

# The Sentinel

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February Grand Knights Message

Greetings and blessings to all of you, your loved ones, family, and friends! I think it's important to repeat my message from last month that when you are in our clubhouse to look around and take in all those pictures and the many awards and recognitions on the walls, the clubhouse, and grounds built with the sweat and labor of our past and present fraternal brothers thru all the years of its existence. This is a special place, and you can feel the presence and fraternal love of those who made us what we are, All Saints Council 4240. Being a Knight is a calling, honor, and blessing, not a burden or job!

As we closed out the past calendar year, I put together then submitted our 2021 History book to our Worthy District Deputy. As I went thru the process, I reviewed several history books from past years and recognized the importance of recording our history of service as Knights by recording us brothers living and practicing our principles of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. We have lost many good men and brother knights over the years who passed on to eternal life and looking at the pictures of many of them in those history books brings their lives as knights and good men closer to us their fraternal brothers of the present especially when you see pictures of those you personally knew. The history books are kept upstairs, and I invite you to look at them. When you're at an KC event this year take a picture and share them with Tyler and myself so we can put it in the Sentinel, and I can also add them into the next history book. Easy way for you to get involved. Those memories of our past are precious, and you can help us create new ones by getting engaged with our many council events and programs.

I again remind you of the importance that we honor our principles as Knights by setting an example to others by living our Catholic faith and that means to do your best with volunteering with your council Brothers at our fund raising and faith events as Knights of Columbus. Wear your KC gear proudly while out in the community and at church so others see you're a proud council 4240 Knight. Ask other good Catholic men you know to join us. That's how I found out when I first joined. Our council does a lot of good for those in need and community thru our charity fund by serving others and we can't do that without your support so please help us as you can.

On February 13 we have our 13<sup>th</sup> annual PGK Drew Dederich memorial WI Special Olympics Super Bowl fund Raising event and your program planning committee under the leadership of Dave Glisczinski has a great day planned even though our Packers are not playing. Stop by, participate, or volunteer and have fun and help raise money in honor and memory of our beloved PGK Drew who is the father of this great program. Hope to see you there!

God bless you brothers

Fraternally

Don McInnes

#### January Knight of the Month – Donald Ouchie

Don has been a 3<sup>rd</sup> degree Knight and fraternal brother of our council for the last two years. As a new member he is being recognized for his volunteerism helping us set up and take down clubhouse decorations and his presence as a volunteer doing what he can to support our fraternal orders principles of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. He was nominated by some of our older brothers for his volunteerism, and I appreciate them letting me know of Don's involvement. I believe it is very important that we recognize our new brothers and Don's volunteerism and support of this council at our programs and events, and his efforts are greatly appreciated.

God bless you and thank you brother!

#### January Family of the Month – SK Robert "Bob" and Marlene Munnagle

Sir Knight Bob has been a Knight since September 1, 1994, and with over 27 years of fraternal service as a Knight for our council. Bob and his family over many years have been a fixture at council events and is another shining example of living their faith and our KC principles of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Bob and his wife Marlene have been members of Saint Anthony parish for many years and have served the parish over many years in numerous volunteer positions such as ushering and counting collections at masses. You will see Bob at the \*AM Sunday mass. Their daughters both attended grade school there and have stood with their dad at many Tootsies Roll fund raising collections at masses there and other locations in Menomonee Falls in which he was the parish Captain. Being a member of Saint Anthony I can vouch that Bob and his daughters and grandkids if available are always there at our Tootsie Roll and Life Savers for Life programs. Bob is always there and currently serves on the corporation. He always shows up to help at the Fish Boils and was the bar manager for many years before Mike Vosen took over for him several years ago. Bob and Marlene attend as many council events as possible, and they have always represented our faith and our fraternal order with honor, dignity, passion, and humility. They are true mentors to all of us how to live our lives by our Catholic faith and are shining examples of a solid and caring family. We are so blessed to have these good giving people in our lives. Next time you see them please thank them for making our council what it is simply because these giving people have done so much for not only our council and church but the Knights fraternal order in whole.

God bless you and thank you Bob and Marlene!

#### Donald "Donnie" R Moore 08/30/1942 - 01/24/2022

It is with great sadness and regret I am reporting that our Brother Knight Donald Moore has passed away at the age of 79. I was notified of his passing by Brother Bob Griffa who received a call from his wife. I did not know Don but both Bob and our PGK Tom Ulrich told me "Donnie" was a major volunteer who did a lot and was very active for this council as an all-around great brother Knight. Don was a KC for over 39 years with life membership. Hearing about Don from both Bob and Tom I absolutely know that he was a good man. We extend our deepest sympathies and our thoughts and prayers to his wife, family, loved ones and those brother knights from our council who knew and volunteered with him.

Eternal rest grant unto him oh Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him.

God bless you Brother!

# PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS.....

Lori Cherweznik, Debra Orth, Stacy Barrett, Karen Weber, Kay Mackowski, Roseann Kowske, Father Rick Wendell, Brother Rob Keller, Brother Robert Howe, Brother Jim Endres, Brother Joe Roskopf, Brother Dennis Farrell, Brother Jim Stuer, Brother Vic Johnson, Brother James Carey, Brother Jim Scherdin and Brother Mark Wagner. If you know of a brother in need of our prayers, please let us know.

# **Clubhouse Information**

#### **Clubhouse hours**

Clubhouse opens to the public at 3pm on every Tuesday and Friday. It's a great place for family, friends, and coworkers to socialize!

#### Membership Information

Contact **Mike Elmer at 262-893-5403** or **John Schleicher at 262-893-7306** for membership forms or information. Mike is also available to speak to any potential members about joining, if you'd like his partnership.

#### Change is good!

....but not if we lose touch! If you move or get a new phone number, or email address, please contact John Schleicher, our Financial Secretary, at **262-893-7306**, or by e-mail at jmsbas@wi.rr.com

#### Our KofC Co 4240 website

Be sure to visit our redesigned website! Let us know how you like it and if there is anything else you'd like to see on it. <u>www.kofc4240.org</u>

#### **Mailing** Address

Brother Knights: Please use **P.O. Box 151** when sending correspondence to the Council. Mail is **NOT** delivered to the Water Street address

#### ----- Submitting Sentinel Articles

Interested in submitting an article for the Sentinel? It's easy! Just contact Tyler Schleicher through email address Schleichert12@gmail.com

## **Corporation report**

Treasurer- \$1000 donation to corporations.

Checking account is up almost double. Total is \$45,863.49.

9 parties this month.

NOI last month was \$5,147.83.

Page 1 shows a net ordinary income profit of \$3,977.83 There were no unexpected expenses for the month. A \$1,000 donation was received by the corporation and along with \$150 cash back from our credit card brought our Net Income to \$5,147.83 Page 2 shows our net ordinary income was up about \$6,080 from last December. Net ordinary income for the fiscal year is up about \$7,010. Page 4 is our current balance sheet showing our checking account balance at \$45,863.49. Page 5 is the current budget report. Pages 6 and 7 show the checking account transactions for the month.

Bar Manager- Bar sales have been through the roof! Making tons of money wit a lot of parties scheduled.

Will get the bar sign installed soon.

Need to replace tarp signs. Will try to get insurance to pay for the damage.

Building Grounds- replaced TV.

Grand Knight- John sent out survey and dues.

Might consider paying corporation members. We will hold off on this decision, voted on board members.

# Menomonee Falls All Saints Council 4240 Officers

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# Help Wanted!

Events & Program Advertiser – We are looking for someone who will take charge of advertising our councils and corporations events. Duties would include creating/ updating (current) event fliers, sending fliers to our local parishes, and web page handler, creating events/posts promoting events using Facebook, coordinating placing of fliers at local businesses, and utilizing other forms of advertisement for our council. If you are interested in learning more about this position, please contact Mike Elmer @ crazy\_e98@hotmail.com or 262-893-5403.

# Charity Report January 2022 None

| 1 Dyanne Fox             | 11 Michelle Salomone | 22 James Barbera          |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 2 Thomas Bakke           | 13 John Mackowski    | 22 Jim Pritzlaff          |
| 4 Jim Waters             | 14 Rudy Bahlert      | 22 Warren Williams        |
| 6 Jim and Marianne Elmer | 14 John Schleicher   | 23 Rev Norberto Sandoval  |
| 6 Harry Goetz            | 21 Terri Sommers     | 24 Bill and Terri Sommers |
| 6 Carol Kohl             | 21 Bob Kaiser        | 25 Richard Wettstein      |
| 6 Janice Krawczyk        |                      | 28 Tom Vrabel             |





If your birthday or anniversary are not listed, please let me know so I can update the list. Thanks, Tyler Schleicher Schleichert12@gmail.com





You're Invited to a Virtual Zoom Fraternal Benefit Night All Councils are encouraged to have a "Watch Party". February 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm

We are Excited to have Special Guest Supreme Regional Training Director Jon Olson with us to discuss:

- 1) Benefits of the Knights of Columbus.
- 2) Why these benefits are a reason for joining the Knights of Columbus.
- 3) Along with other ideas for 2022.

Please Register by going to Live Events at our website (kofcwi.org) or QR Code







# Saint of the Month

# St.Joan of Valois-February 4th

Joan Valois was born on April 23rd, 1464 to King Louis XI of France. She was raised along with her sister by the devout Linieres family which gave them a good education. In 1471, Louis ordered the reciting of the Hail Mary throughout the country, Joan developed a fondness for the prayer and received a vision of the holy Virgin to found a religious order. In 1476, she was married to her cousin, Louis of Orleans but was treated very poorly by him. In 1498, Louis ascended to the French throne and attempted to have his marriage annulled due to her being a hunchback and wanting to marry the wealthy Duchess of Brittany. Joan fought bitterly against the annulment and faced vicious rumors of witchcraft, but in vain. After her annulment she set out in 1500 to form a new order of nuns, the order of the Annunciation of The Blessed Virgin Mary. In 1504, the order was officially established and became noted as a strict

abbotess. She died in 1505, but when her grave was desecrated in 1562 by angry Protestants, it was found to be incorrupt, before it was burnt. She was beatified in 1742 and Canonized in 1950. Info gotten from Catholic online

# Book of the Month: <u>Light from Darkness</u> By Steve Weidenkopf

Do you feel helpless in the current crisis in the Church, and want to give up? Don't worry you're in good company as Steve Weidenkopf in his book explains crosses have always been through crises. In this book Weidenkopf goes over nine different times the church was involved in a crisis, whether internal persecution or internal corruption and how, due to the commitment of faithful Catholics, the church became stronger than before. Very relevant in this day and age and very easy to read at 250 pages. My only wish was that he talked about more crises.

Important Dates: Feb 9 Corp meet 6PM Officers meet 6:30PM Feb 13 Drew Dederich Memorial Special Olympics Super Bowl Fundraiser Noon - End of Game Feb 16 Duck Derby Memorial Day weekend planning meeting 6PM Feb 23 Rosary 6:30PM Council meeting 7PM Feb 26/27 KC Bowling Tournament Sun Prairie Mar 9 Corp meeting 6PM Officers meeting 6:30PM Mar 23 Rosary 6:30PM Council meeting 7PM Mar 26 Men of Christ Knights of Columbus P.O. Box 151 Menomonee Falls, WI 53052-0151 Address Service Requested