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1 <sup>st</sup>	FIELDING LEWIS Deceased	775 – McAlester When the State Council was organiz	1905 – 1907 red
2 <sup>nd</sup>	MONT E. HIGHLEY Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1907 – 1908
3 <sup>rd</sup>	J. A. STIMMEL Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1908 – 1910
4 <sup>th</sup>	JAMES A. MCGRAW Deceased	949 – Ponca City	1910 – 1912
5 <sup>th</sup>	PATRICK M. MALLOY Deceased	1104 – Tulsa	1912 – 1914
6 <sup>th</sup>	J. H. McMORROW Deceased	1302 – Bartlesville	1914 – 1916
$7^{th}$	E. F. DELANEY Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1916 – 1918
8 <sup>th</sup>	TOM L. WADE Deceased	965 – Chickasha	1918 – 1919
9 <sup>th</sup>	F. J. CAREY Deceased	962 – Muskogee – Trans 1038	1919 – 1920
10 <sup>th</sup>	CHARLES DIERKER Deceased	1018 – Shawnee – Trans 1038	1920 – 1922
11 <sup>th</sup>	RAY W. SIEGFIRED Deceased	1104 – Tulsa	1922 – 1924
12 <sup>th</sup>	CHARLES W. DALEY Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1924 – 1926
13 <sup>th</sup>	T. AUSTIN GAVIN Deceased	1104 – Tulsa	1926 – 1928

14 <sup>th</sup>	NAME FRANK P. MENTEN, JR. Deceased	COUNCIL/LOCATION 1038 – Oklahoma City	<b>TERM</b> 1928 – 1930
15 <sup>th</sup>	WILLIAM P. SULLIVAN Deceased	965 Chickasha	1930 – 1932
16 <sup>th</sup>	G. C. LAFLIN Deceased	965 – Chickasha	1932 – 1934
17 <sup>th</sup>	JOHN FRANK MARTIN Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1934 – 1938
18 <sup>th</sup>	M. P. THIESEN Deceased	962 – Muskogee	1938 – 1940
19 <sup>th</sup>	JOHN E. LAYDEN Deceased	775 – McAlester	1940 – 1945
20 <sup>th</sup>	JOHN M. COMPTON Deceased	767 – El Reno	1945 – 1948
21 <sup>st</sup>	PATRICK J. HORAN Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1948 – 1950
22 <sup>nd</sup>	CHARLES E. WADE Deceased	1287 – Lawton	1950 – 1953
23 <sup>rd</sup>	MARION J. BLAKE Deceased	1104 – Tulsa	1953 – 1955
24 <sup>th</sup>	ROBERT E. KATIGAN Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1955 – 1957
25 <sup>th</sup>	HAROLD J. DONOLINGER Deceased	R 3309 – Guymon	1957 – 1959
26 <sup>th</sup>	CLIFFORD A. SOUSA Deceased	1302 – Bartlesville	1959 – 1961

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27 <sup>th</sup>	ROY H. SEMTNER Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1961 – 1963
28 <sup>th</sup>	MALLECK G. COURY Deceased	1104 – Tulsa	1963 – 1965
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30 <sup>th</sup>	JAMES CAREL Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1967 – 1969
31 <sup>st</sup>	RAYMOND GREFF Deceased	949- Ponca City	1969 – 1971
32 <sup>nd</sup>	BERNARD E. FONZA Deceased	5759 – Oklahoma City	1971 – 1973
33 <sup>rd</sup>	HAROLD V. WELLING Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1973 – 1975
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38 <sup>th</sup>	MAX B. SCHMITZ Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1983 – 1985

	NAME	<b>COUNCIL/LOCATION</b>	<b>TERM</b>
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42 <sup>nd</sup>	GEORGE D. DENELSBECT Deceased	K 4601 – Oklahoma City	1991 – 1993
43 <sup>rd</sup>	H. MICHAEL SULLIVAN Deceased	1302 – Bartlesville	1993 – 1995
44 <sup>th</sup>	HENRY J. ROEWE Deceased	1038 – Oklahoma City	1995 – 1997
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46 <sup>th</sup>	J. LEROY WIESMANN Deceased	4721 – Tulsa	1999 – 2001
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1938	REV. JOHN T. BALL	Deceased
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1946 – 1947	RT. REV. MSGR. JOHN MASON CONNER	Deceased
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1952 – 1955	REV. BERNARD J. LOFTUS	Deceased
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8 <sup>th</sup>	MIKE J. LOWERY	1104	TULSA
9 <sup>th</sup>	JOHN L. DUNN	1104	TULSA
10 <sup>th</sup>	MALLECK G. COURY (d)	1104	TULSA
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12 <sup>th</sup>	L. J. BOECKMAN (d)	1533	OKEENE
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14 <sup>th</sup>	MAX B. SCHMITZ (d)	1038	OKLAHOMA CITY
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16 <sup>th</sup>	GEORGE DENELSBECK	4601	OKLAHOMA CITY
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18 <sup>th</sup>	RICHARD J. SCHULTE	4601	EDMOND
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0853	OKEENE	DONALD WEBER
0854	ENID	MAXWELL MEIER
0855	BARTLESVILLE	RAYMOND SCHREMMER
0856	ALTUS	BODIE L, BAKER
1808	CHICKASHA	RICHARD MULLER
1864	SHAWNEE	MICHAEL PIGGOTT
1950	STILLWATER	ROBERT THIEMER
2004	EDMOND	GREG GREENLEE
2044	YUKON	ZACHERY KASTL
2233	NORMAN	ALEXANDER SCHMITT
2508	MIDWEST CITY	FRANK BARTA
2560	OKLAHOMA CITY	THOMAS GREENLEE
2572	WOODWARD	
2582	COLLINSVILLE	ROBERT BENFORD

# FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLIES

<b>ASSEMBLY</b>	<u>CITY</u>	FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR
2613	BROKEN ARROW	JOHN ROST
2625	NICOMA PARK	RYAN KING
2737	ELK CITY	ROBERT J. MILLER
2845	ADA	
2854	OKARCHE	GERALD KNECHT
2855	OKLAHOMA CITY	ROBERT MAUPIN
3070	MOORE	DUTCH SCHULTZ
3135	TULSA	RANDELL YOUNG
3150	LAWTON	
3263	MUSKOGEE	
3475	MIAMI/GROVE	FRANK FOUST
3749	TULSA	RUSSELL PASCARELLA

# **OKLAHOMA COUNCILS**

COUNCIL	<u>CITY</u>	GRAND KNIGHT	FINANCIAL SECRETARY
767	El Reno	John Michalicka	Kole Kennedy
775	McAlester	Albert T. Ross	Phillip Stizza
916	Guthrie	Zachary Warner	Michael Mohan
949	Ponca City	Bill Clark	JohnHercyk
962	Muskogee	Phillip R. Wynn	Jarrod Grigsby
965	Chickasha	Kevan Riley	Joe Gelnar
1018	Shawnee	Alfred R. Miller	John Trosper
1038	Oklahoma City	Lou Falsetti	Gary Bova
1044	Enid	Adam Treeman	Leroy D. Patocka
1053	Perry	Melvin Wolfe	Leon P. Chrz
1104	Tulsa	Mark Boyer	Ronald J. Goodeyon
1287	Lawton	Alan J Glanzer	Michael Glowaksi
1302	Bartlesville	Tim Bart	Robert Fries
1533	Okeene	Duane F. Boeckman	Donald Boeckman
1537	Alva	Glen Gagon	Thomas J. Devery
1677	Okmulgee	Brad G. Moen	Don Williams
1903	Cushing		
2604	Anadarko	Glenn Britten	Allen Derichsweller
2974	Woodward	Michael Kitchens	Wayne Stufflebean
3101	Clinton		James Aneshansley
3113	Kingfisher	Tony Rodrigues	Kevin D. Finley
3167	Miami	James Stovall	Brett Hayes
3220	Okarche	Kelly Rother	Dave Krittenbrink
3309	Guymon	Ted L. Fields	Lawrence Lindley
3336	Blackwell	Michael Thomas	Trevor L. Vowell
4026	Midwest City	Michael R. Hopper	Steven C. Reynolds
4042	Newkirk		William J. Horinek
4519	Tulsa	Ron Thierry	Paul R. McCurtain
4598	Harrah	Philip Stramski	Glenn A. Nead
4601	Oklahoma City	Henry Kubier	Richard Robinson
4721	Tulsa	Chris Krommenhoek	Rafael Viso
4804	Sand Springs	Frank Pacenza	Noel Hollingshead,Jr
4889	Altus	Nicholas Roman	Brian Schettler
5160	Ada	Daniel E. Zimmerman	Nicholas Cheper
5168	Duncan	James Anderson	Danny Williams
5266	Stillwater	Chris Stoner	Maurey Campbell
5354	Shawnee	James Hytrek	Marvin D. Bennett
5396	Jones	John Thomas	Chris Bolding
5440	Elk City	Eric Yow	Dennis W. McRee
5759	Oklahoma City	Charles Neidel	

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COUNCIL SECRETARY	CITY	GRAND KNIGHT	<u>FINANCIAL</u>
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6477	Edmond	Michael Riat	George Bukowinski
6478	Yukon	Richard Cacini	Gary L. Goldsboro
6606	Broken Arrow	John Crowley	John Rost
6935	Poteau	Layton LeBlanc	Ronald Chraszcz
7392	Bixby	Curtis P. Simms	Frank Agostini
7395	Claremore	David Surritte	Jeff P. Kessler
8204	Oklahoma City	Patrick L. Determan	James Murphy
8433	Tahlequah	Lee R. Cornelius	Rolland Turcotte
8523	Norman	Christopher Dalton	E. Glenn Dobry
8633	Mustang	Anthony Lee	Mark T. Dunning
9333	Sapulpa	Robert S. Mulvihill	Gary Mohs
9668	Tulsa	James Crow	Joseph A. Martin
9737	Sallisaw	Christopher Braund	David C. Bradford
9901	Moore	Rick Atkins	Martin D. Fitzgerald
10388	Tulsa	Sgt. William Ryan	Phil Hengens
10822	Oklahoma City	Jerry Williams	Randolph Miller
11135	Stillwater	Christopher Jurgensmeyer	Kevin Larios
11194	Tulsa	Daniel Holmes	Phillip Dale
11237	Edmond	Jim Jeffcoat	Steve Di Russo
11648	Purcell	Carlos M. Suarez	Todd Clouse
11734	Collinsville	Patrick Murphy	Mike Kriege
11909	Lawton	Francisco Cachero	Donald Aquilar
11959	Tulsa	Bob Riley	Martin Waelder
12108	Norman	Dr. Ron Larchick	JJ McCarthy
12605	Oklahoma City		
12669	Oklahoma City	William Ross	James M. Nicholson
12819	Norman	Robert Morton	Joaquin Patlan
13313	Tulsa	Kenneth Dorsch	Timothy D. Lutz
13366	Oklahoma City	John Poretto	Frank Kellert
13828	Tulsa	Raul Chairez	Jorge Oseguere
14106	Bristow	Calvin O'Dell	David Valenzuela
14220	Tulsa	Salvador Saldiver	Jose Ibarra
14248	Owasso	Matthew Dedonder	Ken Casey
14448	Grove	Paul Beyer	Kyle Schauf
14744	Weatherford		Dr. Michael Dougherty
15785	Pryor		Leonard D. Wagner
15834	Tulsa	Michael E. Short	David Danzi
16048	Prague	Glenn Hecker III	Ron Crews
16214	Del City	Bernard Contreras, Sr	James Grace
16367	OU Norman	Tyler Darr	Jason Furtado

Council	Location	Name	Membership No
767	ElReno	John Michalicka	2445980
767	ElReno	Lawrence Lagaly	256546
949	Ponca City	Ross Neely	4345252
949	Ponca City	Bill Bridges	2261744
962	Muskogee	Jarrod Grigsby	4381020
962	Muskogee	Pillip Wynn	4074394
965	Chickasaw	Ramon Armondo Alvarado	4345713
1018	Shawnee	Vincent Nowaczewski	4938045
1018	Shawnee	Victor Tolman	2762647
1038	Oklahoma City	Louis Falsetti	3731618
1038	Oklahoma City	Peter Pembroke	4041151
1044	Enid	Steve King	4769941
1044	Enid	Joe Maly	2068737
1053	Perry	Melvin Wolfe	3197295
1287	Lawton	Raymond Goins	4656924
1287	Lawton	Juan C. Gonzales-Pinto	4617326
1302	Bartlesville	Tim Bart	4787119
1302	Bartlesville	Francis Elmenhorst	1730754
1533	Okeene	Duane Boeckman	1326789
1533	Okeene	Raymond Nault	3394092
1677	Okmulgee	Bradley Moen	3300373
2974	Woodward	Michael Kitchens	3585631
2974	Woodward	Jim Judge	925041
3113	Kingfisher	Tony Rodriguez	4386924
3113	Kingfisher	Chris Evans	4187970
3167	Miami	James Stovall	4395966
3167	Miami	Juan Padron	4977012
3220	Okarche	Kelly Rother	3455098
3220	Okarche	Jeremy Schwarz	4173213

4026	Midwest City	Michael Hopper	4723896
4026	Midwest City	Will Ross	4786764
4519	Tulsa	Donald Williams	3271486
4598	Harrah	Don Carpenter	2932273
4598	Harrah	James Spaeth	3980465
4601	Oklahoma City	Louis Lyon	4266960
4601	Oklahoma City	Jacob Petre	4047996
4721	Tulsa	Mark Clearley	4565715
4721	Tulsa	Chris King	2356423
4804	Sand Springs	Frank Pacenza	4458601
5160	Ada	Dan Zimmerman	2296255
5160	Ada	Paul Martin	3113574
5168	Duncan	Mike Heim	1034031
5168	Duncan	William Harron	4025969
5266	Stillwater	Walter Howell	4888889
5266	Stillwater	Chris Knight	4664337
5396	Jones	John Thomas	948473
5396	Jones	Chris Bolding	3902546
5440	Elk City	Eric J. Yow	3835384
5440	Elk City	Adam A. Yow	4225979
5759	Oklahoma City	Mike Zink	2597227
5759	Oklahoma City	Robert DeClark	3489242
6477	Edmond	Luis J. Blanco	4594233
6477	Edmond	Michael Riat	3932670
6478	Yukon	Eddie McFadden	2515236
6478	Yukon	Chris Kastl	2688976
6606	Broken Arrow	Danny O' Connor	3048068
6606	Broken Arrow	Elliott Walz	4534597
7395	Claremore	Carl Duffield	3523076
7395	Claremore	Jeff Kessler	3912486
8204	Oklahoma City	Sean Corbett	4879300

8204	Oklahoma City	James Murphy	1781230
8523	Norman	Robert Luebano	4860366
8523	Norman	Christopher Dalton	4113987
8633	Mustang	Anthony Lee	4708204
8633	Mustang	Sam Moss	3380324
9333	Sapulpa	Robert Mulvihill	4609884
9333	Sapulpa	Harold Rumsey	4893611
9901	Moore	Richard Atkins	2466446
9901	Moore	David Schultz	1844713
10822	Oklahoma City	Jerry Williams	3893233
10822	Oklahoma City	Thomas Greenlee	2769634
11135	Stillwater	Blane Singletary	4969662
		Christopher	
11135	Stillwater	Jursensmeyers	5011448
11237	Edmond	James Jeffcoat	4362003
11237	Edmond	Greg D Greenlee	3726203
11648	Purcell	Carlos Suarez	3540450
11909	Lawton	Francisce Cachero	1424856
11909	Lawton	Jose Feliciand	2783085
12108	Norman	Ronald Larchick	468481
12108	Norman	Victor Munding	2953949
12819	Norman	Robert Morton	3767871
12819	Norman	Stephen Richichi	3148210
13313	Tulsa	Toan Nguyen	4683230
13313	Tulsa	Michael Fusco	46864563
13366	Oklahoma City	John Leon	3996815
13366	Oklahoma City	C. Weilbrennes	4945327
14248	Owasso	Matt Dedonder	4674016
14248	Owasso	Mark West	2791213
14448	Grove	Kyle Schauf	3745519
14448	Grove	Paul Beyer	4673107

15834	Tulsa	Thomas Metzler	2174560
15834	Tulsa	Michael Short	4689718
16048	Prague	Trey Hecker	3849504
16048	Prague	Ronald Crews	4387531
16214	Del City	Bernardo Contreras	4415010
16214	Del City	James Grace	4065664
16367	Norman	Thomas Cain	4725887
16367	Norman	Tyler Darr	4825250

#### Deceased Members Fraternal Year 2019-2020 Oklahoma State Council

Council	Members Name	Highest Office Held		
775	Bruce Tuthill			
775	David Prescott	1		
775	William Derichsweiler	1		
949	David Marino	1		
949	Marcus Roggenbuck	1		
949	James J Brown			
949	Basil Taylor			
949	John Neylon			
1044	Wilber Schneider			
1044	John Suttmiller			
1044	Fredrick Howard			
1044	Carl Bradley			
1044	Fred Tipton	1		
1302	Richard Luttrell			
1302	Fr Fetus Maliwa			
1302	Donald Ryan			
1302	, William Tinker			
1302	Harold Thill			
4026	Charles Gambitta			
4026	Paul Silloway			
4026	Art Hechmer			
4598	Charlie Werchan			
4889	James Privett			
5440	Leo "Frankie" Hohnke			
8204	Gregory Ahrens			
8204	Frank Hughes			
11959	Michael Tinker			

# Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

#### 114th Annual State Convention April 26, 27 & 28, 2019 Host Council 6477, Edmond

#### Friday April 26, 2019 3:00 PM to Delegate Registration ----- Pre-Function Area 7:00 PM State Officers Meeting -----3:00 PM to 3:30 PM Ballroom 3C Mass Celebrated by Rev. M. Price Oswalt -----4:00 PM Meeting Room 3A 5:30 PM to Agency Hospitality Room -----7:25 PM Meeting Room 1 5:30 PM to Past State Deputies' Reception (By Invitation Only) -----Ballroom 3C 6:15 PM Past State Deputies' Dinner (By Invitation Only) ----- Meeting Room 3B 6:15 PM to 7:30 PM Host Council 6477 Gathering Event ----- Ballrooms 1 & 2 7:30 PM to 10:00 PM Agency Hospitality Room ----- Meeting Room 1 9:00 PM to 12:00 AM Saturday April 27, 2019 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM Delegate Registration -----**Pre-Function Area** 9:00 AM Call to Order -----Ballrooms 1 & 2 9:01 AM Open Meeting to All Opening Prayer, Posting of Colors, Pledge of Allegiance 9:05 AM Opening Ode 9:15 AM Supreme Knight's Address State Deputy's Report 9:35 AM 9:45 AM State Chaplain's Report 9:55 AM Address by the Supreme Representative Ronald Schwarz 10:15 AM General Agent's Report 10:25 AM Women's Dismissal - Event Bus Loads @ 10:30 AM----- Hotel Lobby **District Deputy Reports** 10:25 AM 11:00 AM Past State Deputies' Meeting (By Invitation Only) ----- Ballroom 3C General Program Director's Report 11:15 AM Faith Activities Report 11:20 AM 11:30 AM Family Activities Report **Community Activities Report** 11:40 AM 11:50 AM Life Activities Report 12:00 PM Recess - Lunch Break (No Host) 1:00 PM Reconvene ----- Ballrooms 1 & 2 Nomination Instructions - State Warden Miguel Grijalva **Nomination of State Officers** Nominations for Supreme Convention Delegates Presentation of 2021 State Convention Site Proposals 2:15 PM Center of Family Love Report Silver Rose Report 2:30 PM 2:40 PM Fourth Degree District Master's Report Membership Director's Report 2:50 PM

3:20 PM

3:30 PM

Announcements

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# Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

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#### Saturday April 27, 2019

12:00 AM

**Hospitality Suites Close** 

Memorial Ma	St. John the Baptist Church 900 S. Littler Edmond, OK			
	5:15 PM 5:30 PM	Officers & Honor Guard Ready at the Church Convention Memorial Mass	Lumona, Ok	
Convention Banquet				
7:00 PM to	7:30 PM 7:15 PM	ReceptionBanquet Hall Doors Open	Pre-Function Area Ballrooms 1 & 2	
7:30 PM to	9:00 PM	Prayer Before Meal Introductions & Opening Remarks 365 Lifetime Membership Awards General Agent Kevin Pierce Remarks Introduction of Key Note Speaker Key Note Address - Supreme Treasurer Ronald Schwarz Introduction of Awards Program Knight of the Year Family of the Year Leroy Jech Civic Award Auction Benefiting Seminarian Fund Remarks Closing Prayer Delegate Caucus - If Required		
After	9:00 PM	Delegate Caucus - If Required		
Caucus, if or Required	9:00 PM	Hospitality Suites Open for Social Time	Ballroom 3C Meeting Room 1	

# Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

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Sunday	April	28.	2019
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	8:30 AM	Rosary Prayer Service - Rev. M. Price Oswalt	Ballrooms 3A & 3B
	9:00 AM	Prayer Before Meal	Ballrooms 1 & 2
		Convention Awards Breakfast	
		Center of Family Love Presentation	
		Special Olympics of Oklahoma Introductions	
		Special Olympics Global Messenger	
		Catholic Education Program Overview	
		Catholic Quiz Bowl Overview	
		Award Presentations -	
		Outstanding Youth of the Year	
		Faith Activity	
		Family Activity	
		Community Activity	
		Life Activity	
		Closing Remarks	
		Basket Drawings	
		Announcements	
	10:45 AM	End Convention Awards Breakfast	
	10:45 AM	Women's Event	Ballrooms 3A & 3B
		Award Winner Photos During Break	
Business Ses	sion		
	12:00 PM	KOC Wives' Business Meeting & Lunch	Ballroom 3C
	12:00 PM	Reconvene (Delegates & Members Only)	Ballrooms 1 & 2
		Reading of the 113th Convention Minutes	
	12:05 PM	Membership Status and Look Forward	
	12:30 PM	K of C Foundation Meeting - Director Elections	
	12:40 PM	Recess K of C Foundation Meeting	
	12:40 PM	State Officer Reports -	
		State Secretary's Report - Matt Maly	
		Credentials Committee Report	
		State Treasurer's Report - Dennis Kunnanz	
		Present 2019-2020 State Council Budget	

Audit I & Audit II Committee Reports

## Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

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## Sunday April 28, 2019

1:10 PM	State Advocate's Report - Chris Victor Laws & Resolutions Committee Report Good of the Order Report State Warden's Report - Miguel Grijalva State Trainer's Report - Dr Ronald Larchick Past State Deputy's Report - Bob Melko	Ballrooms 1 & 2
1:30 PM	Confirm Vote Count via Roll Call - Matt Maly, SS	
1:40 PM	Delegate Instructions - Miguel Grijalva, SW Unfinished Business	
1:45 PM	Statement of Delegate and Vote Count - Matt Maly, SS New Business Elections - State Officers Delegates to Supreme Convention Selection of 2021 State Convention Site Approval of State Council 2019-2020 Budget Acceptance of Committee Reports Other New Business - Resolutions Good of the Order Closing Remarks	
2:00 PM 3:30 PM	Women's EventClosing Prayer - Rev. M. Price Oswalt Adjourn	Ballrooms 3A & 3B

### **Other Room Assignments**

Adoration	Meeting Room 3A
Child CareFri	. & Sat. Meeting Room 3C, Sun. Meeting Room 1

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

1 COLUMBUS PLAZA NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT 06510-3326

March 1, 2019

John T. Pierce State Deputy Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

Worthy State Deputy and dear Brother Pierce:

In my own name, and on behalf of the Supreme Officers and Board of Directors, I offer greetings to you and all my brother Knights as the Oklahoma State Council gathers for its annual convention. Your meeting comes at a time of great opportunity for our Order as you honor the achievements of the past fraternal year and plan for still greater success in the year ahead.

As our Order celebrates its 137th anniversary, the need for the Knights of Columbus is greater than ever. You gather at an important time in the history of our Church to affirm the vision and mission of Venerable Father Michael McGivney — to strengthen the faith of Catholic men; to build up our families as domestic churches and safeguard them from financial hardship; to stand in solidarity with our priests and bishops; and to serve our brothers and sisters in need, whether you are giving food or warm coats to families in your community or supporting persecuted Christians in the Middle East.

Through our new Faith in Action program, we are encouraging Catholic men to engage in practical charitable activities based in prayer and masculine virtue. In this way, we continue to make membership growth a priority for every state council, since with every new brother Knight, our Order can offer even more charitable service to our communities and parishes. We have a moral obligation to invite every eligible Catholic man to become a Knight, and give him the opportunity to protect his family through our extraordinary insurance program.

Finally, I express my sincere gratitude to you, the state officers, district deputies, council officers, general and field agents, and each brother Knight who has contributed to our Order's mission in Oklahoma.

May Our Lady of Guadalupe watch over and guide your convention, and may Venerable Father Michael McGivney intercede for us all.

Fraternally,

Carl A. Anderson Supreme Knight KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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1 COLUMBUS PLAZA NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT 06510-3326

April 27, 2019

Worthy State Deputy Pierce,

On behalf of our Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson, the Supreme Officers and Supreme Board of Directors, I extend greetings to my brother Knights of Oklahoma on the occasion of your 114<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention being held in Edmond, OK.

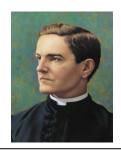
Each year the convention gives us the opportunity to celebrate the current year accomplishments, renew old friendships, to make new ones, and to highlight the good works of the Order. I hope that each of you attending will be inspired by an event, activity or speech and you take that inspiration back to your councils. Our parishes and communities are entrusting the Knights of Columbus Councils to provide programs that instill our principles.

It is an honor for me and my wife Janette to be invited to share this important event with my brother Knights and their families. May our beloved founder Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney continue to intercede on behalf of us all.

Fraternally,

Ronald F Schwarz

Supreme Treasurer



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



April 26, 2019

Worthy Brother Knights and Ladies,

On behalf of the State Officers it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 114<sup>th</sup> annual Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Convention in Edmond, Oklahoma.

Founded in 1882 by Father Michael J. McGivney, the Knights of Columbus has become the largest Catholic fraternal organization in the world. Guided by the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism our Order continues to expand its charitable outreach throughout the world.

Each year our state convention is the single largest gathering of Knights in Oklahoma. This is a time to celebrate our accomplishments of the past year; a time to renew old friendships and to make new ones.

The State Officers and Host Council 6477 have worked very hard over the past several months to make this a memorable event. It is my hope that all attendees will benefit from the fraternalism this event provides and that your participation this weekend will rejuvenate your enthusiasm for our great Order.

May Blessed Stanley Rother watch over and guide our convention and may our beloved founder, Venerable Michael J. McGivney continue to inspire us.

Fraternally,

John T Pierce State Deputy

cc: State Secretary



April 27, 2019

My Dear Brother Knights,

Greetings in the Risen Lord! It is a great joy to welcome you to the 114<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma State Convention of the Knights of Columbus in Edmond, Oklahoma.

We are living in a time of increasing threat to the sanctity of life, especially the lives of the unborn. The Knights of Columbus have always remained firm and steadfast in their support of the dignity of human life. I am grateful for all the ways the Knights of Columbus have continued to defend the defenseless. Please continue to do so, and especially to work toward and pray for an end to the scourge of abortion in our community and indeed our world.

I am grateful for your leadership and support, and confident that I can continue to rely on the Knights to be leaders in our mission of mercy.

I look forward to greeting many of you and celebrating with you the good work of the various councils and members of our state, but even more importantly, the opportunity to celebrate together our Catholic faith.

Be assured of my continuing prayers for you and your families. Vivat Jesus!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Paul S. Coakley Archbishop of Oklahoma City



April 26, 2019 Easter Friday

Dear Brothers in Christ,

Welcome to this annual Knights of Columbus State Convention. As we gather during this Easter season, may the Risen Lord give you and your families a joy that you share with others.

As members of the Knights of Columbus, it is important work that you do in your parishes and communities so may this time together inspire and encourage us to live in service and to emulate the witness of our founder, the Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney. May God bless you and the many acts of charity you do.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Rev. David A. Konderla

Bishop of Tulsa



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April 1, 2018

John T. Pierce, State Deputy Very Rev. Price Oswalt, State Chaplain Officers and Delegates Oklahoma Knights of Columbus Convention

Dear Brother Knights:

Praised be our Risen Lord, Jesus Christ! Alleluia!

With gratitude to God for the gift of your faith, it is my pleasure to extend greetings to the 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus. This special gathering is always a positive moment not only for the Knights of Columbus, but also for the entire Church in Oklahoma!

Your gathering this year coincides with the Octave of Easter and the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday. These days are the center of our lives as Catholics as we celebrate once again the great mystery of our salvation through the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus, whom Pope Francis describes so beautifully as "the face of the Father's mercy." Jesus Christ, triumphant over sin and death, is truly "the Way, the Truth and the Life" for all the world.

As Knights of Columbus, we have a particular role in sharing this Good News in our families, in our parishes, in our places of work, in our nation and in our world. May this 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention be an occasion of renewal for all delegates, so that the truth of the Gospel of Life may shine ever more brightly before all!

Be assured of the continued prayers and encouragement of the Monks of St. Gregory's Abbey.

Peace,

Rt. Rev. Lawrence Stasyszen, O.S.B.

Abbot of St. Gregory's Abbey

## Matthew C. Maly

Letter of Intent to Run for The Office of State Deputy

## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

My background includes job experience in, City Administration, Fire and Police Service, Nonprofit Organizations, Community Services, and Service to My Church; which provides me with a unique background in management. Serving management positions in different levels and industries has helped me understand the critical elements of team building within an organization. I believe these life experiences have given me the tools needed to serve the Oklahoma Knights as a State Officer.

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Married to my wife Dee for 32 years Catholic from birth in 1968 Member of Council 6478 Assist with teaching SCUBA Diving One Daughter Kristy 28 years old Attend Church at St. John Nepomuk Member of Assembly 2044

## EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME WITH THE KNIGHTS

I come from a Knight background, my father is a Knight, my Grandfather was a Knight, many uncles and cousins are Oklahoma Knights. Many have said, I have been a Knight long before my first degree; I grew up as a Knight. My experiences in the Knights are long, but I have listed some of the highlights below.

Council 5396 Nicoma Park – Served as Warden, Chancellor, Deputy Grand Knight, Grand Knight, and Trustee During my time with the council I lead many programs and developed program tracking tools to assist with goal setting. Council achieved many state awards while DGK and GK. We achieved Star Council during my term as GK.

Assembly 2044 Yukon - Served as Faithful Navigator and Admiral

Oklahoma State Council – Family Director – Membership Director – Warden – Advocate - Treasurer - Secretary

During term of State Membership Director, lead the State to Circle of Honor within the Order.

As State Warden, worked to simplify and improve the quality of the State Conventions.

As State Advocate, worked to improve state convention procedures and state website.

As State Treasurer, moved the accounting system to Quickbooks standardizing our procedures and established a separate Charity Fund.

During my time as State Secretary improved invoice tracking and receipt procedures. We have moved the management of all state funds under the State Secretary as specified in the by-laws.

Currently serving as the 4th Degree Exemplification Team Marshall.

I was always taught, if you going to do something, do it right and leave it better than you found it! This is my work ethic while serving you as an officer. I have enjoyed serving every office within the Knights and have acquired valuable knowledge from each position. I respectfully submit this letter as my desire to continue to serve the Oklahoma Knights as your State Deputy, if you see fit to elect me.

Vivat Jesus,

Matthew Maly

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# OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



State Treasurer Dennis Kunnanz 1213 Scrambler Lane Edmond, OK 73025

March 28th, 2019

Matt Maly, State Secretary Oklahoma State Council Knights of Columbus

Please accept this letter of intent to run for the office of State Secretary at the 2019 State Convention.

#### Dennis Kunnanz

#### Personnel Information

Ladine and I were married in 1976 in North Dakota and we have three sons who have blessed us with eight grandchildren. We have lived in Edmond, Oklahoma since 1994.

### Parish Activity

We are members of St. John the Baptist Church in Edmond where we serve as Eucharistic Ministers. I also serve as representative of The Men of St John's on the Stewardship and Community Life Pillar Board and serve as the chairman of Stewardship and Community Life Pillar. I attend the Catholic Men's meetings on Thursdays at St John's. We both are also active in Cursillo. Ladine is involved in Faith Formation with sixth grade youth group and second year confirmation. We support a family in Peru thru the Peru Mission. I also help out at the Catholic Men's Conference.

### Knights of Columbus

My dad helped me join the Knights on Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1974. I have held the offices of DGK, GK and Trustee at Council 11237. I am also a Sir Knight and have held the offices of FC, FN and currently FT at Assembly 2004. At the state level I have served as DD #11, State Warden, State Advocate and current State Treasurer.

### Professional Experience

I worked at Ecolab from 1983-2018 as a District Manager in Oklahoma, where I managed service technicians and oversaw the budget and daily operations. I was responsible for about half of Oklahoma in the position I held at Ecolab. I retired from Ecolab in May of 2018 after forty years of service.

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## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



Worthy State Secretary,

I, Miguel Grijalva, am formally announcing my intention to run for the office of State Advocate. I hope to continue to contribute, to the State Council, my past experiences in the Order.

I currently serve the Oklahoma State Council as the incumbent State Warden, in addition I also assist the Knighthood Degree Ceremonial Team and the Patriotic Degree Ceremonial Team.

I have been married to my wife for 8 years come June 4<sup>th</sup> and the proud father of 2 children, Gracelyn (6) and Nicholas (3). I am employed at W.H. Braum Inc. as a Cultured Dairy Specialist which contributes to the production of all cultured products for all Braums retail stores.

It is my hope that should I be elected, I can continue to inspire other Brother Knights to grow in leadership both in Council and Parish life, to show that any Knight no matter his age, can share in the vision of our Founder, Fr. Michael McGivney. In particular, I hope to continue to be an example to Catholic Men my age that it is possible to be an active, thriving member.

Vivat Jesus!

Miguel Grijalva



Matt Maly, State Secretary P.O. Box 851476 Yukon, OK 73085-1476

Worthy State Secretary

Please accept this letter as an expression of my intent to run for the Office of State Warden for the 2019-2020 fraternal year at the 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention.

Attached with this letter is my bio for your reference. It has been an Experience of a Lifetime to serve as a State of Oklahoma KofC District Deputy. I have gained much in knowledge and fellowship since joining our Fraternal Brotherhood of Knights and practicing our Catholic faith.

If I should be successful in being selected to the position I will fulfill the obligations of the office to the full extent of my abilities. If I am not successful I will be available to offer my services to the next administration in an appointed position or ad hoc volunteer.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,

Steven E Rose
District Deputy 9
State Faith Activities Director
Oklahoma KofC State Council

#### STEVEN E ROSE

## Letter of Intent to Run for The Office of State Warden

### **Personal Information**

My wife Alice, of 45 years, and I were married in 1974 at Arkansas City Ks. After joining the military in 1980 we lived in numerous locations around the world and finally settled in Lawton, OK in 1985 where I exited the military in 1994. We have a daughter Stephanie and son Stephen who both have blessed us with grandchildren and great grandchildren.

### **Parish Activities**

Member at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Lawton OK

Sacristan

St John's Soup Kitchen Team Leader. Lawton, OK

Lector

**RCIA Sponsor** 

### **Professional Experience**

My past experiences have included working as a Freight Movement Specialist moving consumer goods across the lower 48 states to include Canada and Mexico. Working in the Tourist industry at Grand Canyon National Park and interacting with many Ethnic cultures from around the world. I am a Desert Storm Veteran serving 15 years in the US Military (Army) with assignments in the USA, Europe, Asia and Southwest Asia. While in the Army, I served as a personnel management specialist, and Rotary Wing maintenance technician. I am currently retired from the work force which gives me ample time to focus on family, faith, and KofC activities.

## **Knight of Columbus Activity**

I joined the Order in 2003 with Council 11909 Lawton and within the first year I achieved all the degrees of the Order and the Shining Armor Award. I have held the following positions in Council 11909 as Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Advocate and Warden. I have been a Faithful Navigator and Faithful Admiral in Assembly 3150, I am a Knights on Bikes member and organized the October 2016 Love Run for The Center of Family Love held in Lawton, OK. I currently hold the position of State Faith Activities Director and District Deputy #9 representing 5 Councils. District 9 has earned Star District 2 years in a row and is poised to earn a 3<sup>rd</sup> award this year.

Activities in the Order that I am or have been involved with include: Oklahoma KofC State Degree Team, Oklahoma KofC State Faith Activities Director, Marion Icon Chairman, and Admission Degree Team member. I have served at numerous Council pancake breakfasts, bingos and community projects.

The Knights of Columbus have been instrumental in helping me grow not only in my faith but also in the Order. I always strive to achieve the best results that can be attained in all I do. Since that little nudge of encouragement from my spouse to join, I have experienced many memorable moments with the Order and in my faith. If I am elected to Office I will continue to uphold the dignity of the Office and fulfill the position to serve you my Brother Knights and the Oklahoma KofC State Council.

This Letter serves as my intent to serve the Oklahoma Knights as a State Officer. Vivat Jesus!

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Steven E Rose District Deputy #9 State Faith Activities Director Oklahoma KofC State Counci Worthy State Secretary,

I am formally announcing my intention to run for the office of State Warden this year. I desire to further contribute to the State Council the experiences and skills I have developed in my past seven years as a Knight.

In this time, I have faithfully served at the Council level in the roles of Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Trustee, and Recorder for Council 6478 in Yukon. I have also served with the State Council as State Webmaster and on the Major Degree Team.

I am currently the District Deputy for District 14, which includes El Reno, Yukon, Mustang, St. Charles Borromeo, and St. James the Greater in Oklahoma City. Additionally, I am in my first year as Faithful Navigator of Archbishop Charles Salatka Assembly 2044. I have also contributed my talents as State Audio/Visual Coordinator for the State Convention since 2012. Finally, I serve as Chancellor in my home council 6478's Admissions Degree Team.

I have been married for three and a half years to my beautiful wife Lakin and am the proud father of my one-year-old daughter Wilsy. I am an Eagle Scout, and I have since served on boards of review for prospective Eagle Scouts. I am employed at Tinker Air Force Base, leading development of support software for the B-2 Spirit Aircraft.

As State Warden, I plan to inspire eagerness in my Brother Knights to step up and grow in leadership in Council, Assembly, and Parish Life. I recognize the experiences, relationships and service opportunities made available to me through the Knights of Columbus have made a great impact on my life, and they are all reflected through me as I believe have become a better Catholic, a better husband, a better father, and ultimately a better man than I would have otherwise been. I strive to help my Brother Knights in their quests as we continue to grow together, and I will work to uphold the integrity of this office that has been exemplified through its current office holder. Therefore, I humbly ask that you prayerfully consider me for the role of State Warden.

Vivat Jesus!

Zachary Kastl

District Deputy 14 Faithful Navigator 2044

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## Zachary Kastl

## Knights of Columbus

## Oklahoma State Council (2012 - Present)

- District Deputy 14 (2017 Present)
- State Convention Audio/Visual Coordinator (Tech Man) (2012 Present)
- Member of Formation/Knighthood Ceremonial Team (2012 2014)
- State Webmaster (2012-2013)

### Council 6478 (2012 - Present)

- Trustee (2017 Present)
- Grand Knight (2015 2017)
- Deputy Grand Knight (2014-2015)
- Recorder (2012-2014)
- 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Ceremonials Team (2012 Present)

### Assembly 2044 (2012 - Present)

• Faithful Navigator, 2044: (2018-Present)

## St John Nepomuk Parish

- Lector
- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
- Former Lead Usher

#### Personal

- Eagle Scout, BSA (2005)
- Eagle Board Member, (2012 2016)

## Tinker Air Force Base (2014 – Present)

- MAVRIC Software Section (2017 Present)
  - Lead Developer / Team Lead
    - Lead team in developing software to support B-2 Intelligence Personnel in validating targets
    - Reports to management the status of team and suggests improvements to increase overall performance
  - Scrum-Master
    - Lead team in supporting an agile development environment by converting systems and processes to Dev/Ops
- B-52 Mission Planning
  - Computer Scientist
    - Developed software allowing Air Force Personnel to develop high-quality mission plans and routes for the B-52 Strike Platform



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



March 26, 2019

Worthy State Deputy and Delegates,

My name is Philip Stramski, and I ask that you please accept this notice as my official letter of intent to add my name to be considered for the State office of Warden during this year's 114th Annual Knights of Columbus Convention.

My belief is that any good Knight must recognize the strength given to him by a supportive family; God has blessed me with an incredible family who is committed to supporting me as State Warden. I am married to my amazing wife, Amelia. I'm blessed to be a Step-father to an energetic, seventeen year old son, Matthew. I have learned through my experiences working in the State Family of the Knights of Columbus that as a married man, having the support and assistance of my wife, has proven to be an astounding resource and asset. Watching Amelia's involvement throughout the years has shown me, and I hope others, that not only is she an incredible wife and mother, but also a tremendous partner and teammate. Having this sacramental partnership has not only been a true blessing to me, but I feel that it has benefitted our Order during my time in the State Family. Therefore, it is in the spirit of a solid union, that as I submit this letter of intent it is done with the mindset that by electing me as the next State Warden that I truly believe that WE can together benefit the State of Oklahoma Knights!

As with most Catholic families, our faith is grounded in our parish life. Our family attends St. Teresa of Avila Parish in Harrah, Oklahoma. Our son Matthew is a junior at Harrah High School. Amelia and I together taught High School Religious Education at St. Teresa's right after we got married. I am an Usher, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, and Amelia and I are both Lectors. I currently serve on the Parish Council. Under the Archdiocese "Go Make Disciples" initiative, I took part in the CCO faith studies. We have both attended Cursillo and we have been blessed to reap the benefits of this program into our spiritual lives.

I am proud to say that I am a lifelong Oklahoman and that my roots in our state run deep. I am a graduate of Mount St. Mary's High School in Oklahoma City, and a proud Veteran of the United States Marine Corps. I have been employed by MidFirst Bank for the last sixteen years, starting out in their Mortgage Division customer service department, but now I currently work in the challenging yet valuable Legal Department. I have worked as an Accounting Clerk for an Oil and Gas Exploration Corporation and served as an Office Manager for a small Telecom Engineering and Construction business. Amelia grew up in Lawton attending Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. She graduated from Eisenhower High School and earned her Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from Cameron University. Amelia further pursued and earned her National Board Certification for Professional Teaching. She has been an Elementary Teacher for over twenty years. I am proud to say that she has recently applied to the University of Central Oklahoma to begin her Masters in Administration and Educational Leadership.

One of the many reasons I believe that I would make a worthy State Warden is that the Knights—and specifically the Oklahoma Knights—have been such a formative part of who I am as a man. I am a son of a Charter Member of Our Lady of Fatima Council #5396, so I have been around the Knights of Columbus all of my life, and I considered myself a junior Knight as a kid growing up. I officially became a card carrying member during my senior year of high school. As of this month, I have been an official member of the Knights of Columbus for thirty-three years (33). I have served as various Directors, Chairman, and officer positions at the Council level throughout the years. Once this fraternal year ends, I will have completed my second, three year term as Grand Knight for two different Councils as I am currently the Grand Knight for Father Norbert Lukes Council #4598 in Harrah. I am a fourteen year Fourth Degree Member of the Father Alojzy Walezcek

Assembly #2625. I also served as District Deputy for District #13 for three years. I was elected as State Warden and ran for State Advocate the year that our current worthy State Deputy John Pierce was elected to that office. This loss afforded me the opportunity to step back, and redirect my experience in other areas within the State Family. This time allowed me the opportunity to continue to expand my leadership experience and gain additional knowledge that I may have not gained otherwise. It also allowed me to witness the incredible job that our State Deputy John Pierce and his lovely wife, Cheryl, have provided our State Council. Their teamwork has set the tone, and has provided an example for the rest to follow.

If elected State Warden, I will come into the position with valuable experience at the state level and accomplishments to show during my time in leadership. During my appointment as State Membership Director, I assisted our State Deputy in the membership efforts of the State, which resulted in Oklahoma obtaining not only the prestigious Circle of Honor for 2 years, but also the Pinnacle Award, the highest honor that a State can receive as a result of membership recruitment, during 1 year of my tenure. I have served as the State Church Activities Director, and at the request of our State Deputy, John Pierce, I assumed the role as the State General Program Director. In this position, I feel that I have been able to recruit some very talented and dedicated Brother Knights as we moved forward with the implementation of the new program model, "Faith in Action". As with my time as State Membership Director, my leadership approach and philosophy has been to identify and appoint talented, competent Brother Knights and, after providing my initial vision and direction of how I see the programs move forward under the Supreme guidelines, allow them the flexibility and trust to build their Program under the "Faith in Action" program model. Although this program model is new, the Directors appointed at this time have embraced their position and are serving in a stellar manner.

Serving the Knights and the Church is somewhat of a tradition in the Stramski household. Amelia and I started dating at the time I was appointed State Membership Director. Even though she did not know much about the Knights of Columbus, she advised me she would be supportive of the work I did and whatever roles I chose to pursue. Not only has she been supportive, but she has also taken an active role in attending the majority of the state meetings. Amelia has been eager to provide her services where she could.

Volunteering to do the Lord's work is not new for my wife. She taught Religious Education for five years at Blessed Sacrament and was a Beginning Experience team member for seven years. Amelia is an active member of the Christ the King Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) Court #1586 at St. Teresa's. The KofC State Ladies have a yearly project of sending Valentine cards to all the Seminarians with a little financial token as a symbol of their support at one of the loneliness times of year for our Seminarians. Once Amelia was exposed to this project, she took it back to the Catholic Daughters and they adopted this program and now have joined in the efforts of showing love and support for our Seminarians. She has been involved in many programs and has been instrumental in bringing several successful fundraising opportunities to her CDA Court. This year the Court named Amelia Catholic Daughter of the Year for their Court and she will be recognized along with other Courts at the CDA Convention May 4th. Amelia caught on early that the Knights of Columbus State Ladies and their leadership can be an example for others to follow. I see her striving to bring nothing but her best to our State Family!

I believe that the goals Amelia and I have, align perfectly with the direction the current Slate of State Officers are striving to achieve. I am proud of our State Council and the accomplishments of the past several years. As State Warden, I believe I would continue the tradition of excellence for which we have become known. My leadership experience, devotion to the Knights of Columbus, and love for God, the Church, and my family make me a great candidate to be our next State Warden. I humbly ask for the confidence, support, and prayers of my Brother Knights as I seek election to this worthy office.

Vivat Jesus!

Philip L. Stramski

Philip Stramski
Oklahoma State General Program Director
Grand Knight – Council #4598 Harrah



# OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Worthy State Officers:

I have been told every state officer should attend a Supreme Convention prior to becoming a State Deputy. In hopes of one day being elected to the office of State Deputy, this is official notice of my intent to run for delegate to the Supreme Convention in August 2019.

My brother Knights have had the confidence in me to elect me to the offices of Grand Knight for two years, Faithful Admiral for two years, State Warden for two years, and currently, State Advocate for two years. I pray they will have the same confidence to elect me as a Supreme Delegate. Also, be it known that I have been a Knights of Columbus insurance member since 2009.

I have been honored to participate in various capacities at numerous State Conventions here in Oklahoma as well as the Supreme Convention in 2017. I would eagerly accept the opportunity to attend the Supreme Convention as a delegate of the State Council of Oklahoma in 2019.

Fraternally,

Christopher M. Victor

Advocate, State Council of Oklahoma



# OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL

March 24, 2019

Worthy State Secretary,

This is my official declaration of intent to run for Delegate to the Supreme Convention to be held in Milwaukee August 2019.

I have been an Insurance Member since 2007 and hope to attend as an official delegate for the Jurisdiction of Oklahoma

Vivat Jesus!

Miguel Grijalva

Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Vice Supreme Master, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy Former Vice Supreme Masters, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy Delegates, State Council Directors and Chairmen, and Brothers All:

I am writing to request to be nominated for the position of Insurance Delegate to the upcoming 2019 Knights of Columbus Supreme Convention in Minneapolis Minnesota.

I have been a Knight since I was eighteen, so this May will mark my 36th year as a 3rd Degree Knight, as well as my 14th year as a 4th Degree Knight. Following my father's example, I have been active in the Knights of Columbus all 36 years of Knighthood, holding every local office, as well as district and even state positions. I currently represent our state as the Assistant State Membership Director and Online Chairman for Eastern Oklahoma. I have also held the positions of District Deputy (which included Supreme All Star recognition in 2017), State Retention Chairman, State Silver Rose Chair, State Youth Director, and State Vocations Committee while in the seminary in Minnesota. In addition, I have been involved in ceremonials work all 36 years of Knighthood and I have been on degree teams for the First, Second, and Third Degree in various states. I currently serve as my council's First Degree Captain and I am a Third Degree CO for our State. Finally, over the years I have represented our State through our Order's many programs, such as serving as the March for Life East Liaison, the KofC 40 Days for Life East Chair, and the GO LIFE KofC Liaison on the Annual Gala Committee (a position I held for ten of the twelve years since the GO LIFE Gala started, before resigning after the 2018 gala to focus on State Membership).

If elected by the delegates and members of the Oklahoma State Convention, I would humbly and gratefully represent our State at the Knights of Columbus Supreme Convention in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

VIVAT JESUS!

Fraternally,

Chris King

Asst State Membership Director For Eastern Oklahoma, et al

Kingok14@sbcglobal.net

## 114<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma State Convention of the Knights of Columbus Instructions for Nominations

Saturday, April 27, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Officers, Worthy District Master, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy Former District Masters, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy Insurance Agents, State Program Director, State Membership Director and State Program Chairmen, Delegates, and Brother Knights.

As the State Warden of the Oklahoma State Council of the Knights of Columbus, it is my honor and privilege to welcome you to this Business section of the 113th Convention of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus.

As a reminder, admittance to the Business section of this meeting requires a <u>current Knighthood Degree/Third Degree</u> membership card which is checked each time you enter the business meeting room.

Regarding the nominating protocol, as State Warden, it is my duty to inform you during this 114<sup>th</sup> Convention of the Oklahoma State Council that:

Each State Officer, including the Immediate Past State Deputy, is entitled to a voice on the floor.

All other Past State Deputies are entitled to a voice on the floor.

Each Delegate, certified by the Committee on Credentials, is entitled to a voice on the floor. Each alternate delegate is entitled to a seat in the convention, but has no voice while the regular certified Delegate is present.

During the nominations, it is important that each delegate be seated in his assigned seat so he may be quickly identified by the chair.

Nomination speeches will be limited to three minutes, and seconds will be affirmed from their seats. There will be no second nomination speeches.

I welcome each one of you to this Business section of this convention. Please let me know if I can assist you in any way. Thank you.

Migual Grijalva State Warden Oklahoma State Council

## 114<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma State Convention of the Knights of Columbus Instructions for Delegates

Sunday, April 28, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy Vice Supreme Master, Worthy State Officers, Worthy District Master, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy Former District Masters, Worthy General Agent, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy Insurance Agents, State Program Director and State Program Chairmen, Delegates, and Brother Knights.

As the State Warden of the Oklahoma State Council of the Knights of Columbus, it is my honor and privilege to welcome you to this Business section of the 114th Convention of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus.

As a reminder, admittance to the Business section of this meeting requires a <u>current Knighthood/Third Degree</u> membership card which was checked at the beginning of this business section and each time you enter the business meeting room.

Regarding the voting protocol, as State Warden, it is my duty to inform you during this 114<sup>th</sup> Convention of the Oklahoma State Council that:

Each State Officer, including the Immediate Past State Deputy, is entitled to a voice on the floor and to one vote. All other Past State Deputies are entitled to a voice on the floor but have no vote.

All District Deputies and State Insurance Agents are entitled to a voice on the floor, but have no vote.

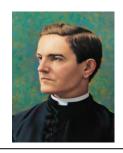
Each Delegate, certified by the Committee on Credentials, is entitled to a voice on the floor and to one vote. Each alternate delegate is entitled to a seat in the convention, but has no voice or vote while the regular certified Delegate is present.

Each subordinate council represented by only one delegate will have only one vote.

During the votes, it is important that each delegate be seated in his assigned seat so the ballots can be distributed properly. Your strict adherence to this request is appreciated and will help the voting go smoothly. I will now ask that those who are not delegates please move to the area behind the delegates.

Once again, I welcome each one of you to this Business section of this convention. Please let me know if I can assist you in any way. Thank you.

Migual Grijalva Oklahoma State Council State Warden



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



State Deputy's Report to the 114<sup>th</sup> Convention of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus

Reverend Father, Supreme Treasurer and PSD, State Officers, Past State Deputies, District Deputies, General Agent, Delegates, Ladies and Guests:

I am pleased to report that Columbianism is alive and well in Oklahoma. Since our gathering at the 113<sup>th</sup> annual convention one year ago our Knights and their families have been supporting events and programs throughout Oklahoma employing the practice of our principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

During the past year your State Council has engaged in numerous activities including the following

In early June Cheryl and I attended the Annual State Deputy Conference in New Haven, CT. Presentation of the new Faith in Action program was major component of the conference. Supreme Knight Carl Anderson emphasized that the purpose of the revised program structure is to focus our efforts on building Catholicism rather than Columbianism.

We kicked off the 2018-2019 Fraternal Year with District Deputy Training and the Installation of State Officers on June 30<sup>th</sup> and July 1<sup>st</sup> at St John the Baptist Church in Edmond, OK.

The 2018 Supreme Convention was held in Baltimore, MD, August 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> and Oklahoma was well represented. Archbishop Paul S. Coakley and State Chaplain Fr. M. Price Oswalt were in attendance. The Oklahoma delegation included my wife Cheryl and me, IPSD Bob Melko plus elected delegates Miguel Grijalva, Garth Christian, Rick Miller, Dennis Kunnanz, Peter Pembroke and their wives. Vice Supreme Master David Roewe, his wife Melani, General Agent Kevin Pierce and his wife Amanda also attended.

The highlight of the convention was the presentation of a new pilgrim icon titled "Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians". This icon is traveling to all jurisdictions in the Order and is being made available to all subordinate councils. The circulation of this icon marks the Order's 18<sup>th</sup> Marian Prayer Program. The Oklahoma State Council has received two of these icons and they are currently being circulated to all councils in the State. The icon, commissioned by the Supreme Council, was created by Italian artist Fabrizio Diomedi. It depicts the Blessed Mother with the Child Jesus over her heart. The images surrounding the Blessed Mother are a representative gathering of recent

Christian martyrs including six priest members of the Knights of Columbus who were killed by the Mexican government in the early 1900's. The purpose of this Marian Prayer Program is to educate our members and our fellow parishioners of the persecution of innocent people in our world today and to promote prayer and physical support for the restoration of Christian communities in the Middle East, the cradle of Christianity in the world.

Council leadership workshops were held at the Center of Family Love in Okarche and at St Mary Church in Tulsa on August 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, respectively. On October 14<sup>th</sup> the State leadership team conducted a planning session with the host council for the 2019 State Convention at the Edmond Hilton Garden Inn.

The running of the Silver Rose in 2018 marked the 59<sup>th</sup> year of the program that began in 1960 as a project of the Columbian Squires of North America to honor the Blessed Virgin under her title of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas. On October 13, 2018 the Oklahoma jurisdiction received the Supreme Silver Rose from the Kansas jurisdiction at Sacred Heart Church in Miami, OK. Oklahoma State Chaplain Reverend M. Price Oswalt celebrated Mass and Sacred Heart Council 3167 hosted a banquet following Mass. The Supreme Rose was then transferred from council to council along a route through eastern Oklahoma culminating in its transfer from the Oklahoma jurisdiction to the Texas jurisdiction on November 10, 2018 at a Mass celebrated at St. Mary Church in Gainesville, Texas.

Concurrent with the running of the Supreme Rose through eastern Oklahoma, the Provincial Rose assigned to District Master Fred Crump traveled along a route through western and central Oklahoma. The running of the Provincial Rose commenced October 27, 2018 at St. Peter Church in Guymon, Oklahoma and concluded November 27, 2018 at Blessed Sacrament Church in Lawton, Oklahoma.

Former District Deputy Chris King served as the 2018 program chairman. Chris planned the routes through Oklahoma for both Roses and scheduled the special Masses celebrated at numerous Oklahoma parishes.

In December 2018 a delegation from Oklahoma consisting of Vice Supreme Master David Roewe, District Marshal Rick Miller and his wife Laura and me and my wife Cheryl traveled to Laredo, Texas to participate in the transfer of the Silver Rose from the Texas jurisdiction to Mexico. On December 8, 2018 a Mass was celebrated at the San Agustin Cathedral in Laredo followed by a procession of over 100 Knights and their families to the center of "Bridge 1 - Gateway to the Americas," where the Rose was transferred to Mexico. Bridge 1 is an international bridge over the Rio Grande River, that marks the border between the United States and Mexico. Along with Mark Evans, Texas State Deputy, I had the honor of carrying a Silver Rose for presentation to the delegation from Mexico at the center of the bridge.

For many years the Oklahoma State Council has maintained a scholarship program dedicated to the support of students seeking a Catholic education at St Gregory University. This program has been generously supported by the councils, assemblies and ladies auxiliaries of Oklahoma. Given the unexpected closing of St Gregory's in November 2017 our scholarship program is no longer viable. Over the past year the State Council evaluated proposed programs to replace the St Gregory scholarship program. Two new programs designed to support Catholic education in Oklahoma have been developed and they will be presented at the Convention Awards Breakfast on Sunday.

In early November Cheryl and I attended the State deputy's Mid-Year Meeting in Houston, TX. The topics covered were presented to our District Deputies on December 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> in Stillwater, OK. District Deputies received training on the improved Safe Environment Program tracking system. In addition, working with our Pastors, implementing the Faith in Action program, young adult and Hispanic development and the Online Membership Program were discussed.

The twenty-third annual Oklahoma Catholic Men's Conference was held March 9, 2019 at the Embassy Suites in Norman, OK. Over the past 23 years the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus have supported the annual men's conference by attending the conference and by volunteering to assist the conference planning team. This year was no exception. Over 400 Brother Knights attended the conference.

Approximately 25 Brother Knights volunteered on the day of the conference to help with several tasks. Our members assisted at the registration desk, assisted the conference sacristan with the set up the altar and ambo for Mass, acted as greeters by providing directions to attendees and announcing the start of conference sessions, acted as ushers for the love offering collection and provided an Honor Guard at the conference Mass celebrated by Archbishop Paul Coakley. Total conference attendance this year was 1000 men, a record registration.

For the tenth year in a row the State Council set up a greeting table at the conference. This year our Regional Growth Director, Ray Lopez, and our Regional Training Director, Ken White, attended the conference and assisted at our greeting table. Our General Agent and many of our Field Agents also assisted at the greeting table. This year we set up a dedicated Supreme Landing Page for recording potential recruits plus we utilized the Online Membership program to sign up men who wanted to join.

The Agency and the State Council provided incentive prizes to men who signed up online at the conference. Members who sponsored those who signed up also participated in the incentive drawings. In past years, utilizing the traditional

membership forms and recruiting methods, we typically signed up three or four men to join the Order on the day of the conference. This year we signed up 20 new Online Members at the conference. These results clearly demonstrate the value of the Online Membership Program as a recruiting tool. In addition, use of the online program is attracting younger members to our ranks.

As leaders in our Order it is our duty to serve the needs of our members, their families and our parishes. To fulfill this duty, we must assure the continued viability of our local councils and our State Council. Continued recruitment of younger members is essential if we are to assure the continued viability of the Knights of Columbus in Oklahoma. Every year Supreme establishes recruitment goals for each council, each district and for the State. For the past six out of seven years we have met or exceeded our State recruitment goal. As of today, our recruitment numbers indicate that we are on target to make our goal again this year. However, we must continue our recruiting efforts through the end of the fraternal year.

The Oklahoma Jurisdiction is known for finishing strong and this year it is important that we make every effort to finish as strong as possible. Membership Director Ryan King will provide recruitment recommendations in his report to this convention. Ryan and his team stand ready to assist you in recruitment planning and execution.

As evidenced by our success at the Catholic men's conference this year, the Online Membership Program can produce excellent recruiting results. For those who are not familiar with this system, it allows a qualified Catholic man to join our Order quickly and easily on-line as an unassigned member of the State Council. Once in the system, unassigned members are immediately available to be inducted as 1<sup>st</sup> Degree members of a council in their area. Ryan King will provide a live demonstration of the Online Membership tool as well as the Supreme Landing Page tool during his report to this convention. By taking full advantage of these new tools and through your stepped-up recruiting efforts we can exceed our year-end goal and thus assure the continued viability of our local councils and our State Council.

The support of our seminarians continues to be a vital component of our State Council programs. Through the Supreme managed Christopher fund, the Supreme supported RSVP program, the Oklahoma State Council Pennies for Heaven program and the Oklahoma State Council 365 Club, funds to support vocations are provided to the dioceses and funds are provided directly to our seminarians. A very special seminarian support program was initiated in 2015. In 2015 the State Officer wives began a tradition of sending Valentine's Day cards to the seminarians of both dioceses. Included with each Valentine is a gift card. The inspiration for this tradition came from our State Chaplain Fr. Oswalt. This year the State Officer wives sent Valentine's greetings and \$50.00 gift cards to all 42 seminarians. At the Awards Banquet this

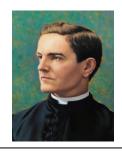
evening the State Officer wives will be conducting an auction to raise funds for Valentine's Day 2020.

I would like to extend my thanks and the thanks of the State Officers to our State Chaplain Father M. Price Oswalt for his continued service to the State Council. Fr. Oswalt's guidance and counseling to me and the State Officers has been a true blessing.

In closing I would like to extend my thanks to the State Officers and the entire State Family for your tireless support. And I would like to thank you my Brother Knights for all that you do to support our members, their families and our parishes. Serving as your State Deputy for the past two years has been a privilege and an honor. Cheryl and I sincerely appreciate all the prayers and loving support you have provided.

**VIVAT JESUS!** 

John Pierce State Deputy



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



April 28, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Supreme Representative, State Officers, District Deputies, Program Chairmen, Insurance Representatives, Delegates and Brother Knights: the Secretary's report to the 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus is as follows:

Membership census as reported by the Supreme Council on April 1, 2018, were used to calculate each subordinate council's per capita and public relations assessment. To date all councils in Oklahoma except for 7 have paid their assessment for 2018-2019 Fiscal Year and all councils with the exception of those in arrears are eligible to seat delegates at this convention.

In addition, the April 1<sup>st</sup> census was used to calculate the premiums for liability insurance made available through the State Council to each subordinate council. To date 48 of the State's active councils have taken advantage of the liability insurance offered through the State Council.

The total membership of the Oklahoma State Council as of April 1, 2019 is 8,666 consisting of 3,622 insurance members and 5,044 associate members according to the Supreme Council records. This figure reflects net gain of 16 insurance members and a net gain of 32 associate members for a total gain of 146 members since July 1, 2018. The current membership includes 292 Honorary members, 1,166 Honorary Life members, 46 Disabled members and 285 Inactive members.

The State Secretary receives and records all funds collected before they are deposited by the State Treasurer. Checks are written by the State Treasurer after receipt of warrants that are issued by the State Secretary and approved by the State Deputy. A complete accounting of all fund transactions for the prior fiscal year are included in the State Treasure's report.

In December, delegate forms were sent to all councils. These delegate forms provide a means for Councils to report the names of their delegates to this convention as well as their alternates. Credentials for this convention were mailed to the delegates on April 19, 2019 after verification that each council was in good standing with both Supreme and the State.

Minutes of the State Officers and other state meetings have recorded for the past year. Booklets and CDs of the minutes of the 113th Convention of the Oklahoma State Convention have been distributed this weekend.

The names of all Oklahoma Knights of Columbus members reported to the State Council who have died since last convention were read at Mass last evening and their names will be recorded in this year's convention minutes. The State Council requests that a Mass be offered for all deceased members in their home parish provided a request by the council is received by the State Secretary. I encourage all Council's take advantage of this benefit. This year 30 such requests were received and Masses requested.

It has been my honor and privilege to serve as the State Secretary during the past year. I am grateful for the encouragement and support given me by the State Chaplain, my fellow State Officers, District Deputies, Program Directors, Insurance Representatives, Council Officers and my Brother Knights across the State of Oklahoma.

Respectfully submitted,

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State Secretary



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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#### **State Treasurer Report**

April 24, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy State Deputy, Supreme Representative, State Officers and Brother Knights

The audit committee's task is to review and audit the State Treasurer's books and records for the period of April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019. The audit committee met with the State Treasurer the evening of April 17, 2019 and reviewed and audited ledgers and reports of the Oklahoma State Treasurer records. Based upon the review and spot checks of statements and ledger sheets and finding no discrepancies, we the committee certify the accuracy of the Oklahoma State Treasurer's books and records.

Dennis Kunnanz, State Treasurer, presented the committee with a comprehensive review of the state's accounting process. All questions the committee had regarding the report and audit process were completely answered by the State Treasurer.

The committee was provided a copy of the independent auditor's report for the period April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018. The audit was completed September 14, 2018. An independent audit will be performed on the Oklahoma State Treasurer's books for the period April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019. It is estimated that the audit will be completed by the end of August 2019. The committee was also provided a copy of the completed and filed 2018 Form 990 for the Knights of Columbus Oklahoma State Council. The return was professionally prepared by C.J. Runyon, CPA and appeared to be in order.

After review of the Oklahoma State Council of Knight of Columbus general accounts the committee found no discrepancies. The records are in proper order and the State Treasurer's report should be approved as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

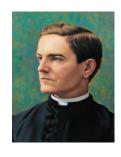
**Audit Committee Members** 

Tom Greenlee Cl 10822; Jim Jeffcoat Cl 11237; Luis Blanco Cl 6477 and Peter Pembroke Cl 1038

## OKLAHOMA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BUDGET

### **APRIL 1, 2019 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2020**

	2019 - 2020			2018 - 2019	
		Budget		Actual	
OPERATING RECEIPTS					
50210 Per Capita	\$	53,500.00	\$	52,776.00	
50220 Public Relations	\$	10,500.00	\$	9,858.00	
50300 Initiation Fees	\$	1,500.00	\$	415.00	
50500 Interest	\$ \$ \$ \$	1,200.00	\$	1,236.00	
51200 Christmas Cards	\$	7,500.00	\$	7,432.00	
51300 Incentives	\$	1,500.00			
51800 Convention Receipts	\$	16,000.00	\$	15,137.00	
51900 Lia. Insurance	\$	12,500.00	\$	12,027.00	
52000 Miscellaneous Receipts			\$	350.00	
GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS	\$	104,200.00	\$	103,387.00	
60200 Bowling Association (Not GF Account)	\$	11,000.00	\$	10,894.05	
TOTAL	\$	115,200.00	\$	114,281.05	
OPERATING DISBURSEMENTS					
70100 Printing	\$	2,500.00	\$	2,557.00	
70200 Office Supplies	\$	500.00	\$	430.86	
70400 Liability Admin Expense	\$	1,200.00		#VALUE!	
70410 CL Lia Insurance	\$	12,500.00	\$	12,500.00	
70600 Postage	\$	600.00	\$	520.82	
70700 Mileage	\$ \$ \$ \$	7,100.00	\$	6,284.52	
70800 Per Diem	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,611.88	
70900 Telephone	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	500.00	\$	389.99	
71000 Awards	\$	3,000.00	\$	6,778.01	
71100 Incentives	\$	2,500.00			
71200 Memorial Masses	\$	300.00	\$	230.00	
71300 Major Degrees	\$	4,400.00	\$	4,780.52	
71400 P.R. Account	\$	11,000.00	\$	10,000.00	
71500 PayPal Processing Fee	\$	300.00	\$	323.69	
71600 Christmas Card Exp	\$	6,500.00		\$6,494.61	
71700 Hotel Expenses		9,000.00	\$	5,759.68	
71800 Catering Expenses	\$	18,000.00	\$	21,555.78	
71900 Travel Expenses	\$	700.00	\$	582.25	
72000 Meals & Meetings	\$	12,000.00	\$	12,657.27	
72200 Equipment Repair	\$	200.00	\$	103.50	
72300 Proffessional Fees	\$	1,700.00	\$	1,933.00	
72320 Miscellaneous Cost	\$	700.00	\$	653.25	
72400 Meeting Space	\$	300.00	\$	200.00	
72500 Convention Misc Cost	\$	2,500.00	\$	2,576.41	
72600 Supplies (Non Office)	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	4,200.00	\$	4,283.23	
GENERAL FUND EXPENSES		104,200.00	\$	104,215.27	
80400 Bowling Association (Not GF Expense)	\$	11,000.00	\$	10,458.00	
TOTAL	\$	115,200.00	\$	114,673.27	



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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State Advocate Chris Victor 5819 S 83<sup>rd</sup> E PL Tulsa, OK 74145

**Re: State Advocate Report** April 28, 2019

I welcome you all to the 114<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of the Oklahoma State Council of the Knights of Columbus.

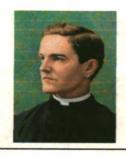
It is the State Advocate's responsibility to ensure these proceedings are conducted in accordance with the bylaws of the Oklahoma State Council.

This year, no proposed amendments to the bylaws and no proposed resolutions were submitted in advance by the state membership or the state council. The Laws and Resolutions Committee has prepared Felicitations and Salutations for a vote of the delegates to this state convention. Pending a favorable vote, these Felicitations and Salutations will be submitted to the Supreme Board of Directors for consideration.

I would like to thank State Deputy John Pierce, my fellow state officers, and all members of the Oklahoma State Knights of Columbus for electing me to this office and allowing me to serve you this past fraternal year.

Fraternally,

Chris Victor State Advocate



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL

April 25, 2019

P103-8105

RE: STATE WARDEN'S REPORT, 2013-2018 Fraternal Year

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy District Master, Worthy State Membership Director, Worthy General Program Director, Worthy State Directors, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy Delegates and Brother Knights

During the course of the past year the Oklahoma State Council has held eight major meetings across the state.

- 1. July 14th, 2018, State Officer Planning Meeting (2017-2018 Fraternal Year) in Stillwater.
- 2. June 30th & July 1st, 2018, State Officer Installation and District Deputy Meetings in Edmond
- 3. August 18th, 2018, Fall Workshop in Okarche
- August 19th, 2018, Fall Workshop in Tulsa
- 5. October 13th, 2018, State Convention Planning meeting in Edmond
- 6. December 1st & 2nd, 2018, Mid-Year District Deputy meeting in Stillwater
- April 13th, 2019, State Officer Planning Meeting (2019-2020 Fraternal Year) in Oklahoma City.
- April 26-28, 2019, 114th State Convention being held in Edmond.

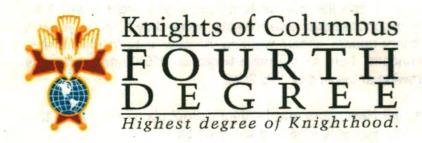
Each of these events requires the State Warden to assure that the meeting room is set up properly, that the Flags, plaques, banners, etc., are available and properly displayed, that the sound system, if needed, is set up and functional, that the other State Officers have what they need to do their work during the meeting, that information is distributed to the attendees, any hospitality is available and any required luncheon is provided.

It has been an honor and privilege to serve the State Officers and you, my brother knights, as State Warden of the Jurisdiction of Oklahoma during this fraternal year.

I respectfully submit this report to the minutes of the 114th Oklahoma State Convention.

Vivat Jesus!

Miguel Grijalva State Warden



Fred M. Crump
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March 25, 2019

Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Vice Supreme Master, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy Former District Masters, Worthy General Agent, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy State Program Director, Worthy State Membership Director, Worthy Program Chairmen, Worthy District Marshals, Delegates, Brother Knights, and guests:

The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in the Oklahoma District is active, doing well and all active Assemblies are in good standing. This Fraternal year has been very busy and exciting for me and the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree team, as the District Marshal's; SK Rick Miller of the Oklahoma City Diocese and SK Tony Lechtenberg of the Tulsa Diocese have done an excellent job leading countless Honor Guards and several Color Guards throughout the state of Oklahoma.

I am very proud to report that the Oklahoma District exceeded the membership goal for our last two fraternal years and we are on target to meet or exceed the goal for this fraternal year. The Degree exemplar team lead by SK Paul Schaefer, conducted two Patriotic Degree Exemplifications, with the first hosted by Assembly 855 at St. James in Bartlesville, on October 6, 2018 and the second hosted by Assembly 2004 at St. Monica in Edmond on March 16, 2019. The next will be a morning Exemplification to be hosted by Assembly 3070 at St. Andrew in Moore on June 8, 2019, for our Priests, Deacons, Seminarians, and any 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Knights who wish to join the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. I want to thank my Marshals and the entire 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification team for their outstanding support to the Oklahoma District. Lastly, I want to thank my Executive Assistant, SK JJ McCarthy, for his superb support for me and the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. The Oklahoma District cannot be successful without their support.

We need to continue our efforts in recruiting new members to the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. I ask myself, why would anyone what to become a 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Member. We are the most Visible Arm of the Patriotic Degree. It takes courage to wear the New Uniform and/or the old Regalia because when someone sees you, they know we are members of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree of the Knights of Columbus. In 119 years of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree, we have had 5 uniform changes and I ask you to support the decisions made by our Supreme Board Members and Officers of the Knights of Columbus. I

will not force anyone to purchase the new uniform, but if you are a current 4<sup>th</sup> Degree member serving in honor guards with Regalia, come July 1, 2019 you will not be able to serve in honor guards without wearing the new uniform. If you have not purchased the new uniform, I am selling raffle tickets at \$10.00 each to win a new uniform, with the drawing at the end of July 2019.

Thank you to all the Faithful Navigators and Faithful Comptrollers who submitted their forms to Supreme, Vice Supreme Master and me on time.

Lastly, I want to thank Vice Supreme Master, SK David Roewe for his leadership to me, the Oklahoma District and other six Districts in Our Lady of Guadalupe Province.

I respectfully submit this report for inclusion into the minutes of the 114<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma Knights of Columbus 2019 State Convention.

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Vivat Jesus, Viva Cristo Rey!

Fred M. Crump

Oklahoma District Master

Our Lady of Guadalupe Province

#### OKLAHOMA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOUNDATION REPORT

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Officers, Delegates and Brother Knights, assembled here for this the 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus State Convention in Edmond, Oklahoma on this the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 2019.

I wish to inform each and every one of you who are members in good standing of a council in good standing with the Oklahoma State Council, that you have a voice and a vote at this Foundation meeting.

The By Laws of the Foundation state that it was organized exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, and educational purposes and I feel that the board meets and follows these guidelines.

The Foundation Board is controlled by a nine man Board of Directors. Six are elected to a three year term. Three are members by virtue of their State Offices. The elected members are President Willard Patocka, Vice President Dale Sliger, Secretary/Treasurer Jerry Schmitz, Counselor Moury Campbell, and Trustees Paul Weigl and Garth Christain. The State Officers are State Deputy John Pierce, State Secretary Matthew Maly and State Treasurer Dennis Kunnanz. The State Chaplain Very Rev. M. Price Oswalt is an ex-officio member. At this meeting we will elect two members to replace the expiring terms of Dale Sligar and Maury Campbell for three year terms.

The main purpose for the Foundation is to provide facilities for the Center of Family Love. The Foundation is also responsible for the Investment of these additional state council funds: Pennies For Heaven, 365 Club, Special Charities Fund, and the Scholarship Fund which includes the Al Wheeler Scholarship Fund.

During this past year, the Foundation paid out \$81, 500.00 to the Center of Family Love Gala, new A.C. for the group home in Kingfisher, Iowa KofC Disaster Relief Fund, and Gate Way Woman Resource Ultrasound.

Since the Foundation owns the land and buildings of The Center of Family Love, we are the landlord and therefore are responsible for the major items of repair and maintenance of all campus buildings and group homes.

We are in the process of remodeling the original part of the Center, which is now 37 years old and had a lot of good use. Most of this work is accomplished by members from many councils in the state. Thanks to all who contribute their time and talents.

The Secretary/Treasurer Jerry Schmitz will give the Foundation activities and expenditures for the past year in his report.

The Foundation Board and I wish to thank you, Brother Knights, for your help, prayers, work parties, and financial support so that we can continue to help those with disabilities and in need of our help, support and the success of the Center of Family Love.

As time goes on, the Center is being more widely known by the public, and that makes it easier to receive outside donations and applying of Grants.

Please continue to support and help with fundraising campaigns so that we may continue to help fill the needs of the center. If you have not visited the center recently, you need to go by and make a visit to the facility and see the accomplishments of the recent years. You will be amazed and proud of the facility.

It has indeed been an honor and privilege to serve as your President of the Oklahoma State Knights of Columbus Foundation.

Respectfully Submitted,

Willard Patocka

## Knights of Columbus Foundation of Oklahoma, Inc.

State Convention Report April 28, 2019

The Foundation's income for the fiscal year ending March 31<sup>st</sup> was \$ 185,540. Of this amount \$ 94,017 was received from the State Council for various funds, and \$25,000 was an anonymous donation to the Ultrasound fund.

Expenses for the year totaled \$ 94,133. This amount included:

- · Accounting and legal fees of \$ 1,120
- Director and officer's insurance of \$ 1,103
- Investment Expenses \$ 6,410,
- Ultrasound matching grants totaling \$ 17,500
- · Iowa Disaster Relief \$ 5,000
- Center of Family Love Kingfisher A/C \$ 13,000
- Center of Family Love Gala Sponsorship \$ 50,000

As of the March 31st the Foundation's Assets, including unrealized gain, were \$ 1,953,165.

- \$ 58,305 held in cash or certificates of deposit
- \$ 1,749,410 invested in stocks, bonds and mutual funds
- \$ 145,450 in depreciated value of the buildings and land

Foundation Liabilities were \$ 1,783,932. The restricted funds are the Foundation's only liabilities.

Current balances for the restricted funds including unrealized gains are:

Disaster Relief Fund	\$ 248,526
365 Club	\$ 338,107
Pennies for Heaven	\$ 182,080
Special Charities	\$ 119,030
Ultrasound Fund	\$ 63.743
Wheeler Scholarship	\$ 52,047
Intellectual Dis reserved funds	\$ 400,000
Intellectual Dis non-reserved	\$ 380,399

This report is submitted by: Jerry Schmitz

Jerry Schmitz, Secretary/Treasurer

# Knights of Columbus Foundation Balance Sheet

Knights of Columbus Foundation of Oklahoma, Inc.

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ASSETS		_	0.0112010
	Current Assets		
	Checking/Savings		
	Checking- First Bank of Okarche	\$	58,305.21
	Total Checking/Savings	\$	58,305.21
	Other Current Assets		
	Raymond James		
	RJ 1620	\$	513,030.25
	RJ W334	\$	147,867.21
	Total Raymond James	s	660,897.46
	Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma	•	000,007.40
	CFO Disaster Relief		
	CFO Disaster Relief	\$	44,579.64
	CFO Tornado Relief	\$	203,946.72
	Total CFO Disaster Relief	\$	248,526.36
	CFO 365 Funds	\$	338,107.04
	CFO General Fund	\$	84,979.84
	CFO Pennies for Heaven	\$	182,080.12
	CFO Special Charities	\$	119,030.22
	CFO Ultrasound Fund	\$	63,743.00
	CFO Wheeler Funds	\$	52,046.54
	Total Catholic Foundation of Oklahoma	_	1,088,513.13
	Total Other Current Assets	_	1,749,410.59
	<b>Total Current Assets</b>		1,807,715.80
	Fixed Assets		
	Bldg & Improv	\$	2,425,889.46
	Depreciation - Accumulated	\$	(2,425,889.46)
	Land	\$	145,450.00
	Total Fixed Assets	\$	145,450.00
TOTAL ASS	ETS	\$	1,953,165.80
LIABILITIES			
LIADILITIEO	Liabilities		
	Long Term Liabilities		
	365 Club Funds	\$	338,107.04
	Disaster Relief		
	Disaster Relief Fund	\$	44,579.64
	Tornado Relief Project	\$	203,946.72
	Total Disaster Relief	\$	248,526.36
	Intellectual Disabilities Fund	•	
	ID Funds CFL Reserve	\$	400,000.00
	ID Funds NonReserve	\$	380,399.15
	Total Intellectual Disabilities Fund	\$	780,399.15
	Pennies for Heaven	\$	182,080.12
	Special Charities	\$	119,030.22
	Ultrasound Fund	\$	63,743.00
	Wheeler Funds	\$	52,046.54
	Total Long Term Liabilities	\$	1,783,932.44
	Total Liabilities	\$	1,783,932.44
	Equity		
	Opening Bal Equity		
	Retained Earnings		
	Net Income		
	Total Equity	\$	169,233.36

#### **District #1 Deputy Report**

#### **James Judge**

September& District Meeting was presented to Woodward. Since there is such a distance between Guymon, Ahra and Woodward, separate district meetings are given at the councils scheduled meetings.

Oct 27: Went to Guymon to receive the Silver Rose. Council #2974sent two 4<sup>a</sup> degree Knights with Regalia to join in the mass of the Silver Rose. Also attending were two state representatives, State advocate Chris Victor and state Warden Miguel Grijalva. The rose was transported to Woodward for a mass on the 29<sup>b</sup>, then transported by a representative from Enid on the 29<sup>b</sup>.

In December 30,31st the Marion Prayer Icon was delivered to Woodward and Guymon. Woodward priests took the Icon to aU its Mission
Churches. On January 8, the Icon was delivered to Ahra, It was also taken to its mission churches. On January 13, the Icon from Guymon was picked up plus a district meeting was presented. On the 14\* of January die Icon was picked up at Ahra and the notes of the district meeting were covered with the Treasurer. After which the Icon's were delivered to Enid.

The Knights from council *fR&lb* of Woodward dressed B regalia for a memorial service for Fattier VO, who had been a beloved priest here in Woodward.

Guymon and Woodward councils have had membership drives with no avail. Seems parishioners are not interested in joining the Knights of Columbus.

1 submit my report for inclusion in the offered minutes.

James E. Judge

**District Deputy#!** 

#### **Council # 1537Activities**

#### Alva, OK

Ash Wednesday Fish Fry for community.
\$50 donated to Alva High School for the after Pram Party.
Snow removal from church and parking lot.
Contribution, \$500.00to priest for trip to Rome and then to India.

**Grand Knight,** 

**Council #1537** 

**Woodward Council #2974e** 

**Activities Report** 

Council #2974 is located in Woodward, OK. Three scholarships were given to High School

seniors who are members of St. Peter Catholic Church. Two successful fish fries have been

held in March, with one more scheduled for April. The proceeds from these fish fries will be

given out as scholarships in May. Activities for the Council include providing a meal for a

server retreat, building a wheelchair ramp for a disabled parishioner and selling our

allotment of Gala tickets for the Center of Family Love. Donations of over seven thousand

dollars were given to the Woodward Ministerial Alliance, Community Food Pantry, Salvation

Army, Red Cross and hurricane relief.

The council is planning a Membership drive for May.

Mike Kitchens

**Grand Knight** 

Council 2974

#### **Guymon Council #3309**

#### **Activities Report**

Held one fish fry during Lent, raised approximately \$700.00

We did the tootsie roll drive for the Center of Family Love and raised approx.. \$3,800.00 with 75% going to the Center of Family Love and Panhandle area Sheltered Workshop here in Guymon.

Sponsored a pancake breakfast for rite 1<sup>st</sup> year conformation retreat kids and retreat leaders. 40 children attended.

Gave \$300.00 for vacation bible school.

Donated \$300.00 to members of the parish to help with medical expenses.

Had a picnic at a members house for all the Knights in June and then had another picnic of Knights Members in September to welcome Panhandle.

**Grand Knight** 

**Council #3309** 

#### District Deputy Report

District #2 is made up of:

Council 1004 in Enid, Council 1533 in Okeene, Council 3113 in Kingfisher, and Council 3220 in Okarche

All Councils are in good standing with the Oklahoma State Council and the Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus

Highlights for the current year:

Council 1044 had a successful garage sale, bar-b-q, and cooked pancakes on Shrove

Tuesday. All monies raised at these events was used to support the council and/or St. Joseph's School in Enid.

Council 1533 had a Lenten fish fry along with several other activities in support of the council and/or Parish

Council 3113 had several activities in support of their parish.

Council 3220 successfully petitioned Supreme to have their name changed to "Blessed Stanley Rother Council 3220.

All of the Councils in district #2 are actively seeking new members.

The provincial Silver Rose came through District #2 and stopped in Kingfisher (council 3113). The Marion Icon was displayed in and prayer/masses was said in Councils 1044, 3220, 3113.

I respectively submit this report and ask that it be added to the minutes of the 114th Oklahoma State Council of the Knights of Columbus.

Respectfully, John L. Arnbrecht March 25, 2019

Mark Janda

**District Deputy** 

Subject: 2018 Council Year Accomplishments of 15834

Over the past year, Father Bill Skeehan Council 15834 has taken on many activities.

The name of our council was changed from Church of The Resurrection to Father Bill Skeehan, the founding priest of a church who was much revered and cherished for his social justice philosophy and great homilies. Our council can now identify with the culture of our parish.

It seemed like we were always eating. Several meals were sponsored, including: Epiphany Dinner, San Jose Calasanz (Patron of Christian Schools) to mark the opening of the school year, Columbus Day meal, St Patrick's Day Meal (We honored Father Bill Skeehan at this mean and dedicated his portrait), Valentine's Day Dinner, and Shrove Tuesday Pancake meal in conjunction with our Church's cultural outreach ministry.

Family activities this year included a hayride and soccer challenge.

We support the Church of the Resurrection in many ways, including the parish clean up prior to Easter, Bibles for the RCIA candidates, and financial support for our Seminarian Gabriel Garcia.

The helping needy of our community is a major focus of our council. Every month we go to the local food bank and pick up supplies for our Parish Food Pantry. We then stock the food, help distribute the food, and provide transportation if needed. Our Church supplies a meal to the Day Center for the Homeless every month. Two of those meals are provided by our council, where we purchase the food, prepare the food, and distribute the food to 120 people at the Day Center. Our council manages the Meals on Wheels program for our church.

Right to life is important to our council. We held a Novena for Life over 9 Sunday mornings prior to Lent. During the 40 Days of Life, our council not only devoted time for prayer at the event, but we helped setup and park cars for the opening and closing ceremonies. We sponsored a table at the Go Life Gala and donated another \$100 directly to Go Life.

Religious life and the support of our church were a key focus this year. We were able to conduct a special service around the Silver Rose. We held a men's retreat on a Saturday in Lent, the first retreat of this kind to be held by our church in many years.

As community service programs for the year included volunteering at the Patriot Fest in May. We directed traffic, enrolled cars, and helped with the setup.

The most gratifying part of the year was the growth on Hispanic members in our council. Last year we added five (5) new Hispanic members to our council, we are approaching 25% Hispanic participation in our council, and these men are not the old geezer's of our church, they are the young and interested brothers.

Sadly, we had two Knights pass away last year. Chris York, an active member of our council, and Jim McCusic, a past Knight who was no longer active. Our prayers go out to their families.

Vivat Jesus

Mike Short

**Grand Knight** 



## Knights of Columbus-Bartlesville Council 1302

Dear Worthy District Deputy,

Bartlesville Council 1302 had another successful year! We held a fundraiser for The Cottage, a home for unwed mothers and raised over \$11,000.00. This is in addition to the ultrasound machine we were able to obtain for them.

We are also excited that we started a Roundtable with Immaculate Conception Parish in Pawhuska and now have over 20 members meeting every Saturday morning for breakfast.

The council coordinated the vendors and cooked hamburgers and hotdogs for the annual Freedom Fest in downtown Bartlesville for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. The event has a fireworks show at dark and draws thousands of families.

Our annual fish fry for Lent was a huge success breaking our previous year's totals. We split this money with our Home and School association that benefits St. John's Catholic School.

The family events held were a Chili supper, St. Patrick's Day supper, and pancake breakfast. Our breakfast provides support for many of our parish associations.

Our support for life events include Life Chain, 40 days for Life, and providing scholarships for the youth tour to March for Life in Washington D.C.

Respectfully submitted,

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Tim D. Bart, Grand Knight

Bartlesville Council 1302



To: Mark Janda

Subject: Activities of Knights of Columbus Council Number 7392 St. Clements of Rome Parish Bixby Oklahoma

#### Mark

It is Council 7392's privilege to report the following highlights of our activities in support of our Church, Parishioners and members during 2018. It is through the generosity of St Clements parish and our Pastor Fr. Jeff Polasek that we are able to accomplish the projects and activities we undertake.

In service to our Parish Community the Knights sponsored a spaghetti dinner on fat Tuesday as a fund raiser for the Youth group. We also put on meatless soup supper in Lent 2018 in conjunction with the Stations of the Cross.

We also put on a pancake breakfast approximately every two months as a fund raising activity and as a means to increase our visibility in the Parish Community.

#### **Activities**

Council 7392 members were able to purchase materials and with the generous donation of time to help build a ramp for a parishioner's who suffers severe mobility issues. We have done this type of project many times in the past few years.

Additionally many of our members participated in our 40 Days for Life Vigil commitments. We also had many of us participate in the March For Life rally in downtown Tulsa.

We have not neglected the fraternal aspects of our organization as we held many social events though out the year, a summer picnic, Christmas party for our members and wives and several other social get togethers through out the year.

Respectfully submitted Curtis Simms Grand Knight Council 7932 **KOFC Council #1174 Report for State.** 

This year has been a little hectic for our council due to our previous Grand Knight resigning. I will report on the information I have. When I assumed the office of Grand Knight in early November, we resumed our dinners for Wednesday CCD and youth group dinners. We have done this dinner once a month which has been very successful. We held the Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest and had excellent participation in that event. Due to trying to restore full functionality of the council we decided to not put on the annual Mardi Gras dinner this year and instead focused on Fish Fry. The Fish Fry this year has been an amazing hit among our parish and I hope it is successful to this end of Lent. We have the Cajun Fest dinner planned for early May this year.

**Grand Knight** 

Max Ashley

## jandamf@cableone.net

Subject:

Council 11959 Report

From: Robert Riley <robert.rileyjd@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 7:52 PM
To: Mark Janda <jandamf@cableone.net>

Subject: Council 11959 Report

Mark,

Here is Council 11959's report. We conducted a parish Triviafest that raised approximately \$8,000 to support out charitable activities. We have conducted five pancake breakfasts in our parish gym. We financially and prayerfully supported two fellow brother Knights who have had challenges this year. We made financial contributions to the Go Life Gala, Box of Joy, Habitat for Humanity and several of worthy causes. We made a \$1,000 contribution to support the Center of Family Love's Gala of Love which will be honoring our Monsignor Gaalaas. We supported two seminarians via RSVP. We are an active council.

Bob



#### Oklahoma State Council

## District 6 2018-2019 Convention Report

Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Supreme Representative, State Officers, Delegates and Brother Knights of Columbus:

District 6 consists of four councils, 1104 Tulsa, 6606 Broken Arrow, 13313 Tulsa and 14248 Owasso. These councils hold regular meetings, are operating within the rules of the order, and are financially sound.

Councils 1104, 6606,13313 and 14248 were active this past year with activities in Faith, Family, Community, and Life. And at all times supporting the principles of the order.

I would like to thank all the Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, and members of the District 6 councils for their help and continued support.

I would especially like to thank State Deputy John Pierce for the opportunity to serve as District Deputy.

I respectfully submit this report to the State Secretary for inclusion in the minutes of the  $114^{th}$  Oklahoma State Convention.

Fraternally Yours,

Mark T. West, District 6 Deputy

## Marian Council 1104

May - Passed Mother's Day Roses for the women of the Parish, Pancake breakfast for the Parish

June - Bag Toss event for the Men of the Parish

July - Normal Monthly meeting

August - Normal Monthly meeting

September - Bartended the School trivia night, Pancake breakfast for the Parish

October - Volunteered for the Parish Picnic, Pancake breakfast for the Parish

November - Pancake breakfast for the Parish, Turkey Drive

December - Pancake breakfast for the Parish

January - Free throw Contest for the School, Pancake Breakfast

February - Pancake breakfast for the Parish

March - Pancake breakfast for the Parish

#### Marian Council Annual Report 2018-2019

Marian Council 1104 continue to provide fraternal and charitable contributions to City of Tulsa and Christ the King Parish. Marian Council 1104 is working with Christ the King on its Centennial Celebration by conducting numerous activities for the church. We conducted monthly pancake breakfasts for the parish, donated over 1000 hours working for church for different Ministries and Services, participated in Mothers' Day Rose give away, and we made a financial contribution to the Centennial Capital Campaign. We have also donated over \$15,000 to local churches and charitable organizations over the past year. We strive to give our time, talent and treasure to the parish and the community. Our motto "Make a Difference" is being lived out by all our brothers in Marian Council 1104. 2018 was a trying year. We lost a great Knight Conrad Bergschneider. He was firm example of everything it means to be a Knight.

## Council #6606 – 2018-2019 Fraternal Year Summary

The Broken Arrow Harry L. Harper Council 6606 had another active fraternal year. The strong member support allowed our council to participate in many fun and beneficial activities. The many activities that Council 6606 participated throughout the fraternal year were:

## **Youth**

- Soccer Challenge
- Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest
- Free Throw Contest
- Easter Egg Hunt

#### Council

- Held a Rosary service for the Silver Rose
- Annual Council Christmas Party/Gift Exchange
- Quarterly Admissions Degree Ceremonies

## **Community**

- Fall Family Festival Pumpkin Carving
- Concession Support for Bishop Kelly Trivia Night
- Horseshoe Tournament
- Coats for Kids Drive (over 500 coats donated by Parishioners and Knights)
- 40 Cans for Lent Drive (1,000lbs donated by Parishioners and Knights)

#### Church

- Rosary before Masses at St. Benedict each week
- Knights served as Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Choir members and Lectors at St Anne and St Benedict
- Cook Lenten Meal for St. Anne
- Cook for St Anne Ministry of Compassion Christmas Brunch for needy families
- Participate in Hour of Adoration on Thursday evenings from 8 – 9 pm at St. Benedict
- Providing meal cooking support for various church activities at both St. Anne and St. Benedict
- Food donations to St. Anne and St. Benedict Food Pantries
- Monetary donations to St. Anne and St. Benedict Food Pantries

## Culture of Life

• Support for 40 Days of Life

The outstanding support and participation by Knights also allowed our council to participate in multiple fund raisers. The many volunteer hours of time and talents allowed our Council to provide support to multiple charities (a partial list, not meant to be inclusive: Center of Family Love, Broken Arrow Neighbors, Church food pantry, School of San Miguel, St. Gregory Scholarships, etc.).

## A list of the Council Fundraisers:

## **Fundraisers**

- Super Bowl meat cook
- Annual Horseshoe tournament
- Columbia Hall rentals
- Dances

Council business meetings are held on the 2<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. The council officers hold a meeting typically the day before the business meetings. The Council operating affairs are current (including financial audits) and in good order.

Respectfully Submitted

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Respectfully Submitted, John Crowley Grand Knight Well we've made to the end of another year.

During the past year, we continued to grow in the areas of service and spirituality. We've been busy in the parish, focusing on social outreach and expanding activities with our parish school and scouting programs. Within the council we reviewed and update our council by-law.

Outside the parish we are reaching out to the Newman community at TU and Day Center for the homeless. Both present opportunities for the Council.

Yours in Unity, Fraternity, Charity and Patriotism, Ken Dorsch, Grand Knight Council 13313

## St. Henry Catholic Church Knights of Columbus Council 14248 Annual Report for 2018-2019 Reported by Matt DeDonder – Grand Knight

## Church/Community/Youth Activities

- A Knight led the Rosary prior to every mass throughout the month of October, during Advent, during Lent, and the Easter season.
- A Knight dressed as St. Nick had breakfast with the young children on a Sunday during the Christmas season
- Organized, prepared and served two of the monthly Community meals held at St. Henry – free to public
- Organized, prepared and served two Lenten meals for St. Henry parish
- Bought cinnamon rolls for parish high school graduates and families
- Partnered with the Red Cross blood drives held at St. Henry Church throughout the year

#### **Fund Raisers**

- Organized, prepared and served breakfast after 7:30 and 10:00 am mass 3 times during the year.
- During the month of April, a metal scrap drive is held. Every type
  of metal is collected from people who have metal to dispose of and
  we sell at scrap yard. This is our largest fundraiser.
- A BBQ was planned and prepared for pre-orders of ribs, pulled pork and sausage.

#### **Council Member Activities**

- Several First Degrees held
- Officer installation
- KofC Family picnic
- Knight mass of 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday
- KofC Christmas party

#### **Donations**

During the year we contributed monies to youth group, religious education, vocation bible school, young adults, wee angels, St. Henry Church, and RSVPs for Seminarians.

#### DISTRICT # 9 ANNUAL REPORTS

#### SK STEVEN E. ROSE, DISTRICT DEPUTY #9

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Officers, Worthy District Deputies, Delegates, and Brother Knights.

District 9 consists of five very active Councils. Council 965: Chickasha, Council 1287: Lawton, Council 2604: Anadarko, Council 5168: Duncan/Marlow, and Council 11909: Lawton. The Councils are operating in accordance with the rules of the Order, are financially sound and in good standing with the Supreme and State Council.

All Councils in District 9 are working diligently in the recruiting of new members and retaining current members by utilizing the Admission and Retention Teams. Three Councils are working diligently to attain Star Council status. If achieved the District will earn Star District for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row.

All the Councils are working with their respective pastors to implement the New Faith In Action program model. Many positive comments have been made and attendance has been good. With continued progress during this change over it is hoped that each council can experience growth in faith and membership.

Some of the activities of the Councils include the following:

Council 965, Chickasha; Hosted the District 9 Soccer Challenge. Conducted a successful Lenten fish fry with the proceeds going to youth scholarships. Holds a Living Nativity each year in cooperation with the Festival of Light, hosted a very successful Marion Icon services during the Lenten season.

Council 1287, Lawton; Held a youth fishing derby, Soccer and Freethrow competition, participated in the Silver Rose, Marion Icon, and March for life program, supported St Mary's school carnival, served meals during the prison ministries program, Assembly serves at numerous parish and community activities.

Council 2604, Anadarko; Conducts monthly Pancake Breakfasts, supports parish youth with scholarships, Held fundraising raffles to support projects of the parish and support the Youth of the parish for community care projects. Although a small Council they exemplify the principles of our Order in all they do.

Council 5168, Duncan/Marlow; Supports the Duncan and Marlow parishes with needed maintenance and repairs. Supplied the needed manpower to install the new pipe organ at Assumption Church, hosted a very successful Lenten fish fry for the communities of Marlow/Duncan. Fulfilled an annual fish fry request for local Veterans.

Council 11909, Lawton; Supports St Mary's school with scholarship awards. Cooks an annual Thanksgiving dinner for the parish Community. Hosted the District 9 Freethrow competition, Hosts an annual Mardi Gras celebration keeping with Catholic traditions. Holds Lenten food drives for the St Vincent De Paul society. Hosted a Major Degree for February 2019

In closing I wish to Thank Worthy State Deputy SK John Pierce for allowing me the honor of serving as District Deputy for District 9 for the past 4 years. It has been a most rewarding experience of a lifetime to participate in the vision of our Founder, the Venerable Fr Michael J McGivney to keep his vision alive and sharing it with others. Thank you to all the Worthy Grand Knights and Council Officers of District 9 for your most appreciated cooperation and support during my term. I look forward to continued service with District 9 and the Oklahoma State Council.

I respectfully submit this report to the Worthy State Secretary and move that it and the detailed Council activity reports be adopted into the minutes of the 114<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Convention.

Vivat Jesus! Fraternally

Steven E Rose District Deputy 9

#### Knights Of Columbus Council 1287 Activity Report Fraternal Year 2018-2019

Church Activities

Honor Guard for Archbishop Honor Guard for Veterans Day Fellowship Breakfast at Golden Corral monthly. Served Thanksgiving Dinner at Blessed Sacrament Church 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Honor Guard

**Community Activities** 

Prison Ministry Breakfast Saint Mary's School Carnival Coats for Kids

**Council Activities** 

Council Officer Installation Formed Roundtable at Ft Sill Pancake Breakfast for 1st Responders Monthly Pancake breakfast Council Meetings

**Family Activities** 

Supported Special Olympics on Ft Sill Youth Fishing derby Soccer Challenge Free Throw Competition Consecration to the Holy Family at Ft Sill Family Potluck/Bingo Family Christmas Council website training

Numerous spaghetti, bean, and meatloaf fundraisers were held throughout the fraternal year.

John Wells Grand Knight Council 1287

## Knights Of Columbus Council 2604 Activity Report Fraternal Year 2018-2019 Council 2604 Anadarko, OK

The 1st Sunday of the month, we have either a pancake/french toast breakfast with sausage or a biscuit and gravy breakfast.

Every other Sunday, we serve doughnuts, cookies, coffee and juice.

Scholarships given to parish members.

Provided monetary assistance to Youth program.

2604 plays a roll in the setting up and taking down of decorations for holiday season including but not limited to the Nativity set up in front of die church; donating time and labor.

Completed re-striping of the church parking lot.

Glenn Britten Grand Knight Council 2604

#### Knights of Columbus Council 5168

#### Fraternal Year 2018 - 2019

#### Duncan/Marlow/Walters/Ryan, OK

#### Church:

Provide an Honor Guard for Easter Vigil Mass & Christmas Mass.

Knights and Spouses prepare & serve Fish Fry dinners on Lenten Fridays. Assist Pastor in decorating Church for Christmas Season.

Have two Church Cleanup days. Duncan & Marlow.

Lead monthly Rosary's in Duncan & Marlow.

Several Members assist in Choir, Usher and Lector activities.

Member leads RCIA weekly sessions along with several members as Catechist.

#### Community:

Several Members donate Blood during the year.

Provide labor twice monthly at the Assumption Food Bank. Assist in unloading, loading operations. Donate \$500 to Marlow Samaritans (Community Food & Clothing Bank)

Hold Community Garage Sale in July.

Conducted 4 Bingo Night events, community welcome.

#### Other Activities:

Clear church sidewalks of ice and snow during winter. Restriped Parking areas around the Marlow Church. Provide lawncare services for Marlow Church. Removed and installed new lights in RE Bldg. Duncan Assisted in Painting Parish Meeting room in Duncan.

Jim Anderson Grand Knight Council 5168

## Knights Of Columbus Council 965 Activity Report Fraternal Year 2018- 2019

## April 24,2019

Council 965 has 1 new member of the 4 needed. Insurance we have 0 of the 3 needed. Holy Name is had a Stewardship Fair on Sunday April 14. We are making our big push to recruit at this time. We are well on our way to achieve our activities goals.

- 1. Several members helped organize and work the fall Halloween Festival..
- 2. Several members are regular blood donors.
- 3. In November we ran the coffee and donuts after mass.
- 4. Did a pancake and sausage breakfast for the parish in November and will again in May.
- 5. Knights helped the Altar Society put on the Thanksgiving dinner for the parish.
- 6. Several members helped at the community wide Thanksgiving dinner.
- 7. Several members and families performed the Living Nativity at the Festival of Light.
- 8. All members helped the Council have a very successful Lenten Fish Fry.
- 9. Ten members and families helped perform Living Stations of the Cross.
- 10. The Council will be giving our scholarships, and donating to Holy Name, food bank, Pregnancy Testing and Guidance Center, CFL, and a seminarian.
- 11. Will do another Pancake and Sausage breakfast on Mothers Day.

Richard Paschel Grand Knight Council 965 Knights Of Columbus Oklahoma State Convention April 26, 27, 28, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, State Council Officers, All Past State Officers and Brother Knights:

It has been an honor and privilege to have served as a District Deputy these past 5 years. Thank you to Past State Deputy and Supreme Treasurer Ron Swartz, Past State Deputy Bob Melko and State Deputy John Pierce for entrusting me with this position. Two of the councils assigned to District 10, 5354 - St Gregory Shawnee and 12382 - Sulphur/Madill are inactive councils. Councils 1018 - Shawnee, 5160 - Ada, 11648 - Purcell and 16048 - Prague are in good standing with Supreme and State Councils and are operating within the Laws and Rules of the Order. All councils are active in the Principles of the Order, Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

Council 11648 - Purcell is heavily involved With Our Lady of Victory Parish and has a strong relationship with the Pastor and Associate Pastor. Council has dh annual gold tournament that supports many charities. Council continues to award several college scholarships. Council has been host for many dinners, pancake breakfasts and social events for parish.

Council members help in grounds and building maintenance, they serve as Lector's, Eucharist ministers, greeters and also serve on the parish council. At present Council 11648 has attained 200% Membership and 33% Insurance quotas and have another Admissions Degree scheduled next month.

16048 Prague is becoming a more active council. At present they have met 50% Membership and 33% insurance quotas. Council awarded 4 college scholarships this year. Members serve on Parish Council, they are Lector's, Eucharist ministers and are actively involved with the Infant Jesus of Prague Shrine. The council cooks and serves meal on Pilgrimage days, they were host to four Lenten Fish Frys, 2 at St Wenceslaus and 2 at St Michaels in Meeker. Council also has quarterly pancake breakfasts at both parishes.

Council 16048 is most proud of grading, purchasing and spreading gravel on a ashes out rural driveway for a Brother Knight in need.

Thank you to all the current and Past Grand Knights and to all the Brother Knights for your support in keeping District 10 strong in Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Vivat
Jesus Ron
Crews
District
Deputy
#10



District #11 Report to the 114th State Convention of Oklahoma Knights Of Columbus

Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Supreme Representative Worthy State Officers, Delegates and Brother Knights of Columbus

District #11 includes the following councils:

Council 916 – St Mary's, Guthrie Council 6477 – St John The Baptist, Edmond Council 10822 – St Eugene, Oklahoma City Council 11237 – St Monica, Edmond Council 12669 – Christ The King, Oklahoma City

All councils are active, financially sound and are operating within the Laws and Rules of the Order. All councils support their Pastors and serve their parishes in a manner that reflects favorably upon the order. They have demonstrated the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

All councils in District 11 strive to recruit new and retain current members; and encourage participation in the Knights of Columbus Insurance program. I am looking forward to councils 916, 10822 & 11237 earning star council this year.

I have included in this report the Highlights of the activities reported by each of the councils in District 11. Their Full Reports are attached to this report.

Council 916 in Guthrie. Council conducts 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday rosaries, Sunday Brunches and a Fish Fry during Lent. The Council has increased their presents in the parish greatly.

Council 6477 in Edmond holds monthly pancake breakfasts during the school year as a fundraiser, donating the money to charitable causes. Cooked a Fish Fry during Lent. At Christmas time, they had a Christmas Party at the Center of Family Love complete with Santa Claus. The Council is very close to building a new Council Hall.

Council 10822 in Oklahoma City had a very successful year. Some of the programs include serving ice-cream to RE students; Council work day at the Center of Family Love, donation

to Birth Choice, Council Christmas Party; Spaghetti Dinner supporting Friends of Bolivia Medical Mission; and monthly Pancake Breakfasts.

Council 11237 in Edmond is a very active council, supporting all parish activities - with monthly Pancake Breakfasts during the school year and weekly Fish Fry during Lent. Donations from these activities support our Seminarians, donating \$2000 to each of 2 seminarians. "Dinner with Father" was a highlighted activity. Council has recruited 100% of its membership quota and 60% of its insurance quota. This Council could make Star Council with a little work!!!

Council 12669 in Oklahoma City. The primary event was the Annual Valentine's Dance in February raising over \$15,000.00; the majority of which will be used to fund scholarships for the school.

I wish to thank our Worthy State Deputy John Peirce for allowing me the privilege of serving the Knights of Columbus of Oklahoma and especially the Grand Knights, all council officers and the membership of District 11 for their cooperation and support.

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## St Mary's Council 916 Council 916, Bishop Meerschaert, Guthrie, OK

- 1. 100% on membership goal
- 2. 33% on Insurance

#### 2018 Council Report

It was actually a very good year for Council 916 as we raised almost \$16,000 and we spent almost \$16,000. We bought a new ice machine and commercial sink sprayer for the school cafeteria (\$2800), We held our annual fish fry that while attendance was very low we netted \$1,800 for our charities. Jim Holman, Jeff Shields, Robert Carey, Charlie Bohan, and many others repaired the pews in the church and re-stained them last summer. We had two social

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We held nine Sunday breakfasts throughout the year. Doc Heller was very active in the Special Olympics program and is the MC of their annual dinner and fundraiser. Brother Johnny Ledington coordinates food pick-up and distribution each Thursday for God's Food Bank.

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## St John the Baptist 6477 Edmond

Council 6477 report of activities for the 114th State Convention.

# Council 6477 Activity Summary Report March 2018 Thru February 2019

- Conducted 9 monthly Breakfast Buffets during the year.
- Conducted a regular business meeting each month of the year.
- A Knight and a Family of the Month was announced each month of the year.
- Many members participated in the 40 Days for Life activity.
- At least a dozen or more major cash donations were made during the year.
- Many hours were spent maintaining the current council meeting area and planning to construct a new council meeting building.
- Our council provided the Honor Guard for the Parish Corpus Christi procession in the streets surrounding or Church and School.
- Our council participated in the Honor Guard and Knights of Columbus Float during the Edmond City July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade.

- Several meetings were held to understand, define and appoint Directors for the new Service Program Organization Structure.
- Many members and family assisted with the St. Gregory's need to move a library of books from one building to another.
- Our council participated in the Silver Rose Journey.
- Our council sold Keeping Christ in Christmas cards after all masses.
- Our council participated in the Coats for Kids program.
- Many helped load the Peru Mission Container for shipment to our sister Parish in Peru.

## St Eugene Council 10822, Oklahoma City

- 1. 21% on the Membership Goal
- 2. 60% on the Insurance goal

## No Report

#### St Monica's Council 11237 Edmond

- St. Monica, Edmond, Council 11237 reports the following:
  - 1. As of 31 March, 2018 the council has attained the following:
  - 2. 100% of the membership quota thus qualifying for the McGivney Award
  - 3. 60% of our insurance quota thus qualifying for the Founder's award
  - 4. We have achieved the required activities in all 4 programs thus qualifying for the Columbian Award
  - 5. All our council assessments are paid as of April 2019.

## **Council Report - 2019 (11237)**

Cook food (grill hamburgers) for parish festival 8/25/18 Pancake breakfasts - 2nd Sunday each month (breakfast w/ St Nicholas in December)

Adopt-A-Street (litter pickup) for Western Ave from Danforth-Covell – two litter pick up days.

Silver Rose at Mass on 11/1/18 - Knights led Rosary before Mass

CFL Workdays - picture published in Oklahoma Knight – Oct. 2018 (see next page)

Held dinner for council with priests 2/22/19

Participation in OK Men's Conference 3/9 – Spiritual Reflection

Fish Fry for parish every Friday during Lent

Consecration to the Holy Family - 3/23, 3/24

Help parishioner with move in March



Since our last issue, the Knights from Council 11237 (Edmond, St. Monica) helped with the construction of a new greenhouse at the Center of Family Love. The CoFL residents will be using this greenhouse for their winter crops.

Did you know the Center of Family Love must raise \$10,000 annually to meet each of their resident's needs? The Center of Family Love never charges their residents or their families for the care they provide in the event they cannot afford to live there. Incidentally, 99% of their residents require Medicaid support for their needs.

To assist the COFL with their mission to provide quality lifetime care to individuals with developmental disabilities, the Knights are embarking on "The Love Challenge". This program aims to challenge Catholic parishes across Oklahoma to adopt one intellectually and physically disabled friend who lives at the Center of Family Love. Parishes are called to designate a Team Champion to assist with The Love Challenge at their local level. Team Champions and parishes will be given marketing and support materials to assist in this challenge.

If you'd like to help the CFL with their most vital mission of love, please contact them at 405) 263-4658; 635 West Texas Ave.; Okarche, OK 73762 or donate online at centeroffamilylove.org.

## Christ the King Council 12669, Oklahoma City

## 1. Membership 33% of the Goal

## 2. Insurance 100% of the Goal

No Report

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## St John the Baptist 6477 Edmond

Council 6477 report of activities for the 114th State Convention.

# Co<u>uncil</u> 6477 A<u>ct</u>ivity S<u>umm</u>ary Report M<u>arch</u> 2018 Thru February 2019

- Conducted 9 monthly Breakfast Buffets during the year.
- Conducted a regular business meeting each month of the year.

District #11 Report to the 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention of Oklahoma Knights Of Columbus Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Supreme Representative Worthy State Officers, Delegates and Brother Knights of Columbus

District #11 includes the following councils:

Council 916 - St Mary's, Guthrie Council 6477 - St John The Baptist, Edmond Council 10822 - St Eugene, Oklahoma City Council 11237 - St Monica, Edmond Council 12669 - Christ The King, Oklahoma City

All councils are active, financially sound and are operating within the Laws and Rules of the Order. All councils support their Pastors and serve their parishes in a manner that reflects favorably upon the order. They have demonstrated the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity

and Patriotism.

All councils in District 11 strive to recruit new and retain current members; and encourage participation in the Knights of Columbus Insurance program. I am looking forward to councils 916,10822 & 11237 earning star council this year. I have included in this report the Highlights of the activities reported by each of the councils in District 11. Their Full Reports are attached to this report.

Council 916 in Guthrie. Council conducts 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday rosaries, Sunday Brunches and a Fish Fry during Lent. The Council has increased their presents in the parish greatly.

Council 6477 in Edmond holds monthly pancake breakfasts during the school year

as a fundraiser, donating the money to charitable causes. Cooked a Fish Fry during Lent. At Christmas time, they had a Christmas Party at the Center of Family Love complete with Santa Claus. The Council is very close to building a new Council Hall.

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative,

State Officers, District Deputies, and brother Knights.

District 12 serves 5 councils, 8523 St. Thomas More of Norman, 9901 St. Andrew of Moore, 12108 St. Marks of Norman, 12819 St. Joseph of Norman and 16367 University of Oklahoma. Each of these council are in good standing and in compliance with the laws and rules of our Order. Here are a few of the main accomplishments of each council.

#### St. Thomas More Council 8523

After a successful hosting of the 2018 State Convention they began their fraternal year with a 4<sup>th</sup> of July cookout attended by many members and the parish. They than began their fundraising for the Center of Family Love Challenge and continued by selling parking at the OU football games, raising over \$25,000 that also supported Willow Pregnancy, St. Vincent De Paul, Food and Shelter for friends, Okla. Catholic Broadcasting, Holy Innocence Foundation, Little Blessing and local Parish needs.

### St. Andrew Council 9901

Once a month pancake breakfasts where donations are accepted and the proceeds benefit a designated charity such as Willow Pregnancy Support, The Rose Home, Center of Family Love, St. Vincent De Paul, Boy Scouts, St Andrew's Youth, Moore Faith Med. Center. Each Breakfast has raised \$400 to \$850. They held their annual Easter egg hunt for the youth. And they stuffed 6000 eggs filled with candy along with prizes that included bicycles and tricycles. And will hold their annual youth fishing tournament at a local lake.

### St. Marks Council 12108

Their council breakfasts proceeds support charities of St. Marks youth group, Willow Pregnancy support, Ampng Friends, St. Marks boy scouts, St. Vincent De Paul, and the Center of Family Love ChailengeQThey also headed the Prolife Billboard campaign with 10 electronic billboards in Okla. City, Edmond, Yukon, Norman and Del City. They also hosted their annual Valentines Dinner catered by the Out Back Steakhouse/)

### St. Joseph Council 12819

They sponsored parish bingo using proceeds to purchase must need items for the parish. Held their first annual soccer challenge, supported the district soccer challenge. Also did the Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest. They prepared and

served a parish Thanksgiving dinner for 650 to 700 people. They did the Knights Toy Box Drive for Christmas and delivered them to

the J.D. McCarty Center. Also held the Knights basketball free throw contest and the district contest.

University of Okia. Council 16367

They helped plan and set up Campus Ministry Kickoff to welcome new and returning . students. They prayed a 2am Holy Hour every Thursday at the perpetual adoration chapel at St. Josephs. Hosted college night for students and presented a short history of the Knights of Columbus to attending students. They also attended the College Conference in New Haven CT. They cooked and served lunch at Norman Food and Shelter for Friends. They also attended and served at Mass during Oklahoma Catholic Men's Conference.

#### District 12

There were 12 admission degrees, two formation and knighting degrees and 1 patriotic degree. We have two, star councils.

I would like to express my gratitude to the State Deputy John Pierce for giving me the opportunity to serve as the District Deputy for district 12 and honored to have served and worked with the council officers of each council in this district. I ask that this report along with the Grand Knights reports of district 12 be submitted for inclusion in the minutes of the 2019 Okla. Knights of Columbus State Convention.

# Fraternal Year 2018-2019 Report of Activities COUNCIL 12108

JUNE 30, 2018 TO JUNE 30, 2019

Sent - March 16, 2019

### **JULY**

JULY - DONUT SUNDAYS

We are scheduled for Donut Sundays on the following dates: July 22, 29

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by Founders Hall before or after the Masses on Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29\*. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet your fellow Knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

schedule for Donut Sunday into three shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to serve the donuts and/or help with set up or clean up.

To volunteer, please contact James Healy at 520-235-7949

We divided the volunteer 7:30 AM to 8:30 AM - Set Up

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM - After 8:00 AM Mass Serving & Set Up for 10:30 AM Mass Serving 11:30 AM

to 12:30 PM - After 10:30 AM Mass Serving & Clean Up

### JULY 28 - INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The Installation of Officers will be held following the 5:00 PM Mass in Apostles Chapel on July 28. Following the installation of officers, we will have a Dutch Treat meal at the Red Lobster Restaurant located at 302 North Interstate Drive.

If you are planning to attend the dinner, please **RSVP** to

405-923-4580 or rllarchick@gmail.com no later than July 25.

# AUGUST 'foo Featured

# **Committee**

# Community Committee chaired by Jeff Hemphill

### **AUGUST - DONUT SUNDAYS**

We are scheduled for **DONUT SUNDAYS** on the following dates: **August 5, 26** 

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by before or after the Masses on each of our Donut Sundays in Founders Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to get to meet your fellow Knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

We divided the volunteer schedule for Donut Sunday into three shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to serve the donuts and/or help with set up or clean up.

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12:30 PM - After 10:30 AM Mass Serving & Clean Up AUGUST 7 - BUSINESS MEETING

A short business meeting will be held at 7:00 PM after the closing of the Tuesday Garage Sale shift.

### AUGUST 7-11 - GARAGE SALE

Our annual Garage Sale will be held on August 11.

Our Worthy Recording Secretary Chris Meyers has posted the work schedule.

### **AUGUST 13 - ADMISSION DEGREE**

There will be an Admission Degree held in the Lake Room on Monday, August 13, 2018. Candidates are to arrive by 6:30 PM and the Admission Degree will begin at 7:00 PM. Please come out and support our degree team and welcome the new members. This is a wonderful opportunity for all of our members to display the Principle of Unity.

### AUGUST 16 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM.

### AUGUST 19 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

We divided the volunteer schedule for Council Breakfasts into five shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to help with set up, cooking, serving and clean up. The council breakfast proceeds support the charities of the St. Mark Youth Group, Birth Choice, Among Friends, St. Mark Boy Scouts and St. Vincent de Paul.

### Support for 8:00 AM Mass -12 men needed

7:00 AM to 8:00 AM Founders Hall Set Up

7:00 AM to 9:00 AM Breakfast Preparation

9:15 AM to 10:15 AM Serving, Clean Up and Restocking for next Breakfast Serving

Support for 10:30 AM Mass -12 men needed

10:00 AM to 11:45 AM Breakfast Preparation 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM Serving and Clean Up

### **SEPTEMBER**

# Featured Committee Life Committee

chaired by Vic Munding

SEPTEMBER 1 - SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER

We divided the volunteer schedule for SATURDAY NIGHT DINNERS into four shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to help with set up, cooking, serving and clean up. The proceeds

from the Saturday Night Dinners support the Center of Family Love -

10:00 AM - Noon Love Project.

Noon - 3:30 PM 3:30 Food Preparation (4 to 5 men needed) Mexican Dinner Only

PM - 6:00 PM 6:00 Food Preparation (2 to 3 men needed)

PM - 8:30 PM Set Up and Food Preparation (5 to 6 men needed)

Serving Food and Wine and Clean Up (8 to 10 men needed)

### SEPTEMBER 4 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and the Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### SEPTEMBER - DONUT SUNDAYS

We are scheduled for DONUT SUNDAYS on the following dates: September 2, 9, 23, 30

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by before or after the Masses on each of our Donut Sundays in Founders Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to get to meet your fellow Knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

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### SEPTEMBER 20 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

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# **Featured Committee**

# RRP (Recruitment, Retention, Public Relations) chaired by Eric Eder, Robert Winstead and Don Espinosa

### OCTOBER 2 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and the Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### OCTOBER 7 - DONUT SUNDAY

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### OCTOBER 7 - ST. MARK K of C COUNCIL 12108 FAMILY CORPORATE COMMUNION

All Knights and their families and members of the Ladies Auxiliary are invited to sit together in a reserved section during the 10:30 AM Mass. We will sit on the Mary side of the main altar in the east section. As you face the statue of Mary, the east section will be to your right. This is an excellent opportunity for us to display the Principle of Unity. Please wear your name badges and green shirts (not required) if possible. There will be Knights stationed in the church to assist you. We invite everyone to join us in Founders Hall for donuts following the Mass.

### OCTOBER 7 TO 21 - CHURCH DRIVE

Our Church will conduct a Church Recruitment Drive to attract new members to the K of C. OCTOBER

### 18 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM OCTOBER 21

### - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

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### OCTOBER 28 - MAJOR DEGREE (FORMATION AND KNIGHT DEGREES)

There will be a Major Degree held in the Lake Room on Sunday, October 28, 2018. Candidates are to arrive by 12:30 PM. The Formation (Second) Degree will begin at 1:00 PM. The candidates will meet in the church library. This is an excellent opportunity for our first-degree members to take their major degrees. Please come out and support the degree team and welcome the new members while displaying the Principle of Unity. There will be a meal following the Major Degree in Founders Hall.

# **NOVEMBER**

# Featured Committee

# Faith Committee chaired by Matt Harris

### **NOVEMBER 4 - DONUT SUNDAY**

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### **NOVEMBER 6 - BUSINESS MEETING**

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and the Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### **NOVEMBER 12 - ADMISSION DEGREE**

There will be an Admission Degree held in the Lake Room on Monday, November 12. Candidates are to arrive by 6:30 PM and the Admission Degree will begin at 7:00 PM. Please come out and support our degree team and welcome the new members.

### NOVEMBER 15 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM

### **NOVEMBER 18 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST**

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**DECEMBER** 

# Featured Committee

# Family Committee chaired by Joel Burch am

### **DECEMBER 2 - DONUT SUNDAY**

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by before or after the Masses on each of our Donut Sundays in Founders Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet your fellow knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

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### DECEMBER 6 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and the Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### DECEMBER ?? - NORMAN CHRISTMAS PARADE (DATE TO BE DETERMINED)

We will have a KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS entry in the Norman Christmas Parade.

### **DECEMBER 15 - ADVENT PARTY**

The Advent Party will be held in Founders Hall following the 5:00 PM Saturday night Mass. DECEMBER

### 15 - FIRST NOTICE MAILED

The First Dues Notice will be sent to the members on December 15.

DECEMBER - OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN MEETING and COUNCIL BREAKFAST

# No December Council Breakfast No December Council Leadership Team Meeting JANUARY

# Featured Committee

### Life Committee chaired by Vic Munding

### JANUARY 6 - DONUT SUNDAY

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by before or after the Masses on each of our Donut Sundays in Founders Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet your fellow Knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

We divided the volunteer schedule for Donut Sunday into three volunteer shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to serve the donuts and/or help with set up or clean up.

Please sign up to work on the council website at www.kofc12108.org.

### JANUARY 8 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### JANUARY 17 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM.

### JANUARY 18 - MARCH FOR LIFE IN WASHINGTON, DC

### JANUARY 20 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

We divided the volunteer schedule for Council Breakfasts into five shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to help with set up, cooking, serving and clean up. The council breakfast proceeds support the charities of the St. Mark Youth Group, Birth Choice,

Among Friends, St. Mark Boy Scouts and St. Vincent de Paul and the Center of Family Love - Love Project.

Please go to the event calendar on the council website at <a href="www.kofcl 2108.org">www.kofcl 2108.org</a> and sign up to work the Council Breakfast.

### JANUARY 26 - STATE BOWLING TOURMNAMENT

The State Bowling Tournament will be held at the AMF Boulevard Lanes located at 3501 South Blvd Lanes Edmond, OK 73013. Contact James E. Yusko Council 11237 ieme.@sbcalobal.net H

### **FEBRUARY**

# <u>Featured Committee</u> Community Committee chaired by Tony Gianino

### FEBRUARY 3 - DONUT SUNDAY

We invite all Knights and their families to stop by before or after the Masses on each of our Donut Sundays in Founders Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet your fellow Knights. Please remember to wear your name badges. We will have temporary name badges available.

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### Please sign up to work on the council website at www.kofc12108.org.

### FEBRUARY 5 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### FEBRUARY 6 - ROSE DAY AT THE OKLAHOMA STATE CAPITOL

### FEBRUARY 11 - ADMISSION DEGREE

There will be an Admission Degree held in the Lake Room on Monday, November 12. Candidates are to arrive by 6:30 PM and the Admission Degree will begin at 7:00 PM. Please come out and support our degree team and welcome the new members.

### FEBRUARY 17 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

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Please go to the event calendar on the council website at <a href="https://www.kofcl2108.org">www.kofcl2108.org</a> and sign up to work the Council Breakfast.

The Outback Dinner will be held in Founders Hall. Seating will begin at 6:00 PM and the meal will start at 6:30.

# **MARCH**

# Featured Committee

# RRP (Recruitment, Retention, Public Relations chaired by Eric Eder, Robert Winstead and Don Espinosa

### MARCH 2 - COUNCIL 12108 FAMILY CORPORATE COMMUNION

All Knights and their families and members of the Ladies Auxiliary are invited to sit together in a reserved section during the 5:00 pm Mass. We will sit on the Mary side of the main altar in the east section. As you face the statue of Mary, the east section will be to your right. This is an excellent opportunity for us to display the Principle of Unity.

Please wear your name badges and green shirts (not required) if possible. There will be Knights stationed in the church to assist you. We invite everyone to join us in Founders Hall for the Chili Supper

following the Mass.

### MARCH 2 - SATURDAY NIGHT CHILI SUPPER

We invite everyone to attend the Saturday Night Chili Supper in Founders Hall following the 5:00 PM Mass. There will be more information on the Chili Supper after the Outback Dinner.

We divided the volunteer schedule for SATURDAY NIGHT MEALS into four shifts. This gives all Knights the opportunity to volunteer to help with set up, cooking, serving and clean up.

The Saturday Night Meals support the Center of Family Love - Love Project and serves as a means of fellowship for our church family.

Please sign up to work on the council website at www.kofc12108.org MARCH 3 -

### MAJOR DEGREE (FORMATION AND KNIGHTHOOD DEGREES)

There will be a Major Degree held at St. Andrew's Catholic Church. Candidates are to arrive by 12:30 AM. The Formation (Second) Degree will begin at 1:00 pm. If you are planning on attending this degree please contact our District Deputy Frank Bruehl at (405) 650-0396 Email <a href="mailto:popfcb@qmail.com">popfcb@qmail.com</a> or St. Mark the Evangelist Council 12108 Recruitment Chairman Eric Eder at <a href="mailto:ERICEDER@GMAIL.COM">ERICEDER@GMAIL.COM</a>.

St. Andrew's Catholic Church is located at 800 NW 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Moore, OK 73160. Members and candidates can enter the doors of St. Andrew's Church on the west side (south end).

### MARCH 5 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### MARCH 6 - ASH WEDNESDAY

### MARCH 9 - CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

The Catholic Men's Conference will be held on March 9, 2019 at the Embassy Suites and Conference Center from 8:45 AM to 4:30 PM. The doors will open at 7:45 AM.

### MARCH 17 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

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Please go to the event calendar on the council website at <a href="www.kofc12108.org">www.kofc12108.org</a> and sign up to work the Council Breakfast.

### MARCH 21 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Mark in Room 102 beginning at 6:30 PM.

### MARCH 22 - LENTEN MEAL

We invite everyone to attend the Saturday Night Dinner in Founders Hall following the Stations of the Cross. The meal will be prepared by Alice and Louis Triana.

Please sign up to volunteer to help with the Lenten Meal on the council website at <a href="https://www.kofc12108.org">www.kofc12108.org</a>.

### MARCH 30-31 - FIFTH SUNDAY COLLECTION

We will need help with the Fifth Sunday Collection following all the weekend Masses. We will need Knights collecting money at every church exit. Please wear your green shirts and name badges.

The Fifth Sunday Collection supports our Center of Family Love - Love Project. Brother Robert Winstead has graciously volunteered to lead the Fifth Sunday Collection. Please step forward to volunteer to help with this worthwhile project.

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# **Featured Committee**

# Faith Committee chaired by Matt Harris

### APRIL 2 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### APRIL 7 - COUNCIL BREAKFAST

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Please go to the event calendar on the council website at <a href="www.kofc12108.org">www.kofc12108.org</a> and sign up to work the Council Breakfast.

### APRIL 5 - LENTEN MEAL

There will be a Lenten meal in Founders Hall following the Stations of the Cross.

### APRIL 18 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM.

### APRIL 21 - EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 26-27- 28 - STATE CONVENTION

The Oklahoma Knights of Columbus Convention will be held in Edmond.

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# **Featured Committee**

# Family Committee chaired by Joel Burch am

### **MAY 2 - DONUT SUNDAY CANCELED**

There **will NOT** be a donut Sunday.

### MAY 7 - BUSINESS MEETING

Pot Luck Dinner beginning at 6:00 PM, Prolife Rosary at 7:00 PM and Business Meeting begins at 7:30 PM for the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary.

### MAY 13 - ADMISSION DEGREE

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### MAY 16 - COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

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# Featured Committee Community Committee chaired by Tony Gianino

### JUNE 2 - DONUT SUNDAY

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### JUNE 4 - BUSINESS MEETING

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### JUNE 20 -- COUNCIL LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

There will be a meeting for officers and committee chairmen at St. Marks in Room 102 at 6:30 PM.

COUNCIL BREAKFAST - CANCELED

# There will NOT be a <u>JUNE</u> Council Sunday Breakfast.

Attest: Grand Knight Ronald Larchick Membership Number 468481

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### Grand Knights Report for the fraternal year

Chris Dalton < <a href="mailto:crdalton81@gmail.com">crdalton81@gmail.com</a>>
To: Frank Bruehl <a href="mailto:cpopfcb@gmail.com">cpopfcb@gmail.com</a>>

Wed, Apr 3, 2:56 PM

The 2018-19 year was an eventful one for Council 8523. After a successful hosting of the state convention we began our fraternal year with a 4th of July cookout attended by many members of our council and St. Thomas More Parish. Also during the summer, we hosted a lunch for our local Totus Tuus campers, and began fundraising the Center of Family Love Challenge. We continued our primary general fundraiser in the fall by selling parking at the OU football games, raising over \$25,000 that supported Birthchoice, St. Vincent De Paul, Food and Shelter for Friends, Oklahoma Catholic Broadcasting, Holy Innocence Foundation, Little Blessings and local Parish needs. We supported our campus ministry group by providing several meals in addition to financial support. We were involved in several community activities including the Norman Christmas Parade, Salvation Army Bell Ringing and supporting our local Parish Blessings Box. We have conducted many spiritual activities this year, including a Novena for Life in November, Consecration to the Holy Family in December, and a Day of Spiritual Reflection in March, led by our chaplain. Perhaps our greatest activity this year was in support of the Center of Family Love Challenge by working with the COFL residents to make tie- dye t-shirts, which our council sold at several Norman Parishes. We have raised over \$1000 from this fundraiser so far. [Quoted text hidden]

### **Knighjts of Columbus Council 9901**

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Worthy District Deputy,

This past year has has been a busy one for Council 9901. Our Activities include:

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Once a month we serve breakfast between the two Sunday morning Masses. Donations are accepted and the proceeds benefit a designated charity. We have been able to support BirthChoice, The Rose Home, Center of Family Love, St. Vincent de Paul, Boy Scouts, St Andrew's Youth, Moore Faith Medical Center, and in-patients at the

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### Pecan Sales

This is our primary fundraiser. We purchase pecans from a grower and sell them in the community. This year we purchased 1,800 pounds of pecans, packaged them and sold them in less than two weeks, netting in excess of \$4,000.

### Website

We established a U-Knight website this year. It has been very helpful in improving Council communications.

# Lenten fish fry

On Friday evenings during Lent we serve a fried catfish dinner for members of the parish following The Way of the Cross Services.

# Easter Egg Hunt

We hold an Easter Egg Hunt for our youth every Easter. This year we have 6,000 eggs filled with candy, along with prizes that include bicycles and tricycles.

# Spring Youth Fishing Tournament

In May we will hold a Fishing tournament for youth at a local park. We serve lunch and have prizes for the kids.

Council 9901 has made an effort to be more active and, therefore, more visible in our parish community. This has had a positive impact on recruiting new and particularly younger men to

**Grand Knight Report** 

for Fraternal Year 2018-2019

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# Knights of Columbus Council #12819

### July 2018

- 7/8 Knights Breakfast, Patriotic Setting
- 7/13 Sponsored Parish Bingo using proceeds to purchase needed items for the Parish
- 7/21 Held Officers Installation after 5 pm Mass and a social afterwards.
- 7/29 Held 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosary in Church

### August 2018

• 8/12 - Knights Breakfast with Family Week special promotion

### September 2018

- 9/15 All Parish Dinner and Volunteer Celebration. Put on by the Parish but handled by the Knights and the Women's club
- 9/16 Knights Breakfast
- 9/16 Councils First Annual Soccer Challenge
- 9/22 Supported the Regional Soccer Challenge
- Started the Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest with the RE kids. We will judge and have winners displayed at our November Knights Breakfast

### October 2018

- 10/7 Memorial Mass held for the Deceased Knights for Council 12819 with a Social after.
- 10/9 Held special meeting to go over Financial processes
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- 10/14 Knights Breakfast
- 10/31 Knights watch over St. Joseph's Cemetery

### November 2018

- 11/2 Knights served dinner at Bingo
- 11/4 Knights Breakfast, will display the winners of the Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest
- 11/8 11 Prepared and served a Parish Thanksgiving Dinner for 650 to 700 people
- 11/24 Started the Knights Toy Box Drive for Christmas Toys

### December 2018

- 12/9 Knights Breakfast, displayed the Keep Christ in Christmas posters again
- 12/8 Had a Float in the Norman Christmas Parade with the Nativity Scene using members from a family in the Parish. Keeping Christ in Christmas Theme
- 12/13 Knights Council Christmas Party at the Olive Garden Toys Collected for the Knights Toy Box
- 12/14 Toys delivered to the J.D McCarty Center from Knights Toy Box
- 12/15 Knights set up the Nativity Scene outside the Parish Church
- 12/20 Helped provide dinner and toys from Knights Toy Box for the Women's Sanctuary (Catholic Charities)

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- 12/29 12/30 Handed out at each Mass (English and Hispanic) and prayed in each Mass the Cards for the Consecration of the Holy Family
- 12/30 5\* Sunday Rosary -

### January 2019

- 1/11 Knights served dinner at Bingo
- 1/13 Knights Breakfast Proceeds to go to the Ultra Sound
- 1/26 Knights Basketball Free Throw Contest / and the regional contest

### February 2019

• 2/10-Knights Breakfast

### March 2019

- Knights participate in the Stations of the Cross. Starting on Ash Wednesday Through Easter
- 3/10 Knights Breakfast
- 3/9 Knights provide and serve a lunch meal to the Youth retreat, serving 150 youth
- 3/15—Knights prepared and served Lenten Dinner after the Stations of the Cross
- Ash Wednesday Through Easter Knights participate in the 40 days for Life at the Abortion Mill in Norman. We helped
  on every Wednesday through Lent.
- 3/31 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosary held in the Church at 4 pm. Held a Council Social after using it as a membership drive opportunity and had invited multiple prospects. Will getone new member committed to join in July. Handed out 25-and 50-year pins to members.

### April 2019

Knights Breakfast

- Tootsie Roll at each Mass on a week end as designated by-Father to supposit tJje.Cgnter.of Family Love.
- 5/12-Knights Breakfast-Mothers will eat FREE

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  - 6/16— 'Donuts with Dad' Free Donuts to all for Father' SrfJty, *qpei^acJiMass*

Grand Knight - Robert Morton

Submitted 4/8/2019  $(\cdot, ')$   $(\cdot$ 

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# Grand Knight's Report for OU.CoIIege Council#16367 Activities as of March. 22,2019 and future planned activities:after March 22

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August 15-16,2018	Activity-
August 13-10,2016	Helped college students move into their dorms during move-in days while wearing our "Oklahoma Catholic" shirts and spread the word about the Knights and the Catholic community of students at St. Thomas More -,
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August 18,2018	Attended Oklahoma State Council Leaders Workshop in Okarche, *
August 19,2018- present	
August 22,2018- present	Lead a rosary before the 9:00pm; student mass eydry Wednesday-at St i * Thomas More
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Sep. 29, Oct. 27, Nov. 10, Nov. 17	
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October 2018- April 2019	Prayed in front of Norman abortion facility every Thursday morning at 8:00am with OU Students for Life
October 17,2018	Hosted "College Night" for students. Presented a short history of the Knights of Columbus to attending students.
October 28,2018	Brought 4 Knights to Formation Degree at St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church
November 3,2018	Cooked and served lunch at Norman Food and Shelter for Friends.
November 4th, 2018	Cooked "Sunday Supper" for college students after 5:00pm Mass

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1 201 2010/	Hosted no-shave November contest. Participants donated in* boxes depending
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	Research Hospital.
March 9,2019	
	Attended and Served at Mass during the Oklahoma Catholic Men's • Conference
March 15,22,29 2019.	Prepared free meatless sack lunches for the students and staff of St. Thomas More
April 5,12 2019'	to give them a free meatless>meal option during Fridays in Lent
March 27,2019	Volunteered at Food and Shelter for Friends in Norman
March 30,2019 * *	
	Helping staff a casino night to benefit St Thomas More campus ministry
April 5,2019	Kept parking lot clear during Medieval Fair to keep space for parishioners to park
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April 13,2019	Served during the Big Event OU's official day Of community service
April 26-28,2018	Attending the State Convention

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- Leading Bible Studies and forming Disciples alongside FOCUS Missionaries
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Vivat Jesus!

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- Held Lenten Fish Fries
- Hosted several themed Dinners as fundraisers
- This year we had a new fundraising idea, and we raffled off a 65" Smart TV with a limited number of tickets, which was one of our most successful efforts in recent history.

Mike Hopper Grand Knight

# **Knights of Columbus**

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Knights of Columbus – Council #4598 Harrah 2018-2019 Service Program Report

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- Knights manned the balloon tent at the annual Midwest City Trick or Treat events.
- Held picnic for the Center of Family Love where brothers cooked hamburgers and hot dogs, along with serving all the residents.
- Adopted a resident hall for Christmas at the Center of Family Love. We had a party for them and provided gifts on the residents' wish list
- Held annual Tootsie Roll Drive
- Held Lenten Fish Fries
- Hosted several themed Dinners as fundraisers
- This year we had a new fundraising idea, and we raffled off a 65" Smart TV with a limited number of tickets, which was one of our most successful efforts in recent history.

Mike Hopper Grand Knight

### **District Deputy** it 15

114th OK State Convention

**Robin Hopkins** 

Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Officers McAlester

#### Council 775

Had 2 Garage sales, benefiting the MENS, WOMENS and YOUTH Shelters in McAlester. Continue to Mow and Maintain the Catholic Cemetery. At Christmastime bought a \$3500 wheelchair for a girl in the Parish that had outgrown hers. Started a fundraiser, involving the entire community, to raise \$25,000 for a Tracks Motorized Wheelchair for 15 year-old paraplegic boy so he can get out and go hunting and fishing with his Father. Knights drive bus for the Youth and Senior groups field trips. Donate monthly to the Catholic Charities and pay utilities. Held Dinner in support of Habitat for Humanity.

### Muskogee "Louis G. Miller" Council 962

Continued the 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive t>f leading the Rosary before Sunday morning mass. Holds a Free Pancake Breakfast with Bacon, Sausage and Eggs every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month. Knights drive the School bus for all Youth and Parish activities throughout the year. Assisted Youth with Parking at the Home Football Games for Muskogee High School. Held Rosaries for the Silver Rose. Held Easter Egg Hunts on Easter one after 9:30 and one after 12:00 Masses. Held one Free Fish Fry on first Friday of Lent for the Parish prior to Holy Hour and Stations, every Friday after had a simple meal of soup and sandwiches after Stations. Knights once a week pick food to deliver to Catholic Charities in Muskogee. Knights continue to take communion to the sick at the VA Hospital in Muskogee. We held 7 Rosaries for Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians. 3 Knights built a wheel chair ramp for a man and his wife. Added two new members to date.

### **Okmulgee Council 1677**

Have popped Kettle Corn for Fundraiser, at the Chili Fest, Pecan Festival and at the Okmulgee Downtown Back to School Bash, passed out K of C brochures and Kettle corn, also handed out brochures on the Center of Family Love. In June we had a Council picnic held by DGK at his residence all family and widows of past knights were invited. Gave serval awards out to knights and thei families and all the widows of deceased Knights received a lifetime Fish Fry ticket during Lent. Have cooked for the Homeless Shelter 4 different times suppling all foods. Also donate \$250 to the Homeless Shelter. Once a year we donate \$250 to the Women's Shelter, to help with their expenses. In December we host and cook a St. Nick Breakfast which is open to both St. Anthony and Uganda Martyrs Parishes in Okmulgee. In December we voted to adopt our seminarian Steven Ditzel from the Diocese of Tulsa so far have donated \$700 to him. Donated \$2000 to the Center of Family Love. Held several adorations of the Silver Rose, more than 20 kids came and asked question about the Rose and the Knights. Hosted 4 Bingo fundraisers so far this year. Held 6 Fish Fry's during the Lenten Season. On the first Sunday of the odd months we hold a Rosary before Mass. We are • Sponsoring a Day of Prayer in June in unity with other Catholic Organizations for Special Prayers for the Persecuted around the world, it will be held at the Uganda Martyrs Parish in Okmulgee. Knights worked to surprise a widow who was gone from home and scrape, painted, caulked windows, replacing some wood and spackling before painting house.

### **Tahlequah Council 8433**

Limited activities, No Report Sallisaw Council 9737

No Activities, No Report, Under Suspension as of April 10th

**VI VAT JESUS** 



April 4,2019

Dennis Naumann District Deputy District 16

Dear Worthy District Deputy:

Please consider this letter Oklahoma Council 1038's Activity Report for the Fraternal Year.

There are a number of activities in which our Council takes part which are occur throughout the year.

Breakfasts at Our Lady's. All profits raised by these breakfasts are donated to the church to help with the cost of any repairs or other needs. We continue to use these funds to help the church's youth group for their mission trips and Bishop John Carroll.

In February we held our annual Super Bowl Party for all members, their families and friends.

Many of our members, along with our Assembly, participated in the St. Patrick's Day Parade in the Stockyards by marching in the parade and handing out tootsie rolls to the spectators. We were joined by the Knights on Bikes, again this year, with many of them travelling from the Tulsa area. It wasn't as chilly as last year. This is an event that we have been participating in for decades. This year we participated in the parade in the Stockyards.

In May, we will be opening our pool with our annual Memorial Day Cookout. We invite the residents and staff from the Center of Family Love to come out and enjoy the pool. We provide food and beverages for them, as they swim in the pool.

Through our Building Corporation we held the Annual Santa Fe Games. We invite several organizations, who take care of intellectually handicapped persons, to participate ii games at our facility, including the Center of Family Love. Each participant is given a special t- shirt commemorating the day.

Our Building Corporation (Columbus Corporation of Oklahoma City) continues to work toward our goal of providing a place for our Catholic community. We are continuing on remodeling efforts at the Santa Fe Family Life Center in order to improve its accessibility. We will be adding an elevator to the facility by the end of this year. The SFFLC supports many charitable events for disadvantaged youth at the facility. Through the Council's efforts over \$198,500.00 was raised through donations for the worthy programs provided at the SFFLC and over 1,503 volunteer hours given.

We participate in the RSVP program by providing assistance, currently, to two (2) seminarians. We also provide the archdiocese's seminarians with a steak and potato dinner before they return to their respective seminaries.

We continue to donate \$200.00 per month to the Oscar Romero Workers House after it lost it principal sponsor. The organization provides food to the poor in Oklahoma City.

We donate \$ 150.00 per month to the CFL for Sr. Veronica's fund. We continue to host Halloween Dances and Spring Dances at the Center for the residents.

We participated in the annual Bowling Tournament in February.

We also participated in the Annual Birth Choice Dinner by purchasing a table. We continue aiding it in its work by donating \$100.00 per month.

We participated in the CFL's Annual Gala helping to raise funds for the Center with the purchase of two (2) tables.

Vivat Jesus!!

Louis P. Falsetti Grand Knight

# Council 13366 Annual Report 201849

The Archbishop Charles A. Salatka/St. Joseph Old Cathedral Council 13366 during the 201849 fraternal year took on different projects in the church and continued to work with other parish groups. Recruitment will be a key goal in the upcoming fiscal year. During the past year:

May Council 13366 honored high school and college graduates of St. Joseph Old Cathedral's parish during its breakfast after the 10 a.m. Mass on May 20. The council also had information on the Knights in an attempt to recruit new members. Nearly 100 people showed up for the breakfast. Children making their First Communion in the parish also were special guests. — Members of the council continued to volunteer to provide assistance and security during weddings at St. Joseph Old Cathedral. Brother Knights show up about an hour before the wedding and help guests arrive and leave, keep watch over vehicles in the church parking lot and assist the wedding coordinator. The volunteering of council members saves the expense of the church hiring a security officer.

**June:** John Leon was elected grand knight during council elections in June. C.B. Weilbrenner was elected deputy grand knight. Other officers elected were George Waters, treasurer; Kurt Benes, recorder; Bennie Meier, chancellor; George Woods, warden; John Porretto, inside guard; Ron Hawes, outside guard; and Michael McNutt, advocate. -Council 13366 extended best wishes to Chancellor Bennie Meier and his wife, Angie, who celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 27.

**August:** The council held its quarterly meal at the church. A good crowd showed up for the council's dinner. - About a dozen Knights showed up for Council 13366's annual night at the ballpark to watch an Oklahoma City Dodgers game on Aug. 11. Thanks to District Deputy Dennis Nauman for securing the accommodations in one of the suites at the ballpark.

**September:** Council members held a picnic for residents and staff of the Central for Family Love on Sept. 22. Past Grand Knight Sergio Correon coordinated the picnic and District Deputy Dennis Nauman hauled Council 13366's grill out to Okarche to grill the meat. Angie Meier, wife of Chancellor Bennie Meier, again baked cookies. -Council 13366 grilled hamburgers at St. Joseph Old Cathedral's Hispanic carnival on Sept. 16. Several Knights showed up during the daylong event to grill and sell hamburgers at the event. - Brother Knights continue to lead the recitation of the rosary before Mass on the fifth Sunday each month. The council started the practice five years ago. Parishioners have said many times they appreciate having the rosary recitation and many show up early to take part. A special thanks to Treasurer George Waters for continuing to lead this effort.

**October:** Council 13366 held a lst-degree ceremony on Oct. 7. Todd Beesley joined the council.

**November:** Council 13366 participated in the Silver Rose run. Treasurer George Waters and Chancellor Bennie Meier brought the silver rose on Nov. 4 to St. Joseph Old Cathedral for 10 a.m. and noon Masses. The rose was on display after both Masses. — The

council served a dinner after the 4 p.m. Mass on Nov. 18. About 60 people attended. — Brother Knights for the fourth year in a row prepared three traditional Thanksgiving dinners that were raffled off at the Nov. 18 dinner. Council members sold raffle tickets after each Mass for four weeks before the dinner. Brother Knights prepared three Thanksgiving meals, one each for four, six and eight people. Council members arranged for the meals to be delivered the Wednesday evening before Thanksgiving.

**January:** Council 13366 served a waffle and sausage breakfast after the morning Masses on Jan. 6 to help celebrate the feast of Epiphany. More than 50 people showed up for the breakfast.

**February:** Council 13366 held a l<sup>st</sup>-degree ceremony on Feb. 3 and welcomed two new members, Joshua A. Minton and Samuel Stropes. -- Council 13366 hosted a Valentine's dinner after the 4 p.m. Saturday Mass on Feb. 16. About 175 people attended the dinner. The council provided the meal and members of St. Joseph Old Cathedral's youth club served the meal and helped set up and clean the parish hall. More than half the event's net proceeds, or about \$700, were given to the youth club to help with its expenses to attend the Steubenville Youth Conference in July in Springfield, Missouri.

**March:** Council members again volunteer to provide parking lot security during Stations of the Cross, held every Friday night during Lent.

**April:** Council members prepared the April 5 dinner served before the Stations of the Cross. About 50 parishioners attended the meal, which consisted of baked fish, cole slaw and red beans.

May: Council 13366 will honor high school and college graduates of St. Joseph Old Cathedral's parish during its breakfast after the 10 a.m. Mass on May 19. Children making their First Communion will also be special guests. The council also will have information on the Knights in an attempt to recruit new members.

Submitted by

Michael McNutt Council 13366 advocate April 2019

From: louis lyon < <a href="mailto:lvon.den@sbcqlobal.net">lvon.den@sbcqlobal.net</a>>

Date: Tue, Mar 12, 2019 at 7:53 PM Subject: Council 4601 activities

To: Dennis Nauman <sirdennisokc@amail.com>. Richard Robinson <richardr369@cox.net>

Dennis.

Here is the list of Council 4601's activities from April of 2018 to April of 2019. Feel free to edit it as you please.

Funded Rosary School essay contest awards totaling \$225 in May, 2018.

Set up, staffed, and took down the drink booth a St. Francis of Assisi's Oktoberfest on 10/7/2018.

Ran the Silver Rose from St. Francis of Assisi to St. Joseph Old Cathedral on 11/4/2018.

Held a Fish Fry on 11/4/2018, raising \$1,365.00 for Rosary School.

Served Breakfast with Santa on 12/1/2018 and collected many toys for Catholic Charities.

Paid for flu shots for the Rosary School teachers in December of 2018.

Held the KoC Free Throw Championship 2/2/2019.

Put on a pancake and egg breakfast at St. Francis of Assisi on 2/24/2019.

Hosted a Lenten simple supper after Stations of the Cross on 3/22/2018.

Led the Rosary at St. Francis of Assisi on the fourth Sunday of each month.

Thank you. Louis

## Oklahoma Knights of Columbus 114th State Convention Membership Report

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplin, Worthy Supreme Representative, State Officers, District Deputies, Delegates and Brother Knights:

The 2018-2019 Fraternal Year has once again demonstrated the determination and resolve that we as Oklahoma Brother Knights have come to expect. As in years before, we have had ups and down: A strong 1st qtr start and solid monthly gains in our online membership, but also a recent surge of suspensions in the last 3 months, some as high as 30 suspensions in individual councils. As of today, our total membership stands at 8,673. This represents a total increase of 153 Brother Knights to our State since the beginning of the year. Our intake this year has been 389 new Brother Knights, putting us at 86% in relation to our intake goal. With just more than two months remaining in the Fraternal Year, I have no doubt that we will reach 100% and achieve our goal. But more important than just these numbers are the Brother Knights that these numbers represent. The men who have been brought closer to their faith through the Knights. The families that are better financially protected through the Knights. The ability to make an impact in the lives of our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. This is what these numbers truly represent. Knowing that membership in our order is more on relationships than it is on numbers, I urge all councils to participate in a sort of "self-evaluation" when it comes to your members:

We call ourselves Brother Knights...are we truly being Brothers to each other in our councils? Are we actively engaging new and old members alike? Are we meeting the ever changing needs of our members? Are we participating in activities to which our members actually want to participate? Or are we only contacting our Brothers when we are demanding their dues be paid? If you were a member of an organization that you felt only wanted you for your money, you might second guess being a member of that organization, too. We must remember that every Brother Knight stepped up, like you yourselves, to the plate at some time in their life. They actively reached out to the Knights of Columbus seeking membership and were no doubt anticipating becoming more involved with their community, their parish and their faith. It is our obligation to help each other maintain that positive path.

As I mentioned earlier, we have achieved strong monthly gains in online membership, with most recently last month March being our most successful month by bringing in 32 new Knights to our order. As of the end of March, we have recruited 150 new online members this fraternal year, with the average age of those new members being 42 years old. For the last numerous months, Oklahoma has lead the way with online membership by being the #1 jurisdiction within the Knights for online membership. And for that, I applaud you! Because, Brother Knights, if you think that this success has been because of me, you give me far too much credit. You are the engines that drive us. You are the lights that guide us. And you are the men that inspire us. And it is an honor to be a Brother Knight with you.

But there is still a key, critical action that each of your councils can do to ensure your ability to utilize this online tool effectively: converting online members to your councils via an

Admission Degree. Right now, we have 64 online Knights that have identified an interest in joining a local council. That's right...there are 64 men that have put their money where their mouth is and have said, "I want to join a council." We must answer that call. My Brother Knights, know this: men are looking; men are longing; men are acting. If we, the Knights of Columbus, do not answer their call, they will find someone or something else.

As we now close out the first month of the 4<sup>th</sup> Qtr, we find ourselves 180 degrees away from where we were last year at this time. Last year, April found us sitting further away from our goal of achieving our membership goal than at any other time during my tenure. This year, we find ourselves closer to achieving our membership goal than at any other time of my tenure. But we cannot get complacent, we cannot assume that we have this "in the bag". Currently, we sit 61 shy of our intake goal and 39 shy of our net gain goal. So again, your help is needed. There is still time to hold a membership drive. There is still time to reach out to your members pending suspension. There is still time to achieve your own council goals by converting those waiting 64 online members. There is still time to, as Supreme Knight Carl Anderson says, to meet our moral obligation to ask every Catholic man to become a Knight of Columbus. To this end, the State Council will be announcing at the state convention two new incentives for the remaining months of the fraternal year.

Thank you to State Deputy John Pierce for his appointment for this past year and to the State Officers for their continued help and support. Thank you to the various Membership Chairman for their amazing effort and dedication. I especially wish to thank each of the District Deputies for being open and willing to discuss the various membership issues affecting their districts. This level of openness and dialogue is going to be one of the key attributes that will help drive our membership into the future. Finally, thank you to you, the members and councils of Oklahoma that make this position such a rewarding one.

I respectfully request that this report be submitted to the official minutes of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus 114<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention.

Vivat Jesus!

Ryan King, State Membership Director Oklahoma Knights of Columbus

#### CENTER OF FAMILY LOVE REPORT

#### Oklahoma State K of C Convention

#### Edmond, April 26 - 28, 2019

The Center of Family Love is one of our proudest possessions since it's opening in 1981 by the OK Knights, and something that we can all be very proud. You are encouraged to visit the main CFL campus in Okarche, to see firsthand what we are doing there to provide quality lifetime care for the 130 adult residents with intellectual disabilities.

None of our residents pay directly for the ongoing care they receive at CFL, and because of the leveling of funding from state and federal sources along with increasing costs of operations we continue to face financial challenges with the cash flow for the current year. Through our ongoing efforts and the help of our Catholic neighbors and outside sources, we have been able to meet the need for an additional revenue of approximately \$1,500,000 a year. CFL is very well managed by Debbie Espinosa our Executive Director, Nellie Sanders our Development Director and approximately 130 employees. We continue to increase our exposure and support through the parishes around the state with the approval of both Archbishop Coakley and Bishop Konderla.

There are three main efforts of fundraising through the Knights: the oldest one is the handing out of Tootsie Rolls and taking donations, second and largest source of revenue is the Annual Gala and third The Love Challenge.

The old standby with the Tootsie Rolls is coming up in May and the funds raised goes through the Oklahoma K of C Foundation to support the needs of the Center for the physical plant facility or improvements as needs arise.

An extremely important event and the largest potential fundraiser is our annual Gift of Love Gala, started five years ago, which will be held Saturday June 15 at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum in OKC. We are now acquiring council and corporate sponsorships and items for the auction. We already have many council and assembly sponsors, so why not join them and have your council be a Gala sponsor at some level. The main attraction is the Cash Raffle, coordinated by the Knights of Columbus, which includes Cash prizes totaling \$20,000 - the grand prize being \$10,000. Tickets are \$100 each and you do not need to be present to win. If you want to attend the banquet, the tickets are an additional \$75 per person until May 20th, after that the banquet tickets will be \$175. This event has been very successful

and this year's goal is to match last year which was a record one million gross income and a net profit of \$700,000.

An important part of this fundraising effort is through the local parishes, in which local councils are asked to get involved. Sponsorship packets including raffle tickets and Gala banquet information have been sent out to councils in March. Representatives of CFL will be at the table outside to help if you have questions or need additional packets or supplies. Hopefully, you have appointed a CFL Chairman for your council to head up your local activities, and be sure to sell or purchase your tickets for the raffle and Gala. You may be the \$10,000 winner! The State council is again promoting the sale of Gala Raffle tickets with an incentive for individual Knights and Councils. We are going to take a few minutes at this point to review the materials and answer questions.

The "Love Challenge" is the newest program currently being introduced to parishes through councils around the state. Under this program councils and parishes can adopt a resident of CFL financially and get to know them personally. Councils and Pastors of parishes have all recently received information packets asking for support and with new simplified details of how to carry out the program. We currently have 29 councils/parishes involved in this program and have raised \$227,385 since it started in 2017.

My Brother Knights, we must get the message out and follow through on behalf of this great effort we started 38 years ago. By working closely with your councils and pastors, you can help tap into new financial resources for CFL, and by supporting these three fundraising efforts you can help keep it one of our great successes!

If I can be of help to you in working with your parishes on behalf of CFL in the Archdiocese or Dan Hogan can help in the Tulsa Diocese, please let us know. Thank you for your ongoing support for CFL!

Vivat Jesus,

Richard J Schulte, PSD, FVSM, FDM

CFL Chairman, OKC Archdiocese

## State Catholic Education Program Report Knights of Columbus 2019 Oklahoma State Convention 4.28.2019

State Catholic Education Program (CEP) Activity: Fraternal Year 2018

Recognizing Last Contribution to Saint Gregory's Scholarship Program Total Donations FY 2017 - \$22,850.00

## Catholic Education Program (CEP) Activity:

- First, A HUGE Thank YOU to YOU Brothers and Sisters who supported the SGU Scholarship Program over the years. Your efforts provided an excellent education with Catholic principals to thousands of students over the last 100+ years.
- During the 2018 year the State Council developed the next generation program to continue the important support of Catholic Education in Oklahoma.
- **CEP Mission Statement** —To support Catholic Education in Oklahoma through the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the Diocese of Tulsa via a State Council Program.
- **CEP Purpose Statement** —To provide support for Catholic Schools in Oklahoma that continues the long-standing tradition of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus of supporting Catholic Education. The program intent is to raise funds to support all Catholic Education Programs whether or not they have a local Knight's Council, Assembly, Auxiliary. By leveraging our funds, we can ensure that programs in Oklahoma benefit from the Knight's support. This program also provides a process that allows our Councils, Assemblies and Auxiliaries to identify a Catholic Educational Program/Organization that they can designate to receive 25 percent of their total contributions while still helping the over Catholic Educational Program.

## CEP Program Information and Activity – For Fraternal Year 2019/2020

- The program is to be administrated by the Oklahoma State Council under the Office of the State Treasure.
- Paperwork and checks to be made out to the Oklahoma State Council and sent to State Secretary, see website for current Secretary's address.
- The collected funds to be deposited in a State Charity Treasury for the exclusive support of Oklahoma Catholic Education.
- The collected funds to be distributed by check equally between the Archdiocese of Oklahoma and the Diocese of Tulsa for Catholic Education.
- Participating councils may designate 25% of their total contributions to be donated to a Catholic Education Program/Organization of their choice.
- Funds distribution to be accomplished during the state convention annually.
- There is no minimum or maximum for contributions.

- Councils, Assemblies and Auxiliaries may identify a Catholic Educational Program
  or Organization to receive up to 25% of their total contribution. The chairman will be
  appointed by the General Program Director (GPD) and serve at the pleasure of
  Oklahoma State Deputy.
- The chairman shall provide as needed or requested any information or communications to the GPD, State Officers, and membership as directed.
- The chairman is to liaison with the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the Diocese of Tulsa education representatives as directed or required.

## Next Action Items in the Scholarship Program:

- CEP information mail outs to Councils, Assemblies and Auxiliaries.

Respectfully Submitted,

Peter A. Pickett, PKG, M.ED

Catholic Education Program Chairman



# OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



# Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Catholic Education Program Form

Council, Assembly or Auxiliary #	YEAR
Fotal Money Collected/Donated  Local Catholic Education Program 25% (if desired)	
Local Catholic Education Program to receive your 25% dor	nation:
Name:	
Address:	
City, St. Zip:	
Footnotes:	

Please fill out this Report Form and include it with your Council, Assembly or Auxiliary check when you turn in your Catholic Education Program donation at the State Convention or send them to Matthey Maly, State Secretary, P.O. Box 851476, Yukon, Oklahoma 73085-1476. Please make your checks payable to the <u>Knights of Columbus State Council</u>.

The State Council will write a check for the 25% of your donation to your desired Catholic Education Program and then sent it back to your Financial Secretary for presentation to your local Education Program. If the check is to be sent to someone else than the current Financial Secretary, please add their address to this Report Form.

# Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Catholic Education Program

#### Mission Statement -

To support Catholic Education in Oklahoma through the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the Diocese of Tulsa via a State Council Program.

Purpose Statement -

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## **Program Administration:**

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 Participating councils may designate 25% of their total contributions to be donated to a Catholic Education Program/Organization of their choice.

- Funds distribution to be accomplished during the state convention annually.

# **Educational Program Contributions:**

- There is no minimum or maximum for contributions

 Councils, Assemblies and Auxiliaries may identify a Catholic Educational Program or Organization to receive up to 25% of their total contribution.

## **Program Director Responsibilities:**

- The chairman will be appointed by the General Program Director (GPD) and serve at the pleasure of Oklahoma State Deputy.

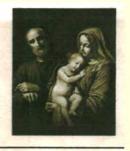
The chairman shall provide as needed or requested any information or communications to the GPD, State Officers, and membership as directed.

 The chairman is to liaison with the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the Diocese of Tulsa education representatives as directed or required.



# OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**FAITH IN ACTION** 



2019 General Program Director Report 114<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention Edmond, Oklahoma

April 26, 2019

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy Immediate Past State Deputy, Worthy Vice-Supreme Master, Worthy State Officers, Worthy District Master, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy State Directors, Worthy General Agent, Delegates, Brother Knights,

The introduction of our new "Faith in Action" program model has provided us with the best of both worlds by combining our long tradition of Surge with Service Programs and the Building the Domestic Church (BDC) programs. Under the new "Faith in Action" program model, our programs have been restructured and realigned. The Youth programs have been integrated under the Community programs and the council programs have been integrated into the Faith and Family programs. This leaves us with four program categories of Faith, Life, Community, and Family. Supreme's Recommended Program Category matrix provides 8 programs within each category for a total of 32 programs. Each council can implement any type of program not listed on the matrix as long as it falls within the criteria of the matrix for the respective program category. Within each of these programs, a new required program has been added which includes:

- Faith Spiritual Reflection
- ➤ Life Novena for Life
- ➤ Community Helping Hands
- Family Consecration to the Holy Family

Each of these required programs must be reported on the SP-7 Columbian report for qualification of the Columbian award. The SP-7 Columbian report now only requires the reporting of 16 programs, 4 under each program category. A featured program can be added as 2 of the 4 required programs on the report. Another requirement for the Columbian award is the completion of Safe Environment Training for all Grand Knights, Program Directors, Family Directors, and Community Directors within the council. Our new "Faith in Action" program model gives councils a more enriched opportunity for spiritual development and community outreach within their councils and parishes.

My report will include reports from our State Community Director, State Faith Director, and our State Life Director. Each report will also be inclusive of individual chairman reports. We have a great base of directors and/or chairman, but are always in

need to add more energetic and enthusiastic Brother Knights to the program team. We are especially in need of someone to assume the duties of our Family programs.

On March 23, 2019 representatives from the State Council met and conducted the selection of award recipients for the 2019 convention. Below is a breakdown of the number of entries:

 $\triangleright$ Faith Activities – 2 Community Activities -5  $\triangleright$ Family Activities – 2 ➤ Life Activities -2 2 Outstanding Youth – Family of the Year -4 Knight of the Year -

Councils in contention for obtaining Star Council status for this fraternal year need to be sure the required forms are completed which are part of qualifications for Star Council. As of 03/30/2019 there were 26 councils who have not submitted their fraternal Survey, form 1728. As of 04/22/2019 there were 32 councils who have not submitted their 365 form for reporting service program personnel. Councils are encouraged to begin submitting their SP-7 Columbian applications and not wait for the June 30, 2019 deadline. This will allow extra time for any revisions that may be required.

I want to thank all of the Directors and Chairman for all their work they have faithfully carried out during this fraternal year within their respective areas. I also want to thank our State Deputy, John Pierce for his confidence in me, and for appointing me as the Oklahoma State General Program Director. We have an amazing program model for our state councils to look outside the box on improving existing programs, as well as being creative on new programs within in charitable and spiritual outreach endeavors.

I respectively submit this reported to be included in the minutes of the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention held in Edmond, Oklahoma.

Vivat Jesus,

Philip Stramski

General Program Director

# Knights of Columbus (kofc) State Community Programs Director Report Prepared for the 114th Oklahoma State Convention

Vincent Nowaczewski (Community Director)

Toan Nguyen (Soccer Challenge Chairman)

James Grim (Basketball Free Throw Chairman)

Tom Greenlee (Helping Hands Chairman)

Zach Warner (Intellectual Disabilities Chairman)

David Roewe (Disaster Preparedness Chairman)

4-15-2019

Dear worthy General Programs Director Philip Stramski,

This is an accounting of the Knights of Columbus (kofc) youth activities. Of the programs available for action through the kofc Supreme council five were executed upon in the fraternal year of 2018 and 2019. These were the Soccer Challenge (SC), Basketball Free-Throw (BFT), Intellectual Disabilities (ID), Helping Hands (HH) and Disaster Preparedness (DP). I address the SC and the BFT within separate sections in this report, but the programs: ID, HH and DP are grouped into a single section due to lack of reportable material. The chairmanships for the Habitat for Humanity (HfH), Global Wheelchair Mission (GWM), Coats-for-Kids (CfK) and Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest (CCEC) remain vacant, and there are no reportable facts on state-wide council-activity for these programs.

This report is organized as follows:

Individual Program Summaries (SC followed by BFT)

Broadly, the Program Summaries Contain:

- 1. Name and general details of event Chairman
- 2. Date and time window for event
- 3. Location of event and sense of repeat use
- 4. Number of participants hosted

- 5. Accounting of trophies awarded and their manufacturer.
- 6. Date winners reports were sent to Supreme
- 7. Description of any incidents (safety, medical or otherwise)
- 8. Brother Knights involved in events
- 9. Key learnings
- 10. Anything else deemed worthy of note

The SC and BFT program summaries are followed by a section on the less reported upon programs that currently have chairman. Following this is a synthesis and conclusions section.

Appendixes I & II document the results of the SC and BFT state-level competitions

Soccer Challenge

The Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Soccer Challenge (SC) was chaired by Toan Nguyen of Tulsa. This is Toan's 3<sup>rd</sup> year of chairing this event. The SC was held on November 3, 2018 at Bishop Kelley High School as in previous years. Registration was from 10:00 to 10:20 AM and the competition was from 10:20 am to 12:00 pm.

The Soccer Challenge had 12 participants this fraternal year and represented three councils (6606, 13313, and 15834). The total participants count was equal to last year's participation. The trophies were purchased from Trophy and Plaque Plus in Tulsa at an expense of \$117.20. The winners report was sent to supreme by email on February 28, 2019. A total of 10 brother Knights helped with the event. The brother Knights involved in the event included: Vincent Nowaczewski, Dave Schlitter, Lee McLain, Chris Gifford, Paul McTighe, Bob Stovall, Tim Doyle, and Rick Hornak.

Trophies were awarded to winners in each represented age group. The Boys age 12 and Girls age 14 did not have a representative this year (See Appendix for Formal Listing). Notably, Avery Aldrette was named as International Champion of the 2018-2019 International Soccer Challenge for her division.

There were no incidents to report. The signage pointing to the soccer fields were improved this year from last year. Several participants had conflict with the event because of either football games or soccer events that were occurring at the same time. We can look at pushing the event back another week to resolve those issues for the upcoming year.

#### Basketball Free Throw

James Grim of Chandler is the new Chairman of the BFT and is his first year chairing the BFT program. This year the BFT championship was held on March twenty-third (3-23-2019) with registration from eight thirty until nine a.m. and the competition from nine a.m. until around eleven thirty. There were 46 participants in this year's State-Level BFT.

The venue was St. Charles Borromeo school gymnasium located at 5000 N. Grove

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the Boys and Girls Club of Oklahoma County located at 1150 NW 36th Street, Oklahoma City, OK
73118. Due to a lack of response from the Boys and Girls Club management, an alternative
venue had to be sought this fraternal year. There is a good chance that St. Charles Borromeo
school gymnasium could be used again next year.

There are seventeen (17) placers that are boys and fifteen (15) that are girls for a total of thirty-two (32) placing participants. There were no third place finishers in the following groupings due to a shortage of participants: 11, 12 and 14 year old girls, and 14 year old boys. Thirty-three (33) trophies were ordered this year since there were three (3) left over from last year. These trophies covered first (1st) through third (3st) place for age groups nine (9) through fourteen (14). The thirty-three (33) trophies ordered this year were from Edmond Trophy in Edmond, OK (401 W 15th St, Edmond, OK). This was the same shop that was used last year. Vincent Nowaczewski picked up the trophies on March fifteenth (3-15-2019) and served as their bearer to the St. Charles Borromeo school gymnasium on the twenty-third (23st). Vincent still has the remaining third (3st) place trophies for the boys and girls for use at a later date (girls ages 11, 12, and 14, and boys age 14). Lastly, Vincent sent signed winners reports to the Supreme Council office by eFax on March 31, 2019.

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There were no safety or medical incidents. However, there were at least two conversations with disgruntled parents. One parent noticed that the score keepers were not marking a "missed shot" when the participant stepped on, or over, the line while making shots. This was my fault for not getting with the score keepers prior to the event and ensuring that they paid attention to this detail. After talking with this parent, I did go to all the score keepers to notify them that they needed to mark "miss" when a participant stepped on, or over, the line. Another mother and father of one of the participants claimed that the wrong weight (size) of basketball had been used for one of the groups of contestants. This may have been the case. I believe it was the 11 year old boys group. Unfortunately, our basketball was not clearly marked. All contestants in that group had used the same basketball, but the point was that it was not the size that the particular contestant had been practicing with.

There were many Brother Knights who assisted with the state event this year including Philip Stramski and Vincent Nowaczewski. Mike Bertels and the Worthy Grand Knight Patrick Determann from St. Charles Borromeo were a big help in opening up the facility for our use. John Grim was also helpful in processing participant paperwork. Lastly, we are extremely grateful to the St. Charles Borromeo Principal, Brother Gungoll for allowing the kofc access to the school gymnasium. Worthy Oklahoma kofc secretary Matt Maly was also instrumental in helping the Community Director and his chairman acquire trophies and proof-of-insurance for the competition.

#### **Key Learnings:**

- Book the venue as far in advance as possible. (We had trouble getting the venue booked and, since we were late, we did not seem to have as many options for the date on which to hold the competition.)
- Ensure the correct basketball is used for each participating group and use basketballs
   that have clear-size-markings so issues can be resolved quickly.

- Know who the knight helpers will be ahead of time so that the rules for scoring can be discussed prior to the event.
- Take down the names and council numbers of all participating knights.
- If possible, hold the event earlier in March so that there will be more time to tabulate the results to send to Supreme before the March 31st deadline. (This will also help in not having to communicate sensitive information via email.)
- If possible, do not hold the event during the schools' Spring Break time period. (There
  may have been a lower turnout this year due to holding the event at the end of Spring
  Break.)
- If possible, become involved with getting the word out early to District Deputy Knights
  to encourage their councils to hold the local level basketball free throw championship
  competitions. (This could have an impact on the number of participants at the final
  state-level competition.)

## **Other Chaired Programs**

#### Helping Hands Program (HH)

The HH program is currently chaired by Brother Tom Greenlee. Helping Hands is a new program area under Community in the Faith in Action program format. We have chosen to focus on homelessness with this program in Oklahoma. This is a required program to earn the Columbian award.

To assist councils with this effort, we have sent the contact information for all the homeless shelters and other agencies that give aid and assistance to the homeless, through the District Deputies to the councils. These agencies are largely concentrated around Oklahoma City and Tulsa, but are present in most areas of the state.

Unfortunately, none of the councils forwarded documentation to Brother Tom recording their efforts to fulfill the HH program. Consequently, there are no hard numbers to report concerning the extent of this program in the Oklahoma region.

#### Intellectual Disabilities (ID) Program

The current chairman Brother Zach Warner did not receive any documentation from councils recording efforts towards this program. Zach notes that his contact information is not recorded on the Oklahoma kofc website, and this may have partially contributed to the lack of documentation.

#### Disaster Preparedness (DP) Program

Unfortunately, like the previous program chairman, the DP chairman David Roewe also did not recover any documentation from councils on projects oriented towards disaster preparedness. Awareness, of the necessity of documentation and including the chairman on the submission of rare existing documentation, is the suspected issue confounding the quantification of this programs activity. Brother David Roewe stepped-up to be the DP chairman after the 2013 Moore, OK tornado. Brother David coordinated the partnership of the kofc with the Ste. Vincent DePaul charity to distribute furniture to house-holds trying to get upright after having being impacted by the massive storm. Following 2013, the DP program has been intermitendly active, variously supporting recovery efforts following severe weather-events in Oklahoma, Texas and surrounding regions.

## **Synthesis and Concluding Points**

Timing, was a critical issue for this past fraternal year's active programs (SC and BFT).

Because of logistical constraints both SC and BFT programs were forced to hold the state level competitions on suboptimal weekends. The SC was competing with football programs and the BFT participant spring-break-plans.

It seems reasonable to imagine that attendance at the soccer challenge would have grown year-over-year had the timing been a bit more optimal. Attendance, was exactly the same numerically for the SC as it was last year, but with some verifiable subtractions from families involved with football. With the BFT it is less clear if growth would have been realized with placement on a non-spring-break weekend because of the sharp loss in attendance year-over-year; presumably due to the widespread vacation-week. Nevertheless, the BFT was a strongly attended event *comfortably* fitting the attendees and their families within the Ste. Charles Borromeo gymnasium.

There is a certain room for improvement with communication between state and council/district levels with our other chaired community programs. Lack of exchange seems to be a common theme, but it is not clear whether this is because these programs are not being carried out in the majority of councils, or if they are and the results simply not being reported to the state level chairman, directors and officers. The truth may be somewhere in-between these two extremes. It will be important going forward to persistently message District Deputies and Grand Knights to inquire upon the state of these programs in the councils and solicit documentation. It does not seem that we have a regular messaging system for these particular programs outside of the yearly workshops and mid-year meetings, but it may be best-practice to develop such a system going-forward.

The remaining community programs are Habitat for Humanity (HfH), Global Wheelchair Mission (GWM), Coats for Kids (CfK) and Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest (CCEC). None of these programs currently have chairman, but the objective is to chair these programs to drive program promotion, install council-level-program chairs, assist-targeted-councils in fulfilling program requirements and improve data-collection for the GWM, CfC, HfH and the CCEC in decreasing order of priority. Importantly, the top three priority programs to chair are those having "featured" status by Supreme. The Helping Hands (HH) program is the required program under community, and so we also need to grow much more in our ability to track how councils are doing executing that program.

# In Closing:

Worthy General Programs Director, Philip Stramski, I submit to you the Community Programs Director's report for the 114th kofc Oklahoma State Council Convention. The statements made herein are true to the best of my knowledge, and represent the State of Oklahoma's official community-program-activities for the 2018-2019 fraternal year.

Vivat Jesus!

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State of Oklahoma kofc Community Director

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# Appendix I— Table of Soccer Challenge Winners

Names	Age	Gender	Award	KOC CNCL#
N/A	14	Female	<b>1</b> st	N/A
Natalie Holdgrafer	13	. Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	
Avery Aldrette	12	Female	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	
Berkley Seefeldt	11	Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	
Elia Lundt	10	Female	1st	
Mary Kate Ross	9	Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	
Carson Schultz	14	Male	1st	
Braedon Gehring	13	Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	*
N/A	12	Male	1s	N/A
Mason Zink	10	Male	1st	
Malcom Davie	9	Male	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	



Figure 1: Photograph of participants at this fraternal year's soccer challenge competition.



Figure 2: Photograph of the Brother Knights who attended and assisted Chairman Toan Nyugen with the Soccer Challenge.

# Appendix II—Tables of Female and Male Basketball Free-Throw Winners

Name	Age	Gender Award		KOC Council #
Brittney Grissam	14	Female	<b>1</b> st	965
Carolina Avant	14	Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3220
Katelyn Penner	13	, Female	* * <b>1</b> 7.	1533
«Kinley Mansel	13	Female	*2nd.	1287
Katelin Baltazor	13	Female	314	4598?
Madison Munden	12	Female	<b>1</b> st	1533
Kennedy Flinton	12	Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8204
į lidri Weber	11	Female	1ª, .	13313
Maya Voyles	11	Female	2nd	4601
Katie Milam	10	Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	1287
Evelyn Wagner	10	Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	11135
Molly Milligan	10	Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4601
Andrea Azadi	9	Female	1st.	13313
Hallie Morse	9	Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	965
Kalie Parham	9	Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3220
Name	Age	Gender	Award	KOC Council #

Brock Barr	14	Male	965	
Caleb Flinton	14	Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8204
Jacob Gunter	13	Male	1st	4601
Luke Drew	13	Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1018?
Wyatt Pinkerton	13	Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3220
Jack Franklin	12	Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	11959
Karson Howerton	12	Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1533
Dawson Rucker	12	Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	12819
Gavin Mansel	11	Male	<b>1</b> <sup>s</sup>	1287
Max Harper	11	Male	.2 <sup>nd</sup>	6606
Will Grayson	11	Male	3rd	12819
Lane Rother	10	Male	1st	3220
Cohen Flinton	10	Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	8204
Connor Gracey	10	Male	3rd	12819
Sam Grayson	9	Male	<b>1</b> s	12819
Will Kroener	9	Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3220
Levi Mansel	9	Male	314	1287

#### Life Director Report - 2019 State Convention, Edmond Oklahoma

2019 March for Life Trip - As a result of the efforts of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City, combined with the donations and support from the members of Knights of Columbus Council 12108, the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City was able to send a group of 42 Catholic High School students from Bishop McGinnis, Mount St. Mary and Cristo Rey High Schools and their sponsors to a pilgrimage to the March for Life in Washington, D.C. from January 16th to January 20th for the first time. The trip was a dream come true for many of the students, who had to each write an essay on why they were Pro-Life, in order to be selected to attend the march. The trip started with an airplane flight to Washington D.C, on Wednesday January 16th, followed by a tour of the Catholic University and a vigil mas at the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception on January 17th. The actual March for life was held on Friday March 18th and was followed by a tour of the Capitol. Saturday March 19th started off with mass concelebrated by the Archbishop Coakley and Fr. Carson Krittenbrink, followed by tours of the Holocaust museum, Bible Museum and Arlington Cemetery and a walking tour of the national mall. On the last night of the trip, the students had a chance to play some games and got to express their thoughts and impressions of the trip and how it changed their lives and their view of the pro-life issue.

Knights of Columbus Prolife Billboard Campaign - Knights of Columbus Council # 12108 initiated Phase 1 of the Pro-Life Billboard campaign in the OKC Metro Area that ran from July 2018 to January 2019, with money raised by Council #12108 to purchase space on ten (10) electronic billboards located at various areas around the Oklahoma City Metro Area showing a picture of Our Lady of Guadalupe with a mother and her baby on one side and the words, "Choose Life" on the other side". While Phase 1 of the Pro-Life Billboard campaign was in progress, Council # 12108 sent out letters to all of the other Councils in the state of Oklahoma soliciting donations for Phase 2 to extend and expand the Pro-Life Billboard campaign from January 2019 to July 2019. In response to this appeal, Council #3220 in Okarche, Council # 10822 at St. Eugene's, Council #12669 at Christ the King, Council #16214 in Del City, Council #1018 in Shawnee, Council #6477 at St. John's, Council 5396 in Jones, Council 13313 at St Mary's in Tulsa, Council #6478 in Yukon and Council 11237 at St. Monica's, gave amounts ranging from \$200.00 to \$500.00 per council, to raise a total of \$5,675. In addition to the electronic billboards, St. Marks Council #12108, paid for twelve bus benches at \$75.00 a piece, located all over the OKC Metro Area with the "Choose Life" slogan on them.

Currently, Council #12108 is in the process of raising additional funds to fund Phase 3 of the Pro-Life Billboard Campaign which will run from July 2019 to January 2020. To date we have raised a total of \$882.00 and still have a ways to go to meet our \$5,000.00 goal. So, we encourage those councils who have yet to participate in the Pro-Life Billboard Campaign to join us.

## 2019 PROLIFE BILLBOARD



## **CAMPAIGN - UPDATE**

## PHASE ONE (July 2018 to January 2019)

Phase One of the Prolife Billboard Campaign (PBC) began on July 16, 2018 with electronic billboards displaying the "Choose Life" message to thousands of drivers a day in Oklahoma City, Edmond, Yukon and Del City. The first phase of the Prolife Billboard Campaign will end on January 31, 2019. The cost of the billboards in Phase One was funded by Council 12108. We are ready to begin to display the billboards in Phase Two of the PBC.



## PHASE TWO (January 2019 to July 2019)

During Phase One, money was donated that will fund the PBC in Phase Two which runs from January 2019 to July 2019. We will continue the same format as Phase One with electronic billboards in Oklahoma City, Edmond, Yukon, Norman (new location) and Del City. (See Page Two -

below)

## PHASE THREE (July 2019 to January 2020)

We will accept council, parish or individual donations. We need a minimum of \$5,000.00 to reach the Phase Three goal of ten electronic billboards. This is your opportunity to stand up and answer God's call to speak out for the unborn, who cannot speak for themselves. Please prayerfully consider supporting this life saving program.

#### We would like all donations or pledges to be in by July 1, 2019

Please send your donations to the address listed below:

Knights of Columbus Council 12108
Prolife Billboard Campaign
P.O. Box 893232
Oklahoma City, OK 73189

Please make your check payable to <u>Knights of Columbus Council 12108</u> and write <u>Prolife Billboard Campaign</u> in the memo line. Include the name of a contact person, his telephone number and e-mail address. Your council will receive a receipt for the Prolife Billboard Campaign donation via e-mail. The list of donations will be posted on the Council 12108 website at www.kofc12108.org. All administrative costs for the Prolife Billboard Campaign will be absorbed by Council 12108. Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you for your support.

Vivat Jesus.

Dr. Ronald Larchick
Grand Knight
St. Mark the Evangelist Council 12108

# PROLIFE BILLBOARD CAMPAIGN - PHASE TWO

Council 12108 collected a total of \$5,675.00 from July 2018 to January 2019 to fund **Phase Two of the Prolife Billboard Campaign.** We want to thank all the generous donors listed below. Everyone involved in these donations made a choice to defend the defenseless. May God bless all of you.

## **Phase Two Funding Sources**

Council 12108	John Spaight	\$500.00
Council 3220	Okarche	\$500.00
Council 12108	Linda & Ron Larchick	\$100.00
Council 10822	St. Eugene	\$250.00
Council 12669	Christ the King	\$300.00
Council 16214	Del City	\$200.00
Council 12108	Ladies Auxiliary	\$500.00
Council 12108	Anonymous Donor	\$500.00
Council 1018	Shawnee	\$200.00
Council 6477	St. John, Edmond	\$500.00
Council 5396	Jones	\$200.00
Council 12108	Anonymous Donor	\$250.00
Council 13313	St. Mary, Tulsa	\$200.00
Council 6478	Yukon	\$300.00
Council 12108	Anonymous Donor	\$100.00
Council 11237	St. Monica, Edmond	\$500.00
Saint Monica Parish	Edmond	\$500.00
In honor of Patty & G	arth Christian's 50th Anniversary	\$50.00
In honor of Nancy De	Groote's Birthday	\$25.00

Total \$5,675.00

various parish celebrations, including parish Masses, school Masses, rosaries, processions, and prayer services in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

2019 will mark the 60th anniversary of the Silver Rose program. A special celebration is being planned for the transfer of the Rose to Mexico in Laredo in December 2019. The detailed planning for this celebration is ongoing. All members and their families are invited to attend this special anniversary celebration. As the details are finalized the State Council will keep everyone informed. The State Family recommends that members prayerfully consider making a commitment to participate in the program in 2019. This participation can be by volunteering as a runner in Oklahoma, attending Silver Rose Masses in Oklahoma and/or making a pilgrimage to Laredo to attend the 60th anniversary celebration.

Having been the State Silver Rose Chairman for the past seven years, this report marks the conclusion of my time as State Silver Rose Chairman. I will be happy to assist Former District Master LeRoy Giddens as he moves into the new position of State Chairman for 2019. I would like to thank Past State Deputies Dan Hogan, Ron Schwarz, and Bob Melko and our current State Deputy, John Pierce, for allowing me to serve these past seven years as State Silver Rose Chairman for Oklahoma and Past State Deputy Paul Weigl for assisting me this past year.

## Special Olympics - Tom Greenlee

We Knights of Columbus have a unique relationship with Special Olympics and have been supporting them both financially and with volunteers for many years.

Here in Oklahoma we have been and continue to support the Special Olympics Summer Games in Stillwater by running the Concession stand serving both athletes and supporters.

Local councils have provided volunteers to assist with registration and conducting events with the local Special Olympic area organizations. This has allowed these athletes with physical and developmental disabilities to enjoy the thrill of competition and to be a part the larger world.

## Novena for life - Tony Gianino

The Knights of Columbus Council 12108 and its four committees (Life, Family, Faith, and Community), under the direction of State Director for Life, Victor Munding, have participated in praying two novenas this fraternal year. One novena was prayed by all members of Council 12108 back in October for the Sanctity of Life at all levels from conception to natural death. The second novena was prayed in December leading up to the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe on December 12th. Our Lady of Guadalupe, as the Patroness of the Americas and of the Knights of Columbus, caused our council to participate in this worthwhile prayer effort and has led to a closer fraternity within the Knights of Columbus and Council 12108. Our plan is to continue

praying these novenas in the future and to continue building the Domestic Church for the betterment of our families and our society in general.

#### Mass for People with Special Needs - Bob Winstead

The Center of Family Love was started by a few men of The Knights of Columbus some 45 years ago, located in Okarche, Oklahoma. The Center has about 135 residents in three Locations. The Center provides lifetime care for individuals with intellectual disabilities. The Knights of Columbus remain an integral part of The Center of Family Love.

It is appropriate that The Knights of St. Marks Catholic Church Council #12108 sponsor a Mass at The Blessed Stanley Rother Chapel, located at the Center of Family Love. A weekly Mass is planned for the residents and staff and visitors on Thursdays at 9:30am. We have visiting priests that visit and celebrate Mass. Deacon Lloyd Menz is the Deacon. Of Course, Archbishop Paul Coakley, Archbishop Emeritus Eusebius Beltran and Bishop Konderla come to say Mass on occasions.

The special needs Mass sponsored by Council 12108 is planned for March 21, 2019. The Mass is at the Blessed Stanley Rother Chapel scheduled for 9:30am and the Celebrant is Father Don Wolf from St. Eugene's. After the Mass, we will have games for the residents and a lunch will be served in the Salatka Building.

Ultrasound Program - Dr. Steve Richichi

40 days for Life East - No report Submitted

Christian Refugee Relief - Working to fill this position.



# Oklahoma Knights of Columbus





# **2019 State Convention Report**

The State Ultrasound Initiative purchased 2 more ultrasound machines this past fraternal year. This brings the total number of ultrasounds purchased in Oklahoma to 23.

To date, the *Culture of Life* fund has invested \$734,906.80 in Oklahoma to protect the unborn, with half of that coming from the state (including what Council 4026 raised for the MWC Eden Clinic machine). There is currently \$63,743 on deposit with the *K of C Foundation*, and another \$5000 in the *State Council* account, for a total available of \$68,743.

We are working on purchasing 2 more ultrasound machines, with an application pending for another one. These are as follows:

Clinic Name	Location	Machine Type	Status	
GoLife	Tulsa	Stand-alone Approved, to be		
GoLife	Norman	Mobile	Received, needs Approva	
Gateway	Yukon	Mobile	Application Pending	

We are also anticipating a few more applications from HOPE Pregnancy Centers in the near future.

The stated objective of the Supreme Initiative has always been to save unborn lives. In this respect, the Oklahoma State Initiative continues to be extremely effective. We are responsible for placing roughly 2.5% of the overall machines, despite only having about 0.5% of the worldwide Knights population residing in our state. In other words, we are placing machines at a proportional rate that is five times greater than our member population. The technology we have been able to provide to our partner clinics has helped them to save thousands of unborn lives. It is hard to estimate this in absolute numbers, but somewhere around 90% of mothers who view a sonogram choose to keep their babies. Every Knight in Oklahoma should be proud of what we are achieving.

The Ultrasound Initiative in Oklahoma continues to bear fruit. Contributions have declined over recent years and it is important that Councils across the state, large and small, continue to put on fund-raising events to support this important ministry of the Knights of Columbus. The "Change for Life" cup program should be actively promoted within each council. District Deputies are asked to work with their councils to provide <u>at least</u> one dedicated fundraising effort in their district every quarter. Inter-council fund-raising activities are also encouraged.

Through State Life Director Victor Munding and the Forty Days for Life Program, I have made numerous connections to various Pro-Life Leaders in the metro OKC area, as well as contacting the Pro-Life & Family Officers in Tulsa and the Archdiocese. The SLD and I have sought to Identify and update a comprehensive list of Crisis Pregnancy Centers (CPCs) throughout the state.

Another item of note is that we must continue to be diligent in our scrutiny of qualifying CPCs to be consistent with Catholic teaching. *Eden Clinic* announced at their recent banquet that they would begin providing birth control to their clients. As such, they are ineligible to receive any future machines until this policy is discontinued. Councils seeking to work with CPCs should remain vigilant in such scrutiny.



# Oklahoma Knights of Columbus

# State Ultrasound Initiative

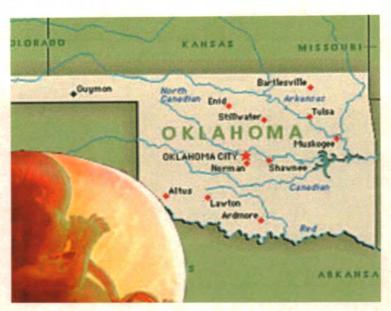


As per Tyler Lomnitzer (Program Manager, Life-Based Initiatives, Fraternal Mission):

"The Knights of Columbus Supreme Council is pleased to announce that it has entered into preferred pricing agreements with three ultrasound vendors: Neurologica, Philips, and Esaote. Given our volume of donated machines (1000+ in the past ten years), we were able to leverage our buying power to lock in guaranteed pricing for three different machines from each vendor, including a three-year maintenance contract, training, and free onboard shipping. We recommend that you select one of these vendors when you are ready to donate money for an ultrasound machine. ... Engaging these vendors is recommended, but not required. Councils and pregnancy centers we are assisting may engage with their own preferred vendor, if desired."

A schedule of these machines with pricing is attached to this report.

The following graphic depicts the placement of all but the most recent machines. We are seeking to give priority to underserved portions of the state (NW & SE) and to proximity to college towns, but we will fill requests in the order in which they are received. We will also seek to replace outdated machines as needed and to place appropriate K of C signage on both existing and all future machines.



I am extremely grateful to the Oklahoma State Council for giving me an opportunity to serve in this capacity. I look forward to working with Archbishop Coakley, Bishop Konderla, State Chaplain Oswalt, and the councils and DD Leadership throughout Oklahoma for what I expect to be a deeply personal, faith-enriching experience, complementary to praying the Rosary with my father outside the Norman abortion facility on a year-round basis. Lastly, I offer my thanks to Past Ultrasound Chairman Otto Nieman for giving me his support and encouragement as I have gotten my bearings running this program.



# Oklahoma Knights of Columbus

# State Ultrasound Initiative



This report is respectfully submitted for inclusion in the minutes of the 2019 State Convention.

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(405) 694-1151

For those who are not aware of the history of the program, here is the chronology:

January 2011 Through the **encouragement** of Bishop Slattery, SD David Roewe and the State Officers decided to implement the Ultrasound Initiative as a Statewide program. The Change for LIFE Campaign was rolled out to the delegates attending the State Convention in April.

December 2011 Catholic Charities of Tulsa receives the 1st ultrasound under the state program

January 2012 Pathways, Altus

March 2012 Birth Choice, Warr Acres
May 2012 Birth Choice, Oklahoma City

May 2012 EDEN Clinic, MWC (purchased by Council 4026 so no State funds used)

July 2012 Pregnancy Resource Center, Owasso

December 2012 Crisis Pregnancy Outreach, Jenks

July 2013 MEND Crisis Pregnancy Outreach, Tulsa

April 2014 Northeastern Oklahoma HOPE Pregnancy Center, Pryor

October 2014 Birth Choice, Edmond October 2014 Birth Choice, Norman

January 2015 GoLife, Tulsa

January 2015 HOPE Pregnancy Center, Ardmore

January 2015 Crisis Pregnancy Center of SW Oklahoma, Lawton

December 2015 Crossroads Clinic, Oklahoma City December 2015 HOPE Pregnancy Center, Tulsa

December 2015 The Evany Clinic, Mustang

July 2016 The Cottages, Bartlesville

October 2016 HOPE Pregnancy Center, Edmond

October 2017 Charis Pregnancy Center, Duncan

October 2017 Living Hope Pregnancy Center, Ponca City

July 2018 Gateway Women's RC, Yukon

July 2018 Birth Choice, Lawton



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Portable Tablet-based (2D)						
System	\$	21,200	\$	24,000	\$	25,000
Transducer		incl.		incl.		incl.
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Thermal Printer		incl.		incl.		incl.
Total	\$	21,200	\$	24,000	\$	25,000
Value-Point Stand-alone (2D)						
System	\$	23,500	\$	27,000	\$	26,000
Transducer		incl.		incl.		incl.
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Thermal Printer		incl.		incl.		incl.
Total	\$	23,500	\$	27,000	\$	26,000
Mid-Point Stand-alone (3D)						
System	\$	36,000	\$	36,000	\$	36,500
Transducer		incl.		incl.		incl.
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#### Oklahoma KofC State Faith Activities Director Report

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Officers, Worthy District Deputies, Delegates, and Brother Knights.

Following is the present status of activities that are ongoing in the Oklahoma jurisdiction.

#### **RSVP**:

Currently there are 9 Seminarians that are being supported by 6 reporting councils. These councils are 916, Guthrie, OK, 4598, Harrah, OK, 5396, Jones, OK, 6477, Edmond, 11237, Edmond and 12108, Norman, OK. These councils have given donations of \$500, \$1000 and notable of all Council 11237 with a donation of \$2000. The total of all donations is \$8000. I would like to congratulate these councils for showing their support of vocations for our seminarians.

Now for those councils not mentioned who are supporting seminarians. I ask that your council Leadership ensure that the State RSVP Chairman Joe Mecham be notified of the donations your council made and to whom they were made. This information is most important for the State of Oklahoma when it comes to keeping track of how we as Knights are supporting our future priests and deacons. As leaders of our councils we are accountable for making sure everything is completed and reported in a timely fashion. Joe will be here all weekend, so see him before you leave to turn in your information and also update the State Directory. The ultimatum is for every council to support the RSVP program.

#### Marion Icon:

The Marion Icon "Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians" has been circulating through the Oklahoma jurisdiction since January 1<sup>st</sup>. Starting in the panhandle of Oklahoma the Icon has been received and enjoyed by every council that has had prayer services. Currently the Icon is circulating through District 15 and one of the Icons is here at the Convention.

Each council has the Icon for a week which affords the parish to have it present during the week day and Sunday masses. Attendance for the services has been good and gives every council the opportunity to come together with the parish faithful to pray for our Persecuted Brothers and Sisters.

The most important aspect of this program is for every Grand Knight and his leadership to notify the parish pastor of the scheduled dates that the Marion Icon will be in his parish. This helps in building that working relationship with our pastors to assist him in rebuilding the church and the faith.

## **Building the Domestic Church Kiosk:**

The Building the Domestic Church Kiosk program was designed for all councils to implement (with approval from your parish pastor) the opportunity to put exceptional religious education materials into the hands of the faithful.

If your council is already participating in this program, that's a great achievement. If your council is not, then meet with your pastor and discuss placing a kiosk in your parish. As most of us know, trust and attendance in the church is down. We as Catholic men and Brother Knights have the obligation to assist our pastors in rebuilding the church and the trust that has marred our faith. As mentioned before, start building that working relationship with the pastor.

## **Spiritual Reflection:**

The Spiritual Reflection program is an area that most council's seem to struggle with, however some council's achieved the requirements to qualify for the Columbian Award by attending the recent Men's Conference in Norman in groups of 10 or more as per the requirement in the Faith In Action guidebook. Consult with your pastor, to set an entire weekend or a day of reflection that incorporates faith classes, confession and preferably mass.

To touch briefly on the remaining programs of the Faith category,

## Into The Breach:

An Apostolic Exhortation to Catholic Men, written by the Most Rev. Thomas J. Olmstead, Bishop of Phoenix, is a book about being a better Christian man, how to love as a Catholic man, and why is fatherhood, fully understood, so crucial for every man. It has an 8 week course that can be used in a group discussion setting. If you or your council has not utilized this resource, it can be ordered from the Supreme website under the supplies online.

## Rosary Program:

The program encourages KofC councils to promote devotion to the rosary in our families and parishes by scheduling regular rosary prayer services. Each one us should remember that during our Admission degree we took a promise of devotion to pray the rosary as often as possible.

#### Holy Hour:

This program is self explanatory. Work with your pastor to set a time for your council and families to spend an hour or more in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

#### Sacramental Gifts:

This program allows KofC councils the opportunity to participate in momentous celebrations that / families experience with Baptism, First Communions, RCIA, and Marriage. Gifts for each can be ordered from supplies online. Order enough to cover every event throughout the year.

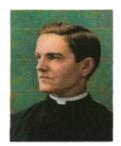
Each Council in the Oklahoma Jurisdiction was given a Faith In Action Guidebook to use in planning your councils activities. By referencing and utilizing this guidebook your council can excel in its programs and thus enhance and help your pastor grow the parish and your council in every aspect in keeping with the vision of our founder, The Venerable Fr Michael J. McGivney.

In closing, I respectfully submit this report to the Worthy State Secretary and move that it be adopted into the minutes of the 114th Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Convention.

Vivat Jesus!

Steven E Rose
Faith Activities Director
Oklahoma KofC State Council

SEMINARIAN / RELIGIOUS	1	AMOUNT	COUNCIL / ASSEMBLY	LOCATION
Martin Parizek	\$	500.00	Council 5396	Jones, OK
Rendon Chambers	\$	500.00	Council 5396	Jones, OK
Robert Miller	\$	500.00	Council 916	Guthrie, OK
Michael Mollman	\$	1,500.00	Council 12108	Norman, OK
Stephen Jones	\$	2,000.00	Council 11237	Edmond, OK
Jonah Beckman	\$	1,000.00	Council 6477	Edmond, OK
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### OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL

**April 25, 2019** 

RE: 365 Club REPORT, 2017-2018 Fraternal Year, 113\* Oklahoma State Convention

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy District Master, Worthy State Membership Director, Worthy General Program Director, Worthy State Directors, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy Delegates and Brother Knights

The 365 Club was established to provide financial assistance to seminaries from the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City and the Diocese of Tulsa. The 365 Chib has been successfully promoted around the State with council and individuals contributing throughout the year. This fund is invested through the Oklahoma Knights of Columbus Foundation and each year a portion of the earnings are used to provide scholarships to seminarians.

This past year the 365 Club received total contribution in the amount of \$6,366.80. The total value Of the fund is \$344,473.84, which includes unrealized gains or losses.

I am pleased to announce that we had four (4) members achieving lifetime membership:

- Vincent Simon
- Dale Harrison PSD

The following Councils made contributions to the 365 Club Fund

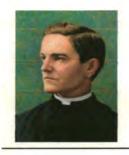
- Council 1038
- Council 12108
- Council 1104
- Council 8523

On behalf of the State Council, I wish to thank all Brother Knights and their families who have diligently supported this worthy cause and I solicit your continued support.

I respectfully submit this report to the minutes of the 113<sup>dl</sup> Oklahoma State Convention.

**Vivat Jesus!** 

Miguel Grijalva State Warden



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE



April 25, 2019

#### PENNIES FOR HEAVEN REPORT

Presented to the 114th Convention of the Oklahoma State Council of the Knights of Columbus

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy District Master, Worthy District Deputies, Worthy State Membership Director, Worthy General Program Director, Worthy State Directors, Worthy Delegates and Brother Knights all,

The Pennies for Heaven program was established during the 1973-1974 fraternal year under the guidance of then State Deputy Harold Welling for the support of Vocations in the State of Oklahoma. The program collected pocket change from members and distributed it evenly to the Diocese of Tulsa and the Diocese of Oklahoma City.

Over the course of this year, April 2018 through March 2019, the councils and members of the Oklahoma State Council have contributed \$2.969.15 to the Pennies for Heaven fund which is administered by the Knights of Columbus Foundation. Total amount in the Pennies for Heaven Fund is \$185,049.27

Checks for \$1,000.00 each will be sent from the State Council to the Diocese of Tulsa and the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City representing interest earned by the fund during the last fiscal year.

I respectfully submit this report to the minutes of the 114th Oklahoma State Convention.

Vivat Jesus!

Miguel Grijalva

Oklahoma State Council

State Warden

# OKLAHOMA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT Sapulpa Municipal Golf Course US Hwy 66 W. Sapulpa, OK Saturday May 18, 2019 8:00 am Shotgun Start 4-Person Scramble Format SACRED HEARTS KNIGHTS OF COLUBMUS COUNCIL 9333

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Checks Payable: Sacred Heart K O C Council 9333	

#### Report of The Running of the Silver Rose

Worthy Supreme Representative, Worthy State Deputy, Worthy Vice Supreme Master, Worthy Past State Deputies, Worthy Past Vice Supreme Masters, Worthy State Officers, Worthy State Directors and Chairmen, Worthy Delegates, and Brothers All:

The running of the Silver Rose in 2018 marked the 59th year of the program that began in 1960 as a project of the Columbian Squires of North America to honor the Blessed Virgin under her title of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas. In 2001 Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson shaped the Silver Rose program as a culture of life effort at the 119th Annual Meeting of the Supreme Council in Toronto. This annual activity "is a perfect program for the Knights of Columbus," said Supreme Knight Anderson. "Through it we honor not only Our Lady of Guadalupe and express the unity of the Order, but we also reaffirm the Order's dedication to the sanctity of human life. It is to the Blessed Mother that we turn in prayer as we work to end the Culture of Death that grips our society. As we think in terms of 'One Life, One Rose,' it is most appropriate that we turn to Our Lady of Guadalupe who made known her will through Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses."

On October 13, 2018 the Oklahoma jurisdiction received the Supreme Silver Rose from the Kansas jurisdiction at Sacred Heart Church in Miami, OK. Oklahoma State Chaplain Reverend M. Price Oswalt celebrated Mass and Sacred Heart Council 3167 hosted a banquet following Mass. The Supreme Rose was then transferred from council to council along a route through eastern Oklahoma culminating in its transfer from the Oklahoma jurisdiction to the Texas jurisdiction on November 10, 2018 at a Mass celebrated at St. Mary Church in Gainesville, Texas. Concurrent with the running of the Supreme Rose through eastern Oklahoma, the Provincial Rose assigned to District Master Fred Crump traveled along a route through western and central Oklahoma. The running of the Provincial Rose commenced October 27, 2018 at St. Peter Church in Guymon, Oklahoma and concluded November 27, 2018 at Blessed Sacrament Church in Lawton, Oklahoma. Over the four-week schedule, both Roses were included in various parish celebrations, including parish Masses, school Masses, rosaries, processions, and prayer services in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

2019 will mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Silver Rose program. A special celebration is being planned for the transfer of the Rose to Mexico in Laredo in December 2019. The detailed planning for this celebration is ongoing. All members and their families are invited to attend this special anniversary celebration. As the details are finalized, the State Council will keep everyone informed. The State Family recommends that members prayerfully consider making a commitment to participate in the program in 2019. This participation can be by volunteering as a runner in Oklahoma, attending Silver Rose Masses in Oklahoma and/or making a pilgrimage to Laredo to attend the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration.

Having been the State Silver Rose Chairman for the past seven years, this report marks the conclusion of my time as State Silver Rose Chairman. I will be happy to assist Former District Master LeRoy Giddens as he moves into the new position of State Chairman for 2019. I would like to thank Past State Deputies Dan Hogan, Ron Schwarz, and Bob Melko and our current State Deputy, John Pierce, for allowing me to serve these past seven years as State Silver Rose Chairman for Oklahoma and Past State Deputy Paul Weigl for assisting me this past year.

Thereby ASK that this report Be summitted in Northern State Converted Conver

Fraternally, Chris King, Outgoing State Silver Rose Chairman

#### **Credentials Committee Report** Presented at 114th State Convention April 28th, 2019

Worthy State Deputy, Worthy State Chaplin, Supreme Representative, State Officers, District Deputies and Brother Knights

The names on the Credentials List and those presenting Credential Letters were crosschecked for verification to vote and eligibility for per diem.

Of the 76 active councils and 152 possible delegates 98 delegates representing 51 Councils registered for the State Convention. Ninety eight (98) delegates were presented, seated and eligible for voting.

This information was unanimously accepted by the Committee and we recommend this report be adopted into the minutes of the 114th annual Oklahoma Knights of Columbus State Convention.

Greg Greenlee

John Thomas James Store"

James Stovall

Credentials Committee

#### LAWS and RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 1

# Presented for the Consideration of the Supreme Council 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Oklahoma State Convention April 28 2019

#### Felicitations to the Supreme Knight

RESOLVED that we express gratitude to our Supreme Knight, Carl A. Anderson, and his wife Dorian for the continued leadership and guidance they provide the Knights in Oklahoma and throughout the order; and

#### Salutations to the Supreme Chaplain

RESOLVED that we offer prayers, support, and express our sincere appreciation to our Supreme Chaplain, the Most Reverend William E. Lori, for his spiritual guidance and personal example; and

#### Salutations to the Supreme Officers and Directors

RESOLVED that we express gratitude to all Supreme Council Officers and Directors, and all Supreme Office Personnel for their continued leadership and assistance; and

#### **Resolution of Appreciation and Prayers of Support to the Holy Father**

RESOLVED that we give prayers and support to our Holy Father Pope Francis for his guidance and leadership of the Holy Catholic Church; Long Live Pope Francis; and

#### **Beatification of Father McGivney**

RESOLVED that we promote participation in the Father Michael McGivney Guild and otherwise support the cause and pledge our prayers for the Beatification of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, and further, we also express appreciation of Father Gabriel B. O'Donnell OP, Postulator for the Cause of Father McGivney and Guild Director, for his guidance and prayers in the cause; and

#### **Salutations to Supreme Program Consultants**

RESOLVED that we express our appreciation to the Supreme Program Consultants who are a great source of support for the State Councils and all Program Chairmen in all jurisdictions; and

#### **Respect for Life**

RESOLVED that we continue support and prayers for all Culture of Life, Birth Right, and Birth Choice organizations; and continue support and prayers for the Ultra Sound Initiative; and

#### Culture of Life

RESOLVED we stand firmly behind the United States Bishops in their opposition to the Freedom of Choice Act (FOCA) and continue to remember them in our prayers and that we continue to unconditionally support life from conception to natural death; and

#### **Definition of Marriage**

RESOLVED that we support the definition of marriage as between one woman and one man as defined by the Church; and

#### Support of our Bishops and Priests and All Called to Religious Life

RESOLVED that we continue to give our support to our bishops, priests, and all religious who are dedicated to living holy and zealous lives day to day as servants of the Catholic Church and her members; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED that we, the Laws and Resolutions Committee, appointed by the State Deputy, met and considered these resolutions for felicitation and salutation. We move that these resolutions for felicitations and salutations be entered into the minutes of the 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus State Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher Victor, State Advocate, Council 11959 Lou Falsetti, GK, Council 1038 James Murphy, FS, Council 8204 Jose Feliciano, PDGK, Council 11909 Robert Mulvihill, GK, Council 9333

#### LAWS and RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT 2

# Presented for the Consideration of the State Council 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Oklahoma State Convention April 28 2019

#### Salutations to Archbishop Coakley and Bishop Konderla

RESOLVED that we pledge our continued support to and pledge our prayers for Archbishop Paul S. Coakley of Oklahoma City and Bishop David A. Konderla of Tulsa and all priests of Oklahoma and express our gratitude and appreciation for their support; and

#### Salutations to Abbot Lawrence Stasyszen

RESOLVED that we pledge our continued support to Abbot Lawrence Stasyszen, of St. Gregory's Abbey, Shawnee, and express our gratitude and appreciation for his support in attendance at our 114<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention; and

#### In Appreciation of Archbishop Emeritus Beltran and Bishop Emeritus Slattery

RESOLVED that special appreciation be expressed to Archbishop Emeritus Eusebius Beltran of Oklahoma City and Bishop Emeritus Edward J. Slattery of Tulsa for their dedicated service to our Holy Mother Church and our communities and for their continued support of the Knights of Columbus; and

#### Salutations to State Chaplain

RESOLVED that we express appreciation to and pledge our continuing support for our Worthy State Chaplain, Reverend M. Price Oswalt; and

#### Salutations to Supreme Representative Ron Schwarz

RESOLVED that we express gratitude and appreciation to Supreme Representative Ron Schwarz, Supreme Treasurer and Supreme Board of Directors, Knights of Columbus, and his wife Jeanette, for their support in attendance at our 114<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention; and

#### Salutations to Regional Growth Director Ray Lopez

RESOLVED that we express gratitude and appreciation to Ray Lopez, Regional Growth Director, Knights of Columbus, for his attention and direction during the fraternal year; and

#### Salutations to Regional Training Director Ken White

RESOLVED that we express gratitude and appreciation to Ken White, Regional Training Director, Knights of Columbus, for his knowledge and guidance during the fraternal year; and

#### Salutations to David Roewe PSD VSM

RESOLVED that we hereby express appreciation to PSD David Roewe for his continued service as Vice Supreme Master of the Patriotic Degree Our Lady of Guadalupe Province; and

#### Salutations to Oklahoma Catholic Press

RESOLVED we express our appreciation to David Crenshaw, Editor of the EASTERN OKLAHOMA CATHOLIC, and Diane Clay, editor of the SOONER CATHOLIC, for their leadership of these two Catholic Diocese publications; and

#### **Salutations to Steve Gust**

RESOLVED that we express our appreciation to and support of Steve Gust, Editor of the OKLAHOMA KNIGHT; and

#### **Recognition of Special Efforts**

RESOLVED that special appreciation be expressed to all councils and individual Knights who have contributed to the Special Charities Fund, Pennies for Heaven, the "365 Club", the "Campaign for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities", and Ladies Auxiliaries; and

#### Salutations to Debbie Espinoza

RESOLVED that we express our appreciation to and support of Debbie Espinoza, as the Executive Director of the Center of Family Love; and

#### **Center of Family Love**

RESOLVED that we continue support for the further development and maintenance of the Center of Family Love; and

#### **RSVP Program**

RESOLVED that we encourage all councils to participate in the RSVP program for Seminarians and the Bishop Daily Trust Fund in support of vocations; and

#### **Canonization of Blessed Stanley Rother**

RESOLVED that we promote and support the cause and pledge our prayers for the canonization of Blessed Stanley Rother, who chose to return to Guatemala to serve his parish knowing there were threats against his life. Further, we also express appreciation to Reverend M. Price Oswalt, Promoter for the Cause of Blessed Stanley Rother and Guild Director for his guidance and prayers in the cause; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED that we, the Laws and Resolutions Committee, duly appointed by the State Deputy, have met and considered these resolutions for felicitation and salutation, and therefore we move that these resolutions for felicitations, salutations and condolences be entered into the minutes of the 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus State Convention.

#### Respectfully submitted,

Christopher Victor, State Advocate, Council 11959 Lou Falsetti, GK, Council 1038 James Murphy, FS, Council 8204 Jose Feliciano, PDGK, Council 11909 Robert Mulvihill, GK, Council 9333



## OKLAHOMA STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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State Treasurer Report

April 24, 2019

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy State Deputy, Supreme Representative, State Officers and Brother Knights

The audit committee's task is to review and audit the State Treasurer's books and records for the period of April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019. The audit committee met with the State Treasurer the evening of April 17, 2019 and reviewed and audited ledgers and reports of the Oklahoma State Treasurer records. Based upon the review and spot checks of statements and ledger sheets and finding no discrepancies, we the committee certify the accuracy of the Oklahoma State Treasurer's books and records.

Dennis Kunnanz, State Treasurer, presented the committee with a comprehensive review of the state's accounting process. All questions the committee had regarding the report and audit process were completely answered by the State Treasurer.

The committee was provided a copy of the independent auditor's report for the period April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018. The audit was completed September 14, 2018. An independent audit will be performed on the Oklahoma State Treasurer's books for the period April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019. It is estimated that the audit will be completed by the end of August 2019. The committee was also provided a copy of the completed and filed 2018 Form 990 for the Knights of Columbus Oklahoma State Council. The return was professionally prepared by C.J. Runyon, CPA and appeared to be in order.

After review of the Oklahoma State Council of Knight of Columbus general accounts the committee found no discrepancies. The records are in proper order and the State Treasurer's report should be approved as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

**Audit Committee Members** 

Jen Kunnaz

Tom Greenlee Cl 10822; Jim Jeffcoat Cl 11237; Luis Blanco Cl 6477 and Peter Pembroke Cl 1038

#### Past State Deputies Meeting 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention April 27, 2019

Meeting was called to order by Immediate Past State Deputy, Robert Melko at 11:00 am. Worthy State Chaplin, Rev M. Price Oswalt opened the meeting with a prayer. There were 9 Past State Deputies present at the meeting. Those in attendance were PSD's Robert Melko, Ron Schwarz, David Roewe, Paul Weigl Jr., Buster Fisher, Willard Patocka, Richard Schulte, Dale Harrison, and Robert Basolo. Also attending by invite was State Chaplin, Rev. M. Price Oswalt and Peter Picket the State Scholarship Director.

A reception for the Past State Deputies was held in the State Councils hospitality room and hosted by the current State Officers. Following the reception, the Past State Deputies Dinner was held at the Hilton Garden Inn\Edmond Convention Center on Friday 26, 2019. In attendance PSD/FVSM Robert Basolo and his wife Bernice, PSD Dale Harrison and his wife Rita, Former First Lady Shirley Roewe, PSD/FVSM Richard Schulte and his wife Gloria, PSD Willard Patocka, PSD/FDM Buster Fisher and guest, PSD/FVSM Paul Weigl and his wife Barbara, PSD/VSM David Roewe and his wife Melani, Supreme Treasurer/PSD Ron Schwarz, IPSD Robert Melko, State Chaplin Rev. M. Price Oswalt and State Deputy John Peirce and his wife Cheryl.

PSD Leroy Jech, PSD/FDM Robert Novotny, PSD Jose Jimenez, and PSD/FVSM Dan Hogan sent their regrets. Received regrets from Archbishop Coakley, Bishop Konderla, Archbishop Emeritus Beltran, and Bishop Emeritus Slatery.

Scholarship Report was given by Scholarship Director Peter Picket. In his report he discussed the new format for the Catholic Education Program. After the report was over the PSD discussed the new plan and would like the following items be incorporated into the new program 1) Instead of the monies going into the State Charity Fund that it would go into a fund in education fund at the foundation, so if individuals can donate and get the tax credit since the foundation is a 501 3c. 2)

Add in some type accountability from each diocese so we as the members know where the monies are going too.

It was brought up to see if the PSD at the banquet and the awards breakfast if the would like to sit with the award winners tables. The consensus was that they will be willing to try this format instead of all at one or two tables.

PSD/FVSM Richard Schulte gave the PSD's a report on the Center of Family Love and the upcoming COFL Gala and the COFL Love Challenge. In the report it was stated the Center has a \$1.6 million short fall because of the governments cut backs. Also report the 2018 Gala raised over a million dollars. The Gala will be held June 8, 2019 at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum.

Fr. Ozwalt brought up the different Rites in the Catholic faith and talked about the Syro-Mallibar rite, which is in the process of restoring a closed church in the OKC area for their congregation. Fr. Ozwalt said they will need help with this task. There was a motion made, second and passed that the Oklahoma State Council to help and re-establish this church.

Meeting was closed at 12:00 noon.

Vivat Jesus,

Robert Melko IPSD

#### 114<sup>th</sup> State Convention Minutes

#### Saturday April 27, 2019

9:00	Call to Order
9:01	Motion to Open the Meeting to Guests, motion by delegate council 11909, 2 <sup>nd</sup> by delegate
council	16214- Passed
9:03	Opening Prayer
9:05	Presentation of the Colors, Pledge of Allegiance
9:12	Supreme Knight Carl Anderson – Greeting & Report
9:22	State Deputy's Report
9:33	State Chaplain's Report
9:48	Supreme Representative's Report – Ron Schwarz
10:03	General Agent Report – Kevin Pierce
10:20	Motion for Waiving the Litany by delegate from 1104, 2 <sup>nd</sup> by delegate from 11909 – Passed
10:30	DD Reports
10:53	Past State Deputies Meeting
10:55	General Program Director Report – Miguel Grijalva
10:55	Faith – Steve Rose
11:02	Community – Vince N
11:07	Life – Victor
	Family – No report
11:22	Golf Tournament – Michael Zink
11:28	Keep Christ in Christmas – James Spaeth
11:30	Knights on Bikes – Mark Cearly
12:00	Dismiss for lunch
1:00	Re-Opening of Meeting by SD
1:05	Instruction for Nominations for Supreme Convention Delegate – SW Miguel Grijalva
1:08	Nominations for State Warden
	Steve Rose, motion by Ron Larchick 12108 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Victor Munding 12105
	Philip Stramski, motion by Richard Schulte 6477 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Buster Fisher 6477
	Zachary Kastl, motion by Chris Kastl 6478 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Steve King 1044
1:19	Nomination for State Advocate
	Migual Grijalva, motion by Richard Schulte 6477 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jose Feliciano 11909
1:23	Nomination for State Treasurer
	Chris Victor, motion by Robin Hopkins 962 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Chris King 4721
1:24	Nomination for State Secretary
	Dennis Kunnanz, motion by Richard Schulte 6477 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Scotty Snodgrass 9901
1:28	Nomination for State Deputy
	Matt Maly, motion by Dale Harrison & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Joe Maly
1:32	Nominations for Supreme Delegate, Insurance Member
	- Chris Victor, motion by Garth Christian 11237 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mark West 11128
	- Miguel Grijalva, motion by Robin Hopkins 962 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Juan Gonzales 1287

Nominations for Supreme Delegate, Non-Insurance Member

- Dennis Kunnanz, motion by Greg Greenlee 11237 & 2<sup>nd</sup> Scotty Snodgrass 9901
- Bill Bridges, motion by & 2<sup>nd</sup> Melvin Wolfe 1053
- Dennis Nauman, motion by Lou Falsetti 1038 & 2<sup>nd</sup> Paul Liedell 1038

Nominations for Supreme Delegate, Alternates

Chris King, motion by Jeff Kessler 7395

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- 1:43 Motion to Close Nominations, motion by Don Carpenter 4598 & 2<sup>nd</sup> Lou Falsetti 1038 Passed
- 1:47 Presentation of Potential 2021 State Convention Sites SA Chris Victor
  - Tulsa, Doubletree Warren Place
  - Tulsa, Renaissance
  - Edmond, Hilton Garden
  - Norman, Embassy Suites
- 1:50 COFL Report by PSD Richard Schulte and VSM, PSD Dan Hogan
- 2:04 Silver Rose Report, Chris King
- 2:08 Fourth Degree Report, District Master Fred Crump
- 2:13 State Membership Report SMD Ryan King
- 3:15 Suspended business for the day

#### 114th State Convention Minutes

#### Sunday April 28, 2019

- 12:00 Opening Prayer Rev. Fr. Price Oswalt
- 12:03 Reading of the Minutes
- 12:03 Motion to Waive Reading of Minutes Made & 2<sup>nd</sup> Passed
- 12:05 State Membership Status and look Forward–SMD Ryan King
- 12:30 Motion to Suspend Convention Meeting Made & 2<sup>nd</sup> Passed
- 12:31 Open the foundation Meeting
- 12:34 Foundation Treasurers Report
- 12:42 Motion to Re-Open Convention Meeting Made, 2<sup>nd</sup> Passed
- 12:42 State Secretary's Report Matt Maly
- 12:45 Credentials Report Matt Maly
- 12:47 State Treasurer's Report Dennis Kunnanz
- 12:47 Audit Committee #1 Dennis Kunnanz
- 12:50 State Budget Report Dennis Kunnanz
- 12:53 State Advocate's Report- Chris Victor
- 1:02 State Warden's Report Migual Grijalva
- 1:10 Report of Past State Deputies IPSD Bob Melko
- 1:16 Roll Call of Delegates Matt Maly
- 1:21 Delegate Instruction State Warden- Migual Grijalva
- 1:25 Unfinished Business -None
- 1:25 New Business
- 1:25 Statement of Delegates and Vote Counts Issues with Recall Roll
- 1:25 Election of State Officers
  - SD Elect Matthew Maly by Acclimation, motion Richard Schulte 6477 & 2nd JA 16214
  - SS Elect Dennis Kunnanz by Acclimation, motion Dale Harrison 5396 & 2<sup>nd</sup> Greg Greenlee 11237
  - ST Elect Chris Victor by Acclimation, motion Richard Schulte 6477 & 2<sup>nd</sup> Chris King 4721
  - SW Election, Philip Stramski, Steve Rose, Zachary Kastl
  - SW Run Off, Zachary Kastl and Steve Rose
  - SW Elect Steve Rose

#### 2:13 Election of Supreme Convention Representatives

Nominees for Insurance Delegate, Miguel Grijlava, Chris King & Chris Victor

- Insurance Delegate Miguel Grijalva
- Insurance Delegate Chris Victor

Nominees for Associate Delegate, Bill Bridges, Chris King, Dennis Kunnanz & Dennis Nauman

- Associate Delegate Dennis Kunnanz
- Associate Delegate Chris King
- Associate Delegate Dennis Nauman

#### 2:50 Selection of 2020 Convention Site

Nominations, Embassy Suites-Norman, Hilton Garden Inn- Edmond, Renaissance-Tulsa & Warren Place Double Tree- Tulsa

- Warren Place Double Tree, Tulsa Selected
- 2:55 Vote to Approve Budget, motion by Tim Arndt 1302 & 2<sup>nd</sup> JP 6478 Passed

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- 2:50 Motion to destroy ballots Passed
- $2:\!56$   $\,$  Vote to Approve By-Laws and Resolutions, motion by delegate from council 9333 &  $2^{\text{nd}}\,$  by delegate from council 14448 Passed
- 2:57 General Comment and Announcements
- 3:00 Final Comments by Current State Officers
- 3:07 Closing Prayer Migual Grijalva
- 3:10 2019 Convention Meeting Adjourned SD John Pierce