



KNIGHTS

Church of Saint Francis of Assisi
Knights of Columbus Council 14170
Rochester, MN
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Notes



Council Officers

Chaplain

Fr. Timothy Reker

Grand Knight

Jeff Fallon

Deputy Grand Knight

John Hunt

Chancellor

Jim Arendt

Recorder

Bruce Anderson

Financial Secretary

Paul Tieskoetter

Treasurer

Don Hint

Advocate

Art Mueller

Warden

Joe Wick

Inside Guard

Dave Bauman

Outside Guard

John Spading

Trustees

Duane Melvin

Dave Oeth

Dave Klinkhammer

District Deputy

Jeff Bagniewski

289-3145

Brother Knights,

We're into May and everything is greening up for the summer. I would like to thank all of you that have volunteered over the past month.

Those that helped with the In His Name food delivery on April 25th. The many that stood outside at Hunt's Silver Lake Foods and after masses for the Tootsie Roll Weekend on April 24th, 25th and 26th. Those that came out to the rescheduled raking and clean up of the church grounds on May 2nd.

The first annual Knights of Columbus Dinner Dance was a great time from all I heard (I couldn't attend as my son was in the St. Francis play that evening). Food was good and the entertainment outstanding. Remember this event for next year.

Please keep in mind for the month of May our volunteer opportunities. Please help out where you can. This only take a few hours of your time and the help is greatly appreciated.

May 16th – Mulch Spreading

We renew the mulch around the church grounds

May 17th – Pancake Breakfast

All proceeds and canned good for Channel One

May 17th – McCarthy Hall Goodbye Ice Cream Social

Ice cream scoopers needed

May 23rd – In His Name food delivery

June 4th – McCarthy Hall Move

Set up and staging – 7 PM

June 5th – McCarthy Hall Move

Moving Day – 7 PM

Also, keep in mind Rochesterfest Parade on Friday, June 26th. We will need parking lot attendants and parade marshals

This year we have council elections as we come to the end of our 2 year cycle. If you have any interest in becoming more involved in the council, please contact me. I will be calling several of you to discuss your current position on the council and future thoughts.

Lastly, thanks again for all you do.

See you at the next meeting on Tuesday, May 12th.

Vivat Jesus!

Jeff Fallon, Grand Knight



TOOTSIE ROLL FUNDRAISER A SUCCESS

Thanks to all of you Knights that helped with the Tootsie Roll Fundraiser for Developmentally Disadvantaged persons. As usual, at least for the last two years, a couple of days were not the best weather-wise, but we still did all right.

Total amount collected was \$1,885.56, which was about \$12 more than last year. We collected \$520.19 after the masses at St. Francis and \$1,365.37 at Silver Lake over three days. The average per two hour period was \$113.78. So you can see that it paid to be out there, and that despite the economic times, people were generous. People know just what we are asking for when they see our aprons!

Money raised for this is sent to the State Council, who gives 100% of it to the organization our council chooses. We usually designate it two local organizations that focus on developmentally disadvantaged children. Decision will be made at the May Council Meeting.

Special thanks to Ed Fujan, who did the scheduling, and to Jim Coleman, who did two shifts!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Council member, Ken Stock and his wife Donna recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. They were married May, 7, 1949 at St. Mary's of the Lake Catholic Church in Lake City.

IHN HIS NAME DELIVERY MAY 23rd
Saturday, May 23rd is Memorial Day week-end. We need 5 - 6 Knights for delivery. We will meet at Meadow Park Church of Christ, 1315 6th Avenue SE at 11:15 & normally finish by 1 p.m.
We anticipate that some of our regulars will be out of town. If you can work that Saturday, please call John Hunt at 288-7550, or better yet, come to the meeting on Tuesday, May 12th at 7 p.m. in the St Francis Social Room.

PANCAKE APRONS

The Knights of Columbus aprons have arrived. If you would like to help us defray the cost of the aprons, the cost is \$15 and can the money can be given to Bruce Anderson. Some of the "regulars" have had their names stenciled onto an apron. If you would like

to have your name stenciled onto an apron, please let Bruce know. The aprons can be picked up at the May 17th breakfast.

From the Maryknoll Book Of Prayer

Lord Jesus,
teach us to live life fully each day
to live it from
the deepest center of our being
to learn from everything
and everyone
most of all, to be grateful.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Rev Thomas Melvin	1 st
Ken Stock	6 th
Art Mueller	7 th
Bill Klein	9 th
John Winkels	9 th
James Reiland	10 th
Dan Wentz	10 th
John Hunt	11 th
Denny Nigon	20 th
Earl Passe	20 th
Louis Kost	25 th

Happy birthday & God bless you!

Dates to Remember

- Tuesday, May 12th 7:00pm**
Monthly Meeting in St Francis Social Room
- Sunday, May 17th**
KC Pancake Breakfast
- Saturday, May 23rd 11:00am - 1:00pm**
In His Name food delivery
Contact Andy Simcox or John Hunt to volunteer
- Tuesday, June 9th 7:00pm**
Monthly Meeting in St Francis Social Room
- Friday, June 26th**
Rochesterfest Parade
- July & August - No monthly meeting**



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Minutes from April 14, 2009



The Council was called to order at: 7:04pm by Grand Knight Jeff Fallon

Prayer was offered by: Grand Knight Jeff Fallon (Our Father)

The Roll of Officers was called and noted as follows (P=Present; A=Absent)

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| P Chaplain..... Fr. Timothy Reker | P Warden.....Joe Wick |
| P Grand Knight Jeff Fallon | P Inside GuardDave Bauman |
| P Deputy Grand Knight John Hunt | P Outside GuardJohn Spading |
| A Chancellor Jim Arendt | P Trustee (3rd Year).....Duane Melvin |
| P Recorder Bruce Anderson | A Trustee (2nd Year)....Dave Oeth |
| A Financial Secretary .. Paul Tieskoetter | A Trustee (1st Year)Dave Klinkhammer |
| P Treasurer Don Hint | A District Deputy.....Jeff Bagniewski |
| P Advocate..... Art Mueller | |

Reading of Minutes of Previous Meeting – Minutes from March 10th were unavailable

Admissions Committee Report & Reading of Applications

- Robert Ziller’s name was read for the first time

Grand Knight Report

- No report

Chaplain Report – Fr Timothy Reker

- Meeting attendees had not read the April Columbian article & therefore it will be covered at the May meeting along with the May Columbian article
- Question: What is the compendium?
Answer: Simple answer is that it is a summary of the catechism
- St Francis Easter events were discussed. General impression was that everything went very well

Treasurer Report

- Checking \$5,713.09 (3/31/2009)

Financial Secretary Report

- Deposits \$1967.20
- Disbursements \$146.76

MOTION MADE TO ACCEPT THE TREASURER’S REPORT. THE MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

Auditors/Trustees’ Report – No report

Chancellor’s Report – No report

Service Program Committee Reports

Membership Director – John Hunt

- First Degree Initiation on May 11th at 7:00pm.
 - Location: St John the Evangelist
 - Initiates should arrive by 6:30pm
- Reminder to extend personal invitation to new members. This is the most effective method of growing membership



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Church Director – Joe Wick

- Review of Rebuild My Church Program – Base goal met & working toward extend goal
- Last call to Faith Event was held on March 25th
- Seminarian Jose Luis Hernandez
 - Will intern at St Francis until July
 - He is a member of the Knights of Columbus
- Next meeting Pastoral Council Meeting will be held on April 27th & be a joint meeting with the Finance Council

Community Director – Unknown - No report

Council Director – Jim Arendt - No report

Family Director – Andy Simcox - No report

Youth Director – Al Steichen - No report

Unfinished Business

Tootsie Roll Campaign

- Will be held the weekend of April 24th
- Ed Fu is coordinating volunteers & will making phone calls to fill open slots

KC Aprons Available - Pick yours up at the next pancake breakfast on May 17th

Donations for Funds

- Question was raised as to what amount was agreed to for donation to the KC Student Loan Fund, the Jim Campbell Fund and Pennies for Seminarians
- Motion was approved at the March 10th meeting to donate \$1 per council member to each of the aforementioned funds (\$92/fund)

Wine Tasting (Dave Bauman)

- Multiple activities (Bear Creek Wine Tasting, Scholarship Banquet & Night of Jazz at LHS) had an impact on our turn out
- Looking holding next year event on February 6th or 13th
- Dave Bauman will research to determine to minimize conflicts, if possible

Donor Advisory Fund - Will send out copy of criteria so applicants are better informed

Home School Association (HSA)

- New whiteboards were installed in 11 classrooms at St Francis on March 28th
- 6 participants were able to complete this task in approximately 3 hours
- 11 more classrooms will need to be done this Fall

Pancake Breakfast

- There has been some confusion about the date of the next KC breakfast

MOTION WAS MADE TO HOLD THE PANCAKE BREAKFAST ON SUNDAY, MAY 17TH.

MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

April 24th – KC Social Dance

- Council 14170 is only council without a representative
- John Hunt volunteered to be our council's representative



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New Business

Recognition of Bishop Harrington's Retirement and 50th Anniversary

- Celebration will be held on Thursday, May 7th
- Nothing has been planned at KC District Level

MOTION WAS MADE TO DONATE \$100 TO THE PARISH BURSE (SEMINARIAN EDUCATION)

MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

RochesterFest Parade on June 26th

- Knights of Columbus Theme: An Organization That Works

KC State Convention

- Weekend of May 15th - 17th in St Cloud, MN
- \$10 registration fee

MOTION MADE TO COVER EXPENSES OF COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES.

MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

- KC State will reimburse the council \$45, if 2 delegates attend

Tommy Carey – Deputy Grand Knight from St Pius

- Fundraiser for the Veteran Honor Flight Program
- Dinner at the Elks Lodge on April 25th from 4pm to 8pm
- Hamburgers & Pork Sandwiches

St Francis Grounds Clean up – Scheduled for Saturday, 4/25 at 8:00am

St Francis "Mulch" Day – Scheduled for Saturday, 5/16 at 8:00am

McCarthy Hall Clearing Committee

- KC rep needed to attend meeting. See Jeff
- Set Up & Staging will be done on Thursday, June 4 at 7:00pm
- Moving Day will be held on Friday, June 5 at 7:00pm

Election of Officers

- All positions will be voted on at the May Meeting
- New officers will be required for Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight & Chancellor

4th Degree Report – Art Mueller

- Exemplification in Brooklyn Park this weekend (No Rochester candidates)
- Next Exemplification will be in Marshall on October 24th

Field Agent Report – James Motz (No report)

District Deputy Report – Jeff Bagnewski (No report)

Good of the Order – No report

Knights to be Remembered in Prayer

- Kate Mesmer (Husband a member of Council 1013) – Stricken by a stroke in October

Closing Prayer – Prayer for Vocations

Meeting Adjourned at 8:33pm

Next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 12th at 7:00pm in the St Francis Social Room.