



Knights of
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St Francis of Assisi
Council 14170 Meeting Agenda
May 27, 2025

Council Meeting Minutes – May 27, 2025

- Call to Order
- Opening Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Approve Minutes of Prior Meeting
Motion was made to accept the minutes from the previous meeting. The motion was seconded and approved.
- Chaplain's Message (Fr. Luis)
 - *Spring cleanup – Saturday, June 14, 8:30 – 11:00 am*
 - *Saturday, May 31 – Ordination Celebration for Fr. Shawn (25 years)*
 - *See bulletin for details*
- Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:
 - June 2025
If you love me you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always. (Gospel for June 8, Jn 14:15-16)
 - July 2025 ***“Which of these three, in your opinion was neighbor to the robbers’ victim? “ He answered, “The one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.”*** (Gospel for July 13, Lk 10:36-37)
- Grand Knights Report
 - *Next Meeting Tuesday August 26th*
 - *Thank you to Al Heimer and Jeff Fallon for quarterbacking the Campaign for People with intellectual Disabilities \$1,789.92*
 - *Thank you to all that helped crack eggs and worked the pancake breakfast last weekend*
 - *Elections of officers (later agenda item)*
 - *Coats for Kids*
 - *May need to make a commitment before our next meeting*
 - *Will coordinate the order via email communication*
 - *Sweet corn*
 - *Working with Jerome Lawler about supplying corn for a council fundraiser*
- Treasurer's Report
 - *The financial report was presented and the balance in the account is \$6,789.81 (as of 04/30/2025)*
Motion was made to accept the combined Financial/Treasurer's report. The motion was seconded and approved.
- Membership Report
 - *Current council membership – 73 members*
 - *John Glatzmaier is waiting to go through exemplification*
- Program Director Report
 - *Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities*
 - *\$1,789.92 was collected*
 - *Money was disbursed to these organizations:*
 - *Special Olympics MN, state bowling event – 15%*



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- 2026 Special Olympics USA – 15%
- ARC Southeastern MN – 20%
- Possabilities of SE MN – 30%
- Hiawatha Homes Foundation – 20%
- May Breakfast
 - Revenue - \$739.76
 - Actual Expense - \$355.62
 - 5 breakfast average expense - \$472.92
- **Motion was made to approve \$400 donation to the St. Francis Youth Group. The motion was seconded and approved.**
- State convention went well
- Steubenville Conference
 - July 11-13
 - Shawn Peters looking for Knights to help load the U-haul after the closing mass on Sunday, 7/13
- Pilgrim Icon
 - Traveling icon in Rochester August& September 2025; July & August 2026
 - Someone working with Fr Luis &/or staff for program when at St Francis
 - Bruce has the suggested information regarding a possible program

April 2025 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, April 5 at 3:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Sunday, April 13	Palm Sunday
Thursday, April 17	Holy Thursday
Friday, April 18	Good Friday
Saturday, April 19	Easter Vigil
Sunday, April 20	Easter Sunday
Tuesday, April 22 at 7:00PM	Council 14170 Meeting - St Clare Room
Friday, April 25 thru Sunday, April 27	Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities (Tootsie Rolls)

May 2025 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, May 3 at 3:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Friday May 16 - Sunday May 18	MN Knights of Columbus Convention - Rochester, MN
Saturday, May 17 at 1:00PM	Egg cracking for KC Breakfast (McCarthy Hall kitchen)
Saturday, May 18 at 7:00AM	KC Breakfast for St Francis Youth Group
Tuesday, May 28 at 7:00PM	Council 14170 Meeting - St Clare Room - Election of Officers

June 2025 Activities

Date / Time	Description
Saturday, June 7 at 3:30PM	Holy Hour & Adoration - St Francis of Assisi
Tuesday, June 24, 2025 at 7:00PM	No Council Meeting

- New Business
 - Golf Event – Sept 7th 2025 (Soldiers Field)
 - Looking for monetary sponsors and material donations
 - Coats for Kid



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- Suggestion is that we buy 6 boxes
- More to follow as we get closer
- Parish picnic – August 10

Motion was made to approve \$750 donation to the St. Francis parish picnic. The motion was seconded and approved.

- Election of Officers

Chaplain	Fr. Luis
Grand Knight	Bob Stallberger
Deputy Grand Knight	Bruce Anderson
Chancellor	Dale Frank
Recorder	Joe Wick
Financial Secretary	Jerod Gutzmer
Treasurer	Al Heimer
Lecturer	
Advocate	Gene Treder
Warden	
Inside guard	Dan Wentz
Outside Guard	Matthew Finn
Trustees	Jeff Fallon Dave Oeth Dave Klinkhammer

- Matthew Finn was nominated and accepted the Program Director position
- Good of the Order
- Insurance Agent Report (Shawn Peters)
 - No report
- Closing Prayer and Intentions
 - Pray for peace in the Israel, Ukraine, Sudan & for our brother Knights
 - Pray for Shawn Peters', his family, and the repose of Sonia's soul
 - Pray for unity within the entire US
 - Pray for Ryan Saltness and Juan Roman, seminarian students from the Church of St Francis of Assisi
- Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney
- Adjournment
 - Next council meeting on Tuesday, August 26th