

Opening Time: May 9, 6:33pm	Attendees: 19	Opening Prayer: Fr Tim
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## Roll Call of Officers:

Chaplain Fr Tim	P	Financial Sec Brian O	P	Inside Guard Frank P	A
Grand Knight John R	A	Treasurer Craig R	A	Outside Guard Scott H	A
Deputy Grand Kgt DG	P	Lecturer Bernie A	P	Trustee (1 <sup>st</sup> Year) DA	P
Chancellor Marty B	P	Advocate Dennis L	A	Trustee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Year) BS	P
Recorder Jim R	P	Warden Brady B	P	Trustee (3 <sup>rd</sup> Year) MB	P

Approval of Minutes	Approved
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Chaplain's Message:	Fr Tim: Every day is a crucifixion. We are a part of the passion. Whatever sufferings we are dealing with, trust in the Lord.
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## Reports

Grand Knight	Dave Galt: State convention in Helena, last weekend in April, 2025 Budget to be ready for approval at June meeting. Looking good. 1 <sup>st</sup> ever statewide fishing tournament. June, 2024 17 lakes Council 844 approved as 100% compliant for safe environment June meeting starts at 6:00 for exemplification. Next fraternal year officer ballot. Dennis Loveless resigning post. Thank you for clergy dinner from Deacon Mike and Glenda Seipp.
Financial	Brian O: April 39k revenue; 15k expenses; 87k balance New trailer; Brian Olsen, in role as Financial Secretary, is authorized to sign for the new title and registration.
Membership	Dave: John R has done a lot of work to go through list and contact old members not active. 2 new people for exemplification: Michael Freeman, Clifton Cox. Membership drive at St Mary's all masses May 18-19 4:30, 8, 10:30 277 members right now. Brian says he will send out another round of notices
Program Director	
Faith Director	N/A
Family Director	Carl O; Family of the month: Jack Murphy; Next month Deacon Tony Duvernay
Community Director	God's Love Tuesday, May 14 <sup>th</sup> . Start cooking 1:30 pm at hall. Serving at 4:15. 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday breakfast: June 30 <sup>th</sup> here at the hall. Proceeds benefits Kindness Makes Miracles. Four of the state officers from 844; Marty Beatty, Bernie Adams, Jim Taflon, Jerome Richard
Life Director	N/A
Fourth Degree	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Monday, May 13 <sup>th</sup> at 6:30, Mother's Day Social
Insurance Agent	N/A
Trustees	N/A

Chancellor	N/A
District Deputy	N/A
Event Coordinator	Bob; lots of events; Cowboy ball coming up next Friday, May 17 <sup>th</sup> Liquor inspection happened. Need to get door on inventory room. Hot water-on-demand will be installed Thank you received for Knights participation in Eucharistic Congress

Unfinished Business	Bernie: yielding floor to Jerome Richard (new Warden): Attended state conference; State convention in Helena in 2025; Recommending everyone attend and help out. You meet a lot of people from around the state and learn things you don't learn otherwise about the organization. John's wife is head of women's committee.
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New Business	Bernie: 1. Trap club: shoot coming up on Father's Day weekend; requesting \$250 for trophy's. The Knights sell beer there. 2. State trap shoot July 10-14 (Wed-Sun). Looking for volunteers. Clean up, set traps, scoring, etc. \$100/day donation to council for anyone that works. (1/2 days for \$50). Bar 2-7 pm Friday 2-10 pm No bar Sat-Sun. Brady: Recommend starting new committee for tootsie roll drive. Need 33 case load for free shipping. Townsend, Lewistown, Whitehall, East Helena, Helena; 33 cases would cost: \$643.50. Dave offered to get sponsorships with yellow 5x7 cards. Marty: Can give 1 case/council at summer meeting. Motion PASSED Dave: CI-128. Brought some literature. Fr Tim had great message Wednesday. Bishops have letter in bulletin – please read. Dave encourages all Knights to engage with this by educating ourselves and making contribution. Rick R. Suggested newsletter/email for Knights to help.

Good of The Order	Brothers at East Helena Council; Dan McKenty (who makes rosaries); Jim Wilcox; Mike & Mary Foote; Fr Dougald McCallum; Daniel Dachs; Fr Joseph Flemming; Fr Mike Drury;
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Lecturer's Reflection	People in town recognize Knights work and will donate, even if they are not religious.
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Adjournment Time	7:35 pm
Closing Prayer	Fr Tim

Submitted By	Jim Ruch	Attested By	JDR
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\$100 raffle winner: Cindy Lockett

50/50 - \$30 also 2 books raffled;