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Martha Nowak Theresa Hubbard Lorraine Yaniko Fr. Noel O'Connor Phyllis Schabow Joseph & Susan **Rest In Peace:** 



Horace Romero Judge Debra Yaniko Dupont Jimmy Dixon Andy Blanchard John Young Max Alexander Jerry Alexander Margie Hitner Don Schabow Joe Bayer Patricia Tracey Peggy Casey Carole Austin JW & Helen Wright Violet Verstraete



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**GRAND KNIGHT:** SK Ray Carr C 817-994-2487 **DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT:** SK Matt Casey C 817-458-2039 FINANCIAL SECRETARY: SK John W. Achtyl 143 Hedges Circle Weatherford, TX 76085 R 817-629-0178 **CHANCELLOR:** Leonard P. Wright C 817-266-1750 **RECORDER:** Scott Wooten C 940-867-3860 **TREASURER:** Derrick A. Rice C 817-371-7855 **ADVOCATE:** SK Lawrence A. Bierschenk C 817-596-8110 WARDEN: Jean R. Ratsizaharimanana C 814-403-7637 **INSIDE GUARD:** Scott A Smith R 940-682-6072 **OUTSIDE GUARD:** Robert E Picha R 817-598-1819 TRUSTEE 1<sup>st</sup> YEAR: SK David J Straka C 817-441-7960 TRUSTEE 2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR: SK Joseph Wright R 817-599-0043 C 817-304-6181 TRUSTEE 3rd YEAR: SK Norbert E. Stanislav R 817-599-4799 C 817-723-9140 **LECTURER:** 

## Grand Knight's Report:



Brother Knights,

Our 2017-2018 fraternal year is "in the books" as they say, and what a successful year it was! I wish to extend my sincere thanks, as well as congratulations, to the many Brother Knights who made it all happen. In particular, I want to acknowledge our newest Past Grand Knight, Dave Straka, for his outstanding service and leadership to our council over the past two years. What a fantastic job! In fact, if you haven't heard yet, our council met all the requirements needed to win the Star Council Award this past year. Way to go, Dave, and way to go

Holy Spirit Council 7264!

And now it's time to look forward. It is with humble gratitude and honor that I assume the role of Grand Knight. Brothers, we are a service organization, and I look forward to the many opportunities that we will have to lead and to serve in our parish and in our community. Just as our parish goals have been focused on renewal and outreach, I want our council to emulate those same goals, and the first step is simple – get involved! I want to challenge every Brother Knight in our council to attend at least one council event during the upcoming year – a monthly meeting, a Corporate Communion, a Burrito Breakfast, a Patriotic Rosary, the Golf Tournament or one of our other fundraising events.

Granted, summertime tends to be less busy for us, but there will still be opportunities in the months ahead. On Monday, July 16th, we will have a Patriotic Rosary in the main church at 7:15pm following Adoration. As always, we'll need volunteers to do the readings and to lead in saying the individual decades of the Rosary. On Friday, August 10th, we'll be having a Council Fish Fry and Social starting at 5:30pm. A fish fry is something we've been talking about doing for some time, and we're hoping that it becomes a regular event for us. This first one will be limited to council members and their families – please RSVP by July 27th to Dave Straka (682-239-7460 or oneitalianstallion@gmail.com).

As for the rest of the year, our 2018-2019 event calendar has been drafted and will be passed out at the next Business Meeting, or you can access it now via our website www.kofc7264.org. Just click on the MEMBERS ONLY link (on the left), login using your member number, and then scroll down to the COUNCIL DOCUMENTS LIBRARY. For those who have been in the council for a few years or more, the calendar will look pretty familiar, but remember, it's not set in stone.

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Chaplain (Fr. Mike O'Sullivan)		■ Advocate (Lawrence Bierschenk)	
□ Grand Knight (Ray Carr) (		<b>G</b> Warden (Jean Ratsizaharimanana)	(E)
Deputy Grand Knight (Matt Cases)	y) (P)	Inside Guard (Scott Smith)	(E)
Chancellor (Leonard Wright)		<b>Outside Guard</b> (Robert Picha)	(P)
Recorder (Scott Wooten)		<b>Trustee 3rd Year</b> (Stan Stanislav)	(P)
Financial Secretary (John Achtyl)	(P)	<b>Trustee 2nd Year</b> (Joe Wright)	(P)
□ Treasurer (Derrick Rice) (1		Trustee 1st Year (Dave Straka)	(P)
Lecturer (Tim Aziere)	(P)		

- - Lecturer (Tim Aziere)
- Chaplain Report:
  - ➢ N/A
- Minutes of Previous Meeting were:
  - Approved as published.
- Membership Report:
  - ▶ Transfer in Michael Fox from Danville, Illinois. Motion made and 2<sup>nd</sup>, approved.
- Grand Knight Report:
  - Thank you to everyone who helped on Friday and Saturday working the Knight in a Day. 9 new members were exemplified in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree. Joseph and Joe (in attendance at the business meeting), were welcomed. 30 members were exemplified in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees. Over 65-70 people showed in total. It was a great event and received many compliments. GK Dave expressed his pride in the council.
  - June 22, will be serving breakfast, lunch and snack for Vacation Bible School. Joe Wright will get hot dogs, buns, and we will be serving fruit snacks. Need 5 or 6 guys at 8:30 at the latest. Probably will be about 120 kids and need Knights to serve the food.
  - June 23 is the Officer Installation Dinner. Please get with Ray or Dave to RSVP.
  - 'It has been an honor to serve as Grand Knight. I can't thank you enough for the opportunity. Thank you for all your hard work, you guys stepped up and we did some new things that we normally don't do; Major Degrees, Social Hour for example. You guys are a great group of brothers and I really appreciate all the support I got. So, thank you all.' Met with applause.
- Treasurer's Report was:
  - $\geq$ Approved as read.
- Communications:
  - Read thank you card from Freedom House for \$2,500 donation.
  - Read letter from Careity Foundation thanking us for \$1,000 donation.
  - Read thank you card from Parker County React for our donation.
  - Read two received thank you cards from Pallottine Missionary Center for the \$11,796.41 and a 2<sup>nd</sup> card for the follow up donation received.
- Financial Secretary's Report:
  - ▶ It's the end of the fraternal year and we are at 100% to make Star Council! Met with applause.
- Auditors' and Trustees' Report:
  - Joe Wright said thanks to GK for putting up with the trustees. Met with laughter.
- Chancellor's Report:
  - None.
- Program Chair Report:

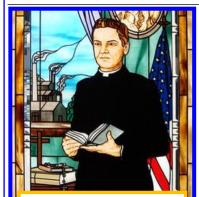


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Our Founder Venerable Fr. Michael

**Upcoming Events:** Jun 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 am Knight in a Day Jun 23<sup>th</sup>@ 6:30 pm

**Officer Installation Dinner** 



## **Upcoming Meetings:**

Jun 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7:15 pm Business Meeting Jun 26<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm Planning Meeting Juy 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7:15 pm Business Meeting

Please send inputs and/or suggestions for the newsletter to:

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If anyone (particularly our newer members) has an idea for a new fundraising event, service project, fellowship opportunity, etc., please don't hesitate to come to a meeting and propose it to the entire council. It can't be overstated how important new ideas will be to ensuring our council remains active, energetic, and exciting for all our members. Let's do it together, and let's have fun!

I'll close by reminding you that our next Business Meeting will be on Tuesday, July 10th. As always, we will start by saying the Holy Rosary at 7:15pm and then proceed with the meeting. I hope to see every one of you there!

God Bless,

SK Ray Carr Grand Knight





We ask this in Jesus name.

Amen.



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- Going into the summer things are going to slow down a bit, be we will soon be ramping up for the Golf Tournament on Oct 20<sup>th</sup>. We will count on subcommittees to help accomplish some of the tasks. More to come later.
- > We're going to try the fish fry on August  $10^{\text{th}}$ .
- Old Business
  - None.
- Unfinished Business:
  - None.
- New Business:



- Monday July 23<sup>rd</sup> will be the 23 Annual Priest and Religious Appreciation Dinner. Table sponsor cost is \$100, we pay for Deacon Wally and his wife, Deacon Carlos and his wife, and Father Mike. Need \$220 to support the event. Stan Stanislav made motion, Dave Yaniko 2<sup>nd</sup>, motion approved. Every is encouraged to go. Advocate Lawrence brought up that it is also when the Knights present a check to the Bishop for approximately \$189,000. Talk to John Achtyl if you are interested in going.
- Pocket Change for Seminarians" can will round it up to, Advocate Lawrence mentioned that these funds go directly to the seminarians to cover emergency expenses incurred by seminarians. Suggestion was made to round up whatever is collected rounded up to the nearest \$50. Chuck Clark made motion, Derrick Rice 2<sup>nd</sup>, motion approved.
- Time to renew the advertisement in the bulletin. It is \$690 for a year. Dave Yaniko made motion, Bob Tracey 2<sup>nd</sup>. Discussion ensued. Motion approved. Matt to redesign and notify when ready.
- > Charter Founding member Horace Romero passed away. Rosary at 7pm at Whites, Funeral Thursday at 10:00 am.
- 4th Degree Report:
  - > Patriotic Rosary at the Cathedral is at 7 pm last Monday.
  - Installation Dinner was last Friday.
  - Anybody interested in becoming 4<sup>th</sup> Degree let John Achtyl know. Ceremony will be Oct 6. Beautiful ceremony. No more need of a Tux for the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. GK encourage 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees to think about it. The more 4<sup>th</sup> Degree members we have here the more we can support our own activities.
- District Deputy Report:
  - None.
- Member's under ill or duress.
  - See prayer intention sheet.
- Good of the order by the Lecturer:
  - Lecturer Bob thanked all those who showed up to celebrate his 60 years of Knighthood, expressed disappointment in the lack of 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Honor Guard. Story about the horse Secretariat. (See Columbia Magazine). Lecturer Bob thanked all members for his seven years' service as being our Lecturer and announced that he is turning the reins over to someone else.

Meeting closed at <u>8:30</u> PM by <u>Grand Knight Dave Straka</u>

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April 11, 2018 Receipt # 2816	Dear Knights of Columicus, Many thanks for your	Dear Knights of Columbos HOLY SPIRIT COUNCIL #7264,	Thank you for your continued support of		
Dear Knights of Columbus,	check received in the amount	We have received the 2ND	Parker County REACT. It is a honor to be one		
Thank you so much for your very generous donation of \$2500.00. As a non-profit organization, we depend on the generosity of people like you to help in the efforts to end family violence, provide services to sexual assault victims and victims of violent crimes. Your generosity and caring is greatly appreciated. Sincerely, Treedom House Staff	of \$ 11,796.41 which represents the caring can collection. Your continued support to The Irish Pallottine Fathers is greatly appreciated. Fr. Brendow McCarrick	check for the caring cans Lenten collection, Many thanks for your continued support of the Pallottine Fathers Missions, Yn. Breudan McCarrick	of your chosen charities. We greatly appreciate you! Kin Chilant		

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<b>8</b> Happy Birthday Patrick H Slocum	9 Happy Birthday Khristopher M Cook	10 Business Meeting & Rosary Happy Birthday Timothy Paul Aziere, Sr Jerry D Mc Gee	11	12	<b>13</b> Happy Birthday Jesse C Valtierra	14
<b>15</b> Happy Birthday Larry G Sprankel	16	17	<b>18</b> Happy Birthday Mark J Albarez Tom L Keis	19	20	<b>21</b> Happy Birthday David J Straka
22	23 23rd Annual Religious Appreciation Dinner	24 Planning Meeting Happy Birthday Mike E Miller	25 Western Metroplex Chapter Meeting	26	27	28 Fort Worth Diocesan Organizational Meeting Happy Birthday Ricky D Maitlen
29	<b>30</b> Happy Birthday Gerard G Leon	<b>31</b> Happy Birthday Jared C Shackelford	1 <i>Happy Birthday</i> Michael S Ruflin	2	3 Happy Birthday Deacon Wolfgang W Kunath Scott R Wooten	4
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<b>5</b> Happy Birthday Michael A Hernandez	<b>6</b> Happy Birthday Earl R Mendenhall	<b>7</b> Happy Birthday Bradley A Hall	8 Happy Birthday Gaston E Anastas Milferd R De Fosse Mark E Harden	9	<b>10</b> Happy Birthday Leonard Paul Wright	11
12 Father McGivney's Birthday Happy Birthday Joe R Delgado, Jr Robert E Picha	13	14 Business Meeting & Rosary	<b>15</b> Assumption Day Happy Birthday Kenneth B Harmon	16	17	<b>18</b> Happy Birthday Francisco Landaverde
19	<b>20</b> Happy Birthday Bernardo Ortiz	<b>21</b> Happy Birthday Austin M Lay Steven E Metzler	<b>22</b> Happy Birthday James Ray Nowak David R Stockman	23	<b>24</b> Happy Birthday Ernest De La Rosa Jr Joseph P Lujan	25 Happy Birthday John E Kerfoot William T Robinson
26	<b>27</b> Happy Birthday John C Ornelas, Jr	28 Planning Meeting	29 Western Metroplex Chapter Meeting	30	31	1



