

MINUTES OF THE YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE

141st GRAND COUNCIL SESSION

SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, NEVADA

TUESDAY - JUNE 16, 2026

Opening Ceremonies

William Walls #80 GP, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. in the Evergreen B Meeting Room of Bally's Hotel and Casino in South Lake Tahoe, Nevada.

Council Chamber Readiness

Mario Borba, #44, Interim GM, reported on the readiness of the Grand Council Chambers. He stated that the meeting chamber was properly prepared and all present were entitled to remain.

Opening Prayer

The opening prayer was led by Father Agnel De Heredia #32, GC.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mario Borba, #44, Interim GM.

Roll Call

Grand Secretary Michael Dimech #613 called the Roll. The Roll Call of the 141st Grand Council was updated to reflect those in attendance and those not on the roll at the time of printing. The following represents attendance for each day of the Session. Those first time Delegates were asked to specifically announce that this was their first Grand Council Session.

141st Grand Council Session Roll Call by Council

<i>Name</i>	<i>Date of Initiation</i>	<i>Attendance</i>	
		6-16-26	6-17-26

San Jose Council #2 ~ San Jose, CA ~ Organized 1885

Br. Alex Preciado, DDGP	08-06-2013	P	P
Br. John Diaz, Council Elected Delegate	12-01-2012	P	P
Br. Larry Gallegos, Council Elected Delegate	11-20-2018	P	P

Stockton Council #5 ~ Stockton, CA ~ Organized 1885

American Council #8 ~ Oakland, CA ~ Organized 1885

Br. Alex Schmitt, GD & DDGP	11-12-2002	P	P
Br. Chris McCann, Council Delegate	2-2-1988	E	E

Vallejo Council #13 ~ Vallejo, CA ~ Organized 1885

South San Francisco Council #32 ~ South San Francisco, CA ~ Organized 1946

Br. Steve Cresci, Immediate Past Grand President	05-02-1990	P	P
Rev. Agnel De Heredia, Grand Chaplain	06-14-2001	P	P
Br. Bob Bartoli, Grand Treasurer, PGP	06-11-1992	P	P
Br. Mark Zolotoff, Council Elected Delegate	04-09-2015	P	P
Br. Br. Rich Murphy Second Vice President	10-10-2019	P	P
Br. Cliff Smethurst, PGP	4-11-1985	A	A
Br. Thomas Fourie, PGP	08-14-1986	P	P

Br. Philip Oberst, PGP	10-12-1972	P	P
Br. Richard Guaraldi, PGP	02-13-1975	E	E
Br. John West, PGP	03-12-1992	E	E
Br. George Terry, PGP	10-15-1993	E	E
Br. Paul Galeotti, Council Elected Delegate	08-18-1986	P	P
Br. Dennis Cresci, Council Elected Delegate	10-11-2018	P	P
Br. Luis Alvarenga, Council Elected Delegate	12-13-2012	P	P
Br. Ronald Serchia, Council Elected Delegate	06-21-2021	P	P
Br. Jack Albrecht- Council Elected Delegate	1/12/57	P	P
Br. Jerry Ginier, Council Elected Delegate	10-10-2002	E	E

Santa Rosa Council #40 ~ Santa Rosa, CA ~ Organized 1954

Br. Robert Bisordi, Council Elected Delegate		P	P
Br. Harry Licursi, Council Elected Delegate	03-04-2008	P	P

Holy Rosary Council #44 ~ Hilmar, CA ~ Organized 1951

Br. Manuel Drumonde, PGP	04-18-1974	P	P
Br. Mario Borba, Council Elected Delegate	08-25-2016	P	P
Br. Greg Ouse, Council Elected Delegate	2-13-2020	P	P
Br. Duarte Monteiro, Council Elected Delegate	11-14-2002	P	P
Br. Danny Avila, Council Elected Delegate	3-27-2014	P	P
Br. Antonio Melo Jr., Council Elected Delegate	04-10-2025	P	P

Sebastopol Council #54 ~ Sebastopol, CA ~ Organized 1923

Br. Nick Franceschine, Past Grand President	06-11-1986	E	E
Br. Domenic Carinalli, Grand Outside Sentinel	02-09-1966	P	P
Br. Ed Silva, Council Elected Delegate	10-13-1999	P	P
Br. George Guy, Council Elected Delegate	12-12-1980	P	P

Sadoc Council #59 ~ Pittsburg, CA ~ Organized 1926

Br. Frank DiMaggio, PGP & DDGP	11-07-1989	E	E
Br. Mike Sanzeri, Council Elected Delegate	04-01-1997	E	E
Br. Joseph Reza, PGP	11-18-2006	P	P
Br. Elijah Reza, Council Elected Delegate	04-12-2016	P	P

St. Christopher Council #80 ~ Atwater, CA ~ Organized 1935

Br. Billy Avery, Immediate Past Grand President	08-25-2010	P	P
Br. Bill Walls, Grand President	08-25-2010	P	P
Br. Mike Nelson, PGP	05-22-1996	P	P
Br. Luther Evans, PGP	09-27-2000	E	E
Br. Steve Ortiz, DDGP	10-22-2003	E	E

Tracy Council #92 ~ Tracy, CA ~ Organized 1940

St. Columba Council #94 ~ Chowchilla, CA ~ Organized 1941

Br. Eugene Espinola, DDGP	12-02-1981	E	E
Br. Mike Thissen PGP	03-01-1983	E	E
Br. Guy Solidum, Council Elected Delegate	05-08-2013	P	P
Br. Ralph Perry, Council Delegate	06-06-2012	P	P

Dos Palos Council #99 ~ Dos Palos, CA ~ Organized 1946

Br. Darrell Fonseca, Past Grand President	05-14-1991	E	E

St. Augustine Council #497 ~ Huntingburg, Indiana ~ Organized 1898

Francis Council #573 ~ Hilo, Hawaii ~ Organized 1901

Br. James Mullen, PGP	11-10-1966	E	E
Br. Clement Gusman, DDGP	03-25-1983	E	E

Gonzaga Council #612 ~ Richmond, Indiana ~ Organized 1907

Br. Scott Vogelgesang, DDGP	07-25-1973	A	A
Br. Jim Rohe, Council Elected Delegate	07-09-1980	P	P

St. John Bosco Council #613 ~ San Francisco, CA ~ Organized 1908

Br. Michael Amato, PGP & DDGP	09-14-2004	P	P
Br. Michael Dimech, PGP & Grand Secretary	11-28-2006	P	P
Br. Bob Fiorito, Grand Inside Sentinel	05-08-2007	P	P

Br. Mario Balistreri, Grand Director	08-09-2015	P	P
Br. Stephen Goulding, Council Elected Delegate	12-12-1989	P	P
Br. Jeffrey Morrow, Council Elected Delegate	11-12-13	P	P
Br. John Cleary, Council Elected Delegate	11-14-2006	P	P
Br. Joseph Soracco, Council Elected Delegate	04-13-2004	P	P
Br. Dominic Pania, Council Elected Delegate	07-14-2020	P	P
Br. Paul Larson,, Council Elected Delegate	12-09-2010	P	P

Grand Council #900 ~ San Francisco, CA ~ Organized 2004

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Introduction of first time Delegates

William Walls, #80 asked that all first-time delegates to come forward, introduce themselves, announce their Council affiliation and what was their expectation as a Delegate.

Special Appointments

William Walls, #80 reviewed the appointment of Special Committees.

- Assistant to the Grand Secretary – Thomas Fourie #32, PGP
- Parliamentarian – Mike Nelson #80, PGP
- Elections – TBD
- Remembrance Ceremony – Thomas Fourie #32, PGP
- Installation of Officers – Rev. Agnel De Heredia #32, GC

Rules of the Session

Grand President, William Walls, #80 referred to the Rules of the Grand Council Session on page 17 of the Advance Proceedings. He hoped that all had read the Rules, however, Grand Secretary, Michael Dimech #613, PGP, GS read the Rules aloud. Following the reading, the Grand President asked if there were any questions. Hearing none he entertained a motion to accept the Rules. Motion made and seconded.

Motion passed unanimously.

Communications

Brother Michael Dimech #613, GS reported that he received communication from PGP Frank DiMaggio who indicated that he will not be able to attend this year's session and wanted the Brothers to know that his thoughts and prayers are with us for a successful and productive Grand Council Session and to enjoy the blessing of Brotherhood.

Br. Frank also wanted the Brothers to know that Sadoc Council #59 will celebrate its 100th anniversary on September 19, 2026, with a luncheon at the Church of the Good Shepherd, in Pittsburg. Further details will be available shortly. For questions, please contact Brother Frank.

Unfinished Business

Grand President, William Walls, #80 asked the Grand Secretary if there was any unfinished business from the 140th Grand Council Session. Michael Dimech #613, GS answered there was none.

Report of the Credentials Committee

The Credentials Committee chairman, Michael Dimech #613, PGP, GS reported that in attendance were 45 delegates thus far, all of whom had submitted their credentials in proper order.

Charity Box

Grand President, William Walls, #80 advised that a good cause for the Charity Box will be announced at the banquet.

Message from the Grand Chaplain

Rev. Agnel Jose De Heredia #32, GC, welcomed everyone to the Grand Council Session and how nice it was to be together once again. He focused his discussion on AI and its effect on us and on Pope Leo.

Highlights of his presentation follow:

- Technology, Computers, and its effect on our daily lives
- Pope Leo, the Holy Father is into technology
- Spoke about Pope Leo's recent visit to Spain and his blessing of a Cathedral
- During his historic Apostolic Journey to Spain from June 6–12, 2026, Pope Leo XIV delivered a multi-faceted message. He became the first pope to address a joint session of the Spanish Parliament, warning of a global "spiritual and cultural crisis," while placing a strong emphasis on human dignity, the tragedy of migration, and the importance of the traditional family structure
- During Pope Leo XIII reign as the Holy Father, industrialization changed everything in people's lives. As time went on cars, planes and typewriters and many others things came into existence
- In 1976 the development of the CPU, new software was developed
- What is AI? It assembles together, and processes data. It cannot feel / suffer

- Pope Leo emphasized the protection of Human Dignity and to open doors to immigration
- With the development of AI people are concerned about their jobs
- Are bank systems safe?
- Happy Father's Day to all the fathers

Nomination of Grand Council Officers

Nomination of Officers for Grand Council: all candidates were referred to Rule #5 on page 17. All nominees accepted their nomination.

Dominic Pania, #613 nominated Paul Larson #613, for the office of **Grand Outside Sentinel**, which was seconded Bob Fiorito #613

Paul Larson #613, nominated Bob Fiorito #613, for the office of **Grand Inside Sentinel**, which was seconded by Joe Reza #59.

Danny Avila #44 PGD nominated Mario Borba #44 for the office of **Grand Marshal**, which was seconded by Antonio Melo #44.

Danny Avila #44, PGP nominated Antonio Melo #44 for the office of **Grand Director**, which was seconded by Manuel Drumonde #44.

Bob Bartoli #32, GT, PGP nominated Steve Cresci #32 for the office of **Grand Director**, which was seconded by Dennis Cresci #32.

Ralph Perry #94 nominated Gus Solidum, #94 for the office of **Grand Director**, which was seconded by Manuel Drumonde

Richard Murphy #32 nominated Ron Serechia, #32 for the office of **Grand Director**, which was seconded by Louis Alvarenga #32.

To fill Ed Silva remaining 1 year term

Elijah Reza #59 nominated Joe Reza, #59 to fill the remaining 1 year term of Ed Silva's **Grand Director position**. The nomination was seconded by Joe Soracco, #613.

Jim Rohe, #612 nominated Bob Bartoli #32, GT for the office of **Grand Treasurer** which was seconded by Jack Albrecht, #32.

Joe Soracco #613, PGP, nominated Michael Dimech #613, PGP, GS for the office of **Grand Secretary** which was seconded by Mario Balistreri.

Dominic Carinalli #54 nominated Ed Silva #54 to the office of **Grand Second Vice President** which was seconded by Mario Balistreri, #613.

Dominic Pania #613 nominated Mario Balistreri, #613, GSVP for the office of **Grand First Vice President** which was seconded by Mike Amato, PGP #613 and Paul Larson, #613.

Bob Bartoli #32, GT, PGP nominated Richard Murphy, #32, GFVP for the office of **Grand President** which was seconded by Luis Alvarenga #32, PGP and Steve Cresci, #32.

MSC – Phil Oberst #32 made a motion to accept all nominations by acclamation and was seconded by PGP Mike Amato #613, PGP. (passed unanimously)

BREAK 11:16 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Preliminary Budget Report

Bob Bartoli #32, GT, presented the proposed Grand Council Operating Budget for 2026-2027 as printed in the Advanced Proceedings on pages 51. He advised of the following regarding the proposed 2026 - 2027 budget:

- Liability insurance cost is over \$12,000.00 and currently what we take in for the Insurance Assessment is not enough to cover this expense
- **Bob recommended and made the following motion:**
To increase the Insurance Assessment by \$5.00 per year to cover the increase in Liability insurance expense

Motion seconded by Mike Amato

Motion passed unanimously

Other items discussed by Br. Bob:

- Death benefits paid out last YMI year: \$87,500.00
- 35 members passed away this past year
- Met with both stockbrokers – A few adjustments were made
- Br. Steve Davis recommended that Schaub manage all the funds instead of USB
- Thanked Councils for submitting assessments checks on a timely basis
- Thanked other officers for their assistance this past year
- Below are the current Death Benefit and Reserve Fund balances as of 3/31/26 per the Advanced Proceedings:

Death Benefits

\$2,841,172.72

Reserves

\$436,591.03

Special Announcements

Br. Jeff Morrow spoke to the membership about the current make-up of our investments and the ability we have to raise our Death Benefits from \$2,500.00 to \$3,000.00 at this time. Br. Jeff did an excellent job in researching the YMI investments and the membership was very thankful for his input.

**THE SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FOUNDATION MEETING WAS
CONDUCTED**

At 1:03 p.m. William Walls #80, GP called the Session back to order. He asked that the Seminarian Educational Foundation conduct their annual meeting at this time.

Meeting adjourned at 1:21 p.m.

THE EDUCATION FOUNDATION MEETING WAS THEN CONDUCTED

At 1:22p.m. William Walls #80, GP called the Session back to order and the Education Foundation Meeting was conducted. Meeting was adjourned at 1:43 p.m.

State of the Institute Report

Br. Billy Avery, IPGP provided a summary of each of the two proposals his committee recommended. A big thank you went out to the committee members for the many hours spent coming up with each proposal and providing a rationale. At the end of the day's session, the Election Committee would provide paper ballots to each delegate for their vote. The election committee would then count the votes and provide the delegates with its findings the following day. According to the Grand Council By-Laws, a State of the Institute proposal needs a 2/3 vote to pass.

Below are the two proposals that were up for consideration:

BY-LAW PROPOSAL #1 - Increase Death Benefits from \$2,500.00 to \$3,000.00.

ARTICLE VI GRAND COUNCIL BENEFITS

Section 1: DEATH BENEFIT: Effective July 1, 2026, upon the death of a Benefit Member, who is in good standing in his Council as defined in this Article, and who has been a member of the Young Men's Institute for at least five (5) years at the time of his death, his beneficiary shall receive the sum of **three thousand dollars (\$3000)** from Grand Council Within thirty (30) days after notice and proof of his death has been submitted to the Grand Secretary by the Council, and upon the approval of the Board of Grand Directors. This sum shall be the exclusive and total Death Benefit to be paid to the beneficiary of a Benefit Member of the Young Men's Institute. The five-year membership requirement in this paragraph shall not apply to anyone who was a Benefit Member prior to July 1, 2022.

BY-LAW PROPOSAL #2 - Name change of the Advanced Technology Committee to Technology Advancement Committee and how the committee is made up.

ARTICLE IV COMMITTEES, POWERS, AND DUTIES

Section 19: Technology Advancement Committee (TAC): This Committee shall consist of five (5) members, one (1) shall be the Chairman appointed by the Grand President. The Chairman of the Board will appoint one (1) Grand Director to the Committee. The Committee Chairman will appoint the remaining three (3) members. The Committee is to look at ways the YMI can use modern technologies to improve its operations and how it communicates information.

Grand Council Committee Reports

William Walls #80, GP reviewed the various Grand Council reports presented in the Advance Proceedings. He then asked if there were any questions regarding these reports as well as those submitted by the District Deputy Grand Presidents. All delegates had been requested to read these reports prior to the start of the Session. Many of the reports had been referenced in various specific agenda items of the Session. Below are a few items raised pertaining to the committees:

Auditing

The Auditing Committee conducted three audits during the 2025-2026 YMI calendar year:

St. Augustine Council #497, Gonzaga Council #612 and The Grand Council

The Committee found these Councils to be in good standing as of May 2026.

Fundraising

To benefit the YMI's Pro Patria Essay contest, the Grand Council once again put on a Pasta Bingo dinner and it raised approximately \$2,600.00.

Man / Council of the year:

Winners to be announced at Wednesday night banquet.

Special Recognition of 2024-2025 District Deputy Grand Presidents

William Walls #80, GP recognized the District Deputies for the good work they provided the him and the YMI during the past year.

Announcements

The First 50/50 Raffle drawing was held and the winner was announced.

Distribution of Ballots

William Walls #80, GP requested that the ballots be distributed for voting on the State of the Institute Proposals. This being a secret ballot, all delegates were asked to sign in and present their completed ballot to the YMI representatives this afternoon before they leave the Session Room.

Recess

William Walls #80, GP declared a recess at 3:00 p.m. until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 17, 2025

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2026

Call to order at 9:30 a.m. in the Evergreen Meeting Room of Bally's Hotel and Resort in South Lake Tahoe, California.

Opening Ceremonies

Mario Borba, #44 Interim GM reported that the Council Chamber was properly prepared and all present were entitled to remain.

The Opening Prayer was led by Father Agnel De Heredia #32, GC

Mario Borba, #44 Interim GM led the delegates in the Pledge of Allegiance which was loudly and proudly recited.

Roll Call

Michael Dimech #613, GS asked all the Delegates to account for their presence. The results were similar to the roll taken on Tuesday, June 16, 2026. See the official roll sheet listed on previous pages of these minutes.

Communications

Michael Dimech #613, GS, reported there were none.

Credentials Report

The Credentials Committee Chairman, Michael Dimech #613, PGP, GS announced that we were still at 45 Delegates with credentials received.

Election Report

The following report was provided based on the vote for the State of the Institute

Proposals: 45 ballots were distributed, all were returned.

The results of the secret ballot vote were as follows:

Proposal #1

45 votes for

0 votes against

Proposal passed

Proposal #2

45 votes for

0 votes against

Proposal passed

A motion was made to accept the results of the secret ballot vote and the motion passed.

Motion made by: Mike Amato, GD, PGP, #613 and seconded by Phil Oberst #32

The Grand Secretary was authorized to destroy the ballots (unanimous).

Special Appointments

None

Installing Team for New Officers Officer's

Thomas Fourie #32, PGP, reviewed the appointment of the special committee for the Installation of Grand Officers.

- Installing Officer for the Installation Ceremony – Rev. Agnel De Heredia #32, GC
- Installing Marshal for the Installation Ceremony – Mario Borba, #44 GM
- Guardian of the Flag – Phil Oberst #32, PGP

Workshop

The workshop was conducted by Br. Gus Solidum who went over the goals of the Technology Advancement Committee. See below committee goals:

- To enable the YMI Grand Council and all YMI Councils to meet via Zoom for conducting YMI business.
- To enhance the YMI's presence on social media platforms.
- To protect the Grand Council's internet and social media accounts (including email, Zoom, Facebook, and the website) from cyberattacks by staying updated on cybersecurity preventive measures.
- To assist with updates and changes to the website. Change the E-mail address account from the AOL to ymusa1@gmail.com
- To recommend computer and hardware equipment that meets the technological requirements of the Grand Council.

Duties:

- Set up Zoom meetings for YMI councils as requested.
- Record meetings and provide the recording link and pass code to the Chairman.
- Share the meeting link and pass code with the meeting secretary to assist in preparing the minutes.

New Business

- Br. Gus spoke about the YMI's usage of using on line payments going forward as it is more secure.
- Fr. Agnel spoke about changing the date of the annual Red & White Mass and dinner away from the month of March. He is proposing changing the date to the second Saturday after Ash Wednesday which would be February 13, 2027. Br. Ed Silva will work with the pastor of his parish, St. Sebastian to see if we can have a 3:00 p.m. mass followed by dinner and leaving for home at approximately 7:00 p.m.
Br. Ed will coordinate the mass with Fr. Agnel after contacting his pastor.
- Br. Steve Cresci spoke to the membership about the upcoming YMI day at the Ballpark scheduled for July 25, 2026 at San Jose 's Excite Stadium between the San Jose Giants and the Ontario Tower Busters. The flyer to the event can be found on the website
- Br. Gus spoke about having a possible YMI fun run. He wanted to organize a committee to see if this would be possible.

Sports Report

Michael Dimech #613, GP, spoke about the 2025 Bocce Ball Tournament when 14 teams participated. Council # 32 won the tournament. He also announced that this year's Bocce Ball Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, October 3, 2026 at Orange Avenue Park in

South San Francisco, CA. A flyer is in the package that the delegates received and is also available on the YMI Web page. Everyone, should make an effort to attend this year's tournament.

Brother Bob Fiorito, GOS, #613 and Br. Paul Larson, GIS #613, GOS reported that this year's tournament took place on April 19th at Crystal Springs Golf Course in Burlingame with a banquet following. Thirteen foursomes participated in the tournament with seven from YMI Council #613 who also won this year's tournament. Individual awards for closest to the pin and strategist drive were also mentioned at the Grand Session. The YMI Golf Trophy was presented to GD, John Cleary who represented his team. Br. Paul mentioned that he would like to see more Councils participate in future tournaments and that next year's tournament will again be held at Crystal Springs Golf Club.

The Bowling Chairman, Brother Michael Sanzeri #59 spoke about this year's tournament which took place on May 17th at Pacific Lanes in Stockton with six teams and 27 bowlers participating accompanied by many friends and family members. Council # 32, #80, #44 and Council # 5 participated in the tournament. Individual Awards went to going to Jackie Spielman (Council # 80) for high handicap score of 247 and to Michael Sanzeri, #59 for High Scratch Game score of 206. Team award for first place went to Council #80, Team #1 led by Captain, Billy Avery with a score of 2,903 pins. Council #32 came in 2nd and 3rd place followed by Council #44, #59 and Council #80. Special Thanks to John West, Manuel Drumonde, Joe Reza for their continued support of this event.

Grand Council Officers' Summary Reports

All Grand Council Officers Summary Reports can be reviewed in the Advance Proceedings.

Resolutions

No Resolution were submitted this year. Br. Alex encouraged the membership to recognize and honor individuals or organizations in the future and provided some past examples of resolutions.

Charity Box Total and Disposition

William Walls #80, GP informed the delegates that the proceeds from the charity box will be given to St. Theresa's Catholic Church in South Lake Tahoe for various ministries. Total provided: \$1,209.00

Special Presentation

Billy Avery, #80 PGP advised the membership that the YMI Official pocket insignia, the Official indication of a Grand President of the Young Men's Institute will be presented to Br. Walls once it has been received at one of his Council's business meetings.

Presentation of Grand President Elect

Br. William Walls #80 proudly presented the Grand President Elect, Br. Richard Murphy, #32 GFVP, who was greeted with applause by the Delegates. Brother Murphy expressed his pleasure and honor to begin his YMI journey as the next Grand President of the YMI. Brother Murphy then distributed his Grand President's Program to all the Delegates.

Presentation and Installation of District Deputy Grand Presidents

Br. Richard Murphy, Grand President Elect, requested all District Deputy Grand Presidents covering the YMI territories this year stand and be recognized. The three Brothers present, Alex Schmitt, Mike Amato, Alex Preciado stood and were recognized for their service to the Grand President and to the YMI.

Impressions of First Time Delegates

Br. William Walls #80 requested that all of the first time Delegates come forward and share their impressions of the past two days. A few members came forward and shared the following comments:

- a. Encouraged new young members to attend the Grand Sessions.
- b. Enjoyed coming to the sessions and looks forward to returning to future sessions.
- c. Enjoyed the experience, it was good to be in attendance. Events were well attended
- d. Was nice to see the work of the Grand Council
- e. Enjoyed the magic show with the other 8 people who attended

Good of the Order

- Joe Reza commented that he has been coming to the sessions since 2015 and has brought his son sine he was 11 years old.
- Council # 613's summer picnic on August 23, 2026 at Junipero Serra Park

- Council # 613's Italian Day Parade is scheduled on October 11, 2026
- Council #54's Summer BBQ at Dominic Carinalli's vineyard on August 14, 2026

Closing Prayer and Adjournment

The closing prayer was led by Father Agnel De Heredia #32, GC.

Br. William Walls #80 adjourned the 141st Grand Council Session at 11:24 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Dimech #613, GS

Thomas Fourie #32, PGP

Business Manager

To be approved by the Board of Grand Directors at the July 18, 2026 meeting.