



Good Shepherd Assembly 2604 Briefing

Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus
Northeast Minneapolis and Northern Suburbs



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Faithful Navigator's Report

Sir Knights & Ladies:

As I write my last news article as Navigator, I would like to thank all of the Sir Knights who came forward after the Comptroller and Trustee resigned their office as the year began with no apparent reason given to me. This was a challenge to the Good Shepherd Assembly to replace these Officers, but we all worked together for a very successful year. I would like to thank our Faithful Friar Father Reiser for celebrating Mass, his homilies and being our guest at our Assembly Dinner Meetings. Then Sir Knight Pat Shannon for taking over the Newsletter, Sir Knight Richard Jacobson for the web site, Sir Knight Robert Peltier for taking the Comptroller Office and Sir Knight Ray Eklund for taking the Trustee Office. Thank you all for coming forward and helping me out. Lastly, I would like to thank all the Sir Knights for helping make my job as Navigator a pleasant one even if at times it was difficult. Installation of Officers is a very special occasion and this will be the last year that we will have the honor of having in our presence District Master Tom Grinnel and District Marshall Mike Brandt. Sir Knights and Ladies please make plans on attending the Installation of Officers on June 1st.

- **Officers please bring your Jewels for Installation of Officers.**
- **Sir Knights remember our Annual Golf outing Tournament on June 14.**

We have some Sir Knights who would like to be in the Honor Guard, but cannot afford the cost of the new Regalia at this time. Please contact me at (763-786-6730) if you have Regalia that you are not using so these Sir Knights can join us in Honor Guards.

In closing, may God Bless each and every Sir Knight and Lady. Have a safe and restful summer and see you back in the fall.

Faithful Navigator
Raymond Schelonka

WE Care

If anyone knows of a Sir Knight or Lady who is ill or injured, please call Jack Hunt at 612-788-2189.

SK Jack Hunt

Good Shepherd Assembly Mass/Dinner

Meeting

Tuesday, June 1, 2010

6:00 pm Mass, 7:00 pm Dinner

Sir Knights and Ladies

Church of St. John the Baptist, New Brighton

Cost: \$12 per person

Dinner Reservations: 612-781-9265

Deadline: May 26, 2010

Admiral's Report

Sir Knights & Ladies:

Wow! Where did the time go? Here it is June and we are starting another great year. We have done so much this last year, WOW! What a rush. We have great Brother Knights who have stepped up to help guide us through this next year. Let's do our best to help them out. Caring, working hard, and have fun doing it will get us to new heights in our Assembly. I am asking you to step up and help out. Only you can ask your Brother 3rd Degree Knights to join the 4th Degree. Ask your brother Catholic men to join the Knights of Columbus and have them fill out the form 4 at the same time so they can join us next April in St. Paul.

Your Servant,
SK Bob Mathewson
Faithful Admiral



Knights of Columbus

**F O U R T H
D E G R E E**

Patriotic degree of the Order.

Captain's Report

The final Mass and Dinner Meeting for this Assembly Year will include the Installation of Officers, June 1, 2010. Reservations must be called in by **Wednesday, May 26.**

Call Patrick and Christine Shannon, 612-781-9265.

Leave a voice mail if we're not at home. Cost for the Dinner is \$12 per person, Sir Knights and Ladies.

Pictures of Sir Knights will continue to be taken at the June meeting, and these pictures will be included in our updated directory and Web Site. All members are encouraged to be pictured in their formal attire.

Congratulations to our newly elected Officers (see the Minutes nearby for the list of next year's Officers). I look forward to increasing our numbers and visibility in the community. Thank you, Sir Knights, for your generosity.

Summer provides additional free time for most of us. Let's use some of that time for our own personal continuing education as Catholics. Pope Benedict XVI has published numerous books, both before and during his papacy. His insight to the spiritual life is profound. God has blessed us with his genius. If you've never read him, now is a good opportunity. If you've read some of his works, read more. Have a profitable summer.

SK Patrick Shannon
Faithful Captain



GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY MEETING MINUTES

04-May-2010, Church of St. John the Baptist

Faithful Navigator, SK Raymond Schelonka called the meeting to order at 7:33 PM.

1. Attendance
Faithful Pilot, SK Rick Jacobson reported that all in attendance were in possession of a current membership card. He also responded to the officer attendance as follows:
 - a. **Officers Present:** Faithful Navigator, SK Ray Schelonka, Faithful Captain, SK Patrick Shannon, Faithful Pilot, SK Rick Jacobson, Faithful Scribe, SK Robert Peterson, Faithful Purser, SK Stephen Frank, Faithful Admiral, SK Bob Mathewson, Faithful Outer Sentinel, SK Bob Odash,, Faithful 3rd Year Trustee, SK Jack Hunt,.
 - b. **Officers Absent:** Faithful Comptroller , SK Robert Peltier, Faithful Inner Sentinel, SK Marc Peters, Faithful 1st Year Trustee, SK Ray Eklund, Faithful 2nd Year Trustee, SK Jerry Reitter, Faithful Friar Rev. Bernard Reiser.
2. Principles and Duties of the Order were reviewed. This was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and opening prayer.
3. The minutes of the March meeting were reviewed and approved.
4. Faithful Purser, SK Steven Frank reported on our financial activity.
Payment
To SK Patrick Shannon Newsletter Expense Refund
To Brian Gostanzik Exemplification Refund
5. Faithful Purser, SK Steven Frank also distributed the financial sheet for April 2010. Our balance has remained about the same throughout the year.
6. Faithful Guard Commander, SK Clyde Paul reviewed the upcoming Honor Guards for May and June 2010 (see report nearby).
7. Faithful Navigator, SK Raymond Schelonka welcomed our newest 4th Degree members – SK Sean Welch, SK Joseph George, SK Richard (Craig) Vana, and SK Sigmund Obright. SK Sean Welch and SK Sigmund Obright were in attendance.
8. A report on the Duluth exemplification was made by SK Stephen Frank, SK Patrick Shannon, and SK Bob Mathewson. All agreed that the exemplification was well organized and attended. Some details of the business meeting were reported by SK Patrick Shannon and SK Bob Mathewson. One major point of information was that SK Bob Mathewson has been nominated for the position of District Master.

Meeting Minutes (cont'd)

9. The following officers were elected by a white ballot after due process of asking for further nominations:
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| Faithful Navigator | SK Patrick Shannon |
| Faithful Captain | SK Richard Jacobson |
| Faithful Pilot | SK Robert Peterson |
| Faithful Comptroller | SK Robert Peltier |
| Faithful Scribe | SK Marc Peters |
| Faithful Purser | SK Stephen Frank |
| Faithful Admiral | SK Ray Schelonka |
| Faithful Inner Sentinel | SK Marck Stenglein |
| Faithful Outer Sentinel | SK Charles Glander |
| Faithful Trustee 1 year | SK Jerry Reitter |
| Faithful Trustee 2 year | SK Jack Hunt |
| Faithful Trustee 3 year | SK Bob Mathewson |
10. We discussed the future meeting time and place. After a lengthy discussion, it was decided that Faithful Navigator, SK Raymond Schelonka will check on the Fridley KC Hall as one location for our 2010-2011 meetings. He will also consider the change of the meeting to a day other than the first Tuesday of the month since incoming Faithful Friar, Rev. Paul La Fontaine is not able to attend on that day. The first Mondays or second Tuesdays are under consideration.
11. All officers are reminded to bring their jewels to the June meeting.
12. SK Bob Mathewson should be contacted for name tag and council T-shirt orders.
13. At our June meeting, SK Bob Mathewson will be taking pictures of all the Sir Knights who have not yet had their pictures taken. Be sure to attend.
14. SK Clyde Paul announced that the Knights Tuesday afternoon golf league needs golfers. SK Clyde Paul also encouraged members to sign up for our Annual Fund Raiser golf outing on June 14th at Viking Meadows. The cost is \$80.00.
15. Conclusion: Review of symbols of the Order followed by the Closing Prayer and the singing of the National Anthem.

Meeting adjourned at 8:53 PM.

Faithful Scribe,
SK Robert Peterson

Guard Commander's Report

Upcoming Honor Guards

- May 8 – Fr. Skluzacek's 30th Anniversary of Ordination, St. John the Baptist Church, 4:00 pm Assembly, 4:30 pm Mass.
- May 23 – Pentecost, Immaculate Conception, 2:30 pm Assembly, 3:00pm Mass.
- May 31 – Memorial Day, St Anthony Cemetary, 9:30 am Assembly, 10:00 Mass.
- June 1 – Good Shepherd Assembly installation of officers, St. John the Baptist Church, 5:30 Assembly, 6:00 Mass.

GOODSHEPHERDASSEMBLYOFFICERS

2009-2010

F. FRIAR

Fr. Bernard Reiser 763-755-1020

F. NAVIGATOR

SK Ray Schelonka 763-786-6730

F. CAPTAIN

SK Patrick Shannon 612-781-9265

F. PILOT

SK Richard Jacobson 763-572-1403

F. COMPTROLLER

SK Robert Peltier 763-789-8362

F. SCRIBE

SK Robert Peterson 651-690-3708

F. PURSER

SK Stephen Frank 651-631-0296

F. ADMIRAL

SK Bob Mathewson 763-754-2892

F. INNER SENTINAL

SK Marc Peters 651-482-8711

F. OUTER SENTINAL

SK Robert Odash 651-633-7802

F. TRUSTEE 1st YEAR

SK Ray Eklund 612-781-9792

F. TRUSTEE 2nd YEAR

SK Jerry Reitter 763-862-6284

F. TRUSTEE 3rd YEAR

SK Jack Hunt 612.-788-2189

GUARD COMMANDER

SK Clyde Paul 651-631-0235

DEPUTY GUARD COMMANDERS

SK Robert Peterson 651-690-3708

SK Stephen Frank 651-631-0296

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SK Patrick Shannon 612-781-9265

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www.mnknightsa2604.org

- June 6 – Feast of Corpus Christi, St. Charles Borromeo, 1045 am Assembly, 11:15 am Mass
- June 13 – NE Multi Parish outdoor Procession, 2:30 pm Assembly, 3:00 pm Procession from Holy Cross ending at St. Maron's. 2:15 bus from St. Maron's to Holy Cross.
- June 29 – Installation of 3rd Degree Officers from 5 Councils, St. John the Baptist Church, 5:30 Assembly, 6:00 Mass.
- August 22 - Twins Game – Target Field, Sunday, Knights of Columbus Day with the Twins. See enclosed flyer.

Upcoming annual Golf Tournament, June 14, 2010 at Viking Meadow golf course. Four person scramble, so get your team together. Cost per person: \$80 prepaid, includes golf, cart and dinner at the Fridley KC Hall. Start time is 10:00 am.

Guard Commander
SK Clyde Paul

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EVENTS

- **May 23, 2010 – Pentecost Honor Guard, Immaculate Conception, 2:30 pm Assembly. 3:00pm Mass**
- **May 31, 2010, Memorial Day, St. Anthony Cemetary, 9:30 am Assembly, 10:00 am Mass**
- **June 1, 2010 - Sir Knights and Ladies, 6:00 pm Mass, 7:00 pm Dinner**
- **June 6, 2010 Corpus Christi Mass and Procession, St Charles, 11:15 am**
- **June 13, 2010 NE Multi Parish outdoor Procession**
- **June 14, 2010 Annual Golf Outing**
- **August 22, 2010 Knights of Columbus Day at Target Field**



Listed below are the names of Honor Guard Members and the number of events attended for the period 7/01/09 through 4/30/2010. Thank you Sir Knights.

R Mathewson	25	G. Sadowski	12	P. Crema	4
R. Peterson	25	P. Shannon	12	T. Meyer	4
C. Paul	22	L. Ulfing	12	C. Abbott	2
J. Hunt	18	A. Bovy	11	J. Czech	2
R. Jacobson	18	R. Peltier	11	J. Schwalbe	2
R. Odash	18	J. Reitter	11	R. Szyplinski	2
R. Schelonka	17	J. Anton	10	P. Eames	1
S. Frank	17	V. Farasyn	10	D. Brederson	1
M. Stenglein	13	M. Peters	10	J. Ruder	1
R. Eklund	12	C. Glander	6	S. Miske	1
R. Hirschfelt	12	T. Brausen	4	J. Underdahl	1