

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Mary's Parish Pinckney, Michigan

Council # 11761

General Business Meeting: Mat 13th, 2026

OFFICERS

E	Chaplain	Fr. Tyler Arens
—	Grand Knight	Andy Weisel
E	Deputy Grd Knight	Dan Cooke
—	Chancellor	Dave Esser
—	Recorder	Paul Cassar
—	Financial Secretary	John Kukalis
—	Treasurer	Scott Berry
—	Lecturer	Pat Hohl
—	Advocate	Eric Shanes
—	Warden	Todd Darling
E	Inside Guard	Tony O'Branovic
—	Outside Guard	Hank Kiel
—	Trustee (3 yr)	Jim Bonifer
—	Trustee (2 yr)	John Korneder
—	Trustee (1 yr)	Pat Hohl

DIRECTORS

Program	Dave Esser
Faith	Dcn. Randy Coffelt
Vocations	Dcn. Dan Hall
Community	Tim Rolling
Life	Rick Kolnitys
Health	Dale Pepper
Public Relations	Dan Cooke
Family	Todd Darling
Membership	TBD
Retention	Dave Esser
4 th Degree Liaison	Dave Iwanski
Faith Formation	Jim Bonifer
Pastoral Council Rep	Phil Meilak
Youth	Dan Cooke
Field Agent	Patrick Arndt
District Deputy	Steve Schafer

E = Excused X = Absent

Pending Membership Approval

Meeting Opened: 7:30 pm

Opening Prayer offered by: Andy Weisel

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as amended (UNA)

Treasurer Report: Br. Scott Berry

General	Fish Fry & Breakfast	Money Market	Total
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4/30/2026 Bank Balances

Uncleared Items (8)

Ledger balance

- Kans for Kids included above

New Deposits

Laser Tag

Kans for Kids

Dues

Golf Sponsorship

Bills Paid Tonight

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Report of Pending Vouchers

Voucher Date	Member/Payee / Address Account: Sub Account	Event	Description	Amount
05-13-2026	Building Bridges of Hope Donations		BBOH Quarterly Donation	
05-13-2026	Jonna's Market 1455 N. Michigan Avenue / Suite 100 / Howell, MI 48843 Church Activities: Other Church Activities: Other		Credit Card for Youth Group Food Credit Card for Youth Group Food and Bev	
05-13-2026	Kroger 9700 Chilson Commons / Pinckney, MI 48169 Church Activities: Other	Daddy Daughter dance	Credit Card Concession Supplies	
05-13-2026	Ronald R Abbott 3718 Noble Dr / Dexter, MI 48130-9204 Church Activities: COR	COR	COR Supplies	
05-13-2026	Andrew K Weisel 903 E Hamburg St / Pinckney, MI 48169-9048 Council Expenses: State Convention		Attenance Stipend	

Total Pending Vouchers:

Grand Knight: Andy Weisel

- Breakfast June 7 – will send out the Signup Genius soon
- Daddy Daughter Dance is on May 15; had 52 at Mother Son Laser Tag, all had good fun
- Elections tonight and June 10
- Officer Training June 6
 - o St Patrick Church, McCann Hall; Council #7304 Hosting
 - o 711 Ricket Road, Brighton, MI 48116
 - o Registration 9:00 AM; Training starts at 9:30 AM
- State Convention – Andy Weisel and Fr Tyler attending
- July 25: Spaghetti Dinner BBOH Fundraiser
- June 13th Kitchen cleanup

Chaplain: Fr. Tyler

- Thank you for all of your service over the past couple of months! Thank you for the good deeds that you do – both seen and unseen.
- May is dedicated to Mary, and today is the celebration of Our Lady of Fatima. As a parishioner of St. Mary's, I encourage you to be a Knight of our Lady and to take up spiritual arms, especially through the Rosary. Place yourself under her protection.

Financial Secretary: John Kukaslis

Pat Hohl:

- Recently returned from a trip to Europe and visited Fatima, Lourdes (among other places). Highly encourage it if you want to be moved. 5k+ people praying a rosary at Fatima every weeknight.

Dave Esser:

- It's encouraging that the Catholic faith is exploding in North Carolina
- We only have about a 1/3 of the sponsorships that we normally get – please talk to those you do business with to ask if they'd like to sponsor a hole

- Only have 10 teams so far and will need 30 – please let me know if you'd like to golf

District Deputy: Steve Schafer

- Congratulations on achieving Star Council! For the 5th year in a row!
- June 11th, US Bishops are concentrating the entire nation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
 - o KofC website has tons of information
 - o June 3rd Novena will begin and end on the 11th (registration on the KofC website is super easy)
 - <https://www.kofc.org/get-involved/celebrating-america-250-anniversary/?aliid=eyJpIjoiblo4MGIVNHVxWnR4bkszRilsInQiOiJHeExNcnRnNVh1MWJtMGx0OXJXMkdnPT0ifQ%253D%253D>
- June 24th confirmed as the date for the installation of the officers prior to the Planning meeting
- 4th Degree tomorrow night meeting with a Mass of remembrance at St. John of Hartford at 6 pm
- Would like to find more interest for folks who would consider leadership roles in this council and in the 4th degree

Unfinished Business / New Business:

Officers Nominations –

Grand Knight	Nomination – Andrew Weisel – accepted (no other nominations)
Deputy Grd Knight	Nomination – Dan Cooke – accepted (no other nominations)
Chancellor	Nomination – Dave Esser – accepted (no other nominations)
Recorder	Nomination – Paul Cassar – accepted (no other nominations 😞)
Treasurer	Nomination – Scott Berry – accepted (no other nominations)
Advocate	Nomination – Eric Shanes – accepted (no other nominations)
Warden	Nomination – Todd Darling – accepted (no other nominations)
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Spaghetti Dinner for BBOH July 25th – will need around ~10 volunteers. Pat Hohl volunteered to take care of the dinner. Motion to pay for dinner up to \$█. (UNA)

Sick and Prayer: Fr. Tyler, Dcn Randy, Dcn Dan, Dcn Ryan, Bill Backlund, Darren Casey, Adam Carlile, Kathy Meyer, Marlene Beck, Kay Muller, Ruth Miller, Mary Rickelmann, Susan Gurte, Bob Tedrick, Mark Pogoreski, David Whiteman, Clint Adkins, Ian Alica, Amy Berry, Tony Esser, Marie Esser, John Esser, Jim Hoffman, Lisa Wickers, Chris Styers, Peggy Shanes, Reno Cassar, Special intention, Beth Bacon, Kelli Souheaver and family, Mary Weisel, Patrick Weisel, Leisa Waen, Rabin Powers

Pope Leo's monthly intention - That everyone might have food: Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoiding wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Repose of the Souls: Br. Tom Wilson, Sally Reifshnider, Randy Ault

Knight of the Month: Dcn. Ryan, for all that he's done for our Parish

Family of the Month: Dan and Annett Kageff, new members of the church who have been helping out a lot!

Closing Prayer: Andy Weisel

Meeting Closed: 8:20 pm

Respectfully submitted by Recorder Br. Paul X. Cassar