



Father Albert J. Todd Council 12119

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Monthly Business Meetings are held virtually and/or at St. Bernadette Church every Third Monday at 7:30 pm

Meeting Minutes for: March 21, 2022

Prepared by Chad Lijewski, Recorder

1. CALL TO ORDER:

- The Meeting was called to order by GK Tim Chetney at 7:30 pm, per video call and in-person.

2. Opening Prayer:

- The Opening Prayer was led by GK Tim Chetney.

3. Pledge of Allegiance:

- The pledge was led by GK Tim Chetney.

4. Reading of Minutes of Previous Meeting:

- Bro. Jim O'Donnell made a motion to approve the minutes of January's and February's business meeting. Bro. Lou Paone seconded the motion and it **passed** unanimously.

5. Chaplain's Message:

- Omitted

6. Grand Knight's Report (Grand Knight Tim Chetney):

- Sleep in Heavenly Peace...
 - SHP delivered beds on Feb 12.
 - K of C will host a bed build on May 14; emails to follow. In addition, the parish is going raise the \$4000 needed to build the beds, through donations.
- Working with Father Fernando to have another Exemplification after Easter.
- Hoping to start Bingo on May 12 (Thursday).
- We are having a "Fraternal Benefits Night" on May 27 for all Brother Knights and their family members; guest speaker will be Bro. Joseph Owens.
- A Brother from Council #11266 (St. Mary Mother of the Church, Garner) spoke about their Golf Tournament on August 8 and looking for our Council to send a team or two.

7a. Treasurer's Report (Bro. Karl Seitz):

- Bro. Karl Seitz reported on our bank accounts.

7b. Report of Auditors and Trustees (Bro. Jim O'Donnell):

- Bro. Jim O'Donnell vouched that all receipts have been reviewed & are in good order.

7c. Reading of Bills and Communications (Prepared by GK Tim Chetney because Bro. Roy Leckonby was not in attendance):

- Officers decided to close the PNC Money Market account and move it into the General Fund.
- Current membership count = 217.

d. Financial Secretary's Report (Prepared by GK Tim Chetney because Bro. Roy Leckonby was not in attendance):

- GK Tim Chetney reported on our financial outlook.
- Our council has signed up with "Zelle" for members to pay their dues online...
 - Information needed to send money thru Zelle:
Name: **KofC Council 12119**
Email: financialsecretary@kofc12119.org
Suggest using the following --
First name: Knights Last Name: of Columbus Nickname: KofC 12119

8. Membership & Retention Director (Bro. Sean Dullaghan):

- Next Exemplification date could happen in April.

9a. Report of Service Program Committees (Deputy Grand Knight Don Witosky)

Faith (Bro. Thomas Gorry):

- Bro. Thomas Gorry has organized a Bible study.
- A rosary will be held every Saturday (**except** 1st Sat. of the month), starting at 4:30 pm by Bro. Thomas Gorry at St. Bernadette Church.
- On March 28, we will have the "Father McGivney Holy Hour".
- "Into the Breach" is every Saturday, starting at 8:30 am. Please register (it's free) at <https://kofcnc.org/faith/into-the-breach-weekly>
- Faith Formation for the parish is currently on going each month.
- 'Stations of the Cross' was held on March 18 at St. Bernadette Church and 60 people attended.
- On March 19, our State District showed the "Saint Joseph" documentary.
- April 9, 7:30-5:30 pm, Ignited by Truth Catholic Conference is being held at the NC State Reynolds Coliseum...Please register, [ignited By Truth Catholic Conference - Ignited by Truth](#)

Family (Bro. Levi Anderson):

- Nothing to report
- Bro. Levi Anderson is looking to do another Food Drive in July.

Community (Bro. John Stampf)

- Nothing to report.

Life (Bro. Joe Lee):

- Nothing to report
- W raised \$350 for "Run for Life" which took place on March 12.

9b. Report of Other Committees (Grand Knight Tim Chetney)

Report of the Fourth Degree (SK Jim O'Donnell):

- Fourth Degree meetings are held every **third** Tuesday of the month.
- April 19 will be the next 4th Degree Meeting.

Insurance Field Agent's Report (Bro. Joseph Owens):

- Nothing to report.

District Deputy's Report (Bro. Mike Zazzeri):

- Greeting from Supreme Knight-Patrick Kelly, the Supreme Board of Directors, and State Deputy-JC Reiher and State Officers.
- Please don't forget to keep our Ukraine Brother Knights in your prayers.
- Eleven Knights from neighboring Councils would like to attend the Exemplification in April.

Social (Bro. Ken Vaisnins):

- Our first 'Social Night' this fiscal year will take place April 22 – emails to follow.
- Bro. Ken Vaisnins is looking to clean out 'Fred's Shed' before Bingo starts in May.

LAMB (Bro. Ken Vaisnins):

- Nothing to report.

Baby Bottle Campaign (Joe Lee):

- Nothing to report.

Website (Joe Lee):

- Nothing to report.

Blood Drive (Bro. Tim Chetney):

- 'Red Cross' and the 'Blood Connection' will be discussed later this year.

Bingo (Bro. Al Munno):

- Bingo will start May 12 (hopefully).
- Currently, the State has removed any limits on the numbers on participates to play.
- Bro. Jim O'Donnell and Bro. Al Munno will start soliciting help.

10. Unfinished Business:

- Anyone interested in being an Officer for 2022-20223, please contact Bro. Jim O'Donnell, Bro. Dave Dillman, or GK Tim Chetney
- These are the people attending our State Convention in May: Tim Chetney and Don Witosky will be attending; Joseph Owens and Jim O'Donnell are the alternates.
- Please mail back any un-used State Raffle tickets to Bro. Lou Paone. State Raffle will be wrapping up at the end of this month (March).

11. New Business:

- Bro. Ray O'Brien is looking to donate a commercial refrigerator and freezer to a charity.

12. Good of the Order (Awards):

- Bro. Jake Duskocil was nominated "Knight of the Month".
- Bro. Tony Bumarch and his wife, Cathy, were nominated for "Family of the Month".

13. Lector (Bro. Deacon Jack Reichert):

- Nothing to report.

14. Intentions for the sick or distressed:

Prayers were requested for:

- All US Military and Veterans; All Unborn; Police Officers and First Responders
- Doctors & Nurses; All Seminarians; End of Abortion; LAMB kids
- All our beloved pets who are ill or have passed; **People suffering with the Coronavirus;**

- Bro. Mike Jackura granddaughter – Willow Jackura – age 8, with terminal brain cancer

- People in Ukraine

January 2022 --

- Bro. Richard Bodnar (kidney transplant)
- Bro. Jim Burk (passed)
- Bro. Karl Seitz's wife, Sue (ill)
- Bro. Jack Dullaghan (ill)

February 2022 --

- Bro. Lou Paone (variety of ailments)
- Bro. Mike Vararo and his wife, Sarah (ill)

March 2022 --

- Bro. Joe Castro (ill)
- Bro. Kevin Figg's wife, Francene (ill)
- Bro. Tom Fornabaio (ill)

15. Closing Prayer Adjournment:

- Led by Bro. GK Tim Chetney.

16. Adjournment:

- The meeting was adjourned by Grand Knight Tim Chetney at 8:50 pm

Addendum emails will follow: Treasurer's Report, Budget update YTD, Communications.