



Knights of Columbus  
Joseph Cardinal Bernardin Assembly 3056  
Minutes of Meeting – February 25, 2025

**Call to Order**

*Meeting called to Order at 7:30 PM by the Faithful Navigator. The meeting was opened with prayer and reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America*

**Attendance**

**Assembly Officers**

Faithful Friar	Fr Bishop	E
Faithful Navigator	Forst Elliot	P
Faithful Captain	William Reyer	e
Faithful Pilot	Gerald Holton	e
Faithful Admiral	Michael Freil	P
Faithful Scribe	John Hoffman	P
Faithful Comptroller	Thomas Varney	P
Faithful Purser	Robert Burns	P
Faithful Inner Sentinel	Bob Raney	e
Faithful Outer Sentinel	Craig Trimle	P
Faithful 3rd Year Trustee	Kenneth Haacke	P
Faithful 2nd Year Trustee	John Brown	e
Faithful 1st Year Trustee	Steve Berns	P
Color Corp Commander	Calvin Frank	P

**Previous Meeting Minutes**

Meetings were read and a motion was made to accept the meeting minutes. Motion was approved.

**Faithful Navigator's Report**

- Asked VSM to discuss the new degree on the exemplification
  - Beautify Ceremony at St Patrick's Cathedral
  - 700 new candidates
  - Degree will be different

- New Position will be cantor to lead singing
  - AV changed
  - Major changes to script, lots compressed, a few new parts
  - New props
- New final script to masters with AV will be later than expected
- March 1st in LA
- March 22 in Indianapolis
- March 29 Degree at St Gertrude will be the current version vs new version
- Asked for Color Corps Command To report (report below)
- We need to support our Brother Knights and the respect we show each other, especially at funerals
- Forst's step father passed away
  - step father was Jewish and Forst talked about differences in funeral practices
- Ask your friends and family to join
- Preparation for Lent, a king cake is here for celebration
  - How are you going to fast and give up for lent

### **Faithful Friar's Report**

- No Update

### **Bills and Communications**

- No bills or communications
- Still have several who have not paid

### **Faithful Purser's Report**

- Report given and financials are in good shape

### **Committee Reports**

- Color Corps Commander's Report
  - We represent the 4th Degree
  - We also Stand for Funerals
    - Received thank you from Ann Dieme for the sendoff for Jim
  - When 3rd Degree people see 4th, will join
  - Have \$225 stipend for new Uniform
  - March 17th annual St Patrick Mass
    - Mass is at Noon
    - Show time is 11am
  - Jim's funeral/wake
    - 19 Color Corps
    - 4 PSD and 1 State Office
    - Ann very thankful
- VAVS
  - Due to all unknowns from new administration, no approval for this years schedule has been given
  - April 26, Honor Flight
    - arrive 715, due in at 8pm

- Honorably Discharged Vets, registered with VA can get free Hearing Aids

### **Applications**

- No applications

### **Trustee Report**

- Bills to be paid

### **Old Business**

- No Old Business

### **New Business**

- No New Business

### **Council Reports**

- 4022
  - Co-hosting Birthday Party, March 16 @ 4pm for Craig Trimble
  - Spaghetti Dinner Follow 4:30pm Mass
- 4587
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- 10215
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- 14504
  - 150+ for the Spaghetti Dinner
  - Experiencing your Maker's Mark, 8 March following 430PM mass
- 14882
  - Fish Fry this Friday. Carryout and Dine-in
- 14995
  - Simple Supper with Stations every Friday in Lent
  - 14 March Fish Fry
  - 8 March KOFC Retreat

### **Good of the Order**

- Pope Francis
- Fr Joseph
- Archbishop Schurr
- Archbishop Designate Richard Casey
- Joe Christ
- Paul Qualke
- Ed Hagerty
- Roger Krass
- Hank Borchers
- Forst's Mother

**Closing Prayer**

The Faithful Admiral lead the assembly in a closing prayer

**Adjournment**

The Meeting adjourned after prayer at 8:09PM

**50/50**

7/14 Tom Varney

*Respectfully Submitted,  
John J. Hoffman  
Scribe, Assembly 3056*