



At 1830 Hours and before the meeting began, the Council prayed the Rosary.

Business Meeting of Council 7904 of the Knights of Columbus: 7 Oct 2021

Present:

Gerald A Walsh -GK
Rod Hank – Chancellor
Joseph Sell – Warden
Robert A. Guyton Jr. – Recorder
Mike Mannebach – Treasurer
Clarence Jordan – Fin Sec
Gerard Schevers, Advocate
Paul Mansberger – Trustee 1
Mark Goetz - Trustee 2
Jack Terry – Inside Guard
Bob Salas – Outside Guard
Richard Polfliet – Outside Guard
Deacon Richard Conn – Lecturer

Excused:

Fr. Jaya Rao Maddu – Chaplain
Marcus Ray – DGK
Michael Grimes - Trustee 3

- 1) 1900 Hours: Meeting called to order. 34 Knights in attendance.
- 2) Opening Prayer was led by Deacon Richard Conn.
- 3) Pledge of Allegiance
- 4) Approve minutes of previous meeting: Meeting minutes of previous meeting were approved as presented via email. Minutes can be found at www.KofC7904.org.
- 5) Chaplain's Message: No Chaplain's Message this month.
- 6) Grand Knight's Report:
The Grand Knight thanked the 15 Knights who showed to to remove the old pews. It took only two hours!

Our council received two letters of appreciation from for our water drive. On letter was from Saint Vincent and the other from State.

The GK has a red and blue Rosary that was blessed by the Pope. He will award it to the first Knight who brings in a new member.

Mentoring Program is under way. A Knight maybe approached and asked to walk with a Knight who has a job with the Council like recruiting or doughnuts in order to find out what the job is about. Please consider giving your time to help the Council.

The Fish Fry has been approved. However, the cost of the fish has risen 15%.

A wedding tent has been purchased to be used for future events.

A display case has been approved to be installed in Wellens. Any Knight with carpentry skills are asked to help with this project.

From November 6-7, our Knights will hand out empty St. Vincent food donation bags prior to all Masses. We will collect the filled bags on the following weekend. Please wear your Knights' shirts and Badges. The bags will collected November 13-14.

Christmas Party will be December 18th in Wellens Hall. Supper provided by Salernos. The party is free, but Attendees may make a donation.

7) Treasurer/Financial Report

Certificate of Deposit \$10,004.79

Bank Of America Checking account - \$12,072.42

Total Cash - \$22,377.21

There are no liabilities.

We have 46 members delinquent with their dues (\$1,516).

8) Membership Report: Currently we have 309 members in Council 7904. Up 5 since 1 July 2021. We need to recruit five more new members to make our.

9) Deputy Grand Knight and Committees Report

Reports from various worthy program directors:

Mark Goetz : Food For Families 3,370 pounds of food collected year-to-date. This is up 349 pounds from last year.

Eddie Padilla: Respect for Life Program is September 23 to October 31. The KoC has supported the purchase of ultra-sound machines for Life Centers across the state. Also, prayer activities are planned to Support Life.

Jim Pergo: We have admitted five new Knights and a transfer.

Dan Leesely: The Arizona Rosary Celebration will be on October 17 from 2 P.M. to 4:15. There is also a can collection drive.

Paul Mansberger: The Christmas Party is December 18 and catered by Salernos. Donations are requested.

The Deputy District Knight spoke about programs that are Faith in Action. We need to get families and new blood more involved. He mentioned that there are videos that can be used in recruiting new members. He said we were doing a great job!

10) Unfinished Business: None

11) New Business: None

12) Good of the Order: Joe Kamal and family, Knights in distress, and Father Larry.
Shout-Out to Fern Larshied for her 100th Birthday on October 16. Her husband was the Financial Secretary of the Council.

13) Lecturer: Deacon Richard Conn asked who is Our Lady of Victory. Rosaries were prayed prior to the Battle of Lepanto. Because of the Rosary, the Christians defeated the Muslim invasion of Europe. Pope Pius V declared that day to be a Feast Day. Today we call it the Feast Day of Our Lady of The Rosary. In 2002, John Paul II added the Luminous Mysteries which are about our Faith. We can use it to be more knowledgeable and meditative about our lives as Catholics.

14) Grand Knight's Summary: N/a

15) Closing Prayer for the Canonization of the Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney.

16) Adjournment at 1951 Hours.