

# ST.MARK KOFC 9276 MEETING REPORT

Date October 22,2024

Start Time 7:05pm

Opening Prayer Our Father

Executive

General x

Grand Knight	Tom Germann	x	Chaplin	Fr. Rogue	x
Dep. GK	Michael Serres	x	Lecturer	John Deneau	x
Fin. Sec.	Jim Flanigan	x	Inside Guard	Tony Toscano	
Treasurer	Nick Muza	x	Outside Guard	Larry Loth	x
Recorder	Paul Enticott	x	Trustee	1 Jerry Snyder	
Chancellor	Pat Drohan	x	Trustee	2 Len Keiswetter	x
Advocate	Colm Dignam	x	Trustee	3 Wayne DeMello	
Warden	Al Bendia	x	Program Director		x
4 additional members present			Guest	Mike Szabo	District Deputy

Reading of the previous meeting minutes Paul Thanked Paul O,Brien for taking the minutes of the last meeting  
Moved, seconded and approved

Treasurers Report	General Charity	\$1521.96	\$50 outstanding /cheque for Saintify activity for up to \$300 still to be processed
		\$526.08	

Financial Secretary Report Monies in \$21 from 50/50 draw \$200 reimbursement from State for Food for Kids donation  
Monies out \$382.52 total

Grand Kniights Report Tom introduced our District Deputy Mike Szabo as well as 2 new members Chris Chacon and Sean Russell.Thanked Doug for all his past help with the BBFT.  
House of Friendship Food Hamper distribution December 17th looking for volunteers If interested let Tom know and he will forward names to Kathy Bumstead. 40 Days for life Sunday October 27 from 8-9am for our council. Need Knights to fill the spot so sign up .

Membership Report John gave an update on the exemplification held at St. Marys on September 29th.  
Form 100 given to Tom for completion. 500 Point certificate to Jim.  
New membership drive scheduled for November 2/3. Volunteers needed to help out Jim to speak at the 5pm Mass and Rheal at the 9:30 and Larry at the 11:30 Mass.

Chaplain Report Approximately 35 children plus family registered for the Saintify event.  
John Devine providing the entertainment  
Confirmation and 1st. Communion preparation ongoing and volunteers are needed to assist.  
2 candidates have enrolled so far for RCIA. On-line and video to assist in the preparation.

District Deputy Report Mike Szabo presented Paul with the Columbian Award for Programs for 2023/2024  
Thanked the candidates and Knights (John and Paul) for showing up for the Exemplification ceremony.  
All schools notified regarding the BBFT. Packages will be going out.  
Further information to follow. Mike will be in contact with Doug and Wayne.  
The competition will be held all in one day.

Old Business	<p>Doug gave an update on the Program Development. The calendar will be presented to the Executive at the next meeting. The website calendar page is still being developed.</p> <p>"What we Do" section is being updated as items are received.</p> <p>Any help with the website would be welcomed by Doug.</p> <p>Faith in Action booklets distributed .</p> <p>John updated us with on the Spaghetti Supper plans. Phil and Debra are preparing the sauce again this year and plans to pick it up have been arranged as well as the utensils from Resurrection.</p> <p>No entertainment this year.</p> <p>Volunteers names were given to John to pick up other supplies and hall set up etc.</p> <p>It was decided to use china plates this year as we now have the dishwasher.</p>
New Business	<p>Larry Loth presented the Council with a donation cheque for \$200 from Able AC. A thankyou letter has been prepared and Larry will deliver it.</p> <p>Larry is also willing to coordinate the poinsettia plant sale again this year. All in favour and the date is to be determined.</p> <p>Pat would like to arrange to have new buttons installed on the kneelers. Volunteers to help and date to be arranged.</p> <p>Paul E. would like to have a new minute book ordered.</p> <p>There was discussion around new shirts for Brother Knights and Jim will provide more information and Paul O'Brien will investigate a company in Waterloo that might be able to provide them</p> <p>Charity listing to be reviewed by executive.</p>
Lecturers Reflection	John presented " Aphorisms" - short, pointed sentences that express wise or clever observations
Good of the Order	Please keep Joe Misale and his wife in our prayers along with Alberto Simoes and Paul's sister's son Dillon O'Malley
Next Meeting Date	Tuesday, November 26,2024
Closing Prayer and Blessing	Father Rogue
Adjournment	8:35pm
50/50 Draw	\$9 and redonated back to the Council