



Knights of Columbus

In Service to One, In Service to All

Rev. Robert F. Houlihan, S.J., Council 10937

Business Meeting – 9 April 2016

I. General

- Grand Knight, Gary Mayfield called the council meeting to order at 8:10 AM
- Bill Hensen offered the opening prayers.
- Pledge of Allegiance
- The Grand Knight called the role of officers and is noted as follows (P = Present; A = Absence; E = excused)

Title	Status	Title	Status	Title	Status
Chaplain	P	Financial Secretary	P	Inside Guard	P
Grand Knight	P	Treasurer	P	Outside Guard	E
Dep. Grand Knight	P	Lecturer	P	Trustee 3 rd Year	P
Chancellor	P	Advocate	P	Trustee 2 nd Year	P
Recorder	P	Warden	P	Trustee 1 st Year	E

- The council unanimously approved the March **2016** business meeting minutes as read and published.

II. Chaplain’s Reflection - Father Marek

- In this month’s reflection, Father Marek discussion focused on making sure that when doing ministerial work within the parish it is centered on doing God’s work here on earth, and advancing Christ’s Church. It should not be about us. While all Pax members should take this to heart, this is especially true for us Knights. He went on to say that when parishioners continually come to him complaining that they do not like this thing or that, they not once mentioned Christ. With Christ being absent, what is evident to him is that these people are coming more from a selfish self-centered “ I” attitude as opposed to one anchored in Christ and His church. By accident or design they seemed to be more concerned with what is in this for them instead of focusing on what it means to do God’s work here on earth. Then what happens is the church becomes more of a nice social club instead of what it should be, which is the church of Jesus Christ. Therefore, when we do ministerial we should concern ourselves with how do we go about supporting Christ’s church and the Eucharist and doing God’s work here on earth. It should not be about performing, being noticed, or exhibiting a “what is in this for me” attitude. We need to keep our focus on Jesus Christ and His church.

III. Grand Knight Report – Gary Mayfield

- Correspondence for the month:
 - A letter from Bishop Sheridan promoting the Knights of Columbus organization was an insert in the 13 March church bulletin (See Attachment 3).
 - A flyer about the Jay Gould Memorial Golf Tourney, 21 July 16, in support of Father Woody’s Haven of Hope homeless shelter (See Attachments 4a and 4b).
 - A post card about KOC 5th Sunday Rosary Program (See Attachment 5).
- Pennies from Heaven.
- Knight of the Month – Chris Kennedy

- Family of the Month – Joe Regnery and family.
- Other
 - 5 – 8 May is the State Convention.
 - Money collected for “Pennies from Heaven totaled \$318.97, and a check for this amount is being sent to Colorado KOC State Charities.
 - If you have bought a council badge, please pick it up. Once in hand please display it, especially if you are not in a council shirt.
 - The purpose of the badges is to help promote who and what we are as an organization.
 - The next couple months we will be voting on the budget and slate of officers for 2016.

IV. Applications for Approval – Dennis Thumann

- There are no new Form 100s.

V. Treasurer’s Report – Dennis Cullen (See Attachment 1)

Report handed out at meeting.

Bank Balance - \$23,056.18 Available Funds as of February - \$16,688.47

- Outstanding Checks - \$3,983.40
- Hailey Funds (accts 80) - \$1,462.06
- Lady Knights - \$922.25

VI. Financial Secretary’s Report – Dennis Thumann (See Attachment 2)

Report handed out at meeting.

It matches the Treasurer’s report.

Receipts - \$2,773.63 Expenses - \$5,893.35 Bank Balance - \$23,056.18

- The council has a negative cash flow of (\$3,119.72); a result of recent activities.
- Donuts for the month brought in \$387.55.
- Pennies from Heaven brought in \$17.00
- Shirts and hats brought in \$291.00
- Burritos brought in \$80.00.
- Fish Fry brought in \$961.08
- Collection of dues brought in \$937.00, 24 members are still outstanding.
- 40 Cans for Lent brought in \$100.00
- \$2000.00 excess from the Thanksgiving basket drive was used to buy food.
 - 2/3 went to the Denver Rescue Mission.
 - 1/3 to the Pax Christi Food Pantry.
- \$1,200 donation given to the St Katherine Drexel fundraising event, 16 April.

VII. Auditors and Trustees – Chris Kennedy/Paul Sciera/Joe Musso

- Joe mentioned that there are 21 resolutions that are to be read and voted on at the State Convention in May.
 - All of them are business and church related none are controversial.
- Nothing else to report.

VIII. Chancellor’s Update – Tim Pimmel

- We currently are supporting three seminarians.
 - Tim plans on inviting them to various events, such as the Parish Block Party in July.
- Tim led the council in prayer.

IX. Committee Reports – William Hensen

a. Membership – Roger Guidici/Brennan Mendus

- Given by Bill Hensen.
- There are no new Form 100s.
- Bill reiterated Roger’s reminder that recruiting new members is everyone’s business.
 - A good time to tap prospective candidates is at our various functions and events.

b. Church Director Report – Jay Calvarese

- Given by Bill Hensen.
- Donuts – is ongoing.

c. Community Report – Ford Fay/Bob Luckner/Dan Doran.

- The “40 Cans for Lent” food drive for the Denver Rescue mission was an outstanding success.
- The next highway cleanup event is scheduled for 16 April, start time is 9am.
 - Moved to 23 April due to weather on the 16th.
- Bob thanked all who have supported the various events throughout the year.

d. Council Activity Report – Nereus Lobo/Paul Sciera

- Given by Bill Hensen
- Monthly council social events.
 - The one on 8 April was hosted by the Yeagles.
 - The next one is 20 May and the hosting couple is the Scieras.

e. Family Report – Shawn Conley/Martin Castro

- Given by Bill Hensen.
- There are plans for bowling night, Shawn has for action.
- The next Spaghetti Dinner is the Mother’s Day Weekend event, 7 May.

f. Right to Life report – Mike McGinnis

- Given by Bill Hensen.
- *Forty Days for Life* campaign is now complete
 - Devotionals were sent via email.
- Bill reiterated Mike’s request for folks to pray in front of Planned Parenthood.
- Ron Gerber mentioned that volunteers are needed to help with the *Rose For Motherhood* initiative, which involves reading a poem and handing out a rose at Mass.
 - Two baptisms are scheduled for 16 April, one during 5pm mass and one after.
- The council is planning on giving two \$500.00 donations to the following:
 - Priests for Life
 - KOC Ultra Sound initiative.

g. Youth Report – Tim Pimmel/Ben Stancati

- The council’s college scholarship/stewardship award program is wrapping up.
 - Currently there are 3 applicants.
 - The selection process is scheduled for after the business meeting.
 - In need of at least 5 reviewers/judges.
 - 11am at Tim’s house.

- Tim discussed the visit by Pax Youth Director Patrick Meleney to the March meeting, reiterating Patrick's request for support of the Core Team member program, for the Middle School, High School, and Confirmation groups.
 - Patrick is looking for more males, especially Knights to act as Core Team members.

h. Newsletter – Chris Kennedy

- Given by Bill Hensen.
- Nothing new to report.

X. Advocate's Report – Dave Petteys

- Nothing new to report.

XI. Unfinished Business -

- None.

XII. New Business

- None.

XIII. 4th Degree Report – Dave Petteys

- Assembly Usher ministry
 - The assembly ushered the 8:30am mass on 3 April.
 - Next one is scheduled for 1 May.
- 4th Degree exemplification is scheduled for 25 June at St Francis Cabrini.
 - Presently Father Marek, Brennan, and Nereus are slated to attend.
- A 4th Degree meeting is scheduled for after the council meeting.

XIV. Field Agent Report – David Cary

- None.

XV. District Deputy Report – John Lynn

- None.

XVI. Lecturer – Alan Brown/Bernard Stancati

The Rev. Robert F. Houlihan S.J. Educator Series

This month's discussion was given by Alan Brown. It concerned the “Be a Man Series,” which is a national Catholic men's religious and fellowship program, headed up by a Father Larry Richards (See Attachment 6).

XVII. Good of the Order

- The following associated family members and friends are in need of both spiritual and/or material assistance: Bridget Mosley; Loren Hensen; Dennis and Michelle Cullen; Neil Pugh family, and Calista; Andrea Kelly; Dave Herskovits; Michael Lobo; Frank Burngardt (Keith Haley's father-in-law); Michelle Vigil (daughter of the late Jim Derosé); Gina Derosé (wife of the late Jim Derosé); Janet Luckner-Ruskamp (sister to Robert Luckner); Robert Ehle and Tom Sathre (good friends of Bernard Stancati).

Additionally, there is a Parish Prayer Chain Request book that contains numerous prayer requests, yet no new requests were given to Gary to be included in the “Good of the Order” section of this month's meeting minutes.

XVIII. Chaplain's Summation – Father Marek

- Father read the 9 April meditation from the Knight's daily prayer book.

XIX. Closing Prayer

- Read by Bill Hensen.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:10 AM

- *The minutes were recorded and reported by Bernard Stancati.*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY TREASURER REPORT

DATE: 1-Apr-16

BANK BALANCE	\$23,056.18
OUTSTANDING CHECKS	\$3,983.40
HAILEY FUNDS (accts 80)	\$1,462.06
LADY KNIGHTS	\$922.25
AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$16,688.47

Sum of Amount			Category			
Directorate	Account	Acct name	Budgeted Income	Budgeted Expense	Actual Income	Actual Expense
Membership	1	Dues	\$ 5,400.00		\$ 4,396.00	
	2	Assessments		\$ 2,424.00		\$ 2,000.54
	3	Major Degree		\$ 300.00		\$ 40.00
	4	Recruiting Expense		\$ 100.00		\$ 62.50
Membership Total			\$ 5,400.00	\$ 2,824.00	\$ 4,396.00	\$ 2,103.04
Council	10	Peaches	\$ 10,200.00	\$ 5,875.00	\$ 11,222.32	\$ 5,619.00
	11	Burritos	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 4,913.85	\$ 2,125.71
	12	Football Raffle	\$ 500.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 270.00	\$ 400.00
	13	Fish Fry	\$ 1,536.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,462.08	\$ 803.40
	14	Beer Tent				
	15	Council Programs				
	16	Grand Knight Fund		\$ 250.00		\$ 162.50
	17	Capital Investment		\$ 250.00		\$ 223.04
	18	Awards				
	19	Bank Charges				\$ 1.79
	20	Supplies		\$ 600.00		\$ 485.78
	21	Insurance		\$ 450.00		\$ 475.00
	22	State Meetings		\$ 1,180.00		
	24	Shirts and Hats	\$ 750.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 722.00	\$ 689.11
25	Other Council Events					
Council Total			\$ 18,986.00	\$ 13,905.00	\$ 18,590.25	\$ 10,985.33
Right-To-Life	26	Right to Life Donation		\$ 1,000.00		\$ 1,000.00
	27	Ultrasound Machine Donations		\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00
	28	Other Right to Life Events				\$ 240.57
Right-To-Life Total				\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,740.57
Family	30	Spaghetti Dinners	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 702.00	\$ 205.59
	31	Baseball	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00		
	32	Christmas Party		\$ 250.00		\$ 306.67
	33	Family Outdoor activities	\$ 250.00	\$ 300.00		
	34	Air Force Game		\$ 100.00		
	35	Other Family Events				
Family Total			\$ 2,750.00	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 702.00	\$ 512.26
Community	40	Tootsie Roll Drive	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,563.88	\$ 3,563.88
	41	Pennies From Heaven	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 215.04	\$ 318.97
	42	Thanksgiving	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 18,856.00	\$ 17,548.60
	43	40 Cans for Lent	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 100.00	
	44	VA Support		\$ 100.00		
	45	Fr. Woody's Support		\$ 400.00		
	46	Adopt-a-Highway		\$ 150.00		\$ 41.96
	47	Other Community Events				
Community Total			\$ 14,900.00	\$ 15,050.00	\$ 22,734.92	\$ 21,473.41
Church	50	Keep Christ in Christmas	\$ 250.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 30.00	
	51	Clergy Dinners		\$ 350.00		\$ 419.16
	52	Seminarian Support	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00
	53	Beer & Brats	\$ 600.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 630.25	\$ 450.84
	54	Vocations		\$ 150.00		
	55	Diocesan Donation		\$ 1,000.00		\$ 1,000.00
	56	Pax Christi Donation		\$ 1,000.00		\$ 1,000.00
	57	DoNuts	\$ 3,720.00	\$ 2,520.00	\$ 2,995.47	\$ 1,786.53
Church Total			\$ 4,870.00	\$ 6,970.00	\$ 3,655.72	\$ 6,156.53
Youth	60	Scholarship		\$ 2,000.00		\$ 2,000.00
	61	Youth Athletic		\$ 250.00		
	62	Relay For Life		\$ 250.00		\$ 250.00
	63	Scout Projects		\$ 500.00		
	64	Other Youth Activities		\$ 250.00		\$ 277.54
Youth Total				\$ 3,250.00		\$ 2,527.54
Donations	70	Donations		\$ 1,007.00		\$ 1,200.00
Donations Total				\$ 1,007.00		\$ 1,200.00
Hailey Fund	80	Hailey Fund		\$ -	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,000.00
	81	Hailey Fund	\$ -	\$ -		
Hailey Fund Total			\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,000.00
Lady Knights	90	Lady Knights	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,372.59	\$ 3,749.06
Lady Knights Total			\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 2,372.59	\$ 3,749.06
Grand Total			\$ 47,406.00	\$ 47,406.00	\$ 52,471.48	\$ 51,447.74

Attachment 2



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February 15, 2016

Dear Brothers in Christ,

For nearly twenty years it has been my privilege to be a Knight of Columbus. In the course of those years I have come to know of the generous service of the Knights in our own country and around the world. I am most grateful for their unfailing support of priests.

Here in our own state the Knights have provided ultrasound equipment for pregnancy centers that serve women with crisis pregnancies. Their many programs for the poor include coats for kids, food for families and Habitat for Humanity. In our own diocese we are the annual recipients of a check for special education projects. And these are only a few of the charitable works of the Knights. To see more of the works of the Knights of Columbus, go to www.kofc.org and www.coloradokofc.org.

As a proud Knight of Columbus and one who can attest to the tremendous apostolates of this fine organization, I hope that you will give prayerful consideration to becoming a Knight of Columbus and joining with the many other men in our diocese who serve the Church through the Knights of Columbus.

With my warmest regards and blessings, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Michael J. Sheridan
Bishop of Colorado Springs

9TH ANNUAL

SAVE
THE DATE

JAY GOULD MEMORIAL

GOLF
TOURNAMENT

TO BENEFIT:

FATHER WOODY'S HAVEN OF HOPE
JAY GOULD CENTER

Thursday, July 21st • 7:30am

ARROWHEAD GOLF CLUB

10850 West Sundown Trail, Littleton, CO 80125

Father Woody's Haven of Hope's mission is to provide food, shelter, clothing, counseling, rehabilitation and hygienic services to the homeless and indigent. Father Woody's Haven of Hope, was organized and incorporated on December 18, 1998, under the non-profit incorporation laws of the State of Colorado. All gifts, donations and grants to Father Woody's Haven of Hope are tax deductible. Father Woody's Haven of Hope is an Enterprise Zone Charity because of the services it provides to the homeless.

IN 2014 FATHER WOODY'S ESTIMATED THEY...

- Served 205,132 meals
- Provided 22,400 showers
- Washed 10,400 loads of laundry
- Handed out nearly 200,000 pieces of clothing

Thank you for supporting our mission!
Please visit our website to stay
updated on the new addition.

www.frwoodyshavenofhope.org

9TH ANNUAL

JAY GOULD MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT TO BENEFIT:

FATHER WOODY'S HAVEN OF HOPE
JAY GOULD CENTER

Thursday, July 21st • 7:30am

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

6:30 am - Registration & Breakfast

7:30 am - Shotgun Start

12:30 pm - Lunch & Awards

DIRECTIONS TO ARROWHEAD GOLF CLUB:

10850 West Sundown Trail, Littleton, CO 80125



C470 East to Wadsworth. South on Wadsworth to Waterton Road. Left on Waterton Road. Right on N. Rampart Range Road (Rampart Range Road becomes Roxborough Dr). Left on Sundown Trail.

GOLFER INFORMATION

INDIVIDUAL GOLFER:
\$150.00

FOURSOME:
\$600.00

Registration Fee Includes:
Green Fees, Range Balls,
Breakfast and Lunch,
Tee Prizes, and Awards
Proper golf attire is required

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

TITLE SPONSOR

- 2 foursomes
- Tournament Naming Rights
- Name on banner, signage throughout the course including driving range
- Special recognition at the awards banquet
- Name on emails prior to tournament
- A plaque recognizing your commitment to Father Woody's Haven of Hope
- Marketing opportunity to set up a tent on the tee box

\$5,000

BEVERAGE SPONSOR

- 2 foursomes
- Signage on drink carts
- Special recognition at the awards banquet
- Name on emails prior to tournament.

\$4,000

GOLF BALL SPONSOR

- Your logo on the gift of a sleeve of golf balls to each player in the tournament
- Special recognition at the awards banquet

\$2,000

GOLD SPONSOR

- 1 foursome
- Tee box signage, driving range signage
- Marketing opportunity to set up a tent on the tee box
- Special recognition at the awards banquet

\$1,000

HOLE SPONSOR

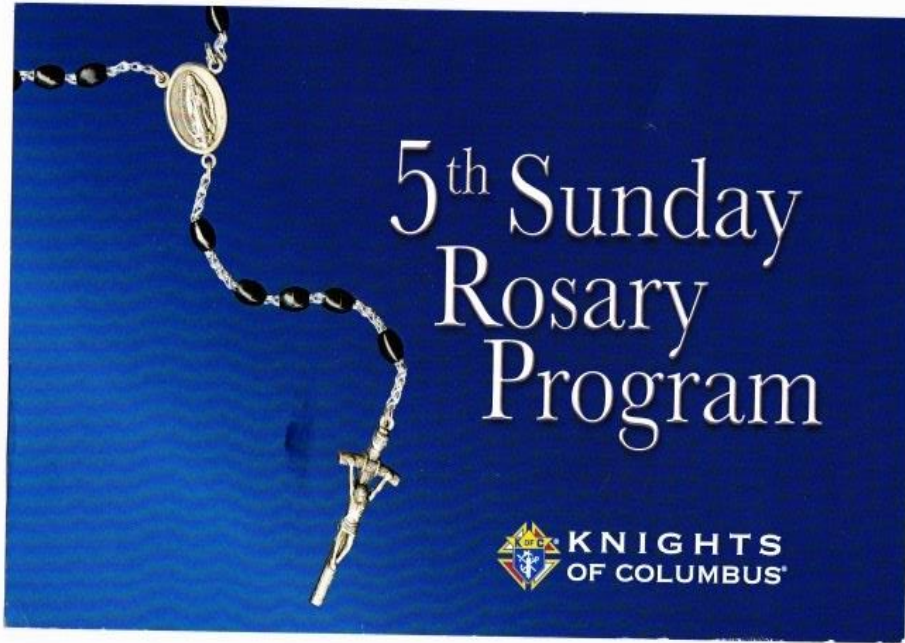
- Your company or individual name on signage at a tee box and/or
- Marketing opportunity to set up a tent on the tee box

\$400

To purchase tickets call: 303 607-0855 X 236.

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Attachment 5

Alan gave a glimpse of the "Be a Man Series, written by Father Larry Richards. The Pax Christi Point Men reviewed the 10 chapters of Father Larry's book over 2 semesters in the Fall and Spring this year. The Pax Christi Point Men group is a men's fellowship program that is geared towards fellowship and faith formation. Father Larry's Book covers 10 chapters including "Be a Man Series" stays focused on the final goal, who lives as a beloved son, who repents, who lives in the holy spirit, who is strong, who is loving, who is wise, who lives as he was created and who is holy and who changes the world."

As part of the discussion Alan covered the 9th session, "Be a Man who is Holy" by letting the group know some of the topics discussed in the DVD. In this chapter, men learn that being holy "means striving for holiness, to be continually grasping the circumstances we call "moments" and using them to change and grow, and allowing God to transform us into all he created us to be." In *Rediscovering Catholicism*, Matthew Kelly, via Catechism 2708, makes the point that "In making man in his image and likeness, God "crowned him with glory and honor," yet by sinning, man fell "short of the glory of God."

Holiness is a byproduct of love, yet it means to be set apart from other spiritual virtues, e.g. God chose us to be holy before man was created. Father Larry argues that "I am holy because God chose me and Jesus lives in me." True holiness, therefore, is a byproduct of love. In Matthew 5:6, it says that "Blessed are those who hunger and search for righteousness for they shall be filled." Father Larry believes that the greatest obstacle to holiness is pride and that there is no holiness without a love for the cross and Jesus. Turning once again to Catechism 2708, it suggests that the pathway to holiness involves a number of spiritual exercises, such as meditation in *Lectio Divina* (study scripture and listening for God's word); reciting the Rosary; deepening our convictions of faith; prompting conversation of the heart, and strengthening our will to follow Christ. Additionally, one should ask God each day via prayer, what His will is for us today.

For more information on the subject, you can find Larry Richards book and the DVD series at TheReasonforOurHope.org.