



# Knights of Columbus



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## GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

Deputy Grand Knight Pat Moriarty led the meeting. Planted the seed about what will the council's role in the Special Olympics for 2017-2018, contributing help for those adults and children that are intellectually challenged

## DEACON REPORT

Deacon Bryant gave a recap of his pilgrimage to The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Fatima, Portugal. He pointed out "that the Fatima message is still important today, a message about prayer, conversion and peace that Our Lady imparted to the three Sheppard children one hundred years ago"

## FINANCIALS

Treasures Report:-Stan Holcomb	
Knight of Columbus	\$3,944.61
Knights Columbian Club	\$5,049.52
Columbus Capital	<u>\$11,946.00</u>
Grand Total	<b>\$20,940.13</b>

## **1<sup>st</sup> Responders Dinner and 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Fundraisers Dates**

**November 9<sup>th</sup>-- 6 PM**

*Trim Brisket*

**November 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> -- 6PM to Midnight**

*Prepare for Cooking*

**November 11<sup>th</sup> -- 5PM**

*Mass-Brisket Sale*

**November 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00 & 10:00 AM**

*Masses-Brisket Sale*

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY OCTOBER BROTHERS

Kevin Armstrong - 10	Bryan Banks - 12
Craig Barrington - 07	Bob Betik - 07
Berek Biddle - 20	Michael Denoy - 13
Phillip Duskocil - 06	Damian Garcia - 19
James Hay - 16	Donald Jansky - 12
Harry Jerpi - 23	Mark Loisel - 16
Louis Ponder - 03	Joseph Slovacek - 03
Anthony Trojan - 14	William Vennell - 10
Daniel Conversion - 11	

## Committee Reports

### 4<sup>th</sup> Degree

Exemplification scheduled for March and 2018  
See Ron Naizer for additional information

### Admission

After additions and deletions membership is in the black-lets invite a parishioner after mass to join

### Building

See Attached Notes from Hall Expansion Meeting on Oct 12th

### BUSINESS

Hall Rental for family events-must be active member-\$100 per day/night and a \$500 refundable rental deposit

### **\*\*\*\*\*Church and Family\*\*\*\*\***

K of C Christmas Party- Sunday December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4pm  
\*\*\*\*\* at K of C Hall \*\*\*\*\*

### Pro Life

Did you know that 90% of expecting mothers choose to keep their babies after seeing their baby through the sonogram. Our charitable fundraising helps make that possible. \$5000 + was raised in 2017.

ORIGINAL EXCERPTS FROM THE OCT 12<sup>TH</sup> MEETING  
PERTAINING THE K OF C HALL

Building Art briefed the Council on building repair and maintenance. A ~~New Business~~ motion was introduced to close the general mtg. and open the Columbian Club for business. - motion was seconded and approved.

The Grand Knight introduced Bob Betig Columbian Club President.

Bob proceeded to inform the Council that the City Health Department has issued a requirement that we have a building to house our BBQ pits so that we can continue to cook for our charity events. The building is also a requirement so that we can keep our kitchen permitted by the City as an approved kitchen. The Knight's Columbian Club Board presented their recommendations to determine the feasibility of this building project.

Three options were identified:

- ① No cooking - outside of hall.
- ② Build a smoker type building compliant with City Ordinances.
- ③ Find another site for cooking BBQ.

Bob introduced Art Wernersbach, Kofc Project

Coordinator - who indicated that a 28'x30' small <sup>Smoker type</sup> building with no plumbing adjacent to our current building is the recommendation of the Knight's Columbian Club Board of Directors.



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The cost of new building will be approximately \$75,000 :- to be financed over a 10 year period of time at 5% <sup>or \$795.00 per month.</sup> If we continue with this project the next step we be to go before the Planning and Zoning Dept. and then the City Council. -

Bob and Art then opened up the floor for questions.

"No plumbing"

1<sup>st</sup> Question - "If the KofC Columbian Club is interpreted as a food service/preparation provider (restaurant) we will have to be approved by US Department of Agriculture with plumbing for pre-pot cleanup?"

(water)  
Columbian Club meeting was concluded with necessary followup on <sup>USDA</sup> compliances (TBD) motion to open KofC was seconded and approved.

