



**Knights of Columbus  
Council #1221  
Business Meeting Minutes  
November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022**



**Call to Order**

Thursday, November 10th, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.

**Warden's Report on Membership Card**

Bro. Dan Gulley: All present are current members.

**Prayer**

The Lord's Prayer for was prayed by all.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all.

**Reading of and Approval Minutes of Previous Meeting**

The meeting minutes for September and October were handed out at the bar for review. The minutes were read and accepted by all.

All veterans in attendance were asked to stand and were recognized.

**Chaplain's Message: Fr. Jeremy**

- Fr. Jeremy was not present tonight and is on travel to the Holy Land

**Grand Knight's Report: WGK Tom Waters**

- Monday night – Deceased Member's Mass at 6:00 p.m.
  - Have 10 members that have passed in the past year
  - Fr. Barge and Fr. Griese will be the celebrants
  - Reception after with light appetizers and desserts

**Deputy Grand Knight's Report: DGK Ron Webber**

- Planning meeting:
  - Approved purchase of 4 new tables for use with the Red Cross blood drives. Tables will have decals so that they're dedicated for use for the blood drives.

**Treasurer's Report: Bro. John Kaiser**

- At the end of March, the General Fund has \$36,292, the Gaming Fund is at \$9,406 and the CBC Fund has \$137,532.
  - *(For new members, CBC stands for The Columbia Building Corporation which is a separate entity from Knights of Columbus 1221. Each 1221 member is also a shareholder in the CBC)*
- All bills are paid and up to date

**Balloting for Membership: Bro. Matt Lincoln (Absent this Month)**

- New Members for the month of November:

- New Members for the 2022-2023 Fraternal Year:
  - George Tipker (Holy Family)
  - Mark Court (St. Mary of the Knobs)
  - Larry Mand (Holy Family)
  - Bob Hamilton (St. Mary's Navilleton)
- New membership cards are coming out for 2023 that are pre-signed

**Financial Secretary's Report: Bro. Matt Lincoln**

- Still have 77 members that haven't paid their dues for 2022
- Will be working to contact those that have not yet paid

**New Business:**

- Thanksgiving Basket Delivery
  - One of our biggest outreach activities
  - Asking for one of three things:
    - \$15 donation
    - A turkey
    - A ham
  - Need everyone to participate
  - Delivering food to 67 families this year
  - 4:00 on Thursday baskets are delivered to the KofC hall
  - 8:30 Saturday morning, baskets are loaded and will be delivered that day
  - Deliver your turkeys/hams to the hall
  - Signup at the bar to help!

**Report of Service Program Committees:**

- **Program Director: Mike Worden**
  - No report this week
- **Community Director: Bro. Kevin Kruer**
  - No report this week
- **Family Director: Bro. Rob Davis**
  - No report this week
- **Culture of Life Director: Bro. Keith Byerley**
  - No report this week
- **Vocation Director: Bro. Greg Brodfehrer**
  - No report this week
- **Faith Director: Ben Wissel**
  - January 20<sup>th</sup> is March for Life in Washington D.C.
    - Looking to send 2 people to D.C. to represent the council on the trip
    - Council will pay for expenses (bus transportation, lodging, and food)
  - December 7<sup>th</sup> – Knight Hour (1 hour prayer service with Adoration, Rosary, and Litanies) at Holy Family
  - Trying to have quarterly prayer services and rotate through the parishes
- **Health and Service Director – Ron Webber**
  - No report this week
- **Public Relations – Chris Gahagen**
  - No report this week

### **Report of the Fourth Degree:**

- No report of the Fourth Degree

### **Insurance Field Agent Report**

- Rob Davis – Not present this week

### **District Deputy Report**

- *District Deputy – Greg Brodfehrer*
- [district35@indianakofc.org](mailto:district35@indianakofc.org)
- Thank you everyone for your support of the Halloween dance. We're still working to determine how much was collected for Gibault
- Registration for March for Life is due in December
- On November 16<sup>th</sup>, Pilgrim Icon program will be presented at Holy Family
  - St. Joseph is this year's icon
  - Prayer service at 6 p.m.
  - Ceremony will be led by Bros. Brodfehrer, Wissel, and Steve Byerley.
  - Providing this program to 5 different parishes in the district
- KofC is creating a \$10M endowment for Women's Care Centers in Indiana to support women who are pregnant and after pregnancy
  - There are several centers in the northern part of the state, and they are slowing working their way south
  - Please consider how our council can help this cause
- If anyone is interested in helping Greg with supporting the councils, get with Greg.

### **Good of the Order**

- Prayers for the good of the order
  - For a brother-in-law with stage 4 cancer that has entered hospice

### **Closing Prayer**

- The prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney was said by all.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:33 P.M.

Submitted by: Recorder, Dustin Jones, November 10th, 2022

Attested to by: WGK, Tom Waters, November 10th, 2022