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MEETING NOTICE

K of C Council # 10209 Meets

Where: St. Paul Church-room 5

When: Monday, February, 3rd

Time: 7:00 pm

Join the KofC10209 Google Group and get email notices of upcoming events! To sign up simply visit:

<https://groups.google.com/forum/?fromgroups#!forum/kofc10209>

Grand Knight Report

Brother Knights,

January is over (thankfully, given the sub-freezing temps and 2 ice storms) and now it is time to put all efforts into preparing for the golf tournament, which will be held on April 26. We will need sponsors, teams, prizes, signs, volunteers, food supplies, etc., so all members of Council 10209 need to step forward.

Today is Super Bowl Sunday and Bill Hoagland has again done a great job with the fundraiser. All 100 squares sold out very quickly and as of right now, Bill has collected \$950 of the \$1000 outstanding. This fundraiser raises \$500 for the Council and has nice payouts for each quarter of the game and for the final score. I hope several of you are very happy.

There are many changes going on at St Paul right now, with a new priest on the way in, one on the way out, and Mass times changing at the beginning of Lent. With so many changes on the horizon, we will be called on to assist in many different ways, and I would encourage everyone to be patient and supportive of all the parish folks who will request our aid.

December and January were good months for recruitment as we brought in 3 new members and 2 who achieved

their major degrees. Let's keep that momentum going and see if we can add 5 more before the end of the fraternal year.

We also have a date for a February fundraiser and need to discuss ideas and possible off-site locations for this, and we will do that at our business meeting.

Finally, continue to pray for the end to abortion, the death penalty and capital punishment, as well as the hungry, homeless, and poor..

See you Monday night!

Vivat Jesus!
Brian Tuohy
Grand Knight

Pray For

Please keep in your prayers: Family of Dean Matherson, Family of Larry Dean Turner, Marge Natoli, Louis Palacios, Nick Palacios, Margaret Jensen, Vicki's Mother Bonnie Law, Josephine, Mary Moore, Christine and Amir, Bill McGee, The family of Deacon Larry Terrell, Family of Jim Duffy, Jerry Spoon, Jeff Payne, Eddie Hecker

Funeral Arrangements for Herman Bunn

Our Brother Knight Herman Bunn was called to his eternal reward on January 27th. He was a long time and valuable member of our council and St. Paul and he will be missed. Services schedule below.

Rosary - Sunday February 2, 2014 at 6 pm

At Mission Funeral Home Serenity Chapel
6204 South First Street
Austin, Texas 78745
Phone: (512) 444-3355

Funeral - Monday February 3, 2014

10 AM Mass at St. Paul Catholic Church
After Mass – Burial at Onion Creek
Around noon – Gathering at Grace Hall

Clergy Appreciation Dinner

The Knights of Columbus of the Austin Diocese would like to invite you to our Clergy and Religious Appreciation Banquet. This event is will to be at:

St. Helen's Catholic Church in Georgetown

February 20, 2014

Social Hour 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Banquet.....6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

This Banquet is designed for the Knights and their wives

to express their appreciation to the Priest and Religious for all they do for the Church and Community. All Priests, Religious and Seminarians in the Diocese will be invited.

The Austin Chapter of the Knights of Columbus includes all the Councils in the Austin Area. For this Banquet we invite all the Austin Diocese Councils to join us.

The cost per seat will be \$25.00. If you have any questions please contact Steve Musil, Carlos Estringel or Albert Villegas.

Please RSVP to Carlos Estringel at e-mail: cestringel41@att.net

Yours in Christ,

Steve Musil
Diocesan Deputy, Austin Diocese

Fourth Degree News

Brother Knights

Assembly 1099 will be having an Exemplification on March 22 at Saint John Neumann here in Austin. This is a great opportunity for you to join us as it is in our own area and out of town travel will not be necessary. We will also be celebrating our 100 year plus anniversary which will make it an extra special event. You will need to complete a Form 4 and attend one of the informational meetings before the Exemplification.

Please contact one of the following Sir Knights to get more information:

Robert Fonseca (512) 447-5162

Albert Villegas (512) 799-7422

Henry Casas (512) 771-9537

Vivat Jesus!

Henry Casas PFN

Boy Scouts - Troop 403

Congratulations to Adam Slack and Max Olson for earning the rank of Eagle Scout on December 17 & 18 respectively!

Adam's project involved re-organizing the Bowie Band Room, constructing a desktop workplace and making the room usable again.

Max led the building of a Gagaball pit and 2 picnic tables for Widen Elementary School.

Adam is the Troop's 60th Eagle Scout, and Max is the 61st. Jobs well done!

-SK Chris Jistel

Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser

Fellow Knights,

We have had more fund raiser's so far this year than we have had in some time. This is good for our visibility among Parishioner's that appreciate our efforts and of course to fund our Charity activities, which are many. We have a great opportunity to bring in a lot of money with our Annual Golf Tournament which is slated for April 26th, at Lion's Municipal Golf Course.

For a successful tournament we need three things to happen;

A) We need teams, approximately 22-25 teams would be awesome. If you know of any golfers let them know.

B) Sponsors. We have many ways to help here. This will be available with our Tournament flyer due out shortly. Please read and see where you might be able to assist. If you don't feel comfortable asking a restaurant or a business you frequent, give the lead to me and I'll contact them for you. Thanks in advance.

C) Need some Knights to help us with many details of running a successful and smooth tournament. Please call or email me and I can find something for you to do. It would be greatly appreciated.

Lastly, With this Fund Raiser, fun is had by all. With that in mind, ask yourself what can I do to help in raising money for our Scholarships and many worthwhile Charities we want to support.

Thanks.

Bill Hoagland
Tournament Director
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Calendar Review

Monday, February 3, 2014 - Council 10209
General Meeting 7pm – Room 5

Sat-Sun Feb 15-16 – Council Fundraiser after all
Masses

Monday, February 17, 2014 – Council Officers and
Chairpersons meeting – 7pm St. Paul Kitchen

Thursday, February 20, 2014 – Clergy Appreciation
Night at St. Helen's.

Saturday, February 22, 2014 – Assist Men's Club –
8am behind Grace Hall

Sat-Sun, February 22-23, 2014 – KofC Table at

Ministry Fair at St. Paul– All Masses in Grace
Hall

Monday, March 3, 2014 - Council Meeting at 7pm

Newsletter Articles

The next Newsletter Articles are due by Monday,
February 24th. Submit your articles to Sean McGee at
sean@mcgeeclan.us or by calling 680-0367.