



NEWSLETTER

OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATE WORD COUNCIL 15199
OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATION ASSEMBLY 3309
2309 Monterrey Rd. Rio Rancho, NM 87144

December 2022

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Knights of Columbus

Building the
Domestic Church
While Strengthening
Our Parish

CALENDAR

ASSEMBLY
MEETINGS

7:00 PM

Second Monday of the
month

www.kofcassembly3309.com

COUNCIL MEETINGS

7:00 PM

Second Thursday of
the month

www.kofc15199.com

Thank You Brother SK Marty and Lady Zenaida



FROM THE PASTOR

Veterans Day

They say a cat has 9 lives. I have had more than 30 or more dear death experiences serving my country in Vietnam. God is the reason I survived. Early in my life, my aunt raised me until she died. But I remember her motherly guidance and keeping God in my life. My life changed in my teens when I was homeless and living under a bridge for 8 months in Chicago.

At age 17, alone, homeless, dirty, hungry, no friends, I didn't understand why I was living like this. I was not a pessimist, rebel, or mentally sick, I just wanted to live like everyone else in a home with food, water, and a roof over my head. An Army recruiter rescued me and treated me like a human being.

I joined the Army and I felt like I belonged to humanity again. When I was sent to Vietnam, the enemy's (Charlie) tactics employed to kill us were mind boggling. What I suffered and went through was life threatening. We were always in the jungle, day or night fighting. But it was worse at night; not seeing the enemy during a firefight and sometimes not knowing where the enemy was located was confusing.

Who could believe these stories as they were so surreal? Charlie (Viet Cong) threw a grenade at me and it exploded between the two of us. I was wounded. My chest popped out, but I didn't feel pain. I was patched up and after 30 days, I went back on patrol. I was also hit by a sniper bullet in my left and I was out for a week. I went back on patrol afterwards.

I learned during my stay in Vietnam that Charlie was just a farmer recruited to fight us. It made me sad to know they were ordinary people used by the Viet Cong.

I received the Bronze Star, two Purple Hearts, the CID Badge, the Silver Wing Paratrooper Medal, and the Vietnamese Bronze Cross for Gallantry. I had 13 medals in all, but they don't really mean as much as the men I saved in my squad. Now in 2022, as far as I know, I am the only one still living from my squad. God was watching over me and is still watching over me.

God bless America.

Marty Cantu

2021-2022
Council Officers

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Rev Leo W Ortiz

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SK Thomas Plate

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SK John Trosper

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Steve Hunt

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SK Philip Watje

**Congratulations to Brother SK Henry Chavez for
attaining Honorary Membership Status!**



Honorary Membership

Members who have attained the actual age of 65 years and who have been members of the Order for 25 consecutive years are designated as honorary members.

Honorary Life Membership

Members who have attained the actual age of 70 years and who have been members of the Order for 25 consecutive years, and those who have been members of the Order for 50 consecutive years, regardless of age, are designated as honorary life members

Life and Honorary Members of Council 15199

Henry	Chavez	Honorary
Bernard	Albers	Honorary Life
Rev John	Carney	Honorary Life
Ronald	Cook	Honorary Life
James	Cutler	Honorary Life
James	Guth	Honorary Life
Garold	Hohmann	Honorary Life
Lawrence	Kolker	Honorary Life
John	Librande	Honorary Life
Thomas	Madrid	Honorary Life
Angelo	Marquez	Honorary Life
Francis	Melo	Honorary Life
Rev Leo	Ortiz	Honorary Life
John	Trosper	Honorary Life

2021-2022

Assembly Officers

Faithful Friar
Father Leo Ortiz

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PGK SK Ronald
Karaskiewicz

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SK Ross Aiello

Faithful Comptroller
PFN SK Ronald
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Faithful Admiral
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Sentinel
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Year
GK SK Tom Plate

Faithful Trustee Two
Year
SK Dominic Lepore

Faithful Trustee Three
Year
SK Gerald Roybal

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SK James Starr



Wednesday Night Online Rosary, 7:00pm - 7:30pm (MDT)

Please join the Knights Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm for our weekly rosary

Parishioners, Family and Friends are invited

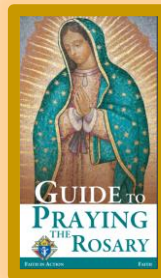
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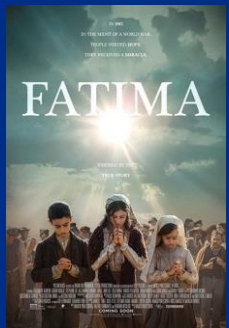
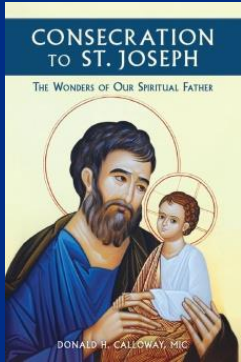
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From Worthy Lecturer SK Jimm White

December 2022

Mary, Wisdom, and the Church

“Hail favored one! The Lord is with you”. Lk 1:28

I always thought the first time we hear of Mary is in the New Testament when the Angel Gabriel comes to her to announce she will be the Mother of God. Most of my Catechism from my early days with the Baltimore Catechism, and a great deal of discussion about Mary since then, taught me this story, but never mentions Mary prior to this event, and I don't believe she is mentioned anywhere else in the New Testament before this greeting.

Is this the first time we know of Mary in the Bible? There are certainly many references to Mary in the Old Testament;

In Isaiah we read: "Behold, a virgin has conceived and will bear a son, and shall call his name Emmanuel, which means God with us."

But let's go back even further, to the beginning in Proverbs, the Book of Wisdom, and Sirach.

In Proverbs we read: “The Lord begot me, the beginning of His works, the forerunner of His deeds of long ago. From of old I was formed, at the first, before the earth”.

When you read this passage and others in Proverbs, Wisdom and Sirach it seems obvious the authors are talking about Mary. The similarities in characteristics and attributes of Wisdom in the Old Testament and Mary in the New Testament cannot be overlooked. “Wisdom” in these scriptures is treated as if it is a person, a woman.

For the last 1000 years or so the Church has considered that this is in fact a “type” of Mary. I'm not sure I know what they mean by “type”, but I would suggest this is the Spirit, the essence of Mary that was created before all else. So, we could say the writers in the Old Testament knew the essence, the persona of Mary without knowing the person of Mary.

Mary doesn't become person until her own Immaculate Conception, and all the essence of Mary over the ages becomes the person of Mary who will be the vessel of God to bring God, Jesus, into this world as a person.

Lord, make me an
instrument of Your
Peace:

Where there is
hatred, let me sow
love;

Where there is
injury, pardon;

Where there is
doubt, faith;

Where there is
despair, hope;

Where there is
darkness, light;
And where there is
sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,
Grant that I may not
so much seek To be
consoled as to
console;

To be understood, as
to understand;
To be loved, as to
love;

For it is in giving
that we receive, It is
in pardoning that we
are pardoned,

And it is in dying
that we are born to
Eternal Life. Amen

The Gospels tell us that Mary was there when Jesus was born, was there when Jesus started his ministry at the Wedding at Cana and was there at the foot of the Cross when Jesus died. Others come and go thru the Gospels, but only Mary is there for all three.

There, with His mother, Mary, and John the Apostol at the foot of the Cross, Jesus says something that from that time on has people asking if he had a brother and Mary another son, which by extension, would mean Mary did not continue being a virgin after the birth of Christ.

In his book “Reclaiming Vatican II” Fr. Blake Britton speaks to this and for the first time I understand the correct answer to the question.

“Woman, behold your son”. Fr, Britton explains that Jesus isn’t telling Mary to take care of her son in the sense that John is her son the way Jesus is. With these words Jesus is making Mary the Church, not a member of the Church, but *the* church in persona and as person. Christ is making an official decree as to the role of Mary in Christianity. She *is* the Church. This is why the Church is referred to in the feminine.

Then he speaks to John, “Behold your Mother”. With these words, Jesus is referring to John as the faithful of the Church. So now the Church and the faithful of the Church are called together in the way the Church will always be the Love of God to her faithful, and the faithful will always love their Mother, the Church.

We as Knights of Columbus have a special devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary, and now we understand our devotion to the Church. Now we understand that because Mary is without sin that the Church is without sin. Now we understand the two parts that come together to become one.

Through all the scandals that have plagued the Church in past years, we understand that we, the faithful of the Church are capable of sin, and that the Church, because it is without sin, is our pathway to God.

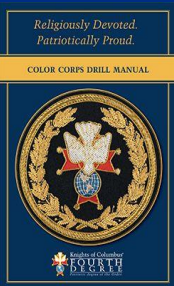
Now we understand, from this perspective, the complete importance of Mary in God’s plan all the way back to the beginning.

God created the essence of Mary to be Wisdom, to be a pathway to God. Mary becomes a person and bears into the world God, in the person of Jesus. Christ decrees Mary as the Church and is, again, our pathway.

Either in essence or in person, Mary was then, is now, and always will be a pathway to Jesus.



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Family of the Month



Congratulations to the
The Philip Watje Family

Knights in Action

Veteran's Day 2022



Christ the King 2022



Silver Rose 2022



Parish Mission with Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio

Parish Mission with Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio (known as "Dr. Italy" on Catholic radio and TV) is a NY Times best-selling author and co-author of the new study, *Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life*. He has a Ph.D. from the Catholic University of America. Dr. Marcellino co-founded Crossroads Initiative, a ministry that creatively proclaims the Gospel to young people through music and media. As a Catholic speaker, he presents in a way that is energetic, relaxed, and conversational. His talks are peppered with humor, stories, and real-life examples that keep the audience engaged and inspired. His goal is that participants walk out with a practical plan for change and continued growth.



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Tuesday, December 6, 2022: Keeping Your Kids Catholic

Mass: 5:30 PM
Talk: 6:00-7:00 PM
Confessions: 4:30-7:00 PM



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The Knights of Columbus Council 15199

12 DAYS *of Christmas*

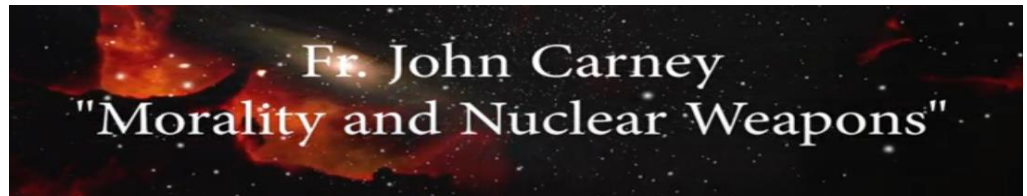
RAFFLE

12/26/2022 – 1/6/2023

- **\$300 Prize Each Day**
- **\$3,600 total prize money**
- **Only 200 tickets will be sold**
- **Tickets are only \$50 each**

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Shrines of Switzerland and a Rhine River Cruise

May 23, 2023 - June 2, 2023

This unique pilgrimage begins in the majestic setting of the Swiss Alps and concludes with an enchanting cruise down the Rhine River through France, Germany, and Holland. Led by Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio (known as "Dr. Italy" on Catholic radio and TV) and under the spiritual direction of Fr. John Carney.

For more info, visit www.rhinecruise.info
or contact Jane at 800.842.4842 or jane@select-intl.com.
Brochures are available in the Church and Parish Office.



DECEMBER 2022

SUPREME CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY CHALLENGE

“For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.” (Gospel for Dec. 18, Mt 1:20-21)

Does the Advent season sometimes seem to be about things other than Christ? Amid breathless advertisements, urgent warnings about the waning number of shopping days and the hassle of making holiday plans, there’s a danger that Jesus’ birth will be neglected or forgotten. Let’s make it a priority to remember what Christmas is about: The Son of God became man in order to die for our sins and rise again, so that we could be freed from our slavery to sin and also rise to new life.

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to keep your attention on the true meaning of Christmas by setting up a Nativity scene in a prominent place in your home and spending some time in prayer before it each day. Second, I challenge you to assist your council in the Faith in Action Keep Christ in Christmas program.

Questions for Reflection:

How do you “Keep Christ in Christmas” in your own life? Do you practice any Christmas traditions that help you do this? Could you establish any new traditions that will remind you what Christmas is all about?



FAITH COMMUNITY FAMILY LIFE

Faith in Action Program – Proposed 2022/23 Fraternal Year

	Program Title	Description	When
FAITH	Into the Breach	Promote series during Lent and distribute Into the Breach booklets	Mar, Apr, May
	Rosary Program	Continue Wednesday evening online rosary	ongoing
	Holy Hour	Continue attendance at weekly adoration	ongoing
	Spiritual Reflection	Men Under Construction	August
FAMILY	Food for Families	Food Drives for St. Felix Pantry and coordinate with the "Fill a Bag, Fill a Tummy" purple bag program	Monthly
	Keep Christ in Christmas	Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest	Dec
	Family of the Month/Year	Select and submit FOTM for 12 months	Monthly
	Family Fully Alive	Distribute <i>Family Fully Alive</i> booklets	TBD
COMMUNITY	Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest	Encourage essays from EDGE and Life Teen members	Fall
	Disaster Preparedness	Disaster support to as needed	Ongoing
	Helping Hands	Participate in placement of 3,000 flags for 9/11 at local cemetery and Wreaths Across America at same cemetery; Assist Knights and other community members as needed.	Sep, Dec, Ongoing
	Free Throw Contest	Coordinate with OLOS	TBD
LIFE	March for Life	Sidewalk time at PP, 40 Days for Life	Ongoing
	Ultrasound Program	Donate free-will donations collected from 2022 St. Joseph Table to NM KofC Ultrasound Initiative	Mar
	ASAP	Giving Tree and Mother's Day collections of baby supplies for new mothers	Dec, May
	Pregnancy Center Support	Continue donating all proceeds from breakfast burrito sales to PDL	Ongoing

Prayer Requests



Lady Jacqui Berryman, Clyde Archuleta, Son of +SK Ralph and Lady Joan, SK Ray Montoya, SK Marty Cantu, Lady Zenaida Cantu, Brother Larry Kolker, Lawrence Goddard, Sir Knight Tim, and Lady Amanda, Lady Marian Oldham, SK Julian and Lady Teresa Gonzales, Lady Cindy Melo, SK Henry Chavez, Lady Elaine Chavez, Lady Alice Garcia, SK Frank Morganti, SK Joe Berryman, SK Ron Cook, SK James Starr, Brother George Schlegelmilch, Lady Cecilia Brunoni, Lady Joan Archuleta, SK Frosty Johnson, Jennifer Talik Daughter in Law of SK Stan Talik and Lady Debbie, SK Garold Hohmann, SK Joseph Lepre, SK Marty Cantu, Lady Zenaida Cantu



+John B Sayer, +Frank Guillen, +Dave Ashley, +SK Tony Vigil, +Juan Canales, +Dean Ramaeker, + SK Ken Weiman, +Alvin Cynova, +SK Ralph Archuletta, +Warren Ferguson. + Gloria Baca, Sister of SK Gerald Roybal, + Mary Kerr, Sister of Lady Josie Roybal, + Christopher Melo, Son of SK Frank, and Lady Cindy Melo

God Almighty, Heavenly Father, Physician of our souls and bodies, You, who sent Your only begotten Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, to heal every sickness and infirmity, visit and heal also Your sick and distressed Knights and their beloved from all physical and spiritual ailments.

Through the Grace of the Holy Spirit, grant these Knights and their beloved, patience in their sickness, strength of body and spirit, and recovery of health. Lord, You have taught us through Your Word to pray for each other that we may be healed. We pray, heal your servants and grant to them the gift of complete health.

For You are the source of healing and to You we give glory, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, Amen

In your hands, O Lord, we humbly entrust our brothers and sisters. In this life you embraced them with your tender love; deliver them now from every evil and bid them eternal rest. The old order has passed away: welcome them into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping or pain, but fullness of peace and joy with your Son and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen



Church of the Incarnation

Office and Church Hours

Monday – Thursday, 9:00am – 5:00pm
Fridays 8:00am-1:00pm

Daily Mass

Mon, Wed & Thurs: 5:30pm
Tuesday & Friday: 8:00am

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:00pm
Sundays: 8:00am, 10:30am and 12:30pm

Confessions

Mon., Wed & Thurs: 4:30pm-5:15pm
Tuesday & Friday: 7:15am -7:45am
Saturdays 2:00pm -3:45pm
Sunday 9:30am -10:15am

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday & Wednesday: 6:00pm-7:00pm
Fridays: 9:00am – 1:00pm

Contact Information for Staff and
Clergy

Bulletin



YouTube Channel:
Church of the Incarnation-
Rio Rancho, NM

Parish Mission

with Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio

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[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#)



Greeter and Usher Ministry Needs Your Help

Greeters and Ushers help to bring a warm and welcoming environment to our parish, providing the first impression, greeting everyone with a smile, and making every guest feel welcome. Greeters and Ushers are usually the first official representative of the church that people meet when they arrive.

Help is needed at all weekend Masses, and you are already attending Mass, so please consider joining this important Ministry.

Please call the Parish Office at 505-771-8331 to sign-up today.

Letter to Mommy and
Daddy after Abortion

Mommy... why did you
hurt me?

Daddy did you know?
Why didn't you fight for
my life?

Jesus said I would have
looked just like you
Your hair, your eyes, and
even your smile
I know you didn't mean it
Mommy

Daddy I know you love
me.

Daddy, you will never
get to see me

You'll miss my first
words, you'll miss me
fall and get
up.

Mommy, you'll never get
to comb my hair or paint
my nails, you'll miss me
go to kindergarten

You guys will miss my
whole life And I will
to....

But don't worry, I am
with Jesus now.... Next
time think about what
you are doing, and who
you are hurting,

I AM A PERSON

Mommy, Daddy, I love
you, wish you would
have
loved me too

By: *Danielle Martinez*



Culture of Life

ASAP (Aid and Support After Pregnancy)

Host a fundraiser for a pregnancy resource center or maternity home after an upcoming March for Life. Pregnancy resource centers and maternity homes can be found by searching through databases available

at heartbeatinternational.org, birthright.org and pregnancycarecanada.ca – among others.

Visit kofc.org/asap for resources.

Pregnacy Centers in NM	Mailing Address	City	Phone
Birthright	3228 Candelaria NE	Albuquerque	505-262-2235
Birthright	609 N. Butler Ave.	Farmington	
Birthright	203 Manzaneras Ave #16	Socorro	575-835-4236
Project Defending Life	729 San Mateo Blvd NE	Albuquerque	505-266-4100
Life Choice Pregnancy Resource Center	621 N. Main	Clovis	(575) 935-5433
New Beginnings Caring Pregnancy Center	108 W. Hagerman	Carlsbad	575-885-0848
New Life Pregnancy Center	PO Box 43	Taos	575-758-2899
Open Arms PC	PO Box 3579	Truth or Consequences	970-799-4792
Pregnancy Help Center of Artesia	610 W. Quay Ave	Artesia	575-736-6400
Right to Life of New Mexico	2413 Wyoming Blvd NE	Albuquerque	(505) 881-4563
LegacyPregnancy Resource	1100 E. Llano	Hobbs	575.942.2567
Southern NM Outreach	1222 N. White Sands Blvd	Alamogordo	575 434-5525
Origins	2704 Southern Blve SE	Rio Ranch	505-891-1430
Care Net Pregnancy Center of Los Cruces	PO Box 1865	Las Cruces	575-526-6242
Turning Point A Pregnancy Help Center	3201 S. Main Suite C	Las Cruces	575-520-1147
Care Net of the East Mountains	21 Main St Suite 202	Edgewood	505-281-5408
Care Net Pregnancy Center Rio Rancho	2451 Monterrey Rd	Rio Rancho	505-896-2305
Care Net Pregnancy Center Los Lunas	601 Main SE, Ste 26	Los Lunas	505-565-3838
Chaves County Pregnancy Resource Center	PO Box 3611	Roswell	575-623-1217
Hands of Hope Pregnancy Center	120 Boardman Dr	Gallup	505-722-7125
Our Lady of Guadalupe Gift of Life Center	811 St. Michael's Dr. Suite 103	Santa Fe	505-988-1215
Life-Way of Lincoln County	270 A Country Club DDr	Ruidoso	575.973.0088
Restarting a CPC			719-439-3116
Grace Place Pregnancy and Health Center	4801 N. Butler, Ste 3102	Farmington	505-327-4747

Hosting a baby bottle drive?

K of C branded baby bottles are available for order on [Supplies Online](#) in the Faith in Action's Pregnancy Center Support folder.

March for Life

Share the Supreme Knight's urgent invitation to this year's March for Life with your council and fellow pro-life advocates using this [link](#).



Celebrate the Gospel of Life

O Mary,
bright dawn of the new world,
Mother of the living,
to you do we entrust the cause of life:
Look down, O Mother,
upon the vast numbers
of babies not allowed to be born,
of the poor whose lives are made difficult,
of men and women
who are victims of brutal violence,
of the elderly and the sick killed
by indifference or out of misguided mercy.
Grant that all who believe in your Son
may proclaim *the Gospel of life*
with honesty and love
to the people of our time.
Obtain for them the grace
to *accept that Gospel*
as a gift ever new,
the joy of celebrating it with gratitude
throughout their lives
and the courage to bear witness to it
resolutely, in order to build,
together with all people of good will,
the civilization of truth and love,
to the praise and glory of God,
the Creator and lover of life.

Joannes Paulus M^{II}
— *Evangelium Vitae*

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In the Know – Programs, Events and Activities



Council Officer's Meeting – First Thursday of the month

Council General Meeting – Second Thursday of the month

Assembly Meeting – Second Monday of the month

Virtual/Online Rosary, Wednesday Evenings –
Contact Grand Knight (gk15199@gmail.com) for details

2022 Color Corp Schedule

January 30, 2022 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

April 14, 2022 - Holy Thursday Guard for the Blessed Sacrament

April 17, 2022 - Easter Sunday Process at Mass

May 29, 2022 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

June 19, 2022 - Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi) process at Mass (Sunday After)

July 31, 2022 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

October 30, 2022 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

November 6, 2022 - Veterans Day Present the Colors (Sunday
Before)

November 20, 2022 - The Feast of Christ the King process at Mass

December 12, 2022- Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

December 25, 2022 - Christmas Day process at Mass

Training Resources



**WESTERN TERRITORY ARGTD
TRAINING WEBINAR TOPICS 2022-2023**

WEBINAR TOPIC	RECOMMENDED FOR:
The Delta Church Drive System	District Deputies, Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Membership Directors, Program Directors, Chaplains, Faith In Action Chairmen
Council Growth	District Deputies, Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Program Directors, Membership Directors, Faith In Action Chairmen
You Are Your Programs	District Deputies, Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Program Directors, Membership Directors, Faith In Action Chairmen
Enhancing Member Experience By Creating A Culture of Engagement	District Deputies, Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Program Directors, Membership Directors, Faith In Action Chairmen
District Deputy Basic Training	District Deputies, Grand Knights
District Deputy Basic Training-Part 2	District Deputies, Grand Knights
The District Deputy Check-In	District Deputies
How A District Deputy Can Help With Faith In Action	District Deputies
Grand Knight Basic Training	Grand Knights, Council Officers, District Deputies
Grand Knight Basic Training-Part 2	Grand Knights, Council Officers, District Deputies
New Meeting Guidelines	Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Advocates, District Deputies
Financial Secretary Basic Training	Financial Secretaries, Treasurers, Grand Knights, District Deputies
Council Officer Basic Training	All Knights
New Council Development Basic Training	All Knights
Online Membership Basic Training	All Knights
Faith In Action	All Knights
Working With Your Pastor	Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, District Deputies
Surfing the kofc.org Website (aka: Surfin' Safari)	All Knights
Saturday With Supreme	All Knights

Contact: ken.white@kofc.org for more information on Training Webinars and Live Training Sessions for your Council.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to ARGTD Kenneth White, 203-500-4096, ken.white@kofc.org

NMSC FINANCIAL SECRETARY TRAINING

Contact DD David Martinez for FS Training Classes at DAVIDRMTZ@HOTMAIL.COM or 505-220-9351

FRATERNAL 'HOW TO' VIDEOS

Fraternal 'How To' Videos are short tutorials that walk fraternal leaders through essential Knights of Columbus tools and procedures. [LEARN MORE](#)

OFFICER RESOURCES

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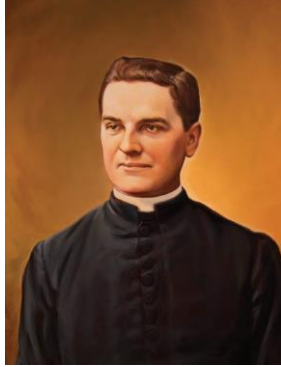
Are there men in your parish and community who have yet to join your council? Do you wish that more of your current members were engaged in the work of the council? Would you like more council members to be comfortable asking another man to join the Order? Your agent stands ready to help you with all these things and more. Reach out to him today to start a discussion on how you can partner for success



December 2022 Birthdays

Roland M Gatti	12/2
Robert S Brunoni	12/3
Deacon Mark W Buie	12/4
Matthew J Walsh	12/5
Blair J White	12/9
Joseph P Lepre	12/11
Steven J Schroeder	12/11
Luis M Valdivia	12/17
Dean D Pitts	12/20
Rick A Rood	12/22
John A Librande	12/26
Luke A Ney Sr	12/26

Happy Birthday! May God continue to bless you with peace, love, health, and happiness!



Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (*here make your request*). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please report all favors received:

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Michael McGivney

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Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection against
the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.



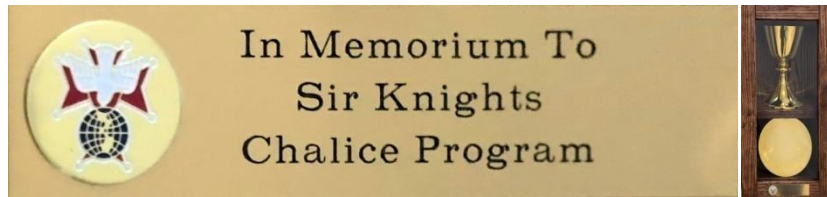
Reminders

Council Officer's Meeting – First Thursday of the month

Council General Meeting – Second Thursday of the month. Join us for a post meeting social - Enjoy refreshments and time with your Brother Knights

Assembly Meeting – Second Monday of the month

Please submit your Assembly Chalice Fund Donations



The Chalice Program is a beautiful and lasting gesture to memorialize and pay tribute to a Sir Knight who has passed away. A Chalice and Paten with the name of the deceased Sir Knight engraved (on the Paten) are given to a Mission Church for use during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass



Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our Order. Keep us true to our pledge, to extend the kingship of thy divine son on earth.

Through Thine intercession, win for us the grace, ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues that should characterize those especially dedicated to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware that as your Knights, we are constantly observed, our faith judged, and our Order appreciated.

Accept, O Mary, this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion, of Thy Servants, the Knights of Columbus.
