

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
Good Shepherd Council 14673

October 2, 2025

Please communicate any "new business" via email and/or before the meeting.

Call to Order: Ken Smith

Recording Secretary Report: minutes were distributed electronically and approved unanimously

Chaplain: Reflection

Grand Knight's Message: Rosary this weekend at 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct 4th and at 10 a.m. Sunday, Oct 5th. Knight's Bingo is Sunday, Oct 5th. May need some help with set up. September Bingo had 209 players and brought in \$2,924 for the Knights. Fall Festival Booth....K of C is in charge on Saturday. Fraternal Benefit online webinar on October 27th at 7 p.m. A link will be sent out. On October 28th at Vocations Dinner in Huntingburg. Columbiettes have a few seats left. Father Tyler will be the speaker. Patriot Gala on November 1st at the C.K. Newsome Center. Walt Lindsley will receive the Patriot Award. Thank you to Dan Hirsch for doing the newsletter. We will be finding people to do it quarterly. Thank you note from St Vincent de Paul for our donation to Walk for the Poor.

Treasurer's Report: \$26,491.94

Financial Secretary Report:

	9/30/2025	
		Amount
Beginning Balance 9/1/2025		\$25,978.66
Income		
Half Pot	\$80.00	
Bingo	\$2,924.92	
Total Income		\$3,004.92
Expenses		
Meals	\$222.21	
Insurance	\$769.43	
Total Expenses	\$991.64	
Donations:		
Columbiettes	\$500.00	
St. Vincent DrPaul Food Pantry (Hunger Bowl)	\$1,000.00	
Donation Total	\$1,500.00	
Total Expenses		<u>\$2,491.64</u>
Ending Balance 9/30/2025		\$26,491.94

Membership Report: no new members this month. We are waiting on one to get his paperwork submitted. Tony Spitz may have interest in joining. Mitchel Brothers and Jake Chandler may also join.

Cursillo Director: Womens' weekend is October 23rd to 26th. Mens' weekend is Feb 19th to the 22nd, 2026. Looking to get a Parish Ambassador. Tony Fehrenbacher graciously volunteered. Ultreya on Tuesday, Oct 21st.

Vocations Director: Attend a Monday night mass at Sacred Heart. Adoration is at 6:30 p.m. and Mass is at 7:30 p.m.

Memorial Director: no members passed away this month.

Coordinator for Columbiettes: nothing new to report

4th Degree Report: nothing new to report

Outreach Committee: no report

District Deputy: Email events@indianakofc.org for more info. Thanks for the Hunger Bowl donation. Council communication is key. Keep pushing membership. Jibault Envoy raised over \$80,000. Memorial Mass will be November 9, 2025. Promote the Knight's during the Holidays.

Unfinished Business: Memorial is having an "Encounter Hope" event in December. David and Alex are working on a plan for the December 6th event. We will use the types of food we have at Bingo.

New Business & Announcements:

Fall campus cleanup is October 25th at 6 a.m. Rosary.

First Sunday Bingo is November 2, 2025. Set up after 10:30 a.m. Mass Sunday. Start time is moved up 2 hours. Doors open at 2. Warmups at 3:15. Regular games start at 4

Build Hope With Us....Diocese Jubilee project is to partner with Habitat for Humanity to build a home. Diocese is looking for a \$1,000 donation from Parishes. Good Shepherd has already donated. They will need "sweat equity". More to come. Mykael Wigger is our point of contact for G.S. We will get a crew together.

Discussed Bingo Birthdays. We will start something new in January.

Accomplishments: October family of the Month is the family of Aaron & Tori Pugh.

Lecturer Reflection: Columbus Day is this month. Columbus brought the Good News of the Gospel to the World. He was not a perfect man. He did have a good relationship with natives. We are Knights of Columbus. We are serving a higher calling. The Rosary is our weapon. Pray a Rosary for Peace through the month of October. Challenge..... Pray the Rosary every day in October

Grand Knight Summary: Get out and volunteer!!! Continue to bring your families here to Good Shepherd for Mass. Stay strong during this tough period. The next meeting is November 6, 2025. Kent Kleiman will bring the food. Beverages will be provided.

Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully Submitted,

Kent Kleiman