

Minutes of August 13th, 2015

Fr. Charles J. Watters Assembly 2688 Meeting

The August Meeting was actually the Installation of Officers Ceremony followed by the Blessing of the Swords Ceremony followed by a dinner with spouses at Mary Our Queen church and social hall. There was no official meeting held.

The renovations at St. Andrew Church have been completed and officially dedicated. This means that St. Andrew is again available for Assembly Meetings after several months of unavailability. In fact, it is now St. Andrew's turn to host this month.

Current schedule:

St. AndrewSeptember 10th (followed by)
All Saints.....October 8th (followed by)
Mary Our Queen....November 12th

Master of the Fourth Degree, Tom Frizzi, was present to install the Watters officers. We were honored by his presence. Monsignor Hugh Marren substituted for our Faithful Friar Fr. Dan Rogaczewski in awarding the officer jewels, saying the prayers and blessing the swords. About 90 people attended.

Our Faithful Color Corps Commander, Bob Mitchell, led a small contingent of honor guard in escorting the officers to be installed. Steve Strong and Tom King served. Joe Inglima subbed for an absent officer.

These officers were installed.

Faithful Navigator-	Bill Camden
Faithful Captain-	Chuck Langgood
Faithful Pilot-	Jon Bird
Faithful Comptroller-	Dave Mason
Faithful Admiral-	Stan Wasowski
Faithful Scribe-	Lou Hlad
Faithful Purser-	Abe Kassis
Trustee 3 year term-	Bob Webster
Trustee 2 year term-	Bob Mitchell
Trustee 1 year term-	Ron Collins
Inner Sentinel-	Terry Petrukovich
Outer Sentinel-	Nick Mattera
Faithful Friar-	Fr. Dan Rogaczewski (Msgr. Marren subbed)

Special Ceremony

Following the Officer Installation and the Blessing of Swords, a special ceremony officially retiring the sword and regalia of deceased Faithful Navigator Elect, Doc Malone, was held. His widow Sharon and son, Brother Ryan Malone, were presented with a special plaque in Doc's honor. Brother Ryan, a first degree knight at All Saints, was given the option of assuming and activating his father's sword and regalia should he progress to the fourth degree at some future date. Past Faithful Navigator, Stan Wasowski, presented Sharon with the plaque. She was visibly moved and thanked the Assembly.



Faithful Comptroller Report (Dave Mason)

1. Confirm Checking Account balance \$8,096.46.
2. Membership 189.
3. No formal date set for next 4th degree exemplification.
3. All should have received electronically proposed budget for fraternal year (2015 - 2016).

(Our fraternal year is from July 1 to June 30th).
Membership to vote on Budget tonight,

Faithful Purser Report (Abe Kassis)

BANK ACCOUNT BALANCE 06.30.2015

\$ 7,861.69

RECIEPTS

MEET FOOD	\$ 190.00
50/50	\$ 95.00
VET DINNER	\$ 397.50

SUB TOTAL RECIEPTS

\$ 682.50

\$ 8,544.19

EXPENSES

JEWELS/LAPEL PINS	\$ (77.90)
VET DINNER	\$ (225.00)

SUB TOTAL EXPENSES

\$ (302.90)

BANK STATEMENT BALANCE 07.31.2015

\$ 8,241.29

^AOUTSTANDING DEPOSITS/ (CHECKS)

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CHECK BOOK ACCOUNT BALANCE 08.13.2015

\$ 8,241.29

While on vacation at Martha's Vineyard Island near Boston, Lou and Marty Hlad sought out the boyhood summer home of Faithful Friar Emeritus, Monsignor Donald Kiernan. He worked in a grocery store nearby.

Monsignor said he often raised the roof there. It does have a very high roof.

