

## May 2023 Volume VIII, Number 5

### Note from the Editor

We are quickly approaching Schützenfest on the weekend of June 16-18, which is our largest fundraiser of the year. Please find some time to volunteer and contact Rita Musbach at 513-240-1276 for volunteer opportunities.

We have our Mother's Day and Father's Day brunches coming up on May 14<sup>th</sup> and June 18<sup>th</sup> respectively (see p. 5), the Schützen End Party on May 19<sup>th</sup> (see p. 4), and the Anniversary Mass on June 4<sup>th</sup> (see p. 5).

Please note that ALL Kolping Klubhaus rental and event inquiries should now go to:  
[hello@TheKolpingHaus.com](mailto:hello@TheKolpingHaus.com)

### Important Phone Numbers

President – Anna Stukenborg, 859-221-8334

Vice President – Amy Ahrnsen, 513-542-8554

Membership (New Members) – Rita Musbach, 513-793-1148

Membership (Current) – Karen Wienkamp, 513-503-4638

Sick Committee – Open

#### Sub Group Presidents:

Genealogy Group – Tom Montgomery, 513-969-5383

Sängerchor – John Wegener, 859-240-9598

Schützen Club – Aaron Callahan, 513-406-3188

Seniors – Tom Musbach, 513-793-1148

Soccer Club – Walter Dewar, 513-312-8551

The Journeymen Group – Lydia Sinclair, 859-221-8839

House & Grounds – Walt Gerbus, 513-543-9877

#### Kolping Center

Clubhouse Rentals/Kolping Mgr. – Beth Hoffman, 513-266-6695

Business Office – 513-851-7951 then press 1

Clubhouse – 513-851-7951 then press 5

Hall – 513-851-7951 then press 4

### May Events

May 5, 7:30 P.M.

General Meeting

May 10, 11:30 A.M.

Seniors Meeting

May 14, 10:00 A.M.

Mother's Day Brunch

May 19, 7:30 P.M.

Schützen End Party

May 21, 2:00 P.M.

Genealogy Meeting

### June Events

June 2, 7:30 P.M.

General Meeting

June 4, 11:00 A.M.

Anniversary Mass

June 14, 11:30 A.M.

Seniors Meeting

June 16, 17, 18

Schützenfest

June 18, 10:00 A.M.

Father's Day Brunch

### 2023 Kolping Fish Fries

We were finally back to dine-in for the Fish Fries. I can't thank everyone enough for their countless hours of work. Many were there all six weeks and some just for one. Regardless of that, each and every one of you were what made the event a great success! I could not have done it without you. I would especially like to thank those that helped me when things got a little frazzled for me.

On a sad note, I will not be able to chair the event next year. If anyone is interested, please reach out to Anna Stukenborg or myself. I can work, but I just do not have the time to commit to running the event.

Thank you,  
Sylvia Smith

[Smithmom4@fuse.net](mailto:Smithmom4@fuse.net)



## Congratulations to all our members celebrating birthdays in the month of May !



First Name	Last Name	Birthday
William	Kraeling	May 1
Robert	Pohlabeln	May 1
Russell	Hessler	May 2
Robert	Curley	May 3
Julie	Faust	May 3
Patrick	Gramaglia	May 3
Gerhard	Moeller	May 5
Kim	Sterwerf	May 5
Gerald	Stricker	May 6
Robert	Grinkemeyer	May 7
Richard	Rebholz	May 7
Wendy	Moeller	May 8
Marcella	Tabler	May 8
James	Kinne	May 9
Josef	Ahrnsen	May 10
Jim	Muchmore	May 10
Anna	Lahrman	May 11
Andrew	Hessler	May 13
Lisa	Moore	May 13
Mike	Tonyan	May 13
Brandon	Gottenbusch	May 15
Sue	Valentino	May 15
Matth	Toebben	May 16
Brian	Donnellan	May 17
Nancy	Finke	May 17
Katherine	Goetz	May 17
Daniel	DeFranco	May 18
Michael	Hinnenkamp	May 19

First Name	Last Name	Birthday
Linda	Delaney	May 20
Kevin	Luther	May 20
Tracy	Salemme	May 20
Daniel	St. Charles	May 20
Eric	DeNoma	May 21
James	Kemper	May 21
Michael	Bauer	May 22
Joan	Koehling	May 23
James	Schnieder	May 23
Tom	Haber	May 24
Gary	Koester	May 24
Brian	Ellers	May 25
Donna	Faulk	May 25
Anthony	Schank	May 25
Joseph	Workman	May 25
Dan	Hoerstmann	May 26
Mara	Oszaczky	May 26
Dale	Probst	May 26
James C.	Resing	May 26
Michael	Schnieder	May 26
Harry C.	Voet, Jr.	May 26
Jim	Cissell	May 29
Erich	Meyer	May 29
Laura	Monti	May 29
Joseph	Westendorf	May 29
Paul	Ahrnsen	May 30
Nancy	Freudiger	May 31

### Father David Hiller Fund Report

The Father David Hiller Fund (FDHF) continues to explore different avenues to spread the values and ideals of Blessed Fr. Adolph Kolping. Fr. Kolping was a strong advocate for the working class and made a tremendous impact on the lives of many young men as they travelled as journeymen to learn their craft. In the spirit of this effort, the FDHF is looking to provide financial support to any of our members' sons and daughters who are attending Great Oaks Career Campuses or Butler Tech Trade and Vocational School who need assistance in defraying the costs of materials, uniforms, tools, etc. for their trade. Please contact Paul Ahrnsen at 513-542-8554 for further information.

The Father David Hiller Fund received the following donations **in memory of Phyllis Lunnemann**: Alfred and Erica Redder, Robert and Theresa Kahmann, Dave and Jenny Burger. We are grateful for the many donations that have been sent in memory of our Kolping members. Thank you for your support!

Paul A. Ahrnsen, FDHF Chairman

## Thank You Note to All For a Great Royal Ball

The King and Queen, Mark and Julie Faust, wanted to make sure that the thanks and kudos that they heard go right back out to all the people who helped to make the Royal Ball so excellent. "Anna Stukenborg and Beth Hoffman chose a great caterer and band, and they also adjusted times for more and earlier participation," said Queen Julie.

"The Court is always a foundation of all the activities. Guests from as spread out as the West Coast, Germany, and cities around Ohio shared compliments on the food, band, and even the spiritual focus of the event and pre-party, Mass, etc.", remarked King Mark.

Band leader Andy Klaber quipped, "It's been many years since we were the ones packing up first; we played to the very end, but you had such a great party, people just didn't stop!"



**Mark Faust with life-long friends: new Kolping member Mitchell Lach, and wartime vets, Mike O'Rourke, Jeff Schemenaur & Doug Gerrard.**



**Königin Julie & König Mark Faust**

The final Schützen Nacht of the year wrapped up with König Mark providing cigars and shots to those weathering the spring night under the Pavilion.

King & Queen Mark & Julie Faust

## Sick & Shut-Ins

Gary Gerdes  
Regina Schnetzer  
Ursula Meyer  
Willy Gerdes  
Tony Walker

Linda Knizner  
Gene Bertke  
Erich Meyer  
Manfred Ellers  
Tom Resing

Please take time out of your busy schedule for these folks, and send a card or give them a call.

We ask for special prayers for Lowell Haber, the three-and-a-half year-old son of Kolping member Tom Haber and his wife Adrienne, who has been diagnosed with Lymphoblastic Leukemia. You can follow Lowell's progress on the website:

<https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/lowellhaber>

In addition, Sue Schlake, wife of Kolping member Carl Schlake, is in need of a kidney. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Jackie at The Christ Hospital at 513-585-1440.

If you want to be taken off the Sick List or want to add someone on, please contact Nancy Pelzel at: 513-385-3120 or [nancypelzel@aol.com](mailto:nancypelzel@aol.com).

## Kolping Seniors

Seniors will be meeting on May 10<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am with lunch to follow at 12:00 noon. We will be collecting donations for our "Baby Shower". All donations will go to the Old St. Mary Pregnancy Center.

Contact Tom Musbach at 513-793-1148 for any questions.

## NOTICE

Upon the death of a MEMBER, please call the President of the Kolping Society or one of the Bereavement Committee members. In order that the membership can be aware that a member has died, the family of the decedent should be willing to place in the Death Notice that the decedent is a member of the Kolping Society and at what time Kolping members should assemble for prayers. (This should be mutually agreed upon by the family and the Kolping representatives.)

The members of the Bereavement Committee are:

Christa Olding, 513-385-1476  
Marilee Uhlhorn, 513-661-0414  
Helene Schrand, 513-741-9780  
Doris Wilke, 513-521-5019

## Kolping Genealogy

Join fellow genealogy beginners and advanced researchers for a special **FTM** session on our regular third **Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**. We will meet in person at our Kolping Klubhaus at 2:00 pm. It will actually be a hybrid session, both live and broadcasting using Zoom. Guests are welcome. You do not need to be a Kolping member. Feel free to bring our own laptop and research.

Presenter Tom Montgomery will demonstrate the computer genealogical software known as *Family Tree Maker 2019*. Tom has adopted it, as it is one of the more powerful, yet user friendly family tree software packages on the market.

([www.techradar.com/best/genealogy-tools](http://www.techradar.com/best/genealogy-tools))

FTM is not overly expensive; actually, it's a bargain for all the power it delivers. Your desktop computer and/or laptop syncs your family tree with additional research found on the web via *Family Search* and *Ancestry*. Your personal database storage location is a secure site for managing all your data. Media, stories, charts, documents, and photos can be easily integrated into your storage file. Your information may be shared and you may designate other family members to be administrators of the research you collect. You may explore more features at:

[www.mackiev.com/ftm/](http://www.mackiev.com/ftm/)

This will be a *live meeting* at the Kolping Klubhaus, but also guests will be offered a link via Zoom (see below) beginning at 2:00 pm.

### Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83543369946?pwd=0EdHNXpDRUU3TFBtTWlhZFo4OQk5oQT09>

*Always check the Kolping website for any updates/schedule changes:*

<http://www.kolpingcincinnati.com/Genealogy/Genealogy.html>

Dr. Tom Montgomery, [montgota@gmail.com](mailto:montgota@gmail.com),  
[montgota@miamioh.edu](mailto:montgota@miamioh.edu), 513-969-5383

## Schützen Club Corner

### **End Party:** May 19, 2023

- Please show up at the normal time you regularly come to Shooting Night – Food will be served sometime between 7 and 7:30 PM.

### **Place:** Kolping Shelter House

### **Entertainment:** Music will be provided.

### **Food and Drink:** Provided by Schützen Club

- Beer and Wine
- Dinner – Brisket, Pork, Chicken, Baked Beans, Mac and Cheese, Coleslaw and Potatoes

### **Awards Ceremony:**

- Top Three Teams
- Top Shooter for the Year
- Top Shooter each Month

We will have Split the Pot and Whiskey Raffle. We have multiple bottles of whiskey to raffle off!

Thanks to everyone who volunteered and helped in supporting our shooting season this year. All your help and support is greatly appreciated in making our club a success.

**Top Team for April** – Team Lunnemann Jr. with a score of 331 – Congratulations!

**Top Shooter for April** – We had a three person shoot-off with 69s and Darrell Bingham won the shoot-off – Congratulations!

**Kolping Schützen Club Shirts** – The Website is open until May 31<sup>st</sup>. Please go to:

<https://kolping.itemorder.com/shop/sale/> to order your Kolping Schützen Club apparel.

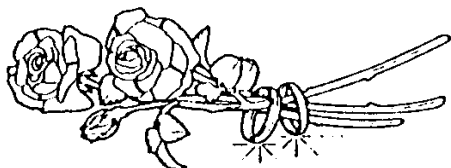
**Schützenfest** – Please remember that Schützenfest will be the weekend of June 16<sup>th</sup> through June 18<sup>th</sup>. We will need help with set-up in the weeks before the festival. We also have some open time slots for Saturday evening to work the gates. Please call me if you can volunteer.

We, as members of the Schützen Club, need to make sure that we are volunteering to set up and to work the event. Please sign up to help with our event.

Looking forward to seeing everyone in May for the End Party!

Respectfully,  
Aaron Callahan  
513-406-3188

**COMMUNION SUNDAY**  
**June 4, 2023**  
**Kolping Center – 10235 Mill Rd.**



**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS  
CELEBRATION**

Congratulations to all Kolping couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2023. We would like to recognize those couples who are celebrating 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 55, 60, 65 or 70 years of marriage anytime in 2023.

Please join us on Sunday, June 4, 2023, to celebrate your wedding anniversary with Mass and brunch at Kolping. Please contact Doris Wilke if you would like to register to be included in this Anniversary Celebration at 513-521-5019 or via email at [wilke1115@aol.com](mailto:wilke1115@aol.com). The deadline for registering is **May 15, 2023**.

The deadline for making reservations for the brunch is **May 30, 2023**, so please contact Doris Wilke to make your reservations.

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**Do You Want to be Jr. King or  
Jr. Queen in 2023-24?**

A new Jr. King and Jr. Queen will be crowned on Schützenfest Sunday, June 18, after a shooting competition using pellet guns and paper targets that is supervised by members of the Schützen Club. You must be between 12 and 17 years-old and your parents and/or grandparents must be Kolping members. You must sign in at the Shooting Booth located at the back edge of the grove at the same time as the Eagle Shooting begins. Call Ted Klosterman at 513-674-9199 for questions or to register to shoot.



**Soccer Club News**

The spring season is mid-way through. We are gearing up for our tryouts for the 2005-2016 birth year boys and girls. They will be from May 30<sup>th</sup> through June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> will be for the girls and Wednesday, May 31<sup>st</sup> and Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> will be for the boys. You can register at:

[www.KolpingSC.com](http://www.KolpingSC.com).

Contact Alex Kelly, the Director of Coaching, at: [Alex.KolpingSoccer@gmail.com](mailto:Alex.KolpingSoccer@gmail.com) for further information.

We will host Mother's Day Brunch again on May 14<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm. Pancakes, eggs, bacon or goetta is available for \$15.00.

Don't forget to come to one of our FC Cincinnati watch parties. We will host the following dates in April/May:

April 29<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 kick-off

May 27<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 kick-off

May 31<sup>st</sup> – 7:30 kick-off

Walt Dewar  
Kolping SC President  
513-312-8551

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**Notification about the  
National Kolping Scholarship**

The deadline for the National Scholarship applications is **April 30<sup>th</sup>**. Applications and requirements for the 2023 scholarship program are available through the National Kolping website at:

[www.kolping.org](http://www.kolping.org)

## Message from Fr. Dan, Our Praeses

Fr. Dan had w-a-a-a-y too much going on this month to write an article for the *Cincinnati Kolping Bulletin*, so we thought that we would recycle his article from last May, since it is still very relevant at this time.

It's the Easter Season. The Catholic Church reminds us that Eastertide is a big deal by celebrating the weeks after Easter Sunday, up to the Ascension, as a major season in the Church's year. While most folks are not thinking in terms of the Church's calendar, everyone feels new life sprouting. The tree buds and longer daylight hours tell of warmer days ahead, even if we must endure a few more damp, cold days.

Here is the point. Do we feel that something new is happening in our spiritual lives? Or is it the same old, same old thing? Are we getting the sense that we are growing, or do we feel like we are going nowhere?

I ask that question every year around Easter. Sometimes I feel like I am getting closer to the Lord. And then, sometimes, I feel like I am stuck in a spiritual rut. When that happens, I just plod ahead. I trust in the Lord, even when I am not sure that I am following the Lord's inspiration. That's what Fr. Kolping did and somehow, God's providential plan worked out for the good of the Church.

Father Kolping, our founder, kept on praying and relied on God as he worked to help others. He was ordained in April of 1845, at the peak of the Industrial Revolution. His first assignment was to a parish in Elberfeld, near the industrial city of Wuppertal. He saw the terrible conditions of workers. In 1846 he became the *praeses* of a young organization of journeymen (*Gesellenverein*) that had been established by his predecessor. So Fr. Kolping followed his heart and redoubled his efforts in prayer.

Under Fr. Kolping's leadership the *Gesellenverein* grew. When Fr. Kolping became the vicar of the Cologne Cathedral he established a new group with just seven members. It grew quickly. Fr. Kolping wrote a code of conduct for journeymen. The *Gesellenverein* expanded and new societies were formed in Europe. Eventually the Kolping family spread to the United States. So, let's keep moving ahead, trusting that the Lord has all things under his providential care. Happy Eastertide!

Fr. Dan Kroger, OFM

## Grassroots Billboard Signs Solicitation for Schützenfest

One of the most effective and economical ways to help promote *Schützenfest* is via Billboards and Yard Signs. We are asking help from businesses / commercial property owners with access to billboards, whether electronic or traditional, to be able to advertise *Schützenfest* taking place over Father's Day Weekend (June 16 - 18).

For example, last year we were blessed with the help of Eagle Bank, who promoted *Schützenfest* on their prominently placed electronic billboard signs.

We would also appreciate the ability to place Yard Signs at strategic locations (businesses, vacant lots, property near entrance / exit ramps, etc.), with property owners' permission.

This old-fashioned grassroots marketing approach is critical to successfully promoting *Schützenfest*.

Any and all help would be greatly appreciated. Please let us know if you have any leads or suggestions.

Thank you for your consideration!

Treu Kolping,

Tom Beiting  
*Schützenfest* 2023 Marketing Committee  
513-325-7342 (m) / [tom.beiting@gmail.com](mailto:tom.beiting@gmail.com)

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**Deadline for submitting articles  
for the June  
*Cincinnati Kolping Bulletin*  
is Wednesday, May 24, 2023  
at 5:00 P.M.  
Please submit to Nancy Pelzel  
at: [nancypelzel@aol.com](mailto:nancypelzel@aol.com).**



## Schützenfest Gift Basket Donations Needed!!!

**Schützenfest** is coming up fast and the Basket Raffle Booth needs your help! We will have approximately 25-30 Baskets and need as many great donations as you can provide.

Listed below are several suggestions of items that can really help us out:

- **Sporting / Entertainment Events** - it would be great if you or your company have tickets to any Bengals, Reds, FC Cincinnati, Cincinnati Zoo, UC, or XU events and or team apparel
- **Restaurant Gift Cards**
- **Alcohol, Wine and Schnaps!!**
- **Shopping Gift Cards** – Lowes, Home Depot Target, Walmart, Kroger's, Meijer's, etc.
- **Anything Cincinnati**
- **Games / Fun Night** -Movie passes, Zoo tickets, Kings Island tickets, Putt-Putt, Wall Climbing, Go Carting Gift Cards
- **Golf** - Golf passes, balls, tees, anything golf
- **Anything Nerf**
- **Anything Lego**

These are just a few suggestions for what we need for the baskets. If you can think of anything else or have an idea for a basket, please send them our way. **Too busy to buy anything? We would gratefully take **Money** to help us purchase items. Please write down who you are when donating. We want to make sure we give you the proper Thank you!**

We need the donations as soon as possible. It takes some time putting all the baskets together. You can drop them off at the Club House, mail them to us, or we can even pick them up.

If you would like to help with the baskets, please call me; we need all the help we can get. Your help and generosity are truly appreciated! The Basket Raffle is one of the most important parts of **Schützenfest** and really helps our bottom line!

Thank you so much and we look forward to another successful year!

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# Schützenfest 2023

## Father's Day Weekend – June 16, 17, and 18

We are super excited about *Schützenfest* 2023 (June 16 – 18) and our chance to build on last year's record success! The fact that we had a record year, in light of the many challenges we faced by changing *Schützenfest* to a new weekend, is a great testament to Team Kolping. I think we should be very proud of all we have accomplished. We look forward to continuing to establish *Schützenfest* as the Greater Cincinnati Father's Day Weekend family destination!

### Highlights

Here are some of our 2023 highlights:

- **NEW Saturday Fest Hours (3:00 – 11:00)** – Based on recent crowd trends, the team decided to change our Saturday hours from 4:00 – 12:00 to 3:00 – 11:00. Friday (6:00 - 12:00) and Sunday (1:00 - 9:00) hours remain the same.
- **3 EXCLUSIVE Beers from Germany** – We are excited to be able to offer 3 EXCLUSIVE beers from Germany that can only be enjoyed in America at *Schützenfest* and Kolping, including a flagship beer of *Schützenfest*s in Germany!
- **4<sup>th</sup> Annual 'Schützenfest 1K Bier Dash' Fun Run on Friday Night** – This super fun event takes place again on Friday night at 7:30. You can learn more about and sign up for the 1K Bier Dash at:  
<https://runsignup.com/Race/OH/Cincinnati/SchutzenfestBierDash>.
- **7<sup>th</sup> Annual GACL Team Target Shooting Competition on Saturday!**
- **ALL NEW Hofbräuhaus Germany Stein Holding Contest on Saturday** – The winner receives an invitation to a regional competition in Cleveland, with the ultimate chance to receive a free trip to New York, and possibly Munich.
- **Entertainment Highlights:**
  - Our fantastic entertainment lineup is headlined by the Alpen Echos Band, with members from Disney World's Epcot Center. The Mädél Jäger Duo from Pittsburgh will keep the Musik and Fun going when the Alpen Echos take a break on the Main Stage outdoors.
  - The Bergstrasse Boys Band, fresh off of their performance at this year's Royal Ball, will perform Friday and Saturday in our indoor *Wein & Bier Stube!*
  - The Rheingold Duo of Dieter and Hans from Louisville will perform Sunday in our indoor *Wein & Bier Stube!*
- **NEW Deluxe 'Ducky Downs' Rubber Ducky Races** – We are thrilled to have acquired this fun and popular game for people of all ages from Assumption Parish. We know Team Brunsmann will have those rubber duckies racing all weekend long.
- **The 9<sup>th</sup> Ohio Civil War Living History Organization** will be present to help educate festivalgoers on the importance of Germans in the Civil War. Many of the 9<sup>th</sup> Ohio members were the founders of *Schützenfest* in Cincinnati in 1866.
- **Jen Dalton from Channel 12's Good Morning Cincinnati is our Honorary Schützenmeisterin!**

Follow *Schützenfest* on [Facebook \(@SchutzenfestCincy\)](#) to stay up-to-date on all our happenings! Let's make *Schützenfest* 2023 another record year for the Cincinnati Catholic Kolping Society!

Thank you so much for your support – we cannot make *Schützenfest* a success without you!

Treu Kolping,

Jim Stukenborg, 2023 *Schützenfest* Chairperson



## Photos from the Awards Banquet on April 16, 2023



*Upper left, recipients of the Meritorious Service Award: Ted Hoerstmann, Amy Ahnrsen, and Henry Faulk.  
Upper right, recipients of the 60-year membership certificates: Theo Leuker and Dottie Nissen.*

**The recipients of all of the Kolping awards this year have served a total of 1,390 years with Cincinnati Kolping!!**



*Above, recipients of the 70-year membership certificates: Hubert Kramer, Otto Hermes, Gus Schroeder, and Karl Von den Benken.*

*Left, recipients of the 50-year membership certificates: Angela Pohlabein, Helen Mueller, and Cathy Thiemann accepting for her late husband, Dean Thiemann.  
Absent: Dan Finke*



## More Photos from the Awards Banquet



*Left, recipients of the 65-year membership certificates:  
Marilee Uhlhorn;  
Clara Ostendorf accepting for her late husband, George Ostendorf;  
Gerry Kreutzjans; and  
Beverly Meyer, accepting for herself and for her late husband, Vince Meyer.*

*Absent for his 55-year membership certificate was Henry Sieverding.*



*Right, recipients of the 25-year membership certificates:  
Walt Amrein, Don Trautmann,  
Kim Sterwerf, Bill Sterwerf, and  
Cathy Weissmann.*

*Absent: Howard and Virginia Hughes,  
Elizabeth Kunze, Robert Schneider,  
and Agnes Wessels.*



*Left, recipients of the 10-year membership certificates:  
Dan Fischer, MacKenzie Vulhop,  
and Steve Lawson.*

*Absent: Matthew Ahrnsen, Klaus Giese,  
Andrew Hessler, Michael Kappen,  
Martin Puffenberger, Tyler Seibel,  
Brian Sunderman, and Ashley Thompson.*

# 2023 Calendar of Events

<p><b>JANUARY</b>      3 Board Meeting NO GENERAL MEETING IN JANUARY 30 Board Meeting (February)</p> <p><b>FEBRUARY</b>    3 General Meeting 4 Stube Nacht 11 Valentine's Dance 24 Fish Fry 27 Board Meeting (March)</p> <p><b>MARCH</b>        3 Fish Fry 3 General Meeting 10 Fish Fry 16 New Member Initiation 17 Fish Fry 18 Schützen Royal Ball 24 Fish Fry 24-26 Kolping Memorial Tournament 31 Fish Fry</p> <p><b>APRIL</b>        3 Board Meeting 7 Good Friday No General Meeting 8 Easter Egg Hunt – Kolping Park 16 St. Joseph's Day Mass/Awards Bqt. 30 Sängchor Spring Konzert</p> <p><b>MAY</b>            2 Board Meeting 5 General Meeting 14 Mother's Day Brunch Kolping Park 19 Schützen End Party 30 Board Meeting (June)</p>	<p><b>JUNE</b>            2 General Meeting 4 Anniversary Mass 16-18 Schützenfest 18 Father's Day Brunch Kolping Park</p> <p><b>JULY</b>            3 Board Meeting NO GENERAL MEETING IN JULY 9 Appreciation Party 21 Captains' Meeting Schützen Club 28 Board Meeting (August)</p> <p><b>AUGUST</b>        4 General Meeting 17 New Member Initiation 18 First Schützen Nacht 28 Board Meeting (September)</p> <p><b>SEPTEMBER</b>   NO GENERAL MEETING IN SEPT. 22-24 1931 Invitational Tournament</p> <p><b>OCTOBER</b>       2 Board Meeting 6 General Meeting 29 Memorial Mass/Goettafest 30 Board Meeting (November)</p> <p><b>NOVEMBER</b>    3 General Meeting/Elections 26 Weihnachts Konzert 27 Board Meeting (December)</p> <p><b>DECEMBER</b>    3 Christmas Mass and Party 10 Children's Christmas Party</p>
<p><b>MEETINGS:</b></p> <p><b>Board of Directors</b>    Monday prior to the first Friday of the month – 7:00 pm</p> <p><b>Women's Club</b>        First Thursday – 6:30 pm</p> <p><b>General Membership</b>   First Friday – 7:30 pm</p> <p><b>Senior Citizens</b>        Second Wednesday – 11:30 am</p> <p><b>Bier Choir</b>            2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday – 7:00 pm</p> <p><b>Schützen Club</b>        Third Friday – 7:30 pm</p> <p><b>Genealogy Group</b>      Third Sunday – 2:00 pm</p> <p><b>Sängchor</b>              Every Tuesday – 7:30 pm</p> <p><b>Soccer Club</b>            Fourth Wednesday – 8:00 pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>KOLPING MISSION STATEMENT</b></p> <p>We, the members of the Catholic Kolping Society of America, led by the vision of our founder, Blessed Adolph Kolping, promote the development of the individual and the family by fostering a sense of belonging and friendship through our holistic programs of spiritual, educational, charitable, and social activities.</p>