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Grand Knight's Message



Brother Knights,

It is the end of the Columbian year and time to elect the Council Officers for the new prosperous year. Our Council has many energetic and dynamic members who have many quality attributes and great ideas to serve our Council, Church, Vocations, Community, Pro-Life, Family, and Youth events. Our Council can work wonders with your contribution of ideas, talent, and skills. Think about becoming a Council Officer or Director and help to keep moving our Council forward with surge in service to others. Your participation as a Committee Chair or your efforts to assist a Chairman to execute a Council event is greatly appreciated.

Congratulations to our Scholarship winners! Council #3162 was able to award \$3000 in college Scholarships. We continue to support the future of our Youth so, let's gather ideas to replenish our Scholarship fund to award

more scholarships next year.

Christmas-n-July+is coming soon and our Council will operate a Hamburger booth to support OMMS. See the announcement in the Crusader and let's help our Parish school have a successful event. There will be a Men's Retreat in August to reinforce our Catholic faith so, keep your calendar open. This is a great opportunity for our Council to be a true pillar in the parish and live out our Catholic faith.

This Columbian year has been a rewarding experience, so let's continue to uphold the legacy of our deceased members into the 2011-12 Columbian year. Please pray for all of our sick and homebound members and families listed in this Crusader.

God Bless us all,
Buster Beazley
Grand Knight

**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.

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Knight of the Month

May – Don Diaz

Family of the Month

May – Ben Russell



Chaplain's Corner

Excerpted from MSLRP Website – 6-8-11

Welcome to Franciscan friars Mike Minton and Victor Vega, who will be staying with this this summer. Brother Mike will be working here at the Parish, while Brother Victor will be stationed at the Old Mission. Also, I am pleased to announce that two men from the area will be entering the Franciscan community at our postulancy house in Portland, Oregon this September. Mark Beglin, a member of our Covenant Program, worked and lived at the Mission for a year before moving to the Bay Area. Garrett Collins hails from San Marcos close by. Both men have been participating in our ongoing prayer and discernment group.

If you are a single Catholic man, 25-50 years of age, and would like to know more about our Franciscan way of life, feel free to contact Frs. Adrian, Luis, or myself.

God Bless,
Fr. Chuck

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.

For Bishop Joe Estabrook of the Military Archdiocese.

For Brother Knights: Hal Bartlett, Pierre Habis, Joseph Kerekes, Roy Timerman, Lalo Sanchez, Ramon Garcia, Frenchie LaBarge (PGK), John McMahan, Charles Waltz, Stuart Schepp, Ben and Pat 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 Chris Parra.

See previous recipients of Knight of the Month and Family of the Month at www.kofc3162.org

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COUNCIL ACTIVITY CALENDAR

June

- 1 – Wednesday.** Council Meeting, 7:00 PM.
K of C 3162 Hall
- 5– Sunday.** Corporate Communion, 10:00 AM Mass.
MSLRP Serra Center.
- 11 - Saturday.** M.O.P ó Maintain Our Parish
8- 12noon. Meet at OMMS Flag Pole.
- 16 – Thursday.** Religious Appreciation Dinner at St
Michaelø, 6pm in Poway.
- 17 – Friday.** K of C Chapter mtg., 7:30pm.
St. Peterø Council in Fallbrook.
- 29 – Wednesday.** Officers Meeting, 7:00 PM.
K of C 3162 Hall

July

- 2 – Saturday.** Independence Day Parade, 10:00 AM.
Coast Highway, Oceanside.
Runs between Wisconsin and the Civic Center
- 6 – Wednesday.** Council Meeting, 7:00 PM.
K of C 3162 Hall
- 9 & 10 – Saturday/Sunday.** Christmas in July
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
OMMS Front Lawn
- 10 – Sunday.** Corporate Communion,
10:00 AM Mass. MSLRP Serra Center
- 15 – Friday.** K of C Chapter mtg. 7:30pm.
Location: TBD
- 27 – Wednesday.** Officers Meeting, 7:00 PM.
Council Hall.

San Diego Chapter Meeting in North County

The June meeting of the San Diego diocese K of C will be held on Friday, June 17th, at St Peterø in Fallbrook at 7:30pm. All 3rd/ 4th Degree members are invited to monthly K of C Chapter meeting. Carpool will depart our Hall at 6:30pm.

Mother of Life Conference

Mark your calendars for Saturday, August 13th, at USD, 8am . 4pm. This is a San Diego diocese K of C event to promote Pro-Life efforts in Southern California. More information will be published about tickets for adults and Youth.

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California K of C State Convention

The 2011 K of C State convention was a successful event held in San Diego. Council #3162 contributed \$400 to the state %65 Fund+and received approval on our resolution for a member\$ 65 years of faithful service in the K of C. Presentation of the Resolution will be forthcoming!

Men's Retreat Aug 12-14

All Brother Knights are invited to this Men\$ Retreat at the Old Mission Retreat Center. This retreat will focus on growth and leadership in our Catholic faith. Watch for more information forthcoming. Please contact Brother Lee Bickford or Don Patera to reserve your seat.

Christmas in July

On July 9th & 10th Council #3162 will be operating a Hamburger Booth at the OMMS Christmas in July Craft Fair. If you would you would like to volunteer for a 2-hour or 4-hour shift in our hamburger booth, please contact Brother Jim Corcoran or the Deputy Grand Knight. Sign up today to make this a record breaking fundraiser for our Parish School.

PRO-LIFE Committee

Although Council #3162 conducts semi-annual Pro-Life %Baby Shower+to support the Pregnancy Resource Center, we do accept baby/ infant donations year round. If you have some items to donate or would like a Baby Bottle for change, please contact our Pro-Life Chairman or the Deputy Grand Knight.

K of C defends the Pledge of Allegiance

The K of C is a Patriotic organization that continues to stand up in support of our constitution. The following is a summation of a press release: %The K of C help uphold the Pledge of Allegiance Law+. For the 2nd time this year, a federal appellate court has rejected a constitutional challenge to the Pledge of Allegiance after hearing arguments from attorneys for the K of C in November 2010. As in an earlier case in California, the K of C convinced the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals to uphold the constitutionality of the Pledge of Allegiance in March 2010. Watch for more information to come in the Columbian Magazine. The K of C continues to support our country\$ heritage and values. Do your part to influence our future generation to be Patriotic citizens and convey the central beliefs that Americans have held since 1776.

Council Tasks available

If you would like to help the Council with any of the following duties, please notify the DGK or GK.

- Maintain Membership USPS Mailing List.
- Maintain Membership E-mail List.
- Phone Tree - call a few members. (Only one page of the roster)
- Visit a sick member.
- Maintain the Council PGK Board.
- Collect Door Prizes.
- Council Golf Tournament administrative support.
- Stand by a %Sport Court Bucket+and encourage parishioners.
- Help Financial Secretary locate lost Members.
- OMMS Liaison.
- Many more ã ã

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OMMS Shirt Sale

Old Mission Montessori School is selling Polo Shirts and T-shirts with the San Damiano Cross logo on them. Order forms can be picked up in the School office.

Short Sleeve T-Shirt	\$15.00
Short Sleeve T-Shirt Plus Sizes	\$17.50
Long Sleeve T-Shirt	\$20.00
Long Sleeve T-Shirt Plus Sizes	\$22.50
Polo Shirts	\$25.00
Polo Shirt Plus Sizes	\$30.00

Habitat-for-Council-Humanity Projects

Council #3162 is looking at small projects to improve the livelihood of Homebound Brother Knights or Parishioners on fixed income or disabled. If you would like to donate material, your time, or your skills to a Council Project that will improve the lives of homebound Council members or Parishioners, this is the project for you. Please contact the Grand Knight or our Community Director.

We are in search of a 4ft piece of Linoleum and 12in x 12in Thin Office Tile. Color is not a priority.

Independence Day Parade

We will need a Truck and a trailer, to create our Council Float for the Oceanside Independence Day Parade. If you have a Truck or Trailer to loan to this Council Project, please contact the Deputy Grand Knight.

Lets go out to the Ball Game

K of C Night at the Lake Elsinore Storm's Game will be July 30th. Join your Brother Knights and their families at the ballpark. Tickets must be purchased in advance. If you want tickets to the game, please contact Brother Ben Russell **no later than July 15th**.

Graduation Gift Cards

Are you looking for a **Graduation Gift**? Do you like using Gift Cards or give them away as presents? You can order Gift Cards to 100s of merchants and Restaurants in the North County from **the Old Mission Montessori School**. You can buy a Gift Card and use 100% of the value, and a portion of the amount goes back to OMMS. For Example: Applebee's and Macy's give 10%, and Barnes & Noble give 9% to OMMS. This is a great way to help out your Parish School and give somebody a gift card to buy what they desire. Graduation Season is coming soon and these gift cards are great gifts for your distant Graduate!

Catholic Radio in San Diego

Tune your radio to **AM 1000** Mon-Fri 6pm-8pm for Catholic Radio of San Diego.

Visit www.CatholicRadioOFSanDiego.com for weekly programming schedule and events around the county.

We have an opportunity to advertise our Council events on the radio.

Scholarships:

Council Scholarship Committee awarded 3 Scholarships to Brianna Ortiz, Kaitlin Murphy, and Francisco Mena. Congratulations to the 2011 awardees!

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Insurance Message

JUNE – Lazy Days of Summer

Have you ever heard the expression "lazy days of summer"? While the hot weather may encourage a slower paced life, in many ways summer can be the busiest time of the year. Especially for parents with school-aged children. And being busy, it's easy to forget about such things as reviewing your life insurance coverage.

The purpose of this column is to encourage you to meet with me, your Knights of Columbus agent, before the end of the summer. Whether or not you have life insurance with the Order, I'd be happy to meet with you and make sure your coverage continues to meet your needs and goals. If you've had any life changes since you last bought a policy (new home, new child, new job, etc.), chances are your life insurance needs to be updated. I'd work with you to make sure you have the coverage you need at a price you can afford.

Call me to set up an appointment. When we meet, you'll discover that time spent with your Knights of Columbus agent is time well-spent. But, make the call today. Because summer is not only busy, it's also coming to an end.

Ron Restaino – Field Agent

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Happy Birthday Brother Knight!

June Birthdays

Esau Sauileone . 1st
 Javier Marquez . 8th
 Chuck Abood . 13th
 Fr. Peter Kirwin . 21st
 Wenceslau Laureta . 27th

Larry Maher . 2nd
 Warren Altstatt . 10th
 Max Burila . 14th
 Gary Watrous . 23rd
 Rev. Nestor Almazan . 30th

John Winslow . 2nd
 Miguel Angel Marez . 11th
 Charles Poorman . 19th
 Lee Bickford . 24th

Tom Reising . 5th
 George Dauss . 12th
 Mel Nacional . 20th

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

www.fathermcgivney.org

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