

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSEMBLY 0213

FOURTH DEGREE SWORD & SCABBARD

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR

Seek Jesus First



Sir Knights and Ladies of the Fourth Degree

A Privilege to Serve

On the HONOR GUARD

Faithful Captain Alan Meissner

1-309-485-0117 home

Or

Faithful Navigator Dennis M Fries

1-309-825-2589 cell

Pat Chalmers, Faithful Comptroller

1-309-679-7788 cell



Officers:

Faithful Friar-----Fr. Gregg Petri

Faithful Navigator-----Dennis M Fries

Faithful Admiral-----Dan A Pletsch

Faithful Capt. -----Alan L Meissner

Faithful Pilot ----- Paul J Larkin

Faithful Comptroller—Patrick J Chalmers

Faithful Scribe----- vacant, need someone

Faithful Purser----- vacant, need someone

Faithful Inner Sentinel—Dave J Kraft

Faithful Outer Sentinel-Terry L Cochran

1 year Trustee -----William (Bill)J Cunningham

2 year Trustee----- Robert L Wefer

3 year Trustee-----Michael J Tomlianovich

Our next Meeting will be Thursday, March 12th, at Council 574, Social starting at 6:00 P.M. dinner approx. 6:30 - 6:45P.M. Jan is cooking Chili and bringing a Salad, Please bring an Appetizer or a Dessert.

Please let Dennis or Jan know you are coming. 309-825-2589 or 829-2589 by March 9th, 2015

Please RSVP, Thank you, but come even if you forget to RSVP, your presence is important and needed.

ARE WE WILLING TO DO THE WORK OF FATHER J. MCGIVNEY
BECOME ACTIVE BY BEING PART OF THE HONOR GUARD
CONTACT CAPT ALAN MEISSNER , HIS NUMBER IS ABOVE

Upcoming Honor Guards

Confirmation, Holy Trinity April 14th, 2015 - 7 PM
Confirmation, St Mary's April 16th, time about 6:30 PM

Dues

DUES FOR 2015 were due January 31st and last years dues are **PAST due**. If you have paid, thank you for sending your dues payment. If not, **PLEASE CONSIDER THIS YOUR THIRD 2015 DUES NOTICE**. If you have yet to pay your dues, send to Pat Chalmers, Faithful Comptroller, at 2 Goose Creek Dr. Apt 1118, Bloomington, IL 61701-8346. PLEASE SAVE us the cost of mailing you a bill. Look at your last membership card: if it is for 2014 you will owe only \$20 for this year's dues. If it is older than 2014, add \$20 dollars for each year or contact Pat Chalmers for the amount you owe. 309- 679-7788. **Thank you** THERE are **NO LADIES DUES anymore** as the 4th degree Ladies Auxiliary is no longer existing.



Please let Navigator Dennis and Captain Alan of any new or changed email addresses or phone numbers. Or of anyone that should go on our prayer list. Thank you!

Business meeting –2/12/15; Mike reported that Chalice Presentation for Jack Wilz will be at St Mary's the 22nd. Bill Costigan, Allan Haas and Richard Wilkinson all to be determined.

F.N Report: Introduced Jeff Lopez, who is the GK at St Pat's of Merna attending tonight, maybe his first mtg, and new member, Dr. John Foehr. We also had Joe Klingler join our Assembly not able to be here tonight.

Bills & Communication: A Bill from the Master for \$53 for our two candidates at the Exemplificatioun. A motion to approve and a 2nd, motion to pay the bill was appr'v'd. Charlie Morton agreed to be our Purser, there was a motion , a 2nd and it ;passed.

Old Business: We talked again about delinquent members and what to do about them. Decided that for 17 members that we should try to get a few members willing to make phone calls and try to talk the 17 in to staying a member and catching up on their dues. Any volunteers? We also talked about the dues and Chalice expenses and after some discussion there was a motion and a 2nd to rasiie the dues by \$5 and dedicate the addt'l \$5 and the existing \$2 all to the Chalice Fund, this to start with 2016 dues.. We also talked some more about investing in the market now that Supreme allows this. There was a motion and a 2nd to do this. There was a motion to develop a set of guidelines for doing this and try to have something by the next meeting. Both motions passed,



New Business: We need to have a Nominating Committee in place by or at the next meeting, elections for new officers should take place at the May meeting, so the new slate should be presented by the April meeting, published in the May newsletter and voted on at the May meeting.

Honor guards:

Please respond to Captain Alan's requests for honor guards. Please let Alan know if you have an interest, we do have some regalia we will loan.

Suggestion: Remember Assembly 213 in your will!



Councils activities:

574(Bloomington):

A perpetual drive for supplies to be donated to the St Vincent de Paul food pantry continues.

Blood drive – March 9th, 2015, 2:00-6:00 P M **Note start time**

St Patrick's Day Celebration March 17th, serving 11 AM till 7 PM

Tuesdays – Chicken dinner; Wednesdays – Tinkers meals;, these are \$7 and \$3; Saturdays – Burgers and Hot Dogs and Fish Fry's each Friday of Lent, \$8 and \$4 children under12.

4007(Minonk): no one got back to me by press time

6498(Epiphany): First Degree on March 3rd at 7 PM in the Parish Hall

St Patrick's Day celebration Saturday March 14th. 5 – 7 PM

10938(El Paso; Knights are conducting "40 Cans for Lent" food collection for the local food pantry.

10967(Downs): no one got back to me by press time

15175(St Patrick's Merna): 1st Tuesdays, Knights pray the Rosary, all welcome, 6:30 PM, Business meeting at 7 P M

Please remember to let your FN Dennis know of things you would like in this newsletter.

Thank you, Dennis

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