



St Francis of Assisi
Council 14170 Meeting Agenda
April 25, 2023

Council Meeting Minutes – April 25, 2023

- Call to Order
- Opening Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Approve Minutes of Prior Meeting
 - ***Motion was made to accept the March minutes as written. The motion was seconded and approved.***
- Chaplain's Message
 - *Fr. Berning is unable to attend due to a conflict*
- April 2023 CHALLENGE - Archbishop Lori (Supreme Chaplain)
 - ***"I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you." (Gospel for May 14, Jn 14:18)***
 - *Jesus keeps his promises to us. He does not leave us orphans. He appeared to the disciples several times after he rose from the dead. He gave us the Eucharist, his real presence, to nourish us until the end of time. He said he would return at his Second Coming. And there's another way he did not leave us orphans: He gave us his own mother to be ours. Let us turn to the Blessed Mother often with our needs and prayers of intercession.*
 - **Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:**
 - This month: During this month of Mary, I challenge you to draw closer to Our Lady by offering one decade of the rosary each day for her motherly aid and help.
 - Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Family Fully Alive program.
 - **Questions for Reflection:**
 - Do you really think of Mary as your mother?
 - How can you better seek out her help — as a mother — in all your needs and problems?
 - Do you understand the power of the rosary and seek to honor your mother's request to pray it regularly?
- Grand Knights Report
 - Thank You!
 - *Jerome Lawler for storing & fixing plexiglass on the outdoor nativity*
 - *Gene Treder & Paul Tieskoetter for bringing the outdoor nativity back to the parish*
 - Activities at other councils



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Saturday April 29th , 5-6:30 pm



in St. Pius X Kennedy Hall
Catered by Victoria's Ristorante

- Spaghetti
- Salad
- Sherbet
- Meat Ball
- Rolls
- Beverages

Save by reserving your tickets early

Advance Sales**	At the Door That Night
Adults \$9, Children \$6, Family \$25	\$10.00 all - no family pricing

** reserve tickets for "Will Call" pickup by calling Mike Sheehan 288-3767

The proceeds from this event benefit the St. Pius X Youth and their summer missions

- Reminders
 - *Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities – April 28 thru April 31*
 - *KC Breakfast – May 21*
 - *Living rosary on Saturday, May 13 - Calvary Cemetery at 11:00*
 - *State Convention – No one has volunteered to attend from the council*
 - *Elections will be held at May Council Meeting*
 - *Officers will need to let Grand Knight know if they plan to continue or want a new office*
 - *We will need a new Grand Knight*
 - *Steubenville Rochester 2023 – July 14-16 at the Mayo Civic Center*
 - *Need volunteers for security & Saturday afternoon activities*
 - *Contact Sean Peters (507-923-1023 / Shawn.peters@kofc.org)*
- Other reports
 - Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities (Friday, 4/28 thru Sunday, 4/30)
 - *Still have a few slots to fill*
 - Golf Outing
 - *Joint event with Resurrection parish*
 - *September 10, at Soldiers Field (food at Townies)*
 - *Registration will open the week of July 17*
 - *Scramble format*
 - *Profits will be split among the two parish youth programs and St. Francis School*
- Treasurer's Report
 - The financial report was presented and the balance in the account is \$6,500.68 (as of 3/31/2023)

Motion was made to accept the combined financial report. The motion was seconded and approved.
- Membership Report
 - *Michael Bonde has applied to become a Knight of Columbus as part of Council 14170*
 - *Waiting for exemplification, possibly at St. Pius next month*



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- Program Director Report
 - *No report*
- New Business
 - *Donation to the KC Student Loan Fund*
Motion was made to donate \$96. The motion was seconded and approved.
- Good of the Order
- Insurance Agent Report (Shawn Peters)
 - *No report*
- Closing Prayer
 - Intentions
 - *Pray for peace in the Ukraine & for our brother Knights in the Ukraine*
 - *Pray for peace in Sudan*
 - *Pray for Shawn Peters' wife, Sonja Peters, & their family*
 - *Pray for Andy Poterucha's wife, Cassandra Poterucha, & their family*
 - *Pray for Dale Frank's health recovery*
 - *Pray for Ryan Saltness, seminarian student from the Church of St Francis of Assisi*
 - *Pray for Daniel Van Hook and the repose of the soul of Daniel's son*
 - *Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney*
- Adjournment
 - *Next meeting – May 23*

Activities

April 2023 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, April 1	KC Flower Sales - Pick up flowers ordered at Flowers by Jerry
Monday, April 3	KC Flower Sales - Pick up flowers ordered at Flowers by Jerry
Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at 7:00PM	Council 14170 Meeting - St Clare Room
Friday, April 28	Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities (Tootsie Rolls)
Saturday, April 29	Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities (Tootsie Rolls)
Sunday, April 30	Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities (Tootsie Rolls)

May 2023 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, May 13, 2023 at 5:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Friday May 19 - Sunday May 21	MN Knights of Columbus Convention - Bloomington, MN
Sunday, May 21	KC Breakfast for St Francis Youth Group
Tuesday, May 23, 2023 at 7:00PM	Council 14170 Meeting - St Clare Room



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June 2023 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, June 10	Eucharistic Congress 2023
Tuesday, June 27, 2023 at 7:00PM	No Council Meeting

July 2023 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, July 8, 2023 at 5:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Friday, July 14 - Sunday, July 16, 2023	Stuebenville Rochester
Tuesday, July 25, 2023 at 7:00PM	No Council Meeting

September 2023 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, September 9, 2023 at 5:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Sunday, September 17, 2023 at 7:00AM	KC Breakfast for Council 14170
Monday, September 25	Council 14170 Meeting - St Clare Room