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O'Fallon Council #2269

December 2013

MEETINGS

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, December 19, 2013 at the K of C Hall at 7:00 PM. **CHRISTMAS MEAL WITH LADIES WILL BE HELD AFTER THE MEETING.**

The next building committee meeting will be on Thursday, December 5, 2013 at 7:00 PM.

ATTENTION LADIES

The next Auxiliary meeting will be on December 19, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. Decorating of the KC hall will be Sunday, December 8 at 1:00 p.m. Ladies, please remember to bring a covered dish or dessert for our joint Christmas meal with the Knights after our Dec. 19th meeting.

Dec. 6 – Cake servers: Millie Craig, Julie Christy, Jenny Burkemper and Rosemary Popp. 50/50 Workers: Carol Prinster and Joan Wilmas.

The attendance prize of \$10.00 was won by Ann Schulte. The 50/50 prize of \$20 was won by Mary Stoverink.

KNIGHT OF THE YEAR

At the Knight of the Year dinner on Sat., Nov. 2, 2012 we had 60 in attendance. Brother Jim Piel was presented with the Knight of the Year. It was an honor that was certainly due. Guests included Jim's wife Brenda and children. Brother Kevin Hudnut was presented with the Navigator Award. We would like to thank the following who were involved in the preparations for the festivities: Ron Goodwin, Ron & Jane Haas, Bob & Jane Mueller, Mike & Shirley Saali, Rich Schmersahl, Jerry & Ruth Schnyder, Bill Schwendeman and Mike Yerion. Also, thanks to all those who helped to serve and clean up.

COUNCIL OFFICERS

Grand Knight: Tracy Hakenewerth...314-397-5463
Chaplain: Rev. Eugene Bendel.....240-3721
Hon. Chaplain: Rev. Ray Hager.....240-4556
Dep Grd Knight: Mike Catalfano....314-750-1436
Financial Secretary: Ronald Gardiner...978-7639
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Recorder: Kevin Hudnut.....978-3639
Advocate: Gene Thornhill.....978-3295
Warden: Jim Piel.....978-3560
Treasurer: Fred Doering.....272-7292
Inside Guard: Mark Bellanca.....314-210-3675
Outside Guard: Larry Buehler.....240-5819
Lecturer: Ronald Haas.....240-5239
Trustees: Vince Scully.....978-8668
Bob Popp.....240-5194
Bob Hudnut.....272-0038
Youth Director: Mark Martin.....281-3547
Membership Director: Kevin Hudnut....978-3639
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HOME ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President: Jim Piel.....978-3560
Vice President: Bryan Eisenbath.....240-1763
Treasurer: Michael Catalfano.....314-750-1436
Secretary: Michael Sullivan.....240-3393
Hall Rental: Michael Sullivan.....240-3393

LADIES AUXILIARY

President: Kathy Niehaus.....240-6180
Vice President: Rita Thornhill.....978-3295
Treasurer: Ruth Randell.....314-330-5879
Secretary: JoAnn Schoenherr.....978-3347
Sergeant at Arms: Marge Gentemann..272-3280
Chaplain: Carol Sell.....939-5423
Trustees: Carol Joseph.....240-8841
Nancy Sullivan.....240-3393
Sharon Scully.....978-8668

GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

We will need a couple of volunteers to man a table in the church basement after the 8-10-12 AM Masses on Dec. 1st and the 8 AM Mass on Dec. 29th to pass out membership literature. Thanks to all who contributed to the No Hunger Holiday. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year wishes to all.

FISH FRY

The first Friday fish fry will be on Dec. 6th with serving from 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM and as always we can use desserts. **All those who are scheduled to work at the fish fries are asked to please remain and help with the final cleanup. If you are scheduled to work and you can't make it, it is your responsibility to find someone to replace you. If you are not scheduled but can work, your help would be appreciated.**

Team # 1 Michael Catalfano 314-750-1436 12/6

Schwane, Ron...265-0213 Thornhill, Gene.978-3295
Haas, Ron.....240-5239
Elfrink, Scott....240-6238 Finnegan, Sean...978-0559
Hisaw, Harold....397-2065 Schmersahl, R...332-1669
Anth, John.....379-2384 Hakenewerth, T.272-4818
Reitz, Richard...978-8350 Winkelmann, R..978-1250
Lepping, Bob....240-4604 Buehler, L.....240-5819
Perhacs, S...314-323-4416 Miklas, Jon.....856-0414
Irlmeier, Jeff....240-3737 Randell, D..314-291-1806
Albers, Steve....978-8864 Stegen, Steve.....272-0251
Lipinski, B.....978-4150 Colbert, G.....240-1968
Bartlow, Brent..294-2069 Ballmann, Jerry..978-2726
Reesor, Michael.240-1431 Eickoff, D..314-496-2133

Team # 2 Nick Bizelli 661-5530 12/6

Doering, F III..314-474-9958 Sallee, Mark.....661-1533
Martin, Mark....281-3547 Molitor, Hubie..978-2207
Mueller, Bryan..397-5330 Blais, Richard...240-2140
Siebert, James...978-6589 Yeamans, Ron..272-3367
McAndrews, S...379-2699 Goodwin, Ron..272-8047
Weingart, R.....379-1317 Bajardi, Tom.....294-2891
Barklage, Todd..978-3383
Prinster, John...240-0240 Prinster, Jack...240-0240
Schneider, Bill...281-1310 Buerck, J.....379-0597
Probst, Mike.....272-1000 Philip, Meyers..294-3997
Gibbs, Sean.....272-2580 Mesecher, Dan.978-2654
Bizelli, Craig....240-2598 Eisenbath, B...240-1763
Zlotoposki, Joe..978-0257 Smith, Fred.....240-8819
Owens, Tom.....978-2981 Prinster, Craig..665-5522

ACTIVITIES

Home Association Meeting Dec. 5, 2013
Fish Fry Dec. 6, 2013
Charity Meeting Dec. 10, 2013
Regular Meeting Dec. 19, 2013
Adopt-a-Street cleanup Dec. 21, 2013

“Return Service Requested”

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HALL CLEANING

The hall cleaning work list for December is as follows:

D Moynihan 240-8918 capt

C Bess.....240-5716 L Rossi.....265--2272
T Dickherber...978-1386 R Dussold.....272-7417
R Fetsch.....978-1483 B Powers.....272-0822
D Johnson.....240-1045 J Jordan.....272-2006
D Louvall II.....936-8904 D Kopp.....281-0795
J Krietemeyer...397-4844 D Mesecher..978-2654
H Prinster.....272-4768 L Swagman...978-4604
R Veness.....661-5078 P Wilmes.....240-7117
R Wilmes.....272-5663 R Yeamans....272-3367
D Loeffler.....240-3125 J Bland.....240-3034

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences are extended to the families of Brother Knights Charles Bauer whose uncle died, Craig and Nick Bizelli whose mother died, George Haas who died and Ron and Michael Haas whose brother and uncle died, Bernard Orf whose aunt died, Larry Swagman whose aunt died and Gary Schwendemann whose uncle died.



A Blessed and Holy Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year to all of the members and their families.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember the following in your prayers: Brothers Juan Ante, Jim Beauvais, John Bland, James Borgmeyer, Al Buechler, David Burkemper, Curtis Burkemper, Rich Cierpiot, Eugene Cronk, Dennis Czajkowski, Irwin Dierkes, Rich Fetsch, Jim Herr, Jim Kwarta, Kenny Lang, Bob Lepping, Phil Meyers, Leroy Orbals, Keith Schulte, Norbert Stoverink, Ollie Tochtrop, John Vogel, Lawrence White, the wives of Brothers Mike Catalfano, Charlie Fierling, Phil Meyers, Charles Pabst, Stan Patton, Bill Schwendeman, Don Swoboda, Bob Valentine, the brother and son of Brother Vince Scully, the grandson of Brother William Grumich, the brother of Brother David White, the son of Brother Jerry Pieper, the sister of Brother Jerry Prinster, the mother-in-law of Brother Mike Saali, the wife and daughter-in-law of Brother John Vogel, the wife, brother and grandson of Brother Ron Yeamans and all who have cancer or who are ailing. Thanks for all the prayers for all who are on the above list.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother John C Prinster was not present at the last meeting and missed the \$150.00 attendance prize.

Brother Joe Wolf won the \$18.00 50/50.

DISTRICT DEPUTY

Easy to ask and I know it's not always easy to do, but I would like to see a first degree each month. So, I'm putting this challenge out to each Council in our District, to see just how many first degrees each Council can do until the end of this Fiscal year. Are you up to it? Thank You for all the hard work that the members of Council 2269 and Ladies of the Auxiliary 2269 have done and asking God's Blessing for a wonderful Thanksgiving and the most Blessed of Christmas.

May God Bless - Ron DD

FOURTH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

Fourth Degree exemplification will be held on March 1, 2014 at Renaissance Hotel at Airport. See Vince Scully for details. If interested, there will be an information night on Wednesday January 15, 2014 at 7:00pm

FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP

Possibly last weekend of January.