

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EMER-QUINN COUNCIL 3249

July 2021

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Meeting Date: Our July meeting will be held on **Wednesday, July 28, 2021** at Holy Family Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Old/New Business Items at the Meeting: Old Business: 1)Silver Rose 2)Family Picnic 3)Dave Cox Fire 4)Liability Insurance Update New Business: 1)DD meeting report 2)2021-22 Calendar 3)Sojourner House 4)Membership

Columbian Award: Congratulations! The council has earned the Columbian Award for the 2020-21 fraternal year. The council has met all the criteria's needed to earn this award. The council had to sponsor ten programs. Faith-RSVP program, Rosary program, Family-Family of Month Program, Consecration of the Holy Family program, Food for Family program, Community-Helping Hands program, Global Wheelchair program, Special Olympics program, Life-Novena for Life program, and the Ultrasound program. In a normal year we needed sixteen programs to earn the award. Members keep the momentum going for the next fraternal year.

KC Picnic: It was a great time to socialize with members, friends, and families. The food was excellent and plenty of it. We had a short meeting discussing changing our liability insurance, Silver Rose Program and Dave Cox barn fire. Following the meeting we had installation of the 2021-22 officers. It was done by District Deputy Tom Eder. He only installed eight of the officers because four were absent.

Membership: Our council needs to grow in membership with young men that are willing to serve their church and people around the world. Our leadership at this time is old and soon will not be able to carry out the duties of leadership in the Knight of Columbus. We need young men with new ideas to carry on the mission of the KC's. The State Council has given us a great opportunity with the largest incentive ever for councils to grow their membership. If we achieve the membership goal of 7 new members by September 30th, we will receive a waiver of 75% of the October 1st per capita assessment and 100% of the April per capita assessment. If we reach the goal by December 31st, we still get the 100% waiver of the April per capita assessment. So, we have a goal set for us and we need to develop a plan so this goal can be reached.

Notice of Members Illness: Please contact Russ Pogodzinski (715-667-3485) to report a member's illness or hospitalization. We ask this so we can send our Brother Knight a card conveying our best wishes and prayers.

Attendance Drawing: No drawing in June.

Family of the Month: Jeff & Darlene Bourget
Knight of the Month: John Pozdell

Grand Knight
Robert Irwin