

Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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January Newsletter 2015

Regular Meetings—January 6 + 20
Surge Meeting — January 13 at 7:30
Hour of Adoration— January 9 at
7:30PM
Saturday Knights Club January 3 at
7:00PM

<p>GRAND KNIGHT Jerry Alberico</p> <p>CHAPLAIN Fr. Mark Storey</p> <p>DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Shaun L. McKenna</p> <p>CHANCELLOR Robert L. Black, P.G.K.</p>	<p>RECORDER William Killion, PGK</p> <p>FINANCIAL SECRETARY Robert MacDonald</p> <p>TREASURER Francis A. Galvin, P.G.K.</p> <p>ADVOCATE John F. Murphy, P.G.K.</p>	<p>WARDEN Steve Riley</p> <p>INSIDE GUARDS RJ Razon Charles Powers</p> <p>OUTSIDE GUARDS Steve Hern Richard Bingell</p>	<p>TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. Robert Curran, P.G.K.</p> <p>TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. Kevin Leach, P.G.K.</p> <p>TRUSTEE - 1 YR. Paul Curran, P.G.K.</p> <p>INSURANCE AGENT Matthew McDonald</p>
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On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Christmas Creche:

The crèche went up in record time thanks to a good deal of help. It's always a big hit in Dedham Square. Kevin and Deb Leach provided coffee and pastries so people could relax afterwards. We will take it down on Jan 11 at Noon. Please join us. It takes very little time with lots of hands.



Feed the Homeless: We provided the meal to the Abundant Table on December 17. We served ham, rice, vegetables and gravy. Thanks to all of the brothers who helped out. It was probably our biggest group of Knights ever. We sang Christmas carols and served food at the same time. It was great. Our next meal is on January 21. We will serve pasta, meatballs, 3 bean salad. Meet at the Congregational Church in Norwood at 5PM.

Childrens Christmas Party: We held our annual Childrens Christmas Party on Sunday December 7. It was a great success and well attended. Thanks to Kevin Leach, PGK and his wife Debbie for running this. Everyone enjoyed themselves. Pictured is Santa with one of the children. Thanks to Charlie Black for leading the singing and to Mike Thomas who donned the red suit, did his gig, and then had to scurry off to work. The reindeer barely had time to rest. Thanks to Charlie Black for MCing the event and to Frank Galvin and Charlie Powers for doing all of the behind the scenes work.



Newsletter Month: January, 2015

Motions: Motions 1&2 brought forward in November passed in the December 2 meeting. Motion 3 did not pass.

Saturday Knights Club: The Saturday Knights Club held their meeting on December 6. We were planning on singing Christmas carols in front of the crèche as we have done in previous years, but torrential rain kept us inside. We had a fun filled Yankee Swap (which we call Papal Swap) and a great deal of gift swapping occurred. It got pretty cutthroat—a fabulous time!! Our next meeting is on January 3 when we will have our popular wine tasting. Please join us at 7PM. It's a great night out.

Eucharistic Adoration: Our next Hour of Adoration is Friday January 19h at 7:30PM. Please make every effort to attend and worship Jesus with your brothers..

Attendance Prize: \$108 to Tom Donovan and \$114 to Mark Downing (not present)

KC Club: \$25 winners: Mike Lazdowsky and Joe Murphy, Charlie Powers, William Roche

George Paglucia: George passed away suddenly on November 24. George was one of our most active members who was almost always present at any activity. He was a faithful communicant at St. Mary's and a Eucharistic Minister there (serving the day before he died). George was devoted to his wife Ginny and to his family and his church. He was always at our Feed the Homeless activity every month and dug right in to do whatever task was needed—usually washing dishes. He is pictured with his brothers serving a meal a few days before he died (George is second from the right). George will be greatly missed. He was a perfect example of how to live your life with both humility and gusto. Thanks to all who attended his wake and funeral. It was a tremendous showing, and a fitting tribute to George.



MOTIONS

1) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to pay for stipends for 4 seminarians—William Sexton, John Guinan, Brian Cullen, Philip Scheer.

Submitted by Robert L. Black, PGK

Seconded by James W.Duffy, PGK

2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$1000 for the Grand Annual for St. Mary's and St. Susanna's parishes distributed \$500 to each parish.

Submitted by William Killion, PGK

Seconded by Francis Galvin, PGK

3) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$200 for a donation to St. Vincent de Paul Societies in St. Mary's and St. Susanna's distributed \$100 each.

Submitted by William Killion, PGK

Seconded by Francis Galvin, PGK

Jerry Alberico, Grand Knight

William Killion, Recorder

Brothers, wear your emblem proudly!