



St Francis of Assisi  
Council 14170 Meeting Agenda  
September 27, 2022

## Council Meeting Minutes – September 27, 2022

- Call to Order
- Opening Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Approve Minutes of Prior Meeting
  - **Motion was made to accept the August minutes as written. The motion was seconded and approved.**
- Chaplain's Message
  - *No report, Father Berning, Father Luis & the other priests of the diocese are at Presbyteral Days in Okoboji, IA.*
    - *Please pray for them & all the attendees of this event.*
- Grand Knights Report
  - *Thank You to those that helped at Deluxe Breakfast on September 18*
    - *We received donations of \$838.75*
    - *Average expense last 5 breakfast \$309.85 (vs \$378.20 actual expenses)*
    - *Actual donations received minus 5 breakfast average rounds to \$529*
    - *Proposal to donate \$529 to the St Francis St Vincent de Paul society*
      - **Motion was made to donate \$529. The motion was seconded and approved.**
  - *Need to work with Fr Berning to get a KC Sunday*
  - OCTOBER 2022 CHALLENGE - Archbishop Lori (Supreme Chaplain)
    - *The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." (Gospel for Oct. 2, Lk 17:5) in your efforts, devotions to Blessed Michael McGivney.*
      - *This month, Archbishop Lori challenges us to spend some time each week reading and meditating on the Gospels in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.*
      - *Secondly, Archbishop Lori challenges us to participate in the Faith in Action Pilgrim Icon program.*
      - *Questions for Reflection:*
        1. *When it comes to faith, do you ever find yourself just "going through the motions"?*
        2. *How can spending time with Christ in the Eucharist or reading his words in Scripture increase your faith?*
        3. *What are some practices you can undertake to grow in faith in Christ?*
- Treasurer's Report
  - *The financial report was presented, the balance in the account is \$ 4,707.27 (as of 8/31/2022)*
    - **Motion was made to accept the combined financial report. The motion was seconded and approved.**
- Membership Report
  - *Need to go through exemplification:*
    - *Cletus Pollack*
    - *Andy Poterucha*
  - *Gabriel Hautps (Transfer into council September 2022)*
- Program Director Report



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- *September 25/26 was the last weekend for Corn Sales*
  - *Decision was made not to participate*
  - *Will work with the 4th Degree Assembly for better organization next year*
- *Fall Festival set-up on Thursday at 6pm.*
  - *5-6 people would be great.*
  - *Please let Bruce know if you can help. Next KC Deluxe Breakfast is Sunday, November 20.*
  - *Proceeds to Boy Scout Troop 186.*
- *Coats for Kids*
  - *Received \$1310 in donations*
  - *8 boxes of coats were purchased (\$2069)*
  - *With matching boxes, 192 coats are being delivered (120 coats last year)*
  - *Coats will be donated to Faith Justice Committee & Salvation Army*
- *KC Council Mass –*
  - *Weekend needs to be picked*
  - *Hispanic Council Members should be recognized the same weekend*
- *Other Reports*
  - *Christmas cards*
    - *Dale has the cards and will start selling the weekend after Thanksgiving*
  - *Golf outing*
    - *Targeting September 10, 2023*
    - *Working with Willow Creek and Soldiers Field golf courses*
- *New Business*
  - *Holy Family Adoption Agency request*
    - *Mentioned at August meeting*
    - *Information was sent out on August 30*
    - *Little feedback – “Enough need locally”, we will take a pass*
- *Good of the Order*
  - *Paul Feind*
- *Grand Knight’s Summary*
- *Closing Prayer*
  - *Intentions*
    - *Pray for peace in the Ukraine and for our brother Knights in the Ukraine*
  - *Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney*
- *Adjournment*
  - *Next meeting – October 25*