



3rd Degree

NEWSLETTER
 Knights of Columbus
 Council #7014 Rockdale, Texas
FEBRUARY 2022



4th Degree

Council Meeting w/supper 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7pm, KC Hall 655 E. Hwy 79, Rockdale, TX

2021-2022 COUNCIL OFFICERS

Chaplain.....Fr. Pedro Castillo
 Grand Knight..... Kenny Svrcek
 Dep. GK.....Clint Butler
 Chancellor..... Phil Konarik
 Recorder..... Robert Zapata
 Warden..... Charlie Watson
 Treasurer.....Lambert Skubal Jr.
 Financial Sec.....(vacant)
 Advocate..... Jim Grametbauer
 Lecturer.....Chad Ehler
 Inside Guard..... Marty Elman
 Outside Guard.....Dwayne David
 Trustee 1 Year.....Nick Guzman
 Trustee 2 Year..... Frank Garcia
 Trustee 3 Year..... Marty Elman
 Newsletter.....Phil Konarik
 Dist. Deputy..... Tom Alejandro
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY #2587
Rockdale/Caldwell/Somerville
\$500 gift Card Raffle can be used
anywhere gift cards are accepted.
\$20 per ticket
(Need not be present to win)
Only 300 tickets will be sold
4 lucky winners will receive a \$500
Gift Card.

Drawing to be Monday, May 9,
2022, Knights of Columbus Hall
Rockdale, Texas

Get tickets from any 4th degree
 member or see Charlie Watson

FISH FRY SLAW MAKING

begins at 9am on February 22nd. Help
 is needed to peel, quarter and shred the
 cabbage, green peppers, onions, mixing
 with the other ingredients and stored in
 5 gal. buckets for aging until needed.

VOLUNTEER HOURS JANUARY:

CHARITABLE PROJ: 19 HRS
HALL MAINT. PROJ: 30 HRS
COUNCIL ACTIVITIES: 46 HRS
 <https://www.facebook.com/rockdale>



THANK YOU!

To the crew who helped with the take
 down and storage of the nativity display
 at St. Joseph's: Thomas Andrews, Pat
 Watson, Debbie Konarik, Phil Konarik
 and Kenny Svrcek.

THANK YOU CARD from St. Joseph's
 Ladies Society thanks KC's for the \$250
 donation to their Christmas Bazaar.

From the January Council Meeting: GK Kenny Svrcek, the officers, council members met on Jan. 11. The council reviewed the upcoming calendar for February. There were no hall bookings during February, just the usual meetings, Food Truck visits in the hall parking lot and the local Food Pantry truck where KC's unload food items. Several members have noticed and reported that our electronic sign at the KC hall parking lot entrance has some LED light segments on one side malfunctioning. The rest of the sign is working normally. An effort is being made to get the sign repaired. Another item discussed concerned the hall dumpster – it is too small and is not lockable. The “Dillo Disposal Company” does not have locking devices. We are looking at other suppliers. As the pandemic continues its up and down surges the annual Ladies Valentine Dinner and the Law Enforcement/EMS/Firemen's Appreciation chili supper are not scheduled. Planning is going forward with the annual Lenten Fish Fry fundraiser, once again, drive-thru only. With bookings being sparse, this fundraiser will be very important.

- **FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS** for the Jan. 21st, 3600# delivery were Tom Alejandro, Phil Konarik, Marty Elman, Pat Barcak, Willie Barcak, Bernie Doud and Roman Razo. Charlie Watson called to remind volunteers. The Food Bank truck visited the KC hall parking lot, Jan. 6th and 20th for “drive thru” distribution. Thanks to you all for taking time out of your day to assist the needy in our town!
- **COUNCIL 7014 EXPENSES** for January include TXU outside (parking lot) security lighting \$84.88, Electric bill: APG&E \$536.07, Waste Connection \$174.47, Dillo Disposal \$37.28, SWMWSC water \$96.93, TX Propane \$335.40, Insurance \$2,676.80 (with remaining insurance balance \$4015.20). \$256.22 IRS 4th Qtr. Sales Tax, \$50 Rockdale Chamber of Commerce Membership dues for 2022.
- **FISH FRY PLANNING** for this major and very popular fundraiser is underway. This year's menu may change from last year: Fish fillets, homemade slaw, hush puppies, French fries and pinto beans (???). We hope to include cake for dessert as well. We'd like to hold the price at \$10/plate but that depends on the price we pay for supplies as shopping begins soon. With prices we all see rising don't be surprised at a \$12 plate if we must. Slaw making begins on Feb. 22 at KC hall. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 2nd and the 1st of 6 Fish Frys happens on Friday March 4th.
- **COUNCIL DONATIONS** for January included \$640 Texas State Charities, \$200 to St. Joseph's Church collection.