

Minutes of the Knights Columbus Council 5604
Meeting January 7th, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm. by Grand Knight James Vanderhorst.

Opening Prayer was offer by Tom Reese.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Recognized Dignitaries: GK recognized our District Deputy Joe Scalice

Minutes of the previous meeting were emailed out to members and posted on our web site.

Motion to Approve Al Connizzo – second by Mike Cotter, minutes were Approved.

Chaplain Message No Report Father Rafal on Vacation.

Grand Knight Report: GK ask members to recruit one new member, we are 9 members short in meeting our goal.

Jan. 9th Tri district meeting 9:00am GK, DGK, WC, & WW will be attending by zoom meeting.

Jan. 19th 6:30 pm cook out with Father Shawn for the Confirmation class and their parents at the Parish Center.

Jan 23rd Knights Free Throw 3:00 pm outside basketball court.

Jan. 26 Officers Meeting all officers need to be there. All business needs to be done at the officer's meeting. All members are invited to the meeting.

Jan 28th our Bible Study on THE EUCHARIST IN SCRIPTURE join us for an inspiring Scripture Study. In the Parish Center 1/28, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/11 and 3/18 from 6:00pm till 7:30pm. Presented by Deacon Bill Soscia.

Tootsie Roll Drive has been put on hold for now.

The Grand Knight is looking for 4 Brothers Knights to be part of the new degree team.

Financial Report: Brother Vince Colonnese provide the report.

Current Balance - \$12,271.84

Vince also read the vouchers and the trustee signed off on them to be paid.

Membership Report: GK James – balloting of candidate for admission transfer of Will McCracken from St. Peter and Paul to our council Approved. We still need 9 new members.

Other Reports:

Community Director Vince Colonnese – Free Throw Competition Jan 23 10:00 am., Poster contest finished up last month and we had 39 entries, Essay contest was also done very well.

Faith Director: Bible Study THE EUCHARSIT IN SCRIPTURE starting Jan. 28th in the PC 6:00pm.

Family Director Bart Natoli – no report

Life Director GK James – pray for human life – 9 day for life.

Committees:

Tootsie Roll Drive: (on Hold)

Fourth Degree: Sir Knights will place of wreath at Blackthorn Memorial in St. Pete.
Next Fourth Degree Meeting will be the 4th Thursday Jan 28th at 6:15 pm.

Insurance Agent: No Report

District Deputy Report: Worthy Joe Scalies pleased with the turned night. Your Insurance agent has resigned - and we will have a new agent Feb. 1st. There will be a Tri-district meet on Sat. Jan. 9th so many changes. Guidelines for the meeting are changing rapidly – we can have families at the meeting but must approve the guest at the previous meeting. DD Joe gave us a video on INTO THE BREACH.

Unfinished Business: NO Report

New Business: Having families at the meetings - voted not to have families attending at this time.

Reflection: Knights Knowledge – Brother Tom Reese provided short Knights Knowledge on the Holy Days of Obligations.

Grand Knight Summary: Still looking for a Financial Secretary and a Faith Director. I also glade to have Brother Phil Indovina back at the meeting.

Good of the Order

Father Rafal offered the closing prayer, and we recited a Decade of the Rosary.

Grand Knight James officially close the meeting at 8:20 pm