



Greater Dayton Chapter  
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April 20, 2024

SUBJECT: Minutes of the Greater Dayton Chapter Meeting, **Wednesday, April 17, 2024**

1. At 7:00 pm the Rosary was said in honor of our brothers that are ill and in need of prayers.
2. Call to Order: At 7:30 pm on April 17, 2024, Chapter President Michael Friel called to order the monthly regular business meeting of the Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus. All present invoked the Divine blessing by repeating aloud the Lord's Prayer and then pledged allegiance to the Flag.
3. Roll Call (p - present; e - excused; a - absent).
  - a. Greater Dayton Chapter Officers:

President:	Michael Freil (p)
Chaplain:	Fr. Robert Hale (e)
Vice President:	Vic Lauterbach (p)
Treasurer:	David Weeks (e)
Secretary:	Scott Malott (p)
Warden:	Steve Berns (p)
  - b. District Deputies:

DD 5: Jeremy Begines (p)
DD 6: Dave Weeks (e)
DD 7: Danny Sprouse (a)
DD 8: John Brown (p)
DD 9: Barry Takacs (a)
DD 10: Charles Gneuchs (p)
  - c. Current State Officers:

State Deputy	Jeff Killiany (e)
State Secretary	Mike Fellerski (e)
State Treasurer	Jim Maslach (e)
State Advocate	Chris Sarka (e)
State Warden	Tony Offenberger (e)
Immediate Past State Deputy	Mark Siracusa (e)
State Chaplain	Father James Lang (e)
  - d. Past Chapter Presidents: No roll call.

e. Past Grand Knights in attendance residing within the Chapter area: No roll call.

f. Faithful Navigators:

Reverend B F Kuhlman Assembly 815	SK David Weeks (e)
Archbishop Karl J Alter Assembly 1776	Inactive
Joseph Cardinal Bernadine Assembly 3056	SK Michael Freil (p)
Father Francis B Pilliod Assembly 3273	SK Samuel Robinson (a)
Monsignor Buckley Assembly 822	SK Steven Cornett (a)
Monsignor McNary Assembly 2299	SK Richard Volk (a)
Bishop Ford Assembly 2892	SK Richard Whalen (a)
Father Nicholas Schneider Assembly 3188	SK M. Scott Flischel (a)

g. State Council Appointees

i. State Growth Director:	Andrew Nuckols (e)
ii. State Secretary	Mike Felerski (e)
iii. State Growth Retention/ New Council Development	Michael Friel (p)
v. State Public Relations	Mike Thomas (a)
vi. State Family Director	Tim Mangan (a)
vii. Arch Growth Director North Cincinnati:	Vic Lauterbach (p)
viii. Archdiocesan District Deputy Coordinator:	John Hoffman (e)
ix. Hispanic Council Development Coordinator:	Robert Hernandez (e)

h. Past State Deputies: No roll call.

i. Greater Dayton Chapter Council Delegates:

Council	Name	District	Present
3724	Fairborn (Fairborn)	5	<b>0</b>
1801	Fr Alphonse Schumacher (Xenia)	5	<b>1</b>
3730	Fr William O Conner (Dayton)	5	<b>2</b>
6144	A J Schulte (New Carlisle)	5	<b>0</b>
7981	Rev J Daniel Schuh (Beavercreek)	5	<b>3</b>
16425	Wright State Univ (Fairborn)	5	<b>0</b>
18217	Sagrado Coraz'on (New Carlisle)	5	<b>0</b>
3344	Archbishop McNicholas (Piqua)	6	<b>0</b>
3873	Fr W Howard Bishop (Troy)	6	<b>0</b>
4424	Our Lady of Peace (Huber Heights)	6	<b>2</b>
5129	St John (Tipp City)	6	<b>0</b>
12912	Fr Aufderheide (Vandalia)	6	<b>2</b>

Council	Name	District	Present
4022	Maria Joseph (Kettering)	8	<b>2</b>
10215	St Leonard (Centerville)	8	<b>1</b>
14504	Fr Francis X Hoffer O.F.M. (Centerville)	8	<b>2</b>
14891	Our Lady of the Light (Kettering)	8	<b>1</b>
14995	Monsignor Lawrence K Breslin (Kettering)	8	<b>1</b>
3369	Fr O'Donaghue (Wilmington OH)	9	<b>0</b>
4587	St Joseph (Miamisburg)	9	<b>0</b>
14400	Fr Charles E Mentrup (Springboro)	9	<b>0</b>
14882	Fr Martin T Gilligan (Dayton)	9	<b>4</b>
17092	Fr Joseph Lutmer (Waynesville)	9	<b>0</b>
1610	St John Paul II (Middletown)	10	<b>1</b>

15424	Monsignor Robert J Von Kaenel (Covington)	6	<b>0</b>
500	Dayton (Dayton)	7	<b>2</b>

14563	Our Lady of Sorrows (Monroe)	10	<b>0</b>
15330	Holy Name of Jesus (Trenton)	10	<b>0</b>

3698	Eaton (Eaton)	7	<b>0</b>
3754	Marian (Dayton)	7	<b>1</b>
13874	St Paul (Englewood)	7	<b>1</b>
15645	Holy Angels (Dayton)	7	<b>0</b>
16571	La Morenita De Guadalupe (Dayton)	7	<b>0</b>

j. Hennepin Province

- i. Vice Supreme Master: SK Ed Ponder (p)
- ii. Ohio Provincial Secretary: SK Robert Burns (p)
- iii. Provincial and District Marshall: SK Odell Graves (p)
- District #2 Master: SK Mike Gauder (e)
- v. Ohio District #2 Chief of Staff: SK Dave Weeks (e)

k. Knights of Columbus Insurance Program

- i. General Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Jason C. Staas (e)
- Assistant General Agent: Jeff Cummons (e)
- iii. Assistant General Agent: Chad Muhlenkamp (e)
- Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Robert Hernandez (e)
- v. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Pete Holm (e)
- vi. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: James Warner (e)

l. Guests: SK Pat Shay, Color Guard Commander Assembly 815

4. Approval of the Minutes from the previous meeting. A motion was made and seconded to approve the meeting minutes from the February meeting as distributed and published. The motion was approved by a voice vote with any corrections noted and made.
5. Chapter Officers' Reports
  - a. Chaplain's Report: No Report
  - b. President's Report:
    - i. All DD's and GK's are asked to contact those councils not present to attend this meeting.
    - ii. If it is at all possible, the Chapter Meetings will be from 7:30pm-8:30pm. Rosary will begin at 7:00pm.
    - iii. All Chapter Rosaries will be dedicated to those of our Sir Knights and Knights that are ill or battling diseases.
    - iv. At 7:30pm the Doors will close, and the Chapter Meeting will begin.
    - v. Council 500 has agreed to Open the Beverage Bar AFTER the meeting has concluded. Beverages can be purchased by Chapter members for the nominal fee.
    - vi. If your Council wishes to bring in Food, Dessert, or Snacks to share after the Meeting, you are welcomed to do so.
    - vii. The Purpose of the Chapter Meeting is to Exchange Information, Share Ideas, and to Help Councils that are Struggling, as well as supporting Our Priests and Seminarians. DDs are reminded to have your Councils represented at the Chapter Meeting.
    - viii. The State Convention is in May and State Secretary asked that all DD's sell 50/50 tickets at the convention with Dayton Chapter President.
      1. State Deputy thought that since DDs are free, they should help out.
    - ix. Please make sure that families are aware of what your plans upon your death.
    - x. Please consider volunteering for Treasurer position.
  - c. Vice President's Report: Deferred until North Arch Growth Report
  - d. Treasurer's Report:
    - i. For information regarding Chapter finances, contact: [treasurer@daytonkofc.org](mailto:treasurer@daytonkofc.org).
    - ii. SK Dave Weeks has to step down as Treasurer, we will need a replacement ASAP.
  - e. Secretary's Report:
    - i. Please report your Councils' delegates (which you are authorized 3) to [webmaster@daytonkofc.org](mailto:webmaster@daytonkofc.org)
    - ii. It is requested that all DD's provide a copy of Form 185 to the Treasurer for consolidation with the Secretary, so we have a way to contact all Councils.
  - f. Warden's Report: 26 Members present and verified. \$71 in the pot and \$71 collected for SOS.
6. Greater Dayton Chapter Program Reports
  - a. Chapter Programs:
    - i. Paul Gruhler: Continue to submit the applications. There is plenty of time.
    - ii. Chapter Web Site [www.daytonkofc.org](http://www.daytonkofc.org)

1. Updated with the Minutes and ARCH Newsletter 2. Send any flyers to webmaster ([webmaster@daytonkofc.org](mailto:webmaster@daytonkofc.org))
- b. Church: No Report
- c. Community:
  - i. CDCE (VAVS) Report (Bob Burns):
    1. As was reported last month We have an approved schedule of activities at the Dayton VA. A copy of the schedule can be found on the Chapter website under the VA Support Tab.
    2. The next scheduled activity at the Dayton VA is the Patio Cookout on 2 June from 11:00 - 1:00 PM in Bldg. 305 Multi-purpose room. Volunteers are requested. (see attached)
    3. Other Upcoming Events:
      - a. Honor Flight
        - i. 20 April and 1 June at the Dayton International Airport
        - ii. Flights are scheduled to arrive at 8:00 PM but please arrive around 6:30 PM
        - iii. Volunteers, including 4th Degree Members in Uniform are requested to turn out and welcome these Heroes home. All are welcome.
        - iv. Parking in the Airport parking garage and at Park-N-Go is free.
    4. There will be a “Vet’s Moving Forward” event on May 22 at Wright State University showcasing many Veteran needs (see attached).

Culture of Life:

- i. \$12,500 of \$20,000 received for the new Ultrasound at Elizabeth New Life Center.
- ii. Keep pressing so that we can get the extra \$8,000.
- e. Family: No Report
- f. Youth: No Report

7. State Council Appointees’ Remarks:

- a. State Growth Director: No Report
- b. State Growth Retention Director: No Report
- c. Diocesan Growth Director, North Cincinnati:
  - i. We have had a great month so far.
  - ii. If you have a neighboring council that needs help, check in and help.
  - iii. Get those CUF’s completed and transfer into your Council.
- d. Diocesan District Deputy Coordinator: No Report
- e. Hispanic Council Development Coordinator: No Report
- f. State Family Program Director: No Report
- g. State Public Relations Director: No Report

8. Fourth Degree Hennepin Province

- a. Vice Supreme Master:
  - i. There will be an Exempt in Perrysburg on April 19-20.
  - ii. Please work on the Korea/Vietnam Census.

- iii. SKs in the Uniform may wear nametags on the right-side level with left pocket but only in Social Settings
      - iv. Cardinal Dolan will host a Mass on the anniversary of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree.
    - b. Provincial Chief of Staff: No Report
    - c. Provincial and District Marshall: No Report
    - d. Ohio District #2 Master: No Report
    - e. Ohio District 2 Chief of Staff: No Report
9. District Deputy Reports
- a. District Deputy # 5: No Report
  - b. District Deputy # 6: No Report
  - c. District Deputy # 7: No Report
  - d. District Deputy # 8:
    - i. 3 of 5 councils are very close to achieving Star Council.
  - e. District Deputy # 9: No Report
  - f. District Deputy #10: No Report
    - i. As the Fraternal Activity Report, he combined them and discovered several actions that need to be corrected.
10. Unfinished Business: We will need to select delegates for the Supreme Convention
11. Old Business: No Report
12. New Business:
- a. SK Shay discussed the upcoming Knight of the Dragons on June 15.
    - i. We have only had 134 tickets of 300 have been sold.
    - ii. Cutoff for the discounted price is May 15 (no exceptions).
    - iii. See information attached.
  - b. (7981) Dale Nieberding (non-delegate) presented a motion to the chapter for \$500 to support his 503c Disciples of Destiny. Delegates from 7981 backed the motion with a 1st & 2<sup>nd</sup>. President called the roll. Voice vote was a push, and the hands were called. The final tally was 7 for and 10 against. Motion failed.
13. Council Announcements:
- Please note: Comments should be limited to Council events that are coming up in which Chapter Members can support and attend. It is not necessary to speak about a Hot Dog/Hamburger Dinner and how many hot dogs/ hamburgers were sold UNLESS it was a great event in which a fantastic amount of money was raised for various charities. This then would be a learning experience for other Councils to try if they wanted a successful fund-raising event. Please keep Council News Concise & Brief.*
- a. (Council 500) Bainbridge Hall - There will be a CUF on April 30 at 7:00pm.
  - b. (7981) St Luke's Parish - Hosting a CUF on April 21 at 11:30am.
  - c. (1801) St Brigid's Parish - Hosting a CUF on April 28 at 9:30am.
  - d. (District Marshall) Memorial Mass May 26, members are needed to help.
  - e. (3730) Holy Family Parish - Silver Rose will be there on June 25, 4<sup>th</sup> Degree will participate.

- f. (14882) St Henry Parish - Hosting a Super Garage Sale on June 19-20.
- g. (1610) Holy Trinity Parish - Hosting a Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast on Mother's Day for \$20 all you can eat (Whole Family!).
- h. (12912) St Christopher's Parish – Will host a pilgrimage to St Anthony's in Pittsburgh on October 26 (See attached).

14. Assembly Announcements: No Report

15. General Agent Remarks: No Report

16. State Secretary Remarks: No Report

17. State Officer Remarks: No report

18. Good of the Order: Chapter President Michael Freil asked for a report of brothers of the Order, who are sick or in distress. He then repeated aloud the prayer requests from this meeting's attendees.

19. Concluding Remarks:

- a. Get involved.

20. Adjournment

Following a closing prayer Chapter President Michael Freil adjourned at 8:24 pm the February regular business meeting of the Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus.

Respectively submitted,

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SK Scott Malott, PGK

Secretary, Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus

**Knights of Columbus- Greater Dayton Chapter "Serving Those Who Served" Dayton VAMC Annual Events Schedule 2024**

ASSEMBLIES: 815 Fr. Kuhlman, 822 Msgr. Buckley, 1776 Archbishop Karl J. Alter, 2299 Msgr. McNary, 2892 Bishop Ford, 3056 Joseph Cardinal Bernadin, 3188 Fr. Nicholas Schneider, 3273 Fr. Francis B. Pilliod

DATE	DAY	EVENT	PLACE	BLDG	TIME
2 Jun	1 <sup>st</sup> Sun	Patio Cookout	Multipurpose Room	305	11:00 – 1:00 PM
18 Aug	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun	Summer Bingo	Multipurpose Room	305	1:00 – 2:30 PM
1 Oct		Cold Weather Clothing Collection Men's/Women's Hats, Gloves, Scarves (Bring to Chapter Meeting)			
20 Oct	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun	Fall Bingo	Multipurpose Room	305	1:00 - 2:00 PM
20 Nov	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed	Christmas Cards for Vets (initiate). Request Parish Schools to make cards			
17 Nov	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun	Christmas Decorating 815 Fr. Kuhlman will provide and decorate Tree	All VAVS Areas	305	2:30 – 4:00 PM
18 Nov	3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon	Cold Weather Clothing Turn In		305	11:30 - 1:00
18 Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed	K of C & Santa Gift Giving Hospital Tour Christmas Cards for Vets (turn-in)	Main Hospital Tower	310	6:00 – 7:00 PM
24 Dec	4 <sup>th</sup> Mon	Christmas Eve Celebration & Santa	Lobby	Hospital	7:00 – 9:00 PM

Note: Funds for Gift Giving Hospital Tour-is provided by the K of C Ohio State Council Charities. Cold Weather Clothing-bring to Chapter Meeting. All donated clothing items must be new. Any Knight wishing to be Santa Claus-contact VAVS Deputy Representative (Bob Burns), a one size fits all Santa suit is available.

The K of C "Serving Those Who Served" VA Veterans Program-has a n Annual cost of \$ 1800.00. The K of C Ohio State Council has provided the funds for the Gift Giving Santa Tour. \$ 900.00 is needed annually to assure our K of C VA Veterans Program is a success. All funds to support the K of C "Serving Those Who Served" Veterans Program must be made Payable to the "Greater Dayton Chapter K of C", mark in Memo "K of C VA Veterans Program".

POC: Bob Burns, Deputy VAVS Representative, 937-219-4139, kocfdd8@gmail.com

📅 Jun 15, 2024 7:05 PM EDT

## Knights of Columbus Greater Dayton Chapter

Come join friends, family, and fellow Knights for a fun night out at a Dragons game on Saturday, June 15 at Day Air Ballpark! Game starts at 7:05pm, with gates opening at 6:00pm. Be sure to arrive early to watch Knights from the Knights of Columbus Greater Dayton Chapter present the colors, as well as listen to fellow Knight Mike Jette perform the national anthem. Tickets are \$14, with half the proceeds going back to the chapter.

**Deadline to order tickets is Friday, May 17, 2024.**





Good of the Order Prayer Requests

Hank Borchers

Michael Gauder

Dan Pfeiffer

Paul Quokke

Patrick Duffy

Ed Dardenau (late)

Shirley Graves

FATHER JIM MANNING

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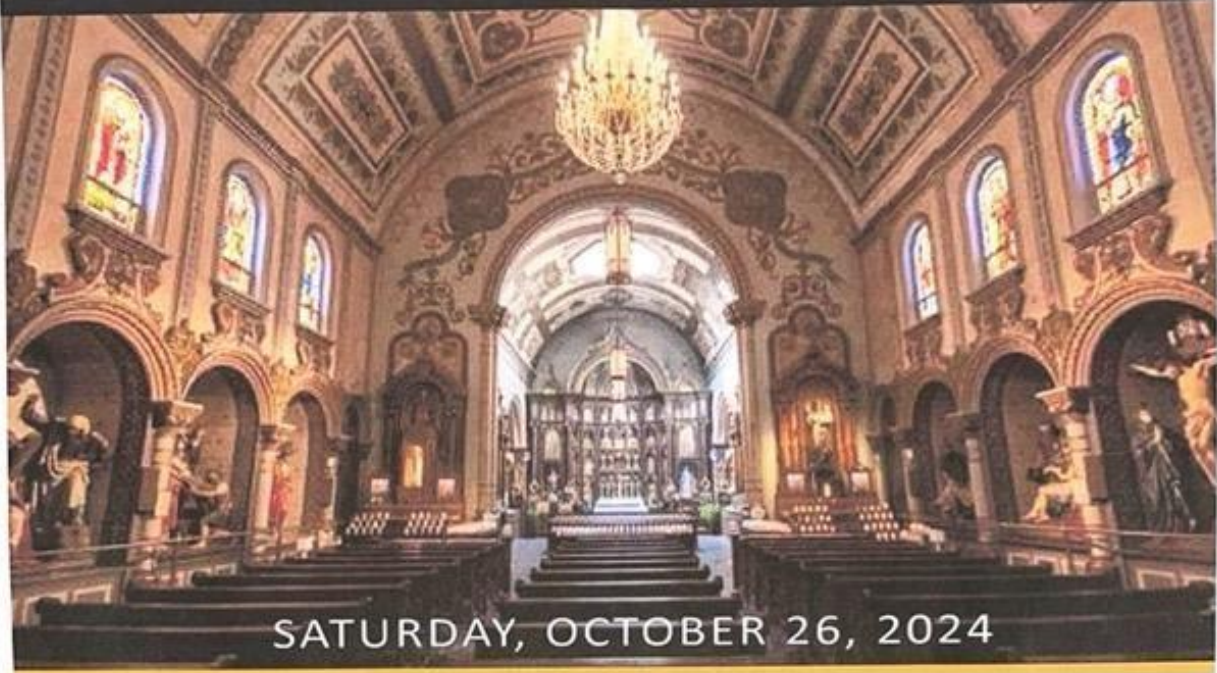
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# PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ANTHONY'S CHAPEL

## Pittsburgh, PA



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024

### Itinerary

- 9:00 AM Depart St. Christopher Church, Vandalia, OH parking lot via Chartered Coach (Box lunch served en-route)
- 2:00 PM Arrive St. Anthony's Chapel, Pittsburgh, PA and begin guided tour
- After the tour, there will be free time in the Chapel and at gift shop
- 4:00 PM Mass in Chapel
- 5:15 PM Depart Chapel via Chartered Coach for Penn Brewery
- 5:30 PM Arrive Penn Brewing Company for a Buffet-type dinner (non-alcoholic beverages included; Cash Bar)
- 7:30 PM Board the Chartered Coach for return trip to St. Christopher parking lot
- 12:00 AM Arrive at St. Christopher Church, Vandalia, OH parking lot

**Cost per person: \$160.00 includes:**

Bus fare, Box lunch, Chapel tour, and Penn Brewery buffet dinner (gratuities are included in price).

**Chairperson: Ted Schorr (412) 751-5469**

If you plan to attend, please make arrangements for Ted Schorr to obtain your deposit of \$75 (cash only) per person (in an envelope with your name, address and phone number). **Final payment will be due September 21, 2024**

**Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a paying adult and are not permitted to travel alone.**

# VETS MOVING FORWARD

May 22nd, 2024 3PM - 7PM

Wright State University Student Union  
Hosted by Greater Miami Valley My Veteran Community

## VETERANS

JOIN US to gather Caregiver/Spouse resources  
DISCOVER Veterans resources in our region  
TALK TO employers about jobs  
NETWORK with other Veterans  
ENROLL for services at the Dayton VA Medical Center  
GET ASSISTANCE with Disability Claims  
GET ADVICE on Wills  
OBTAIN a Veteran ID Card



REGISTER FOR FREE

## FREE RIDES TO VETERANS

RTA and Greene CATS will provide free rides to Veterans to and from Wright State University on May 22, 2024. Please show proof of Military Service upon boarding.

## ORGANIZATIONS HIRING VETERANS AND VETERAN SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Be a part of our community that is coming together to provide resources and jobs to support our Veterans and their families.

REGISTER FOR FREE FOR A RESOURCE FAIR OR JOB FAIR TABLE

[www.vetsmovingforward.org](http://www.vetsmovingforward.org)

