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Rosary precedes meeting @ 6:45PM in the Gehl Center.***

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

Awarded WI Complete Council 96-97, 97-98

Awarded Fr. McGivney Award 18-19

Achieved Columbian Award

91-92	92-93	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99
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	13-14	15-16	16-17	20-21	

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Spiritual Corner

Following is a beautiful prayer for personal healing: Loving God, I come to you in prayer, seeking the blessing of good health, that I may serve Your Divine Son more faithfully and love Him with greater sincerity. I wish to be well and strong, that I may use the talents and gifts You have given me, in Your honor, in service to my family, and for the good of others. Help me to bear patiently with illness, and to grow always in Your wisdom and grace. Amen

Grand Knight's Message

Praise be to Jesus Christ! A blessed All Saints Day and a happy Thanksgiving to you! This month there is a lot to be involved in: works to be done, meals to be prepared, and holidays to be celebrated. All of this for us Knights must be centered on one goal: becoming a saint and bringing as many as we can along with us. In the midst of all the celebrating, the Church reminds us of the great cloud of witnesses we are called to join in Heaven. Give thanks to God for this time and the joys of family life. Enjoy what He has provided. Serve Him and thank Him well in our council programs, in our parish activities, and in the many opportunities of daily Christian life. Thank Him by being a man fully alive in Christ! As we come to the end of the liturgical year and enjoy the time the Lord has given us, remember the watchword of our Order. Tempus Fugit, Memento Mori: time flies, remember death. We have a limited time on earth, brothers! Let us follow eagerly after Christ our Lord and serve Him well, to enjoy forever the bliss of Heaven with those we bring to Him. There we will live out the great honor of being Catholic gentlemen. We will be saints.

Vivat Jesus, Brother Connor Schlaack, GK

Wisdom

Observation is the greatest source of wisdom.

Humor

My grandmother is over 80 and still doesn't need glasses. Drinks right out of the bottle.

Happy Birthday

11/8 Greg Schmitt

11/26 Tom Mahoney

Council Activities in progress**Combined Degree**

A Combined Degree will be held at 7PM before our regular monthly meeting on November 1, 2022. No officer meeting or rosary this month. It is anticipated we could have up to 3 new members from the membership drive held in October.

Rosary Program

A reminder that our Rosary Program is held on the second Wednesday of every month during Adoration at SFX beginning at 7PM. (November 9, 2022)

Tootsie Roll Drive

The drive was held the weekend of 9/16-18. The final tally was \$2202.21. A job well done, Dan Bins and all who donated their time!

Landing Day Banquet

Thanks to Bill Bishop for arranging the Landing Day Banquet. Members from CN4735, Denmark, and CN10552 and wives attended. GK Connor Schlaack did a great presentation on Christopher Columbus after a great meal at the Rite Place.

Food for Families

So far, Bill Noel reports that donations by return mail have amounted to \$460.00.

Coats for Kids

Ken Reigh reported that coats are being procured from local thrift shops and will be delivered to the Green Bay Police Department by the end of November.

Novena for Life

The Novena for Life dates have been changed. The new dates are January 19-27, 2023.

Pro-life Essay Contest

Our State Council has moved the date of this program to the months of January and February. The GK of CN10243 is on board with us doing the contest at St. Bernard since no one has stepped up to do it from their council.

50-50 Drawing: Mark DeBaker was the lucky winner.

Attendance drawing: Greg Schmitt's number was drawn. You must be present to win.

Financial Secretary's Report

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General Fund Acct _____
Charity Acct Chkg _____
Total _____

Bills to pay: _____

Pro-Life News

West Virginia recently became the 14th state to begin protecting life from conception. However, due to pushback, the bill was weakened with regard to penalties for performing abortions. In WV., anyone performing an abortion will immediately lose his/her license and the penalty for a second offense is dramatically more severe. Thus, some 1500 babies will be saved every year. (estimate) Since Roe was overturned, 66 clinics across 15 states have stopped performing abortions. That is the good news. There is also negative news on the pro-life front. The Dept. of Health and Human services is directing \$6 million to bolster research into abortion and family planning. Nearly \$1 million is taxpayer money earmarked for Covid spending. Furthermore, our "devout Catholic president" vowed his first bill after the midterm elections would be to "restore Roe" legalizing abortion for any reason up to the moment of birth. Please pray for Mr. Biden.

Did You Know?

The Knights of Columbus production of Mother Teresa, No Greater Love, was a box office hit. It played on October 3, and 4, and earned more than \$1.2 million. New screenings will take place in the U. S. on Wed. November 2. A Spanish version will play on Mon. November 7. Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly announced that all proceeds from the film will go for charitable purposes and efforts to advance the legacy of Mother Teresa

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MEETING 10/4/22 Officers Meeting 6 p.m. Rosary led By GK Connor Schlaack at 6:50 Regular meeting called to order by the GK at 7 P.M.

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

MINUTES OF THE PRECEDING MEETING WERE READ: Motion to Amend: "40 Days for Life" ends Nov. 6th. Motion :Ken Reigh Second:Bill Burrows Motion Carried

CHAPLAIN'S SUMMATION: position is open.

GK REPORT: GK Schlaack reported about \$2100 raised in the Tootsie Roll campaign. We have \$160.00 set aside for memorial masses for Father Bob.

ADMISSIONS: no report, although Dave Tlachac will be following up on the leads from the membership drive.

COMMUNICATIONS: Thank you note from St. John Paul II school for our donation. They will be having an appreciation mass Oct. 12th at 8:15 followed by a school tour. Rawhide asking for donations, tabled. Shop with a Cop program looking for sponsoors, tabled. St. John's Homeless Shelter will be opening up a new location.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S REPORT: General Checking: \$4128.24 Charity Checking: \$113.73 Outstanding Checks: Deposits to make: \$2100.00 for Tootsie Roll Drive, \$56 from inactive insurance. Bills: Dave Tlahac \$120.00 for Stamps; Jim Jacque \$160.00 fior metal art supplies; \$284.75 to Wisconsin State Council Oct. State/per capita. Motion to approve: Bill Bishop 2nd:Harold Kane Carried

SERVICE REPORTS: Community Director Dan Bins would like to thank the following Brothers for their volunteered time at the Tootsie Roll fund raiser: Bill Bishop, Greg Schmitt, Dan Kerrigan, Bill Noel, Dave Tlachac, Jim Nejedlo, Tom Hannon, Bill Burrows, Larry Loberger, Harold Kane, Jim Jacque, Mark DeBaker.

OLD BUSINESS: *Dan Bins needs to send a follow up thank you note to Festival Foods for the Tootsie Roll venue.

*Oct. 15th is Founder's Day outing at the Rite Place

NEW BUSINESS: *Dave Tlahac suggested we keep the same recipients for the Tootsie Roll proceeds, i.e., Aspiro, Wis. Special Olympics, Syble Hopp School, Diocesan Catholic Chairities

Motion: Dave Tlachac Second: Bill Bishop Carried

*Bill Noel suggested to use the donations to Father Bob for memorial masses, 6 parishes have been identified. Motion: Harold Kane Second Jim Jacque. Carried. Dan Bins will make the parish contacts and get the checks sent.

*possible new chaplain, Deacon Art Gerstner has recently been assigned to SJE and SFX. GK Schlaack will reach out to him

*possible November exemplification date if we can get some new members

DISTRICT DEPUTY: Matt Diedrich reminded us District 8 will be hosting the next State Convention in Green Bay. There will be an organizational "Zoom" meeting 10/27 at 7 P.M. for GK's.

UNDER THE GOOD OF THE ORDER:Victims of Abortion, Brother Knight Roger Longsine, victims of Hurricane Ian.

50/50 DRAWING: Mark DeBaker

MEMBERSHIP DRAWING: Greg Schmitt (sorry, you have to be here)

CLOSING PRAYER: recited by entire council

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Bill Bishop, Second, Dan Bins

NEXT MEETING November 1, 2022

Knights Calendar

- 11/1 Combined Degree 7PM, followed by regular meeting.*
- 11/1 All Saints Day (holy day of obligation)*
- 11/2 All Souls Day*
- 11/6 Daylight Savings Time ends*
- 11/8 Election Day*
- 11/11 Veterans Day*
- 11/24 Thanksgiving Day*
- 11/27 First Sunday of Advent*

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