## **Knights of Columbus**

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# June Newsletter 2022

Regular Meetings—June 7 & 21 at 8PM Surge Meeting — cancelled for June Hours of Adoration—June 3 & 17 at 8PM Saturday Knights Club Meeting: June 4 at 5PM

GRAND KNIGHT Tom Chirokas CHAPLAIN Fr. Wayne Belschner DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Joseph Griffin 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 James Brothers INSIDE GUARDS Frank Fico Charles Kanelos OUTSIDE GUARDS Richard Bingell Paul Riley TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. Lindsay Barich, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. William Killion, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 1 YR. John Deschenes, P.G.K. INSURANCE AGENT Jerry Alberico, PGK 781-636-8843

### On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Flag Day Parade: To celebrate our 125th Anniversary, we will participate in the parade and we will have a float with a replica of the "Santa Maria" This is on June 14. Come march with us (families are encouraged). It's a lot of fun. Meet at St. Mary's parking lot in the back of the church at 5PM.

**Lecture Series**: John Harrington, President of the Yawkee Foundation, spoke on May 3 at 7PM. He gave an excellent talk and had many insights. He is pictured to the right. His talk lasted for over an hour because of so many questions.

**Saturday Knights Club:** We had our meeting on May 3 where we went bowling in Norwood. We will have our **Mys-tery Ride** on June 4 leaving St. Mary's at 5. Where?, well, it's a mystery.

**Mother's Day:** We collected \$1200 for Birthright. Thanks to all of the brothers who participated and for the generosity of St. Mary's parish. Pictured is Steve Riley, PGK with flowers and his collection bin.

**125th Anniversary:** We are finalizing plans for our 125th anniversary gala at the Hilton in Dedham on **November 5, 2022**. We are also working on a program book to sell advertisements. **SAVE THE DATE.** 





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**Motions:** Motions 2-5 were approved. Motion 1 was tabled. Previously tabled motion for \$500 for Ukrainian Relief fund was reduced to \$250 by Lindsay Barich, PGK seconded by John Deschenes, PGK This motion passed.

**Clergy Appreciation Dinner:** 

This was held at the Norwood Council and coordinated by the Bishop Minihan Assembly. Pictured are Fr. Richard and Fr. Darcy from SMA and Fr. Wayne and Fr. Dominic from St. Mary's, along with the GK.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** June 3 and 17at 8PM at St Jo-seph's Chapel at St. Mary's.

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



**Ordinations:** Congratulations to Fr. Patrick O'Connor and Fr. Nick Stano, both members of our Council on their ordination to the priesthood on May 21

**Volunteering at VA in West Roxbury:** Joe Griffin is in discussion with the VA to see what the Knights can do as volunteers to our veterans. More to come.

KC Club: All who participated should have received their tickets. Please send in your funds promptly. Drawings start in June

**Officers for 2022-23:** See the enclosed ballot for officers for the coming fraternal year. We will vote on June 21. Note, we need someone to step up for Warden. If you are not an officer, please consider this position.

Attendance Prize: Ed Dolan \$163 (not present)

#### MOTIONS

1) That Dedham Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$100 for a donation to the Dedham Flag Day Parade Committee. Submitted by Bill Killion, PGK and seconded by Steve Riley, PGK