



## *Knights of Columbus*

St. Joseph Council No. 8417

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### **Grand Knights Report:**

We have a casino night in Arlington on March 4<sup>th</sup> and need all hands on deck. A total of 25 workers is needed, please get with Larry Green if you can help out.

### **Pro Life:**

The Pro Life committee headed by Hugh Reynolds attended the First Look Banquet and fundraiser. This was an important event. First Look Ministries Clinic is Ellis Counties Pregnancy center and is making a major impact in reducing abortions in the area. The council had \$250.00 budgeted for the Pro Life event. The cost of a table was \$360.00, Hugh Reynolds requested an additional \$110.00 to cover that cost. A motion was made, seconded and approved.

### **New Deacon:**

We officially have a new deacon. Deacon James (Jim) Burke has now been assigned by the diocese to St Joseph's. Welcome Deacon Jim!

### **Degree Teams:**

Anyone willing to assist on the 1<sup>st</sup> degree team please contact Pat Moriarty to become a 1<sup>st</sup> degree team member.

**New church progress:**

James Speelman announced the blessing of the new church cornerstone and time capsule. This is scheduled to occur on March 19<sup>th</sup> 2016. Mark your calendars!

**4<sup>th</sup> Degree exemplification:**

Exemplification for 4<sup>th</sup> degree is scheduled for March in Carthage, TX. Please contact Glenn Beck if interested in progressing on to the 4<sup>th</sup> degree.

**Administration:**

All new knights should have Alan Gradnigo's phone number if interested in upcoming major degrees. 972-937-7093

The KofC state convention is scheduled for 04/29/16 – 05/01/16. Perry Popp, Larry Green, John Casarez and Ron Naizer will be there representing our council.

**Treasurer Report:**

KC account	\$5255.91
Columbian Club	\$9850.39
<u>Knight's Capitol Acc</u>	<u>\$6574.00</u>
Total -	\$21680.30