

BEAUSEJOUR COUNCIL

#05870



BULLETIN FOR THE
MONTH OF JANUARY 2023

*HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL*

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EXECUTIVE OFFICERS FOR 2022/2023

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.

Chaplain

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)	268-4084
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 ROSKY (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

7 JAN '23 – 9:00 A.M. EXEC. 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. – EXEC. 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. – EXEC. MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIES

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

8 APR '23 – 9:00 A.M. – EXEC. MEETING & BREAKFAST AT VICKIES

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

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Dear Brother Knights and Your Families:

Happy New Year, Dear Brothers and your families. I trust everyone celebrated Advent and Christmas in a special way.

I wish to extend a Merry Christmas to our Ukrainian Brothers, and let us pray for peace in Ukraine and through out the world.

As we journey through 2023 as a Council, let us continue to support our parishes and communities with Charity, Fraternity and Unity.

We remember and pray for the repose of the soul of Pope emeritus Benedict XVI.

And also Ontario Provincial Police, Constable Grzegorz PIECZCHALA who was slain outside Hagersville, Ontario on 27 December 2022.

Vivat Jesus

Ron OBODZINSKI, Grand Knight

FAITH & FAMILY DIRECTOR - BROTHER CHRIS KIAZYK

Congratulations to Brother Knight Chris KIAZYK and his lady, Barbara on being the recipients of the "THE FAMILY OF THE MONTH" representing Manitoba State for the month of NOVEMBER, 2022.

For all Brother Knights and families who have access to "You Tube", please consider taking the time and view the many episodes of "WORD ON FIRE" by His Grace, Bishop Robert BARRON. It is very inspirational and leaves a feeling of serenity with you on each of the many topics he covers.

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**

COMMUNITY DIRECTOR - Brother David BORTOLUZZI 492-0799

A reminder to drop off food/monetary donations to the Food Bank. It is open on Monday and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 12 Noon.

Blood Donor Clinic on Thursday the 26th of JANUARY 2023 at the Brokenhead Community Hall – 2:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.

A MESSAGE FROM OUR FRATERNAL INSURANCE AGENT

JANUARY – WHAT IF?

If you knew that today was the last chance you would ever have to buy additional life insurance, how much would you buy? If you had a money-making machine, that once broken, could never be repaired, how much would you insure it for?

If you knew that today was the last time you would have the opportunity to guarantee your family an income if something happened to you, how much income would you give them? If you knew that today would mark the ability to buy future retirement security, how much would you buy?

Isn't it safe to say that you would put some additional dollars in to more life insurance protection that could be used for family or retirement benefits?

Chances are that you will be around for a long time, but life is full of "ifs" and surprises, isn't it?

Let me help you plan for the future. Call me today.

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

REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

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

Ladies: Shirley ROLSKY, Mary HUTNIAK, Anne WOLIGROSKI, Iona MARKO, Adele BIALEK, Margaret LANNOO, and Roseanne BORTOLUZZI

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

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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

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.

IN MEMORIAM

*Cst. Grzegorz PIERZCHAŁA - 28 Years of Age
Ontario Provincial Police
Murdered on the 27th of DECEMBER 2022*

**AS THE POLICEMAN WAITED QUIETLY,
FOR THE JUDGEMENT OF HIS GOD,**

**“STEP FORWARD NOW, POLICEMAN,
YOU’VE BORNE YOUR BURDENS WELL,
COME WALK A BEAT ON HEAVEN’S STREETS,
YOU’VE DONE YOUR TIME IN HELL”**