

#6353 Council Meeting Agenda
St. Francis/St. Clare Meeting Rooms

Tuesday, December 20, 2022
Rosary 6:30pm-Meeting/Social 7:00pm

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

###-Opening Prayer- Lord's Prayer

-Pledge of Allegiance-#

Grand Knight's Report

-Welcome to our newest member to the counsel = Matt

Polar Plunge-Gifford Pinchot State Park-Conewago Day Use Area-Saturday, January 21, 2023-
Registration 10:00am. First plunge 12:00 PM. Do we wish to attend in person?

-#6353-Council Free Throw Event-Sunday, January 8, 2023-St. Joseph School Gym. Kirk Wright to set-up
1:00pm. Registration-1:30pm. Competition starts at 2:00pm. Promoting in bulletin. Need to put up
signing at Starbucks, Giant, St. Joseph School, etc. Two or three volunteers needed. Basketballs in shed.
Need to line off 12-foot shooting line for 9 to 11-year-old boys and girls. Clipboards, measuring tape,
blue masking tape, pens, scoring sheets, etc. in left closet of Solanus Casey House on the floor.

-State Officers Meeting-Penn Stater Hotel-January 6, 7, 8, 2023. Kelly Brown to attend.

-Keep Christ in Christmas 6353 K of C Billboard near Wecker's Flooring is up and on display.

-#6353 Christmas Party-February 4, 2023-Elks Club-Downtown York-6:00pm to 10pm.

-Malvern Men's Retreat-May 19, 20, 21. Looking for 150 participants. Mike Jones, Lou Cedrone and Pat
Workinger spearheading our participation.

-March for Life-January 20, 2023.

Proposals to Consider:

-York Catholic Capital Campaign-Goal of \$1 Million. Provided a proposal to donated \$25,000 again- for
Phase II Campaign. East York Columbian Home Association Meeting 12/20/2022, 8:00pm.

-Polar Plunge-Make a donation as a council in the name of our athlete Jenny Laudeman. Suggest \$500
(approved).

-RSVP Candidates-Miguel Estrada and Zachary Smith, \$500 for each (approved).

Officers & Directors Updates

Treasurer Report-Frank Kibler: Account income, expenses, and balances. Christmas Party.

Program Director-Sean Brennan: Looking for someone to cover Sean while he is on injured reserve.

Community Director-Michael Jahn-COAL tickets update: Tickets have been received, Start selling tickets
in January 2023, Drawing in May 6, 2023. We had 3 local winners. Keep Christ in Christmas magnetic
signs distributed.

Family Director-Pat Nelson-No report.

Life Director-Kelly Brown-Undefeated Courage Event-Update.

Faith Director-Father James Menkhus-His reception well attended on 12/11/22. Excellent going away
program. Card and \$500 provided by #6353. Will approach Father Rigo to replace Father Jim. 4th
Degree needed for Father Rigo to handle Faithful Friar position.

Membership Director-Jim Werth: Currently the counsel has 159 members (27 are honorary and 132 will
owe dues for 2023.

Financial Secretary Report-Kirk Wright: 2023 dues invoices going out this week.

Recruitment Committee-Frank Kibler

Insurance Promotion-Kirk Wright-Need to lock in a program. Talk to Jon Deakon to schedule 1 more
event.

Vocations Chairman-Kelly Brown. Next donation group-Two Capuchins-\$500 each.

Health Services-Dr. Paul Shellenberger, excused.

Public Relations-Kirk Wright

Website Director-Kelly Brown

Retention Chairman-Pat Workinger: 25 retention letters have been sent out and another 25 will be sent out in January 2023.

IT Director-Kelly Brown

Fund Raisers:

-Bingo-Update-Jonathan Gnau: 2022 proceeds for the counsel and church were reviewed.

-7th Annual Golf Tournament Benefitting Misericordia-Request made for June 9, 2023, 12:30pm-Start Heritage Hills. Date confirmed and deposit submitted. Kelly Brown, Kirk Wright (out of town on 6/9/23) and Jonathan Gnau are Co-Chairs. Kick-off meeting will be scheduled by Kelly Brown in February 2023.

Baptisms-Dale Fanale, Jim Werth & Kelly Brown-Volunteer Coordinators-Update. 3 baptisms scheduled for 12/17/22. Dale Fanale to handle.

Adoration: St. Patrick Chapel-Schedule for December 2022:

24: Mike Pretty

31: Ralph Pretty

4th Degree Report-Exemplifications

-Exemplifications offered frequently. We just need interested candidates.

4th Degree Call Outs

None at this time. We need more 4th degree Sir Knights in uniform.

Insurance Agent Report: FBN-Need to lock in insurance agents and elder law attorneys for a future date.

###-District Deputy Report: Pat Workinger-District 119

December 2022/January 2023 District Report

Grand Knights:

Greetings from Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly and State Deputy Mike Kish & D/D Llewellyn Pat Workinger.

I want to take an opportunity to wish all knights a "Merry Christmas & A Happy New Year". May you be showered with many blessings in the new year. A special thanks for all the hard work done this past year.

Remember every member of your Council is a recruiter. Every Knight should carry an Online Membership Card.

[10536] Every council event is a recruiting event. Our State Deputy Mike Kish wants 2 new members for each event you have. Have literature and available members to provide information for your council. New members benefit your council with talents and more work hours available to carry out your charitable events.

January Recruiting Tip

Go to a different Mass each week...There may be men at that Mass that you never met. Men filled with the Spirit...singing...coming early to pray...Wanting to be involved...Ask them to join... Be prepared to tell him why it is good for him to join especially in these times when our faith is under attack.

The Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity [1728] Deadline is 1/31/2023.

Prepare the information needed to report participation in the Special Olympics program. Due [1/31/2023] Form 10784. This report to be submitted even if you had no event. Team up with a council that is holding a Polar Plunge.

[10474 & 6353] ...Did you send your Fraternal Benefits report to the Stice agency and cc Field Agent? Supreme Assessments will be sent 1/1/2023 and can be found in Member Management.

All Councils should take a review of how effective at their January meeting.

Is the council financially sound? Do you use a yearly budget?

At your monthly meeting, do you keep meeting close to an hour? Are you using Hybrid meetings? Are you encouraging council participation in discussions? Do you have all members involved in Charitable projects? When men volunteer are you getting all members of the volunteers involved in the project? Is the agenda for the meeting distributed at least a week before the meeting? Are minutes going out to members in a timely fashion? Are you having a Fraternal or social with the meetings?

Membership: Are you holding Church Drives? Do you recruit at council meetings? Is the council holding degrees and open houses? Are you inviting the wives and families to the open house? Do you plan activities?

Are you using all medians of communication to reach men? Is the Admissions Committee using the 1842 survey with all members? Are you reaching out to inactive members?

Programs: Do you have a strong Program Director in place? Are programs being advertised? Are you getting the programs in the church bulletin as well as emails? Is there a virtual option for the programs? Are all your director positions filled? Is your council SEP compliant?

Officer Training: Have all officers been trained in their duties? Are Is the council viewing the Webinars? Is the Program Team leader reporting the activity on the appropriate form? [10784 for most] Is the council making use of Fraternal Leader Advisory?

Fr. McGivney Guild

All members of the knights and their families should be a member. As a guild member your intentions will be found be included in a weekly Mass and several novenas celebrated during the liturgical year. You will receive prayer cards and bi-monthly guild letter. Enhance your spiritual life by becoming a guild member. 'Frmcgviney.org' to join. All Grand Knights committed to making an active drive to Are you recruiting guild membership? Engaged in Supreme's Webinars?

Consecration to the Holy Family is December 30th.

Families today face many struggles, both through cultural pressure and through the personal struggles that accompany family life. Despite these struggles — and partly as a result of conquering them — families have great capacity for love and joy, a joy that is strengthened through the peace and truth found in Christ. To assist families in living out this joy of Christ, Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William Lori has composed a prayer through which families may come together to consecrate themselves under the protection of the Holy Family. We invite every family of our parish to engage in the Consecration to the Holy Family

Sacramental Gifts

The sacraments stand as the most significant events in the life of the domestic church. The Knights of Columbus will be there to support and embrace our parish families at these essential moments of encounter with Christ. As children and adult members become more integrated into the life of the church and their parish, they should know that members of the Knights of Columbus will always be present in a tangible and meaningful way. For Sacramental Gifts program resources, visit www.kofc.org/gifts.

"RSVP" Seminarian Support

As the strong right arm of the church, Knights of Columbus are committed to providing moral, financial and spiritual support to our future priests and religious at all stages of their formation. Through this program, council and parish families will raise funds to support seminarians in their area. For every \$500 given to an individual, the Supreme Council will refund the council or assembly \$100. The maximum refund a council or assembly can receive is \$400 per individual supported. Councils are also called to provide their "adopted" seminarian or religious aspirant with moral support and prayers for their success. For RSVP resources, visit www.kofc.org/rsvp.

Catholic School Grant Program

The Educational Foundation will be processing up to fifty (50) \$1,000.00 Knights of Columbus Student Grants paid to the Catholic School Grades 1 through 12 where the Knight of Columbus member's child is enrolled. Applications will be accepted by the Educational Foundation Secretary, if postmarked beginning January 1, 2023. The Educational Foundation members will then hold a drawing and the winners will be notified by the Secretary and also posted on the state web site. Only applications post marked between January 1, and January 31, 2023 will be eligible for the drawing. Applications and guidelines' on State Website.

The next Harrisburg Chapter meeting is Wednesday 1/18/2023 at 7:00 PM by Zoom. The Chapter does the wishes of Bishop Gainer. All councils to have a member on to represent your Council. Invitations sent to Grand Knights to forward to Council members.

Form 10784 must be used to report activities. You will receive a confirmation email.

The next March for Life in Washington DC will be Friday January 20, 2023. Start making plans if you wish to participate in it. More detail will be found on supreme website.

Plan your Council events now through March.

Mass for People with Special Needs can be a District event. The host council should invite all councils in the district to be involved. All councils have families with disabilities.

ASAP “ Aid & Support after Pregnancy”

Asap Supports pregnant women, mothers, and their babies by supporting pregnancy resource centers and maternity homes. Financial support includes fundraisers, baby bottle drives, direct donations and open houses. Material assistance includes baby items such as formula, diapers, wipes, food, clothing, and other items that new born or pregnant women need. Consult the Supreme website for full details.

Food for Families

With Christmas soon here, plan for aid for meals through direct meals or support local food shelters that provide meals. Many families this year will depend on charitable events.

Free Throw Competition 2023

The St. Joseph School Gym, 2945 Kingston Road, York PA 17402 has been reserved for the following dates and times:

Sunday, January 8, 2023, 1:30pm Registration 2-3pm-Council Free Throw Challenge

Sunday, January 22, 2023,1:30pm Registration 2-3pm-District Free Throw Challenge

Sunday, February 19, 2023, 1:30pm Registration 2-3pm-Central East Region Free Throw Challenge-100 Contestants + 200 parents/guardians

Saturday, March 18, 2023, 1:30pm Registration 2-3pm-State Free Throw Challenge-60 Contestants+ 200 parents/guardians

Llewellyn “Pat” Workinger

D/D 119

New Business

-December 2022-Family of the Month-Linda and Rich Janosky

Good of the Order: Prayers for Judy Alfano. Angela Marie Geltz-Sister of Vanessa Riley. Soul of Sister Mary Grace.

Upcoming Knighthood Exemplifications

-Offered to all councils at #6353, first Tuesday, 6:00PM each month, Divine Mercy Chapel. In need of a back-up team for exemplifications.

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

-January 3, 2023-Exemplification-Divine Mercy Chapel 6:00pm. Two candidates locked in so far.

-January 3, 2023-Officers Meeting/Social-7:00pm-**Solanus Casey House**

-January 13, 2023-4th Degree Meeting-St. Francis/St. Clare Rooms. Rosary 6:30pm. Social/4th Degree Meeting 7pm. Potluck Dinner.

-January 17, 2023-#6353 Council Meeting-Rosary 6:30pm, Social/Council Meeting-7pm. **Location-St. Francis/St. Clare rooms.**

Prayer Concerns: Evan Burtis, Soul of his father Jeffrey K. Burtis, Pat Workinger, Sean Brennan, Judy Alfano, police officers, teachers and students, Father Jim & his brother Frank Menkhus, Tom Glanda, Jim Werth, Larry Hack, Hallie Hassett, Shay Coll, Dorothy Koons, Mike Saltzgiver, Paul Liesman, Steven Wright, Homeless People, People of Ukraine, Gary Workinger, Sara Fulmer, Carolyn Yawkowski, Janet Ochalski, Joseph Bloom, Ted Bertucio, Rose Young, Gerald Krause, George Jahn, Joan Wright, Wanda Walker’s soul, Missy Taylor, The Family of Don Desseyn, Tracie Snyder and her family, Bill and Donna Harvey, Eileen Thome, Soul of William Thomas Stanley, Soul of Lee William Benedict, Marie Olshefski, Ty Tully, Sheri Marcillo, Andrew Norwicki, Soul of Brenda J. Fanale , Anthony Anzalone, his family and Soul

of his father Vincent Anzalone, Jr., Frederick Anthony and soul of Prima Anthony, Soul of PGK Barry Day, Thomas Simms, Soul of Thelma Greaves, Evan Burtis, Soul of his father Jeffrey K. Burtis, Soul of Sister Mary Grace, Janet Stenson, Soul of Audrey Miller, and Emily Bushman.

###-Closing Prayer-Hail Mary & Glory Be

Adjournment-#