
The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162

Grand Knight's Message



My Brothers,

We are fast approaching the holiday season and the end of the first half of the fraternal year. On Saturday, November 5th we are supporting the Squires in their efforts to put together a dinner fund raiser. I and most of the officers have tickets. (Refer to information contained in this newsletter for more details.) Please come out to support our Squires.

As most of you know, we desperately need to raise funds for our programs. I sorely need your input and ideas to make this a successful year.

Our 4th Degree Assembly is hosting a Christmas party on 10 Dec., at the South Mesa club aboard Camp Pendleton. This party is open to all Knights and their guests. I have tickets, the price is \$35 each. Please plan to attend.

Vivat Jesus

Robert Reilly
Grand Knight

Additional Resources for Catholics in San Diego County

Did you know there is an official newspaper for the Diocese of San Diego? Yes! It's "The Southern Cross." Go to: <http://www.thesoutherncross.org/> to learn more.

Know what's happening in the Diocese of San Diego's Office of Social Ministry. Sign up to receive their electronic newsletter by going to this location: <http://www.osmelink.org/>
You may also review past newsletters from this page.

Learn more about Catholic radio in San Diego. Go to: <http://www.catholicradioofsandiego.com/>

**Wear your yellow name badge with pride to Mass and parish activities.
Remember to celebrate Mass with your Brother Knights at Corporate Communion each month at 10:00
on the Sunday following the first Wednesday of the month. (Sunday after monthly council meetings.)**

Visit www.kofc3162.org for more council info.

The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162

Chancellor's Corner



Prayer Requests

Please keep the following **Brother Knights, family members and friends** in your prayers for:

- Pope Benedict XVI and the Catholic Church.
- Bishop Joe Estabrook of the Military Archdiocese.

For Brother Knights: Hal Bartlett, Paul Cloud (PGK), Pierre Habis, Joseph Kerekes, Roy Timerman, Lalo Sanchez, Ramon Garcia, Frenchie LaBarge (PGK), John McMahan, Charles Waltz, Stuart Schepp, Ben Weseloh, Sam Ramirez, Vincent Vitali, and Joe Zagata.

For Family members: Lucille Varrichio (Brother Al's (PGK) wife), Thelma Poorman (wife of Brother Charles), Millie Colon (wife of Brother Hector), Emma Thurma (Aunt of Brother Javier Marquez), Al Varrichio's (PGK) daughter Delores, Rosa Aparicio (mother of Brother Richard Aparicio, Kristen Dearborn (wife of Brother David), Eva Koenig (wife of Brother Walter -deceased), Baby Izaiah Wallis (Young Cousin to Brother Eugene Garcia- Warden), Catherine Bandemer (wife of Brother Otto) and Clement Sauleone (wife of Brother Esau and sister of Brother Tala Paulo).

For all of our Deployed Brother Knights on active duty to include: Cullen McGovern and Henry Sosa.

For the promotion of Priestly Vocations and especially for Brother Knights: Fr. Joe Coffey, Fr. Jorge Hernandez, Fr. Vince Hughes, Fr. Peter Kirwin, Fr. Ed Sarrazin, and Fr. Chuck Talley

Happy Birthday Brother Knight!

October Birthdays

Nestor Arranz 10-01 Marc Montano 10-02
 Mark B Agualo 10-06 Dominic Marinello 10-07
 Everette Labarge 10-10 Kevin Delano 10-11
 Lalo Sanchez 10-17 Hector Colon Sr 10-19
 Joseph Sarnecky 10-22 Charles W Waltz 10-22

Dwight Deslauriers 10-04
 Sergio Mora 10-07
 John McMahan 10-12
 Robert A Howieson 10-22
 Ed J Sadkowski 10-28

Robert Costa 10-05
 David A Diaz Sr. 10-08
 Nick C Banche 10-15
 Erik J Orezekowski 10-22
 Rev Jorge Hernandez 10-29

November Birthdays

Peter LaVerdiere 11-02 Antonio Ardon 11-04
 Bryson K Jones 11-11 Thomas W Fox Jr 11-12
 Anthony Andreas 11-19 Ramon S Garcia 11-24
 Alfonso Segura 11-26 Rev Raul F Alejas 11-27

Gerardo M Zeledon 11-05
 Christopher J Parra 11-13
 Michael J Brown 11-25
 Eugene L Charpentier 11-30

Stephen H Kimball 11-10
 John Iniguez 11-17

Support the Canonization of our Founder!
Join the Father Michael J. McGivney Guild for free!

www.fathermcgivney.org

The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162



Dear Brother Knights,

Peace and all good!

Before we know it, we will be in the thick of holiday preparations. Before we know it, we'll all be in high gear: Thanksgiving, Advent, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Christmas shopping, family reunions and parties with friends and coworkers, etc. Before we know it, we'll find ourselves stressed out and overcommitted. Sound familiar? So, this year, before we all start to get way too busy, it might help all of us to be reminded that we also need to slow down! As my grandmother famously said, "Don't run around like a head with your chicken cut off!"

How can we slow down for holidays? Step back and look at what's going on. Decide what is really important and who is really important in our lives right here and right now. All of the Scripture readings for the coming Advent season are about just that: stepping back, setting priorities, and – oddly enough—learning to wait. We are called to wait for the Lord's coming—with hope, excitement, and anticipation. We learn to wait, to slow down, to quiet down interiorly so that we can begin to hear the Lord's own voice more clearly in our hearts.

I know you all to be such incredibly generous and involved men. So, between the Tootsie Roll drive, the Great Spaghetti Dinner, and the upcoming (before you know it!) Christmas Party, you'll be working hard. That said, let's also encourage each other to take a break, slow down, step back, and savor the peace that the coming Advent season promises.

As always, many thanks for all that you do for our Parish Family.
God bless,
Fr. Chuck



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 24th ANNUAL FUND RAISING DRIVE: RESULTS

Thanks to all of our Council members, families, and Friends who helped collect donations for **People with Intellectual Disabilities**, October 21st -23rd. Your dedication to this fund raiser collected over \$2,100.

We are still collecting tax-deductible donations until December. We ask any Council Member who was not available to participate in October to make **a tax deductible donation**, up to \$50, to support our Intellectual Disabilities fundraiser. Please make your check payable to "**Columbian Foundation**".

We have an opportunity for **Businesses** to support our fundraiser to benefit **People with Intellectual Disabilities**. If you know a business who would like to support our cause, please contact the Chairman. We have professional contribution forms available.

Fraternally,
Buster Beazley (PGK)
Chairman

The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162

Insurance Messages

OCTOBER – Right to Buy

The laws and rules of our Order, as well as state (provincial) laws, specify that the Knights of Columbus may accept insurance applications from members only. As a member, you may apply for insurance on yourself, your wife and your minor children.

The Order's Board of Directors has taken action, though, to assure that a Knight's widow maintains the right to purchase additional insurance for a limited time. This can be of great benefit and comfort to those we leave behind.

This "right to apply" is available only to the widows of insured members. If a member has not availed himself of our highly rated life insurance program, or purchased an annuity or long-term care policy, this benefit is not available to his widow.

But if the member was an insured member, his widow has the right to apply for additional insurance on her life and on the life of the member's minor children. This right must be exercised within one year following the Order's receipt of proof of the insured's death.

Know two things. First, I'll assist your widow and children in any way possible if you should die, both with your Knights of Columbus insurance and any other life insurance you may have. Second, I'll provide them my best professional advice and service, to assure that they have adequate insurance protection.

I have no greater responsibility.

NOVEMBER - Time Flies

A wise man once told me that time surely flies in the life insurance business. Without doubt, time flies for you, our fraternal leaders, as well. Even though our fraternal year is not yet half over, June 30 will be here before we know it. Since we all have our sights set on the Star Council Award, now is the time to work towards that goal. The purpose of my column in this issue is to remind you of the wonderful opportunity we have to help our Order grow, and to offer a couple of suggestions on how we can best do that.

The month of October brought the Orderwide membership "blitz" recruitment campaign. Now is the time to follow through with all the interested prospective members we spoke with during October. Let's make them members during November.

I can help, not only in explaining to prospects our outstanding insurance products, but also on the many other benefits of joining the Order. Even better, I can help you feel more comfortable in making the membership "sale" yourselves.

In an earlier column, I asked you to "give me a seat at the table" when laying out the council agenda for the fraternal year. I reiterate that plea here. Call me today. I'll help in any way that he can.

Ron Restaino – Field Agent
(858) 538-9741 Ron.Restaino@KofC.org

The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162



Our very own Columbian Squires Circle presents...

Columbus Day

Youth Dinner, Awards and Dance

Spaghetti Dinner and Show benefitting

“Parish Youth Groups and Honoring Youth Volunteers”

Come early for the Great Italian Cook-off, then Eat and Dance

Saturday, November 5th

6:30 PM to 10:00 PM

McKeon Center

Donations

Adult: \$15	Couple: \$25
Child 6-12: \$5	Child under 6: Free

Sponsored by the Pope John Paul II Columbian Squires Circle #4974 & San Luis Rey de Francia Knights of Columbus Council #3162.

Contact Mando Mena 760-967-9125

The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162

Officers

GRAND KNIGHT
760-583-4005

ROBERT REILLY
rreilly722@cox.net

DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT
760-631-4395

JOHN QUIROZ
gmc94@yahoo.com

CHANCELLOR
760-814-5515

DAVID DIAZ
dragon_blue_64@yahoo.com

WARDEN
760-433-2211

EUGENE GARCIA
e.garcia17@cox.net

TREASURER
760-631-3610

CHRIS WEBER
cweber@symitar.com

FINANCIAL SECRETARY
760-754-8555

RICHARD GIROUX
mj@moneymentors.us

CHAPLAIN
760-547-0714

FR. CHUCK TALLEY
pastor@sanluisreyparish.org

SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR
760-842-7978

DCN. C.J. DONARSKI, PGK
aldonarski@cox.net

RECORDER
760-317-8262

DON DIEGO DIAZ
dondiaz@cox.net

ADVOCATE
760-721-7143

DAVE MARVIN, PGK
dmarvin@hotmail.com

INSIDE GUARD
760-295-2457

DAVID AUSTIN
davidlaustin1965@gmail.com

OUTSIDE GUARD

CHRIS DIAZ
diazoverheaddoors@cox.net

OUTSIDE GUARD
760-967-0991

GARY VALENTE
gvalente51@yahoo.com

LECTURER
760-529-9378

DON PATERA
don38patera@gmail.com

DISTRICT DEPUTY 106
760-434-6346

VERN STEINMAN, PGK, PFN
vsteinman@roadrunner.com

3 YR TRUSTEE
760-724-4860

BUSTER BEAZLEY, IPGK
busterbeazley@yahoo.com

2 YR TRUSTEE
760-468-6327

JOHN INIGUEZ, PGK
southoftheborder@cox.net

1 YR TRUSTEE
760-724-7531

CHUCK ABOOD, PGK
cabood@cox.net

Council Directors

MEMBERSHIP
760-529-2830

DAVID DIAZ
dragon_blue_64@yahoo.com

PROGRAM DIRECTOR
760-631-4395

JOHN QUIROZ
gmc94@yahoo.com

FAMILY

JOHN MCCOY
rhondajohn@aol.com

CHURCH/PARISH
760-529-9378

DON PATERA
don38patera@gmail.com

YOUTH & SQUIRES
760-967-9125

ARMANDO MENA
americanaztec@sbcglobal.net

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

vacant

COUNCIL DIRECTOR
760-631-4395

JOHN QUIROZ
gmc94@yahoo.com

VOCATIONS
760-721-8294

BEN RUSSELL
bruss1825@aol.com

365 CLUB
760-721-8294

BEN RUSSELL
bruss1825@aol.com

SCHOLARSHIPS
760-967-9125

ARMANDO MENA
americanaztec@sbcglobal.net

PRO-LIFE
760-814-5515

DAVID DIAZ
dragon_blue_64@yahoo.com

PUBLIC RELATIONS
760-317-8262

DON DIEGO DIAZ
dondiaz@cox.net

DISASTER FUND

JOHN MCCOY
rhondajohn@aol.com

FOURTH DEGREE
760-583-4005

ROBERT REILLY
rreilly722@cox.net

Insurance Agent

RON RESTAINO
858-538-9741

ron.restaino@kofc.org

Columbus Club

PRESIDENT
760-433-3432

CHAD DORRY
chaddorry@netscape.net

KOFC HALL PHONE
760-547-0737

Knights of Columbus
San Luis Rey de Francia Council #3162
4070 Mission Avenue
Oceanside, CA 92057



The CRUSADER

The Official Newsletter of the Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council #3162
