



3rd Degree

NEWSLETTER
Knights of Columbus
Council #7014 Rockdale, Texas
JUNE 2021



4th Degree

Officers & Chairmen Meeting: 1st Thursday 7pm.

Council Meeting w/supper 3rd Thursday at 7pm

2020-2021 COUNCIL OFFICERS

Chaplain.....???

Grand Knight.....Kenny Svrcek

Dep. GK.....Wesley Janak

Chancellor.....Phil Konarik

Recorder.....Robert Zapata

Warden.....Charlie Watson

Treasurer.....Lambert Skubal, Jr.

Financial Sec..... Jim Grametbauer

Advocate.....Fred Marquez

Lecturer.....Chad Ehler

Inside Guard.....Tom Alejandro

Outside Guard.....Rodrigo Mancillas

Trustee 1 Year.....Manual Doud

Trustee 2 Year.....Nick Guzman

Trustee 3 Year.....Frank Garcia

Newsletter.....Phil Konarik

Dist. Deputy.....(vacant)

KC Hall Booking Mgr...512-585-9149

Field Agent.....Clint Hajovsky

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Evelyn D. Janak, 88, died Friday, May 28, 2021. Services Tuesday June 1st include a Rosary 6:30pm visitation begins at 5:30 pm. On Wednesday, June 2nd funeral Mass is 10 am St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rockdale

followed by a luncheon provided by the St. Joseph's Ladies Society and served at the Rockdale KC Hall. Burial will be at 2pm at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Cemetery in Frenstat. Evelyn was a longtime, active member of St. Joseph's parish and the Ladies Society. For many years she served on the bereavement committee, altar duty, the Christmas Bazaar and the Mayfest. She, along with her husband, Charlie, were faithful KC supporters. Our condolences to her grandson, Wesley Janak and wife Jessica; granddaughter, Chrystie Butler and husband Clint; great grandkids, Caylee and Case Butler, Luke Janak, Brayden and Gracey Burns; her nieces, nephew and their families.

VOLUNTEER HOURS MAY:

CHARITABLE PROJ: 38 HRS

HALL MAINT. PROJ: 24 HRS

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES: 50 HRS

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OUR COUNTRY'S REAL HEROS DIDN'T WEAR CAPES, THEY WORE DOGTAGS

KC HALL FILLS A NEED

The Rockdale community mourns the loss of Alex Sandoval, 11-year-old daughter of Terri and Andy Sandoval. Alex lost her battle with a rare brain cancer on May 17th. While KC hall functions have been very limited this past year due to covid, there are certain community needs that the council tries to accommodate. The large area helped provide space for the anticipated funeral crowd size.

From the May Officers and Council Meetings: GK Kenny Svrcek, the officers and a small informal group met to discuss finances, and how we are doing during the Corona Pandemic. We have taken steps to control our expenses. We have the RVFD fundraiser coming up May 15th, insurance is coming due soon. Election of officers is at the June council meeting.

- **OFFICER & COUNCIL MEETINGS** for 2021 have resumed on their normal first and third Thursdays at 7 pm. All members are encouraged to attend Council meetings. The June Council meeting will have the election of officers as first order of business. We have decisions to make on what type of events we want to host as the covid situation lingers and is still a concern. There was a suggestion at the May Council meeting that we go to one meeting per month. Just a Council meeting rather than a separate Officers meeting as we currently have. If needed, officers can call a separate meeting or meet early before the Council meeting. Also, the day for the Council meeting also may change from the third Thursday to another day. Both suggestions would be voted on at some point. Election of officers upon us and nominations are open for all offices. If you would like to run for an office or want to nominate someone, make your wishes known.
- **FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS** for the May 21st 4000# delivery were Tom Alejandro, Willie Barcak, Pat Watson, Phil Konarik, Pete Ramirez and Frank Garcia. The "human conveyor" was a little short this time but we got it done. Charlie Watson called to remind volunteers. The Food Bank truck visited the KC hall parking lot Thursday, May 6th and 20th for "drive thru" distribution. We surely miss two of our most faithful food pantry volunteers: Tom Hormuth who moved to Austin and Milton Frei who passed away in March. Anyone who would like to join this monthly project please contact any of the volunteers listed above or just show up (across from the old Police Station) as scheduled on the KC calendar.
- **MEMORIAL COMMITTEE** reports that Perpetual Clerical Endowments were presented to the families of their recently deceased relatives. To Isabel Frei and family in memory of Milton Frei. To Charlie Kouba and family in memory of Anne Kouba. Both Milton and Anne will be included in the annual Memorial Mass each November where their names along with all deceased members and wives of Council 7014 are read aloud as we remember them all.
- **COUNCIL 7014 EXPENSES** for May include Electric \$819.66, TXU outside (parking lot) security lighting \$84.19, Trash \$167.94, Water \$99.95, Hall insurance \$1220.27. There were several AC units that were not working. Climate Control Company came out to the hall to change out filters and check out problems. They did find some issues that required parts replacement. Part of the problem was due to the extended shutdown, This bill will be due shortly.