

Knights of Columbus Council 13181 Business Meeting Monday, Sept. 9, 2024

- Meeting began at 6:32 P.M. by Grand Knight Bob Michaud.
- Attending: 9 brother Knights.
- G.K. Bob M. led brothers in praying The Lord's Prayer, The Hail Mary, and The Glory Be, and in reciting The Pledge of Allegiance.
- A motion was made by Deputy Grand Knight Jim Daigle to accept last meeting's minutes as posted online, seconded by Chancellor Dave Devoe, and accepted by all present.
- Grand Knight's Report: The council "had a very busy August;" The local newspaper missed advertising the Chicken BBR notice, next year, we should start ticket pre-sales in July; we need to cut down on stamp usage.
- Financial Secretary's Report: 2 bills - flowers for Dan B's dad for \$84.80, stamps - \$72.00. Motion to pay bills made by D.G.K. Jim D, seconded by Warden Don Champagne, & accepted by all; Motion to accept report made by Recorder Rick Jensen, seconded by D&K Jim D, and accepted by all.
- Treasurer's Report: Account balances as of 8/31/24 - Checking Account - \$16,601.09, Scholarship Account - 2,126.29. A motion made by brother Riek J. to accept report, seconded by brother Dan B, and accepted by all.
- Life Program Report: see attached.
- No other Program Reports
- Old Business: First one in October - plenty of plater, kidney beans, pea beans & molasses, need salt pork, brown sugar, cole-slaw mix (4½ lbs) & macaroni (2 lbs). Have 6 pies & chicken (in

- Old Business (cont.): (cont.) freezer, enough cups & propane; to be held at Maxwell-Gill Hall; volunteers needed for prepping beans and making coleslaw (Brian L & Dave D.) on Friday evening and Saturday morning/afternoon
- Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 12 @ 10 A.M. at parking lot outside Werumbo Mill, followed by Potluck gathering at Holy Trinity Church Hall in Lisbon Falls; Maine Needs Fatima (Dan & Ellen R.) will bring their pilgrim statue of Our Lady (Blessed Mother).
- New Business: State Soccer Challenge to be held on Piggery Road in Augusta on Sunday, October 6 from Noon to 5 P.M. Begins with a picnic, then games for little kids, followed at 2-4 pm with the challenge & soccer game for older kids. Food will be provided by Gardiner & Augusta Councils, with volunteers need to serve food & shag balls; Winners to be posted on State Council website.
- Cash calendars for 2025 (Jan-Mar) available for \$10.00
- Coats for Kids Program promoted by ME State Council: GK Bob M. will ask for local need (Sabattus, Wales, Litchfield, Lisbon school kids, Loaves & Fishes, LACD) - perhaps purchased by council.
- Essay Contest (previously led by brother Bob Dumond) for middle & high school students with coloring contest for younger kids.
- Coffee & Donuts - Sunday, Sept. 22 in Church Hall.
- Tootsie Roll Fundraiser - October 18-20, Friday evening and Saturday at Main St. Market in Sabattus, with Sunday at Our Lady.
- New Chaplains for local councils: Holy Family - Fr. Divine, Basilica - Seminarian - Vinh

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- Good of the Order: Prayers for brother Dan B.'s son, Alex as he continues routine follow-ups every other month.
- Closing Prayer: Canonization Prayer of Blessed Father Michael J. McGinney, led by G.K. Bob M.
- Meeting ended at 7:36 P.M.
- Next meeting on Monday, ~~September~~ October 7th at 6:30 P.M.