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The Council was called to order at 7:00 pm with 18 members present.

Chaplain (Monsignor Ward)	Ρ	Financial Secretary (Jeff Furler)	Ρ	Inside Guard (Tony McCauley)	Р
Grand Knight (John Fruin)	Р	Treasurer (Tim Abel)	Р	Outside Guard (Terry Cochran)	Р
Deputy Grand Knight (Joe Klingler)	Р	Lecturer (Dan Hunt)	Р	Trustee (Jim Woodward)	А
Chancellor (Dan Lamboley)	Ρ	Advocate (Jeff Lopez)	А	Trustee (Kevin Cook)	А
Recorder (Luke Filosa)	Р	Warden (Mark Rayburn)	Р	Trustee (Roger Nalewajka)	А

The roll of officers was called and noted as follows (P – Present; A – Absent):

The Opening Prayer was the "Our Father".

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all members present.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were not provided and will be provided at the first meeting in October.

The Chaplain reported as follows:

- The Downs Council at St. Mary's is having a pancake and sausage breakfast on this Sunday from 7:30 to 11:00.
- Hoping we will have a good turnout for the October 1, 2011 clean-up of the grounds.
- Looking forward to seeing all of the Knights at a Capitol Campaign Reception in the upcoming weeks.

The following communications were read:

Guy DiCiaula reported Mike Tellman sent a letter to Avanti's thanking them for allowing our Council to work their restaurant for the Tootsie Roll drive for the intellectually disabled.

The following committees reported:

Tootsie Roll Drive:

- Guy DiCiaula thanked all of the Knights who helped with the drive.
- Tootsie Roll collection: Guy provided a recap of the results a total of \$1,512.99 was collected.
 - o Friday \$474
 - o Saturday \$308
 - o Sunday
 - **7:30** \$205
 - 9:00 \$229
 - 11:00 \$297
- Expenses incurred \$100 for aprons; and \$51.75 for Tootsie Rolls and canisters.
- Ran out of Tootsie Rolls at the 11:00 o'clock mass.
- The council thanked Guy for a job well done. Outstanding results for our first drive!

Golf Outing – September 23, 2011:

- The committee members (Dan LaFayette, Tim Abel, Jeff Lopez and Luke Filosa) reported we have 18 foursomes plus an additional 3 golfers. We have 11 hole sponsors.
- We are all set to go and looking forward to good weather on Friday.

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Baseball Game, Saturday September 24, 2011:

- Departure from the church at 8:00 am
- Game time is 12:10 pm.
- A Knight who was previously going is unable to attend at this time so there is a ticket now avaiable if you have interest contact Joe Klingler.

Knights Soccer Challenge at the PCSL Soccer Complex on Ireland Grove Road:

- Chairman Kevin Kuebler reported there has been a lot of publicity around the event with notices in the Pantagraph on-line, local schools, church bulletins, and with the Boy Scouts.
- We have volunteers for the event; but, if you are free on Sunday at 12:30 pm feel free to come out.
- We currently have 1 person signed-up for the event; the feeling is this is the type of event where kids will sign-up the day of the event.
- Event starts at 1:00 pm on fields C3 and C4.

Parish Clean-up day – Chairman Joe Denman

- Joe has sent out a note to the membership along with a "To do list" from Monsignor Jerry.
- We will start 8 am.
- Lunch will be provided.
- If there is a large enough number of volunteers we will include the Towanda-Barnes road clean up.

Pancake Breakfast - November 20, 2011

- The following Knights will be the committee for this event: Jeff Furler, Mike Pool, Tony McCauley, Rich Staley and Dan Hunt.
- Additional information will be provided by the committee once they have had a chance to meet and determine a game plan.
- All other Knights should mark their calendar for this event so we have a great turn out of volunteers like we did last spring.

Under Good of the Order:

Dan Lamboley:

Membership:

- Thursday, October 20, 2011 the Bloomington Council will hold a 1st degree initiation.
- Tuesday, November 15, 2011 our council will hold a 1st degree initiation. Dan will work on getting a table set-up after the masses on November 5/6 and November 12/13 which can be used for both Pancake Breakfast tickets and the membership information table.
- The next major degree ceremony (1st, 2nd, 3rd degree) will be held in Peoria on Sunday, October 30, 2011. If you are interested in getting these degrees please contact Dan Lamobley at Lambold@unit5.org

Council Clothing:

• Dan will be sending out an electronic order form from Select Screen with shirts and hats with the Knights emblem and our council information for purchase for those wanting these items.

John Fruin:

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• The 2011 Life Chain in support of right to life will be held on Sunday, October 2, 2011 at 2 pm along College Avenue. This is a silent protest against abortion. The chain starts at the David Anderson Park on East College Avenue and will head east along both sides of College Avenue.

Luke Filosa:

• Thanked all of the Knights who helped at the Irish Pumpkin Festival last Saturday and also on Wednesday to unload the truck with the tables and chairs from Weavers.

Jason Bramley addressed the council with the services he provides to the Knights of Columbus

Closing Prayer was the "Hail Mary".

Respectfully Submitted by,

Luke Filosa, Recorder