

Knights of Columbus Council 11809 Membership Meeting Minutes April 10, 2025

1. Meeting called to order at 6:05 p.m.
2. Opening prayer and Pledge of Allegiance
3. Meeting minutes for March for review and comment; none were received. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Fred Malcolm, seconded by Ken Blick. Minutes were unanimously accepted.

4. Grand Knights Report:

- Nominating Committee and elections for the 2025 – 2026 Fraternal Year.
- Update for the Mentor Program under the appropriate Officer/Director
- State Convention, May 2nd and 3rd
- State Raffle and update and deadline
- TICKETS NEEDED BEFORE CONVENTION.
- April 26th Forth Degree Exemplification
- April 27th Divine Mercy Sunday
- May 2nd - 3rd State Convention
- May 5th Officer Planning Meeting 2 p.m. Fr. McGivney Rm
- May 8th Member Meeting (5:30 Rosary, 6:00 p.m.) meeting begins
- May 11th Bernadette's Brew
- Great to see help for fish fry by several LOL organizations (Catholic Daughters, Women's Guild)
- Commercial Cleaners hired to clean Fish Fryers for storage.

5. Treasurer's Report:

- Savings \$510.13
- CD \$10,510.51
- State Raffle \$2645.00
- Fish Fry Total Deposit Thru Week 5: \$13722
 - Total Expenses \$6990
 - Net Income \$6732

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6. Membership & Financial Secretary: Jake Kluch

- Discussion and explanation on deceased members who have not paid dues. Need to contact GK about the deceased members.
- Clean up overdue members from parish active list
- Linking treasurer and FS accounting processes
- Snowbird Incentive Raffle: Pay 2025-26 Before you leave (receive raffle ticket for a CASH prize. One lucky winner collects the prize when returning to the valley. Drawing 1 June 2025.

7. Faith: Rich Stone

- Palm Sunday
- Holy Thursday: after Mass, there will be a procession of the Blessed Sacrament.
- Need several Knights to spend sometime in adoration
- Good Friday – Noon Stations of the Cross, liturgy at 3 P.M.
- Holy Saturday 7:30 p.m. Blessing of the Fire, Holy Water etc.
- Need for a cabinet to store where the Sacred Oils are kept.
- Next upcoming COR
- 4/27 Divine Mercy Sunday
- Next year have advertising in First Responders Dinner booklet.

8. Community: Hank Gorski

- June 19th Water Drive

9. Family: Ed Hoover (absent)

- Completed Activities
- Family of the month
- Family Advent Calendars
- Upcoming:
- Lenten box collection (Good Friday)

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10. Life: Jeff Boas

- Roses for life
- Special Needs Mass
- Jeff Boas made motion for \$500 for March for Life seconded by Jim Geffre, motion unanimously carried

11. Old Business: None from last meeting

12. New Business: Recommendations from Officers meeting

- Rich Stone made a motion to approve \$150.00 to pay for refreshments for those parishioners participating in Divine Mercy Sunday. Motion seconded by Larry ? Motion carried unanimously.
- Conduct election for Carlos Alexander as Chancellor and Jim Geffre as Trustee.
- Need leader for 2025 Memorial Mass
- Social events – how to, how often, who leads
- Mother's Day handouts, Jim Michel

13. District Deputy & Fraternal Benefits: Absent

14. Fourth Degree Assembly: Greg Jude

- Registration for 4th Degree exemplification 4/26 St Helen's Church

15. Good of the Order:

- Prayer list: Anthony Alexander, John Melcarek Jr., Terry Horst
- Father McGivney Closing Prayer
- 50/50 - 85.00
- \$43.00 Bank \$42.00 Mike Ward

16. Meeting Adjourned 7:15

Recorder Ken Blick