

**Knights of Columbus Council 10913**  
**Saint Michael, Cheney**  
**October 8, 2009**



**Meeting Called to Order:** at 6:30p.m. By – Grand Knight Carl Marks

**Opening Prayers:** Father Borowiak led members in the opening prayer.

**Pledge to the Flag:** Those in attendance pledged The Allegiance.

**Roll Call of Officers:** By Pat Wagner

**Members Present:** Father Borowiak, John Allen, Allan Brock, Richard Carman, Kent Davenport, Brad From, Zeke Gandara, Donald Haggeman, Chad Hartwick, Richard Hergott, Jamie Hoffman, Garrett Klein, Craig Marmie, Carl Marks, Charlie Medinger, Jim Petrig, Bill Rentschler, Gene Schwenke, Steve Steinkuehler, Bill Tomek, Pat Wagner.

**Minutes:** A motion to dispense of the reading of the September 10, 2009 minutes was made by Bill Tomek, 2nd by John Allen, motion carried.

**Chaplain's Report:** by Father Borowiak.

- **Lighting:** Father reported that Ray Werner has installed the light on the old school building so that the sidewalks are safe to walk on at night.
- **Challenge Money:** For the past several years a Brother Knight has challenged the Council and Parish to meet his financial challenge. This year he has made a \$10,000 challenge. The A K of C raffle will begin October 10 and will consist of ½ natural beef donated by Richard Carman, 4 turkeys donated by Darrel Welch.
- **Building Campaign:** Father reported that \$1,800, 000 is amount already pledged.
- **Treasure Report:** Balances reported as of 10/08/09 were; Checking Account =\$5,777.43, CD=\$1,632.68, Perpetual Fund=\$2,954.70, Total Assets=\$10,364.81

**Financial Secretary:** Garrett Klein reported that they are now 122 current members.

- **Delinquent Dues:** Garrett reported no change in membership status. For those who have not paid their dues please remit them to Garrett ASAP!

**Field Agent Report:** John will have 3 extra Field Agents present at our membership blitz on November 14, 15, 2009.

- Do take the time to visit with John so that he can explain the benefits of membership and insurance needs to you and your family. Please call 489-0073 for John Stoeckinger - FICF, CSA).

**District Deputy Report:** Don Haggeman presented Father with the Double Star Council for 2008-2009.

- **Membership Drive:** Don wished the Council good luck on its' membership blitz/drive November 14, 15<sup>th</sup>.
- **Exemplifications:** Dona announced there will be a 1<sup>st</sup> degree at Blessed Sacrament November 15, a Major in Geneva and St. Joseph. Saint Peters will possibly schedule exemplification in Nov. and Dec.

**Old Business:**

- **Road Cleanup** will be October 11 at 2:00p.m. The rain date will be October 18 at the same time.
- **Current Safety Concerns In Our Community:** A reminder that Clark Wittwer a Brother Knight will giving this presentation in the Church Hall October 11, 2009.
- **Marian Sisters Thank You:** Carl received a prayer card and plaque from the Marian Sisters for the produce donated to them over the summer.
- **Sacred Heart Parish:** Their will be a Thank You Mass Celebrated for St. Michael Parishioners who gave so generously to assist in the purchase of their school bus Saturday October 25, 2009.
- **Details of Beef Raffle:** Raffle tickets will be sold following all Masses at \$2.00/ticket or \$10.00/6 tickets. Please do volunteer in helping sell these tickets for matching funds.

### **New Business:**

- **Officers Attendance:** If an officer is unable to attend the meeting he should notify the Grand Knight as a courtesy.
- **Knights Mass:** The Knights Mass will be at 9:30 November 15. Volunteers for the following ministries are: Acolyte - Bill Tomek if another Knight is not scheduled. Lector – Kent Davenport, Servers – Carl Marks & Pat Wagner, Ushers – Zeke Gandara & Dr. Schwenke, Music Leader – Garrett Klein and the K of C Knight Tunes Choir.
- **Christmas Party:** Kent Davenport is checking with The Texas Roadhouse for accommodations and cost per person/couple. He will report his findings at the November 12 meeting.

**Open Discussion:** Brad From explained the Honey Sale for the Arc of Lincoln. Those in attendance encouraged participation of the sale of the honey for the Arc of Lincoln. K of C volunteers are needed to assist in the sale of honey at \$5.00/bottle after each Mass the weekend of November 21, 22, 2009

**Note:** The web site addresses for: St. Michael's Parish is: Father Borowiak – [frborowiak@stmichaelcheney.org](mailto:frborowiak@stmichaelcheney.org), Altar Society – [altarsociety@stmichaelcheney.org](mailto:altarsociety@stmichaelcheney.org), Church Bulletin – [bulletin1@stmichaelcheney.org](mailto:bulletin1@stmichaelcheney.org),

### **Prayers**

Please say a daily prayer for the intentions that our youth may receive from the Lord a Vocation to either the Priesthood or Religious Life.  
Also, pray for our deceased Brother Knights and their families.

### Upcoming Events:

- **K of C Raffle:** October & November
- **Knights Mass:** November 15 at 9:30 Mass
- **Membership Blitz:** November 14,15 at all Masses

**Closing Prayer:** Father led us in the closing prayer

**Next Meeting:** November 12, 2009 at 7:00p.m. in gym

**Meeting Adjourned:** Motion to adjourn at 7:15, motion carried.