

BEAUSEJOUR COUNCIL

#05870



BULLETIN FOR THE
MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2022

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EXECUTIVE OFFICERS FOR 2021/2022

The regular monthly meetings of the Beausejour Council commence with Mass at St. Mary Roman Catholic Church at 7:00 p.m. on the 2nd Monday each month.

Chaplian

Grand Knight	Ron OBODZINSKI (Maria)	268-9337
Deputy Grand Knight	Fred KAZINA (Denise)	268-5877
Chancellor	Gerald GEALL (Anne)	268-4529
Advocate	Robert BARANOSKI (Nancy)	268-1365
Financial Secretary	Ron CHAY (Lucille)	755-2821
Recorder	Josh AIMOLA (Leah)	205-0544
Treasurer	Lance WADELIUS (Cindy)	268-0400
Warden	Christopher KIAZYK (Barbara)	268-1972
Inside Guard	Richard ROGOSKI (Kim)	268-2467
Outside Guard	Roy ZARICHANSKI (Wendy)	268-3720
Trustee First Year	Tom PUCHALSKI (Solange)	866-3112
Trustee Second Year	Irvin STEFANSSON (Mary Jane)	268-2443
Trustee Third Year	Bill ROLSKY (Shirley)	268-0037

COUNCIL DIRECTORS

Program Director	Fred KAZINA (Denise)	268-5877
Anola Round Table	Ron CHAY (Lucille)	755-2821
Community Director	David BORTOLUZZI	492-0799
Church Director	Bill ROLSKY (Shirley)	268-0037
Faith Director	Christopher KIAZYK (Barbara)	268-1972
Health Services	Ron CHAY (Lucille)	755-2821
Family/Life Director	Gerard LANNOO (Margaret)	268-3224
Membership	Arley CORBETT (Joyce)	268-1464
Pro Life Couple	Gerard and Margaret LANNOO	268-3224
Public Relations	Stan PLESKACH (Anne)	268-296
Recruitment Comm.	Arley CORBETT (Joyce)	268-1464
Social Convener	Joe BORTOLUZZI (Roseanne)	268-2978
Vocations Chairman	Robert BARANOSKI (Nancy)	268-1365

MEETING DATES FOR THE COLUMBIAN YEAR 2022/2023

12 NOV 22 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE’S

**14 NOV 22 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS WILL TAKE PLACE; BRING YOUR
JEWEL.**

10 DEC 22 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE’S

12 DEC 22 – 6:30 P.M. – MASS & LADIE’S NIGHT DINNER AT ST. MARY

7 JAN 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE’S

9 JAN 23 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY

11 FEB 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE’S

13 FEB 23 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY

11 MAR 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE’S

13 MAR 23 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY

8 APR 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE'S

10 APR 23 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY

6 MAY 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE'S

8 MAY 23 – 7:00 P.M. – MASS & GENERAL MEETING AT ST. MARY – ELECTIONS

10 JUN 23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE'S

12 JUN 23 – 6:30 P.M. – MASS & LADIE'S NIGHT DINNER AT ST. MARYi

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Dear Brother Knights and families

Remembrance Day ceremonies will be held on 11 November in our communities. Please contact your local Royal Canadian Legion for details. At our monthly Mass and General meeting this month, we will remember our Brother Knights and their spouses who have gone before us during the reading of the Necrology.

The Installation of Officers will take place at Mass prior to our General Meeting on 14 November. Father Joshua GUNDRUM from Selkirk has accepted an invitation to celebrate Mass on that date.

Thank you to our Brother Knights and Ladies of the Catholic Women's League who have led us in reciting the Holy Rosary during the month of October.

Our Lady of Hope and St. Mary Parishes have been so blessed to have His Grace, Archbishop Albert Le GATT, and neighboring Priests and Deacons, who have celebrated Mass at our Parishes this fall and into the winter season.

Please consider attending this month's Mass and Council General Meeting. This is a great time to participate in Council's good works and joining us for fellowship and fraternity.

Vivat Jesus
Ron OBODZINSKI, Grand Knight

SPIRITUAL OUTLOOK

PROVERBS 25: 21 & 22

PRO-LIFE COUPLE – Gerard & Margaret LANNOO

Eastman Pro-Life Group are sponsoring « Support for Ukraine » posters for placement at our Parishes and homes. To obtain such a sign, please contact Brother Knight Gerard LANNOO at 268-3224.

SIGNS WITH « PRAY FOR PEACE » AND THE UKRAINIAN FLAG ARE AVAILABLE FOR PLACING IN FRONT OF YOUR HOMES.

FAITH DIRECTOR - Christopher KIAZYK 268-1972

Our Beausejour Council is taking the lead in promoting a “Word On Fire” series. This is a most interesting program and one that will enlighten us all on our faith and efforts to Evangelize all members of our Catholic Faith. Please consider signing up for this program by contacting me at your convenience.

Let us join our Ukrainian Brother Knights in offering prayers and Masses for the safety and well-being of the citizens of Ukraine.

For all Brother Knights who have access to “You Tube” on your computer, please consider taking some time and view the many episodes of “Word on Fire” by His Grace, Bishop Robert BARRON. It is truly worth the 20 minutes of your time.

COMMUNITY DIRECTOR – Brother David BORTOLUZZI 492-0799

Our recent Blood Donor Clinic held on the 20th of OCTOBER 2022 saw 104 donors attend and 91 units of blood was collected. This equates to 273 people in blood components are potential recipients of this clinic’s harvest.

A call is going out to donate to the Canadian Red Cross in support of the strife suffered in the Ukraine. All donations will be equalled by the Canadian Red Cross. Contact information for the Red Cross is Phone # 1-800-418-1111, to contact over the internet is “donate.redcross.ca” and go to the link on Ukraine donation.

A MESSAGE FROM OUR FRATERNAL INSURANCE AGENT

NOVEMBER – “...RENDERING PECUNIARY AID”

The month of NOVEMBER in the Knights of Columbus is traditionally the time when we remember our deceased Brother Knights – those who have gone to their eternal reward.

Our thoughts also turn, naturally, to those who our Brother Knights have left behind; their widows and children. These are the same people, though of a different generation, who occupied Father McGIVNEY’s thoughts in 1882 when he founded the Order.

The first two reasons listed on our charter for the establishment of the Knights of Columbus are, “rendering pecuniary aid to it’s members and their families and beneficiaries of members,” and “rendering mutual aid and assistance to its sick, disabled and needy members and their families”.

My position as a field agent for the Order has evolved from those principles. I am here to help you plan financial security – both for yourself and for those who you may leave behind. I am not here to sell you insurance because you might die and be a part of our remembrances next NOVEMBER. I am here to sell you insurance because someone else might live...and I think you love that someone and would like here to continue to live with dignity.

It's not a pretty thought, but picture the first NOVEMBER your loved ones will spend without you. How does it look? **Call me today for an appointment, I want to hear from you.**

**Brother Knight Samuel RAINEY – General Agent Samuel.Rainey@kofc.org
204-482-4897**

REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Brother Knights: Rev. Fr. Robbie McDOUGALL, William ROLSKY, Michael KAMINSKI, Robert MARKO, Ron CHAY, Joseph BORTOLUZZI, Gerard LANNOO, Ed FARIAS, and Trevor SZEJEWSKI

Ladies: Shirley ROLSKY, Mary HUTNIAK, Anne WOLIGROSKI, Iona MARKO, Adele BIALEK, Margaret LANNOO, Mary Jane STEFANSSON, Sandra KISILOSKI, Anne WALKENSTEIN, and Rosanne BORTOLUZZI

DUES DUES DUES DUES

Our yearly dues of \$30.00 are now payable for the calendar year of 2023. Make your cheque out to K. of C. Beausejour Council #05870 and turn it over to our Worthy Financial Secretary, Brother Knight Ron CHAY. Mailing address is Knights of Columbus, P.O. Box 1001, BEAUSEJOUR, MB R0E 0C0

REASON FOR LATE DUES

Just a line to say I’m living,
That I’m not among the dead;
Though I’m getting more forgetful
And mixed up in the head.

I got used to my arthritis,
To my dentures I’m resigned.
I can manage my bifocals
But God, I miss my mind.

For sometimes I can’t remember, when
I stand at the foot of the stairs,

If I must go up for something
Or have I just come down from there?

And before the fridge, so often
My poor mind is filled with doubt;
Have I just put food away
Or have I come to take some out?

And there's times when it is dark,
With my nightcap on my head,
I don't remember if I am retiring
Or just getting out of bed.

So, if it's my time to pay you
There's no need for getting sore
I may think that I have remitted
And I don't want to be a bore.

Here I stand beside the mail box
With a face so very red;
Instead of mailing you this letter
I had opened it instead.

THE 24-HOUR KNIGHT

Imagine if you were able to tell a man that he could just give 24 hours a year to the Knights of Columbus he could make a positive difference in his community and Church. Below is an illustration of just how little time it takes to be an active part of the Order.

12 Hours a Year reading the weekly parish bulletin, the state and local council newsletters, Columbia magazine, and surfing the State council and Supreme Council websites.

2 Hours a year volunteering at a council charity activity.

2 Hours a year attending, with his family, two council religious activities.

2 Hours a year on a council-sponsored Church, community, council, family or youth project of his choosing.

2 Hours a year attending one council meeting.

3 Hours a year enjoying (again, with his entire family) a council social function such as a dinner, dance or picnic.

1 Hour a year visiting with your Knights of Columbus Field Agent to ensure that your family is protected now and in the years to come. **Presented this way, joining is not intimidating at all.**

Brother Knights, please consider becoming a member of Eastman Life's Vision, our local Pro-Life organization. This is an affiliate group of Life's Vision Manitoba. Eastman Life's Vision mission is to contribute to the protection of Life from the moment of conception to natural death. To uphold, advocate and promote, in an ethical and moral manner, the respect all human life deserves.

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

God of Peace and Justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all who fear for tomorrow, that Your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all Your precious children at risk and in fear, that You hold them and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. **AMEN**

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

11 NOV 22 – 10:30 A.M. – REMEMBRANCE DAY AT THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION IN BEAUSEJOUR

12 NOV 22 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE'S

13 NOV '22 – 9:00 A.M. – REMEMBRANCE DAY MASS AT ST. MARY CELEBRATED BY HIS GRACE, ARCHBISHOP ALBERT LE GATT. MEMBERS OF THE PATRIOTIC DEGREE ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR REGALIA OR TUXEDO WITH SERVICE BADRIC. MUSTER IN LOWER LEVEL OF CHURCH AT 8:30 A.M.

3 DEC '22 – Exemplification to the Patriotic Order of the Knights of Columbus hosted by Sir Knight Francis Patrick KENNEDY, K.S.G. Assembly #1973

10 DEC '22 – 9:00 A.M. – EXECUTIVE MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIE'S

12 DEC '22 – 6:30 P.M. – MASS & LADIE'S NIGHT AT ST. MARY. A CATERED DINNER IS PLANNED.

REPORT OF THE PATRIOTIC DEGREE

All Brother Knights of our Council who have attained the Knighthood Degree (3rd) of our Order are cordially invited to consider joining the Patriotic Degree (4th). This can be accomplished on Saturday the 3rd of DECEMBER 2022 at Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish, 264 Donwood Drive in Winnipeg. The cost of this is \$25.00; which is a substantial saving from other years. Kindly advise Sir Knight Arley CORBETT at our next meeting on the 14th of NOVEMBER of your desire to becoming a Sir Knight.

Family of the Month- October

Trevor and Sarah KARASEVICH

Trevor and Sarah are active parishioners at St. Mary since they moved to Beausejour area in 2020. They have 2 children of their own James age 10 and Aiden who is 5. They are in the process of adopting two more children Aubree 10 and Beau 8. Sarah is a stay at home Mom.

The family attends Mass on a regular basis and they pray the rosary every evening. Sarah is on the church cleaning committee. They are a very close family who enjoy their faith. We are pleased to have this family living in our parish.