## Meeting Minutes of Council 7880 held on August 16, 2016

Called to order by: Grand Knight Bob O'Connor at 8:05pm.

Attendance: There were 31 Brothers in attendance

Meeting minutes of the August 2nd were approved as corrected (spelling of Prestel).

The Council conferred 1st Degree on: Joseph Behringer, Ken Evens and Roger Taylor.

**Grand Knight report:** Help and participation is needed with the following activities; Golf Tournament on 9/9, Fall Festival 9/10, raffle sales prior to the Festival, after Mass hosted events and the Tootsie Roll drive. Also noted, the Memorial Mass to be held on Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, at 11AM in remembrance of our departed Brothers.

Grand Knight congratulated Ron Ferreira for being the Knight of the Year; announced the Knight of the Month, Duane Tinnes (who performed step construction at the parish house), and Family of the Month, Bruce Hamen.

**Treasurers report:** Ken reported the following account balances; Charities \$1,341, Raffle \$1,407 and General \$11,860.

**Financial Secretary report:** The budget as reported for 2016-2017 was approved with 30 voting for approval, 0 against, and 1 abstention. Phil reported dues collection has been successful, reducing the number of in arrear collections from 166 to 112 over the last few weeks. There are currently 24 golfers who paid for the upcoming 9/9 tournament, but Phil is hopeful there will be increased participation as we get closer to the event.

**Other business:** Phil secured 1,000 bags from King Soopers for the upcoming food drive associated with the Fall Festival. We need volunteers after all masses on the 27-28<sup>th</sup> of August to hand out the bags to parishioners.

The Parker Task Force will handle collections on Sunday 9/11.

Charity Knights – a vote on previous names resulted in the Sisters of Life (0), Food Bank of the Rockies (6), and the winner being Praying Hands Ranch (21).

A thank you card was received from the local American Cancer Society for our donation.

Bill Wasserman reported that the Ave Maria Prayer Group will meet next Sunday at 1:00 in Brownstein Hall, and will have a guest speaker: Deacon Brian Kerby. Help is needed to arrange the hall.

## **Prayers Requests for the Good of the Order:**

Nancy Wasserman, Stella Wasserman, "T" Stockman, Steve & Emily Buckley, Bob White, Sandy White, Rob White, Mark Malsam, Margaret McCann, Little Sisters of the Poor, Anna Nixon, Aiden O'Donnel, Chance Record, John & Selma Wright, Don & Helen Wood, Elizabeth Konkel, Ray Provost, Robert Klebieko