



## Knights of Columbus

St. Joseph Council No. 8417 P.O. Box 242 Waxahachie, TX 75165

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## **UPDATE**

Brother Knights,

Our regular meeting was held on Oct. 10, 2013 at 7:30pm.

As a reminder, we have a new member recruitment activity this coming weekend. We are still 10 members short of our assigned recruitment level this year for our Council.

Thanks to all our Knights who participated with all three venues on the weekend of September 28, Ocktoberfest, Fourth degree exemplification and Walk for Life. All three were successes. It was reported that Oktoberfest netted over \$100,000.

We now have seven new fourth degree knights, SK Mike Becker, SK Dick Goth, SK Joe Kuharchzyk, SK Ed Maher, SK Don Schmitt, SK Mark Whitley, our field agent SK Bob Hololick and one Sk from Ennis. In honor of our new Fourth Degree Knights, a dinner was held at our

own hall as suggested by Joe Kuharchzyk enjoying Ocktoberfest brisket and sausage and condiments obtained and setup by SK Stan Holcomb. Cake was also provided by Joe Kuharchzyk.

Hugh Reynolds reported successes for the Walk For Life at Getzendaner Park, including a six Knights in full regalia and with one providing bagpipe music and The Life Link, volunteers that lined Hwy 77 from the intersection near HWY 287 and HWY 77 towards downtown, Waxahachie.

We have a scheduled Casino night at Holy Spirit Catholic Church at Holly Lake Ranch in Hawkins, Texas, on October 19. It is about 3.5-4hr drive. We will meet in the Waxahachie Walmart parking lot and leave around 2 pm. We still need 3 volunteers for that night. John has two more scheduled in November. One is scheduled on Nov 2 at St Anne's Parish in Kaufman, Texas and another on Nov 23 at St. Pius X in Dallas. Please sign-up for these events or call John Casarez @ 469-442-8818. Remember this is our only source of income for our Council. John also reported that we lost one Casino Night in Midlothian for Vintage Bank. John reminded Vintage Bank that we are participants.

A fruit basket was presented to a well deserved Sir Knight, Stan Holcomb, for all the work that he has done behind the scenes to make our events successful.

Our financial status reported by Thomas Buford is as follows:

Previous balance	\$3020.26
K Columbian account	\$3962.65
KC Capital Account	\$7602.00

Grand Total-----\$14584.91

Sincerely

Tal Tallett