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Monthly meetings held 1st Tuesday of the month @ 7PM.
Rosary precedes meeting @ 6:45PM in the Gehl Center.

Awarded Star Council: 92-93, 94-95, 96-97

Awarded WI Complete Council 96-97, 97-98

Awarded Fr. McGivney Award 18-19

Achieved Columbian Award

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Father Bob's Corner

The other day I saw a headline for an article. It made me think of how secular our world has become. The article asked whether we need a definition of virginity, one that would take into consideration early sexual encounters. How many people think this way...I don't know. But perhaps you have seen similar articles on various subjects. What is being said and sought is man made laws that would replace God given laws. God's laws for his creation do not change. The fact that so many people ignore God's teachings does not change them. If everyone would disregard God' laws, that would not make God's laws obsolete. Because we choose a different man made criteria for living, that in no way changes what God expects of us. To say that I don't believe in these ideas, but if others do that's O K, it's their choice. No it isn't OK! There is right and wrong. We don't approve of wrong thinking and acting in anyone. We can show respect for every human being without promoting thoughts and actions that are contrary to God's unchangeable laws.

Love & Prayers, Fr. Bob

Grand Knight's Message

Fall is definitely in the air! The squirrels in my backyard are staying quite busy gathering up nuts and burying them not only in our lawn, but in our flower pots & flowerbeds as well. We've also had to move up our late afternoon/evening walks to get them in before dark. October is also Respect Life Month. I spent an hour last Saturday morning walking the Oneida Street sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood in Ashwaubenon. In the hour we walked, we got a dozen horn honks with thumbs up, but were also viciously cursed at twice. There are a number of pro-life activities in our community, not only in Oct., but throughout the rest of the year. Get involved where your schedule permits! Let us all keep praying for an end to the scourge of abortion, which has claimed millions and millions of innocent lives throughout the years. Mr. Tre Waldren will be joining us at our October meeting for a brief presentation on St. Lawrence Seminary. He is also our State Youth Membership Coordinator, as well as a Worthy District Deputy and a prior Grand Knight of Council 16729 based in St. Nazianz. The October meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 5th. Officer meeting at 6PM, Rosary at 6:45PM, Regular meeting at 7PM. Please join us.

Fraternally, Kenneth Reigh, GK

Wisdom

On Judgment Day, God won't ask what kind of car you drove. He will ask how many people you drove who didn't have transportation.

Humor

An article in a Philippine newspaper read: Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery; Hundreds Dead.

Happy Birthday

10/1 Roger Longsine

10/4 Larry Loberger

10/8 Erv Psenicka

10/9 Mark Lovat

10/11 Mick Gleason

10/23 Charles Linssen

10/27 Dan Kerrigan

Council Activities in progress

Officer Meeting

There will be an officer meeting held on 10/5/21 ahead of the regular meeting, starting at 6PM. Rosary at 6:45PM, regular meeting at 7PM.

Coats for Kids

Council 4505 will be collecting coats during the month October to be donated to the Green Bay Police Dept.

Food for Families

Letters will be sent to the membership asking for monetary donations which will help local pantries with resources to help families locally.

Pro-Life Essay

The Pro-Life Essay Contest will be held the months of October and November. Local youth will give their views by completing an essay on the subject of Pro-Life

Rosary Program

The Council will decide what the Rosary Program will look like at the October meeting.

Pro-Life Notes

For all the joy associated with Texas passing the “Heartbeat Law”, that joy was overshadowed by the headlines from Friday, “U. S. House Votes in Favor of Abortion up to Birth for any Reason.” And like every other lame piece of legislation, Congress had to massage it with a dubious title: the “Women’s Health Protection Act.” The essence of the bill guarantees a woman the right to an abortion through all nine months of pregnancy for any reason. And that’s just the start. If this bill becomes law, it would prevent:

- 1) states from passing Legislation to protect preborn children.*
- 2) make the right to an abortion a law rather than a Supreme Court Ruling*
- 3) ban restricting abortion after viability*
- 4) wipe out all existing state laws restricting abortion including the Texas Heartbeat Law.*
- 5) end conscience protections for medical professionals, forcing them to participate in abortions or risk losing their jobs.*

The Bill passed 218-211. Only one Democrat, Henry Cuellar of Texas voted against the Bill. Our Catholic President has endorsed the Bill, so our only line of defense is the Senate. Pray that the Senate returns some sanity to this issue with a vote against this Satanic legislation.

50-50 Drawing: *Congrats to Roger Longsine!*

Attendance drawing: *Dave Tlachac’s name was drawn for the \$25 prize. Dave was present.*

Financial Secretary’s Report

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General Fund Acct _____
Charity Acct Chkg _____
Total _____

Bills to pay: _____

Did You Know?

In the last year, the Knights of Columbus provided nearly \$1 million dollars in scholarships to students attending colleges, universities, and seminaries. Scholarships are available to U.S. and Canadian undergraduates, and to the Catholic University of America. Also available are the Bishop Greco Graduate Fellowship, Matthews and Swift Educational Trust Scholarship, and scholarships for seminarians studying at major seminaries. For more information go to www.KofC.org.

Insurance Corner

*The Knights of Columbus recently introduced their version of a Universal Life product. Unlike the old versions of U.L., K of C U. L. includes a lapse protection rider which is automatically attached at issue and can insure lifetime death protection as long as the rider is active. A typical use for this policy would be for someone near or above retirement age who needs affordable lifetime protection without the need for cash value accumulation. The plan allows for flexibility in payment of premiums, starting and stopping of premiums, or increasing or decreasing premiums. Issue ages for the U.L. are between 50 and 80. Call **Jim Patz 920-264-8745** for more information.*

Knights Calendar

*10/5 6PM Officer Meeting 6:45PM Rosary 7PM Regular Meeting
10/11 Columbus Day
10/31 Halloween
10/1-31 Coats for Kids
10/1-31 Food for Families
10/1-11/30 Culture of Life (Pro-Life Essay)
? Rosary Program*



Knight of the Month

Grand Knight Ken Reigh is shown awarding Financial Secretary Bill Noel the Knight of the Month award for the month of September. Congrats Bill. Your hard work makes our Council run smoothly.

COUNCIL 4505 MSGR. BASCHE

MEETING 9/7/21

Regular meeting called to order by the GK Ken Reigh at 7 P.M., Rosary preceded meeting at 6:45

ROLL CALL: Chaplain Grand Knight x Dep. Grand Knight x Chancellor Trustee 3rd yr x Trustee 2nd yr
x Trustee 1st year Lecturer (open) Financial Secretary x
Warden Recorder x Advocate Treasurer x Inside Guard x Outside Guard x

MINUTES OF THE PRECEDING MEETING WERE READ: Motion: Bill Bishop Second: Roger Longsine, Motion Carried

CHAPLAIN'S SUMMATION: Father Bob absent and excused, Father Bob is experiencing health issues and needs to be remembered in our prayers. His summation for the month was in the newsletter.

GK REPORT: Troy Waldron from St. Lawrence Seminary will be here for the next meeting.

ADMISSIONS:

COMMUNICATIONS: Thank you note from Ashley Gerber, Preble HS recipient of our Scholarship. Thank you notes for donations also sent by Father Emil Cook and the Golden House.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT: General Checking: \$1894.19 Charity Checking: \$204.13 Deposits to make: Dues, \$63.65; Culture of Life/Life Savers for Life \$657.00; Brat Barn fund raiser \$693.96; Plant sale \$750.00

Motion to approve: Dan Bins 2nd: Bill Bishop Motion Carried

SERVICE REPORTS:

OLD BUSINESS: It was noted that of the \$894 raised at the Brat Barn an anonymous donor made a gift of \$100.

NEW BUSINESS: Dave Tiachac said there were two more available dates for Brat Barn opportunities in September, after discussion of staffing them, decision was made to wait until next year as they were both Fridays. GK Ken Reigh made a proposal to donate another \$200 to the SP&P council for thier Ultrasound machine fund, \$200 to Veritas/Right to Life Fund. Motion to approve Bill Noel, second, Connor Schlaack, approved. Coats for Kids initiative, Bill Bishop offered to chair again this year and Ken Reigh will assist. Metal Art fundraiser. Dave Tiachac was instrumental in locating a venue, Lautenbach's Orchard and Gift store in Door County. Apparently they have sold well and we need to make more. Bill Bishop volunteered to chair the Food for Families campaign. Representatives of our respective parishes for the Round Table were discussed, Dan Bins agreed to stay on at St. Mary of the Angels. Dave Tiachac agreed to chair the Pro-Life Essay, St. John Paul 2 Academy, St. Thomas More School and Religious Ed at SFX Cathedral will be invited to participate. Bill Noel suggested bringing back the tri-fold informational brochure for our council to be placed in close proximity to our awards case at the Cathedral.

KNIGHT of the Month: Bill Noel

DISTRICT DEPUTY: Matt Diedrich said he would be attending a DD meeting Sat. Sept. 11th.

UNDER THE GOOD OF THE ORDER: Father Bob Rhyner, Andre Jacques

50/50 DRAWING: Roger Longsine **MEMBERSHIP DRAWING:** Dave Tiachac

CLOSING PRAYER: recited by entire council

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Connor Schlaack Second, Roger Longsine, motion carried, meeting ended 8:30 .

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday Oct 5 ; Rosary at 6:45, General Mtg at 7

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