Amador Knights

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District 8

IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL

From The Grand Knight's Desk

Meeting Name Change

Greetings Worthy Brothers,

Traditionally, we have called our first Wednesday of the month meeting an Officer Meeting. In reality, we encourage all members to attend the meeting, in order to provide input about what you'd like to see our council participate in, do, or support. Therefore, going forward, we will now name it a Planning Meeting. Please spread the word and I hope to see you at future meetings.

However, due to this month's meeting coinciding with All Saint's Day, we will reschedule the meeting to next Wednesday, November 8 at St. Patrick's Hall at 5:30 PM.

Also, for those that have not heard, let us pray for the repose of soul of our Deacon Ed Pogue. He passed away yesterday, October 31. Let's remember fond memories of him. We were truly blessed to have him at our last Clergy Appreciation Dinner.

Fraternally,

Justin Machovec

GK

Minutes of the October Business Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 PM on October 10, 2023 by Grand Knight Machovec. Guest DD Morris was present at the meeting. The Warden, Inside Guard and Trustee Two Year were excused. Roll call followed our Chancellor leading us in prayer. The Warden led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Minutes from September were approved as written.

Membership Report

Candidates George Hoover and Shawn Simpson were interviewed and nominations were M/S/A as new members.

Grand Knight Report

GK Machovec shared sad news of Brother John Bowling's death. Details of services are unknown at this time.

He also thanked Brother Koenig, first lady Koenig for hosting the clergy appreciation dinner. There was a great turn out.

Chaplain's Report

No report

Treasurer Report

Checking account balance - \$12,830.06

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Financial Secretary Report

Income - \$50 dinner, \$5 - 50/50 , \$80 - tri tip dinner ticket sales

Bills - Br Koenig - \$144.63 – tri tip dinner, Erica - \$97.47 – tri tip dinner decorations, Br Strazzo - \$396.96 Tri Tip Dinner food, cash gift cards – \$250 - Clergy appreciation, VSO charity per Fr. Relihan - \$100

Communications

A thank you note was received from the Faith Formation Kickoff Committee for brother Knights who cooked the meal.

Programs

Wine and cheese Saturday November 4 after the vigil mass, special occasion is ladies night. First Tuesday night of the month 5:30 Rosary. October host is the St. Vincent DePaul Society. Every second Sunday the Council sponsors donuts after the 10:00 mass. Volunteers are needed to help set up, serve and clean up. October 13, 14 and after the Sunday mass – Tootsie roll drive, volunteers are needed. Tri tip dinner – recap – Thank you to all who helped and provided raffle items! 118 tickets sold, approximately \$2550 profit. Scholarship applications are due at the end of December

Unfinished Business

After discussion it was approved to donate \$1000 to help offset a medical bill for Fr. Arlon's eye surgery. A 30 day comment period was provided for review and comment.

New Business

It was M/S/A to pay the bills. It was M/S/A to invite the Fourth Degree to the Amador Veterans day pa-

rade. Brother McGee to contact Sir Knight Salvage. All Knights have rights and responsibilities to present agenda items to the KG. In addition, all Knights are invited to attend the Officer meetings/planning meetings. All new business shall be given ample time for discussion prior to a vote. Protocol is important-please stand and address the WGK and wait for him to acknowledge you. It was M/S/A for all Knights to make an effort to attend the men's Novena starting on October 31 at 5:30 AM.

Advocate Report

No report

Chancellor Report

No report

Insurance Agent Report

The agent is Dave Moeller

Fourth Degree Assembly

Sir Knight Maher reported on the Honor Flight to Washington DC. He served as an escort.

District Deputy Report

DD Morris gave a brief report.

Good of the Order

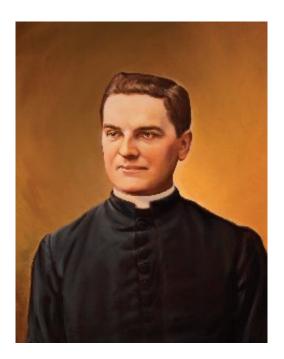
Please pray for the repose of the soul of John Bowling. Pray also for Mrs. Tammy and Bridget Maher, Charlie Esola, Fr. Arlon, Jane Ragusano, Steve Oneto, Deacon Ed, and Fr. Relihan.

Chaplain's Summation

The meeting was closed in prayer.

GK Machovec closed the meeting at 7:59.

Respectfully submitted by David Sanders



Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney Founder of the Knights of Columbus God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Dinner Hosts

Joe Trassare Nov 14
TBD Dec 12

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Tootsie Roll Drive



Knights of Columbus Council 1849

Events Calendar 2023—2024

Planning meetings at Saint Patrick's Hall, first Wednesday at 6:00 PM of every month, starting July 2023 until June 2024.

Monthly Business meetings at Saint Katharine Drexel (St. Teresa of Calcutta Room) on 2nd Tuesday at 7:00 PM, starting July 2023 until June 2024. Dinner at 6:00 PM.

Family Fishing Day, Silver Lake, July 1st, 2023

Installation Mass and Picnic, SKD 10 AM August 20, 2023 (3rd Sunday)

Summer Dinner (Tri-tip), at SKD after 5PM Mass September 30, 2023 (5th Saturday)

Clergy Appreciation Dinner, Mark and Nancy Koenig Residence 5:00 PM September 17, 2023

Tootsie Roll Drive, weekend of October 13, 14, 15, 2023

Mass for Departed Knights, SKD 10 AM November 12, 2023 (2nd Sunday)

Christmas Party, SKD 6 PM, December 15, 2023 (3rd Friday)

Winter Dinner (Fish), SKD 6:30 PM February 3, 2024 (1st Saturday)

Family Potluck, SKD 6:00 PM March 26, 2024 (4th Tuesday)

Spring Dinner (Ribs), SKD 6:30 PM April 20, 2024 (3rd Saturday)

Family Potluck, SKD 6:00 PM May 18, 2024 (3rd Saturday)

Hospitality Donuts every 2nd Sunday at SKD

Hospitality Wine and Cheese every 1st weekend Vigil Mass at SKD

Rosary before 10 AM Mass, SKD every 5th Sunday of months with 5 Sunday

KVGC Rosary Tuesday before the first Wednesday of each month at 5:30 at SKD – St. Maximillian Kolbe Room

November Calendar of Events

Saturday, November 4: Knights Wine and Cheese Hospitality at Saint Katharine Drexel after the 5:00 PM Vigil Mass.

Wednesday, November 8: Planning Meeting at Saint Patrick's Hall at 6:00 PM.

Sunday, November 12: Mass for Departed Knights at Saint Katharine Drexel. 10 AM Mass.

Tuesday, November 14: Business Meeting at Saint Katharine Drexel. Dinner at 6 PM. Meeting at 7 PM.

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