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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS: the Knights of Columbus, now observing its 80th year as a fraternal benefit society of Catholic Men, has fostered the ideals of Charity, Patriotism and Public Service in Minnesota and the Nation, and
- WHEREAS: the Knights of Columbus has contributed much in terms of time, energy and devoted activity to many worthwhile projects, during war and peace, which have aided in the moral, spiritual and material upbuilding of our country, and
- WHEREAS: the growth of the Knights of Columbus, since its founding day of March 29, 1882, to its present strength of 1,250,000 members with 162 Councils and over 45,000 members in Minnesota, is a tribute to the effectiveness and purpose of the organization,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim March 29, 1972, which marks the 90th year of the Knights of Columbus, as

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DAY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two, and of the State the one hundred fiftieth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Arlen J. Erdahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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