



Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree – Fr. MacMillan Assembly #1828
Meeting Minutes – Sunday, April 24, 2022
IHM St. Edwards Hall

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Faithful Captain Joe Monahan.

Pilot's Report

All present are in possession of the current membership card.

Opening Ceremonies

Faithful Friar Fr. Pete Leonard led us in the invocation prayers:

The Lord's Prayer, Hail Mary, Glory Be, and Mary Queen of the Knights.

Faithful Captain Joe Monahan led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call of Faithful Officers

Faithful Scribe Mark Nienhuis called the roll of officers (X indicates present).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Faithful Navigator – Will Bohaby | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faithful Admiral – Tim Knorr | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Yr. Trustee – Ed Christian |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faithful Friar – Fr. Pete Leonard | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faithful Captain – Joe Monahan | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Yr. Trustee – Frank Skinner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faithful Comptroller – Joe Hughes | <input type="checkbox"/> Faithful Pilot – Matt Hinshaw | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 Yr. Trustee – Tim Knorr |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faithful Purser – Joe DiPaola | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inner Sentinel – R.V. Wakefield | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faithful Scribe – Mark Nienhuis | <input type="checkbox"/> Outer Sentinel – Russell Corley | |

Reading of the Minutes

Faithful Scribe Mark Nienhuis e-mailed the minutes from the March 27, 2022 meeting and requested corrections and additions. Two were received:

Under **Old Business – Color Guard** – Add clarifications:

With sales tax the total cost is \$480.44. The slacks are unfinished and will need to be hemmed.

Under **Closing** – Delete line:

~~Faithful Navigator Will Bohaby led us in the closing prayers:~~

Faithful Friar Fr. Pete Leonard led us in the closing prayers:

A motion was made to accept minutes as corrected, seconded, and approved.

Report of the Faithful Friar

Faithful Friar Fr. Pete Leonard reported. We're getting back to normal! Holy week went well and we had large crowds. We need a large number of volunteers for ministries. There will be a Stewardship Fair in the fall and asks the Knights for their consideration in volunteering.

Report of the Faithful Comptroller, Bills, & Communications

Faithful Scribe Mark Nienhuis reported for Faithful Comptroller Joe Hughes.

Regalia Reimbursement Program

We authorized 10 reimbursements, for Joe's part he shows disbursing six to the following members:

- Mark Nienhuis
- R V Wakefield
- Kelvin Hughes
- Joe DiPaola
- John Antignano
- John Sims

If there are others, they need to get their request in before the books close on this program!

Retention Report

We have 127 members on our roster. Currently 102 are in good standing from a dues standpoint. There are 25 members not paid, 16 of which have not paid for two years or more. Two of the 16 have come back to Joe with address unknown. Joe has researched as best he could, but could not locate them. The lost dues from these unpaid members represents \$1,310.00 to the assembly.

Cash Report

In summary for the period March 27, 2022 – April 24, 2022, receipts \$0.16 and disbursements of \$68.47, resulting in a deficit of \$68.31, resulting in a cash balance of \$8,875.90. Outstanding items that have not yet cleared are (\$450.00). Balance after all items clear is \$8,425.90.

Report of the Faithful Purser

Faithful Captain Joe Monahan confirmed the current balance of \$8,875.90.

Report of the Faithful Navigator

Faithful Captain Joe Monahan reported. Faithful Navigator Will Bohaby has resigned. We have two options: conduct an election at this time, or wait until the June election of officers. Nominations for new officers will be presented at the next (May) meeting. Joe is willing to serve through the June meeting. After discussion it was decided that we will wait for the June election and Joe will continue to serve. Joe will contact current officers to determine if they wish to continue in their role. At a minimum, there are openings for both Faithful Navigator and Faithful Captain. Please consider filling these positions. Contact Joe if interested.

Old Business

Assembly Shirts

Faithful Captain Joe Monahan indicated that many at the District Biennial Meeting were wearing shirts with the 4th Degree Emblem and Assembly Information and asked whether there was interest for us to have an Assembly shirt. There was interest. Joe has investigated options. Brother Mike Ilderton can provide the shirts. New member Joe Dougherty was asked to come forward so all could see his previous Assembly's shirt which he was wearing. It was a black polo with embroidered 4th Degree emblem, Assembly name, and Assembly number on the left breast, and first name on the right breast. Discussion followed and it was decided that we'd prefer a Navy polo with similar embroidered features. Faithful Captain Joe Monahan will follow up with Brother Mike Ilderton to see if embroidered features are possible, and if so the price. If not, Joe Dougherty has a contact that provided their Assembly shirts.

New Business

Confirmation

Confirmations are approaching:

- Our Lady of the Highways Catholic Church in Thomasville is on Friday, April 29th at 6:00 PM
- Christ The King Church in High Point is on Monday, May 2nd at 6:00 PM
- Immaculate Heat of Mary Catholic Church in High Point is on Thursday, June 2nd at 6:00 PM

Both Our Lady of the Highways and Immaculate Heat of Mary have requested that the Assembly provide an Honor Guard wearing the new uniform. Since all in our Honor Guard do not have swords, no swords will be used. Those participating are asked to arrive no later than 5:30 PM for briefing/rehearsal. IHM will have a rehearsal after the 6:30 PM Mass on Wednesday, June 1st and asks that the Honor Guard Captain be present.

Thank-You

Inner Sentinel R.V. Wakefield visited Carol Close and was asked to thank the Knights for helping build her fence. He also indicated that Chuck had many tools, sport jackets, and ties. The Knights are welcome to come and get any of these that they want.

Council Reports

Asheboro

No report.

Christ the King

No report.

High Point

Grand Knight Alex Papp reported. His report was for those in Council 4507. He needs signatures form Joe Monahan and Tim Knorr so Financial Secretary Mike Ilderton can continue in his role.

Lexington

No report.

Thomasville

Grand Knight John Sims reported. Nothing additional than the confirmation which was already mentioned.

Introductions

New member Joe Dougherty was present and introduced himself. Joe transferred from Assembly 2417 in Denver, NC. Joe is originally from Philadelphia, PA before moving to North Carolina. He's been a 4th Degree Knight since 1995 and is a past Grand Knight and past Faithful Navigator. Welcome Joe!

Members Who Are Sick or In Distress

Prayers are requested for:

Fr. Jim Turner who has ALS.

Leo Gottschalk who is on dialysis.

Matt Henshaw who is recovering from knee surgery.

Tony Papantonio's family, whose daughter Tina Marie passed away.

Bill Tagliaferri.

Bob Korabek who is recovering from hernia surgery.

Closing

Faithful Friar Fr. Pete Leonard led us in the closing prayers:

The Lord's Prayer, Hail Mary, Glory Be, and Mary Queen of the Knights.

Faithful Captain Joe Monahan duly closed the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Next Meeting

Sunday, May 22, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. in IHM St. Edwards Hall