

## DID YOU KNOW???

Holy Trinity Parish Men ages 18 and older,

Since 2012, your Fairview Heights Knights of Columbus Council 6996 has:

- Over 40 Knights and family members currently serving as Parish Greeters, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans, Cantors and Choir members, and Fish Fry and picnic workers.
  - We also conduct the praying of the Rosary at the end of Holy Trinity's monthly Eucharistic Adoration and lead the annual Adoration after Holy Thursday mass.
- For the last six years, donated \$11,475 to Holy Trinity's One Future Capital Campaign;
- Donated \$3,000 to purchase a new Holy Trinity mower;
- Provided rosaries and prayer books for 513 First Communicants and Bible sets for 290 Confirmandi, as well as being a sponsor to the Titan Trot and the Holy Trinity School auction, with donations totaling \$5,000 overall;
- Sponsored 5 Seminarians by providing \$1,000 each year they attend the seminary. This has totaled \$24,000;
- Through the annual Vocations Raffle, we have provided over \$31,450 to support seminarians in Illinois;
- Collected over 23,500 canned food items, over 1,120 turkeys, and over \$17,425 for the Fairview Heights Food Pantry;
- Donated over \$78,700 to support the Illinois Center for Autism, St Clair Associated Vocational Enterprises (SAVE), and the Special Olympics through our annual "Tootsie Roll" Drive (We broke our \$6,240 goal for 2022 by raising 6,719!); and
- Provided 288 winter coats to our parish needy youth through our Coats for Kids program; (another 24 were donated during Christmas 2022).

Additionally, we hold annual Council picnics, Christmas parties, Gateway Grizzlies games, and other activities for our Council families.