# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Mary's Parish Pinckney, Michigan Council # 11761

Planning Meeting Minutes: February 28, 2024

### **OFFICERS**

<b>E</b> Chaplain	Fr. Dan Kogut	DIRECT	DIRECTORS	
_ Grand Knight	Mike Aulette	Program	Andy Weisel / Rod Forman	
<b>E</b> Deputy Grd Knight	Todd Darling	Faith	Dcn. Thomas Rea	
<b>E</b> Chancellor	Scott Berry	Vocations	Dcn. Dan Hall	
_ Recorder	Paul Cassar	Community	Tim Rolling	
_ Financial Secretary	John Kukalis	Life	Rod Forman	
_ Treasurer	Dave Esser	Health	Dale Pepper	
_ Lecturer	Vacant	Family	Todd Darling	
_ Advocate	Dan Cooke	Youth	Dan Cooke	
<u>E</u> Warden	Brian Ignatowski	Membership	Brian Ignatowski	
<b>E</b> Inside Guard	Tony O'Branovic	Retention	Dave Esser	
<b>E</b> Outside Guard	Richard Kolnitys	Council	Phil Meilak	
<u>E</u> Trustee (3 yr)	Tim Rolling	Field Agent	Patrick Arndt	
<u>E</u> Trustee (2 yr)	Clint Bonkowski	District Deputy	John Yanok	
E Trustee (1 yr)	John Korneder			
	E = Excused	X = Absent		

Meeting Opened: 6:00 pm

Opening Prayer offered by: Mike Aulette

Deposits Tonight - N/A Bills Paid Tonight - N/A

# Mike Aulette:

- Parish mission has been going amazing!
- Busy weekend for the council with Fish Fry on Friday and Breakfast on Sunday please reach out if you're able to help out or sign up through the Signup Genius links -
  - Fish Fry https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E44AFAD2AA6FAC43-47787275-lenten#/
  - O Breakfast https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E44AFAD2AA6FAC43-48035270-march#/
- Bob Phipps will become the newest member, has signed the paperwork will need to identify an exemplification date
- Fr. Dan suggested discussing the day's Gospel reading for the 15mins of any parish ministry meeting, would be good to incorporate

#### **Todd Darling:**

Will need help for the Fish fry this Thurs night 6:30-8:00pm

## Dan Cooke:

- Participated in the district free throw contest, they segmented by age and gender, was good to see how the district operates
  - Idea to make the free throw contest a clinic to make it more of an outreach to showcase the school/gym
- May plan to participate in the downtown Pinckney St. Patrick's Day bed race next year to increase awareness about the Knights

#### John Kukalis:

- Will send out a blast for Fish Fry/ Breakfast help this weekend
- Got another person to sign up for the 4<sup>th</sup> degree
- Only 21 signups so far for the St. Patrick's day dinner please sign up if you haven't already and reach out to others
  - Will get an announcement after Mass and will have two more weekends to get people signed up

#### Dave Esser:

- Next meeting we'll talk about golf, need to try and match the amount we got for sponsors last year
- The bank is working through acquiring credit cards through our accounts so we can use them for Breakfast/ Fish Fry expenses
- PNC only have one uncleared check, would like to close them out prior to them leaving (April 1st)

Knight of the Month: Bill Peltier for all he's been doing for the fish fry's and breakfasts

Family of the Month: Scott and Amy Berry for their leadership and work at the fish fry's and breakfasts

Closing Prayer: Mike Aulette Meeting Closed: 6:45 pm