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COUNCIL MEETING JULY 13, '17

The next meeting of the Council will take place in the **Multi Purpose Room** located on the second floor above the parish offices. The meeting will begin at 7:00pm.

ROSARY BEFORE COUNCIL MEETING JULY 13, '17

Just a reminder to all that before the meeting on July 13th at 6:30pm members will have an opportunity to pray the Rosary in the church at Incarnate Word. The Rosary is to celebrate the events of Fatima.

FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT:

Brother Knights and Ladies,

Fourteen years ago, a good friend and neighbor suggested that I join the Knights of Columbus, I remember that it took more

than one nudge from my friend before I accepted the invitation to join the Knights. Fourteen years later I consider it a blessing to be part of the Knights and an honor to be the Council's Grand Knight.

The officer installation and dinner was held on June 17, the ceremony was a very nice event, many families attended the ceremony and the social following. Thanks to our District Deputy Jerry Lamoureux for officiating and Stan Mengwasser for assisting at the ceremony. Congratulations to our newly installed officers, thank you for making the commitment to our Council.

I would like to thank Bill Davis for his leadership and dedication to the Council for the past years, it was a pleasure working with Bill and I'm happy he will be continuing as a treasurer. I would also like to thank our two exiting officers, Scott Arbaugh and Barry Sullivan, both gave years of outstanding service to our Council.

Unity – "None of us is as good as all of us. Members of the Knights of Columbus all know that – together – we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. So we stick together...we support one

another." I'm looking forward to working with everyone on all our events and happy to see all the new Council members added in the past couple of years. I pray that together we will be successful in defending the unborn, helping those in need and continue to add new members to our Council.

I had the opportunity to converse with our new Pastor, Father Schroeder, he is excited to hear all the good things our Council has accomplished. Fr Schroeder is a member of the Knights of Columbus and I'm hopeful he will consider joining our Council in the near future. To help our new priest get to know us better please consider wearing your K of C name badge to Mass each week.

Please mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

Sunday, July 9- Family Picnic- call Eric Bergmann for details

September 16- Council Golf Tournament, please take time now and contact Jeff Grotegeers to find out what you can do to help make the golf tournament a success.

Thanks for all you do,
Chris Williams
Grand Knight

LADIES AUXILIARY MEMBERS:

Greetings Ladies,

The Ladies Auxiliary are on a hiatus for the summer so there will not be a newsletter article concerning the Ladies Auxiliary until we reconvene in September. Ladies, have a wonderful summer and enjoy yourselves.

Sincerely,

Joan Mengwasser
Ladies Auxiliary President

OLD-FASHIONED PEAR SPICE CAKE:

Our Ladies Auxiliary President, Joan Mengwasser, would like to share this recipe with all of the Ladies of the Auxiliary. The recipe is from Bernadette Dignan.

Old -Fashioned Pear Spice Cake

1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
1 1/2 cups vegetable oil
2 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups all purpose flour
4 eggs
3 medium-size firm ripe pears
about 1 3/4 pounds total
peeled,
cored and diced

1/2 cup chopped almonds or
walnuts

For cream cheese frosting:

1/4 cup 1/2 stick butter or
margarine

at room temperature

1 (30-ounce) package cream
cheese

at room temperature

1 teaspoon vanilla

2 1/2 cups sifted powdered
sugar

In a large bowl combine

Granulated sugar

oil, baking powder, baking

soda, cinnamon,

ginger, salt and flour. Mix well

to blend.

Beat at medium-high speed for
5 minutes.

Add eggs one at a time,

beating well after each

addition.

Using a rubber spatula fold

pears and nuts into batter.

Spread batter in an ungreased

9-by-13 baking pan.

Bake in a pre-heated 350-

degree oven 50 to 55 minutes,

or until wooden pick inserted

into comes out clean.

Let cool in pan on wire rack.

When cake is cool, prepare

frosting: Combine butter,

cream cheese and vanilla in

small bowl of electric mixer.

Beat until fluffy. Gradually

beat in powdered sugar until

frosting is of a good

consistency. Spread frosting

over cooled

cake.

Yield: 12 servings

The above recipe was asked

for by a group of the Ladies

Auxiliary.

Bernadette Dignan brought

this cake each week for the

fish fries.

She said that she uses the

canned coconut pecan

frosting. Then

tops it with chopped pecans.

LADIES AUXILIARY BIRTHDAYS:

July

Mary Fleming
Roxanne Shikany



Happy Birthday to You!

KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Ladies Auxiliary Members:

Kay Villagran
Jo DiCampo
Shirley Bruns
Isabelle Lenhardt

Please keep them in your
prayers.

BENEDICTION:

Join your fellow Knights for
Benediction at 8:45p.m.
preceded by the Chaplet of
Divine Mercy and Sacred
Heart Litany at 8:30p.m.
every Wednesday at
Incarnate Word Church.

ROSARY FOR VOCATIONS: JULY 16, '17

We will pray our rosary for Vocations on Sunday, July 16th, after the 8:45a.m. Mass. All members are welcomed to spend an extra 15 minutes after Mass to recite the rosary, so please plan to join us.

KNIGHTS BIRTHDAYS:

July

Max Schwartz
Barry Sullivan
Stan Mengwasser
David Kennedy
Joseph Bottini
Bud Avery



Bill Davis
Joseph Allison
Joseph Charnowski
Ed Ferder
Roberto Raimondi
Brian McFerron
Timothy O'Grady

Happy Birthday to you all and may you have many more to come.

KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Father Timothy Vowels
Lou Juranas
Richard Rahubka
Donald Mohrmann
Harry Dunn
Charlie Stanley
Larry Hoepfner
Barry Sullivan
Arsenio Receniello
Al Villagran
Que Purnell
Nick Carter
Charlie Shikany

Please pray for your brother Knights and may their illnesses and pains subside and may they get on the road to a speedy recovery very soon. May God be with you and guide you to a full recovery.

FELICE CUORES:

The dances are over for the first part of 2017.

See you in September!

*****THANKS ARE
EXTENDED TO ALL OF
THE VOLUNTEERS THAT
GAVE THEIR TIME. YOU
ARE WHAT MAKE THESE
DANCES WORK*****

2017 GOLF TOURNAMENT:

SAVE THE DATE!

The Council's Annual Golf Tournament for 2016 will be

held at **Links at Dardenne Golf Course on Saturday, September 16th, 2017.**

The Links of Dardenne is located at 7000 Brassel Drive off of the South Outer Road of Highway K which is approx. 3.5 mi. north of Hwy. 40/64.

It will be a 4 Man Scramble with a shotgun start time of 1:30pm.

We are in need of gift certificates, tickets to sports venues, golf related door prizes and auction items. We are also looking for company sponsorship and hole sponsors. Please ask your employer or if you are an employer, please consider sponsorship.

We need all the Council membership's help and participation in regards to the above.

This should be a great tournament. Remember that all proceeds from the tournament will be distributed to **MAKE A WISH, Friends of Kids with Cancer and the Academy of St. Louis.**

We will be doing the **Bucket Of Booze** again this year at the tournament and we are asking all of the members to donate a bottle of your favorite spirits, beer or wine and bring those to the council meetings leading up to the tournament. We are also looking for gift certificates from local restaurants for the silent auction.

IW KNIGHTS FACEBOOK:

If you have anything you want posted on the IW Knights Facebook page, please place at the top of the email "PLEASE POST ON IW KNIGHTS FACEBOOK" so I will know to post it on our Facebook and not have to guess as to whether the email I get is to be posted on Facebook or not. Thanks for your cooperation and understanding.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Mr. Bryan V. Hewing
New Media Coordinator, &
Webmaster, Incarnate Word
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MO)
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ADORATION CHAPEL:

The Adoration Team needs you! Please prayerfully consider joining us to ensure that Jesus is never alone in the chapel. **We** have lost several adorers recently and continue to need help with several hours that do not have anyone assigned to them along with other hours where Adorers are looking for prayer partners. **Spending** time with Jesus is a great way to enrich your

spiritual and personal life. You will leave the chapel feeling renewed and healed. **We** are desperately in need of ADORERS see the parish bulletin for a list of SOS time slots that need to be filled.

The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic Adoration. Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love." ~ Pope John Paul II wrote, "You can make a difference for yourself and the world!!!" **When** you can't make it to your hour, please contact your partner if you have one, or call a sub to ensure someone will be there. Sub lists are on the back wall of the Chapel.

Please contact Julia Lewis @ 314-974-4548 or by email at julielewis@sbcglobal.net for questions or to sign up.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS:

Please remember the following prayer whenever possible for the benefit of Church Vocations.

Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters.

Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as a single person in the world, the special graces that their lives require.

Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him, we may love you more deeply and serve you more

faithfully, always and everywhere.

With Mary, we ask this through Christ our Lord.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER:

If any Knight knows of a Brother Knight who is sick or if there was a death of a member, or in a member's immediate family, please contact Rob Schultz at 314-205-8135 to organize support.

The Knights are committed to assist any widow of a deceased Knight. If you know a widow of a Brother Knight or a member in need, please contact our Grand Knight, Chris Williams at 314-576-0878.

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:

You know a **Catholic** gentleman who would be a fine addition to our Council!!! **Have you invited him to join?** If not, please extend the invitation ----- if you have asked ----- please again invite him to join. You are providing an opportunity for entry into the finest Catholic Fraternity in the world. If you wish assistance, contact Rob Schultz, Membership Director, 314-205-8135.

EDITOR IN CHIEF:

Please help in assisting me in the publishing of this newsletter by providing me feedback on the newsletter and by submitting your monthly column as early as possible.

Any member of the Council can submit articles for the monthly newsletter. If you have an article to submit, please forward it to me by the deadline for newsletter articles.

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DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES:

For the August 2017 newsletter, the deadline will be July 27, 2017.

BITS & PIECES:

Independence Day Tid-Bits

True independence and freedom can only exist in doing what's right.

True patriotism hates injustice in its own land more than anywhere else.

Democracy is the government of the people, by the people, for the people.

People have forgotten what 4th of July really is about. Today commemorates the freedom we use everyday. It's not fireworks and

parties. That's just what makes it fun.

Let's enjoy one of the last Independence Days before our complete dependence on China.

Let us remember as we fall asleep this Independence Day those who fight and the many that have died to protect our freedom.

Did you hear the one about the Liberty Bell? Yeah, it cracked me up too!

The 4th of July was not declared a national holiday until 1941.

John Hancock was the only person to actually sign the Declaration of Independence on July 4th, 1776. The other signers did not sign it until August 2nd, 1776 or even later.

Pictures from the July 17th, 2017 Officer Installation Ceremony



Newly installed Council Officers with their lovely wives

New Grand Knight, Chris Williams presenting Out-Going Grand Knight, Bill Davis with commemorative awards for his service to the Council



New Grand Knight, Chris Williams with wife Tracey, being sworn in as Grand Knight by District Deputy Jerry Lamoureux



Recording Secretary Meeting Notes
Of Thursday, June 8, 2017
Council #9981 Meeting

Grand Knight Bill Davis called the meeting to order at 7:03 pm.

Chaplain,	Fr. James Sullivan	Excused
Grand Knight	Bill Davis	Present
Deputy Grand Knight	Chris Williams	Present
Chancellor	Jim Ressler	Present
Recorder	Kevin Stanley	Excused
Treasurer	Jeff West	Excused
Advocate	Barry Sullivan	Present
Warden	Denis Demeter	Excused
Inside Guard	Ronald Weiss	Present
Outside Guard	Ed Ferder	Present
Trustee 1yr	Scott Arbaugh	Excused
Trustee 2yr	Dave Goetz	Excused
Trustee 3yr	Don Mueller	Present
Financial Secretary	Gene Fallert	Present
Lecturer	Nick Zak	Present
District Deputy	Jerry Lamoureux	Present

The minutes from the May meeting were accepted and approved by the Council.

Grand Knight Report: Bill Davis

- As outgoing Grand Knight, Bill thanked all of the Council members for their support during his time as Grand Knight. He stated that it was his privilege to have served the Council for the past two years as the Grand Knight.
- Bill presented the Council with awards from the past State Convention. The awards were; First Place in the State for the highest amount of gross dollars collected for the 2017 DD Drive
Third Place in the State for the highest amount of dollars collected per person during the 2017 DD Drive
These awards showed the State members that were at the 2017 State Convention on how Incarnate Word Council 9981 is so great
- Bill also wanted the Council to be aware of the amount of monies that the Council had collected over the past year for our Charities. Those amount were:

\$22,000 collected from the 2017 DD Drive
\$10,000 collected from the 2017 golf tournament
\$106,000 collected from the 2017 baby bottle campaign
\$32,000 collected from the 2017 Fish Fry

For a total of \$160,000 collected and will be distributed among various charities and those of the charitable contribution charities

- The election of the Council Officers for the period of 2017-2019 were held. All nominees that were nominated were voted in and approved by those present.

Membership: Rob Schultz

- July 14 - Admission Degree at CPOP.
- Rob requested assistance from the Council membership in recruitment.
- As a recruitment tool, Rob uses the document “What We Do”. Ask Rob for a copy of this document as you recruit others to become a Knight of Columbus

Treasurer: Jeff West – Not Present

- As of end of June 2017
 - o Prev. Balance: \$
 - o Deposits: \$
 - o Less Check Clear: \$
 - o Bank Balance: \$50,288.00
 - o Net Funds Avail: \$23,597.63

Finance Secretary: Gene Fallert

- As of end of April 2017
 - o Income: \$ 408.00
 - o Disbursements: \$22,000.00 (Check to Parish of \$21,000.00 – past funds that were held for several years from fish fry proceeds)
 - o Savings: \$26,161.00

Trustees Report: Scott Arbaugh, Dave Goetz & Don Mueller

- No report

4th Degree: Stan Mengwasser

- Holy Spirit Assembly meets on the 4th Wednesday of each month. July meeting will be at Ascension with August & September meetings at St. Monica’s.
- Currently have 311 members. Sixty percent of the leadership are from Council 9981.
- Attendance is approximately 50 people.
- Have 2,000 volunteer hours and 50 people regularly participating.
- Assembly has been asked by the State Master to be host for the next 4th Degree for 2018 on March 3rd, 2018. We will also be hosting a hospitality room for two days and will be needing volunteers.

Honor Guard: Stan Mengwasser

- Don Mueller will take over the Honor Guard Commander duties from Andy Dyszlewski in July.

Deputy Grand Knight – Chris Williams

Pro-Life: Jim Melka - Not Present

- A report from Rob Shultz on Pro-Life:
A meeting and rally with Gov. Crietens will be held on June 9 at 6:00pm concerning St. Louis becoming a Sanctuary City for Re-production Rights. Please attend if you can.

Third Sunday: Larry Hoepfner

- June 18th will be the next 3rd Sunday for saying of the rosary for vocations after the 8:45am Mass. If you cannot attend, please say a rosary by yourself for this intention.

Evangelization: Ted Juen – Not Present

- A report from Chris Williams
The programs for the recognition of the 100th anniversary of the miracle of Fatima are:
June 12th – viewing of the movie “The 13th Day” will be shown in the church with the saying of the rosary after the movie
June 13th – The saying of the rosary at the 7:20am Mass and at 7:00pm in the garden in front of church.

Chancellor: Jim Ressler

- Children's Home Society is joining with Family Resources and renaming themselves Family Forward. Same mission, but serving a larger area.
- Family Forward will speak at the August 10th meeting
- Will be looking for a new recipient for some of the collected monies during the 2017 DD Drive.
- Jim is looking for a candidate to take over the DD Drive.
- There is no agreement with Schnucks at this time to let us collect at their stores for the 2017 DD Drive,
- The 2017 DD Drive will take place over the weekend of October 5th thru the 8th, 2017. Please save these dates to help volunteer.

Community Director: John Owens & Vince Throckmorton

- Thanks to everyone for the coat donations. Collected 130 coats and many scarves, hats & gloves.
- Fr Schuler provided them to Our Lady of Guadalupe and to Peter and Paul.
- Vince thanked everyone for help with the Adopt a Highway effort.

Felice Coures: Ron Weiss

- The dances have ended for the summer. The next dance is in September.

Family Director: Eric Bergmann

- Family picnic on Saturday, July 9th, in Creve Coeur Park at the Greensfelder Shelter.
- There will be a 5th Sunday on July 30th.

Youth Director: Kevin Stanley - Not Present

- No report.

Council Director: Andy Dyszlewski

- Golf tournament Saturday, September 16th, at the Links at Dardenne. Need members help with obtaining sponsorship and silent auction items.

Condolence Director: Rob Schultz

- Say prayers for our brother, Harry Dunn

Church Director: Steve Dickhut

- Shared a very nice thank you note from the 2017 IW 8th grade class for our donation to their class fund.
- Thanked Larry Hoepfner for the rosaries that were given to the first grade communicants.

District Deputy: Jerry Lamoureux

- Baseball - \$25 for Cardinals vs Brewers – Saturday, September 30th, at 3:00pm. Proceeds will go to Cardinal Glennon hospital.
- St Monica's will host a regional pilgrimage on Sunday, June 11th, Mass at 11:30 with lunch at 12:30. The Procession and Rosary is at 1:30. RSVP required by June 1st to Harry Lee Beste at 636-390-2567 and email: pilgrimage@mokofc.org.
- Supreme Convention is August 1-3. Everything is on the State Website. Anyone can attend, but you must register for free. There will be a hospitality room. Cost is \$30 for registration for the state functions & luncheon.
- Starting a new Council in our District - Our Lady of the Pillar. This will be the 6th Council within District 37.

Chaplain's Remarks: Fr Sullivan

- Not present.

Unfinished Business:

- The 2017-2018 Officer Installation will be held on June 17th after the 5:00pm Mass. For those that want to attend a dinner after the Installation, we will meet at Shack's steakhouse.

New Business:

- Bud Avery mentioned to look at and comment on the Fish Fry survey that was sent out to all Council members. The survey is on-line for your review and comment. Everyone's comment will be helpful for new ideas for the 2018 Fish Fry.

Field Agent Report:

- Our Field Agent, David Henry, is retiring on August 1, 2017.
- Our General Agent, Ryan Lister, is interviewing candidates for a new Field Agent.

John Owens won the 50/50 drawing

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm. The next meeting will be Thursday, July 13, 2017 at 7:00pm

2017 - 2019 Council Officers

<i>Chaplain</i>	<i>Fr. James Sullivan</i>	<i>314-576-5366</i>	
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Calendar of Events

Council Meeting

Thursday, July 13th at 7:00PM

Prayer for Vocations

Sunday, July 16th after 8:45AM Mass

Deadline for the August '17 Newsletter

July 27th, 2017

Benediction

8:45PM Every Wednesday

Council Golf Tournament

Saturday, September 16th at 1:30pm