



2024 *Michigan Knights of Columbus*



Leadership Installation Committee

Dear Sir Knights,

Thanks to the efforts of Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church in New Haven, and some of his parishioners, the Connecticut state legislature on March 29, 1882, officially chartered the Knights of Columbus as a fraternal benefit society. The Order, which has become the world's foremost Catholic fraternal organization, is still true to its founding principles of charity, unity, and fraternity.

On Saturday, September 7, 2024, we will observe the installation of our new State Deputy, Barry M. Borsenik, the other state officers, state chaplain, diocesan chaplains, district deputies, state directors, and regional directors from across the state of Michigan. The Installation Mass will be held at the Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption located at 615 Hoyt Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan, at 4:00 pm. This will be followed by a reception and banquet beginning at 6:00 pm at the Horizons Conference Center located at 6200 State Street, Saginaw, Michigan 48603.

We are extending an invitation to your membership to attend this important occasion. Tickets are \$65.00, which includes dinner, an open bar and entertainment. Tables seat eight people. Please send your check, made payable to Michigan Knights of Columbus, to Sue Thorn, 768 Lockmoore Court, Rochester Hills, MI 48307 no later than August 6, 2024. A block of hotel rooms at a special Knights of Columbus price is available at the Four Points by Sheraton located at 4960 Town Center Road, Saginaw, Michigan 48604. We ask that you present this information to your membership during your July meeting and consider sending representatives.

If you are traveling from outside the Saginaw area and would like to stay overnight, the Four Points by Sheraton Saginaw located at 4690 Towne Center Road, Saginaw, Michigan 48604 has been identified as the host hotel. Special Knights of Columbus rates are available if reservations are made no later than August 6, 2024. Reservations can be made by calling the hotel directly at (989) 790-5050.

For more information, please contact me at (734) 634-7989.

We hope you will join us in witnessing the installation of our newly elected officers and join us for the festivities afterwards.

Fraternally yours,

Clifford F. Wasmund

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Administrative Secretary to the State Deputy