

# Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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## August Newsletter 2017

Regular Meeting—August 15 at 8PM  
Surge Meeting — August 8 at 7:30PM  
Hour of Adoration— August 11 at 8PM  
Saturday Knights Club Meeting:  
Off for the summer

<p><b>GRAND KNIGHT</b> Frank Jurczak</p> <p><b>CHAPLAIN</b> Fr. Mark Storey</p> <p><b>DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT</b> John Deschenes</p> <p><b>CHANCELLOR</b> Robert L. Black, P.G.K.</p>	<p><b>RECORDER</b> Steve Riley, PGK</p> <p><b>FINANCIAL SECRETARY</b> Paul Hart</p> <p><b>TREASURER</b> Francis A. Galvin, P.G.K.</p> <p><b>ADVOCATE</b> John F. Murphy, P.G.K.</p>	<p><b>WARDEN</b> Paul Hart</p> <p><b>INSIDE GUARDS</b> Richard Bingell Charles Powers</p> <p><b>OUTSIDE GUARDS</b> Tom Chirokas</p>	<p><b>TRUSTEE - 3 YRS.</b> Steve Riley, P.G.K.</p> <p><b>TRUSTEE - 2 YRS.</b> Shaun L McKenna, P.G.K.</p> <p><b>TRUSTEE - 1 YR.</b> Jerry Alberico, P.G.K.</p> <p><b>INSURANCE AGENT</b> Richard Parisi</p>
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On the web at [www.dedhamkofc234.org](http://www.dedhamkofc234.org)

**No Meeting on August 1:** As is customary over the summer, a motion was passed to cancel the first Business Meeting in July and August. We will still have a Surge meeting on August 8.

**Installation of Officers:** Please save the date September 23 at 7PM for the formal Installation of Officers. This is held in our main hall. This is always a beautiful event and is open to families and friends. More details in the September newsletter.

**Knight of the Year:** Grand Knight Steve Riley awarded the Knight of the Year to John Deschanes. John has



been a go-to guy all year. He has attended every event despite

having back surgery in early spring. John shows great enthusiasm and is "all-in" regardless of what the activity is. Congratulations, John.

**Passing the Gavel:** Our incoming Grand Knight Frank Jurczak (on the left) accepted the gavel from outgoing Grand Knight Steve Riley with our Chaplain Fr. Mark Story looking on. Frank is the 121st Grand Knight of our Council.

**Tootsie Roll Drive:** Save the date October 6-8 for our Annual Tootsie Roll Drive. This supports the very important State Charity fund.



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**Motions:** Both motions brought forward in June for voting in July passed.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** The next Hour of Adoration is Friday August 11 at 8PM at St. Joseph's Chapel at St. Mary's. We had a good showing in July. Please join us.

**Lecture Series:** Ted Monac from the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts came to give a talk on this organization, which is the oldest chartered military organization in North America. His talk was very informative and entertaining. We had no idea what this organization did and all of the history associated with it. Thanks to Lindsay Barich for putting this together.

**St. Mary's Cemetery:** Most of us didn't even know that St. Mary's had a cemetery but it's in West Roxbury right on the border of Dedham. The grass gets cut but it needed some loving care. Bob Desmond, PGK and John Deschanes went over there to evaluate. Bob picked up some trash that was hanging around and he found a stone dedicated to deceased members of our Council there, right near the statue of Mary. Bob put some flowers and a flag at the base. We will do some further work there as a barnraiser, fixing a chain link fence and righting some stones there. Let Bob or John know if you want to help out.



**Attendance Prize:** \$181 to Paul Munchback (not present)

**KC Club:** \$25 to Jean Latham, Jim Tuite, Steve Riley (twice)

### MOTIONS

1) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$250 for Surge with Service Committees. All unused funds to be returned to the Council.

Submitted by Frank Galvin, PGK

Seconded by Paul Hart

2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$200 for the Grand Knights expenses for Fraternal year 2017-2018. All unused funds to be returned to the Council.

Submitted by Frank Galvin, PGK

Seconded by Paul Hart

3) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$800 for Installation of Officers. All unused funds to be returned to the Council.

Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK

Seconded by Frank Galvin, PGK

**Frank Jurczak, Grand Knight**

**Steve Riley, Recorder**