

#6353 Council Meeting Agenda  
Tuesday, January 19th, 2021  
Location: Divine Mercy Chapel  
Dale Fanale & Evan Schlosser-Exemplifications-6:00PM  
Rosary 6:30PM  
Council Meeting-7:00PM  
Home Association Meeting-8:00PM

**Call to Order**-Guards Check Id. Cards-Warden Present Sign-in/Prayer Intention logs to Recorder.

**Opening Prayer**-Lord's Prayer

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Approve Minutes of Prior Meeting**-Published-Motion to approve.

**Grand Knight's Report**

-Passing of James Boyle, Jr.

-Avalanche Express Family Night-February 4<sup>th</sup> Time: 4-10PM

-Thank you from YCHS-Principal Katie Seufert for \$5,000 donation

-Thank you New Life Foundation/J. O. Y. (Just Older Youth)

**Financial Report**-Treasurer-Frank Kibler, Account balances reviewed. Details available on-line.

**Financial Secretary**-Kirk Wright-Dues/transfer updates, 70 members have paid dues, 80 members still pending. Second notices are ready to be sent out.

**Membership Report**-Jim Werth, as of 1/1/21: 182 total members, 10 new members YTD.

**Other Reports:**

**Program Director**-Anthony Gaito: Secured 2 K of C books to be donated to YCHS.

**Faith Director**-Father James Menkhus

**Community Director**-Michael Jahn

**Family Director**-Pat Nelson

**Life Director**-Nick Smith

**Recruitment Committee**-Frank Kibler, Antonio Apetrior, Pat Nelson

**Retention Chairman**-Wayne Kurek

**Insurance Promotion**-Kirk Wright: Webinar with Jeff Bellomo in 2/2021. Date TBD.

**Vocations Chairman**-Kelly Brown

**Health Services**-Dr. Paul Shellenberger

**Public Relations**-Kirk Wright

**Fund Raisers:** Michael Jahn-Chance of a Lifetime Fundraiser Update

**Baptisms**-Bill Schreiber & Jim Werth-Volunteer Coordinators

**Adoration:** Pat Workinger update. Participate if you feel safe is last communication. Masks required.

**4<sup>th</sup> Degree Report-Need candidates-Upcoming Fourth Degree Exemplifications:**

February 20th Archdiocese of Washington, D. C.

March 13th Maryland-Location-TBA

May 15th White Haven, PA

June 6th Doubletree by Hilton, Cranberry, PA

August 28th Sacred Heart Parish, St. Mary's, PA

**Insurance Agent Report-Jon Deakin**

**District Deputy Report:**

I bring you greetings from our Supreme Knight Carl Anderson and our State Deputy Ken Grugel.

Harrisburg Diocesan Chapter meeting will be on 1/20/2021 @ 7:00 PM by Zoom. Anyone is encouraged to attend. Pass the invitation on to your members. Volunteers are needed for Camp Kirchenwald fundraiser and Cross Catholic Organization [CCO] Bishop Gainer is behind these projects.

Camp Kirchenwald: The Diocese of Harrisburg holds an annual one week residential summer camp for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities at Camp Kirchenwald in Lebanon County. The program is for adults (ages 18 and older) with a primary diagnosis of mild to moderate intellectual and developmental disabilities who have no severe behavioral problems. Campers must be ambulatory and the camp is open to adults of all faiths.

The dates are August 15-20, 2021.

Activities at the camp are all adapted to the needs and abilities of adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities. The activities include: swimming canoeing hiking and nature study sports games arts and crafts fishing.

In addition, campers will participate in evening activities in a beautiful multi-acre wooded setting.

Cross Catholic Outreach: Cross Catholic Outreach's priority is to help "the poorest of the poor." Our efforts reach those suffering extreme poverty in countries throughout the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, and Latin America.

Projects include relief for earthquake, flood and tsunami victims, care and education for orphans and other vulnerable children, housing for the homeless, medicines and health care for the indigent, food for families suffering extreme malnutrition, and clean water for communities that have none, as well as micro-enterprise programs and other long term development efforts to break the cycle of poverty. In every case, our method of outreach is the same:

Cross Catholic locates needy Catholic-based ministries serving the poor and distributes material aid through their existing programs.

In this way, we can supply meaningful help where it is needed most. In all our work we remain dedicated in our service to the Lord as good stewards of His resources in every challenge we seek to overcome.

Homes for the poor

Help feed the poor

Child education programs

Medical aid projects

Orphans and vulnerable children assistance  
Clean water projects Elderly care programs

The fraternal activity report verifies that the K of C is a charitable organization. The Special Olympics report is used by supreme to allocate funds to State Special Olympics based on the number of reports submitted. It is important that both of these reports are submitted as soon as you have the data to complete them.

Special Olympics is an event that has replaced ARC. All councils put on your agenda to raise donations for the Special Olympics.

Free Throw Challenges will be held again this year. Start making preparation and advise me if your council plans on entering the competition. Supporting personal are also needed to execute these events. The State Free Throw competition is still scheduled for 20 March. If you plan to participate, your district competition should be completed by 28 February. COVID restrictions on these competitions will still apply, so if you have competitions, set up before mid-February.

Information for College Scholarships is available on the State Website. Have candidates take their SAT's. Applications and test scores must be received by 12-31-2020.

Visit the State website for requirements for the 2021 Grants for K-12. Applications accepted from 1/1/2021- 1/31/2021. Follow the directions for application acceptance.

Wreathes across America is a Patriotic project. It will be done in December. Wreaths will be placed on military graves in Susquehanna Gardens. December 19th beginning at noon. Any interested members contact Pat Workingerpatworkinger@earthlink.net or FN Joe Valenti. jvalenti@oatkamilk.com.

Start to set up Recruitment Drives, with Virtual degrees and Open Houses. You may have to rely on Virtual Open Houses. When you publicize the Church drive allow about 6 weeks to run the drive. All Councils should have had the Delta Church Drive Training. Do you have 50% of your Membership Quota yet????????????????  
Let's make this Quarter a month to remember. Challenge your members to invite someone they know to become a Knight.  
Everyone knows someone who will be a "GR8" Knight.

All Councils should have a degree team in Place. Provide me with dates for degrees. [2 per Council]  
There is also the on Demand Degree.

Faith in Action:  
Helping Hands: Volunteer at the Local Shelter to assist with Christmas Dinner for the Homeless.  
Life Path Ministries-[www.lifepathyork.org](http://www.lifepathyork.org) Phone# 717-845-7662

Plan your Coats for Kids Drive: Arrange to drop at Parish or neighboring school.

Plan a Virtual Spiritual Reflection program for Advent.  
Have the Chaplain's Challenge at your meeting.

Start planning for "the March for Life" on 1/29/2021

Don' forget to run the Family of the Month.

Start organizing Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity [1728] due 1/31/2021.

Vivat Jesus!  
Llewellyn Pat Workinger  
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Attachment:

**New Business:**

-RSVP Program: Identify 2 Capuchin Friars to receive \$500 donations each.

**Good of the Order:**

**Grand Knight's Summary:**

Wanted! Family of the Month Promotion  
Blessed Michael McGivney Guild  
COAL Ticket Promotion

**Upcoming Exemplifications**

February 2, 2021-6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel  
March 2, 2021-6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel  
April 6, 2021-6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel  
May 4, 2021-6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel  
June 1, 2021-6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel

**Upcoming Meeting Schedule**

Officer's Meeting: February 2nd 6PM-Divine Mercy Chapel  
4<sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting: February 12th 7PM-**Virtual Meetings until Further Notice**  
Council/General Meeting: February 16th<sup>th</sup> Rosary 6:30PM, General Meeting 7:00PM

**Prayer Concerns:** James Boyle, Jr. Family, Evan Schlosser & Family, Wayne Kurek, Traci Gaito, Frederick & Prima Anthony, Andy & Patricia Bria, Ruth & Ray Brown, Hallie Hassett, Anthony Anzalone, Sara Fulmer, Joan Wright, Charles Stanley, ted Bertucio, and Edward Andrews.

**Closing Prayer-**Prayer for Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed

Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present "**Sainthood**". Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Adjournment**