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**Father Ben Powers Council #1315
Bowling Green, KY**

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Brotherhood Bulletin

July 2026



A Word from the Outgoing Grand Knight



Greetings Brother Knights,

I hope all is well with all of our Knights and their loved ones. Remember to pray for all Knights and family members that are ill.

Congratulations to all of our new Knights that recently went through exemplification at Saint Joseph Church. Welcome to Council 1315! We are proud to have you in our Council.

Our year has come to an end. We are now entering the month of July with new Officers. Let us all welcome them and offer our support.

Lastly, thank you all for letting me serve you as Grand Knight for the last three years. Thank you to all who helped me along the way as Grand Knight.

It truly has been an honor for me to serve you.

Vivat Jesus,
PGK Chuck Ledford

A Word from the Incoming Grand Knight



Greetings Brother Knights,

I am honored to serve you as Grand Knight of this council for the next fraternal year, and I am excited to see what we can do together. We have many good deeds planned for this upcoming year, and we are always needing help.

If you would like to learn more about what we have planned, please come to our council meetings (every second Tuesday of the month) or reach out to myself or any officer. We would love to get everyone more involved in our charitable activities.

Thank you, Chuck, for leading our council for the past three years. I will definitely look to you and all our past Grand Knights for advice and counsel.

And as always, continue praying for our council and all our brother Knights.

Vivat Jesus,
GK Greg Kunkel

Officers for Fraternal Year 2026-2027



Elected Officers

<u>Position</u>	<u>Officer</u>	<u>Email</u>
Grand Knight	Greg Kunkel	kunkegj@gmail.com
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Appointed Officers

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Editor's Notes, Announcements And More!

It has been a while since I published a Newsletter. Here is a summary of some of the events that have happened since the last newsletter. Thank you to everyone who has made our Council the best in the Diocese and beyond!

December 2025

12/6 – Bowling Green Christmas Parade

Our Council entered a float in the BG Christmas Parade. See some pictures here. More pictures and video on our website





12/9 - Christmas Dinner

12/20 - Salvation Army Christmas Dinner

January 2026

1/3 - 2/15 - Baby Bottle Drive

1/10 - Around the World party

1/11 - Pancake Breakfast

February 2026

2/13 - Celebrate Your Marriage

2/20 - Fish Fry Starts

March 2026

3/27 - Fish Fry Ends - Profit of ~\$10k, donated to local Catholic charities

5k Donations to neighboring KofC Councils to help them get started



April 2026

4/3 – Good Friday - Veneration of the Cross at Holy Spirit



May 2026

5/17 - Pancake Breakfast

5/31 - Corporate Communion at St. Josephs

\$50k donation to the Buddy House



June 2026

6/7 – Corpus Christi procession



6/28 – Freedom Fest. Chicken Dinner fundraiser

