GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 16 NOVEMBER 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Faithful Navigator (FN) Chris Kendziera.

The opening ceremony was conducted.

The opening prayer was led by FN Chris Kendziera.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by FN Chris Kendziera.

The opening ode was not sung.

The role of officers was called and noted as follows:

Officers Fraternal Year 2023/2024:

Faithful Navigator:	Chris Kendziera	P	Faithful Scribe:	Chris Cooper	P
Faithful Comptroller:	Rod Komlofske	P	Inner Sentinel:	Vacant	A
Faithful Friar:	Fr. Jack Morrison	A	Outer Sentinel:	Frank Pollak	A
Faithful Captain:	Chris Germaine	A	Faithful Trustee:	Dave Benes	P
Faithful Admiral:	Dave Benes	P	Faithful Trustee:	Bruce Butler	A
Faithful Purser:	Colin Jorsch	P	Faithful Trustee:	Michael Butler	A
Faithful Pilot:	Brian Curless	A	Honor Guard Commander:	Michael Butler	A

Faithful Friar Report: Fr. Jack Morrison was excused due to pastoral duties.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were not read in lieu of them being sent out to the membership via email and posted on the Assembly Website. Past Faithful Navigator (PFN) Tom Zumbahlen moved to accept the minutes for the preceding meeting. PFN Dave Benes made a second on the motion. APPROVED.

The following bills were read and referred:

None.

The following communications were read:

None.

Faithful Comptroller Report: Faithful Comptroller Rod Komlofske briefed no change.

<u>Faithful Purser Report:</u> Faithful Purser Colin Jorsch briefed no change.

Committees Reports:

None.

Membership:

Faithful Comptroller Rod Komlofske briefed there was one transfer out of the Assembly. Membership is now at 108.

Unfinished Business:

None.

<u>Trustees Report:</u> PFN Dave Benes – nothing significant to report.

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New Business:

- Faith Comptroller Rod Komlofske briefed there will be a 4th Degree Exemplification on 20 January 2024 in New Bern, NC.
- Faith Comptroller Rod Komlofske briefed PFN Tom Zumbahlen found the Assembly Charter. He is researching the cost of having it framed.
- FN Chris Kendziera briefed Wreaths Across America 2023. The Assembly met its goal of purchasing 50 wreaths.
 - He further briefed the wreaths will be laid at Sand Hills Cemetery on Saturday, 16 December 2023, at 12:00 PM (Noon). A car pool will be able at 11:00 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Parish.
- Faith Comptroller Rod Komlofske moved to reimburse FN Chris Kendziera \$170.00 for purchasing 10 wreaths on the Assembly's behalf for Wreaths Across America. PFN Dave Benes made a second on the motion. APPROVED.
- FN Chris Kendziera briefed Council 9847 is hosting a Patriotic Rosary at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Parish on 20 November 2023. The time is to be determined. It will start at 5:30 PM or 6:30 PM. All Knights are invited.
- FN Chris Kendziera briefed the PFN Miller of Assembly 2232 requested volunteers to help put together care packages for the local Veterans Administration (VA). The date is 1 December 2023 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM (Noon) at Manna Church on Cliffdale Road, Fayetteville, NC.
- FN Chris Kendziera briefed Council 9847 is hosting K of C Christmas Party on 9 December 2023 after the 4:00 PM Mass. All Assembly members are invited.
- FN Chris Kendziera briefed the next General Membership Meeting will be at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church, 1000 Andrews Road, Fayetteville, NC 28311. The date is 18 January 2024. Fellowship meal starts at 6:30 PM and the Meeting starts at 7:00 PM.

Good of the Order:

SK Gerry Lewis Father Jack Kelly, Past Faithful Friar Deployed Military and Civilians People of Ukraine PFN Frank A. Pollak Victims of Human Trafficking PFN Tom Zumbahlen Betty Neely **Bob Hack** Knights in assisted living facilities The closing ceremony was conducted. The closing prayer was led by FN Chris Kendziera. The closing ode was not sung. Adjourned: 7:30 PM.

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