



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
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Christ the King Council #13159

October 16, 2017

Knights gathered at 6:30 p.m. in the parish hall to pray the Rosary prior to the regular council meeting. Mike Mathis led the opening prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance. 31 Knights were present. Deputy Grand Knight, Mike Mathis conducted the meeting, Grand Knight, Jim Patrick arrived later in the evening.

Officer Role Call

Grand Knight, Jim Patrick, Present

Deputy Grand Knight, Mike Mathis, Present

Chancellor, Rich Burns, Present

Recorder, Don Ceretti, Present

Financial Secretary, Andrew Soroka, Present

Treasurer, Joe Bohlke, Excused

Advocate, Marv Drey, Present

Warden, Rodney Hawkins, Present

Outside Guard, John Paul Fontanini, Present

Inside Guard, Bruce McGehe, Present

1-Yr. Trustee, Jeff Donahoo, Present

2-Yr. Trustee, David Tomlinson, Present

3-Yr. Trustee, Eric Miller, Present

Approve Minutes

Minutes of the September 18, 2017 regular council meeting were distributed for review. Rich Burns moved to approve the minutes and Eric Miller seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer Report

Andrew Soroka reported a beginning balance of \$7,054.77; income of \$1,585.03 (9/26 Tootsie Rolls \$1,163.15 and 10/9 pancakes 421.76) expenses of \$1,462.77 (disaster relief \$600.00, pancakes \$274.56, Juvenile Arthritis \$200.00) and a current balance of \$7,177.03. Mike Adamietz moved and Bob Niccum seconded. Motion carried.

Financial Secretary Report

Andrew Soroka stated that he had nothing to report.

Grand Knight Report

Mike Mathis commented on the balance of Tootsie Rolls that were left over from the event at Southridge and Park Avenue HyVee last weekend. It was decided that we will hand out the candy after the masses on October 28 and 29. Several cases were sold to members after the meeting.

A question was asked what to do with the 2,000 Tootsie Pops? After a discussion Mike Adamietz moved to dispense some to the parish school, St. Nick party and Catholic Worker House. Dave Tomlinson seconded. Motion approved.

Old Business

Don Ceretti spoke about the parish auction, Saturday October 14th at 6:30 pm. As last year the Knights again offered two packages of sixteen labor hours each.

New Business

Jim Houston reminded that the next dinner that we will serve at the Catholic Worker House, is scheduled for Friday November 10th, this will be a holiday dinner. We will leave the church around 5:15 pm. Clothing, blankets and toiletries donations are needed.

Earl Harper noted that there will be another meal packaging event in the school gym on November 18th. The hat was passed for Tanzania donations - \$105.00 was collected.

A discussion about participating in the Coats for Kids program this year. Last year the council purchased two girl boxes and one boy box. Each box costs \$220.00 It was moved by Bob Niccum that the council purchase two boxes of boys coats. It was seconded by Mike Adamietz .

Motion approved. It was moved by Bob Niccum that the council purchase one box of girl's coats. It was seconded by Mike Adamietz. Motion approved.

Disaster Relief: A motion for a \$300.00 donation to Puerto Ricco Hurricane Relief Jim Jackovich moved and David Tomlinson seconded. Passed.

Kathy Hiatt, representing St Vincent de Paul, will need help filling and delivering Thanksgiving "food" baskets on Saturday, November 18th. They will assemble the baskets around 8:30 in the school lunch room and deliver them between 10:00 and noon. Bill Redlinger moved that the council donate \$450.00 for the purchase of turkeys. Rodney Hawkins seconded. Motion approved.

Bill Redlinger commented that Ryan Andrew's mother was going to choose the alb for him, and the council was going to purchase it. Ryan's ceremony to Transitional Deacon will be held at St. Ambrose on Friday, December 22nd. The reception is scheduled to be held at Christ the King.

Insurance Agent

Council's field insurance agent: Andrew Hansen; phone 641-328-4772; ndrew.hansen@kofc.org

4th Degree Report

No report.

District Deputy Report

Sami Payne stated that the district goal is to recruit 90 new members in the fiscal year.

Prayer Requests – Good of the Order

Knight's prayers are asked for the following: Josephine Larsen, Steven Richfield, Susan Swehla, and our Seminarians.

With no further business before the council, Deacon Larry led closing prayer and meeting adjourned at 7:50 pm. The next meeting is scheduled for November 20th.

Mark your calendar for these events:

November 10 – Help serve a meal at The Catholic Worker House.

November 12 – Pancake breakfast after each of the masses.

November 18 – Meal packaging event in school gym

November 18 – Fill and deliver Thanksgiving baskets, 8:30 to noon school lunchroom

November 18 – Juvenile Arthritis benefit auction – 6:30 pm parish hall

November 20th – Monthly meeting, 6:30 pm parish hall

December 4th – Altar and Rosary Christmas dinner (Knights serve ?)

December 10th – Pancakes after the 7:30 and 9:00 masses

December 10th - St Nick Party after the 11:00 mass (Dan Boswell to coordinate)

December 10th – 2nd and 3rd degree ceremony in school lunchroom at 1:00 pm

December 18th – Monthly meeting, 6:30 pm parish hall