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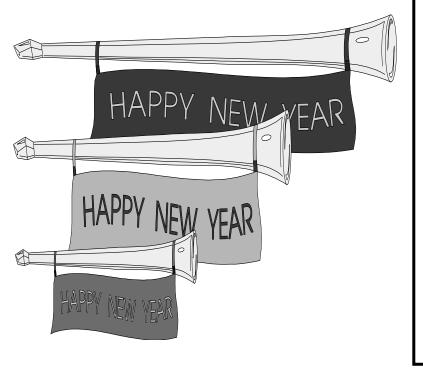
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Sick & Distressed



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

R. I. P.

Theresa Perez – José Perez's Daughter Connie Witt – José Perez's Sister Joe Doran – Bobby Velasquez PGK's Cousin

Special Intentions For Brother Knights

Lloyd Duronslet PGK (Kidney Problems) Carlos Chavez PGK Vern Schuster PGK Gilbert Montoya (broken hip) Jim Chavez Louie Chavez George Mergl

Special Intentions For Relatives and friends

Rose - Carlos Chavez PGK's Wife Decon Steve's Sister (cancer) Kaaren Trone (surgery) – José Perez's Friend Charlotte – Robert Escobar's Wife Cindy Jones, Diane Jones, Sister Rita, Ana, Emily & Tony Kulassia, Irene Hoffenberg, Tom & Dodi Gillman (hospitalized), Ada Ahmed (cancer), Darlene Minnie, Donna Just, Heather Stagey - John Oliver's Friend's & Family Oneil Duronslet, Henry Duronslet, Melba & Lumas Gougis, Myrna Legeaux, Aurelia Hains, Chryl Pringle, Millie & Silvan Laurant, Mooneen Taylor, Gary Woods, Mike Stark, Cyntia James – Lloyd Duronslet PGK's Family & Friends Theresa – Louie Chavez Wife Betty - Jim Chavez Wife Maureen Lewis (cancer) – Neomi & Bill Serb PGK's Friend Jim Wiedel's Daughter (cancer) – Bill Serb PGK's Friend Edie Dew – Ron Trembley's Wife Mary Kratzer – Fred navarro's Sister-in-Law Edith Webber – Chris Travers Friend Silvia (surgery) – Jorge Rodriguez' Wife Mary – Leo Griego's Wife Sally Gamble (cancer) – Henry Negrete's Daughter Danny Gamble (cancer) – Henry Negrete's Son-in-Law

THE GRAND KNIGHT



Brothers,

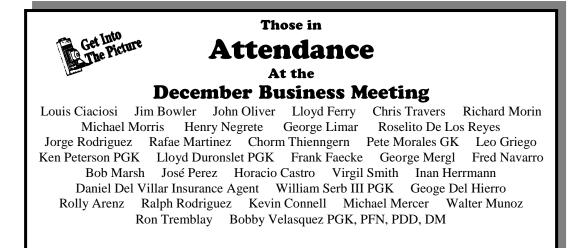
As we finish the Christmas season that celebrates the birth of our Lord, we will roll into the New Year. It is during this time that we often make new resolutions, to change habits, increase our exercise, make new friends or resolve to be a better Knight.

What does it mean to be a better Knight? Being a better Knight starts with us as individuals, it means sticking to our commitments staying close to our principles charity unity fraternity and making sure those around us are taken care of. It also means taking care of our extended family which is our community. A lot of us already volunteer and participate in community activities hope pancake breakfast, the Fiesta etc. In this New Year I'd like each and every one of you to consider how we can give just a little bit more. Or order and our council depends on your gracious hours and times, both with and without your family. Anytime that you give is much appreciated.

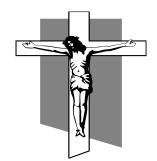
I wish every one of you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Vivat Jesus! Peter A. Morales

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COUNCIL CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



What Do You See?

A story was written about a man who was addressing a small group of people. He took a large piece of paper and made a black spot in the middle of it with a black ink marker. Then he held the paper up and ask them "what do you see?" One person replied "I see a black spot". "Right" he replied "but what else, do you see anything other than the black spot?" Everyone was silent. "I'm surprised the speaker said. You have overlooked the most important part of all, the sheet of paper."

In life we often are distracted by the disappointments and we forget about the blessings we receive from the Lord on a daily bases. But like the sheet of paper, the good things in life get overwhelmed by the black spots that show up, and we take our eyes off the blessings and the benefits.

We need to concentrate on the blessings in our lives instead of the trials and try to remember what it says in *Psalm 68:19 "Blessed be the Lord who daily loads us with benefits"*.

Let's try in the New Year to see past the black spot and focus on the sheet of paper.

"Happy New Year"

Donate Your Car [Truck – Boat – Rv – Trailer – etc.] To Your Council We (Your church) get the funds – You get the write-off (714) 995-6141 - (714) 952-2420

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A MESSAGE FROM YOUR.....

Deputy Grand Knight & program Director



My Brother Knights

I hope that your Christmas and New Year's was a wonderful and joyful time being with friends and family.

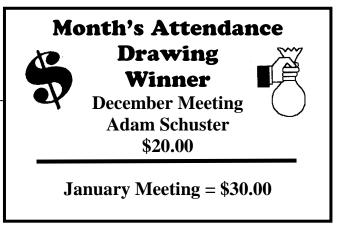
I would like to take this time to thank all of you that helped me at the 30th Anniversary Party, and the Christmas Party. Both were a great success. And a special thanks to Lloyd Ferry, who came to our rescue and became Santa for the Knight. He did a great job.

January seems to be pretty tame as far as last few months have been. Adoration is on the 13th and our business meeting will be on the 14th. And a couple of other activities will be held this month, those being we will be taking down the Christmas decorations from the church on the 12th starting after the 8:30am mass and on the 19th we will be holding our annual Basketball Free Throw Contest for the St. I School students at 1:00pm.

We are looking forward to the month of February for 'Fat Tuesday' when we serve the St.Irenaeus school pancake breakfast. Be sure to sign up for this at the meetings. And then we are proceeding full steam with the Lenten season and the Friday 'Fish Fry' These begin on the 20th We are sure they will be even more of a success that last years. We will need help with this as well.

Thank you all again.

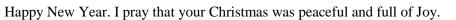
God Bless Virgil Smith Deputy Grand Knight & Program Director



FROM THE DESK OF THE

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Dear Brother Knights,



Your dues payments are coming in quickly. Thank you to those who have returned them already. At the January Business meeting we will have a drawing to see who gets their dues refunded. For those who have not been able to return your payment, please make every effort to get them back soon. If you find that you cannot make your payment, please contact me so that arrangements can be discussed.

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.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Christopher Travers 1/3 Timothy Fitzpatrick 1/7 Leo Gines 1/17 Jorge Rodrigeuz 1/22 Benito Miranda 1/30

Peace and all good

Michaela. Mouis

Michael Morris Financial Secretary fs@kofc8599.org

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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
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January 2015

Council 8599 Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6	7 7:00pm Officer Meeting	8	9	10
11	12 9:15am Church Remove Christmas Decorations	13 Adoration 7:30pm 4th Degree Meeting	14 7:30pm Business Meeting	15	16 8:30 am H.O.P.E. Food Bagging	17
18	19 "Martin Luther King Jr. Day" 1:00pm FreeThrow Contest	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 B: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

1 st	"NEW YEAR'S DAY"	
7 th	OFFICER MEETING in Conference Room	7:00pm
12 th	REMOVE CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS – Church	9:15am
13 th	ADORATION	
13 th	4 th DEGREE MEETING	7:30pm
14 th	BUSINESS MEETING in Ed Building	7:30pm
16 th	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am
19 th	"MARTIN LUTHER KING Jr. DAY"	
19 th	FREE-THROW CONTEST – Church Parking Lot	1:00pm
31 st	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am

COMING in FEBRUARY

7 th	OFFICER MEETING in Conference Room	7:00pm
10 th	4 th DEGREE MEETING	7:30pm
11 th	BUSINESS MEETING in Ed Building	7:30pm
12 th	"LINCOLN'S BITHDAY"	-
13 th	ADORATION	
14 th	"VALENTINE'S DAY"	
16 th	"PRESIDENT'S DAY"	
17 th	FAT TUESDAY BREAKFAST – For School Staff & Students	6:00am
18 th	"ASH WEDNESDAY"	
20 th	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am
20 th	FISH FRY ()	7:00pm
22 nd	"WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY"	_
27 th	FISH FRY	7:00pm
28 th	H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING	8:30am

These Are The Seminarian's Your Council Support Michael So & Phung Nguyen We Support Them Financially As Well As In Our Prayer's

PRO-LIFE Notes ·····

Dear Brother Knights,





Protectress of the Unborn

Of all the manifestations Mary's loving presence among us throughout the centuries, in this apparition alone does she appear to us a pregnant mother. She holds within her the unborn Christ, proclaiming the sanctity and blessedness of life within the womb. Her reverence and tenderness communicate to us the joy and awe with which we must approach each life. From the Cross Jesus gave us his mother. It stands to reason she becomes the mother of the unborn.

Thomas Nagle PGK Pro-Life Chairman

Thomas I. Nagle

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Computer and/or mobile device passwords: Include passwords for online backup services, if anyone will need access to your backed up data

Location of key documents: In addition to the documents listed above, describe where to find birth and marriage certificates, Social Security cards, military discharges, car titles, powers of attorney (include medical), and your will.

Please call today to arrange a time for me to deliver your complimentary copy of the Knights of Columbus Personal Planning Workbook. This would be a good opportunity to talk about your overall financial goals and planning.

Field Agent Dan del Villar FICF, LUTCF <u>dan.delvillar@kofc.org</u>

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Brothers,

Happy New Year to all of you Brothers from Cypress Council, hope you were able to have your families with you for Christmas and that it was a Blessed Christmas. I had a great surprise, as my grandson came home on leave from the Marine Corps. Talk about almost falling over, this was great. We are now on our second half of the Columbian year and need to now pay attention to our membership and reach our council goal. I need you to help me in reaching that goal by asking a candidate to join us, all you have to do is ask. If you don't ask, he'll never join. I have all the material and information for you if you need it. One important thing you need to do is fill out the annual survey of fraternal activity in our December bulletin. Our Financial Secretary submits that information to Supreme. This shows how many man hours all our Brothers spent during the year, so take time to fill it out.

Congratulations to our councils Knight of the Month, José Perez. José is a Hospitality Minister, a Eucharistic Minister, he picks up food and does many other things for H.O.P.E. He has worked several of our council activities, the pancake breakfast, the Oktoberfest and the fish fry. Thank you José for your service for our council. For the Family of The Month, Kevin Connell family was selected. I don't have to tell you what Kevin has done over the years working with H.O.P.E. and is the current President. He's one Brother that is always on the go, picking up food and distributing it for those in need. Thank you Kevin for all that you do. I was hoping for a couple of new Brothers to join our council last month, but I think they wanted to wait for the New Year.

Did you know that Active Councils are successful councils? Well I think we are with the many Brother's taking part in different programs in our parish and community. Now at our next meeting we need you there so you can participate in our message to the men that are not members of our council. I do not have the current ceremonial calendar from the Chapter, but there is a 1st Degree every month at different councils around the Chapter. Fr. Kass Council puts on a 1st Degree every 3rd Monday of the month and a 2nd Degree every other month. The next 3rd Degree will be held on January 17th at St. Killian Parish Hall in Mission Viejo. Let me know if you want to take your 3rd, because I have

to submit your name. There will be a 3rd Degree in February at St. Puis V, in Buena Park. I don't know the date yet so I will let you know when the date is set. Have you recruited anyone?

Vivat Jesus Bobby Velasquez, PGK

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RESOLUTIONS

Happy New Year! How about 1 or 2 resolutions? The K of C can always use your prayers for the grace of God. I am sure Father McGivney will help. It may even make him a Saint!

We still need more funeral altar servers. Servers do spiritual and corporal works of mercy by comforting families of the deceased and helping bury the dead with dignity. I have learned so much from the holy lives of our deceased brothers and sisters! Call Betty Borowski at St. Irenaeus to inquire.

How about donating a car, boat, or plane? Did you know your can do so anywhere in the USA? Brother Knight Denis Weber, CEO of the program, makes sure we get the maximum from the donation for our church, school, or HOPE. We don't pay for advertising; so you can help us advertise by word of mouth.

We have several Fish Fries in Lent. You can help in many ways or just come for the meal. Fellowship with Knights and parishioners is a lot of fun!

You can also have fun helping at our pancake breakfasts, especially with clean up when many disappear.

The Golf Tournament in April is another great event! I don't golf, but it's so great to be at the beautiful course, help a little, and enjoy fellowship. Maybe you can bring in a sponsor for the tournament!

Lastly, read COLUMBIA magazine and be uplifted. You may get ideas that our council can use to help spread the GOOD NEWS.

Yours in Christ, Frank Faecke, Recorder

Frank J. Facke



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"Your Shield For Life" Insurance Questions Contact: Dan E. del Villar (949) 922-3704 (W) Field Agent # 09007 – CA Lic # OC23671

The Document Your Family Will Be Glad You Left Behind

(Get a complimentary Knights of Columbus Personal Planning Workbook)

Are you in charge of paying the household bills? Do you handle all paperwork from your homeowners, auto, life, and other insurance policies? Does anyone else in your house know the passwords to any websites you use to pay bills? If you were not around tomorrow, would your spouse know where to find, say, the kid's birth certificates? The Knights of Columbus Personal Planning workbook can help.

This comprehensive workbook will help your family take care of important financial matters you've been handling. This workbook is for your spouse and/or the executor of your estate, your attorney, or perhaps an adult child. This tool provides you an opportunity to document account numbers, passwords and other sensitive information. You can then inform someone you absolutely trust, who will be handling your affairs, where you're keeping the workbook and other important papers.

Keep a copy in a safe deposit box, or another secure, accessible place. The Knights of Columbus Personal Workbook will help you identify:

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