

Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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November Newsletter 2020

Regular Meetings—Nov 3 & 17 at 8PM

Surge Meeting — Nov 10 at 7:30PM

Hour of Adoration— Nov 13 & 27 at
8PM

Saturday Knights Club Meeting: Nov 7
at 7PM

GRAND KNIGHT Lindsay Barich CHAPLAIN Fr. Wayne Belschner DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Tom Chirokas CHANCELLOR Robert L. Black, P.G.K.	RECORDER William Killion, PGK FINANCIAL SECRETARY Stephen Heaslip TREASURER Steve Riley, PGK ADVOCATE Andrew Lawlor, P.G.K.	WARDEN Joseph Griffin INSIDE GUARDS Frank Fico Charles Kanelos OUTSIDE GUARDS Richard Bingell James Brothers	TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. William Killion P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. John Deschenes, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 1 YR. Frank Jurczak, P.G.K. INSURANCE AGENT Jerry Alberico
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On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Zoom Meetings: We continue our Zoom meetings in November. If you are not receiving invites, email bill.killion@hotmail.com and you will be put on the list. You can join by phone as well.

Council Raffle: Tickets are on sale for our 50/50 raffle. This is a fund raiser to replace the golf tournament and Spring Social due to the pandemic. Drawing to be held on Dec 15th. Only 50 tickets are sold. Tickets are \$100 each. Prizes: one \$1000, one \$500, five \$200 winndrs. 1 in 6 chance of winning. Please purchase a ticket and help to fun our many charities (see all of the motions just this month alone)

Food Pantry: The Dedham Food Pantry is urgently seeking volunteers to assist in their efforts to feed those less fortunate. Examples are preparing senior shopping bags on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month, stocking the shelves every Thursday from 3:30-5:30, assisting clients with shopping at the pantry from 8AM to 11AM. They are also seeking volunteers for Saturday Nov 21 for thanksgiving bags. The food pantry reached out to us. Please consider volunteering. To sign up, go to <https://dedhamfoodpantry.org> and click on the "SignUpGenius" for time slots.

Memorial Mass: We will have our annual Memorial Mass on Wednesday Nov 18 at 7PM. Because of the pandemic, we will have it at St. Mary's instead of our usual venue at the SMA house. We can't have a collation after, but please join us for the Mass. Family members are very much welcome.

Christmas Creche: We will be putting up our Creche on November 29 at Noon. Please come and help out. Thanks to Mark Epker of Vantage Real Estate, who is the new owner of the building next door for allowing us to put the creche on his property in the same tradition as Bob Shortman did for so many years.

Saturday Knights Club: We will meet on Nov 7 at 7PM for our second annual "friends-giving dinner" at the council hall. We had a bingo night in October also in the hall and it was a great success.

Motions: All motions were brought forward into September Passed.

Eucharistic Adoration: Hours of Adoration are Nov 13 and 27 at 8PM. Social distancing is practiced and masks are strongly encouraged. Please join us.

Investment Club: The investment club will continue to meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM. They are once again meeting in the clubroom.

New members: Brendon Barich (new member of the order) and Chris Madden (transfer from CT) were voted in as members in October.

Building History: Brian Keaney, PGK wrote a great article on the history of our building on the 100th anniversary of us owning it. There is a link on our web site. Check it out. Thank you Brian for an excellent job.

KC Club: Jim Duffy, Mike Podolski, Chris Kirwin, Brian Keaney, \$25 each

MOTIONS

1) Motion that Dedham council #234 appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for donations of \$1,000 each to St. Mary's and St. Susanna's Grand Annuals. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

2) Motion that Dedham council #234 appropriate the sum of \$500 for donations of \$250 each to St. Mary's and St. Susanna's St. Vincent De Paul societies. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

3) Motion that Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$236 to pay for one box of children's coats for Coats for Kids project. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

4) Motion that Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$60 to pay for 5 wreaths for Wreaths Across America. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

5) Motion that Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$236 to pay for one box of children's coats for Coats for Kids project. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

6) Motion that Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$200 to pay expenses for the Memorial Mass. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by John Deschenes, PGK.

7) Motion that Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$100 to pay for 50 prayer books to be given out to fathers at baptisms. Submitted by Jerry Alberico, PGK and seconded by Steve Riley, PGK.

Lindsay Barich Grand Knight

William Killion, Recorder