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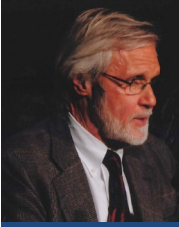
Monday's Meeting May2, 2016: LAW DAY 2016

Tracey Tangeman and Jon Richardson:
"Miranda -- What is it and how is it working
after fifty years? Movie Clips and Stories
from the Street."

**This program will be at the Huntington
Center!**



Tracey Tangeman and Jon Richardson will discuss procedural safeguards afforded suspects and defendants in the criminal justice system, as well as some "tales from the street" by a criminal prosecutor and defense attorney.



Tracey Tangeman is an assistant United States attorney for the Northern District of Ohio in the criminal division. She earned her JD from The Ohio State University. Tracey was voted "Most Likely to Crush You in Court" in law school.

Before moving to Toledo, she lived in Dayton where she was the assistant prosecuting attorney in Montgomery County for 16 years and belonged to the Rotary club there. Tracey and her husband Travis have one daughter, Bryn.

Jon has practiced criminal law for 44 years in Toledo's city, state, and federal courts and is considered one of the top rated criminal defense attorneys in the city. Jon received his JD from the University of Toledo Law School. In addition, as an adjunct professor, he has taught *Law and Literature* in the Honors College for the University of Toledo. Upon graduation from law school, Jon joined the law offices of Robert Z. Kaplan where he has remained for 44 year. Jon has three children—Jason, Meighan, and Rachel.

Upcoming Meetings/Events

MONDAY, May 2—Speaker: Tracey Tangeman & Jon Richardson

Program: Law Day—Miranda

**THIS PROGRAM WILL BE AT THE HUNTINGTON CENTER,
THE AQUARIUM, FIRST FLOOR**

Greeters: Jim Scheib, Joe Sharp, Paul Smith, Sara Swisher, Paul Sullivan, Travis Tangeman, Lou Tosi, Matthew Trzcinski, Keith Walker, Tom Waniewski, Lori Vance, Zak Vassar, Jim Vitale, Dan Zimolzak

Meetings:

1:00 pm Community

TUESDAY, May 3

7:30 am Water Conference, Rick's Diner

MONDAY, May 9—Speaker: James Kamsickas

Program: Dana's Growth Trajectory

Greeters: Jason Abodeely, Matthew Adkins, Bob Amphor, Cindy Binkley, Linda Blackburn, Frank Bloomquist, Chad Buck, Bill Buckley, Jeff Cole, Ed Caldwell, Kim Cutcher, John Getchey, Erik Ibsen

Meetings:

11:00 am Strategic Planning

1:00 pm Youth

WEDNESDAY, May 11

7:30 am Joint Exec Meeting, Original Pancake (Central)

FRIDAY, May 13

7:30 am FAC, Toledo Club

SATURDAY, May 14

8:00 am Little Sisters of the Poor Spring Clean Up

MONDAY, May 16—Speakers: Christie Jenkins, Tim

Yenrick, Judge Denise Navarre Cubbon

Program: Overcoming Roadblocks: Working with
Vulnerable Families

Greeters: Stacey Butts, Mary Ann Culpert, Janina Douglas, Katie Enright, Mary Fedderke, Scott Fry, Tom Fry, Peter Bowmer, Jane Marie Rahe, Tim Menke, Karen Ranney Wolkins, Linda Greene, Bob Gardner

Meetings:

1:00 pm Vocational

WEDNESDAY, May 18

7:30 am Board Meeting, Toledo Club

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Internet Viewing: The past meeting can be viewed online at
<https://vimeo.com/164189795>.

Major General Mark E. Bartman: National Guard

Major General Mark E. Bartman, the Adjutant General of Ohio, showed a video, *We are the Guard*, highlighting the Ohio National Guard. The Guard is "Always ready. Always there." He described the command structure of reporting directly to the governor and to the chief of the National Guard Bureau in Washington. Mark is very impressed with how many senior level executives there are in the Ohio National Guard. He said that that is a testament to the support the Guard receives from the local communities. The Ohio National Guard is the 5th largest in the United States with 16,200 members. It serves a region where 59% of the U.S. population lives, and 7 of 10 FEMA regions are located within 600 miles of Ohio. Since 9/11, over 25,000 Ohio National Guard soldiers and airmen have deployed to fight and win our nation's wars. Domestically, the Ohio National Guard has protected the homeland with its Neighbors helping Neighbors program whereby guardsmen went door to door checking on neighbors during heat waves. They also assisted with water distribution during the water crisis of the summer of 2014. The Ohio Air National Guard is the 2nd largest in the U.S. with 4,700 airmen and has added full time chaplains and medical personnel to support those who fly combats remotely from an office in Ohio and then go home to have dinner with family. The Ohio Army National Guard is the 5th largest in the U.S. with 11,500 soldiers and has very diverse units. Major General Bartman reiterated that the Guard enjoys amazing support from the local business community. He used a three-legged stool analogy to describe a ready team—soldier/airmen, family, and community. The Guard continues to build strategic partnerships throughout Ohio and around the globe working closely with state and federal agencies. The Major General explained that the Ohio National Guard has a rich heritage including three presidents who served in the Ohio Volunteer Infantry and Major General Charles H. Dick who championed the Militia Act of 1903. He honored those heroes who have fallen in the line of duty from the Ohio National Guard. Major General Bartman offered a glimpse into the future saying that the Guard is on the cutting edge of military technology. The 180th, stationed in Toledo, is under consideration to get the F-35 Lightning II stealth multirole fighter plane. In addition, Ohio is in competition with Michigan and New York for a missile defense site. Finally, the Ohio National Guard participates in cyber collaboration with many agencies and individuals worldwide.



Kids Against Hunger®

FEEDING FAMILIES AND CHILDREN AROUND THE WORLD

The New Member Committee is hosting its annual service project. This is a great opportunity to spend some time with your fellow Rotarians, do some good in our community, and introduce your family/significant other to the Rotary community. We have adopted the national service group, Kids Against Hunger that is run locally by ISOH/Impact. We have an opportunity to pack 25,000 meals in a two hour window. This year's project will be held on Saturday May 21, 2016 (see schedule below). We need approximately 80-100 volunteers to pack the 25,000 meals, so please invite your family/friends to come help out (child volunteers should be 8+). Finally, there will be a phenomenal fellowship opportunity directly after the pack with some food and hopefully good weather! The day's project is being hosted by Dick & Fran Anderson at the Andersons Complex (1833 S. Holland Sylvania, Maumee, OH 43537). Pack Day Schedule (Volunteers needed)
Set Up: 8-9:30 am Parking: 8:45-10 am
Registration: 9-10 am Pack: 10 am-12:00 pm
Fellowship: 12:00-1:00 pm
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New Members

Tim Menke is the CEO of Lott Industries. Tim was born in Lima, Ohio, and grew up in Delphos, Ohio. He currently resides in Perrysburg with his wife, Julie, and two daughters, Katie and Jessie. He values time with family and is heavily involved with youth activities at his church. He hopes to do more kayaking on the Maumee River this summer. Tim's alma mater for both his bachelor's and MBA degrees is Bowling Green State University. He loves the Rotary ideals, believes strongly in family values, and describes himself as being a "servant to family, church, and Lott." He is not fond of people with negative outlooks who waste time in whining and complaining.

Joe Sweeney is the director of development for his alma mater, St. Francis de Sales High School. Joe is active in the Multiple Sclerosis Society, having served on the board and is a past chairman. Joe enjoys the Bike to the Bay, having done it 27 years and riding 150 miles in two days. Joe (6'4") is married to Sue (4'11") and they have two children Brianna and Connor. Joe's interests include bicycling, golf, theater, and his kids' activities. Joe is excited to be joining Rotary after many years of tagging along with Fr. Ron Olszewski as a guest. His pet peeve is people who come to too many Rotary luncheons as a guest without becoming a member.

SAVE THE DATES

June 17—Hensville Fellowship

Join in the fellowship at Toledo's newest downtown destination.

June 18—Dragon Boat Races

The Rotary team will compete in these annual races which bring together fellowship and philanthropy.

New Golf League

A new fellowship golf league is being formed for Rotarians interested in a bit of fun on the links! This mixed league will play at Toledo Country Club on Mondays, with tee times starting at 5:30 pm. Spouses welcome. Starting date is yet to be determined, based on interest. See Brad Rubini, Nick Cron, or Sharon Skilliter with any questions and be sure to sign up at the desk. If you cannot commit to league time, you are welcome to indicate you will be a sub. If enough interest, Toledo Country Club is willing to add a food component to the evening. Please sign up by May 2nd.

Clean Up at LSOP—May 14th

Rotarians are invited to a service project (8:30 am– 1pm) at the Sacred Heart Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor. This clean up will consist of raking out flower beds, planting some new shrubbery, trimming trees, hauling tree limbs, etc. Rotarians are encouraged to bring along family members. Tours of the Sacred Heart Home will follow after 1:00 pm for those interested. Volunteers need only bring work gloves. Sign up at a meeting!!!



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TRCF Grant Recipient Update

Below are some photos from the St Paul's Downtown Lutheran Church Community Breakfast called Morning Blessings. Morning Blessings operates every Tuesday and Thursday, 7:30-10:30 am. Approximately 1,000 people are served a hearty home cooked meal each week. Chef Barb, Pastor Doris Mars Downtown Community Pastor and Hospitality Minister Mike, coordinate many volunteers from such places as Lucas County Developmental Disability services, Whitmer High School, the nursing schools of UT and Owens, Career Navigators and various. Recently, the Toledo Rotary Club Foundation presented St. Paul's with a \$10,000 grant which assisted in the installation of air conditioners in the meal space. The total cost of the project was \$26,000. During the hot summer months the Morning Blessings guests and volunteers are most appreciative!



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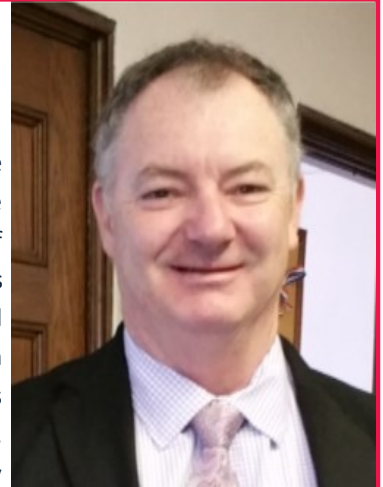
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Get to know . . . Peter Bowmer

Describe your profession and what is your favorite part of it?

I am the senior pastor at St Paul's Lutheran Church in downtown Toledo. Our motto is "The church with a heart in the heart of downtown Toledo." St Paul's has been at 428 N Erie since 1857! St Paul's is a welcoming church and as such we have contact with a wide diversity of people in our community. Sharing the love of God with **ALL** people and being blessed by them is the favorite part of my job. We share meals with those experiencing low income and homelessness. We are creating an art gallery and creative space. We have a 12 month intention community GAP Year program for young adults where they learn more about the opportunities Toledo affords people. We offer people from all backgrounds the opportunity to worship, serve, build and grow the city of Toledo right from its heart. People are the favorite part of my profession.



What do you like to do when you are not working?

Spend time with my awesome wife and 4 teenage daughters. We emigrated from Australia 2 years ago – so we love to travel and explore this amazing nation. I also am fascinated by the whole political process in this country!

What is the most satisfying benefit you get from being a Rotarian?

Meeting a wide range of people who represent this amazing city and who have not only the capacity to serve, but the willingness to collaborate in that service.

Tell us about your family.

My wife Madonna, is a teacher in the Headstart program at Glenwood Elementary. This is her passion – inspiring youngsters and their families to see that education transforms lives and communities! My two oldest daughters attend Owens Community College and are financing their own way through college by working part time. One aims to be a registered nurse, the other is studying graphic design and business marketing. I am proud of them both. My younger two daughters attend Clay High School. One desires to enter the medical profession and the other is yet to decide, but the world is her oyster and she works hard on her academics and is involved in cross country, cheer leading, serving the elderly, and the Clay theater group "Limelights."

Share one thing people do not know about you.

I have an eclectic taste in music. I love opera, Bob Dylan, Midnight Oil, Bon Jovi, Fall Out Boys, and a wide variety of music in between.

Share some "words to live by" or your favorite quote.

Live each day like it is your last bringing honor to all. Micah 6:8 "And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly^l with your God."

What would you be doing if you were not in your profession today?

I dream of opening a bakery and coffee café. I'd love to produce all the baked goods I miss from Australia and show Toledo that meat pies are much better than hot dogs!! I am the main cook for our family.

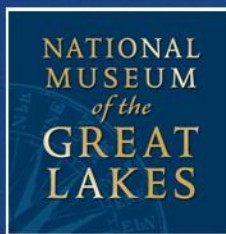
Outside of Rotary, please share other interesting civic or community involvement of which you are a part.

I convene T LUMPS (Toledo Lutheran Urban Mission Partners). This is a collaboration of the urban Lutheran churches in Toledo. We aim to share resources and ministries which benefit and serve this city.

Where do you see yourself in ten years?

Serving a revitalized downtown Toledo community that is proudly diverse.

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Leader of the Lakes

May 18, 2016

at the Toledo Club
235 14th St., Toledo, OH 43604

**Rear Admiral June E. Ryan
Ninth District Commander,
U.S. Coast Guard**



12:00 pm Luncheon

NMGL Members - \$45 per person

Non-Members - \$50 per person

Call 419.214.5000 x 0 for reservations

Please RSVP by May 11

Student Program - 11:00am

More than 200 area students are invited to attend a special program to hear RADM Ryan speak about the important role that education has played in her career success.

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May Birthdays

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Kevin Joyce (1)
Charles Asah (3)
Nagi Naganathan (4)
James Kniep (7)
David Kreienkamp (7)
Becky Swisher (7)
John Irwin (8)
Kathy Mikolajczak (8)
Jane Marie Rahe (8)
Tim Wade (9)
Scot Hinshaw (10)
Keith Burris (13)
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Jim Layman (14)
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