

# **Knights of Columbus**

In Service to One, In Service to All Rev. Robert F. Houlihan, S.J., Council 10937 Business Meeting – Feb 9, 2019

#### I. General

- The Council was called to order at 7:58AM by Grand Knight (GK) William Hensen.
- Opening Prayers were offered by Mike Burkett, Ken Balcerzak, and Alan Brown
- The council recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
- The Grand Knight then called for the role-call of officers, the results are as follows (P = Present; A = Absence; E = excused)

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

• The business meeting minutes for January 2019 were read-in for approval by the GK Bill Hensen. Bill then called for a motion to accept the minutes as read. Jim Egan made a motion to accept, Joe Regnery provided a second. After no further discussion a vote was then taken and last month's minutes were unanimously approved.

#### II. Applications for Approval – Steve Froseth

- Joe Regnery, Membership Chair, mentioned that there is one new Transfer Form 100s that needed to be read-in and voted on:
  - Richard Cooke new KOC online applicant, which will require him going through the First Degree Ceremony. Richard has been vetted by Supreme.
  - Anthony Ilurdi 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knight, transfer from a 5000 membership council on Long Island, NY.
  - After both Form 100s were read-in, the GK then asked for a motion to accept. Jim Egan provided the motion, Joe Regnery the second, the vote was unanimous.

#### III. Grand Knight Report - William Hensen

- Correspondence:
  - Thank you notes received from two of our sponsored seminarians, Kolby Kirst, and Will Dwayer (see attachments pg.12). Two of the three checks sent have cleared.
  - Thank you note from Diocese of Colorado Springs (see attachment pg.13)
  - Thank you notes from Family Tree (see attachment pgs.14&15)
  - Letter from KOC State about the annual convention scheduled for 25 28 April (see attachment pg.16).
  - Paul M. Shields, RIP, was inducted into KOC, Colorado State Council, Perpetual Memorial Society (see attachment pg.17)
- Events/activities/general information:
  - In order to provide for more functionality and exposure of the KOC product, Homar Alvarado is currently working on making our Council's web site a subset of the Pax Christi Parish web page. The goal and purpose of this effort is threefold:

- Communicate our mission and promote our efforts with the Parish
- Let the Parish know our efforts to give back to others in need
- Develop a place for Men of like minds to be among the same guys.
- 2019 Dues are now being collected for all members. Please look for an email from the Financial Secretary, please send or bring your payment to an officer as soon as possible. Contact the GK or Steve Froseth, if you have not received your dues notice
- The semi-annual audit will take place after the business meeting, and will require the following participants: GK, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, and the three Trustees.
- State Convention is scheduled for 26 28 April.
- Child Safe Environment training is being offered at the Parish: Please note that this training is mandatory for all Knights who help at Parish events involving Family and any youth participation. The next adult sessions, both foundational and update, are scheduled for April 8 & 22, and May 6 & 20. Informational flyers are located in the Great Hall along with a notice in the church bulletin. Please make a concerted effort to get signed up.
- <u>Lady Knights Bake Sale:</u> is scheduled for the weekend of 9/10 Feb after each Mass in the Christi Center.
- February 22, council social will be at the Stancati residence.
- February 25 is Breakfast Burrito Sunday, 7am prep. Burritos to be served after both morning Masses.
- Lenten Fish Tacos are coming. The first of three is scheduled for Friday 8 March after Stations of the Cross and will occur every other Friday until Holy Week.
- Plans are in the works for our insurance agent, Dave Carey, to present an Insurance Educational Seminar for both our membership and the parish as whole. Joe Regnery is the action officer for this initiative.
- The Planning Meeting for March activities is scheduled for 27 February in the Christi Center. As normal, 6:30pm social time, 7-8:00-planning meeting.
- The next business meeting is scheduled for Saturday 9 March starting at 8am.
- State Convention April 25 28, to be held at Hyatt Regency DTC.
- Easter April 21, help will be needed for parking vehicles and getting the church ready.
- Pennies from Heaven or Bucks from the 'KOC Bucksaneers.'
- Knight of the Month Mark Daugherty
- Family of the Month The Lombardi Family
- State Knight of the Month Ken Balcerzak (see attachment pg.19).

#### IV. Chaplain's Report - Father Marek Krol

• None.

#### V. Treasurer's Report – Matt Bahnemann

Report was handed out at the meeting (see attachment pg.9).

- Bank Balance \$20,146.29.
- Outstanding Checks \$334.36.
- Hailey Fund \$812.
- Lady Knights \$1,388.11.
- Available Funds \$17,611.82.
- Additional information: (see attachment pg.9).

#### VI. Financial Secretary's Report – Steve Froseth

Report(s) handed out at meeting (see attachment pgs.10&11). Figures have been reconciled with the Treasurer's report and are in balance for the month.

- Receipts/Actual Income \$2,579.
- Expenses \$2,173.
- Bank balance \$20,146.29.
- Due to recent activity there is a positive cash flow of \$405.00 for this period.
- Additional information (see attachment pgs.10&11).
- Other:
  - Council dues are now due, \$36.00, receipts have been sent out. Please make checks payable to KOC 10937. 70 members are still out-standing, a second notice has been sent.

#### VII. Auditor and Trustees - Paul Sciera/Joe Musso/Gary Mayfield.

- Gary Mayfield spoke for the group.
- The semi-annual audit is scheduled for after the business meeting, the GK, FS, Treasurer, and the three Trustees must attend, all others are welcomed to come and observe.
- The Trustees want to know how much money is left from the Thanksgiving Basket Drive. Steve said there is approximately \$2300 dollars.
- Concerning the insurance liability issue for offsite events, the Trustees respectfully requested that we move forward to put this issue to bed. As part of the discussion, Ken Balcerzak recommended that the council contact our insurance agent get a complete copy of the entire policy, with endorsements. The membership in attendance came to an agreement that this is the best way to proceed.

#### VIII. Chancellor's Update – Bill for Ken Balcerzak

- Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP):
  - Ken reiterated that we received thank you notes from two of our three sponsored seminarians.
  - Concerning the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Ushering group, please make sure the headcount is completed and brought to the Sacristans prior to the Homily. Additionally, also after Mass, make sure the pews are cleaned-up.
  - Prayer for vocations.

#### IX. Membership Report – Joe Regnery

- Form 100's:
  - There are two Transfer Form 100s in the system:
    - Richard Cooke, on-line applicant.
    - Anthony Ilurdi, from Long Island NY.
    - Both were read-in and approved.
  - Joe mentioned that Supreme is phasing out the paper Form 100 and going to on-line registration.
- Council First Degree Admissions Team:
  - We have two candidates, so a council first/admissions degree ceremony will take place before the next business meeting.
  - Joe is planning on scheduling a practice session sometime soon, more to follow.
- Exemplifications:
  - The council was asked to host a District 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Ceremony. The officer team accepted. Both will take place on a Thursday evening:
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Formation Degree is scheduled for 11 July.
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Knighthood Degree is scheduled for 25 July.
  - Throughout District 9, there are First Degree ceremonies being conducted as needed.
- 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Retention committee:

#### Other

- Plans are in the works for our insurance agent, Dave Carey, to present an Insurance Educational Seminar for both our membership and the parish as whole.
  - Per Dave's recommendation, this first one will be geared toward long term care.
  - Our council will act as the sponsor and host.
  - The discussion will not be a sales pitch for KOC insurance, yet instead will focus on all details and particulars surrounding long term care insurance.
  - In addition, Dave mentioned that he has contacts who are subject matter experts in long term care who are not affiliated with the KOC organization. Therefore he plans on having one of these individuals at the seminar for those parishioners who are not members of the KOC.
  - He also requested that the event be heavily advertised, recommending a period of 60 days and/or two months.
  - In order to help draw people in the council should consider providing cocktails and heavy hors d oeuvres.
  - This has been tried in some of the parishes in Colorado Springs with good success.
  - Joe Regnery is the action officer for this initiative and will work with both Dave and Father Krol on the details, more to follow.

#### X. Faith in Action Activity Area Reports – Facilitated by Michael Burkett.

- Other activities and initiatives:
  - February 1<sup>st</sup> all committee and director State and Supreme reports were due in.
  - Mike thanked all those responsible for getting these reports done.

#### a. Faith Activity Area report - Alan Brown

- Required program(s)
  - Spiritual Reflection:
- Featured program(s)
  - Refund for Support Vocations Program (RSVP):
    - See Chancellor's report.
- Recommended program(s)
  - Into the Breach:
  - Marian Icon Prayer Program:
  - Rosary Program:
    - Ongoing per the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosary initiative.
  - Holy Hour:
  - Sacramental Gifts:
- Council program(s)
  - KOC Stewardship Scholarship Award initiative is ongoing.
    - As normal, the council is offering a 4-year scholarship of \$750 dollars per year (\$3,000) total to a graduating high school senior.
    - The applicant must be a registered member of Pax Christi Parish.
    - An announcement is in church bulletin about the program and will run the whole month of February.
    - Interested graduating seniors must file a complete application to be received no later than March 8, 2019. Letters of recommendation are to be received on 15 March.
    - A review committee will be formed, with applications being reviewed after the 13 April business meeting.
- Other:

#### b. Community Activity report – Mike Burkett for Ford Fay

- Required program(s)
  - Helping Hands
- Featured program(s):
  - Coats for Kids
  - Global Wheelchair Mission:
  - Habitat for Humanity:
- Recommended program(s):
  - Disaster Preparedness:
  - Free Throw Championship:
    - Was held on Saturday, 26 January, 1 4pm at Sand Creek Elementary school.
    - It was a collaborative effort with the council at St. Mark.
    - There were approximately 12 to 14 contestants, yet unfortunately no one from Pax Christi participated.
    - The District Free Throw contest is scheduled for February 10 at Ave Maria.
  - Catholic Citizen Essay Contest:
  - Soccer Challenge:
- Council program(s):
  - The Tootsie Roll campaign for the intellectually disabled.
    - Ford has started looking to getting things lined up with various King Soopers, to include perspective dates.
    - He is also looking into the possibility of collaborating with the council at St. Mark on this initiative.
  - Highway Cleanup:
- Other

#### c. Family Activity report - Leonard Martinez/Brennan Mendus

- Required program(s):
  - Consecration to the Holy Family:
- Featured program(s):
  - Food for Families:
- Recommended program(s):
  - Family of the Month/Year:
    - Family of the Year, to be announced at the 2019 Christmas party.
    - Family of the month is the Lombardi family.
  - Keep Christ in Christmas (Poster Contest etc.):
  - Family Fully Alive:
  - Family Week:
  - Family Prayer Night:
  - Good Friday Family Promotion:
- Council program(s):
  - Sunday donuts are on-going per the schedule:
    - The St. Katherine Drexel pre-school has the first Sunday.
    - Our council has the second and third Sundays.
    - The Respect Life Committee has the fifth Sunday.
  - Lenten Fish Tacos:
    - They will be served after Friday Stations of the Cross on 8 March, 22 March, and 5 April.
  - Beer and Brats:

- The first one of the year will be occur sometime in the spring, stay tuned.
- Breakfast Burritos:
  - This normally occurs on the fourth Sunday of the month.
  - The last one was held on 27 January.
    - The council had \$660.00 in sales and \$253.59 in expenses for a profit of \$407.41.
    - There were roughly 70 burritos left over that were frozen and saved for the February business meeting.
- Spaghetti Dinners:
  - The last one was held on 12 January 2019.
  - The next one is planned for Mother's Day.
- Other:
  - February 22, council social at the Stancati residence, start time is 6pm.
  - Leonard is working with the St Katherine Drexel pre-school concerning a golf tournament fundraiser.
    - Currently there are three prospective golf courses: Links; The Ridge at Castle Pines; and Lone Tree.
    - Leonard carefully pointed out there are a number of operational and administrative issues that need to be worked out.
    - The school is looking at a June time frame, yet Leonard is concerned that this does not give us enough time to plan things out. He is looking at September, yet that may not be good for the school.
    - Leonard is waiting to hear back from the St Katherine Drexel planning committee, more to follow.
- d. <u>Life Activity report</u> Mike McGinnis (See attachment pg.19 for complete list of activities, information, initiatives, and events that are part and parcel of the Life Activity category)
  - Required program(s):
    - Novena for Life:
  - Featured program(s):
    - Special Olympics:
      - See the 'Tootsie Roll campaign' in the Community Category.
    - Marches for Life:
      - Life Networks is sponsoring a 'Walk for Life,' 1 June in Colorado Springs. Mike would like for the council to support this event by putting a team together.
    - Ultrasound Initiative:
      - The 'Light of the World' KOC parish council is planning on sponsoring a 'Life Walk' in support of the KOC Ultra Sound program, date is 20 July (see attachment pg.20).
  - Recommended program(s):
    - Christian Refugee Relief:
    - Silver Rose:
    - Mass for People with Special Needs:
    - Pregnancy Center Support:
  - Council program(s):
    - Forty Days for Life campaign:
      - Will start on 5 March and will go all the way through Lent.
    - Respect Life Committee:
      - The rosary is now being said before each Sunday Mass. The committee is encouraging parishioners to help with this initiative.

- The Right-to-Life 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday rosary, help is also needed here.
- Continue to think about praying in front of Planned Parenthood, because it is having an impact, therefore it does make a difference.
- The 'Spiritual Adoption program' initiative, will involve parishioners praying for an unborn child, scheduled for the 'Feast of the Annunciation' in March.

#### Other

- Movie coming out soon entitled 'Unplanned,' is about Abi Johnson, former director of a Planned Parenthood office, prescreening on March 5<sup>th</sup> in Colorado Springs.
- A documentary entitled 'Unprotected', which examines Pope Paul VI and his position on birth control, is coming out in the near future, more to follow.

#### XI. Newsletter

• To fill this requirement, Bill Hensen will continue to send the monthly meeting agenda into State.

#### XII. Advocate's Report – Jim Egan

No report.

#### **XIII. Unfinished Business**

None.

#### **XIV. New Business**

- A proposal presented to purchase a Rose Colored chasuble for Deacon Tom's use that will become the
  property of Pax Christi Parish. Information on cost and where to purchase the chasuble has been
  provided by Deacon Tom (see attachment pg.21).
  - Ben Stancati is the action officer for this initiative. Ben mentioned that per the information provided to the council, the cost, minus shipping, is around \$312.64.
  - Next council Advocate, Jim Eagan, provided input on procedure. He said that since the amount of the chasuble is under \$500 dollars, only one vote is required.
  - After some further discussion on the issue, the GK then asked for a motion to accept this proposal. Joe Musso provided the motion, Alan Brown a second, a vote was then taken, and it was unanimous.
- The Council would like to present an educational Long Term Planning seminar for the Parish, The District Insurance Agent, David Cary has a power point presentation on this topic, the focus being educational in nature. The plan is to have the event approximately 30 days or so after Easter. Joe Regnery is the action officer for this initiative.
- Joe Regnery mentioned that Father Krol has an initiative going that involves reinstating sponsoring both a Cub Scout and Boy Scout troop at Pax Christi. Father has asked that this information be disseminated to the council looking for members who have scouting experience or have children who may be interesting in becoming Boy Scouts. In order to field the program, at a minimum the parish will need a Scout Master and a Den Leader, working in conjunction with applicable committee members. Joe Regnery is the action officer for this project, more to follow.

# XV. 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Report – Paul Sciera for Roger Giudici

- Assembly programs and initiatives:
  - Once a month members usher at the 8:30am Mass and present gifts at the 10:30am Mass.
    - Last one was 3 February.
  - The Fisher House outreach initiative:
    - The next one is planned for 21 May
  - Rosary For Life:
  - The development of a 'membership calling tree.'

- The need for new aprons for the council.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplifications:
  - June 15 at St. Francis Cabrini, tuxedos not included.
  - Dave Petteys is on the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree team as the Registrar.
- The Assembly social committee:
- Honor Guard requirements/responsibilities:
- Assembly meeting(s): There will be short one after the council meeting.

#### XVI. Field Agent Report - David Cary

• No report.

#### XVII. <u>District Deputy Report</u> – Bill Hensen for Bernie Kuta.

- Reminder about the KOC State Convention in April.
- Through District 9 there have been 5 to 6 online applications/registrations.

#### XVIII. Good of the Order

- Lecturer Alan Brown/Ben Stancati
  - Alan discussed that Lent is coming up, starting on March 6, and is asking all to consider doing something spiritual and reflective either individually or as a family during those 40 days. These could be in various forms (prayer, sacrifice, attending stations etc.). Mike Burkett added that Pope Francis has requested all Knights to renew our faith and commitment to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, which fits well within the Faith In Action program.

#### • Council Prayer list:

• The following associated family members and friends are in need of both spiritual and/or material assistance: Carl Musso Sr., Carl and Pat Musso, Bill Miller, Tracy Pablo, Chris Mosley, Lauren Hensen, Michelle Cullen, Neil Pugh and family/Calista, Dave Herskovits, George Hensen, Katie Martindale (the Gerbers grandaughter), Kathy Spence, Illene Mayfield (Gary's sister in law), Vonnie and Herb Engler, Bob Ehle, Tom Sathre (rest-in-peace), Ann Sears, Brian Murphy, Joe Musso, Deann Craig, Jacob Donaldson, Ray Otstott, Frank Hensen, Joan Mayfield, Gary and Inez Ewing, Bobbie Dellos (a school buddy of Ben Stancati), Kyle King, Leslie Kessler, Lana and Leonard Leyba, Kristi Bahnemann, members of our Council that have passed, and all the youth of Pax Christi Parish.

#### XIX. Chaplain's Summation – Fr. Marek

• None.

#### XX. <u>Closing Prayer</u> – Deputy Grand Knight.

• Additional prayers were given by Mike Burkett, Ken Balcerzak, and Alan Brown.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:10AM. Minutes recorded and reported by Ben Stancati

---- Attachments/Correspondence/Other Documents----

Date: Saturday February 9, 2019

Period: January 1-31, 2019

**Prepared by:** Matt Bahnemann

#### **Summary**

Description	December 2018 Report	January 2019 Report
Period	December 1-31, 2018	January 1-31, 2019
Bank Balance (Main & Deposit)	*\$21,884.87	\$20,146.29
Outstanding Funds (Expenses & Deposits	-\$2,478.35	-\$334.36
Hailey Fund	\$812.00	\$812.00
Lady Knights	\$1,388.11	\$1,388.11
Available Funds	*\$17,206.41	\$17,611.82

**Outstanding Funds (Expenses & Deposits)** 

Payee / Payer	Description / Memo	Bank Account	Amount	Type	-	Account	▼ Check # ▼	Comment
loe Musso	Priest Dinner supplies	Checking Main	\$ (17.97)	Expense		51 - Clergy Dinners	3426	Check Date 12/30/2018
Brennan Bendus	Breakfast Burrito Supplies - Jan 27 2019	Checking Main	\$ (253.59)	Expense		11 - Burritos	3437	Check Date 01/31/2019
Brennan Mendus	Breakfast Burrito Income Jan 27 2019 - Check	Checking Deposit	\$ 40.00	Income		11 - Burritos	3349	Check Date 01/27/2019
oe Regnery	Breakfast Burrito Income Jan 27 2019 - Check	Checking Deposit	\$ 20.00	Income		11 - Burritos	2119	Check Date 01/27/2019
dmon P. Khoury	Breakfast Burrito Income Jan 27 2019 - Check	Checking Deposit	\$ 25.00	Income		11 - Burritos	1379	Check Date 01/27/2019
Saelle Bellon-Commeau	Breakfast Burrito Income Jan 27 2019 - Check	Checking Deposit	\$ 12.00	Income		11 - Burritos	563	Check Date 01/27/2019
Michael J McGinnis	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	6166	Check Date 01/16/2019
Michael J Melo	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	2494	Check Date 01/13/2019
oseph A Regnery	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	2117	Check Date 01/29/2019
Villiam Hensen	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	6023	Check Date 01/29/2019
Nereus Lobo	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	175	Check Date 01/13/2019
Brennan J Mendus	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	3348	Check Date 01/27/2019
Pax Christi Catholic Church	Lady Knights donation to the Youth Group	Checking Main	\$ (500.00)	Expense		90 - Lady Knights	3416	Check Date 12/02/2018
eonard Martinez	donuts	Checking Main	\$ (63.00)	Expense	$\neg$	57 - Donuts	3425	Check Date 12/30/2018
'im O'Connel	Annual Seminarian Support	Checking Main	\$ (500.00)	Expense		52 - Seminarian Support	3421	Check Date 12/30/2018
/arious	Breakfast Burrito Income Jan 27 2019 - Cash	Checking Deposit	\$ 575.00	Income		11 - Burritos	CASH	Collect Date 01/27/2019
Dick Neuhalfen	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	CASH	Collect Date 01/30/2019
Parren Lombardi	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 36.00	Income		01 - Dues	CASH	Collect Date 01/30/2019
Ron Council	Dues for 2019	Checking Deposit	\$ 40.00	Income		01 - Dues	CASH	Collect Date 01/30/2019

#### Highlights

- Summary Table Notes:
  - Table now includes balance of both main checking and deposit checking accounts.
  - o Table now includes outstanding funds, including both expense and deposits.
  - Orange Payee/Payer are outstanding expenses
  - Green Payee/Payer are outstanding deposits
  - \*Last month's bank balance did not include deposit account
- First electronic reimbursements processed this month via Zelle
- Seminarian Annual Support
  - o Received thank you cards from Kolbe Kirst and Will Dwayer
- Reminder: Council can send payment/reimbursement and receive payments via Square, Zelle, Venmo, and/or PayPal for quicker reimbursements. Note that Treasurer will require e-mail approval for payment from Grand Knight (or delegate) in lieu of dual signature on check. No fee is incurred with Zelle, Venmo, PayPal when paying/receiving with checking account.

# Reconciliation Financial Secretary to Treasurer KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 10937 February 2019

Reconciliation between Financial Secretary and Treasurer	and Tre	asurer
Bank Balance end of last month	69	21,885
Less Prior Month Outstanding Checks		2,478
Plus Current Month deposits		2,579
Less Current Month Checks		2,173
Plus Current Month Outstanding Checks		334
Expected Bank Balance		20,146
Actual Bank Balance end of current month		20,146
Difference	99	

# Membership Status

<b>Awards Progress</b>							
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# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 10937 MONTHLY FINANCIAL SECRETARY REPORT January 2018 Activity

	Park Tark	⇒Life Other Right to Life Events	-Family Spaghetti Dinners	Insurance	Supplies	Major Degree	Assessments	= Council Dues	Burritos	Thanksgiving	- Community Pennies From Heaven	Directorate T Acct name
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and and	2.579 \$		433					1,402	672	\$	24	Actual Income
1	\$ 2173	50	275	475	105	15	999		254			Actual Expense

- Burritos were successful again
- outstanding and 2nd notices were sent to them Dues collection continue. As of Feb 7 there are 70 members
- Assessments for second half of the year were paid
- Insurance policy for the year was paid
- Spaghetti dinner was profitable

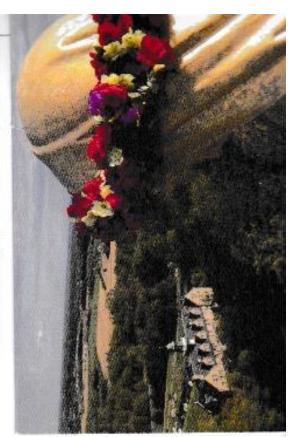
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Peaches are complete giving total sales of \$8,305 and net of \$3,866 vs. budget of \$4,740	

- Burritos were successful with net proceeds to date of ~ \$1,800

  Donations was to Food for the Poor \$385. St. Katherine Drayel \$1.
- Donations was to Food for the Poor \$285, St. Katherine Drexel \$1,200, VA \$250
- Halley Fund was a donation to Kyle King fund raiser
- Tootsie Roll Drive collections exceeded the goal for the year. Checks to the state charities sent in November.
- Lady Knights activity was 2 day garage sale in August and a Luncheon in October, All St Day in November, donation to SKD \$1000, Youth \$500
- Right to Life check was for bishops Respect for Life dinner table
- Pax Christi donation \$1,000 to parish, \$500 to Father Marek

Dear Vinights of Columbes Council 10937,

Thous you so much for your generous
Christmas gift! I count express how
much I appreciate it. My can just
treatly, started giving me trouble, so this
will help me firgure out what is word.
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Thank you for your generosity to the Diocese of Colorado Springs. Your gift helps the diocese to accomplish its mission, to serve the poor, educate and catechize children and adults, form holy priests and deacons, spread awareness on important life issues and so much more. Below is a summary of your gifts to the Diocese.

May God bless you!

Gratefully yours in Christ, Namiel V-Caw

Jamie W. Crane

Director of Development and Planned Giving

### 2018 Calendar Year Donations

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2018 Returning God's Gifts

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November 21, 2018

Knights of Columbus Pax Christi 5761 McArthur Ranch Road Littleton, CO 80124

#### Dear Friends:

We appreciate your generous contribution of twenty-seven Thanksgiving dinners, on 11/17/2018, to Family Tree. In the past year, Family Tree provided services to tens of thousands of people in efforts to empower change and transform lives. Marilyn is one of the many clients who have discovered her own strengths, to create lasting, positive change for her family.

Marilyn was referred to Family Tree House of Hope by the Arapahoe County Department of Human Services. At the time, Marilyn was seven months pregnant and did not have stable housing for herself and her three sons. Before being referred to House of Hope, Marilyn had experienced legal and substance abuse problems, Due to her legal difficulties, Marilyn was not optimistic in securing employment and access to a housing program.

When she entered Family Tree House of Hope, Marilyn's goals were to take care of her legal issues, become employed and undergo substance abuse treatment. House of Hope is a program dedicated to providing safe shelter and resources for homoless women with children.

Through hard work and determination, Marilyn completed outpatient drug treatment and resolved her legal difficulties. During her stay at House of Hope, she was accepted into a two-year transitional housing program, and found work in the automotive field. Marilyn has remained drug free, and has provided stable housing for herself and her family.

Thanks to individuals like you, Marilyn has been empowered to discover her own strengths to create lasting, positive change, Her experience demanstrates how Together, We Transform Lives.

For safe children and families,

Scott Franssen

Chief Development Officer

Family Tree, Inc.

We acknowledge that you received no goods or services for this donation, according to IRS regulations, Family Time is a tax-exempt organization 501(c)(3) EIN: 84-0730973

EMPOWERING CHANGE, TRANSFORMING LIVES.



## Thank You!

Knights of Columbus Pax Christi Church,

WOW! Twenty-seven full Thanksgiving meals. These were used in so many of our programs. What a generous thoughtful gift to make others Thanksgiving a true time of sharing and plenty.

Family Tree works with vulnerable populations located in the seven-county Denver metro region. Clients have histories of poverty, trauma and/or crises. Internal data identifies the most common client demographic across all programs are family units (64%), of which the majority are female headed households (78%) with annual income under \$10,000 (51%).

With that level of income, purchasing a full Thanksgiving meal is not possible. Your gift has truly made it a holiday of thanks.

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Development Coordinator

P.S. If you are interested in additional information on Family Tree's programs please contact me at you convenience.

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February 8, 2019

To: All Elected State Officers, Past State Deputies, General Agents, Insurance Field Agents, State Appointed Officers, Grand Knights and Faithful Navigators:

The 117th Annual Colorado State Council Knights of Columbus State Convention is quickly approaching. The 2019 State Convention is being held at the Hyatt Regency – Denver Technology Center (DTC) located at 7800 East Tufts Avenue, Denver, Colorado 80237. The dates for the convention are THURSDAY – SUNDAY, 25-28 April 2019.

Delegates, attendees, and lobby table users reservations, both for the convention and hotel rooms, can be made online at the Colorado Knights of Columbus State Council Homepage, <a href="https://www.coloradokofc.org">https://www.coloradokofc.org</a>. Click on the "STATE CONVENTION ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM" to complete your registration. You must register for the hotel on "Link for Room Reservations", which is also on the registration page. If you have any questions, please contact the Convention Coordinator Craig Martin at <a href="mailto:co.kofc.convention@gmail.com">co.kofc.convention@gmail.com</a> or call at 719-331-6406. Once online registration is submitted and accepted, you will receive an email stating you are registered, and your card has been billed.

A Registration Fee of \$15.00 per Knight or main registrant will be assessed to help cover the cost of the convention bag, name tags and registration materials.

We are looking forward to another successful convention. We would hope that ALL our Brother Knights will make a concerted effort to attend some or all of the events. Your participation is critical. The convention attendance allows for meeting space from the hotel to put on the convention. For any questions that you may have regarding the convention, please contact Convention Coordinator Craig Martin at co.kofc.convention@gmail.com or 719-331-6406 (cell).

Included in this packet is valuable information that you will want to provide to all members of your councils and assemblies throughout the state. A <u>tentative</u> agenda of activities is included for your reference but is subject to change as the convention date draws nearer.

"We serve for God's Glory and our Neighbor's good"

Vivat Jesus!

John (Jay) J. Doherty

Jay Doherty



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# Paul M. Shields

is enrolled in the Colorado Knights of Columbus Perpetual Memorial Society receiving the following privileges:

- · One hundred Masses celebrated annually for the benefactor's intention.
- Benefactor's name has been placed on the Perpetual Memorial Plaque, which will be displayed at State Conventions.
- Benefactor will also be remembered in various Knights of Columbus publications.





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January 31, 2019

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#### STATE KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

The December 2018 Colorado State Knight of the Month is Sir Knight Ken Balcerzak of the Robert F. Houlihan SJ Council, Council No. 10937, Highlands Ranch CO.

Ken is the current Chancellor and was recently the Program Leader for the Annual Thanksgiving Basket Drive. This is a Parish wide event that raises ~\$20,000 and provides approximately 530 Thanksgiving baskets to be delivered to our local community. The charities that were the beneficiaries of the Program are Alternatives Pregnancy Center, Gabriel House, Joshua Station. Life Network Pregnancy Center, Military Outreach Program, Wounded Warriors, St Elizabeth Pantry, Food Bank of the Rockies, Family Tree, Butterfly Program, and Counselor for Prevention at Cresthill Middle School.

Ken with tremendous support from his wife, Wendy, organized and lead this event from public notifications, fundraising activities, communication with the Charities, logistics and distribution of the food. This program has the highest participation of the Knights with approximately 30 Knights with their families, plus over 30 parishioners and their families on the final day of completing the food baskets and distribution. It is the best Program of the Parish for the entire Year. Ken also leads the Parish Usher Ministry and the Safe Security Ministry.



#### PERPETUAL MEMORIAL SOCIETY

Colorado Knights of Columbus

Perpetual Memorial Society is a wonderful way to honor our loved ones,
Living and Deceased, with this thoughtful act of enrolling them in
100 Memorial Masses per year,
each and every year, forever.

All the information and enrollment form is on the Colorado Knights of Columbus website.

www.coloradokofc.org

If you have any questions Please call Jim Peterson 303-906-3733

- -Movie "Unplanned". Free screening 3/5/19 in Colorado Springs.
- -Movie "Unprotected" A documentary on Pope Paul VI's Humane Vitae, the pill and the ensuing sexual chaos.
- -40 Days For Life begins with March 5th kickoff in Colorado Springs. Sidewalk Counseling at PP has been working.
- -Walk For Life June 1st in Colorado Springs. Benefits Life Network. 259 clients chose life - 1200 students have gone through their suicide prevention program - They provide the "reverse pill" for those who have taken the chemical abortion pill - They have offered suicide counseling on Wednesdays since last fall. And many other life saving services.
- -Abortion Worldwide report 1 billion abortions in one century. Only 7% of people are in favor of abortion on demand.
- -Bill 1032 sex education explicit sex acts would be described to children but gender norms and gender stereotypes, like "male" and "female" would be prohibited. Voice your opposition.
- Boycott announcements will be in bulletins.
- Rosary Please consider volunteering to lead the Rosary weekends before Masses.
- -Spiritual Adoption, (on the Feast of the Annunciation), will be coming up in March. Please consider adopting and praying for an unborn child in danger of abortion.
- -Walk/Run at Light of the World in Littleton. Participants, possibly teams? Raises money for the Ultra Sound Initiative.

Last years (2018) Light of the World Walkfrom

## About This Activity

Support the cause of life by registering today for the Knights of Columbus 2017
Respect Life 5K! Join your friends and neighbors as we rally together and run/walk for the cause of protecting the unborn and respecting life "from womb to tomb"! Proceeds from the race will be used to assist in the purchase of an ultrasound machine for a pregnancy crisis center in Colorado as part of the Knights of Columbus Ultrasound Initiative Program.

#### Event details and schedule

Race starts at 8:00 am. Race day registration and packet pick-up begin at 7:00 am. The course starts and finishes at Light of the World (LOTW) Catholic Church and winds through the adjoining neighborhood. Free parking is available on site. Two team categories are available; Knights of Columbus (from same council) and Parish/Organization (from same parish or religious organization, at least one female). Minimum four members on a team. Team members are also eligible for individual awards. Individual and Team awards will be distributed after the race. A free pancake breakfast is provided by the Knights of Columbus to all participants. All 5K participants are also eligible for the prize drawing. A free fun run (12 and under) will be held following the 5K. Go to our website at www.respectlife5k.org for more information. Email us at respectlife5k@gmail.com with specific questions.

### Sandusky, Deacon Thomas

Wed, Feb 6, 10:41 AM (2 days ago)

to me

Hi Ben,

I've tracked down where Fr. Marek's rose chasuble was ordered, and have noted information on the matching dalmatic below. I've confirmed with the company that both are of the same color and material... and the embroidered design appears to be the same when the web site dalmatic picture is compared to the Fr.'s chasuble. So I assume this to be the complimentary dalmatic to the chasuble.

#### www.chasuble24.com

**Gothic Dalmatic** 

DF579-AR25 (rose dalmatic unlined and stole - \$313.64) the company is located in Poland so the exchange rate may vary, and shipping is not included).

Importantly, as we previously discussed... the vestments belong to the parish (not to me personally). Thank you for your recommendation, and for the Knights willingness to make this purchase for the parish.

Blessings, Deacon Tom