

Minutes of the Knights Columbus Council 5604 Meeting January 06, 2022

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

Opening Prayer was offer by our Chaplain Fr. Rafal.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Grand Knight James lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognized Dignitaries: GK recognized Father Rafal, DD Joe Scalise, and guest John Hamm.

Minutes of the previous meeting were, transmitted to all members via email and posted on our web site. Motion to approve by Brother Tom Hanket – second by Brother Kevin Wilcox, minutes were, Approved.

Chaplain Message given by Fr. Rafal Welcome and thank you for all you do – Gospel for the day Luck 4:14-22 Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Sprit and news of him spread throughout the region. He taught in their synagogues and was praised by all.

Thank you, Brothers, for all you do, you do great things.

Our Parish reach 100% of our Catholic Faith Appeal and father want to thank the Parishioners of St. Joseph, Father would like the Knights to grill Hotdogs and Hamburger's. The parish would provide the food.

Sunday, February 27 will be his installation of Pastor at the 11:00 Mass by the Bishop.

Grand Knight Report: Grand Knight James – First as a council, we have a GREAT council this year. I want to thank the council for a wonderful year. I want to thank all of you for stepping up and taking an active role in your council and helping with events and meeting. Keep up the work you do for your council in the front line and behind the scenes. Andy Minor has step down from the Recorder role and Brother Dennis Dolson will fill this spot.

We are at 40% of Membership as of today.

The Church and school are looking for a maintenance person, if you know of anyone looking have them contact the school or church.

Our next Officers Meeting will be Jan. 25th, at 7pm. in the KC Hall All Officers and any brothers.

Our next Council Meeting will be Feb. 3rd 7pm. Sharp.

Financial Report: Treasurer Vince Colonnese - provide the report. Beginning Balance \$9,590.44 Current Balance - \$9118.99 Paul DeLorenzo made the motion to accept the report and Iran Forrest second the motion and the motion passed.

Brother David Brown read 5 vouchers and the trustee signed off on them to be paid.

Membership Report: GK James – balloting of candidate for admission Transfer John Hamm.

Brother Mike Cotter made motion and Brother Tom Hanket Seconded and was approved.

Other Reports:

Community Director Vince Colonnese - Basketball Free Throw will be Wednesday, Jan.26 after

school on the outside basketball court at 3:15. I will need about 5 or 6 brothers to help with this. Looking around 25 or 30 students.

Faith Director: Will McCracken Present Bible study will be on Wednesday in the Fall on sacraments- Conformation will be March 19, The Knights will Grill for the Conformation retreat and date TBD. Retreat in Tampa – June 16th Jesus- the way -the truth- the light.

Family Director Bart Natoli – no report

Life Director Michael Furlon

Committees: Pancake Breakfast – David Wagner his report on the upcoming breakfast. Change where the money for 50/50 go to.

Tootsie Roll Drive Richard Andrade Chairman, GK James gave his report. Dates for the Tootsie Roll Drive will be Jan. 29 &30, Feb.5 & 6 after all the Masses

Fourth Degree:

Next Fourth Degree Meeting will be the 4th Thursday January 27th at 6:15 pm. at St. Peter and Paul Church.

Insurance Agent: No Report

District Deputy Report: Worthy Joe Saclise - Feb. 13 First Degree Our Lady Queen of Martyrs after 10:30 Mass.

Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity form 1728

Upcoming District meeting either St. Joseph or Holy Cross

Council working together

2 Fraternal Benefit Night need per year by each council.

The District is doing very well.

Unfinished Business: No unfinished Business.

New Business: Special Olympics our council possible host their Bocce ball, Special Olympics was started by the Knight back in the 60's

Reflection: Knights Knowledge – Brother Tom Reese. The story of the 3 Wise Man, life changing events, and King Herod, what were the 3 gifts they offered. How far did each Wise Man travel?

Grand Knight Summary: Next Council Meeting will be Feb. 3rd at 7pm.

Good of the Order - Prayer for Kevin Wilcox, Phil Indovina, Mike Cotter.

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

Grand Knight James officially close the meeting at 8:05 pm.