



February 2nd, 2020

Worthy Brother Knights,

Later this month you will be receiving your 2020 State Lottery Tickets in the mail.

It has been 12 years since we were allowed to mail Nebraska State Lottery Tickets to our members. Thanks to the dedicated hard work of a few Brother Knights, we have reached an agreement and are **now allowed to both mail out and return by mail your sold and unsold lottery tickets.**

Question: What does the State Council do with the funds raised by the lottery?

Answer: The money we raise supports our Nebraska Seminarians and other State Vocation Projects.

Each year every seminarian in our state receives a Christmas cash gift as a “thank you” for their choice to serve. In addition, we also support requests from the three dioceses as well as our parishes and councils on projects which foster vocations to the religious life.

Lottery Tickets are \$10.00 each. Make checks payable to Nebraska Knights of Columbus.

The drawing for prizes will be held during the State Banquet on Saturday, April 25, 2020 at our annual State Convention in Kearney, NE.

There will be a total of nine (9) prizes this year: \$2,500; \$1,000; \$750; \$500 and five (5) \$100 prizes.

Please sell or purchase the enclosed tickets and **return “ALL” lottery tickets by mail or at the State Convention. If returning by mail, the all lottery tickets and money must be received by the State Warden no later than Monday, April 20, 2020.** Ticket holders need not be present to win and it is not necessary to purchase the tickets to be entered into the drawing.

**If you have questions or want additional tickets, please contact me at
schaef5252@gmail.com or call at (402) 651-9840.**

When returning lottery tickets by mail send both your sold and unsold tickets and money to:

**State Warden Mike Schaeffer
4306 Sheridan Rd
Bellevue NE 68123-2259**

**Thanks for all you do!
Vivat Jesus, Mike Schaeffer State Warden**