



**Holy Cross Council 8509**  
**Kernersville, NC**  
**September 20, 2022 Council Meeting**  
**(In-person Meeting)**

**Call to Order**

6:30 PM - Brothers we are about to open this council in the first section.

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag**

Brothers we will now recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Approve Minutes of prior Meeting**

Minutes reviewed and motion to approve minutes as written, motion passed.

**Chaplains Message**

Report by Fr. Mlakar. Fr Carter sends thanks for Knights participation during Deacon Tim's funeral. Fr Mlakar thanked the Knights for the Pancake Breakfast.

**Grand Knight's Report** (Report by DWGK)

1. Sign up at kofc8509.org for 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month for Pancake Breakfast of 2022/2023
2. Sign up for fruit sales Oct 15/16 & Nov.12/13 at kofc8509.org
3. Room at the Inn, 2022 Annual Benefit Banquet will be on Thursday, October 20th at 6 PM at the Sheraton Greensboro. If you want to go, let me know. There is one table reserved.
4. Christmas cards to Bob.
5. Please make sure you are logging all your volunteer hours on our website.
6. Need volunteer/suggestions for Webmaster & MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR
7. Thank you for volunteering for after meeting snacks. This month's volunteer is Br Pete Pulice.

**Financial Report**

WFS Tony Beline

1. Payment made to Supreme. Payment for Web support. Invoices for Breakfasts. 2 new invoices for Trustee approval.
2. Check from the Dash for \$1,000. Breakfast \$360.00 income.
3. Vote on the new budget. Motion made, no discussion, motion passed.

**Treasurer Report**

WT Mike Reynolds

1. September Activity: Income=\$296.44, Expenses=\$2,710.27
2. July Balances: Checking=\$6,412.18 Staddon-Cain=\$21,134.51
3. Motion to accept report/no discussion/vote/motion passed.

## Membership Report

### 1. New Members:

- 1) Br L.B. Clayton: Moved to Kernersville in 1991. Baptized in June, 2018. Wife passed away in January 2017. Thank you for accepting me as a Knight and look forward to serving. Welcome Br LB!

## Other Reports

- Programs Report, WGK (Br Carl)
  1. **Honey Bee Festival (Br Jean):** Thank you to all the volunteers. Collected \$774.81!
  2. **Highway Clean-up (Br Jean):** Postponed due to rain. Completed the following Saturday. Thank you to all the volunteers!
  3. **Dash Game (Br Chuck):** Fantastic year! Assembly worked 3 games for \$600, Columbiettes worked 10 games for \$1,500, and Council worked 10 games for \$2,000. New for this year was the tip jar, we collected almost \$500. Total for the year \$4,984. Thanks my partner Br Dennis who set-up the schedule and to all the volunteers who worked the games!  
Br Bob-Motion to send a gift card to Jackie who works the booth with us during the games. No discussion, motion passed.
  4. **Pancake Breakfast (Br Carl):** September served 68 folks. Collected \$143.51 in profit.
  5. **Donations for VHVH (Br Bob):** Donations during October and November Council meetings. See list of items needed.
  6. **Halloween Candy (Br Bob):** Donate left-over Halloween candy during November Council meeting. Will distribute to veterans.
  7. **Donate Used Christmas Cards (Br Bob):** Collected 900 so far. Thanks to Council and Columbiettes, Coffee Club. Will hand out over Christmas.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Report-Prt by WDGK
  1. Thank you to everyone who participated in the Honor Guard/Inurnment for Deacon Tim. The turnout was gratifying and much appreciated. Thank you to Color Commander SK Steve Salvitti for coordinating this effort for the Knights.
  2. **A 4th Degree Patriotic Exemplification** is scheduled for Nov. 12th in Hickory. All 3rd degree members are encouraged to join. If you are interested, please contact Faithful Navigator Dennis Machuga or, Regional Marshal SK Jean Dion for more details. Registration and mailing deadline is Oct. 18th.
  3. Christmas Collection for "Veterans Helping Veterans Heal" in Winston-Salem. For those not familiar with VHVH, it is a non-profit organization that provides the foundation to help homeless veterans restore Home, Health and Spirit. There are more than 300 veterans homeless vets in Forsyth County each year. A list of recommended items for our collection will be sent out via email. This is a joint effort of the Assembly and the Council. Any interested individual can support this activity. Please bring donations to the October & November Council and Assembly meetings.
- Field Agents Report-WFA Ray Eveland

No report

- District Deputy-DD Pat O'Doherty (delivered by WDGK)
  1. Both the State Mid-Year meeting the the State Convention will be in Forsyth County this year. The **Mid-Year meeting** will be the weekend of January 6<sup>th</sup> at the Village Inn in Clemmons. Currently I have no information concerning the required support.
  2. **State Convention 2023**: April 28<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> at the Marriott in Winston-Salem, and the Benton Convention Center. We need as many volunteers as we can get. Currently the most critical need is someone to handle Registration. This is a very detail-oriented position. Our Registrar from the Convention 5 years ago has other duties that will prevent him from repeating. Worthy FS Mike Brow has agree to lead the Ad sales effort again. There will be an organization meeting shortly. We must have the invitation letter, Convention packet, menu and cost data by the State Officer's meeting December 9<sup>th</sup>.
  3. I am sorry that I was not able to attend the Exemplification tonight. I am attending the Exemplification and monthly meeting at 2829 to deliver some awards from the State Convention. I welcome our new Brothers into the order and look forward to meeting them at your October meeting.
  4. We have added English language Christmas Cards from a new supplier to the State Christmas card program. Please check the State website for more information.
- Columbiettes Report-W Liaison Br Dennis Muelker
  1. Do Knights have a table at Room at the Inn Banquet? No, we will sit with the Columbiettes
  2. Coats for Kids: Buying coats now.
  3. Day of Reflection: November 19<sup>th</sup> from 9am-2pm. Sign-up on website for meeting. Open to all women.
  4. November 16<sup>th</sup>-Need someone to read. Br Jean volunteered.

### Trustee's Report

No report

### Unfinished Business/Old Business

1. No old business

### New Business

1. Br Pete: We fixed Deacon Tim's ramp, need to finish- Talked to Rory Ann on time/day. Council will cover the cost.
2. Widow Needs Assistance: Gloria, needs help with landscaping. Over grown shrubs trimmed. Br Jean will get address and scout out the job.
3. Br Carl, Fantasy Football: No fantasy football this year. Will do squares as season progresses.
4. Letter from Fr Carter: Need help in updating the parish data. Volunteers will make calls to get updated information, assist parishioners.

### Good of the Order

- Knight of the Month: Br Jean Dion. Congratulations Jean!

**Important Dates**

Thursday September 15<sup>th</sup> -----[Family/Knight of the Month form due](#)  
Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> -----Highway cleanup  
Monday October 3<sup>rd</sup> -----Officers meeting  
Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup> -----Second Pancake Breakfast of 2022  
Thursday October 13<sup>th</sup> ----- Leadership Kernersville Human Service/Non Profit day  
Saturday /Sunday Oct 15/16 & Nov.12/13----- Fruit Sales  
Tuesday October 18<sup>th</sup> -----Council meeting  
Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup> -----Room at the Inn Benefit Banquet 6 PM at the Sheraton, Grb

**Happy Dollars**

**Lecturer's Reflection**

No report

**Closing Prayer**

Delivered by DWGK

**Adjournment**

DWGK: declare meeting Closed

## In Memoriam of Deceased Brothers



### Obituary of Revered Mr. Timothy “Deacon Tim” Ritchey

Reverend Mr. Ronald Timothy “Deacon Tim” Ritchey, 75, of Walkertown, NC passed away peacefully Sunday, September 11, 2022.

A native of Pittsburgh, PA, Deacon Tim was the husband of 55 years to Rory Ann Gould Ritchey and the son of William Earl Ritchey and Regina Paulina McGoldrick Ritchey, both deceased. Deacon Tim was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He was a volunteer firefighter and a chaplain for the Colorado State Patrol, Thornton Police Department, and Northglenn Ambulance Service. Deacon Tim was ordained in 1989 in Denver Colorado. He had the great honor of performing World Youth Day Mass in Colorado with former Pope St. John Paul, II. Deacon Tim served at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Kernersville, NC from October 2007 to present. He passed peacefully at Holy Cross and was surrounded by the people he loved.

Survivors include his wife Rory Ann; two sons, William James Ritchey and wife, Julie, and Shawn Michael Ritchey and wife, Harlee; grandchildren, Dalene Ritchey, Michael Ritchey and wife, Casey, Savannah Ritchey, and Piper Ritchey; great grandchildren, Alexandria, Kylie, Maddy, and Ramey-Lynne; and two sisters, Pamela Ritchey, and Francine Honeycutt.

In addition to his parents, Deacon Tim was preceded in death by his brother, Fredrick Randy Ritchey.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 11:00AM Thursday, September 15, 2022, at Holy Cross Catholic Church with Father Noah Carter officiating. The family will greet friends from 10:00AM to 11:00AM Thursday prior to the service at the church. Inurnment and committal service with military honors will be held at 2:30PM Friday, September 16, 2022, at the Holy Cross Columbarium.

Friends and family may view, and sign the guestbook at [www.piercejeffersonfh.com](http://www.piercejeffersonfh.com)

# ADDENDUM

K of C # 8509 Checking Transactions - Month To Date

8/1/2022 through 8/31/2022

Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Notes	Clr	Amount
INCOME							2,496.44
Fund Raisers							2,200.00
W-S Dash revenue							2,200.00
	8/9/2022	DEP	S	Dash Proceeds - deposit in error to be trxfrd	Fund Raisers:W-S Dash revenue		2,200.00
Member Ship Dues							30.00
	8/24/2022	DEP	S	Arthur Staudinger	Member Ship Dues		30.00
Other Inc							266.44
Council Shirts							25.00
	8/9/2022	DEP	S		Other Inc:Council Shirts		25.00
Happy Dollars							37.00
	8/24/2022	DEP	S	Donation	Other Inc:Happy Dollars		37.00
Miscellaneous							128.04
	8/24/2022	DEP	S	Mileage Reimbursement - Dave Kempka car pooled with Jean Dion	Other Inc:Miscellaneous		128.04
RSVP							76.40
Alumincan Can Recycling							76.40
	8/24/2022	DEP	S	Donation	Other Inc:RSVP:Alumincan Can Recycling		76.40
EXPENSES							-4,910.47
Checking - LAMB							-2,200.00
	8/16/2022	TXFR		Transfer From Council Account	LAMB from Dash Proceeds - deposited in Co Acct in error		-2,200.00
Donations							-350.00
	8/1/2022	3106		Town Of Oak Ridge	Veteran's Paver		-250.00
Miscellaneous							-100.00
	8/1/2022	3108		VHWH	Golf Tourn donation		-100.00
Misc							-2,360.47
	8/16/2022	3109		David Kempka	Mass Card - Bob Garlow		-10.00
Web Site							-2,350.47
	8/1/2022	3107		David Kempka	New Website Construction		-2,350.47
OVERALL TOTAL							-2,414.03



# Knights of Columbus

Holy Cross Council 8509  
616 South Cherry St,  
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## Treasurer's Report August 2022

Checking Account	Previous Balance	Movement	Deposits	Withdrawals	New Balance
General Council Funds	\$3,129.59	\$0.00	\$153.04	\$2,710.47	\$572.16
Prepaid Dues, July-Dec Accrual	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$30.00		\$130.00
State Raffle Accrual	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Special Projects Account	\$5,026.13				\$5,026.13
Pancake Breakfast Account	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Happy Dollars Accrual	\$0.00		\$37.00	\$0.00	\$37.00
8509 Heart Fund Accrual	\$500.00				\$500.00
Priests Emergency Fund Accrual	\$32.50		\$0.00		\$32.50
Culture of Life Fund Accrual	-\$129.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$129.00
Staddon-Cain Fund Accrual	\$72.69			\$0.00	\$72.69
RSVP Accrual	\$94.30		\$76.40	\$0.00	\$170.70
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$8,826.21</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$296.44</b>	<b>\$2,710.47</b>	<b>\$6,412.18</b>
			Value Adjustment	Purchase or Sales	Dividends & Interest
Staddon-Cain Investments	\$21,452.14		-\$393.65		\$76.02
<b>Total All Accounts</b>	<b>\$30,278.35</b>		<b>-\$97.21</b>	<b>\$2,710.47</b>	<b>\$76.02</b>
					<b>\$27,546.69</b>

### Account deposits

\$30.00 Dues  
Priest Emergency  
Culture of Life  
\$76.40 RSVP  
\$25.00 Gen Fund - Shirts  
\$37.00 Happy Dollars  
\$128.04 Gen Fund - St Conv Mileage  
  
\$296.44 Total

### Account withdrawals

\$2,350.47 Gen Fund - Website Construction  
\$250.00 Gen Fund - Oak Ridge Veteran's Paver  
\$100.00 Gen Fund - VHVH Veteran's Donation  
\$10.00 Gen Fund - Bob Garlow Mass Card  
Seminarian Support

\$2,710.47 Total