

# Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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## April Newsletter 2023

Regular Meetings—Apr 4 & 18 at 8PM

Surge Meeting — Apr 11 at 7:30

Hours of Adoration— Mar 14 & 28 at  
8PM

Saturday Knights Club

Saturday Apr 1 at 7PM

<b>GRAND KNIGHT</b> Joseph Griffin <b>CHAPLAIN</b> Fr. Wayne Belschner <b>DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT</b> Frank Fico <b>CHANCELLOR</b> Robert L. Black, P.G.K.	<b>RECORDER</b> William Killion, PGK <b>FINANCIAL SECRETARY</b> Stephen Heaslip <b>TREASURER</b> Steve Riley, PGK <b>ADVOCATE</b> Andrew Lawlor, P.G.K.	<b>WARDEN</b> Edward Evans <b>INSIDE GUARD</b> Charles Kanelos <b>OUTSIDE GUARD</b> Richard Bingell	<b>TRUSTEE - 3 YRS.</b> Tom Chirokas, P.G.K. <b>TRUSTEE - 2 YRS.</b> Lindsay Barich, P.G.K. <b>TRUSTEE - 1 YR.</b> William Killion, P.G.K. <b>INSURANCE AGENT</b> Jerry Alberico, PGK 781-636-8843
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On the web at [www.dedhamkofc234.org](http://www.dedhamkofc234.org)

**Free Throw:** One of our participants, a boy, got 23/25 in Regionals and will participate in the State Tournament at Archbishop Williams on April 1.

**Diaper Drive:** This was an enormous success. We collected 7500 diapers and 13,500 wipes and delivered them to Birthright. They were astounded. Pictured are some of the items brought to Birthright. We filled up half their office. Thanks to Steve Riley, PGK, Tom Chirokas, PGK, and Bill Killion, PGK for pulling this together.



**Priest Appreciation Dinner:** This will be held on April 29 in Norwood at 7PM. There is no cost to attend. It's a nice meal to show our appreciation for our priests and deacons, paid for by the councils and Assembly.

Please let the Grand Knight or Faithful Navigator of the Assembly know if you are coming and how many to plan for dinner.

**Communion Breakfast:** This was very successful. We had a strong showing of Knights at the 9AM Mass at St. Mary's and a good crowd at the Council. The food was excellent, provided by Chuck Wagon. The speaker, Richie Hebner, was wonderful. He didn't just give a talk, but gave time for questions, which lead to so many stories. Joe D'Amico did a great job in putting this together. Thanks also to Fr. Wayne for celebrating the Mass, promoting the event, and coming over to bless the meal. Thanks to all of the brother and families for making this a success.



**Motions:** The one motion brought forward in February was approved

**Eucharistic Adoration:** April 14 and 28 at 8PM at St Joseph's Chapel

**Saturday Knights Club:** We met on March 4 and had a wonderful corned beef and cabbage meal and several games. It was very well attended. We will have a game night on April 1 at 7PM. Please join us.

**4th Degree:** There will be a 4th Degree Exemplification in Milford on June 4. Applications must be in by



**Coffee Hour at St. Mary's:** We will resume our coffee hour on May 7. We will not have one in April due to Palm Sunday and Easter activities.

**Volunteering at VA:** We had 4 brothers last month participate. It's two hours from 9-11AM on the second Wednesday of the month at the VA Hospital in West Roxbury. This is a great way to say thank you to our veterans.

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

**Scholarships:** There are two \$1000 scholarships available for children of members who are graduating high school. Go to our web site for an application.

**Attendance Prize:** Don Degrandis \$82 and George Sullivan \$95 (not present)

**KC Club:** \$30 prizes to Bob Black, Steve Minchello, Bob Black, Bob Black

## MOTION

That Dedham Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$1000 for the clergy appreciation dinner. \$500 for the dinner and \$250 each for St Mary's and SMA fathers. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK and Seconded by Bill Killion PGK