



November 2023

Knights of Columbus Newsletter

Council 9096 Apple Valley, MN

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Upcoming Events

11/06 9am Food on the 1st Dlv at RS to 360
11/11 & 12 KofC Special Olympics Event
11/11 & 12 Cinnamon Roll Sales at RS
11/19 KofC Pancake Breakfast
11/21 FBE 630pm Watch Party
11/21 Council Meeting after FBE
12/17 Pcake Breakfast w Santa 930am-1230pm
12/19 KofC Rosary 7pm
12/19 Council Meeting
12/31 5th Sunday/Family Rosary after 9am Mass

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Grand Knight Report

From the Grand Knight: Dan Hindes

Déjà vu! Wow! Back in January and February I was “out of service” from back surgery. Here I am again recovering from a 2nd surgery. This one seems to be doing better and maybe even a little faster. My goal is to be at our November 21 meeting. Thanks to all for your prayers (I still pray for a successful recovery), and for the get-well cards! As I think about it now, the card with the prairie gopher saying “be healed” on the outer cover and then “There, feel better? Can I get an “Amen” on the inside makes me chuckle. I am especially grateful to Fr. Malek for administering the Sacrament of the Sick just a few days before surgery.

November. The month when we remember and especially pray to the saints, known and unknown; we remember and pray for our dead, and give thanks to God for His blessings upon us. We wrap up the month with the beginning of Advent and the beginning of the Christmas season. Take some time to quietly dwell and pray. A most perfect opportunity is before Jesus Himself, in the Holy Eucharist, at weekly Friday personal Adoration, 930am – 7pm at Risen Savior.

The schedule for this month’s rosary and meeting is a little different. KC Insurance will be having a Fraternal Benefits Event (FBE) on the same night as our meeting. As in the past I intend to have a “watch party” in conjunction with our meeting. This will cause us to cancel the rosary for this month. We will then watch the FBE presentation at 630pm as a group, then followed by our meeting. Please do come for the FBE. We need at least 12 brother knights, or potential knights to be in attendance to meet our mandated insurance goals (Founders Award) for 2023/2024.

Also, this past Saturday, 11/4, Vern Yetzer celebrated his 90th birthday. Vern is a founding and charter member of our Risen Savior council and the original Grand Knight, having served for the first four years. He remained active for many years in other roles, and is a 4th degree member.

Vivat Jesus!

Dan Hindes,

Grand Knight Council 9096

KC Apple Valley/Risen Savior Council 9096

Meeting Agenda

October 17, 2023

1. Call to Order by DGK Tim Blodgett -- Meeting began at 7:28
2. Opening Prayer led by DGK or chaplain.
Prayer was led by DGK
3. Pledge of Allegiance led by DGK
4. Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes (motion required)
Minutes approved unanimously
5. Chaplain's Message --
Father Malek encourages KofC to mention that the generosity of donors supports the charities the KofC sponsors. Mention the charities supported by name and logo. Trust that people will be willing to support the charity. Do not change prices that have already been advertised. Freewill offerings can also generate significant funds. Charity work shows the world the core tenets of the faith.
6. Introduce Guest(s)
7. Grand Knight's Report
8. Treasurer's Report (NO motion required)
 - a. Update account balances (RECORDER, DO NOT RECORD \$\$ AMOUNTS)
 - b. Current FIFO balance is positive and expected to remain so
9. Financial Secretary's Report -- Secretary not present
 - a. Membership Status
 - b. Unpaid Dues Status
 - c. Affiliate Member Status
 - d. Bills not previously approved (unbudgeted) for approval. Pending budget approval (motion required)
 - e. Correspondence received:
 - f. Reports due this/next month (none)
10. Membership Report (Tim Blodgett)
No new members or prospects present or mentioned
11. Program Reports/Status towards Faith In Action Columbian Award Requirements
 - a. Life/Faith Terry McCall
11th November -- next cinnamon rolls
Cinnamon Roll sales were a success
Pregnancy choices need a new ultrasound machine
Supreme Council will match \$15,000 once local councils raise it
Motion accepted to include additional request for donations with dues
Additional Cinnamon Roll sale in April proposed, tabled until next meeting
 - b. Faith Jerry Kuennen
21 Volunteers went to the FMSC packing session
Family Rosary on 29th of October at 10 am
October 30th MCCL annual meeting -- Update in the area of life 7pm at All Saints in Lakeville
 - c. Community Bill Rabe
200 packets of bingo cards are ready to sell
Turkeys, Hams, and Popcorn has already been ordered
Bingo Ticket prices to remain the same. Bill will adjust the food prices to make up for increased cost.
 - d. Family/Council BJ Bertram
RS family picnic was a success
12. Other Reports
 - a. Event Chairs
Steve reports that volunteers are still needed for the pancake breakfast
 - b. Fourth Degree
Honor guard members still needed at All Saints
Huddle at La Quinta in Bloomington week from tomorrow night, 10/25 at 6:30 pm
 - c. Insurance
No Update
 - d. District Deputy
Attendance at the council is far above the local average
 - e. Other/Miscellaneous
13. Old Business
Steve Lorenz has taken over the raffle. He already has a committee. He will push to advertise better
14. New Business
 - a. Joint effort with Watchmen KC's encouraged to attend next meeting 630pm 10/23
Monday night. All Knights are encouraged to attend.
 - b. Reminder of upcoming exposition of the Holy Eucharist every Friday
After 9am Mass from 9:30 am to 4 or 5 pm. Great opportunity to pray for peace.
15. Good of the Order (deferred)
 - a. Awards (family/knight of the month/year, etc.) suggestions to GK

Council to buy Dan Hindes a jacket in gratitude for all his work for the Council

- b. Knight of the Month pending defer
- 16. Grand Knight's Summary (results of membership drive – observation)
- 17. Prayer Requests and Closing Prayer (RECORDER do not name)
- 18. Motion for Adjournment @ xxpm
- 19. Next Meeting: **11/21** 7pm Rosary; 730pm meeting
- 20. Social/Refreshments

Respectfully submitted by Cameron Hoppe, Recorder

Monthly Meeting Refreshment Schedule

Monthly Meeting is conducted in the Risen Savior Church
Bays 1 and 2 on the Third Tuesday of each Month at 7:30 PM

Effective Date: July 1, 2023

KC Meeting Date	Name	Telephone Number
November 21, 2023 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Bill Kelly	612-419-9269
December 19, 2023 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Jeff Konkol	414-477-0478
January 16, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Steve Lorenz	612-501-4211
February 20, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Bill Rabe	612-940-2792
March 19, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Koffi Koumedjro	612-245-4932
April 16, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Andy Howard	952-917-9959
May 21, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Roy Tangeman	319-360-2756
June 18, 2024 Tuesday 7:30 PM	Jerry Kuennen	952-236-7523

Your Refreshment Guidelines:

- \$60 Monthly Refreshment Budget (Please bring receipts to KC Meeting for reimbursement).
- Use your own cooler.
- Bring 20 to 24 Beers, 12 Pop, and 4 Water.
- Bring snacks to share such as peanuts, chocolate, crackers, cheese, etc.
- The refreshments and snacks that are not consumed are yours to take home
- Our KC Newsletter will list the person responsible for the monthly refreshments.
- If you cannot fulfill your monthly assignment, please contact another Knight on the schedule.

October Food on the First Results

On October 10, 2023 (Tuesday), our Apple Valley Knights of Columbus Council delivered 830 pounds of food from Risen Savior to the Burnsville 360 Communities Food Shelf. Since July 1, 2023, 3,330 pounds of food have been delivered (about half the weight of an elephant).

KofC 2023 Special Olympics Volunteer Event



2023 Fall Classic Special Olympics Bowling Chairman Dan Irvin danirvin13@yahoo.com Brother Knights, below are the dates for the Fall Classic this November. The dates will be saved for KNIGHTS ONLY through Sunday September 24th. Please register prior to that date. If your council can take over a whole shift that would be awesome! Either try to coordinate through the website or contact me and I'll take care of it. Vivat Jesus! **First Weekend**

Bowlero, Brooklyn Park: Nov. 10, 11, & 12 (3 days)
Bowlero, Blaine: Nov. 11 & 12 (2 days) AMF Southtown Lanes,

Bloomington: Nov. 11 & 12 (2 days) Garden Center Lanes, Alexandria: Nov. 11 & 12 (2 days) Wow!Zone, Mankato: Nov. 11 & 12 (2 days) **Second Weekend** Treasure Island: Nov. 18 & 19 (2 days) Southtown Lanes, Thief River Falls: Nov. 17 & 18 (2 days) Incline Station Bowling Center, Duluth: Nov. 18 & 19 (2 days) Website: State Competitions - Special Olympics Minnesota

November 11th and 12th Cinnamon Roll Sales



Cinnamon Rolls will be for sale at Risen Savior on November 11th and 12th following 5pm, 9am, and 11am Mass. Proceeds will be going to Pregnancy Choices and supporting other Life programs. Please reach out to Terry McCall to volunteer mccallterry@yahoo.com

Sunday November 19th Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast



The Risen Savior Knights of Columbus are having a Pancake, Sausage and Fruit Breakfast on Sunday, November 19, from 9:30 AM to 12:30PM. Proceeds from this Pancake Breakfast will be used to fund various Charity Activities ranging from providing roses at baptisms to providing support for the terminally ill. Treat your family to a delicious breakfast in Risen Savior's Resurrection Hall. **If you would like to volunteer for a short work shift, please contact**

Steve Dahl at (612) 987-9521 or at jsdahl@comcast.net.

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