

# Knights of Columbus Council 13181 Business Meeting Monday, May 1, 2023

- Meeting began at 6:35 P.M. by Grand Knight Bob Michaud.
- Attending: 5 brother Knights.
- Prayed the Lord's Prayer, The Hail Mary, & The Glory Be.
- Recited The Pledge of Allegiance.
- A motion was made by brother [unclear] to accept last meeting minutes as presented (online), seconded by brother [unclear] and accepted by all present.
- Grand Knights Report: G.K. Bob Michaud reviewed the events at the KofC State Convention held April 21-23 in Bangor -
  - State Council of the Year - B'n'S'n - presented to our council.
  - Deputy Grand Knight Jim Vaigle attended Finance meeting
  - New State Warden is Gary Fonten (G.K. Michaud withdrew his nomination during extended nomination process).
- The Special Olympics will be held this year in Bangor, the weekend of June 9-11. All Knights are encouraged to attend and participate/volunteer.
- Retirement Planning Seminar to be held online on Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>; our council needs 3 more brothers to register.
- This month's Holy Rosary will be held together at 5:30 P.M. at Holy Family Church, in order for any brother Knights interested in attending above seminar, which will be held in Holy Family Church Hall (broadcast online).
- Nominations for next fraternal year elections to be held tonight, with elections taking place during June meeting.
- Nominations read off by G.K. Michaud: Grand Knight - Bob Michaud, Deputy Grand Knight - Jim Vaigle, Chancellor - Dave Verbe, Recorder - Rick Jensen, Treasurer - Brian Labrecque, Warden - Don Champagne, Inside Guard - James Ingalls, Outside Guard - Joe Cockery, Trustee 1<sup>st</sup> Year - Mike Boldue, Trustee 2<sup>nd</sup> Year - Ron Tollini, Trustee 3<sup>rd</sup> Year - Nick Michaud
- ASAP (Additional Services After Program) Presentation - G.K. Bob Michaud donated approx \$250 on behalf of our council towards goal of \$15,000.

- Financial Secretary Report: 2 bills need payment - \$63 for stamps; \$90 for our council's portion of Men's Retreat (held in February), owed to Council 106. Motion made by D&K Jim Daigle to pay, seconded by brother Joe Conkery, agreed to by all.

- Pro-Life Program Report - see attached.

- All other Program Reports - none given.

- Old Business: Facilities Subcommittee (of Leadership Committee) Projects - In order of priority: altar railing, flag pole, baptismal area wall; seeking ideas and designs for railing.

- Mother's Day Roses for Life to be held on Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. D&K Jim D. volunteered to help.

- Coffee and Donuts will be served on the 4<sup>th</sup> (and last) Sunday in May, 5/28 in the Church Hall

- Bean Supper on May 6<sup>th</sup>, this Saturday will include Boy Scouts volunteering. Needs include beets, onions, casseroles, and desserts.

- New Business - Scholarship application from Nicholas Michaud was accepted; vote was unanimous to award him \$500.

- Good of the Order: Sick/In Distress - G.K. Bob M.'s wife, Stephanie, is awaiting surgery in good spirits, at home; Financial Secretary Dan Bouffard's son, Alex, has been diagnosed with aplastic anemia; brothers Bob Ayotte, Bob Vershian, Keith Evans and wife, C.J. and Ron Tollini, all with health challenges.

- Closed meeting with the Canonization Prayer for Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney

- Meeting ended at 7:35 P.M.

Next meeting to be held on Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 P.M.