

Knights of Columbus
Tennessee State Council
2014-2015 Program

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STATE COUNCIL SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

ENTRY FORM

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CATEGORY (MARK ONE):
☐ CHURCH ☐ COMMUNITY ☐ COUNCIL
☐ CULTURE OF LIFE ☒ FAMILY ☐ VOCATIONS
☐ YOUTH

FROM GRAND KNIGHT: Bruce Rawson TELEPHONE: (931) 962-9063

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COUNCIL NAME: Father Hugh A. Swift NUMBER: 3431

LOCATION: Winchester, TN
(TOWN OR CITY) (STATE OR PROVINCE)

PROJECT TITLE: Project Helping Hand

DATE PROJECT CONDUCTED: July 2014 to current date (ongoing)

PURPOSE OF ACTIVITY: (In the space provided below, describe in one sentence the purpose of this activity. This section must be completed.)

To provide assistance to the widows and retired clergy in our parish.

Number of council members participating in this project 16

Percentage of council members participating in this project: 28 %

Number of man hours expended in project: (as of February 14, 2015) 106

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Describe project in detail. Use additional paper if necessary. Supplementary material may be submitted along with the nomination. Accompanying materials can include letters, testimonials, news clippings, photographs, pamphlets, etc. Do not submit tapes, videocassettes, DVD'S, display materials, films, etc., as they will not be considered in judging the nomination.

Council 3431 recognized that there was a need in the parish to provide for our widows and retired clergy. Support has been ongoing with individual members being assigned to perform minor maintenance activities on an as-needed basis for nine (9) widows and one clergyman. In addition, several larger support activities were undertaken during this period:

- 1) A 150 year old oak tree, struck by lightning, was downed by a tree service and council members cut it into manageable sized pieces, delivering it to a retired priest, who uses firewood as the only source of heat in the winter.
- 2) A widow residing on a 120 acre farm needed help in eliminating four (4) brush piles and removing several large trees after a severe wind storm. Council members pitched in, cleaned up the property, and hauled off wood to the same retired priest. As a result of these two (2) efforts, the priest now has enough wood to heat his home for the next several years.

Membership Component:

During this time period Council 3431 gained five (5) members. This initiative may have been a contributing factor in the decision to join our council.

ATTEST: _____
(State Deputy)

Signed: 
Bruce Rawson
(Grand Knight)

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