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Grand Knight's Message

Greetings from your Grand Knight Brian Lorenz.

We have been having successful events so far this year! May is going to be an active month for our council. Please get involved with the activities coming up in May. I am looking forward to see everyone at our next meeting on May 2nd. See if you can bring another member with you that has not attended a meeting recently so they can make our council more active and a continued success!

Vivat Jesus

Brian Lorenz, Grand Knight 320-250-7065

Council News

- 4 Students were present to requested financial assistance for attending Steubenville
- Signup sheets were available for the Tootsie Roll Handout in April, Crowning of Mary in May, Upcoming Ditch Cleaning, State Convention in May and Faith Formation Meal in May
- A preliminary letter was available to review that will be included in future bulletins
- Discussion on purchasing a new grill for use at future council events
- \$400 was given to St. John's Area School for their upcoming breakfast event
- Family Picnic scheduled for August 13th
- Kids Fishing Day scheduled for June 14th

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• Discussion on tent/tables/chairs options for Gilman Days

Past bulletins can be viewed on the Tri-Parish website: sesjpp.org/knights-of-columbus

Chairman Reports

Treasurer Report: Treasurer, Al Sobania reported council general fund balance is \$11,643.44.

Membership: Brother Doug Novak reported that there are still members that are left to pay their dues. Council members who have not paid their 2021 membership dues are encouraged to take care of them now.

Life Time members are welcome to make a free will donation to the council activity of their choice. If anyone is interested in paying their **membership dues** and save the council postage costs please send your \$30 to Doug Novak.

Mail your check payable to: Knights c/o Doug Novak, financial secretary 13944 105th Ave NE, Foley MN 56329.

Good of the Order: Cheryl Gadacz, Mark Mielke, John Staworski, Earnie Lewandowski

Upcoming Events

- Tootsie Roll Handout in April
- Crowning of Mary Mass in May
- Faith Formation Meal in May
- Ditch Cleaning in April/May
- State Convention May 19-21
- Kids Fishing Day on June 14th

Pot of Gold: Rob Rueckert Council jackpot: David Lieser



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Next Council Meeting

Tuesday May 2nd at 7:15PM Sts. Peter & Paul Church Basement All members are encouraged to attend and bring guests.



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