

## St Molua Minutes of August 10, 2026 In Person Business Meeting

| Roll Call of Officers |                        |   |                      |                    |   |
|-----------------------|------------------------|---|----------------------|--------------------|---|
| Grand Knight          | GK Joe Kelley          | P | Recorder             |                    | E |
| Chaplain              | Rev. Paul              | E | Inside Guard         | PGK Keith Lisak    | P |
| Deputy Grand Knight   | DGK Philip Swetz       | P | Outside Guard        | PGK C. A. Lowe     | P |
| Chancellor            | Freddy Jalot           | E | Worthy 1 Yr. Trustee | PGK Timothy Morris | P |
| Treasurer             | PGK Jack Fowler        | P | Worthy 2 Yr. Trustee | PGK Rob Donati     | E |
| Financial Secretary   | PGK Greg Washburn      | P | Worthy 3 Yr. Trustee | PGK Chris Simon    | P |
| Advocate              | Dr. Anthony Policastro | P | Warden               | PGK Robert Gay     | E |
| Lecturer              | Dr. Anthony Policastro | P |                      |                    |   |

**Members Present:** Officers [ 9 ] Reid Washburn for a total of [10].

**Call to Order / Opening Prayer, Pledge of Allegiance: @ 7:33 PM.** The Grand Knight opened the meeting with a prayer [Our Father] and the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Reading of the Minutes:** The minutes from the July meeting were not read as they are on the council's website and have been sent via email to each council member. GK asked if there were any corrections. With none being brought up a motion was made by PGK Chris Simon to suspend the reading of the minutes, it was seconded by PGK Tony Lowe. The motion was approved by all in attendance.

**Chaplain's Message:** Fr Paul was not present.

### **Grand Knight's Report:**

- GK Joe indicated that he was in the process of recruiting Dr Carey as the council's new Recorder and Bryce as a possible Core Organizer.

### **Financial Report: Worthy Treasurer:**

- Worthy Treasurer PGK Jack Fowler was present and council balances were provided.
- 

**Membership Report:** DGK Phil Swetz was present but had nothing new to report.

**Program reports submitted Fraternal Year: [0 of 16]: Community [0], Life [0], Faith [0], and Family [0]**

- **Worthy Insurance:** Agent Paul Albanese was not present and provided no report.
- **Vocation:** Fr Paul was not present no report.
- **Community:** PGK Rob Donati was not present and provided no report.
- **Retention:** PGK Jack Fowler was present. He indicated that only 1 member had not paid his dues.
- **Family/ Knight of the Month:** PGK Greg was present and announced that he had a candidate for the month of July. Anyone can submit for family of the month. Contact PGK Greg Washburn.
- **Faith Report:** Worthy Chancellor Freddy was not present.
- **Worthy DD:** Robert Wolhar was not present and provided nothing via email.
- **Worthy 4<sup>th</sup> Degree representative:** Worthy Former Faithful Navigator [FFN] Dr Anthony was present and provided the following assembly update to the council.

1. The assembly's next meeting will be 20 August 2026 at Mary Mother of Peace Parish in Millsboro, DE. There will be the Officer Installation at this meeting.
  2. All council members are invited to attend.
  3. The the next exemplification which was scheduled for 10 October 2026.
- **Widows Report:** PGK Lisak was present and stated that the August's monthly Widows Wellness cards have gone out. Dr Anthony will hold a quarterly luncheon sometime in August with the widows he supports. Anyone interested in becoming a Point of Contact (POC), contact PGK Lisak.
  - **Health Report:** Dr Anthony informed the members present that August is "Immunization Awareness Month". He then focused the facts the on the shots that council members should strongly be considering: Shingles, Flu, MR&A, Pneumonia, COVID and Tetanus.
  - **Report of the Trustees:** Two of the Trustees was present and provided no report.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

- DGK/ PGK Greg reminded the council about making a decision on the social meeting being a "SOCIAL" event. It was brought that the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting is no longer required by Supreme or any of the Bylaws. After a decussion PGK Lowe made a motion to cancel all future Social Meetings. It was seconded by PGK Simon. It was approved by all members in attendance.
- Dr Anthony reminded all members of the Fall Dinner dance. The date is 3 October 2026. PGK Bob Gay has purchased tickets. PGK Tim Morris has been circulating a sign up sheet to support this event. Maria's has agreed to cater the event again at the same cost as last year. Ticket prices are the same as last year also \$ 30. Tickets are available at the office and in the Usher's Closet in church. Dr Anthony will ensure that the event is published in the "Guide" and the "Star".
- Coats for Kids: PGK Lisak reported that 6 cases have been order. It was approved by all in attendance. It will have to be voted on again as the amount exceeds \$ 500.00. Distribution will also be via the Religious Education Program and St Vincent DePaul. For the 2<sup>nd</sup> time, PGK Simon made a motion to purchase the Coats, it was 2<sup>nd</sup> by PGK Lowe and approved by all in attendance.
- Keep Christ in Christmas [KCIC]: PGK Lisak reported that a limited number of YARD SIGNS, MAGNETS and BUMPER STICKERS have been order. They will be sold after Masses in Advent.

#### **New Business:**

- Discussion on support for Father Paul was tabled until his return from India.

#### **Good of the Order:**

- Lecturer Dr. Anthony was present and reported on the Saint of the Day
- The Saint of the day is Saint Lawrence. He was a 3<sup>rd</sup> century Christian martyr.

- Saint Lawrence was known for distributing all of the church's valuables before the Emperor could confiscate them. The emperor had Lawrence slowly grilled on a bed of coals because of it. St Lawrence was known for making the statement to turn him over that this side was Well Done.
- Jacques Cartier named the St Lawrence Seaway after him.

### Closing Prayer:

- Before proceeding to the closing prayer, those in attendance added members to the prayer list.
- GK Joe read the names of those currently on the Prayer list:
 

|                                                                                    |                                                |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Edward Grabowski                                                                   | Brother Walter Lutman                          |
| • John & Jo Ann Battista                                                           | FDM Tom Firestone                              |
| • Louise Gay                                                                       | Brother Sal Guinta                             |
| • Brother Jack Flood                                                               | Theresa Henson                                 |
| • Mary Ritz                                                                        | Eileen Flynn                                   |
| • Fr Greg Serwa                                                                    | Sister Patricia Gatti                          |
| • Brother James Clark                                                              | Mike Delucia, PA East Marshal,                 |
| • Andy Weis                                                                        | Barbara Costa family [Barbara, Connie, Karen ] |
| • Sherri Feuchtwanger                                                              | Dr. Aguillon                                   |
| • Dale Terry                                                                       | PFN Jim Blake                                  |
| • DGK Philip Swetz                                                                 | Father Paul and his Father                     |
| • S/K Jack Dir Former Master preparing for lung replacement                        |                                                |
| • Margaret Banks, Mother of Fritz Leach [RIP]                                      |                                                |
| • Cheryl Alexander, wife of Brother Paul Alexander                                 |                                                |
| • Terry Higgins Sr, Father of Brother TJ Higgins                                   |                                                |
| • Barbara Higgins, Mother of Brother TJ Higgins                                    |                                                |
| • Brother Richard Blackman [ Heart Valve replacement July 14, 2026]                |                                                |
| • Richard Buturla [ Parkinson disease ]                                            |                                                |
| • Karen Vassallo, Step daughter of Brother Richard Blackman                        |                                                |
| • Patricia Blackman, wife of Brother Richard Blackman                              |                                                |
| • Joan Morris, wife of Trustee PGK Tim Morris                                      |                                                |
| • Jenny Jalot, wife of Chancellor Freddy Jalot Jr.                                 |                                                |
| • Leanne Phillips-Lowe, wife of Outside Guard PGK Tony Lowe                        |                                                |
| • Nancy Rennie, Wife of Brother Mike Rennie                                        |                                                |
| • Marie Fowler, Mother of PGK Jack Fowler,                                         |                                                |
| • Kevin Lisak (Twin brother of PGK Keith Lisak, on dialysis due to kidney failure) |                                                |
| • Ira Lisak (Grand Nephew of PGK Keith Lisak, Kidney issue).                       |                                                |
- GK lead the group in 2 closing prayers [Fr. McGivney Canonization & MARY, QUEEN OF THE KNIGHTS] as the council prayed for the sick and distressed and closed the meeting.
- The meeting was closed at 8:17 PM.
- **The next meeting will be on the 14th of September 2026.** It is scheduled to start in the parish Hall at 7:30 PM.