



Knights of Columbus Council 1300
1009 Marion Ave
Big Rapids, MI 49307
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Key Points from April 2017 Business Meeting

General Business

A quorum was present – Grand Knight officiating.

Prior meeting minutes were read and approved with minor correction.

Checking: \$3,145.37

Savings: \$1,170.60

Financial Items

Pending Deposits

- \$150.00 Dues
- \$17.00 McGivney Chair / Take 5
- \$170.00 Pancake Breakfast

Pending Bills

- \$ 50.00 State Ad
- \$ 31.48 Chicken (O'Brien)
- \$55.98 Pancake Breakfast Supplies (Leach)
- \$16.02 Robotics PCB

Pending Contributions

- None

Committee Reports

Council

- Dues: 9 have not paid dues.
- Office Candidates:
 - o GK – Leach
 - o DGK – None
 - o Chancellor – Montross
 - o Treasurer – Lawrence
 - o Recorder – Wolak
 - o Warden – Beduhn
 - o Advocate – Manting
 - o Inside Guard – Renne
 - o Outside Guard – Taylor
 - o Trustee 3 year – Balanda
 - o Trustee 2 Year – OBrien
 - o Trustee 1 Year – Wekenman

- Pancake Breakfast
 - o Good comments on food served
 - o Only 25 attended at St. Mary's even though a school Mass
 - o In bulletin but not announced. Sign was up.
 - o Moved to St. Paul's as a free brunch – good crowd
- Co-ordination with Parish Partners
 - o Options reviewed – further debate needed
 - o Motion to table approved
- Knight of the Month: Gary Maike
- Family of the Month: None

Upcoming Events:

40 Cans for Lent - March 1 thru April 15
 (As of 4/12: **1069** lbs. or 107% of Goal)
 MR Drive (at Parishes) - April 22, 23
 Baby Bottle Campaign - Starts April 22
 Council Business Meeting - May 8, 7:00pm St. Paul's
 Annual Right to Life Rose Sale - May 13, 14
 Mother / Daughter Banquet - May 15
 Blood Drive - June 2, 12:00 - 5:45pm St. Mary's
 Pancake Breakfast - June 11
 Council Business Meeting - June 12, 7:00pm St. Paul's

Family

- Mother/Daughter Banquet is scheduled for May 15. (Contact: Tom O'Brien)
- Tickets being printed this week.
- Game activity planned

Church

- The next Corporate Communion will be held on June 18, 9:00am at St. Mary's. (Contact: Tom O'Brien)
- Motion approved to purchase 2 GALA tickets at \$120 (budgeted)

Community

- MR Drive: raised about \$2,200 so far.
- Tootsie rolls will be sold after all Masses on April 22, 23.
- Blood drive planned for June.

Life

- Roses will be old at Masses on Mother's Day Weekend (Contact: Gary Montross)

Youth

- Essay contest being planned through school.

Membership

- One RC IA candidate has expressed interest.

Northland Building Association

- No report.

Website

- No report.

Budget Status

- N/A

Volunteer Hours Status

- N/A

District Deputy

No report

Please Pray for :

Kevin Courtney
John Shaltry's daughter, Marie,
Judy Manting,
Pete Balavitch
Elizabeth Lawrence
Jonah Balanda
Pricilla Renne

By the way...

The Knights of Columbus provides Catholic men, and their families, the opportunity to discover the importance of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism. Do you know of any Catholic man, 18 years or older, who wants to make a difference? Let us know: KofC1300.org or call Gary Montross at 231-250-3193.