

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EMER-QUINN COUNCIL 3249

November & December 2021

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Meeting Date: Our November/December meeting will be held on **Wednesday, December 1, 2021**, at Holy Family Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Old/New Business Items at the Meeting: Old Business: 1)Sojourner House 2)Thanksgiving meal report 3)Life Savers Report 4)Sentiments of Seminarians Report New Business: 1)Holy Family Brunch 2)Special Olympics 3)Free Throw Contest 4)Novena for Life 5)Other FIA programs needed 6)District Meeting 7)Valentine Dinner

Holy Family Brunch: Sunday, December 12th will be our brunch which will culminate the FIA program Consecration of the Holy Family. Read the church bulletin for info on this program. Part of the profit from the brunch will be given to Seminarian Joseph Glatczak from Mosinee which will complete another FIA program called RSVP. Also, the 12 monthly winners of Family of Month FIC program will be invited to attend the brunch and receive a certificate. The brunch is from 9 to 1 o'clock. The council will need volunteers to help in the kitchen and to serve the delicious food. Call Jerry Dirkes and volunteer some time. 715-644-5426.

Team Wisconsin: Special Olympics for Team Wisconsin athletes will be June 2022 in Orlando Florida. The State Council pledged \$125,000 in four years. At this time the State has received \$100,529.20, leaving to raise another \$24, 470.80 before the WI K of C convention in April 2022.

Life Savers Report: During November 18-20th six KC members stood 31 hours in Hanson's IGA lobby handing out life savers to individuals that donated money to the cause of saving babies from abortion. Thanks Brothers Terrance Licht, Jason Bourget, Jim Logan, Jim Brinker, and Bob Pease. At Mass on Saturday Brother Ed Chura, Doug Straszowski, and Jim Logan collected. These men collected \$1702.00, and that money will go to purchase an ultrasound machine. Ultrasound machines save lives by helping women choose life by giving them the opportunity to view their unborn child on an ultrasound machine at pro-life pregnancy centers. Hundreds of babies were saved because the pregnant women decided not to have an abortion after viewing the ultrasound image of her baby. In the last ten years WI K of C's have purchased 32 machines. If each machine just saved one baby it is worth it.

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: The attendance drawing was won by Earl Meyer.

November Family of the Month: Tom & Mary Grunewald
December Family of the Month: Dean & Melissa Lew
November Knight of the Month: Jim Brinker
December Knight of the Month: Terrance Licht

Grand Knight
Robert Irwin