

**Knights of Columbus
St. Charles Council #2084
Greenville, MI 48838**

Meeting Minutes March 14, 2019

*Prayed rosary prior to the mtg

The Council was called to order at 7:04pm
18 members in attendance w/ a roll call of officers.

Chaplain	E	Warden	A
Gd.Knight	P	Inside Guard	A
Dep.G.Knight	P	Outside Guard	A
Chancellor	A	3yr Trustee	P
Fin.Sec.	P	2yr Trustee	P
Treasurer	P	1yr Trustee	P
Lecturer	P	D.D.	E
Advocate	E	Recorder	P

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved with one correction, Charlie Smith, not Stevens in the Grand Knight report.

Grand Knight-Bob Thompson The Fish Fry is tomorrow and we need helpers. We did well last week at the Fry and thanks to all who helped. Saturday we are making pies. A group will be meeting at 6:30am in the lower level parking lot. We also need help after the pies are brought back. The Knights have hospitality at St. Joe's this Sunday. We have one Fish Fry left next week. 9am people start working with 3pm being the best time to come and help. On Wednesday Dave and Bob went to Soup & Scripture. It became apparent that not many of the locals were aware of the food need. We should be able to fill the Eucnemical Food Bank through this project.

Treasurer-Mike Karpus We have (3) deposits. \$1,392.00, \$1,440.00 and \$1,862.00. There are (2) bills. \$634.62 to GFS for the Fish Fry and Right to Life Dinner & \$131.17 to John Brown for the Right to Life Dinner. \$200.00 from the Ultrasound Dinner will be given to Muskegon for Pewamo and \$157.23 will go to The Alpha Family Center. We have a checking account balance of \$4,746.22. Larry Kassuba motioned to pay the bills, Mike Smith seconded and the motion was carried.

Financial Secretary-John Brown The Danish Festival application fee of \$300.00 for (2) spaces is incorrect. Per the application, the charge is \$125.00 per space. The Delegates for State Convention were sent in. For the Flat River Right to Life Dinner, \$1,170.00 was taken in. \$1,000.00 will go to RTL. Tom Russell motioned payment of that amount, Larry Kassuba seconded and the motion was carried. For pie sales, \$2,462.00 were taken in. The total cost is currently unknown. The Lenten Fish Fry we took in \$1399.00 and made \$154.72 in profit. Last year we made \$2,121.00 with expense totals unknown. Belding Tank provided the gas and assisted in costs.

Membership Director-Tom Russell Every month the Grand & Deputy Grand Knight report to Supreme. So far this fraternal year we have (5) new members. Last weekend we had (3) applicants go through the 2nd and 3rd Degree. Steven Dombrowski is present this evening so please everyone give him a warm

welcome. With the Pie Sales, we are currently sitting at 350 pies which is more than last year. We need (2) blank checks to pay for the pies. We could use helpers distributing both Saturday and Sunday. During our next meeting we will be planning our April 12 & 13 Tootsie Roll Drive. Also, the Founders Day Mass is the last day of the month.

Program Director No Report

Church Director-Roger Truskowski Divine Mercy is 7p on Friday with a 6:30p starting time through Lent. Stations of the Cross to follow. Last week we had a small turn out. The Vets Visit is March 17th. Jim Merzinski is feeling discouraged due to the lack of members coming. Please contact him if you are interested in attending. The Rosary is 9a on Saturday. The Prayer Devotional was explained. April 28th is Divine Mercy Sunday from 1-4pm with confessions and Mass. We have the 9 Day Novena coming up. May 25th is the Prayer for the Unborn. 9/11 is the World Day Prayer for Peace. December 9th each year is the Feast of Saint Diego. We also have (4) Corporate Communions setup. We missed March 3rd. Founders Day Mass is the 31st @ St. Joe's. Corporate Communion is June 2nd, September 1st & November 10th. Divine Mercy is March 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th. April 5th is the Chapelate @ St. Joe's.

Community Director-Charles Smith We could use help at the Fish Fry's, including tear down.

Family Director No Report

Council Director No Report

Unfinished Business The idea to put the K of C logo on the back of the bulletin is still on the table. Charlie Smith motioned to place the logo on the bulletin, Steven Dombrowski 2nded and the motion was not carried. The general manager at Big Boy has offered to give leftover pies for the Community Dinner on Thursdays. Haan's Bakery has also given extra items for the dinner. Regarding the Danish Festival prices, the committee will be meeting soon to discuss and will get back to the council with recommendations.

New Business No Report

4th Degree-Charles Smith The next meeting is April 8th. The next social is May 13th @ St. Charles for \$10/plate. 3rd Degree Members are also invited.

Youth Director No Report

District Deputy-Ralph VanOcker No Report

Field Agent No Report

Before the good of the order for those who are sick or in distress.

-Dan Wolf -Larry Kassuba's brother-in-law Larry Tasny -Larry Caverly -Herm Hahler -Ralph VanOcker -Jim Merzinski's wife-

Good of the Order-Jim Merzkinsi A prayer for life was recited in memory of the unborn and also to shine light on the issue in New York state which has legalized infanticide.

Final Prayer The prayer was said and the closing ode sung.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00p. Minutes respectfully taken & transcribed by Neil Kassuba.