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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

DISTRICT 112 • DIVISION 5

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Council's 33th Year
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Labor Day

September 2018

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** Note**

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.

Oneil Duronslet – Lloyd Duronslet PGK's Brother
Gilbert & Mary Montoya Mary Sanchez Laura Kato – Bob Marsh's Niece
Tony Nieto – John Oliver's Friend Roberta Maida – John Oliver's Friend

Special Intentions For Brother Knights

Fred Navarro (recovering from surgery) Carlos Chavez PGK Al Castellano (cancer)
Lloyd Duronslet PGK (kidney dialysis three times per week)

Special Intentions For Relatives and Friends

Rose – Carlos Chavez PGK's Wife Shryl – Ira Pringle PGK's Wife
Leota Moore (stroke), Ana Maria Kulassia, Tom Gillman (stroke), Dodi Gillman (COPD),
Darlene Minnie, Donna Just, Rose Diaz, Judy Velarde, Keith & Linda Alber,
Jim & Cathy Mangrum, Sam Blatter - John Oliver's Friend's & Family
Henry Duronslet, Lumas Gougis, David G,
Aurelia Hains, Shryl Pringle, Gary Woods, Vernon Woods, Byron Hithe
Emile (cancer) & Jill Duronslet (breast cancer) - Lloyd Duronslet PGK's Family & Friends
Pat – Lloyd Duronslet PGK's Wife
Hugh Dunaway (cancer) – Neomi Serb's Brother-in-Law
Dennis Sill (cancer) – Neomi Serb's Brother-in-Law
Carmen Connally – Leo Fernandez' Sister Shelly DeVries (Faith)
Jim & Mimi DeRosa's Grandson – Jim & Anita Bowler's Friends
Mary (kidney failure) – Leo Griego's Wife
Genoveva Villanveva (stomic cancer) Colleen Farnell (breast cancer)
Keith England – Mike Mercer's Brother-in-Law
Homebound of St. Irenaeus

THE GRAND KNIGHT



Brother Knights,

Summer is over, hopefully everybody had a wonderful and relaxing summer. Kids are now back in school, back to our normal daily routines.

Have you asked yourself, “Why did I join the “Knights of Columbus”? Is it for the charity work we do for our brothers in need and those that are Intellectually Disable? Is it the service we perform for the church, and school? Is it the camaraderie with our Brother Knights? Now is the time strengthen those commitment, volunteer your services to any of the charitable work we do as Knights. In the coming months, we have our Annual Blood Drive, Pancake Breakfast to serve students at St. Irenaeus, our Annual Recruitment Drive. Look at some of the programs we do for the church, our community, culture of life and to strengthen our family, see how you could help your council. Our council is only as strong as the brother knights helping each other and the church.

God Bless Us All,

Rolly Arenz
Grand Knight

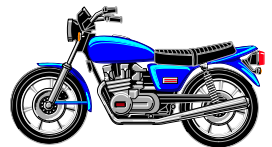


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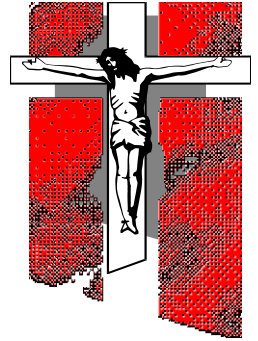
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To Your Council

We (Your church) get the funds – You get the write off
(714) 995-6141 - (714) 952-2420



COUNCIL CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



Can you make your own dirt?

I heard a story once about a group of scientists who decided that humans could now do without God. So one of them shook his fist up at God and said “we’ve decided that we no longer need You. We have enough wisdom to clone people and do many other things.” God smiled and listened patiently and then said “Very well, let’s have a man-making contest. We’ll do it just like I did in the old days with Adam.” The scientists agreed and one of them bent down to pick up a handful of dirt. God smiled and shook His head, “No! You have to make your own dirt!”



In Jeremiah 2:5 God asks the question “What injustice have you found in Me that you have gone far from Me.”

John 14:26 I will send the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all the things that I have said to you.”

Jesus promised us that He would send the Holy Spirit to us to teach us along life’s way. The Holy Spirit will teach us truth, love and give us guidance but when we turn our back on Him and begin to think we no longer need Him or that we are big enough we no longer need God, when we begin to think we can live on our own self-sufficiency we are thinking just like the people in Jeremiah’s day. If we are guilty of living as if we don’t need God it is very displeasing to Him and just like the Israelites in Jeremiah’s day the Lord could be saying of us ***“They have gone far from Me.”***

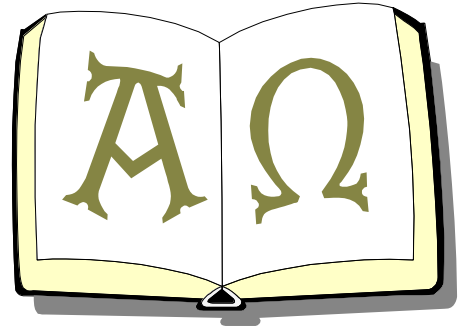
The road we travel may not always be easy but remember If God sends you on a stony path He will provide you with strong shoes.

God Bless.

NSS

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR.....

**Deputy Grand Knight
& program Director**



Brother Knights,

In the United States we celebrate the first Monday of September as Labor Day. It is a day to reflect and relax. The Catholic Church proclaims the dignity, meaning and redemptive value of all human work. The holiday has become a way to mark the end of the summer season—and the start of the school year. Have a great Labor Day! Hope everybody had a great summer.

The blood drive is happening this month and we will need help signing people up after each mass in September.

It looks like our Officer and our Business meeting schedule has been up rooted. The church is in the process of making room assignments changes. At this time it looks like our 2nd Wednesday Business meetings are going to be changed. We are attempting to find out what will be available for us and we will let you know as soon as we get that information.

God Bless
George del Hierro

Deputy Grand Knight

**Faith
Life
Community
Family**

FROM THE DESK OF THE

FINANCIAL SECRETARY



Dear Brother Knights,

First, I want to congratulate Louie Chavez, our Council's newest **Honorary Life Member**, who qualified for this honor by being at least 70 years old and having completed 25 years of continuous service to the Knights of Columbus on July 1st.

I encourage all of our new members, as well as our experienced members, to take the time to meet our Insurance Advisor, Brother Joe Karlowitsch, to learn about all the insurance and annuity programs available to members of the Knights of Columbus. His phone number is **(562)243-8022**, and Email is: joe.karlowitsch@kofc.org

As of the date of this writing we still have 62 brothers who's 2018 dues are delinquent, which results in \$1,984.00 due to our Council, plus \$350.30 in optional charitable contributions. ***Our Council officers want to encourage all our brothers to remain members in good standing, and have chosen to forgive all past delinquent dues to make it as easy to remain active.*** If you are having difficulty paying your 2018 dues, please contact our Grand Knight, Rolly Arenz, at (562) 708-0258.

Did anyone check out **Knights of Columbus Everyday Heroes** on the Supreme website ? It can be found at www.kofceverydayheroes.org See the August Bulletin for details. I'd love to hear your thoughts and comments at our next Business Meeting.

I hope to see you all at our September Meeting, and at our upcoming activities.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Eugene St. Amant 9/2
William Torrescano 9/8
Benjamin Jaramilla 9/11
Paulo Morales 9/16
Jason Woods 9/24

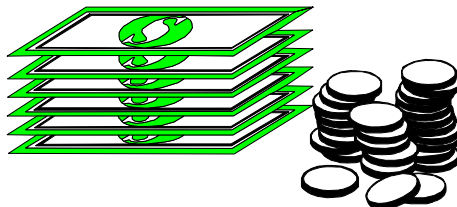
Doug Devries 9/3
Frank Faecke 9/9
Emiliano Pama 9/11
Jerry Ramos 9/17
Carlos Jimenez 9/27
Dennis C. Montoya 9/29

John Oliver 9/5
Aaron Saliba 9/10
Robert Wilfert 9/11
Pete Morales PGK 9/20
David Hallum 9/28

Vivat Jesus!

Michael W. Mercer

Financial Secretary
mmercer38@gmail.com



September 2018

Council 8599 Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3 	4	5  7:00 PM Officer Meeting	6	7	8
9	10	11  7:30 PM 4th Degree Meeting	12  7:30 PM Business Meeting	13  Adoration	14  7:30 AM H.O.P.E. Food Bagging	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 1:00 PM Blood Drive <hr/> 7:30 PM Chapter Meeting	28	29  7:30 AM H.O.P.E. Food Bagging
30  8:00 AM Corporate Communion						

ROSARY PRAYER FOR LIFE VIGILS

Abortion Site's in Long Beach & Orange (One Hour at Site)

For Trips to Abortion Sites During the Week

Contact Ray Richmond 714-827-4206

MONTH'S ACTIVITIES

1st & 2nd, 8th & 9th, 15th & 16, 22nd & 23rd BOOD DRIVE SIGN-UP'S

TBA

14th

TBA

13th

17th

27th

27rd

29th

30th

OFFICER MEETING

4th DEGREE MEETING

BUSINESS MEETING

ADORATION

H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING

BLOOD DRIVE in Church Hall

CHAPTER MEETING

H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING

CORPORATE COMMUNION / Breakfast

after masses

7:00pm

7:30pm

7:30pm

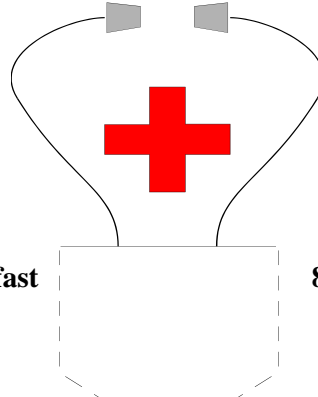
7:30am

1:00pm

7:30pm

7:30am

8:00am mass



Note: Officer & Business Meeting Locations

Listed as the 5th & 12th to Be Determined

(Our Regular Meeting Dates & Possibly Locations have been reassigned)

Coming in October

TBA

8th

9th

TBA

13th

19th

25th

27th

31st

TBA

OFFICER MEETING – Rm 6

“COLUMBUS DAY”

4th DEGREE MEETING

BUSINESS MEETING

ADORATION

H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING

CHAPTER MEETING

H.O.P.E. FOOD BAGGING

“HALLOWEEN”

OKTOBERFEST

7:00pm

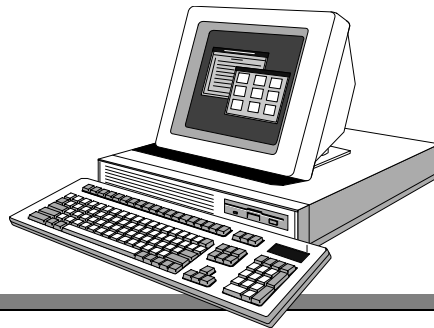
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Council Bulletin On-Line

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>
- Click on: Newsletter

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



MOTHER MARY

August 15, Feast of Mary's Assumption into Heaven, was a very special celebration!

When we meditate on the Seven Sorrows of Mary (a devotional card is always on the Knights of Columbus table at St. Irenaeus), we begin to grasp Mother Mary's contribution to Jesus' life and mission. As I say one Hail Mary for each sorrow, this little lady conceived without sin comes alive!

The Seven Sorrows are as follows:

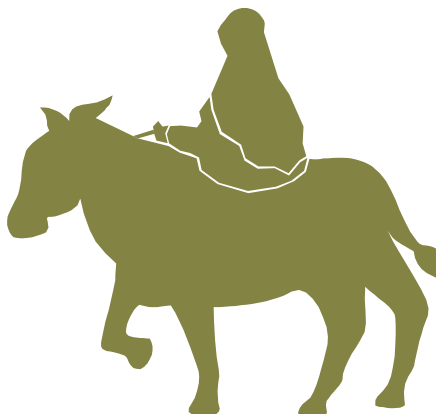
1. The prophecy of Simeon. (St. Luke 2: 34,35)
2. The flight into Egypt. (St. Matthew 2: 13,14)
3. The loss of the Child Jesus in the temple. (St. Luke 2: 43-45)
4. The meeting of Jesus and Mary on the Way of the Cross.
5. The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus.
6. The taking down of the Body of Jesus from the Cross.
7. The burial of Jesus.

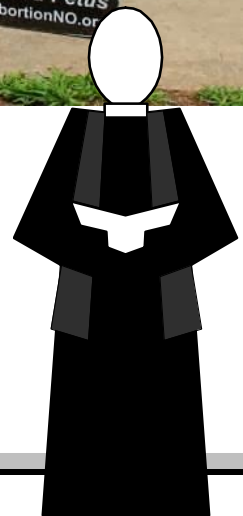
This daily devotion has brought me into Mother Mary's presence. She so deserves an Assumption into Heaven, body and soul! The devotional cards contain wonderful promises to us from Mother Mary.

Love and prayers,

Frank J. Faecke

Frank J. Faecke, Recorder





These are the Seminarian's Your Council Supports

Phillip Shifflet & Ian Gaston

We support him financially as well as in our Prayers

Membership

Dear Brothers,

Now that the new Columbian year has started, thank you to all of you who recruited a member and helped us reach towards our council goal of 15 new members. You know that recruiting is every brother knight's business as it makes our council grow. Have you asked that potential parishioner to join the experience of a life time? The goal of 15 members can be reached, but we need your help. Your Grand Knight needs our help.

Speaking about membership, our council is in need of a "Membership Chairman" we need one of you brothers to step up and take on that position. It is not that difficult job and I would be willing to help you as I was the Membership Chairman for many years. I am asking that you please consider volunteering. If we fail to plan, we plan to fail.

Have you ever thought of joining the Patriotic (Fourth) Degree, well that degree will be held at the Torrance Marriott on Saturday, October 13, 2018. This Degree is only held once a year and now is the time to start signing that form 4. You can see me and I will give you all the details. A tuxedo is no longer a requirement, so if you have a black, gray or blue suit with a black tie you will be all set. There will be a ladies luncheon, a mass after the Degree and a banquet for everyone in the evening. The fee to join is \$70.00 and you receive a fourth degree pin and social baldric.

Remember for membership, if you don't ask, he'll never join.

Vivat Jesus!

Bobby Velasquez, PGK



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Protecting Widows – A Founding Goal



Annuities: More flexible Than You Might Think

Annuities are easily misunderstood, in part because of their name. When you “annuitize” the money you’ve paid into an annuity (plus the interest it has earned), you’ve chosen to receive monthly payments for life or for a fixed period.

However, annuitizing this money isn’t your only option. You may also treat an annuity something like a Guaranteed Investment Certificate (GIC). That is, you use the annuity as a way to accumulate savings and earn a steady interest rate. You can make withdrawals from the annuity for any reason, although you may then owe income tax on some or all of the withdrawal amount. If you do choose to annuitize, you also have several payout options. The point is, these products are flexible enough to serve a variety of needs.

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Nagle Ira Pringle – Don Nadeau – Joseph Lodding – Donald Gargiulo – Kenneth Peterson
Lloyd Duronslet – William J. Serb III – Peter A. Morales – Virgil Smith

DIRECTORS & CHAIRMAN

Program Director

Jorge Rodriguez (562)865-7090

Church Activities Director

Vocations chairman	Frank Faecke	952-2420
Spiritual Retreats & Devotions Chairman	Vacant	
Sick & Distressed	Fred Navarro	761-8617
Bereavement Liaison	Frank Faecke	952-2420
Justice and Peace Chairman	Frank Faecke	952-2420

Community Activities Director

Pro-Life Chairman	George Del Hierro	821-1247
Blood Drive Chairman	Vacant	
Health Services Chairman	Rolando Arenz	(562)924-5335
Mother's Day Flower Sales	Dr. Modesto Paredes	248-9183

Vehicle Donation Chairman

Council Activities Director

Pancake Breakfast Chairman	Frank Faecke	952-2420
ID Chairman	Jorge Rodriguez	(562)865-7090
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Ride Share Chairman	Richard Tkach	829-7289
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Recognition Chairman	TBA	
Phone Committee Chairman	Kenneth Peterson PGK	527-2671(H) 815-3794(C)
	Bobby Velasquez PGK, PFN, PDD,DM	761-5731

Family Activities Director

Activity Form Coordinator	George Del Hierro	821-1247
Family Night Chairman	Richard Tkach	829-7289
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	Bobby Velasquez PGK, PFN, PDD, DM	761-5731

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	Rolando Arenz	(562) 924-5335

Membership Director

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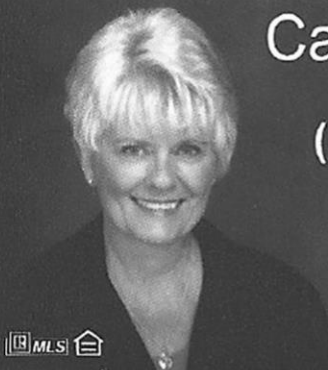
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