

# KOLPING Cincinnati Kolping Bulletin

#### **March 2025**

Volume X, Number 3

#### Note from the Editor

As the Season of Lent is upon us, let us take time to count our blessings and share them with others during this holy season. Be sure to read Fr. Dan's article on page 3 with good advice for the season.

With Lent beginning on Ash Wednesday, our Fish Fries are not far behind, with the first one being on Friday, March 7th (see p. 7 for details). The first Schützenfest Planning Meeting takes place on March 12th, and don't forget the Schützen 100th Royal Ball – it's sold out (pp. 8-9)! Our New Member Initiation takes place on April 4th (see p. 2) and the St. Joseph's Day Mass/Awards Banquet will be on April 6th (see pp. 5 & 11). Nancy Pelzel

#### **Important Phone Numbers**

President — John Mueller, 513-376-3672 Vice President — Tom Beiting, 513-325-7342 Praeses — Fr. Dan Kroger, OFM, 513-374-0623 Society Bookkeeper — Jim Schnieder, 513-310-1256 House & Grounds — Walt Gerbus, 513-543-9877 Membership (New Members) — Wendy Moeller, 513-543-8651 Membership (Current) — Karen Wienkamp, 513-503-4638 Sick Committee — Open

#### **Sub Group Presidents:**

Bourbon Club — Neil Geoppinger, 513-638-0339 Genealogy Group — Tom Montgomery, 513-969-5383 Sängerchor — Janet Curley, 513-522-7544 Schützen Club — Marc Schnetzer, 513-236-6205 Seniors — Tom Musbach, 513-793-1148 Soccer Club — Walter Dewar, 513-312-8551 The Journeymen Group — Lydia Sinclair, 859-221-8839

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#### **March Events**

March 7, 5:30 P.M. Fish Fry March 7, 7:30 P.M. **General Meeting** March 12, 11:30 A.M. **Seniors Meeting** March 12, 7:00 P.M. Schützenfest Planning March 14, 5:30 P.M. Fish Fry March 16, 2:00 P.M. **Genealogy Meeting** March 21, 5:30 P.M. Fish Fry March 21, 7:00 P.M. Schützen Club March 22, 6:00 P.M. Schützen Royal Ball March 28, 5:30 P.M. Fish Frv Memorial Tournament March 28-30 March 28, 7:00 P.M. **Bourbon Club** 

#### **April Events**

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April 4, 5:30 P.M.	Fish Fry
April 4, 6:15 P.M.	New Memb. Initiation
April 4, 7:30 P.M.	General Meeting
April 6, 11:00 A.M.	St. Joseph's Day Mass/
	Awards Banquet
April 11, 5:30 P.M.	Fish Fry
April 16, 11:30 A.M.	Seniors Meeting
April 18, 7:00 P.M.	Schützen Club
April 19, TBD	Easter Egg Hunt
April 20, 2:00 P.M.	Genealogy Meeting
April 23, 7:00 P.M.	Schützenfest Planning
April 25, 7:00 P.M.	Bourbon Club







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



First Name	Last Name	Birthday
Michael	Irlbacher	Mar 1
Randy	Brunsman	Mar 2
Alex	Finke	Mar 2
Ronald	Hughes	Mar 3
Irene	Whalen	Mar 3
Anna	Loesing	Mar 4
John	Hamen, Jr.	Mar 5
Thomas	Scherz	Mar 5
Donna	Gerbus	Mar 6
Mary	Workman	Mar 7
David	Holstein	Mar 8
Robert	Beckmann	Mar 11
Raymond	Gerdes	Mar 11
August	Kramer	Mar 11
Jeanne	Bauer	Mar 12
Michael	Rogers	Mar 12
Jacob	Koesters	Mar 14
Sandy	Butz	Mar 15
Fred	Hammerle	Mar 15
Erwin	Dobler	Mar 16
George	Gerdes	Mar 16

First Name	Last Name	Birthday
Dan	Armbruster	Mar 17
R. Mark	Kunze	Mar 17
August	Schroeder	Mar 17
Dale	Sunderhaus	Mar 18
Robert	Dashley, Jr.	Mar 21
Michael	Eismann	Mar 21
Lori	Muench	Mar 21
William	Lunnemann	Mar 22
Daniel	Lintz	Mar 23
Ariel	Smallwood	Mar 23
Chris	Schnetzer	Mar 24
Paul	Vosseberg	Mar 25
Traci	Stegman	Mar 26
Darrel	Kidwell	Mar 26
Andrew	Felczan	Mar 27
Cherise	Hammons	Mar 27
Doris	Ahrnsen	Mar 28
Michael	Rudemiller	Mar 28
Andy	Proud	Mar 31
Jill	Weissmann	Mar 31

#### **New Member Initiation**

Kolping will be hosting a New Member Initiation Meeting on Friday, April 4, at 6:15 P.M. The meeting is prior to the April General Meeting, where we will introduce the new members to those in attendance. That evening is also a Lenten Fish Fry, so we invite prospective members and current members to stop by the Fish Fry to grab some food in advance of the meeting. The doors open for the Fish Fry at 5:00 P.M., with food being served at 5:30 P.M. The Membership Committee will accept new member applications up until the Initiation Meeting, so if you know anyone interested in joining Kolping, direct them to the online application at <a href="https://www.cincinnatikolping.com">www.cincinnatikolping.com</a> and let them know about the April 4<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Wendy Moeller, Membership Committee Chair

#### **Kolping Membership Dues**

Just a reminder that the annual dues notices were sent out in October. You can pay your dues by check, through your bank bill pay, or online at: <a href="www.kolpingcincinnati.com">www.kolpingcincinnati.com</a>. When paying online, please make sure you fill in your first and last name (and spouse if a family membership) so that we can track payments properly.

Any member who has not paid by <u>March 31, 2025</u> will be dropped from membership per the Cincinnati Kolping Bylaws. Thank you to everyone who has paid their dues.

Karen Schnetzer Wienkamp, Membership Secretary

#### **Letter from the President**

I want to take a moment to recognize and thank our Kolping Board for their dedication and commitment to the continued success of our Society. Their leadership and hard work help guide us through challenges, ensure financial stability, and create opportunities for growth. In addition to their ongoing efforts, the Board has been actively working on critical initiatives, including our planned Bylaws update, Operations, Governance, Membership, and Purpose - these efforts are essential to the future of our Society, with an implementation and approval plan targeted for completion before Schützenfest 2025. Every decision they make is done with the best interests of our members and the long-term sustainability of our Society in mind.

I also want to extend a special thank you to Wendy Moeller and her team for their outstanding work on the Stube Nacht event held on February 22nd. While the crowd was slightly smaller than last year, the event was still well attended, full of fun, and a wonderful evening for all who came. We are excited to announce that next year's Stube Nacht will return to its previous timing, the weekend before the Super Bowl, to better accommodate attendees.

As we move into March, we are excited for the return of our Kolping Lenten Fish Fries, starting on March 7th! A huge thank you to Sylvia Ostendorf-Smith for once again coordinating and leading the team of volunteers who make these fish fries such a huge success. These dinners are a wonderful tradition that bring our community together, while supporting our Cincinnati Kolping Society. Be sure to spread the word and come out to enjoy some great food and fellowship!

Additionally, we are thrilled for our Schützen King and Queen, Scott and Holly Scholz, and the 100<sup>th</sup> Royal Ball on March 22<sup>nd</sup>. This event is reportedly sold out with over 470 guests planning to attend! This incredible event continues to bring together our Kolping Society community for an unforgettable evening of tradition, elegance and celebration.

Looking ahead, we have some exciting new initiatives that need your support! The Kolping Haus is launching "Groovin' in the Grove," starting on May 21st and continuing on the third Wednesday of each month through September from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM. These evenings will feature food, drinks, and live music under the Pavilion in the Grove—creating a great opportunity for fellowship and community enjoyment.

#### Letter from the President (cont'd.)

Additionally, we are gearing up for Bingo nights with all proceeds benefiting the Kolping Foundation. This initiative is essential to help support the long-term sustainability of our Society, and your participation will make a meaningful impact.

We are excited about these opportunities to engage our community and strengthen our Society. With your support, we can continue to grow and preserve the legacy of our Cincinnati Catholic Kolping Society for generations to come.

Thank you for all you do, and I look forward to seeing you at these upcoming events!

Treu Kolping, John Mueller, President, Cincinnati Kolping Society

#### Message from Our Praeses, Fr. Dan

Ash Wednesday highlights the beginning of the Lenten Season. "Repent and believe the Gospel," or the older words, "Remember you are dust and unto dust you shall return", are the words we hear as we receive blessed ashes.

What are you planning to do during the Season of Lent? Perhaps some things come to mind, like fish fries, days of fast and abstinence, taking part in traditional Way of the Cross devotions, and so forth. And remember it is good to take more silent time, for prayer or whatever is doable depending on your circumstances.

The Church urges us to examine our consciences and focus on some positive activities, not just giving things up. Visiting the sick or trying to overcome bad habits, like anger or excessive drinking, are some things Father Kolping asked of his fellow journeymen. In other words, we are called to reform our lives and help those in need.

As members of the Kolping Society today, we are drawn to follow the pattern of Christian life shown and taught by Fr. Kolping. He encouraged honest work, care for the poor, fulfilling our family duties and following Christ who offered his own life for us.

Can we see that Lent calls us to live the Gospel, to open our hearts to others and to our God? That is our Lenten challenge—to take up our crosses and follow him.

Make the most of the spiritual opportunities that Lent affords!

Fr. Dan Kroger, OFM

#### Fr. David Hiller Fund Report

Dear Kolping members,

The Father David Hiller Fund received the following donations.

In memory of Dorothy "Dot" Decker Helene Schrand

**In memory of Brother Marcel Groth** Helene Schrand

**In memory of Tony Walker** Ray and Janet Dehner

**In memory of Rosemary Dechering** Clemens and Elisabeth Ricke

### **In memory of Maria Dechering**Clemens and Elisabeth Ricke

We are grateful for the many donations that have been sent from our subgroups, in celebration of members' events and in memory of our Kolping members and will use them to continue the work of Blessed Fr. Kolping. We also received donations from the bar tips from events at the Klubhaus and Pavilion.

We would also like to thank everyone for their applications for the Fr. David Hiller Fund Scholarship. We will be reviewing the essays and provide the list of winners in March.

Finally, many companies have a matching gift program where you can add the Father David Hiller Fund as a beneficiary and the company may match your gift.

> Sincerely, Paul A. Ahrnsen FDHF Chairm

# WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS CELEBRATION June 1, 2025 Kolping Center – 10235 Mill Rd.



Congratulations to all Kolping couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2025. We would like to recognize those couples who are celebrating 10, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65 or 70 years of marriage anytime in 2025.

Please join us on **Sunday**, **June 1**, **2025** to celebrate your wedding anniversary with Mass and brunch at Kolping. Please contact Barb Hessler if you would like to be included in this Anniversary celebration at: 513-520-8664 or via email at:

BHessler129@gmail.com

#### Sick & Shut-Ins

Linda Knizner

Harry Voet

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

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 <a href="mailto:nancypelzel@aol.com">nancypelzel@aol.com</a>.

#### **Kolping Seniors**

God willing and weather permitting, the Kolping Seniors will meet for the first time in 2025 on March 12, 2025 at 11:30 A.M. in the Klubhaus. Dear God, we would like to have some sunshine. Thank you, The Seniors.

Tom Musbach, President



#### Deaths

Charles Anthony "Tony" Walker, husband of Carol Smith Walker and Kolping member for 28 years, passed away on January 31, 2025 at the age of 79. He was the Secretary of the Schützen Club from 2001 - 2002. We send our condolences to Carol and their children, Christina Lederle, Craig, Scott and Todd Walker, as well as the rest of the Walker family.

Christa Olding, wife of the late John Olding and Kolping member for 26 years, passed away on February 14, 2025 at the age of 89. She had served on the Kolping Board of Directors from 2002-2003; was the President of Kolping Seniors from 2007-April 2021; was the Chairperson of the Sick Committee from 2008-2023; was the first female Cincinnati Kolping Vice President from 2010-2011: was the organizer of the Kolping Masses for quite a few years; was a longtime member of the Kolping Sängerchor; served on the 38th National Convention Committee in 2010: and was the Schützenfest Queen twice, along with her husband John as the King, in 1999 and 2011. Christa received the Cincinnati Kolping Meritorious Service Award in 2009 and the National Kolping Distinguished Service Award in 2012. We extend our sympathies to Christa's twelve children: Tom, Mike, Tim, Joe, Gerry, and John Olding; Cathy McFarland, Patty Williams, Mary Telinda, Lisa Lusby, Susie Knowles, and Cyndi Mapp, along with the entire Olding family.

John Langefeld, husband of Libby Langefeld and Kolping member for 63 years, passed away on February 21, 2025 at the age of 83. He was a member of the Schützen Club, winning the Marksman Award in January of 2002 and 2003. Our prayers go out to Libby and their children, Lisa Sloan, Christopher and Eric Langefeld, as well as the whole Langefeld family.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

#### St. Joseph Mass – Sunday, April 6, 2025

St. Joseph, the patron saint of the Catholic Kolping Society, will be celebrated on Sunday, April 6, 2025. Saint Joseph embodies all that our Catholic Kolping Society is about. Why is he our patron saint? Here are some examples:

- St. Joseph is the patron saint of families perfect for Kolping as we encourage family participation at our events. "In May 1999, we celebrated our 75th Anniversary. The Society has been blessed during the past 75 years. The membership has grown to more than 800 members. In addition to the regular members, there are many sub-groups such as Young Kolping, Senior Citizens, Sports Club, Shooting Club, the Kolping Band, and Sängerchor. A variety of activities are sponsored the Society, by affording wholesome recreation, athletics, education and musical and social entertainment. In all the events, the members carry out Father Kolping's intentions and ideals in a familylike spirit and harmony." (From History of Catholic Kolping Society)
- St. Joseph husband of Mary and role model for the father of families. No other person so possessed her esteem, subjection, and love as Joseph. This fatherhood, and official position of Saint Joseph in the Kingdom of God, has its true and particular foundation in a special way in the matrimonial union with Mary.
- St Joseph the Worker Blessed Fr. Kolping exemplified this virtue when he led the movement for providing and promoting social support for workers in industrialized cities while also working to promote the dignities of workers in accordance with the social magisterium of the faith. He was called the Journeymen's Father.

Just a reminder that we are always looking for volunteers at our Masses. We need lectors and Eucharistic ministers. If you'd like to volunteer, please contact Annamarie Geoppinger ageoppinger@cinci.rr.co, or call 513-560-7044.

#### **Kolping Genealogy**

Genealogists and family historians: we need your help! Attendance is down, but the information learned is invaluable. We are here to teach you, but we need you to join the sessions. As I was out February 16 for my Marine grandson's wedding in North Carolina, colleague David Lahrmann jumped in and proctored an excellent overview of USCIS (you can view his slides and taped Zoom video in the USCIS folder under the schedule on our website: <a href="http://www.kolpingcincinnati.com/Genealogy/Genealogy.html">http://www.kolpingcincinnati.com/Genealogy/Genealogy.html</a>)

**Sunday, March 16, at 2:00 PM** will be our next Genealogy Meeting. Guests are welcome. You do not need to be a Kolping member to join the meeting. I will lead us in a review of some of the constant enhancements being developed at *Family Search*, a <u>free</u> website. If you do not have an account, it would be wise for you to visit the site <u>before</u> our session to learn more about *Family Search*:

#### https://www.familysearch.org/en/about

This session is <u>not</u> an overview of the many research opportunities available, but a review of some of the latest updates. Visit:

https://www.familysearch.org/en/gettingstarted/ to learn more about using *Family Search*. Click the circled? Help button on the upper right menu bar and choose "How do I create a free FamilySearch account?"

We will review about a dozen of the latest enhancements in *Family Search*, including:

- Family Share
- What is a Data Quality Score?
- What is the new Merge Analysis View?
- How to Discover More Ancestors with Full Name Review
- 100 Million New Images
- Portrait View in Family Tree
- Super Hints for the Experienced Researcher
- Memory Viewer
- Chat
- Sign-In Options
- Mobile App-Android

All this for <u>free</u>? Yes, much is being developed in the *Family Search* labs.

#### Kolping Genealogy (cont'd.)

The link below is the common monthly link. We update the topics monthly, but the connection remains the same. Join the Zoom meeting at: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84365945511?pw">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84365945511?pw</a> <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84365945511?pw">d=g0xYZgtQsP4mqEo6b2aYLCiZfcphGB.1</a> It will also be a live session in our clubhouse.

Dr. Tom Montgomery, <a href="mailto:montgota@mail.com">montgota@miamioh.edu</a>, 513-969-5383



#### **Soccer Club News**

The season will be here soon and all the teams are practicing. The Kolping Memorial Tournament takes place on March 28 – 30 and the Easter Egg Hunt is on April 19. We can always use candy and eggs.

Walt Dewar, President 513-312-8551

Deadline for submitting articles for the April Cincinnati Kolping Bulletin is Wednesday, March 26, 2025 at 5:00 P.M.

Please submit to Nancy Pelzel at: <a href="mailto:nancypelzel@aol.com">nancypelzel@aol.com</a>

# The Kolping Fish Fries Are Coming in March!

Dates:

March 7, 14, 21 & 28 - April 4 & 11

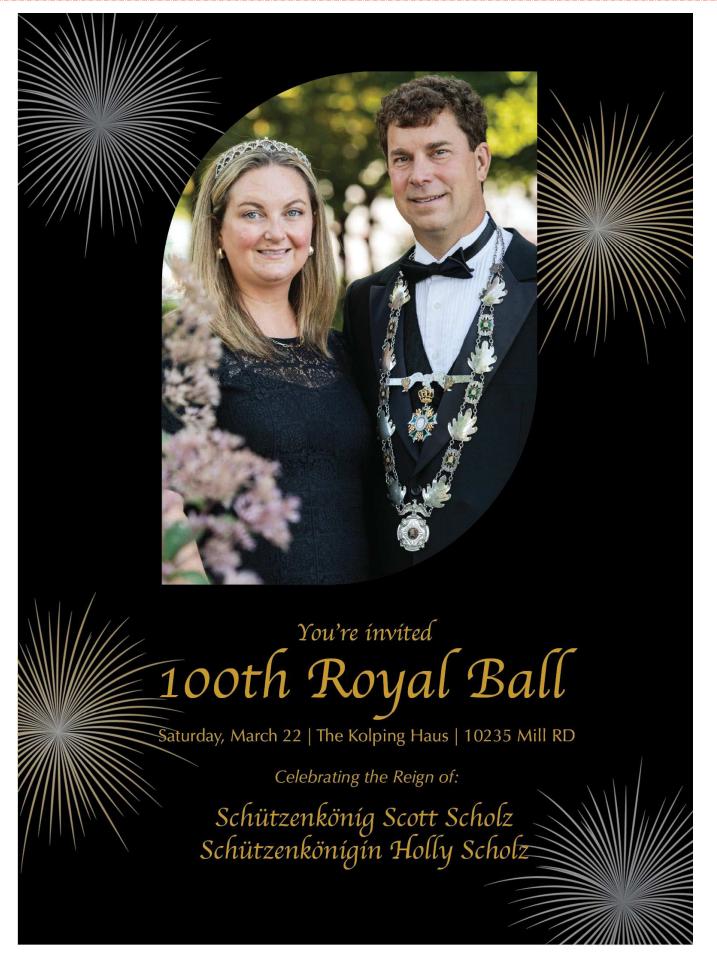


Entrees include: Fried Fish, Baked Fish, Shrimp, and Cheese Pizza Sides include: Mac and Cheese, Green Beans, Our Famous Homemade Cole Slaw, and French Fries Delicious Delectable Desserts baked by our Kolping Soccer Teams

Shrimp Dinner \$15.00 • Baked/Fried Fish Dinner \$14.00 (Dinners include 2 sides)
Fish Sandwich with 1 side \$12.00 • Pizza Slice \$2.00

Variety of Beers, Domestic and German Split-the-Pot • Mega Split-the-Pot (to be drawn on last Fish Fry)

> Doors open at 5:00 P.M. Dinners served from 5:30 - 7:30 P.M.





#### TRADITION | DINNER | DANCING | COCKTAILS

6:00	Royal Hall Doors Open
6:00 - 6:30	Happy Hour, including Signature Cocktails and Light Hors d'Oeuvres
7:00	Royal Parade
7:30	Home-Cooked Dinner Buffet by Hammann's Catering
8:00	The Royal's Dance
8:30	Dessert
9:30	Toast with the Royals
11:00	Event Concludes

#### German-American Music by Bill Klaber and the Bergstrasse Boys Formal / Semi-Formal Dress Required Adult Admission: \$50 | Under 21 Admission: \$35

Admission Includes: Hors d'Oeuvres, Dinner, Dessert, and Soft Drinks

Adult Admission also Includes: Signature Cocktails (served 6:00 - 6:30), 2 Drink Coins, for Beer, Wine, or Mixed Drinks; a Toast with the Royals (9:30)

Additional Drinks served Cash Bar (Cash and Credit Cards accepted)

Reservations Must be Paid In Advance - **NO EXCEPTIONS**No reservations will be taken after March 12th

To purchase by Credit Card, please email your name and contact information to KolpingKingsBall@gmail.com

**IMPORTANT:** do not email your credit card information

To purchase by Venmo, please Venmo @kolpingcourt

To purchase by Check, please mail Sylvia Ostendorf-Smith per:

Cincinnati Kolping Society c/o Royal Ball 10235 Mill Road Cincinnati, OH 45231

Please include your seating preferences when you purchase your tickets. Reservations will be confirmed and Drink Coins distributed at Front Door



10235 Mill Rd. - Cincinnati www.kolpingcincinnati.com



#### Get ready for all the fun & excitement during this year's Schützenfest!

We really have a unique and special event that produces a huge financial benefit to help Kolping improve, stay up-to-date, and operate all year round. The reason Schützenfest is such a success is you – the members, friends, and supporters of the Kolping Society of Cincinnati. Please support our Schützenfest. Additional and updated information will follow via social media, the Kolping Bulletin, and emails. Keep looking for information or reach out now. Thank you!

- Schützenfest planning meetings will take place on March 12<sup>th</sup>, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, and May 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Kolping Klubhouse.
- We need Booth Captains in critical areas like the Food Tent & Merchandise Sales
  - -- If you are interested email us at schutzenfestcincy@gmail.com
- Watch your email for our Sign-Up Genius webpage link to volunteer for specific dates & times. Be sure to share the link with family and friends
- Schützenfest set up will begin Monday, June 9<sup>th</sup> with day and evening shifts. Lunch and dinner will be provided.
- Schützenfest teardown starts Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am. Lunch will be provided.

### St. Joseph's Day Mass/Awards Banquet

Sunday April 6, 2025

# Mass begins at 11:00 AM Catered Dinner served shortly after the Mass ends Cost: \$15.00 per person, cash bar

To pay by check: Send your reservation request and check made out to The Catholic Kolping Society to: Tom Beiting, 7784 Styrax Ln., Cincinnati, OH 45236

> To pay by Credit Card: Email your reservation request to: tom.beiting@gmail.com

For questions call Tom Beiting at 513-325-7342

#### Reservations must be made by Wednesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

All honorees receive 2 complimentary dinners.
Reservations are still REQUIRED for honorees and their guest.
Members receiving Longevity Awards are listed below.

#### **65-YEAR MEMBERS**

Heddy Freese Janet Talkers Kuhl

#### **55-YEAR MEMBERS**

Ray Beiser, Jr.
Celeste Hermes
Carl Nissen
Elisabeth Ricke
Ingrid Thompson

#### **50-YEAR MEMBER**

Clara Hamen

#### **25-YEAR MEMBERS**

Paul Anhofer Rich Bova Joe and Laurie Freese Frank Geiser Ursula Grote John O'Neil Susan Schertzer Brian Schmidt

Jill and John Weissmann, Jr.

#### **10-YEAR MEMBERS (2024)**

Laura Adelmann
Greg Fehrenbach
William Huntsinger
Joseph Kunze
Eric Schank
Gerald Stricker
Anna Stukenborg
Virginia Clayton
Neil Geoppinger
Nick Krummen
Bill Maly
Daniel St. Charles
Therese Stricker
Mike Tonyan

#### **10-YEAR MEMBERS (2025)**

Mike Carroll Elaine Ahaus Eric DeNoma Steven Drees Brian Ellers Robert Even Jane Fitzpatrick Cherise Hammons Rick Hoeting MM Jamison Timothy Jamison Roger Miller Monica Rice Holly Scholz Scott Scholz Lisa Spraul Michael Spraul Tom Teufel

Mary Umphrey

# SPRING CONCERT AND DINNER



Sponsored by the **Kolping Sängerchor** 



#### **SUNDAY - MAY 4, 2025**

TO BE HELD AT THE KOLPING CENTER 10235 Mill Rd, Cincinnati, Ohio 45231

## Doors open at 3:00 – Concert 4:00 – Dinner by **A CATERED AFFAIR** to follow

Buffet Menu: Sliced Turkey Breast in Gravy, Sliced Honey Glazed Ham with Cherry Sauce, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Grilled Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Broccoli Casserole, Spring Mix Salad with Strawberries, Blueberries, and Goat Cheese, Rolls and Butter, Dessert Assortment, Coffee

## Special Guest Appearance by the KINDERCHOR SPLIT THE POT – CASH BAR

Cost: \$25.00 per person
\$10.00 per child 8 years of age or under
\*TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE\*

#### No tickets sold after April 25, 2025

For more info, call Bonnie Campbell, 513-675-0571
Send your check to Bonnie Campbell, 5201 Valley Ridge, Cincinnati, OH 45247. Make check out to Kolping Sängerchor and include a self-addressed stamped return envelope. Or contact one of the Sängerchor Members for tickets.



### **2025 Calendar of Events**

JANUARY	NO G	ENERAL MEETING IN JANUARY	JUNE	1 Anniversary Mass
FEBRUARY	RY 3 Board Meeting 7 General Meeting 8 Valentine's Dance 22 Stube Nacht		2 Board Meeting 6 General Meeting 13-15 Schützenfest 15 Father's Day Brunch Kolping F 30 Board Meeting (July)	
MARCH  APRIL  MAY	MARCH  3 Board Meeting 7 Fish Fry 7 General Meeting 12 Schützenfest Planning Meeting 14 Fish Fry 21 Fish Fry 22 Schützen Royal Ball 28 Fish Fry 28-30 Kolping Memorial Tournament 31 Board Meeting (April)  APRIL  4 Fish Fry 4 General Meeting 6 St. Joseph's Day Mass/Awards Bqt. 11 Fish Fry 23 Schützenfest Planning Meeting 28 Board Meeting (May)		JULY  AUGUST  SEPTEMBER  OCTOBER  NOVEMBER  DECEMBER	NO GENERAL MEETING IN JULY 6 Appreciation Party 18 Captains' Meeting Schützen Club 28 Board Meeting (August)  1 General Meeting 15 First Schützen Nacht  2 Board Meeting NO GENERAL MEETING IN SEPT. 26-28 1931 Invitational Tournament 29 Board Meeting (October)  3 General Meeting 26 Memorial Mass/Goettafest  3 Board Meeting 7 General Meeting/Elections 30 Sängerchor Weihnachts Konzert  1 Board Meeting 7 Christmas Mass and Party 14 Children's Christmas Party 29 Board Meeting (January)
MEETINGS:			KOL	PING MISSION STATEMENT
Board of Dire	ectors	Monday prior to the first Friday of the month – 7:00 pm	We, the members of the Catholic Kolping Societ America, led by the vision of our founder, Bles	
Women's Klub		First Thursday - 6:30 pm	Adolph Kolping, promote the development of the individual and the family by fostering a sense	
<b>General Membership</b> First Friday – 7:30 pm		belonging and friendship through our holistic programs of spiritual, educational, charitable, and		
Senior Citizens		Second Wednesday – 11:30 am	social activities.	
Bier Choir		$2^{nd}$ & $4^{th}$ Thursday – 7:00 pm		
Schützen Club		Third Friday – 7:30 pm		
Genealogy Group		Third Sunday – 2:00 pm		
Sängerchor		Every Tuesday – 7:30 pm		
Soccer Club		Fourth Wednesday - 8:00 pm		

**Bourbon Club** 

Fourth Friday – 7:00 pm