

OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATE WORD COUNCIL 15199 OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATION ASSEMBLY 3309

2309 Monterrey Rd. Rio Rancho, NM 87144

December 2023

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"Vivat Jesus!"

2023-2024 Council Officers

Chaplain Rev Leo Ortiz

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Financial Secretary SK James Guth

Deputy Grand Knight SK Philip Watje

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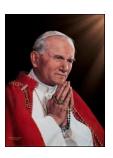
Outside Guard SK Mark Bagdon

One Year Trustee SK Ron Karaskiewicz

Two Year Trustee SK David Chavez

Three Year Trustee SK Dom Lepore

Saint John Paul's Prayer for Peace



Lord Jesus Christ, who is called the Prince of Peace, who are yourself our peace and reconciliation, who so often said, "Peace to you," grant us peace.

Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice, and brotherly love.

Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace.

Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend the great gift of peace.

May all peoples on the earth become as brothers and sisters.

May longed for peace blossom forth and reign always over us all.

- Pope John Paul II



2022-2023

Assembly Officers

Faithful Friar Rev Leo Ortiz

FN SK Ronald Karaskiewicz

Faithful Captain SK Ross Aiello

Faithful Comptroller SK Ronald Meyer

Faithful Admiral SK John Alvarado

Faithful Purser SK Henry Chavez

Faithful Pilot SK Steve Wilson

Faithful Scribe SK Clemente Garcia

Faithful Outside Sentinel SK Steve Schroeder

Faithful Inside Sentinel SK Joseph Perez

Faithful Trustee One Year SK Dom Lepore

Faithful Trustee Two Year SK Gerald Roybal

Faithful Trustee Three Year SK David Chavez

> Color Corp Commander SK John Alvarado











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

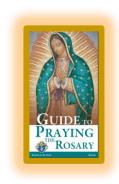
Please join the Knights Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm for our weekly rosary

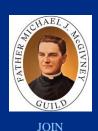
Parishioners, Family and Friends are invited

Join from your computer, tablet, or smartphone

Click on the link below to participate https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/196982653

You can also dial in using your phone. United States: +1 (224) 501-3412 Access Code: 196-982-653







CALENDAR

ASSEMBLY MEETINGS

 $7:00 \, \text{PM}$

Second Monday of the month

COUNCIL MEETINGS

7:00 PM Second Thursday of the month











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DECEMBER 2023 SUPREME CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY CHALLENGE

"Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples ..." (Gospel for Dec. 31, Lk 2:29-31)

The Jewish people had waited many centuries for God's promise of a Savior to be fulfilled. Here, Simeon realizes the wait is over. Like Simeon, we can count ourselves among the fortunate ones who "have seen [God's] salvation" in Christ, and we must proclaim this good news of salvation as he did. May we seek to share the gift of Christ with others in a particular way this Christmas.

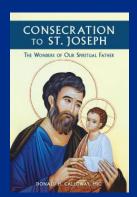
Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to reach out to others — family, friends, acquaintances — and invite them to a celebration of Christmas, especially Christmas Mass. Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Keep Christ in Christmas program.

Questions for Reflection:

Do you share the true joy of Christmas with others? Do you take time to invite others to deeper faith in the Christ Child? Do you speak of and celebrate the Advent and Christmas seasons in a way that reminds those around you of their true significance?











From Worthy Lecturer SK Jimm White

In the years we've been married, my wife Pam has diagnosed me, quit correctly I suspect, as ADD, and she says I've probably been that way all my life. Again, I suspect she's right. It is not uncommon for me to have five or six projects of my own going on around the house at the same time, along with what ever Pam has asked me to do, along with what ever projects I've got going for the hospital in Santa Fe.

I'll start mowing the lawn, get about half way through, now I think of something else, go to my reloading bench, size some rifle brass, and I think of something else, go get on the radio and listen to some morse code, thinking of something else, log into the hospital and check on one of my projects, think of something else. Now I'm in the back yard, oh look, there's the lawn mower in the middle of the lawn, I'll finish that later. Now I forgot where I was going.

And don't even get Pam started about my channel hopping – makes her crazy To say I'm easily distracted would be the understatement of the century. But I will tell you this, I am quite certain the devil understands my condition as well. In this journey of mine back into the Church, I often find it very difficult to remain focused on Mass or on my Liturgy of the Hours. It is not uncommon for me to stop in the middle of a prayer and re-focus, or to go back and re-pray the last prayer because I realized I don't remember what it just said, I wasn't paying attention. The same happens in Mass, I suddenly realize I'm not there and I have to refocus. I know Satan is using my ADD against me, to move me away from God, Jesus and the Church.

How do I combat that?

Well, it seems Archbishop Saint Charles Borromeo, (1538 – 1584), may have an answer. As I was praying the Office of Reading on the Saturday of his feast day, I came across this: In his sermon to the last synod he attended, St, Charles speaks of a priest who complains that as soon as he comes into church to pray the Office or to celebrate the Mass a thousand thoughts fill his mind and distract him from God. Good to know I'm apparently not alone in this.

St. Charles asks: but what was he doing in the sacristy before he came out for the Office or Mass? How did he prepare? What means did he use to collect his thoughts and remain collected?

As he goes on, he offers the priest a solution – meditate on Jesus. He tells the priest to quiet his mind, to meditate before Mass, to think of what he is doing when he offers Communion, and to meditate after Mass.

How do I quiet my mind? I look on the cross and think of the sacrifice Jesus made. I imagine myself standing at the foot of the Cross that day, looking up at Jesus. Now I'm in place in my mind where Satan won't go, and I'm safe. When I come out, I'm quiet and I can continue my prayers or participate in the Mass.

It's different for everyone, but if you're ADD like me - and most of you will have to admit you are - find that quiet place, find what works to clear your mind, someplace Satan won't go because God and Jesus and the Holy Spirit are there with you.

Then, come back out ready to join the fight alongside Jesus against Satan.

By the way, I lost count of the number of times this month I got up from this reflection to go do something else before I finally got it finished this afternoon!

Family of the Month



Congratulations David and Regina Garduno Family

Knights in Action

The Knights of Columbus Assembly 3309 US Flag Retirement Ceremony on November 11, 2023







Lord, make me an instrument of Your Peace: Where there is

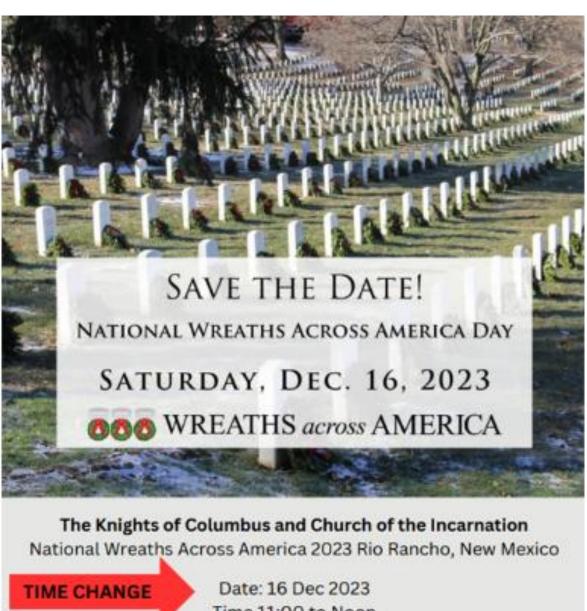
hatred, let me sow love: Where there is

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

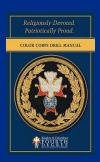


Time 11:00 to Noon

Where: Vista Verde Memorial Park, 4310 Sara Rd SE



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Color Corp Drill Manual click to download



The Knights of Columbus Council 15199

12 DAYS of Christmas

RAFFLE 12/26/2023 – 1/6/2024

- \$3,600 total prize money
- \$300 Prize at Each Daily Drawing
- Tickets are only \$50 each

All proceeds will be donated to support charitable causes

(previous recipients include Haven House, Special Olympics, Wounded Warriors, Franciscan Friars, and other organizations)

Tickets on sale now! Ask a Knight or call (505) 463-1415

Daily Drawings on YouTube: www.youtube.com/@KofC15199





Get ready for the ride of your life with V8's for Vocations!

This year, you could be the lucky winner of a stunning 1956 FORD THUNDERBIRD HARDTOP CONVERTIBLE in our annual raffle!

Tucked under the hood is a roaring 312 cu. In. (5.1 L) Y-block V8 engine, paired with a smooth 3-speed Ford-O-Matic transmission. Dressed to impress in Buckskin Tan paint and complemented by a Saddle Brown Leather Interior, this T-Bird is nothing short of a classic beauty.

Don't miss your chance to drive away in this vintage gem! Learn more and get your raffle tickets at www.v8sforvocations.org today!



THE 2024 WARRIORS TO LOURDES PILGRIMAGE



Every year, the Knights of Columbus helps wounded warriors by sponsoring a healing pilgrimage to the **Sanctuary of Our Lady of Lourdes** in France. Our 300 pilgrims join 14,000 warriors and pilgrims from 41 countries in seeking Our Lady's intercession for their suffering. They will benefit greatly from this five-day event of prayer, reflection, candlelight processions, Masses, and visits to the healing baths.

For more information on the Warriors to Lourdes Pilgrimage, click <u>here</u>.

Our wounded, ill, or injured pilgrims, their caregivers, and companions with financial need will not pay a cent for this healing experience. However, it costs us about \$3,000 per person for transport, food, lodging, and materials.

Please consider having your council or assembly make a monetary contribution to support this wonderful program as we celebrate our veterans during the month of November.



Donate Today!



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STATE WEBSITE

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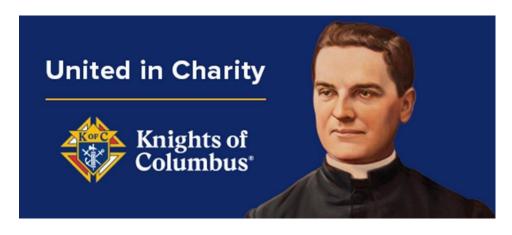
SUPREME WEBSITE



Fund Meals For Homeless And Hungry Veterans for FREE Welcome to the new VA.gov



Built with Veterans for Veterans



Dear Brothers

Every winter, countless children miss school or are unable to play outside simply because they don't have a warm coat. Since launching our Coats for Kids program in 2009 we have provided nearly 1 million winter coats to children in need. None of this would have been possible without the generous donations of members just like you. Today, we are asking you to continue supporting Coats for Kids and much more through our **United in Charity Annual Appeal**.

As you know from the exemplification of our Order, we are stronger together. Through the United in Charity Annual Appeal, 100% of your gift goes to the good work of our Order, maximizing our charitable impact. By donating to our United in Charity Annual Appeal, you are joining thousands of our brothers in supporting our most vulnerable neighbors — children without winter coats, expectant mothers, those affected by natural disasters, wounded military personnel and others.

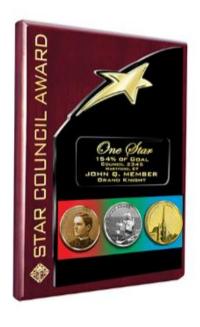
Please do not delay. Make a gift today to support our mission of charity.



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Fraternally, Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc.

2023 - 2024 Star Awards



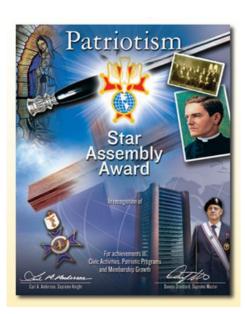
STAR COUNCIL

The Star Council Award recognizes outstanding achievement in membership, insurance and programming.

In order to achieve the Star Council Award, a council must earn the Father McGivney, Founder's, and Columbian Awards. Additionally, the council must submit both the <u>Annual Survey of Fraternal</u> <u>Activity</u> (#1728) and <u>Service Program Personnel Report</u> (#365). In the United States and Canada councils must also be fully compliant with applicable safe environment requirements.

Prior to the end of the fraternal year on June 30, make sure that your council achieves the requirements to qualify for your awards. To view your quota and/or progress towards earning the Star Council Award, please log on to Officers Online regularly.

STAR ASSEMBLY



The Star Assembly Award recognizes outstanding achievements in membership, programs and overall excellence.

Membership Growth

Reach growth quota: 6% Net Membership Growth **Programs**

Civic Award

Conduct and report at least four varied patriotic programs Submit the <u>Civic Award Application</u> (#2321) – **Due 6/30**

To Be A Patriot Award

<u>To Be A Patriot Award Application</u> (#TBP-2) – **Due 5/31** Complete the form to enter the competition

Overall Assembly Excellence

- Publish a monthly Assembly Newsletter or Bulletin
- Submit Report of Assembly Officers Chosen for the Term (#186) **Due 7/1**
- Submit Annual Assembly Audit Report (#1315) **Due 8/1**
- Submit Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728) Due 1/31

Prayer Requests



Brother Jack Reznick SK Marty Cantu SK Frank Cruz

Peggy Meyerson, wife of Deacon George

Meyerson Father Leo Ortiz

Roseann Pino, sister of PFN John

Alvarado

Lady Roxane Delgado, wife of SK Gene

Delgado

Lady Debbie Talik

Michael Lee, nephew of Father John

Carney

SK Anthony Gutierrez Lawrence Goddard

Lady Elaine Chavez Lady Alice Garcia SK Frank Morganti SK Joe Berryman Lady Jacqui Berryman SK Ron Cook SK James Starr

Brother George Schlegelmilch

SK Ray Montoya Brother Larry Kolker Sir Knight Tim, and Lady

Amanda Sheehan Lady Marian Oldham

Clyde Archuleta, Son of +SK Ralph and Lady Joan

Lady Cecilia Brunoni Lady Joan Archuleta SK Frosty Johnson

Jennifer Talik Daughter in Law o SK Stan Talik and Lady Debbie

SK Garold Hohmann SK Joseph Lepre Lady Zenaida Cantu SK Henry Chavez

SK Julian and Lady Teresa Gonzales

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

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



- + Patricia Walker, Sister of Lady Marjorie Starr
- + Jeanne Cynova
- + John B Sayer
- + Frank Guillen
- + Dave Ashley
- + SK Tony Vigil
- + Lady Alicia 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 Lady Cindy and SK Frank Melo
- +Lady Toni Chavez Wife of SK David L Chavez
- +Sierra Rodriguez Granddaughter of Lady Pam and SK Jimm White

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

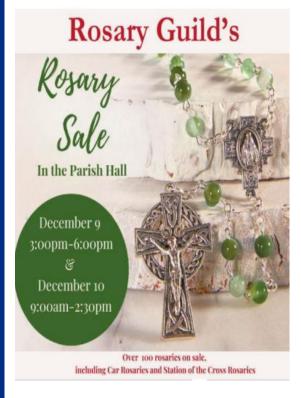
Weekend Mass Saturday: 4:00pm Sundays: 8:00am, 10:30am and 12:30pm Confessions
Mon., Wed & Thurs: 4:30pm5:15pm
Tuesday & Friday: 7:15am -7:45am
Saturdays 2:00pm -3:45pm
Sunday 9:30am -10:15am

Eucharistic Adoration
Monday & Wednesday: 6:00pm7:00pm
Fridays: 9:00am – 1:00pm
Contact Information for Staff and
Clergy











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

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 <u>heartbeatinternational.org</u>, <u>birthright.org</u> and <u>pregnancycarecanada.ca</u> – among others. Visit <u>kofc.org/asap</u> for resources.

Preganacy 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 <u>link</u>.



WANT TO VOLUNTEER?

<u>Social Media Communications (part-time)</u> includes managing and promoting social media accounts in cooperation with our marketing strategy goals.

<u>Pro-Life Outreach Coordinator(s)</u> will assist the President and Development Director with organizing, promoting, and recruiting participants for pro-life events like 40 Days for Life and the Jericho Walk.

<u>Receptionist(s)- Part time</u> will welcome clients as they come to the pregnancy medical clinic, make sure forms and completed, entered, and filed, schedule appointments, and do basic office work. Client Advocacy training will be required and provided by PDL.

Spanish-Speaking Client Advocates (Part-time) will assist clients who are Spanish-speaking in our services, from pregnancy testing, options consultation, to case management. At this time, we are not seeing a high-volume of Spanish-speaking clients and so this will be an on-call position for a designated day and time-frame. We are looking for 10 volunteers to commit to 9-12:30 or 12:30-4 on any given day, Monday through Friday. Client Advocacy training will be required and provided by PDL.

<u>Weekend Cleaners</u> will do basic upkeep of building such clean bathrooms, sweep and mop floors, and vacuum.

<u>Office Assistance (part-time)</u> will fulfill basic office duties, filing, organizing, product ordering, printing, and mailing.

Event Planning will assist President and Community Outreach director in various tasks for our annual Gala, Galentine's, and other related events.

Email <u>dominique@defendinglife.org</u> for more information and an application.



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 Daulus Mary

- Evangelium Vitae

In the Know – Programs, Events and Activities



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



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

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



December 2023 Birthdays

	ROBERT	BRUNONI		12/3
DEACON	MARK	BUIE		12/4
	MATTHE W	WALSH		12/5
	BLAIR	WHITE		12/9
	STEVEN	SCHROEDER		12/11
	WILLIAM	CLIFTON		12/12
	BONIFACI O	GARCIA	JR	12/14
	DEAN	PITTS		12/20
	RICK	ROOD		12/22
	JOHN	LIBRANDE		12/26

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

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: <u>ken.white@kofc.org</u> 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 ARGT 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

Overwhelmed by all the resources available to you as a fraternal leader? Check out our recommended go to resources for council leaders. FIND YOUR RESOURCES

IMPORTANT LINKS

Membership Benefits	<u>Celebrate</u> <u>McGivney</u>	<u>Forms</u>	Supplies	Fraternal Operations
Training & Webinars	Programs	<u>Inviting Men to</u> Join	Engage Your Members	<u>Ceremonials</u>

Knights of Columbus Insurance





Contact Sir Knight Bob Brunoni today to set up an appointment and learn how the Knights of Columbus can help protect your family.

Office: (505)850-7474, Cell: (505) 850-7474, Email: bob.brunoni@kofc.org

Partner with Your Agent to Succeed

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



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:
The Father McGivney Guild
1 Columbus Plaza
New Haven, CT 06510-3326 • USA
www.fathermcgivney.org

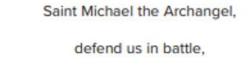
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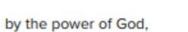
be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.





and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;





cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits



who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.















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.