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These Knights are designated as Alternate Delegates, their duty is to fill in for the GK or DGK when they are unable to carry out their duties such as attending meeting.

Sick & Distressed



Please Remember These Brother Knights, Their Ladies, Relatives and Friends in Your Prayers.

R. I. P.

Gail – Don Gargiulo PGK's Wife Margaret Oakley Cuevas (3-9-1978) – Irv Cuevas' Mother

Special Intentions For Brother Knights

Lloyd Duronslet PGK (Kidney Problems) Jessie Torres PGK Gilbert Montoya (heart problems)

Special Intentions For Relatives and Friends

Don Peterson & Patrica Becker – Ken Peterson PGK's Brother & Sister
Ana Maria Kulassia, Tom & Dodi Gillman, Irene Hoffenberg, Ada Ahmed,
Darlene Minnie, Carol Huff, Diane Jones & Mary Nelson - John Oliver's Friend's & Family
Oneil Duronslet, Henry Duronslet, Lumas Gougis, Myrna Legeaux,
Aurelia Hains, Shryl Pringle, Mooneen Taylor, Gary Woods, Mile Stark,
Milli & Sylven Laurant, Vernon Woods, Byron Hithd - Lloyd Duronslet PGK's Family & Friends
Mary Kratzer – Fred Navarro's Sister-in Law
Frank Morales (stage 4 liver cancer) – Pete Morales DD's Father
Sally Gamble (cancer) – Henry Negrete's Daughter
Carol Mercer – Mike Mercer's Wife Juanita Hughes – Mike Mercer's Friend
Anne Hertz - Rick Tkach's Friend Vicki – Rick Tkach's Wife
Ray & Barbara Richmond Homebound of St. Irenaeus

THE GRAND KNIGHT



Brother Knights:

Thanks to all of you that made the Fish Fry's a great success. We had good crowds and lots of fellowship with the community and the parishioners. But now we must move forward.

I thought we were going to hold our Recruitment Drive in March, I was mistaken, it will be held this month on April 16th and 17th. But my challenge is still good.

My challenge is, to the Brother Knight that brings in the most new members, goes a \$50.00 Gift Card to the restaurant of their choice for March, AND to the Knight that brings in the most new members for the month of April (1st thru 30th) will also get a \$50.00 Gift Card to the restaurant of their choice. That would be a winner for March and one for April.

This is crucial to getting the STAR COUNCIL AWARD for the fraternal year. Last year was a complete flop, I am looking for a great recruitment weekend on April 16th and 17th to get us back on track. We will need the help of many of you to pull this off. Please sign up to help with the recruiting during the week-end and during the month. Everyone should have a Form 100 in their possession, you never know when you will meet someone that is interested in joining the Knights of Columbus.

We are planning on holding a Fish Fry for us and the new members to welcome them in to our council. We are looking at holding it sometime during the month of May.

God Bless

Virgil Smith GK

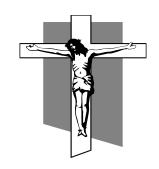


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COUNCIL CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



Just Believe And See The Glory Of God

Jesus made the most amazing comeback the world has ever seen. He was beaten, humiliated, spit on, whipped and then nailed to a cross and left to die. The people that executed Him claimed victory over Him but on the third day He rose from the dead and claimed victory over sin, death and His executioners. Jesus died to save us and He lives to keep us

To thank God for the gift He has given us through His son Jesus Christ, *Psalms* 118:22-24 comes to mind. "The stone the builder rejected has become the cornerstone, the Lord has done this and it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it." Also Psalms 118:29 reminds us to "give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love endures forever.

In John 11:25-26 Jesus tells Martha at the tomb of her brother Lazarus "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies, and whoever lives and believes in me will never die."-John 11:40 "Did I not tell you if you believed, you would see the glory of God?"



As we now enter into spring let's remember Philippians 4:7 "And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." We don't need to understand it and we can still rejoice because we have something that can't be bought with money and is even more precious than gold. We possess something even better and all we have to do is Believe and we will see the glory of God.

Deputy Grand Knight & program Director



Brother Knights,

I hope that everybody had a "Blessed and Happy Easter" with their family and love ones

We have a very busy April coming up and we need all of your help. On the weekend of April 2/3 and April 9/10, after all the masses, we will be selling Raffle Tickets for a Hawaiian Vacation and invite more golfers to our golf tournament. Please call Brother Mike Mercer for the time you can help. Please sell all the Raffle Tickets allocated to you and look for more golfers. This is our main fundraising for all the charitable organizations we support.

April 13 is the Monthly 24 hour Adoration at the church. Spend at least one hour of quiet conversation with our Lord Jesus Christ.

April 15 (Friday) is our Golf Tournament; please call Mike Mercer for any help you can provide. April 16/17 Saturday/Sunday is our big Recruitment Drive. In the church we will be showing a video about our Fraternal Organization "The Knights of Columbus". We will have a table and brochures at the Church Patio to recruit members. We need all Brother Knights to wear their K of C shirts and/or name tags.

God Bless Us All, Rolly Arenz DGK & Program Director

Rolly Arenz



Those in

Attendance

At the March Business Meeting

Virgil Smith GK Irvin Cuevas Rolly Arenz Henry Negrete Ray Richmond Tom Nagle PGK Lloyd Ferry Frank Faecke Ken Peterson PGK Fred Navarro Jr. Curt Briskorn Dr. Modesto Paredes Jr. Jorge Rodriguez Chris Nsor James Durensbourg Frank Reis George Del Hierro Michael Mercer Walt Munoz Kevin Connell Martin Rodriguez Bill Serb III PGK Richard Tkach

OM THE DESK OF THE

FINANCIAL SECRETARY



Dear Brother Knights,

Dues payments are still coming in slowly. There are many who still haven't returned your payments. Second notice letters have been mailed. You will no longer be able to attend the monthly business meetings until your 2016 dues have been paid. Please get your dues in to me quickly. Knight Alert letters will be mailed at the end of April, and the retention committee will be contacting you. If, for any reason, you are unable to pay your dues, please contact me and we can talk about options.

This month we have the annual Michael Doss Memorial Golf Tournament. This is our largest fundraising event of the year. There are many ways to help out before/during/after this event. Please contact our Golf Tournament chairman, Michael Mercer, to lend a hand.

I just want to remind everyone that we have several events planned for this year and we need all of you to help out when you can.

I hope to see all of you at the monthly business meetings.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Harry J. Hedrick 4/4 Daniel R. Velasco 4/10 Brian A. Anselmo 4/12 Louis A. Cianciosi 4/17 David T. Fury 4/29 Viet Quoc Tran 4/5 Edwin A. Barnum 4/11 Victor Carrillo 4/13 Patrick H. Veneski 4/18 John Paul De Los Reyes 4/10 Joseph Warner 4/11 John B. Mooney 4/15 Kelechi Ukoha 4/19 Mario Villegas 4/29

Peace and all good

Michael Morris Financial Secretary fs@kofc8599.org





Council Bulletin On-Line

These monthly bulletins are also available on-line and frequently it will have pictures of our various activities included in those issues. To access go to:

- http://www.kofc8599.org
- Click on: Newsletter

April 2016

Council 8599 Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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After Masses Golf Sign-Ups & Raffle Ticket Sales	4	5	7:00pm Officer Meeting	7	8	After Masses Golf Sign-Ups & Raffle Ticket Sales
After Masses Golf Sign-Ups & Raffe Ticket Sales	11	7:30pm 4th Degree Meeting	Adoration 7:00pm Business Meeting	14	8:30am H.O.P.E. Food Bagging 1:00pm Golf Tournament	16 After Masses Recruitment Drive
17 After Masses Recruitment Drive	18	19	20	21	22	23 9:30am Day of Sharing
24	25	26	27	7:30pm Chapter Meeting	29	8:30am H.O.P.E. Food Bagging

ROSARY PRAYER FOR LIFE VIGIL'S

Abortion Site's in Long Beach & Orange (One Hour at Site)
For Trips to Abortion Site's During the Week
Contact Ray Richmond 714-827-4206 or Tom Nagle PGK 714-827-2214

MONTH'S ACTIVITIES



Coming in May

4 th	OFFICER MEETING in Class Room 8	7:00pm
8 th	"MOTHER'S DAY" - Flower Sales	after masses
10 th	4 TH DEGREE MEETING	7:30pm
11 th	BUSINESS MEETING in Ed Building – Rosary 7:00pm	7:30pm
13 th	ADORATION	
$19^{th}-21^{st}$	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATE CONVENTION	
20 th	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am
21st	"ARMED FORCES DAY"	
26 th	CHAPTER MEETING	7:30pm
28 th	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am
TBA	FISH FRY – For New Member's, Council & Family Member's	

A Message From Your Council..........Recorder & Respect Life, Justice & Peace Chairman



HAPPY EASTER!

Hope you all had a blessed Easter! Did you know that the Easter Season extends to the Feast of Pentecost (50 days after Easter,) when our Church was born? I would like to share with you a prayer that I say daily, Novena to the Holy Spirit. You may find it uplifting during the Easter Season. Brother Ray Richmond gave it to me some years ago, and I love it. Brother Carlos Ramirez and other Knights say it too.

In researching the prayer, I learned that it originated with Brother George E. Schulhoff, former Chancellor of the Norwood Council Knights of Columbus. If you have access to the internet, you can go to the website aoths.org (Apostles of the Holy Spirit.) Schulhoff founded the Apostles of the Holy Spirit in August 1948. He owned a Hardware Store and funded it with his own money. You can read about the history on the website. He based the Novena on the very first Novena said by Mother Mary and the very first Christians between Jesus' Ascension into Heaven and the coming of the Holy Spirit. The website contains the Novena which you can print and say.

Did you know that we are all entitled to the gifts of the Holy Spirit and that we can receive them with each sacrament? Brother Schulhoff points out that the Holy Spirit speaks to us in a language we understand and gives us Fortitude (courage), Counsel, Understanding, Knowledge, Piety, Fear of the Lord (He is awesome), and Wisdom.

I invite everyone reading this article to join me in this beautiful, simple, yet profound prayer during the Easter Season. I guarantee it will change your life!

Yours in Christ,

Frank Faecke. Recorder

Frank J. Fache

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Proceeds go to recognized Charities locally, including: HOPE, Special Olympics, American Wheelchair Mission, People with Intellectual Disabilities, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, His Nesting Place, and La Habra Life Shelter.

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For further information, please contact:

Virgil Smith, Grand Knight, 714-293-0739

Mike Mercer, Golf Tournament Chairman, 714-943-3734

PRO-LIFE Notes · · · · · ·



A Prayer To Mary

Holy Mary, Mother of God. I now understand why your heart was pierced, when your son's heart was pierced. My heart has also been pierced with the death of the child I carried in my womb. A death I agreed to, though I never talk about it or ever let on my child is always in my heart. My heart is wounded just as I know your heart was wounded. The pain of my loss and my part in it doesn't go away with time. My heart is wounded and in deep pain as I know your heart was. I ask you to pray with me and be with me as I ask for forgiveness I know my child is with your son Jesus and I know I've been forgiven. In my heart I like to know my child can and has forgiven me, that my child prays for me even as I pray for my child. I thank you Mother for hearing my prayers.

Sincerely Yours

Thomas Nagle PGK

Thomas F. Nagle

Pro-Life Chairman



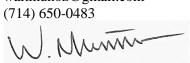
INFORMATION ON MEMBERSHIP FROM YOUR.

Membership Director

Dear Brother Knights,

Thank you to all our brothers who helped out at the council fish fries throughout Lent and thank you to all those organizations that helped to make it a success. As we begin to prepare for our membership drive, please reflect on the efforts we have made as individuals to invite others into our organization. An active and full council is a successful council. Our parish is alive, strong, and large in numbers. Let's work to ensure that our council reflects our parish reality.

Walter Munoz Membership Director waltmunoz@gmail.com





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Plan for this Tax Day and into the Future

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Certainly, contributing money to a Knights of Columbus annuity will allow you to save some money on your income tax return. And, our annuities do pay a very competitive interest rate, consistent with our primary goal of absolute safety of principal. Opening or adding to an annuity for these reasons, however, strikes me as taking a short-term view of a product that is designed to provide long-term security. How much security? How does retirement income that you cannot outlive — guaranteed — sound to you?

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I am happy to meet with you – at your convenience and in your home – to explain in detail the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top-rated life insurance, disability income and long-term care insurance plans.

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