

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EMER-QUINN COUNCIL 3249

July 2022

**Grand Knight – Robert Irwin**  
**Chaplain – Father William Felix**  
**Deputy Grand Knight – Terry Licht**  
**Recorder– Ed Chura**

**Financial Secretary – Jerry Dirkes**  
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**Treasurer – Paul Rozwadowski**  
**Advocate – Bob Pease**  
**Chancellor – Steve Pilgrim**  
**Warden – Jerry Heiting**  
**Inside Guard – Earl Meyer**  
**Outside Guard – Doug Straszowski**  
**DD-Tim Tozer 715-271-4737**

**Meeting Date:** Our July meeting will be held on **Wednesday, July 27, 2022** at Holy Family Hall at 7:00 p.m.

**Old/New Business Items at the Meeting:** Old Business: 1)Silver Rose 2)Family Picnic                      New Business:  
1)Adoption 2)Sojourner House 3)Spiritual Reflection Program 4)Punt, Pass, Kick

**Ukraine Solidarity Fund Update:** As of June 10<sup>th</sup>, KC councils throughout the world have donated \$17,209,598 to the Ukraine Fund. As the situation in Ukraine continues to change, the need to support refugees continues to grow. The Knights of Columbus will be working with our councils in Poland as well as the Latin and Greek Catholic Churches in Ukraine to provide temporary shelter, food, medical supplies, clothing, and communications. 100% of your donation goes directly to support humanitarian Aid in Ukraine. If interested in donating contact Jerry Dirkes, 711 Madison Stanley WI 54768. Phone 715-644-5426.

**Special Olympics:** Congratulations to all the Special Olympics Athletes who represented Wisconsin at the National games in Orland, Florida. Our athletes competed in 76 events and came home with 14 Gold, 12 Silver, and 13 Bronze medals and memories that will last them a lifetime. Thank You WI councils who raised \$142,647.27 to help cover cost of transportation. Team Wisconsin has set a goal for the 2026 games of \$150,000. As of June 30<sup>th</sup> \$4557.50, has been collected thus far to reach that goal.

**Fraternal Benefit Night:** July 27 at 7 p.m. KC members are invited to participate in a Statewide Virtual Zoom Fraternal Benefits Night. A chance to learn about financial planning for your family. Register by going to [kofcwi.org](http://kofcwi.org) website. Tab to Live Events and follow the instructions.

**Family Picnic:** Twenty-two people attended the picnic. The food was delicious and plenty of it. Our new DD Tim Tozer and past DD Tom Eder assisted Tim in installing the new officers for the 2022-23 fraternal year. Twelve of the fourteen officers were present. Thanks officers.

**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.

**Family of the Month:** Dale & Reenie Maguire  
**Knight of the Month:** Dean Lingen

**Grand Knight**  
**Robert Irwin**