



KNIGHTS

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Knights of Columbus Council 14170
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Notes



Council Officers

Chaplain

Fr. Timothy Reker

Grand Knight

Jeff Fallon

Deputy Grand Knight

Chuck Mosier

Chancellor

John Spading

Recorder

Joe Wick

Financial Secretary

Paul Tieskoetter

Treasurer

Bruce Anderson

Advocate

John Hunt

Warden

Tom Doyle

Inside Guard

Dave Bauman

Outside Guard

Tom Salinas

Trustees

Duane Melvin

Dave Oeth

Dave Klinkhammer

District Deputy

Jeff Bagniewski

289-3145

Brother Knights,

Welcome to another fraternal year! As summer starts winding down and school about to begin, we back doing the wok of the Knights of Columbus!

This summer we participated in many activities. I would like to extend a huge thank you to all those Knights that helped in the many events. Even though the Rochesterfest parade was rained out, thanks to those that were there and ready to be wardens, the float people and the parking lot supervisors. Thanks to those that took on the Golf tournament and did a fantastic job! The guys looked great in those skirts! The altar server Honkers day. The Twins day sold out very quickly so we had to change our plans and “stay in town” for some baseball! And finally those Knights that helped with the In His Name food delivery.

Our first meeting will be Tuesday the 14th of September at 7:00 PM. This meeting will be held in the Social Room. We will have the induction of the new officers for this fraternal year and run through the regular order of business. I encourage every one to attend to hear about what is coming up and how we did this past summer.

We again, are asking everyone in our council to make an effort to help out in at least one event this year. Who knows, you might have a great time and want to do more☺

I hope to see you all there on Tuesday evening!

Jeff Fallon

Grand Knight,

St. Francis of Assisi Council #14170



**FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPFLICATION AT
OWATONNA SATURDAY OCTOBER 23RD**

This fall there is a good opportunity for third degree Knights to join the Fourth Degree of Knights of Columbus. There will be an Exempflication (Initiation) ceremony held on Saturday afternoon, October 23rd at Owatonna. Berry Hobbs, Faithful Navigator of the Rochester Fourth Degree, would very much like to have a good turn out of Rochester candidates. You must have been a third degree Knight for at least one year and in good standing with your council to be eligible.

The Rochester Assembly area covers a good slice of southern Minnesota. Being a member is not time consuming, as it's prime activity is acting as honor guard at ceremonies for the area. You are free to participate in the honor guard, or just be a regular member. The Fourth Degree prime activity is to promote patriotism. The Fourth Degree meets at St. Francis parish on the 4th Tuesday of each month except July and August, although sometimes different arrangements are made (always a Christmas party). It is usually a dinner meeting, and wives are very much invited.

Please contact John Hunt 288-7550 or Art Mueller 289-3517 if interested.

**RESPECT FOR LIFE FLOWER SALE SET FOR
THIS FALL**

We had very good participation in our Respect for Life flower sale in 2009, and we are in the preliminary work in having it again this year. Those who participated we thank you very much and please, if you didn't participate last year, buy at least one bouquet this year.

You will receive a letter with tickets later this month.

All the money raised is used for various charities through the year. We get many requests for some smaller worthy causes, and the income earned by this flower sale allows us to say YES!

John Hunt and John Spading-Co-Chairmen

**IN HIS NAME FOOD DELIVERY NOW
TWICE MONTHLY**

The Knights now deliver food for the In His Name organization twice monthly. Sounds like more work, but it isn't because a year ago we were delivering thirty or more food boxes, and it has dropped in volume quite a bit. We now are delivering less than 10 food boxes each 2nd Saturday and 4th Saturday.

John Spading, Dan Wentz, Andy Simcox and John Hunt are the regulars in delivering. Deacon Dave Plevak does occasionally, but he has much other work to do!

Recipients now are asked to pay \$5.00 for a food box. It is always well worth that.

The food boxes are either picked up at the St. Francis Parish parking lot from 12 noon to hopefully 12:30 p.m. Deliveries start after pick-up at 11 a.m. Because of the smaller number of food boxes we are usually done by 12:30.

We have Knights we can call for help, but once in while we are a little cramped for help. If you are willing to help occasionally, please give John Hunt a call at 288-7550, or talk to any of the above Knights at the regular meeting night.



Happy Birthday!

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

ROBERT KERTIS	2
JOSEPH REILAND	3
ANDREW SIMCOX	3
CHARLES MOSIER	7
THOMAS DOYLE	19
DEACON RICHARD MANGEN	29

Dates To Remember

Tuesday, September 14th, 7:00 pm

Monthly Meeting in St Francis Social Room

Sunday, September 26th

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast

Tuesday, October 12th, 7:00 pm

Monthly Meeting in St Francis Social Room

Saturday, October 23rd

4th Degree Exemplification - Owatonna

Tuesday, November 9th, 7:00 pm

Monthly Meeting in St Francis Social Room

Sunday, November 21st

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, January 16th

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, March 20th

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, May 15th

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast



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Minutes from June 8, 2010



The Council was called to order at: 7:04 pm 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 Tom Doyle |
| P Grand Knight Jeff Fallon | A Inside Guard Dave Baumann |
| P Deputy Grand Knight Bruce Anderson | P Outside Guard John Spading |
| A Chancellor Chuck Mosier | A Trustee (3rd Year) Duane Melvin |
| P Recorder Joe Wick | A Trustee (2nd Year) Dave Oeth |
| A Financial Secretary .. Paul Tieskoetter | P Trustee (1st Year) Dave Klinkhammer |
| P Treasurer Don Hint | A District Deputy Jeff Bagniewski |
| P Advocate John Hunt | |

Reading of Minutes from the May Meeting

MOTION MADE TO ACCEPT THE MEETING MINUTES. THE MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

Admissions Committee Report & Reading of Applications

- 2 new candidates were read – Pat Fallon & George Lorentz
 - Hoping to get them initiated at the June 1st degree

Grand Knight Report

- Use notes from Jeff Fallon part of the newsletter
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Chaplain Report – Fr. Timothy Reker

- Parish financial shortfall is improving, continues at this rate we should finish in the black
- Confirmed that there will be no replacement for Fr. Thompson, will be relying on senior priests for occasional assistance as required
- Joe Wick spoke about the Diocese Together In Faith program
- Discussed June theme from Columbia magazine – Virtue and Vice
- Also discussed young peoples opinion survey (Columbia magazine)

Combined Treasurer and Financial Secretary Report – Don Hint

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| ➤ Checking | \$3,644.94 (5/31/2010) | ➤ Net Income | \$1,896.05 |
| | | ➤ Total Expense | \$3,712.16 |

MOTION MADE TO ACCEPT THE REPORT. THE MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

Auditors/Trustees' Report – No report

Chancellor's Report – No report

Service Program Committee Reports

Membership Director – John Hunt

- Working to get new candidates initiated (possibly June 23)



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Church Director – Joe Wick (No report)

Council Director – Jim Arendt (No Report)

Family Director – Andy Simcox (No Report)

Youth Director – Al Steichen

- Discussed sponsoring servers to the Twins game on Sunday, August 22nd
 - Servers are fully sponsored (no cost to them)
 - Non servers are covered at cost (transportation) plus face value of tickets

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Unfinished Business

- State convention meeting was attended by Jeff Fallon and Bruce Anderson
 - Our council was one of 13 (out of over 230 statewide) that received the Excellence award
 - If you are interested in attending a future convention, it was a good time, enjoyed by both Knights and spouses
- The Council will be starting a Charities Committee still working on this
- Honkers game on July 28, contact Joe Wick for tickets (only 5 tickets left in the suite)
- St. John’s Block Party is looking for security and cleanup help
 - If available (July 9th & 10th) contact St. Johns Parish office at 288-7372
 - Rochesterfest
- Rochesterfest
 - Need parade marshals (we do get paid for this)
 - Need help with St. Francis parking lot

New Business

- New officers were proposed.
 - This is the slate of officers

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Deputy Grand Knight Chuck Mosier
Chancellor John Spading
Recorder..... Joe Wick
Financial Secretary... Paul Tieskoetter
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- Blood donor program – say you are from KC Council 14170 to help earn credit for the Olmsted County Knights of Columbus
- Ministry Weekend September 11 & 12, the parish has asked us to participate with a KC table

MOTION MADE TO PARTICIPATE. THE MOTION WAS SECONDED & APPROVED.

- Parish picnic is June 27th, they are looking for help with setup and cleanup
- Council logo polo shirts are now available, \$24 each
 - Can be ordered in groups of 4, contact Bruce Anderson if interested
- Need some help with In His Name deliveries if you are available

4th Degree Report – Art Mueller

- Have been busy, last Sunday they were at Resurrection, 2 weeks ago at Fr. T's ordination anniversary, participating in Andy Vogel ordination
- Need help with Veterans Memorial 10th Anniversary, selling food Mystery Trip is coming up
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Field Agent Report – (No report)

- James Motz has resigned if you know anyone who might be interested, forward the name to Jeff Fallon

District Deputy Report – Jeff Bagniewski (No Report)

Good of the Order – Knights to be Remembered in Prayer

Closing Prayer – Hail Mary

Meeting Adjourned at 8:14pm

Next meeting will be on Tuesday, September 14th at 7:00 p.m.