The Paul Gruhler Award is sponsored by the Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus and dates back to 1975. It is named in honor of Paul Gruhler who was dedicated to his family, his community and epitomized the principles of the Knights of Columbus: Charity, Unity Fraternity and Patriotism.

Every Council in the Dayton Chapter has an outstanding Knight who is deserving of the recognition afforded by this prestigious award.

A nomination package should be prepared and forwarded to the President of the Dayton Chapter at [President@daytonkofc.org](mailto:President@daytonkofc.org).

Your nominee will be evaluated in three areas using the following criteria:

**Church:** What is your nominee’s involvement in Church activities? Describe your nominee’s involvement in such activities as: Eucharistic minister, ushering, teaching, altar serving, fundraising, and Parish Council to name but a few.

**The Knights of Columbus:** Describe your nominee’s involvement in the Knights of Columbus in his Council, District and State Council. What positions has he held and what major accomplishments has he achieved?

**Community:** An outstanding Knight does not hide his candle under a basket. He is active in his community helping his friends and neighbors by volunteering his time and talent. Describe your nominee’s volunteer involvement in such activities as: Coaching of a youth athletic league, Meals on Wheels, St. Vincent Hotel, the VA Medical Center, Scouts, or a local Senior Citizen Center.

NOTE:

To ensure impartiality **do not** include your nominee’s name on the second page of the nomination package. Each nomination package will be assigned a unique identification number for evaluation purposes.

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| **COUNCIL NUMBER/COUNCIL NAME** |  |
| **MEMBERSHIP NUMBER** |  |
| **MEMBERSHIP**         Indicate INSURANCE or ASSOCIATE |  |

**Nominee’s Accomplishments**

**CHURCH (40 points)**

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (50 points)**

Item:

Item:

Item:

**COMMUNITY (10 points)**

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