annual Feast in Burnett Hall
Saturday 12	Taco Fest	4:00 – 7:30 PM	At Joe Sluis’ Deacon Fitzgerald Rm. Mass and Memorial Day VFW Services
Saturday 19	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	
Tuesday 22	Officers Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	
Monday 29	Memorial Day	8:30 – 11:30 AM	

JUNE 2012

Monday 4	4th Degree Meeting	7:30 – 10 PM	at Council 4400
Tuesday 12	Council Meeting	7:30 - 10 PM	Burnett Hall
Saturday 16	Road Clean Up	9:00 – 11 AM	At St Mary Cemetery Volunteers needed
Saturday 16	Poker night	7:00 PM - ?	At Greg Quinn’s
Saturday 23	Officer Installation	5:00 PM	Mass followed by Installations and dinner
Tuesday 26	Officer Meeting	7:30 – 9 PM	Deacon Fitzgerald Rm.

THE ANNUAL TURTLE RACE

Our annual TURTLE RACE is planned and ready to go. The village has given permission, the tickets are ready and the turtles are fully trained and ready. We now need YOU to help sell the tickets the weekend of July 15 through 17. Sales are at a table with a chair in front of Berkot's and other locations. Two hour shifts will need a lot of volunteers. ANSWER THE CALL! Call Mark Welch at (708) 479 7533 or Dave Adams at (708) 479 7533 to help with sales.

The TURTLE RACE has up to 1,000 inflatable turtles floating down Marley Creek. A numbered turtle that matches the number of each ticket is entered into the race. If 650 tickets are sold then 650 turtles are in the creek, etc. The first turtle to finish pays \$500 to the holder of the matching numbered ticket. Second place pays \$200 and third place \$100. Fourth through seventh place pay \$50 and 6th through 10th pay \$25. The race is at 1 PM, July 23 and the finish line is the foot bridge at about 11500 W. 191st Street.

Volunteers are needed to set up for the race starting at 10 AM on July 23. A “chicken wire” fence is installed across the creek to catch the turtles, helpers are needed to check for obstructions in the creek before the race and signs need to be put up. During the race, volunteers dump the turtles into the creek behind the Mokena sewer plant and then follow the racing turtles as “herders” to dislodge any that get stuck on a branch. At the finish line more volunteers catch the turtles for next year’s race. It is a lot of fun with teenagers often helping as “herders” and “catchers”. Come and join in!

