



# Knights of Columbus



St. Joseph Council No. 8417

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## GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

We have 251 members but only 35 to 40 show-up to meetings and fewer show-up to events. Let us examine a retention committee to reach out to the brothers that do not participate. The due Notices have been Mailed The Altar guild has requested volunteers to put up trees in the Church on Dec 17<sup>th</sup> around 10 am, decorations at 2 pm in the church. The Christmas party is this Sunday from Dec 16<sup>th</sup> from 4-6 pm.

Virginia Murphy was given \$500 for Project Gabriel. Note Our Council donates \$500, each year to the Wheelchair Charity.

## GUEST SPEAKER

Victor Rodriquez from F.O.C.U.S, talked about how college students start as practicing Catholics but do not have support for their beliefs on campus. He said he needs our prayers, support that the crisis of masculinity has switched from preserve, protect to control, and manipulate.

## CHAPLIN REPORT

American Universities are in crisis because of absence of God.

## ADMISSIONS

Dan Fochinski was presented with a lifetime membership card. We received a new member by transfer; brother Mathew Bollinger.

## PRO-LIFE

The Annual Roe vs Wade Memorial Mass at the Cathedral Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Jan 19th. The Mass will begin with a procession of roses at 9:45am followed by the liturgy at 10:00 A. At 12:30 PM we will gather outside the cathedral for the North Texas March For Life

On Feb 8<sup>th</sup>, Crisis Pregnancy Banquet will be held in Waxahachie, Hugh Reynolds would like to support two tables this year please contact him at 214-686-8774

## FINANCIALS

**Financial Secretary:**  
\$7,618 report of receipts

### ***Treasures Report:***

Knight of Columbus	\$3, 866.09
Knights Columbian Club	\$ 6,455.28
Columbus Capital	\$ 5,950.00
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$ 16,271.37</b>

### ***Following bills read***

\$8,273- was spent, including \$2400 for state charities, \$400 for hiring casino help, and \$3,000 for the seminarians we sponsor with the help of Brother Joe Barcevac

4<sup>TH</sup> DEGREE

None

COLUMBIAN CLUB

None

COMMUNITY DIRECTOR

None

CASINO

None

FAMILY LIFE

.NONE

OLD BUSINESS

none

NEW BUSINESS

none